

WE THANK everyone who shared a portion of their blessings to God through your church.

Aug.12 & 13, 2023: Regular Collection: \$2,088.00, Feast of the Assumption: \$11.00, Building Fund: \$200.00, Cemetery fund: \$387.00.

Thank you for your generosity

Let us pray for our sick, our cherished elderly & their families: *Gertrude Bureson, Frances Cegielski (and family and care providers), Eloise Degoiani, Elizabeth Falk, Josh Gurka, Joe Gutkowski, David Horton Sr., Pat Jozwiak, Kathy Kitowski, Kathy Kmiec, Connie Koterak, Frankie Koterak, Christine Kuciamba, Debra Mazurkiewicz, Pauline Mazurkiewicz, Virginia Moszkowicz Meschwitz, Barbara Moszkowicz, Shirley Moszkowicz Ray, David Stegent, Lawrence Wisnoski, and for Barbara (Fr. Jozef's sister).*

NOTE: *Please inform us if you know of someone who is ill and needs prayers.*

MONEY COUNTERS (Note your day):

Monday, Aug.21: Virginia Malinowski, Ronnie Husky, Sally Jozwiak, Bernice Lewandowski.

Monday, Aug.28: Clara Jozwiak, Peggy Husky, Evelyn Williams, Judy Willitzer.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES
Best Wishes and Congratulations to:

Theresa/Paul Derkowski, Aug.5—51st
Kim/Michael Black, Aug.7—19th
Nora/Kenneth Kettler, Aug.9—54th
Maureen Carroll/Stephen Kinnaman, Aug.10—21st
Mary/Mike Zawacki, Aug.14—52nd
Gayle/Michael Willis, Aug.16—43rd
Tammy/Chris Kaminski, Aug.21—30th
Linda/Mark Bilski, Aug.28—47th

WE'RE 2 WEEKS AWAY FROM OUR BAZAAR!!!

Keep selling/buying those raffle tickets and turn in your money! Remember we have **3500 books to sell = \$35,000.00!** Ticket sales to date: Raffle: \$5,960, Meal: \$1,905.

All Meal Tickets—sold and unsold—need to be turned in by August 20 so that we can give a projected head-count to the caterer.

We are in need of items and monetary donations for the booths. Cash donations are needed to help defray the expenses of these booths. Also, we need more gift cards for the Target the Card Booth. Update for donations to Outdoor Booth: in addition to camping, fishing & hunting items, also featured will be **gardening gear and plants**, and **BBQ / picnic supplies**.

For the Kid Fun Zone: We're looking for 1 or 2 volunteers to do face-painting. (Contact Peggy at 832-928-3301).

Items for the Grand Auction are needed as well (of at least \$100 value, and new items only). *Your generosity and participation is greatly appreciated.*

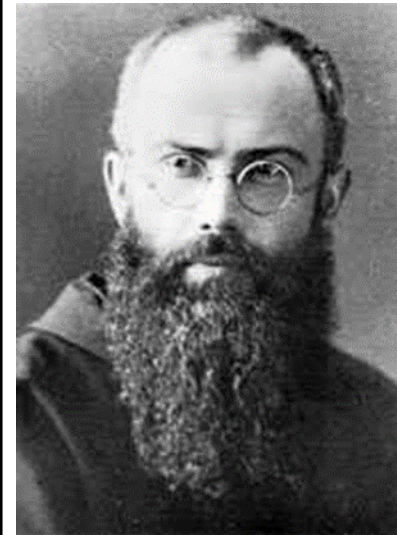
Note: Snowstorm Shaved Ice will have a truck on site for our Bazaar, offering 30 flavors with optional toppings! Sugar-free and natural choices also available. They are donating 15% of that day's proceeds to our bazaar.

There will be a Bazaar Planning wrap-up meeting on Tuesday Aug.22 at 7 pm, in the Parish Hall. All booth captains need to be present, and all parishioners at large are urged to attend.

The KJT will meet on Monday, August.21 at 6:30 pm, in the Parish Hall.

When do we commit a sin?

We commit a sin when we knowingly and willfully trespass a Commandment of the Lord or one of the Church Commandments known as the Precepts of the Church.



When do we commit a mortal sin (known also as serious sin or grave sin)? We commit a mortal sin, when we knowingly and willfully trespass a Commandment in an important matter. When do we commit a venial sin? We commit a venial sin, when we trespass a commandment in a less important matter.....What is confession? Confession is telling all of our sins to the priest to have them forgiven.

Saint Maximilian Kolbe, whose feast day was on the 14th of August, has some advice for you today.

Whenever you feel guilty, even if it is because you have consciously committed a sin, a serious sin, something you have kept doing many, many times, never let the devil deceive you by allowing him to discourage you. Whenever you feel guilty, offer all your guilt to the Immaculate, without analyzing it or examining it, as something that belongs to her...

My beloved, may every fall, even if it is serious and habitual sin, always become for us a small step toward a higher degree of perfection.

In fact, the only reason why the Immaculate permits us to fall is to cure us from our self-conceit, from our pride, to make us humble and thus make us docile to the divine graces.

The devil, instead, tries to inject in us discouragement and internal depression in those circumstances, which is, in fact, nothing else than our pride surfacing again.

If we knew the depth of our poverty, we would not be at all surprised by our falls, but rather astonished, and we would thank God, after sinning, for not allowing us to fall even deeper and still more frequently.

In other words, St. Maximilian is saying that we are allowed to fall so that we learn humility. This is essential because pride is the number one enemy of the soul, **and no matter how much we seem to advance in the spiritual life, it is all an illusion if we are infected with pride and self-reliance.** We must first learn humility before we can make any real progress in holiness.

<https://catholicgentleman.com/2013/08/st-maximilian-kolbe-on-serious-sin/>

Parishioner Frankie Koterak of Tucson, Arizona was the winner of the \$75 certificate to Chappell Hill Bakery & Deli in our drawing last weekend, for turning in his raffle tickets by Aug.11.

CCE Registration Forms for the coming year can be found in the Narthex. Please pick one up, and after completing it, place it back in the box underneath the blank forms.

There will be a meeting of Parents and staff on Sunday, September 17 in the Parish hall, after the 8 o'clock Mass.

This Week's Message:

"Just as Jesus prays to the Father and gives thanks before receiving his gifts, so he teaches us filial boldness: 'Whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you receive it, and you will.' Such is the power of prayer and of faith that does not doubt: 'all things are possible to him who believes.' Jesus is as saddened by the 'lack of faith' of his own neighbors and the 'little faith' of his own disciples as he is struck with admiration at the great faith of the Roman centurion and the Canaanite woman."

(Catechism of the Catholic Church, 2610)

THE TWENTIETH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

God, our protector, keep us in mind; always give strength to your people. For if we can be with you even one day, it is better than a thousand without you.

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| Sat. Aug. 19 | 6:00 PM | +FLORENCE JOZWIAK by Family |
| Sun. Aug. 20 | 8:00 AM | +GARY BRONIKOWSKI by Janice Bronikowski and family |
| Wed. Aug. 23 | 6:00 PM | FOR PARISHIONERS |
| Thur. Aug. 24 | 8:00 AM | JENNIFER JAMES MOORE by Diane/Brennan Peterson |
| Fri. Aug. 25 | 8:00 AM | +FRANK GURKA by Virginia/Alvin Malinowski |

THE TWENTY-FIRST WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

Listen, Lord, and answer me. Save your servant who trusts in you. I call to you all day long, have mercy on me, O Lord.

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| Sat. Aug. 26 | 6:00 PM | +PETE MAZURKIEWICZ by Piotr Przybylski |
| Sun. Aug. 27 | 8:00 AM | +FRANCES LASKOWSKI by Virginia/Alvin Malinowski |
| Wed. Aug. 30 | 6:00 PM | +JOSEPH & GERTRUDE GRINDLE and deceased family, by Susan Church |
| Thur. Aug. 31 | 8:00 AM | +MEL & EUDINE CHURCH and deceased family, by Susan/Terry Church |
| Fri. Sept. 1 | 8:00 AM | +CLARA GURKA by Bernice Lewandowski |

Please note that we now have only one phone line to the parish office/rectory (979-836-3030). The second line (979-836-9588) has been removed.

If you wish to honor/memorialize a loved one by purchasing a brick in the Brick Memorial in front of the church, contact Virginia Malinowski (979-836-0080).
An order will be placed soon.

ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

CHAPPELL HILL, TEXAS 77426

AUGUST 19TH & 20TH 2023

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Regular Mass Schedule:

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| Saturday : | 6:00 PM |
| Sunday: | 8:00 AM |
| Wednesday: | 6:00 PM |
| Thursday & Friday: | 8:00 AM |

Sacrament of Marriage: Call at least 6 months before the planned wedding.

Sacrament of Baptism: Contact Parish Office at least 2 weeks in advance.

To Register in the Parish: Forms are available in the narthex (near entry of the church).

Parish Boards and Councils / Chairpersons:

Pastoral Council & Maintenance: Mark Bilski

Financial Committee: Doug Elder

Religious Education: Peggy Husky

Cemetery Board: Kenneth Kettler

Altar Society: Gertrude Nowak

Hall Committee: Janie Mikolajchak

Organist: Linda Zientek

Knights of Columbus: Doug Elder

KJT: Henry Wilganowski

Pastor: Fr. Thaddeus Tabak, SDS

Parish Secretary:

Karen Hoffart (832-814-2418)

Office hours: Thursdays & Fridays

8:30 am—3 pm

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Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sat. 5-5:45 PM/ Sun. 7- 7: 45 AM and
30 minutes before weekday Masses

