

# St. Mary's Chapel

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC



CAMPUS MINISTRY

*At Stephen F. Austin State University*

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*Most Reverend Joseph E. Strickland, Bishop of the Diocese of Tyler, Texas*

## Welcome y'all!

## Sunday, March 27, 2016

*Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord*

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### Upcoming Events

March	27	Easter Sunday!
	29	Kappa—6pm RCIA—7pm
	30	Adoration—9-5pm. The Circle—5pm - Mother Susan Kennedy and Easter Egg Hunt Power Hour—11pm
	31	DotS Rehearsal—3:30pm & 5:45pm KoC wkly mtg—8pm
April	1	Night of Recollection: Works of Mercy 7pm
	2	Alliance of the Two Hearts Prayer Meeting-7:30am Confirmation and RCIA mini-retreat 5pm Mission Mtg 7:30 pm
	3	Confirmation—1 pm
	4	Theology of the Body Study —7 pm KoC 1st Degree Exemplification
	6	KoC & Kappa - Adoration & Confession—6:00 pm RCIA—7pm—Mystagogy
	16	Hike for Life

### Mass Times

<b>Sunday</b>	11:00 AM, 1:00 & 6:00 PM
<b>Tuesday— Friday</b>	5:05 PM
<b>Saturday</b>	9:00 AM

*During summer & other SFASU breaks, such as Thanksgiving weekend,  
1 pm Mass is dropped.*

*On Holy Days of Obligation & Ash Wednesday, Mass is at 12:05 & 5:05 pm*

### Confession

<b>Tuesday, Thursday, Friday:</b>	4:00—4:55pm
<b>Wednesday:</b>	3:30—4:45pm
<b>Sunday:</b>	10:00—10:45 5:00—5:50 & by appointment

*(Sacred Heart has confession @ 4:15 Saturday if you can't make one of these times)*

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

<b>Daily from</b>	— 4:00 pm
<b>Every Wednesday</b>	—9 am—5 pm
<b>With Benediction</b>	@ 4:50 followed by Mass
<b>Monday &amp; Friday</b>	—9 am—10 am

*If your schedule doesn't permit you  
to sign up for a hour or half hour,  
then just stop in anytime to visit Jesus  
and say "I love you...."*

**The chapel is open 24/7 (side door).**

*We are a Catholic Campus Ministry at Stephen F. Austin State University  
dedicated to bringing Christ to the lives of the whole campus community.*

*With our eyes on Him, we strive to pursue our faith, friendships, & vocations  
as students with a holy guidance. We're not perfect (far from it), but we  
would like to try to get there as a family.*

## Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sunday, March 27	11:00am	Missa Pro Populo- <i>For the People</i>
	6:00 pm	Our Benefactors
Tuesday, March 29	5:05 pm	Walter Ledet(RIP)
Wednesday, March 30	5:05 pm	Robert Tallefson RIP
Thursday, March 31	5:05 pm	Albert Palmer RIP
Friday, April 1	5:05 pm	Pray requests from our website
Saturday, April 2	9:00 am	Aloma Marquis - health & healing
Sunday, April 3	11:00am	Missa Pro Populo- <i>For the People</i>
	1:00 pm	Our Candidates & Confirmandes
	6:00 pm	Our Benefactors

## The Resurrection of the Lord — Saints & Readings

**Sunday, March 27—**

**The Resurrection of the Lord— The Mass of Easter Day**

Acts 10:34,37-43; Psalm 118:1-2, 16-17,22-23

Colossians 3:1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6-8; John 20:1-9

**Monday, March 28—Monday in the Octave of Easter**

Acts 2:14,22-33;Psalm 16:1-2,5,7-8,9-10,11; Matthew 28:8-15

**Tuesday, March 29—**

Acts 2:36-41;Psalm 33:4-5,18-19,20,22;John 20:11-18

**Wednesday, March 30—**

Acts 3:1-10;Psalm 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Luke 24:13-35

**Thursday, March 31—**

Acts 3:11-26;Psalm 8:2,5,6-7,8-9;Luke 24:35-48

**Friday, April 1—**

Acts 4:1-12;Psalm 118:1-2,4, 22-24, 25-27; John 21:1-14

**Saturday, April 2—**

Acts 4:13-21;Psalm 118:1,14-15, 16-18, 19-21; Mark 16:9-15

**Sunday, April 3— Second Sunday of Easter (or Divine Mercy)**

Acts 5:12-16; Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24

Revelation 1:9-11, 12-13, 17-19; John 20:19-31

**Please continue to pray for our  
Candidates & Confirmandes**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR  
RCIA STUDENTS THIS LENT**

*Brianna Bueno*

*Katherine Chavez*

*Devin Horton*

*Hamish McLean*

*Johnathan Swanson*

*Kristopher House*

*Matthew Perez*

*Matt Phillips*

*Tralie DeAnda*

*Randy Saunders*

*Joshua Cliffee*



**Anna Rohlf  
Robert Rohlf  
Lucas Rohlf  
ChrisAnn Solorzano  
Hunter Tyson**

Dear Friends in Christ,

The Resurrection of Jesus tells us that the abandoned one—the man of Sorrows, the Suffering Servant, the one forsaken by the disciples—has been totally accepted by the Father. Jesus' whole life was one of preaching and living the kingdom, of surrendering to the will of the Father in a total, unreserved fashion. Jesus holds nothing back from the Father. All that He received He returned in loving obedience. Then, on that Good Friday, when Jesus handed over His Spirit, it was totally accepted by the Father.

The Resurrection of Jesus shows us the way to the Father. How would we describe our daily lives? Do we grasp at the trophies and ideologies of this world that promise security and peace? Do we place our ultimate concern only in the rewards of this world? Do we hold back and play it safe when it comes to our relationship with the Father?

We live in fellowship with the Risen Jesus to the extent that we daily surrender to the will of the Father. Naturally, this is never easy. The world wants to claim our total being and allegiance. To know Jesus as the Lord is to hold onto nothing of this world which so quickly passes away. Each day we surrender to the Father, knowing that He never forsakes us or leaves us without grace sufficient to the day.

Indeed, the Lord is Risen! Alleluia!

*Happy Easter to Y'all!*

*Father D.*

## Announcements

- ⇒ **March 30** at The Circle - Mother Susan Kennedy is coming to talk to us and afterwards we will have our Easter Egg Hunt!
- ⇒ We will be having a **Night of Recollection on April 1 @ 7 pm.**
- ⇒ **April 3rd** @ the 1:00 pm Mass we celebrate baptism and confirmation with Bishop Strickland. Hope to see you there!
- ⇒ Knights of Columbus are having a First Degree Exemplification Monday **April 4** from 7pm-9:30pm.
- ⇒ The Knights of Columbus are coordinating with the Lumberjacks for Life to bring the **Hike for Life** to East Texas. It's a 5K that raises funds for heart-beat as well as the pregnant/parenting scholarship fund. The hike is tentatively scheduled for Saturday **April 16th.**

## **Our Sunday Offering**

*St. Mary's Chapel & the Campus Ministry* mainly depends upon the generous support of all who join with us in the celebration of the Lord's presence in the Eucharist, which really means "thanksgiving." What we offer to God through our donations is also a sign of our thanksgiving to God for his generosity. Without your help and support, our Chapel and Campus Ministry cannot function. Please be generous as God is generous to you in many ways. "God loves a cheerful giver."

St. Mary's is not a traditional parish. We must rely on financial support from persons who understand the very important role of campus ministry in the nurture of Catholic youth. We are a dynamic growing ministry and need your support. Consider a 1 to 4 year financial commitment through our Living Faith Society. Call the office at 936-564-0661, talk to our staff — Fr. Denzil, Michael, Jodi, or Kim or go to our website at [sfacatholic.net](http://sfacatholic.net).

*Thank you for your generous support!*  
**Stewardship - A Way of Life**

Sunday Collection (3/20) \$ 1763  
St. Patrick Catholic School \$147

**Thank You!**

# *Easter Flowers*

## *In Memory of*

*Kay Bolinger Aaron*

*Mildred Bailey*

*Clarence & Helen Bolinger*

*Lou & Fred Clay*

*Nora Higgins*

*Harriet Shaffer*

*Deceased Bolinger and Ledet Relatives*

*Walter Ledet*

*Em Knipmeyer*

*Bill Mackey*

*Kirk Owens*

*Fran Passerrotti*

*Slaton Smilth*





Please join us in praying the Memorare for this endeavor.

**MEMORARE**

REMEMBER, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly to thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother; to thee do I come; before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

**\$1,100,000 = Goal**

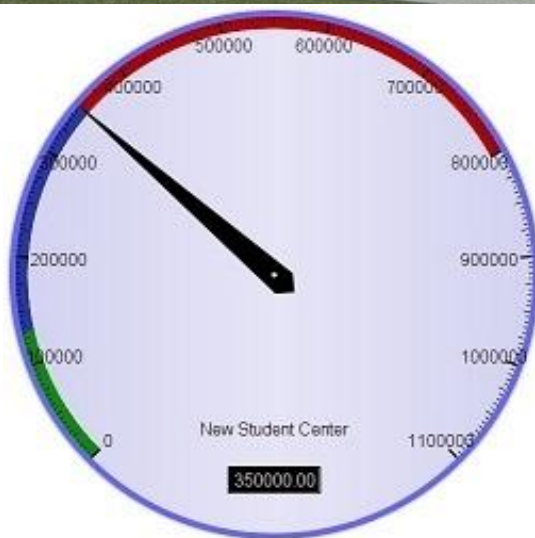
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\$800,000**

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**Pledged \$350,000**

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**Received \$ 120,000**



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*Blessing to all who serve  
on the altar of the Lord  
at St. Mary's.*

-Betty Ledet



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