

ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH

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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

Rosanne Gallia – Principal

Jeannie Mican – Administrative Assistant

Pastoral Council

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St. Rose CCD

Grades 1-8 - Nicole Michalke

Grades 9-11 - Lynne Machac

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.

Holiday & Weekday Masses

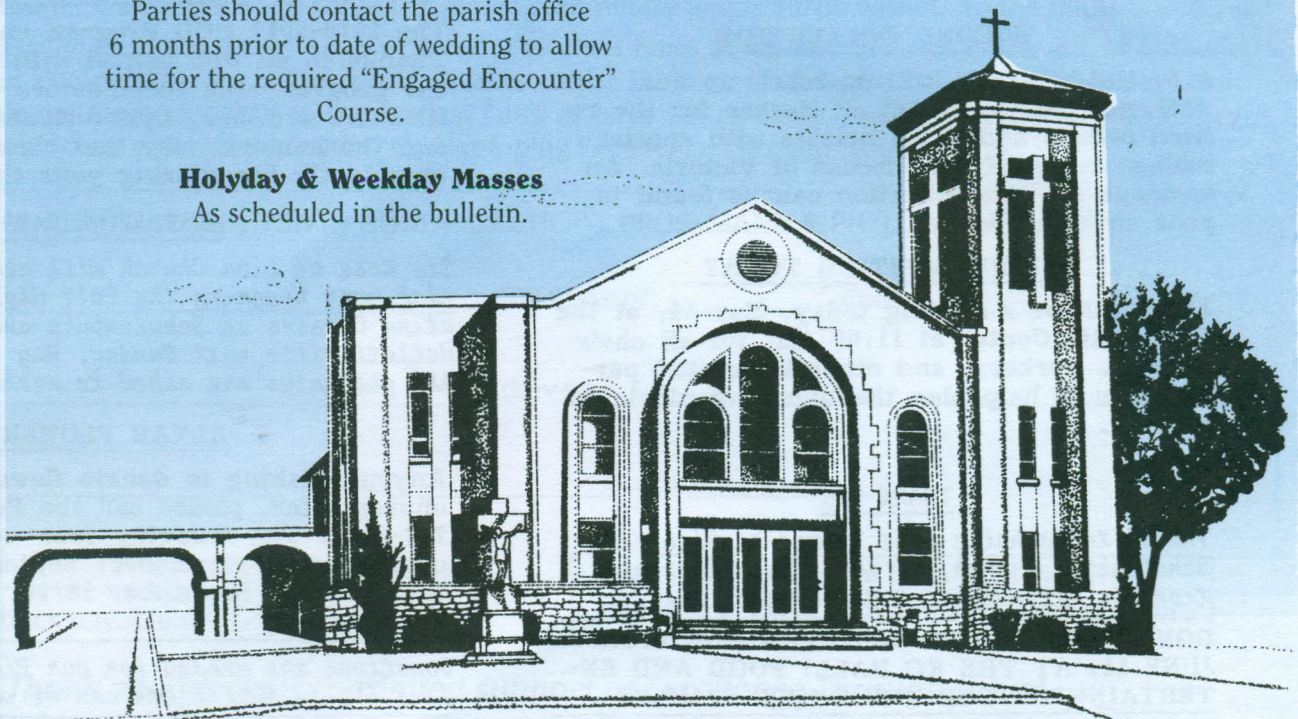
As scheduled in the bulletin.

Newcomers

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

Bulletin Deadline

Monday – 5:00 p.m.



From the Pastor's Desk

It's a familiar picture: A tiny face pressed anxiously against the windowpane, as a beloved parent heads off into the big, outside world. A mixture of fear, loneliness and jealousy bubbles up at being left behind. Why can't we go with them? Will they be gone a long time? What will we do till they return? And the painful emotions cut both ways. Our parents know they must go away to work, to plan for our future, to protect us. How hard it can be for both sides, this early lesson in trust.

The disciples had a similar tough lesson as Jesus prepared for His Ascension. "If I go," He tells them, "I will come back again and take you to myself." Fearful, the disciples asked for directions, wanting to follow Jesus when He left. But Jesus knew their faith would never flourish if the disciples couldn't endure this separation. He must complete the work of salvation and they must stay behind to build His kingdom.

Painful and sometimes scary, this waiting our faith must endure. But oh what joy we will feel when our Father's face appears outside the window to finally call us home.

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Offerings

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: \$5,260.86.

CHURCH BUILDING FUND: \$1,911.70.

MANY THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

SECOND COLLECTION

A second collection will be taken up next weekend, May 20/21, at all Masses for the retired priests and those priests with special medical needs of the Diocese of Victoria. An envelope for this collection can be found in your envelope packet.

PICNIC MEETING TODAY

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

THANK YOU

Thanks to Catholic Life Insurance High Hill-Schulenburg Branch #1, for presenting carnations to all mothers today at each Mass.

DON'T FORGET THE DATE FOR OUR PICNIC -- JUNE 11, AT THE KC HALL! FOOD AND ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!



Congratulations and Best Wishes to all mothers. May God bless you and keep you in His loving care. Today, at each of our Masses, we will offer prayers for the mothers enrolled through our special Spiritual Bouquets.

Parish Picnic

ONLY FOUR WEEKS AWAY!

FATHER TIM'S CAKE: Anyone wishing to make a donation toward Father Tim's cake for the June 11 picnic, please call Mrs. Lillian Orsak (743-3284), Mrs. Georgie Moretz (512-574-0344) or the Parish Office to leave your donation.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Cullen James Strickland and Hilary Paige Moring

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, Aline Mendel, Chris Hooper, Blakeleigh Ripper, Scott Spence, Luke Friedel, Sharon Cernosek, Rita Brossmann, Janet Machac, David Taylor, Ernie Mensik, Johnnie Fowlkes, Damian Janacek, Melvin Kunz, Clara Schindler, Jerome Sassin, Sr., ill priests of the Diocese, and those in nursing homes and the homebound.

IN APPRECIATION

The 2016-2017 CCD Program ended on May 3. Thanks to all who helped with the success of the program--the coordinators--Mrs. Nicole Michalke and Mrs. Lynne Machac--the teachers and the helpers. May God bless each of you abundantly for sharing your time and talent.

GRADUATION MASS

St. Rose of Lima Church will celebrate a special Mass honoring the 2017 High School Graduating Classes of Schulenburg and Sacred Heart, Hallettsville next Sunday, May 21, at 10:00 AM. All graduates are asked to wear their gowns.

ALTAR FLOWERS


Anyone wishing to donate flowers for the church altar, please call the Parish Office -- 743-3117. The following four weekends are open through November: September 2/3, September 9/10, September 23/24, and November 25/26.

Donations are needed for our Picnic Bingo on June 11, so that items can be purchased.



News from your Parish School
Glory to God for a great year!

As the school year comes to a close, students are preparing for final exams, finishing projects and saying goodbye. While some will return to their friends next year, our 8th graders will move on to High School. The end of the year focus is on making memories and sharing the many blessings we've had together all while thanking God for the gift of Catholic Education.

Celebrating
 the end of the
 **School Year**

Please join us in making more memories at these special events as the school year comes to a close:

- Mass & Rosary each Thursday at 8:10 a.m.
- Drama Play & Band Concert—6:30 p.m., Thursday May 18, school gym
- Graduation—7 p.m., Thursday, May 25, St. Rose Church

"For the LORD gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding."—Proverbs 2:6

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Featherock Conference Center, 934 Holub Road, Schulenburg is hosting a Morning of Reflection for women on Wednesday, May 17, from 9:30 AM-Noon. Ladies of the Parish, are you looking for a way to grow closer to Our Lord? Please consider coming to an inspiring Morning of Reflection. Come - Our Lord is joyfully waiting for you!

Masses of the Week

- MONDAY, MAY 15**
 7:00 AM Adolf & Mary Vacek
 6:00 PM Joe & Betty Malinak & Walter & Rose Martin
- TUESDAY, MAY 16**
 6:00 PM Melvin Svrcula, Melvin Kalich, & Deceased Family - Exposition of Blessed Sacrament 5-6 PM
- WEDNESDAY, MAY 17**
 6:00 PM August & Leona Watzlavick
- THURSDAY, MAY 18**
 8:10 AM Ermin Stuchly
- FRIDAY, MAY 19**
 6:00 PM Alois/Lucille/Shawn Grahmann
- SATURDAY, MAY 20**
 2:00 PM Wedding - Strickland & Moring
 5:00 PM Edwin & Edna Venghaus & Stacie Bittner
- SUNDAY, MAY 21**
 7:30 AM Parish Family
 10:00 AM Jack Hooper
 12:00 PM Francisco Javier Lara-Spanish

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GIFT BEARERS

- MAY 20 5:00 PM - Edwin Venghaus Family
 MAY 21 7:30 AM - Gene & Barbara Guentert
 10:00 AM - Graduating Seniors
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Flowers on all altars today are given in memory of Adolph Vaculik, Jr., by the family.

St. Rose Altar Society will meet on Monday, May 15, St. Rose Family Life Center, at 6:30 PM. Hostesses: Kathy Pesl, Mary Jane Pesek, and Pat Proske.

**Our eyes are fixed on the Lord,
 pleading for his mercy.**

ST. ROSE MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK AHEAD - 6th Sunday of Easter

	<u>SATURDAY</u> MAY 20 5:00 P.M.	<u>SUNDAY</u> MAY 21 7:30 A.M.	<u>SUNDAY</u> MAY 21 10:00 A.M.
ROSARY LEADERS	Berni Gillings	Carmen Calvillo	Amanda Brown
LECTORS	Dion O'Kelley	Kenneth Berger	Graduating Seniors
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER	Pat Proske	Donna Kunz	Margie Mueller
ALTAR SERVERS	Elabeth Edwards Zane Brenek, Presley Sommer	Ashley Pesl Mackenzie & Madison Kunschick	Jack Vrana Collin & Camden Bosl
USHERS	Jeff Proske, Jason Muras Darren Florus, Wayne Holub	Corky Bubela, Raymond Shimek Allen Matus, John Schindler	Graduating Seniors

“Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God’s grace in its various forms.” 1 Peter 4:10



Cheryl Brossmann



Phyllis Venghaus

This year we recognize two wonderful ladies who have selflessly given to St. Rose School and Catholic Education. Our Mother Seton Award Winner and Distinguished Alumni Recipient embody what it means to use our lives in service to others. They have seen and experience the value of a Catholic Education and have been recognized for their service and dedication to living and promoting our mission of Excellence Through Jesus.

Cheryl Brossmann received the Mother Seton Award for her service and dedication in volunteering her time, talent and treasure to St. Rose of Lima Catholic School. She is a product of Catholic Education and her children all attended St. Rose. Cheryl has always been quick to lend a helping hand, going above and beyond what was necessary to get the job done.

Phyllis Venghaus is the 2017 Distinguished Alumni for St. Rose School. As a graduate of St. Rose she also gave her children the gift of the same Catholic Education. During her years at St. Rose as a teacher Phyllis challenged and encouraged students to be their best. She inspired them in the faith and left a lasting impression on them. She continues to serve the parish community and is a true witness to the faith.

In thanksgiving for the work these wonderful women have done, and to further the gift of Catholic Education in our community, we invite you to donate to the St. Rose of Lima Catholic School Annual Fund. Whether you have already donated to the Annual Fund or have yet to do so, this is a wonderful way to pay tribute to them for their years of dedication to developing Excellence Through Jesus.

ANNUAL FUND DONATION IN HONOR OF CHERYL BROSSMANN & PHYLLIS VENGHAUS

Name: _____ SRS Class of: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____ Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

My check for \$ _____ is enclosed.
(Please make check payable to St. Rose School)

Mail to: St. Rose of Lima Catholic School,
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