



Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 ~Year A
 Vigésimo Quinto Domingo en el Tiempo Ordinario
 ~Año A
September 20, 2026



St. Joseph the Worker
 804 S. Cleveland St.,
 Dayton, Texas



St. Anne Mission
 CR 622 at FM 686,
 Dayton/Eastgate, Texas
St. Anne Hall
 744 County Road 622
 Dayton/Eastgate, Texas

Mission Statement

We are a Roman Catholic community united by faith in God, nourished by Jesus through both the Word and the Eucharist and empowered by the Holy Spirit. We strive to meet the spiritual and physical needs of our growing parish family and community through prayer, faith formation, evangelization, stewardship, fellowship and social justice.

St. Joseph the Worker

804 S. Cleveland St., Dayton, Texas

Regular Mass Schedule

Saturday	5:00 p.m.		
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Spanish	12:30 p.m.
Tuesday	5:30 p.m.	Wed-Fri	8:15 a.m.

Confession is Saturdays at 4:30 p.m. or by appointment.

St. Anne Mission

CR 622 at FM 686, Dayton/Eastgate, Texas

Regular Mass Schedule

Sundays: 8:00 a.m.

Confession: Sundays at 7:30 a.m. or by appointment.

Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
 804 S. Cleveland St., Dayton, Texas 77535

Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Peter Nguyen

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Secretary: Daisy Salinas

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Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ Year A
Matthew 20:1-16

The workers in this parable sound very much like squabbling children, comparing what they have each been given and making complaints to the parent. Among children there is a tendency to equate love with gifts and material things. This tendency can devolve into a spirit of entitlement, which runs counter to the spirit of gratitude. Any effort we make to overcome this tendency, to keep love from being entwined with gifts and possessions, will enable our children to accept completely the love that God gives freely and generously.

TALK TOGETHER

Observe together any tendency within your family to make comparisons. Are children sometimes heard saying that another child received a greater portion of a favorite food at dinner or dessert? Does one person complain that a parent spends more time with one child over another? Ask if such comparisons are helpful. Discuss together why such comparisons are made. Consider these questions: Why do the workers grumble? Is the landowner's assessment accurate? Unfortunately, we are sometimes like these workers when we make the comparisons we discussed earlier.

READ TOGETHER

Read together this Sunday's Gospel, Matthew 20:1-16.

PRAY TOGETHER

Conclude in prayer together remembering that love cannot and ought not to be measured. Sit quietly together acknowledging God's great love for each person as individuals and for your family. Pray together today's psalm, Psalm 145, or the Lord's Prayer.



Pastor's Family Corner

Vigésimo Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario ~ Año A
Mateo 20:1-16

Los trabajadores en esta parábola parecen mucho niños peleando, comparando lo que cada uno ha recibido y quejándose con el padre. Entre los niños hay una tendencia a equiparar el amor con regalos y cosas materiales. Esta tendencia puede

convertirse en un espíritu de derecho, que va en contra del espíritu de gratitud. Cualquier esfuerzo que hagamos para superar esta tendencia, para evitar que el amor se mezcle con regalos y posesiones, permitirá que nuestros hijos acepten completamente el amor que Dios da libre y generosamente.

HABLEN JUNTOS

Observen juntos cualquier tendencia dentro de su familia a hacer comparaciones. ¿Se oye a veces a los niños decir que otro niño recibió una porción más grande de su comida favorita en la cena o el postre? ¿Se queja alguien de que un padre pasa más tiempo con un niño que con otro? Pregunten si tales comparaciones son útiles. Hablen juntos sobre por qué se hacen esas comparaciones. Consideren estas preguntas: ¿Por qué se quejan los trabajadores? ¿Es exacta la evaluación del dueño de la tierra? Desafortunadamente, a veces somos como esos trabajadores cuando hacemos las comparaciones que discutimos antes.

LEER JUNTOS

Lean juntos con su familia el Evangelio de este domingo, Mateo 20:1-16.

OREN JUNTOS

Concluyan juntos en oración recordando que el amor no puede ni debe medirse. Siéntense en silencio juntos reconociendo el gran amor de Dios por cada persona como individuo y por su familia. Recen juntos el salmo de hoy, el Salmo 145, o el Padre Nuestro.

"Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last".

- MATTHEW 20:16

You've heard the saying "it's not where you start, but how you finish." This certainly applies to this Bible passage. We have a responsibility not only for our own lives, but for the lives of others as well. We are called to generously share our gifts with others, not hoard them for our own use. Our sincere gratitude and cheerful generosity will help us live "God centered" lives and not "self-centered" lives.



"Entonces, los últimos serán los primeros, y los primeros serán los últimos." - Mateo 20:16

Seguramente ha escuchado el dicho "no se trata de dónde empiezas, sino de cómo terminas". Esto ciertamente se aplica a este pasaje de la Biblia. No solo somos responsables de nuestras vidas, sino también de las vidas de otras personas. Somos llamados a compartir nuestros dones con generosidad, no a acumularlos para nuestro propio uso. Nuestra gratitud sincera y nuestra alegre generosidad nos llevará a vivir una Vida "centrada en Dios" y no una vida "egocéntrica".



Mass Contributions For September 13th

	St. Joseph's	St. Anne's
Regular	\$4,990	\$984
Maintenance	\$1,595	\$497

*Online donations will be reported monthly.



Online giving is available.
Las donaciones en línea están disponibles.



St. Joseph



St. Anne's



BAPTISM CLASSES FOR OUR MEMBERS:

The next baptism class in English will be Saturday, October 3rd
@ 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
In the CCE Building

*****Please complete paperwork in the parish office FIRST*****

St. Joseph the Worker & St. Anne Mission



Faith Formation Formación de Fe

Catechesis & Evangelization for families, children, youth and adults.

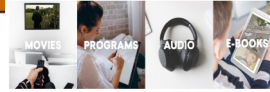
September 2026

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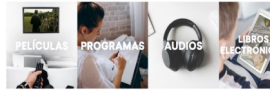
Stewardship - Collecting School Supplies

- 7 Labor Day (NO SCHOOL)
- 8 1st - 5th Grade CCE Sessions Begin | 6:00-7:30 p.m.
- 9 6th - 12th Grade CCE Sessions Begin | 6:00-7:30 p.m.
- 20 Catechist Commissioning @ 10:30 Mass
- 27 Priesthood Sunday

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FAITH FORMATION CLASSES HAVE STARTED!

TUESDAYS: 1ST-5TH GRADE
WEDNESDAYS: 6TH-12TH GRADE
FROM: 6:00PM TO 7:30 PM

¡LAS CLASES DE FORMACION DE LA FE HAN COMENZADO!

MARTES: 1°-5° GRADO
MIÉRCOLES: 6°-12° GRADO
DE: 6:00 PM A 7:30 PM

1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month from 6:30p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
@ St. Joseph's CCE building

September Stewardship Project: School Supplies

Our children and youth are collecting school supplies which will be donated to our Dayton ISD schools for student needs.

Welcome!

ALL ARE INVITED TO "COME HOME" TO THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

- Are you interested in becoming Catholic?
- Do you have questions about the Catholic faith?
- Are you a baptized Catholic who needs First Communion and/or Confirmation?
- Have you been away from the Church and would like to return?

COME JOIN OUR GROUP THURSDAYS 6:30 P.M. IN THE FAITH FORMATION BUILDING

Contact For More Information:
Ginger Merka, Director 713.824.8143
Office 936-258-5735 (spanish)

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (OCIA)

Bienvenidos!

TODOS ESTÁN INVITADOS A "VOLVER A CASA" A LA IGLESIA CATÓLICA

- ¿Estás interesado en ser católico?
- ¿Tienes preguntas sobre la fe católica?
- ¿Eres un católico bautizado que necesita primera comunión y/o confirmación?
- ¿Has estado lejos de la Iglesia y te gustaría volver?

ÚNETE A NUESTRO GRUPO JUEVES 6:30 P.M. EN EL EDIFICIO DE FORMACIÓN EN LA FE

Para Información Contacté:
Ginger Merka, Director 713.824.8143
Oficina 936-258-5735 (español)

ORDEN DE LA INICIACION CRISTIANA DE ADULTOS (OICA)

St. Anne's & St. Joseph's **OCTOBER 18, 2026**

Parish Bazaar Festival

FUN FOR ALL
Ballet Folklorico Cake Walk Petting Zoo

BEGIN THE DEACON!
BID
Begins 11:00 a.m.

LIVE MUSIC

BBQ Plates & Street Tacos

FOR SALE
Homemade
Kolaches
Baked Goods
Tamales

\$5 Ticket
1ST PRIZE: \$4,000 GIFT CARD
2ND PRIZE: \$2,500 GIFT CARD
3RD PRIZE: \$1000 GIFT CARD

Enter Raffle to WIN!

TICKET

St. Anne Mission Hall
744 County Road 622 Dayton, TX 77535

Santa Ana & San José **18 DE OCTUBRE, 2026**

Festival de la Iglesia

DIVERSION PARA TODOS
Ballet Folklorico Juego de pasteles Zoológico de mascotas

TIRA AL DEACON!
BID
Empieza 11:00 a.m.

MÚSICA EN VIVO

Platos de BBQ & Tacos

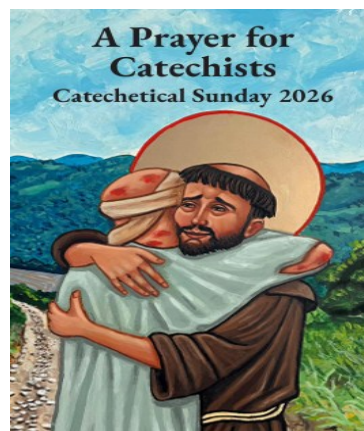
Comida Casera:
Kolaches
Repostería
Tamales

Boleto de \$5
1ER PREMIO: TARJETA DE REGALO DE \$4,000
2º PREMIO: TARJETA DE REGALO DE \$2,500
3ER PREMIO: TARJETA DE REGALO DE \$1,000

¡Entra en el sorteo para GANAR!

TICKET

Salón de Santa Ana
744 County Road 622 Dayton, TX 77535



Prayer for Catechists

Loving Father, we pray today for our catechists. We thank you for their gift of ministry in your Church.

Grant them your wisdom that they may grow in the understanding and teaching of your Word. Grant them also your love that they may be fruitful heralds of your Word and lead others to love you.

Pour forth your Holy Spirit upon them to grant them wisdom about what is important; knowledge of the truths of faith; understanding of their meaning; right judgement about how to apply them in life; courage to persevere even in the face of adversity; reverence before all that is sacred and holy; and that loving zeal which leads others to a transforming encounter with your Son.

We pray this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

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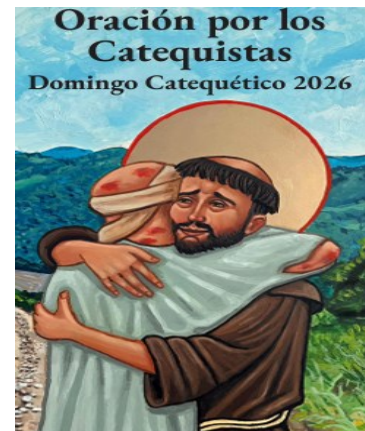
Commissioning of Catechists

Annually, the third Sunday of September is designated as Catechetical Sunday throughout the entire Catholic Church. Those involved with catechesis and evangelization efforts in the Church are commissioned for ministry on this day. Our parish greatly appreciates our volunteers who dedicate their time, talent and treasure to ministering to our children, youth and adults. Please pray for them and support them any way you can.

2026-2027 Catechists for our Parish

Director of Faith Formation: John Cox

- 1st Grade:** Olga Muñiz & Elida Torres
- 2nd Grade:** Maria Carranco & Erika Solano
- 3rd Grade:** Karla Escobar & María del Carmen
- 4th Grade:** Berenice Gracia & Etelvina Miranda
- 5th Grade:** Diana Rodriguez & Delia Soto
- 6th Grade:** Rosie Dzanski & Alexis Reyes
- 7th Grade:** Theresa Fitzpatrick & Teresa Rogers
- 8th Grade:** Dean Rogers
- Catch Up:** Mercedes Trevizo
(For children who have not attended all years of CCE)
- Confirmation:** Casandra Casas-Soliz & Virginia Hajovsky
- First Holy Communion:**
Sherri Colvin (English/Elementary)
Janeth Ortiz (Spanish/Elementary)
Daisy & Alyze Ruiz (Junior High)
Olga Muñiz (Padres-Español)
- OCIA (English):** Ginger Merka, Dean Rogers & John Cox
- OICA (Español):** Blanca Tovar & Sandra Gasca
- Baptism Preparation:**
Deacon Roy Culver (English)
Gerardo Gutierrez (Español)



Oración por los Catequistas

Padre amoroso, rezamos hoy por nuestros catequistas. Les agradecemos por su don de ministerio en su Iglesia.

Concédeles tu sabiduría para que puedan crecer en la comprensión y enseñanza de tu Palabra. Concédeles también tu amor para que puedan ser heraldos fructíferos de tu Palabra: llevar a otros a amarte.

Derrama tu Espíritu Santo sobre ellos para otorgarles sabiduría sobre lo que es importante: conocimiento de las verdades de la fe; comprensión de su significado; juicio correcto sobre cómo aplicarlos en la vida; coraje para perseverar incluso ante la adversidad; reverencia ante todo lo que es sagrado y santo y ese celo amoroso que lleva a otros a un encuentro transformador con su Hijo.

Oramos esto a través de Cristo, nuestro Señor. Amén

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Mass Intentions For the Week

Saturday, September 19

5:00 p.m.

† Frank Pavlat Jr.
† Johnny Joe Duran
† Grace Juneau
(3 year anniversary)
† Josephine DiLollo
† Catherine Kolarik

Sunday, September 20

8:00 a.m.

† Bill Lechowit
† Carol Kubiczka
† Bonnie McKinney
† Vernon Eilers



Bernadine Syzdek (health)

10:30 a.m.

† Theresa, J.C.,
Antoinette & Charles Giglio

† Deceased members
of the Giglio families

† Antonia Garcia

† Johnny Joe Duran

† Grace Juneau

(3 year anniversary)

Steve De Paz (Birthday)

Pamela Arce (Birthday)

Serena Dominguez (Birthday)

All Catechists (Blessing)

12:30 p.m.

† Rene Cervantes

† Tomaz Martinez

† Celia Macedo Manuel

† Lidia Solano

† Antonio Montecino

† Felician Guevara

† Soledad Trevizo

† Juan Mares Mata

† Antonio Hernandez

† Todas las almas del purgatorio

Giselle Urieta (sanación)

Silvia Arellano (cumpleaños)

If you would like to add or remove a name from the prayer list, please contact the church office.

Prayer Intentions

God of all creation and of our salvation, we ask for your healing to come to those who are in need, physically or spiritually, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Adams, C.B. Jr.	Juneau, Johnny	Ramos, Mary Lou
Alvarado, Eulalio Cortez	Kelly, Frances	Rangel, Isidro
Anders, Liam	Klotz, Danny	Rebollosa, Jose Trinidad
Bennett, Luke	Klotz, Jimmy	Rivera, Joel
Bexley, Mary	Klotz, Patrick	Rodriguez, Elva
Bielamowicz, Beverly	Klotz, Ronnie	Rogers, Dean
Bietz, Carolyn	Kolarik, Catherine	Rojas, Demecio
Bishop, Meadow	Kolek, Stephanie	Rossow, Devin
Bomer, Burton	Kowis, Pat	Rousselle, Roland
Broussard, Loretta	Kubiczka, Jimmy	Roy, Kenneth
Brown, Bennita	Kulak, Alan	Salek, Ruth
Brown, Susan	Landrum, Carl Arron	Saenz, Reynaldo
Bush, June	Landry, Pat	Salinas, Emilio
Carroll, Chris (Pam)	Lara, Clarissa	Sargent, Mary Kathryn
Carson, Michelle	Laverne, Loraine	Shaver, Donny
Carson, Rose	Charity & Paul Lasco	Sivil, Valerie
Cienfuegos, Aurora	Lechowit, Ramona	Skarpa, Felix
Cortright, Lori	Lee, Lydia	Skillen, Jacob
Coules, Joann	LeBlanc, Rory	Soto, Leonor
Cruz, Gonzala	Lopez, Sofia	Spencer, Mary Ann
Davis, Nancy	Lunceford, Shannon	Spencer, Tommy
Davis, Valery	Magallon, Luis Jr.	Sterling, Burk
Dominguez, Trinity	Maloney, Jessica	Stevenson, Imelda C.
Doty, Homer	Maloney, Nolan	Stiner, Kathy
Fitzpatrick, Carter	Marmolejo, Fernando	Stone, Jonah
Fitzpatrick, Haden	Martinez, Rita	A.J., Syzdek
Fitzpatrick, Joe	McDonald, Bill	Syzdek, Bernadine
Fitzpatrick, Joshua	McKinney, Curtis	Taylor, Charley
Fitzpatrick, Maverick	McLaughlin, Bonnie	Taylor, David
Fitzpatrick, Robert	Melton, Karyn	Tello, Maria
Flores, Marcelino	Mendoza, Carlos	Theriot, Paul
Frige, Larry (Family)	Merka, Stephanie	Trevizo, Leslie
Galvan, Michael	Michalski, Kevin	Trevizo, Frankie
Gansky, Jerry	Moore, Alton Owen	Turner, Joey
Garcia, San Juana	Murphy, Suzanne	Turk, Paul
Gary, Johnny	Nash, Leonard	Tyler, Ann
Gary, Sherry	Nichols, Tyson	Tyler, Annette
Gentry, Melanie	Noto, Gary	Vaughn, Elizabeth
Gillard, Steve	Noark, Robert	Vyoral, Leonard
Goff, Landrey	Orand, James A. & J.D.	Vyoral, Sonny
Gonzalez, Esperanza	Parish, Ryan	Walker, Jake & Megan
Granier, Carla	Patterson, Cynthia	Ward, Julia
Green, Mike	Payne, Jacqueline	Watson, Cameron
Guerrero, Barry	Perry, Oliver	White, Sidney
Hanel, Maria & Leroy	Petters, Donna	Wolfford, Laura
Harris, Barbara	Plauché, Phil	Wood, Quinn
Johnson, Loretta	Pollock, Brady	Yanuaría, Aurora D.
Jones, Leonard	Pollock, Edward	Young, Richard
Jones, Virginia	Pollock, J.E	Zaruba, Juanita
Juneau, Ashley	Potter, Shawn	Zimmer, Rick
Juneau, Daniel	Pugh, Elizabeth	

TO MARRY FOR LIFE 2026-2027

Seminar Schedule

Saturday, October 17, 2026

Saturday, December 5, 2026

Saturday, February 6, 2027

Saturday, April 10, 2027

For more information, please call: 409-924-4362 or rbarbry@dioceseofbmt.org



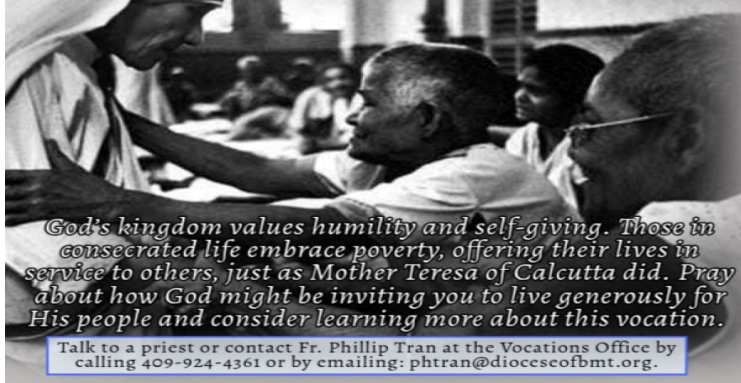
Catholic Daughters will meet Monday, September 21st

At 6:30 p.m. in the St. Anne's Hall.

Pray for Vocations

The last will be first, and the first will be last.

Matthew 20:16



God's kingdom values humility and self-giving. Those in consecrated life embrace poverty, offering their lives in service to others, just as Mother Teresa of Calcutta did. Pray about how God might be inviting you to live generously for His people and consider learning more about this vocation.

Talk to a priest or contact Fr. Phillip Tran at the Vocations Office by calling 409-924-4361 or by emailing: phtran@dioceseofbmt.org.



La Sociedad de Adoración Nocturna

INVITA A TODOS
Sábado 26 de Septiembre

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. : para niños
8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. : para familia
9:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. : para mujeres
10:00 p.m. - 3:00 a.m. : para hombres

Para mas informacion contacten la oficina
al: 936.258.5735

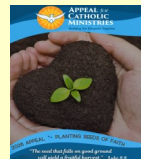


The Nocturnal Adoration Society

INVITES EVERYONE
Saturday, September 26

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. : for children
8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. : for family
9:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. : for women
10:00 p.m. - 3:00 a.m. : for men

For more information contact the
office office: 936.258.5735



2026 Appeal for Catholic Ministries

St. Joseph's Goal	\$42,316
Total pledges	\$18,019
Total payments	\$15,398
Remained	\$26,918

537 Registered families, 24 Pledge families
4.47% participated

St. Anne's Goal	\$16,509
Total pledges	\$17,275
Total payments	\$16,675
Amount over	\$166.60

66 Registered families, 14 Pledge families
21.21% participated

Father would like to thank all who have pledged to the ACM this year. If you have not yet made a financial pledge, Father asks that you prayerfully consider doing so.

Bulletin Sponsors

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