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Sunday Mass Schedule

5:00 p.m. – Saturday Vigil • 7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. – Sunday 12:00 p.m. - Sunday Spanish Mass

St. Rose School Office

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Pastoral Council

Royce Shimek, President

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Natalie Mechura

Sacrament of Confession

4:30 p.m. Saturday or by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment. Parents must be registered members in the parish. Instruction for parents and godparents is required.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Parties should contact the parish office 6 months prior to date of wedding to allow time for the required "Engaged Encounter" Course.

Holyday & Weekday Masses

As scheduled in the bulletin.

Financial Advisory Council

Jack Klesel, President

St. Rose CCD

Grades 1-8 - Nicole Michalke Grades 9-11 - Lynne Machac

Newcomers

Welcome to all new parishioners. Please come by or call the parish office to register.

Bulletin Deadline

Monday – 5:00 p.m.

APRIL 23, 2017

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Ever feel like you miss out on all the good stuff? Are you the one who always arrives five minutes after the big event? You're in good company. Think of the disciples asleep on the Mount of Transfiguration or snoozing in the Garden of Gethsemane. Remember the forehead smacking revelation for two weary travelers on the road to Emmaus. Scripture is littered with latecomers, some of whom steal the show.

Like Thomas in this week's reading, he's out when the big revelation in the upper room happens. And it's his natural belief at the disciples "tall tale" that teaches us a great lesson about faith. Centuries after that phenomenal Passover week we're latecomers too, faced with the same challenger of believing without seeing. We need that image of Jesus accepting Thomas in his moment of doubt to reassure us in these distant, darker hours.

It's the mixed blessing arriving late, but our faith is stronger for it. As the old saying tells us: better late than never.

Offering\$

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: \$8,659.85.

EASTER GIFT TO MY CHURCH: \$1,668.55.

DIOCESAN SEMINARIANS COLL: \$2,138.15.

HOLY LAND COLLECTION: \$1,126.55.

RICE BOWL COLLECTION: \$612.60.

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SECOND COLLECTION

Next weekend, April 29/30, the Catholic Home Missions collection will be taken up. Many dioceses in the U.S. do not have enough priests to serve poorer parishes. These dioceses, classified as "home missions", cannot provide for the unique needs of their parish communities. This appeal supports these dioceses by funding essential ministries. An envelope is provided for this collection in your envelope packet.

EASTER DUTY

The obligation to receive Holy Communion and the Sacrament of Penance (Confession) once a year should be fulfilled during the Easter Season, unless it is fulfilled for a good reason, such as illness, at some other time during the year. Your Easter Duty obligation can be satisfied from Easter Sunday to Sunday, June 11.

CONGRATULATIONS AND BLESSINGS TO FATHER TIM on his 46th Anniversary of Ordination today, April 23. May God continue to bless and strengthen him in his ministry.

THANK YOU

Thanks to all who helped to make our Easter Services so inspiring. It is certainly a beautiful time of year when we can open our minds and hear His word and open our hearts to receive His love.

Thank you also for the sacrifice you have made in our Parish Easter Collection. This collection is one of the most important of the year for our parish's financial well-being.

God bless you for making this Easter a very special Easter for us all!

PARISH PICNIC MEETING

There will be a meeting on Sunday, May 14, at 11:00 AM, for all chairpersons, workers, and other interested parishioners to help plan the upcoming picnic, which will be held on June 11.

THANK YOU

Our community changed lives this Lent, and Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl wants to say thank you!

AMONG OUR SICK

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Cara Seay, Bruce Gillings, Gordon Ross, Diane Ritchie, Martin Ripper, Jr., Eugene Schimcek, Connor Machicek, Nelson/Alice Jochen, Alice Hollas, Jordan Okruhlik, Doris Anders, Elmarine Matus, Leo Ernstes, Martha Huebner, Keith Beyer, Ovella Stuchly, LeeRoy Nelson, Jo Lane Schwenke, Royce Shimek, Walter Ripper, Phillip Tucker, Frank Segura, Clorisa Hartensteiner, Gary Quinton, Aline Mendel, Chris Hooper, Blakeleigh Ripper, Scott Spence, Sharon Cernosek, Luke Friedel, Janet Machac, Rita Brossmann, David Taylor, Ernie Mensik, Johnnie Fowlkes, Damian Janacek, Melvin Kunz, Clara Schindler, Angelina Schwenke, ill priests of the Diocese, and those in nursing homes and the homebound.

ST. ROSE ALTAR SOCIETY will have a Sale on special items the weekend of May 6 and 7 after Mass on Saturday evening and Sunday 7:30 and 10:00 AM and 12:00 Noon. Items such as rosaries, prayer cards, books, etc. will be available. Please support the St. Rose Altar Society and check out the sale items and new religious articles.

AMOR MEUS ONE-DAY RETREAT: April 29, from 9:30 AM-3:30 PM, at Incarnate Word Convent, 1101 N.E. Water St., Victoria. Father Kenneth O'Malley CP will present a day retreat entitled, "An Easter Walk with Jesus". All are welcomed. Call 361-575-7111.

WORKS OF MERCY

As we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday, take a moment and reflect on the works of mercy we His Church can do here on earth. How many can you name? If you're struggling, prayerfully review the lists below. God may have something to say to you.

The works of mercy are a Christ-like response to friends, neighbors and strangers who suffer in body and spirit. All the corporal works of mercy are found in the parable of The Last Judgment (Mt. 25:34-40) except the last, "bury the dead". This one was added out of respect for the body as a "temple of God" (1 Cor. 3:16).

1) Feed the hungry. 2) Give drink to the thirsty. 3) Clothe the naked. 4) Visit the imprisoned. 5) Shelter the homeless. 6) Visit the sick. 7) Bury the dead.

The spiritual works of mercy also have to do with personal relationships.

1(Correct those who need it. 2) Teach the illiterate. 3) Give advice to those who need it. 4) Comfort those who suffer. 5) Be patient with others. 6) Forgive those who hurt you. 7) Pray for others.

PRAYER FOR MERCY

We bless you God most high, Lord of mercies whose ways with us are great, excellent and glorious beyond all telling. We give you thanks because you have not destroyed us because of our sins, but shown us continual love. Enlighten the eyes of our understanding, Lord. Open our lips and fill them with your praise: give us an unending hymn to sing in praise of your mercy and love.

IN SYMPATHY

Please remember in your prayers Msgr. Thomas McLaughlin who died this past week. He was an associate pastor in the 1950's at St. Rose. May his soul rest in the peace of Christ. Continue to pray for more vocations.



MONDAY, APRIL 24

6:00 PM Frank & Del Barta - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 5-6 PM

TUESDAY, APRIL 25

8:10 AM Edwin, Laddie, Joseph & Albina Orsak

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

6:00 PM Emil & Mary Langhamer

THURSDAY, APRIL 27

8:10 AM Geneva Dieringer

FRIDAY, APRIL 28

6:00 PM Eugene & Dorothy Hollas

SATURDAY, APRIL 29

5:00 PM Elreed Dittrich & Beverly Bayer

SUNDAY, APRIL 30 7:30 AM Parish

7:30 AM Parish Family 10:00 AM Erwin Skalka, Sr.

12:00 PM Bernardo, Estela & Alejandro

Moreno & Felipe Hernandez

GIFT BEARERS

APRIL 29 5:00 PM - Elreed Dittrich Family APRIL 30 7:30 AM - Michael/Janice Grahmann 10:00 AM - Erwin Skalka Family

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ALTAR FLOWERS

Anyone wishing to donate flowers for the church altar, please call the Parish Office --743-3117. The following weekends are open through November: May 6/7, June 10/11, June 17/18, June 24/25, July 8/9, July 15/16, August 5/6, August 12/13, September 2/3, September 9/10, September 16/17, September 23/24, September 30/October 1, October 14/15, October 21/22, November 4/5, and November 25/26.

Exposition of the Bl. Sacrament will be held on Monday. Tuesday Mass is at 8:10 AM.

ST. ROSE MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK AHEAD -

3rd Sunday of Easter



| | SATURDAY | SUNDAY | SUNDAY |
|----------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| | APRIL 29, 2017 | APRIL 30, 2017 | 30-Apr-17 |
| ROSARY | Phyllis Venghaus | Ted & Gloria Kolek | KC Members-Kenneth Berger |
| LECTORS | Douglas Behlen | Berni Gillings | Kathy Bertsch |
| EMOHC-CIBORIUM | Elizabeth Holub | Clara Clark | Adela Luksovky |
| EMOHC-CHALICE | Kenneth Miksch, Jason Muras | Milton Beyer, Kenneth Berger | Jim Luksovsky, Jonathan Kalich |
| ALTAR | Larissa Bohlmann | Mackenzie Kunschick | Hannah Schulz |
| SERVERS | Wesley Liere, Shelby Liere | Blaine Zapalac, Ashley Pesi | Hunter Schulz, Hayden Schulz |
| USHERS | Todd Brosch, Brayson Florus | Milton Beyer, Mark Shimek | James Sommer, Harvey Michna |
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