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THE SANCTUARY LIGHT  
IS OFFERED IN HONOR  
OF  
THE NGUYEN FAMILY

## LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

**SATURDAY, MARCH 26**

5:00 PM

**MISSA PRO POPULO**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 27**

9:30 AM

**EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**

**MISSA PRO POPULO**

Tuesday, March 29 at 9:30 AM

**For those who suffer of depression**

Tuesday, March 29 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM

**Eucharistic Adoration**

Wednesday, March 30 at 9:30 AM

**For All Souls in Purgatory**

Thursday, March 31 at 9:30 AM

**+ Don Chuy Macias**

Friday, April 1 at 9:30 AM

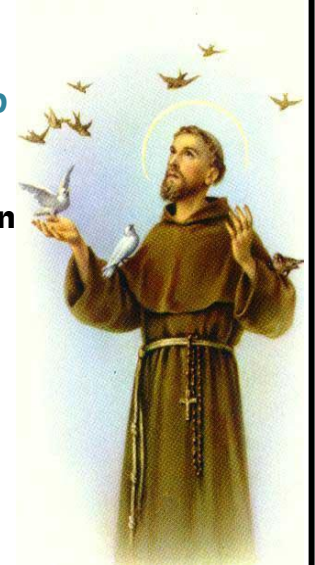
**+ Clara DeReese**

Saturday, April 2 at 5:00 PM

**Missa Pro Populo**

Sunday, April 3 at 9:30 AM

**+ Maria Nguyet, + Joseph Hoi  
And Peter Vun**



### MINISTERS FOR APRIL 2 AND 3

#### Eucharistic Ministers:

Saturday:

Cup: Ron Zajac and Kathy Russell

Sunday:

Cup: John Longley and Jeanne Kirk

#### Altar Servers:

Saturday:

Rowdy Watkins

Sunday:

Eli Green and Makayla Triolo

#### Commentators/Lectors:

Saturday:

Donna Manthei

Sunday:

Steve Conrad

### YOUR GIFTS TO GOD:

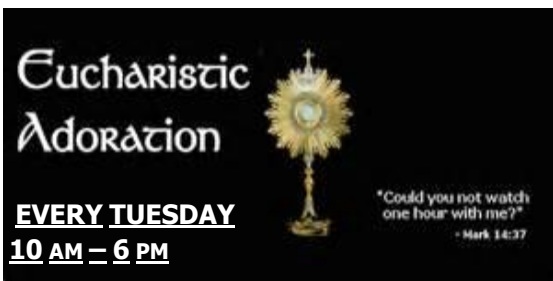


**Church: \$**

**Building Fund: \$**

**Children: \$**

*"For it is in giving that we receive" - St. Francis of Assisi*



**CONFESSIONS:**  
30 MINUTES BEFORE MASS

**THE HOLY ROSARY IS  
PRAYED BEFORE EACH  
MASS**



**R.E.** – R.E. classes on Wednesday, March 23 at 6:00 PM

**YOUTH MASS:** Saturday, April 9 at 5:00 PM

**St. Francis of Assisi Gift Station:**

Located in the parish office and is open during office hours. We have items for every religious special occasion as well as items for the home and auto.

**From Ashes to Easter:**

- We are blessed by the gracious gift of Jesus Christ, who transformed human history with his infinite and compassionate love. Through his Spirit, his grace has been poured into our hearts. With open and merciful hearts, we are invited to share our blessings. As we add coins to our Ashes to Easter box each day, we together will bring hope to struggling missions. Please pray a Hail Mary for the missions. **All boxes should be returned on Easter Sunday or the week after.**

**Aluminum cans:**

-Can you recycle cans? Yes you can! You can place your aluminum cans in the recycle bin behind the parish hall, please make sure they are completely empty before you place them in the recycling container. Proceeds will benefit the parking lot project and the R.E. ministries.

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**KEEP  
CALM  
AND BECOME  
ALTAR  
SERVER!**

Your commitment to the altar is not only a duty, but a great honor, a genuine holy service. The altar server occupies a privileged place in the liturgical celebration. The altar server presents himself to a community and experiences firsthand that Jesus Christ is present and active in every liturgical act. Therefore, in the liturgy, you are much more than simple "helpers of the parish priest." Above all, you are servers of Jesus Christ, of the eternal High Priest. Thus, you, altar servers, are called in particular to be young friends of Jesus.

*-St. John Paul II*

If you have received the sacrament of Holy Eucharist, you are invited to join the Altar Server ministry. For more information, contact Sandra in the office 979-828-1269



**ALTAR SERVER**  
**A JOB SO BIG ONLY A KID CAN DO IT**

**Parish Breakfast:**

-The parish monthly breakfast will be on Sunday, April 3 after the 9:30 AM Holy Mass. Please join us.

**Special Collection:**

-As the Diocese of Austin rapidly continues to grow, we must ensure that we have an ample number of priests to celebrate the sacraments, preach God's word and guide us on our journey with Christ. Thus, to ensure our priests are well-prepared, a man in formation pursues an education in philosophy, theology and pastoral care. Seminarian education and formation in the Diocese of Austin can take up to nine years. We believe that financial impediments should never prevent men from responding to God's call to the priesthood. This special collection provides additional support for this very important effort. Please be generous in your support of this most worthy cause.

**Franklin Food Pantry:**

-St. Francis will be manning the Franklin Food Pantry on Saturday, April 2 from 9-11AM Please place food items in green basket in church narthex.



**The beautiful Easter Lilies that adorn the Church were donated in**

**Honor/Memory of:** Sue Osburn, Bobby Zarosky, Ramona & Paul Corn, Alben Neugebauer, Jim & Edna Lee Walsh, Olivia Ebel, Max Jones, Fajkus Family E.R. & Julia Steinheil, Adolph & Marie Catalini, Angela & Alfred Carter, Bertha & Henry Walts, Narcisa & Bienvenido Tanyag, DeStefano Family, Mushinski & Elliott Families, Barnett Family, Ryan Nguyen Family and the Guild Family. Thank you for your generosity.