### Quinquagesima—Sunday Next Before Lent (OT 8) - 27 February 2022

#### Our Clergy
- **Most Rev. Steven J. Lopes, Bishop**
- **Rev. Father Mark W. Lewis, Pastor**
- **Rev. Father Jon Jenkins, Parochial Vicar**
- **Rev. Mr. Michael D’Agostino, Deacon**
- **Rev. Mr. David Delaney, Deacon**
- **Rev. Mr. Randall King, Deacon**

#### Readings & Intentions

**Sun, Feb 27, Quinquagesima - Sunday Next Before Lent (OT 8)**

- **Sirach 27:4-7** / **Psalms 92:1-2, 11-14**
- **1 Corinthians 15:54-58** / **Luke 6:39-45**

DWSM: Propers: p. 239, Readings: p. 945,
Order of the Mass: pp. 663-706

5 p.m. Intention for Tamas Ferenczi
7 a.m. Delaney Family, Departed
9 a.m. Durocher Family, Departed
11 a.m. Intention for the People of the Parish
5 p.m. Intention for Teresita Guyton

**Mon, Feb 28, Pre-Lenten Feria**

- **1 Peter 1:3-9** / **Mark 10:17-27**
7 a.m. All Souls in Purgatory

**Tue, Mar 1, St. David, Bishop**

- **1 Peter 1:10-16** / **Mark 10:28-31**
7 a.m. Harold Cromie, Departed

**Wed, Mar 2, Ash Wednesday**

- **Joel 2:12-18** / **2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2**
- **Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18**
7 a.m. Intention for Larry & Mary Matl
9 a.m. Alfons Weigelt, Departed
12 a.m. Intention for Benjamin Haring
7 p.m. Yolanda Sanchez de Aguirre, Departed.

**Parish Family Adoration Hour at 7 p.m. is Cancelled due to Ash Wednesday**

**Thu, Mar 3, St. Katharine Drexel, Virgin**

- **Deuteronomy 30:15-20** / **Luke 9:22-25**
7 a.m. Mass for God’s Children

**Fri, Mar 4, St. Casimir**

- **Isaiah 58:1-9a** / **Matthew 9:14-15**
7 a.m. Intention for Elma Tarrango

**Sat, Mar 5, Mass of Saint Mary**

- **Isaiah 58:9c-14** / **Luke 5:27-32**
7 a.m. Intention for Laura Oliveros

**Vigil Mass - First Sunday in Lent (OT 9)**
5 p.m. Wilbur Becker, Departed

#### Mass Schedule

- **Saturday** 5 p.m. Vigil Mass (Read Mass)
- **Sunday** 7 a.m. (Read Mass)
  - 9 a.m. (Solemn Mass)
  - 11 a.m. (Solemn Mass)
  - 5 p.m. (Read Mass)

#### Sacraments for the Homebound

- Please call and leave message at (210) 695-2944 ext 126.

#### Pastoral Emergency Support

**Emergency Pastoral Care Hot Line**
Please call (210) 370-7838 - Emergency calls only including last rites, anointing, and imminent death. For anything else please contact the parish office at (210) 695-2944 ext 126.

**Sacraments for the Homebound**
Please call and leave message at (210) 695-2944 ext 126.
Your participation is essential to the success of The 2022 Bishop’s Appeal. While regular gifts to your parish are important, your annual gift to the Ordinariate is equally important. Please join others throughout the Ordinariate in supporting this campaign which will help the Ordinariate grow and thrive!

Pick up a pledge card and envelope from the Parish today, (check payable to Ordinariate of the Chair of Saint Peter), or visit Ordinariate.net/bishops-appeal to give.

Today is Quinquagesima Sunday, the last Sunday of the Pre-Lenten Season. The Pre-Lenten Season was suppressed in the Catholic Church in 1969. However, it has been restored by Rome into our Divine Worship: The Missal.

The Pre-Lenten season is marked by the use of the liturgical color purple, omitting the Gloria and Alleluia tract. These three marks of Pre-Lent and Lent will continue until used briefly on Holy Thursday, and not to return again until the Great Vigil of Easter.

This is the last Sunday before Ash Wednesday. Our Ash Wednesday liturgies will be offered on Wednesday March 2, at 7a.m., 9 a.m., 12 p.m., and 7 p.m.

The time is quickly approaching in which we are called to ponder the words, “Remember, that thou art dust, and unto dust shalt thou return.”

I pray all of you have a blessed and fruitful Lenten journey.

Brothers & Sisters, we ask that you keep the following members in your prayers.
> Pope Francis
> Bishop Lopes
> Salvador Uriegas, Departed, Atonement Academy Alum

To add someone to this list, please send an email, to joliveros@atonementonline.com.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Sacred Heart Chapel - Friday 7:45 a.m. to Sunday 6:15 a.m.
Parish Family Adoration Hour - First Wednesday of the month - 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Cancelled due to Ash Wednesday.
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament - First Saturday after the 7 a.m. Mass
Morning and Evening Prayer - Mon—Sun, 6:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.
Parish Rosary - Saturday after the 7 a.m. Mass
Healing Mass - Quarterly - Next Healing Mass is scheduled for Friday, May 20, 2022

Question: I have been away from the Church for a few years and really want to get active again, not so much for me, but for my children. Is this a bad reason to come back to Church?

Answer: If you are on your way to the supermarket, and you are forced to detour from your usual route because of road work, does the food you buy taste different? Is the meal less filling? Are the vegetables less tasty? Of course not. In our faith journey, there are many detours called sin. Some are greater than others, some are even a bit longer. But God's grace comes to us in ways we understand and recognize and need. Your children leading you back to the Church is not as important as the fact that you are back. This is an opportunity for you to renew, strengthen, and deepen your faith. Regardless of how we get to Church, or what draws us closer to God, the fact is we are there. Do what you need to do to get right with God and the Church. Go to confession, begin good family religious practices, and be involved in the ministries your parish offers. Be more than a lukewarm parishioner. Be the kind of Catholic you want your children to be.
UPCOMING EVENTS

The Bioethics for Everyone adult education series exploring principles of bioethics and their application to common situations continues this Sunday in St. Anthony’s Hall, from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Please join us. For more information please contact David Hegedusich at david.hegedusich@gmail.com

Annual Shrove Tuesday! The Knights of Columbus will be hosting this festivity on Tuesday, March 1, 2022, from 6 to 8 p.m., in St. Anthony Hall.

Annual Men’s Retreat - All men of the parish are invited to join together from Friday, March 4 through Sunday, March 6, 2022, at Sanctus Ranch in Pipe Creek, for Whiskey, Cigars, and Jesus. For more information, please contact Dan Sevigny at (830) 460-0176 or dan@sanctusranch.com

40 Days For Life Campaign - Our Culture of Life Ministry will be sponsoring, on Saturday, March 5th, 2022, our day of prayer and witness on the sidewalk in front of Planned Parenthood, at 2140 Babcock Rd., from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Please prayerfully consider taking one hour to pray and witness for life. The parish has committed to having at least one person there for each hour. There will be a sign up table in the narthex after all Masses this weekend. For questions or to sign up please contact Tricia Delaney at (210) 861-3888 or pddelaney@icloud.com.

Our Lady of the Atonement Catholic Church invites all parishioners to join us on March 6, 2022 after the 9 a.m., in the piazza, for coffee and pastries with the Bishop. Let’s all come together to show our love and support for our Bishop.

Solemn Evensong. Join us on Sunday, March 6, 2022 afternoon, at 4 p.m. for Solemn Evensong, the sung order of Evening Prayer. The choir this day will be the Atonement Catholic Academy Chamber Choir. Our next scheduled Solemn Choral Evensong will be on Sunday, April 13, 2022, featuring the Parish St. Cecilia Choir If you would like to join one of our choirs, please send an email to the Director of Music at music@ourladyoftheatonement.org.

REMINDER: Daylight savings is coming. March 13, 2022.

The Parish Office will be closed for Spring Break starting on Monday, March 14, 2022, returning to normal business hours on Monday, March 21, 2022.

Alexander House is pleased to invite you to Raphael’s Way, a day retreat for men and women impacted by an abortion, their own or that of someone close to them. Joins us on Saturday, March 19, 2022, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Come lay down your burden, and know the joy of God’s peace. Bring your own lunch (refrigerator and microwave are available.) Suggested donation of $15 for one or $25 for two people for materials. For the location and more information and to register, please call (210) 760-0976.

Sisters in Christ Tea Party! We invite you to join us, for our First Annual Sisters in Christ Tea Party, on Saturday, March 19, 2022, from 1 to 3 p.m., for an afternoon of fellowship with Sisters of Our Lady of the Atonement! Our theme will be “Walking through Our Lady’s Garden: Seeking, Finding, and Praying the Virgin Mary’s Virtues.” Together we will discover some of the many beautiful flowers associated with Our Lady, i.e., Virtues of Our Blessed Mother we can “pick” and which one in particular is she calling you to grow in the garden of your heart. Presenter will be our very own parishioner, Diana Marie Salsman, Regional Coordinator of Texas for the Women of Grace Apostolate. Tickets are $25 per person. Please email Mrs. Erica Lizama at elizama@ourladyoftheatonement.org to purchase your ticket. Deadline is March 6th.

Newcomers Parish Ministry is forming - Saints Louis and Zelie Martin Newcomers Ministry has been formed to welcome newcomers to the parish and help to build community, learn about the Ordinariate, the parish history, and ministries. Our first event is scheduled for Saturday, March 19, 2022, starting at 10 a.m. More information to come in the next few weeks. Contact via email at stslouisandzelie@ourladyoftheatonement.org.

Summer High School Youth Retreat. Save the date! The Ordinariate Youth Retreat this summer is scheduled for June 22 - 25, 2022. Cost will be around $300, and the venue will be Sanctus Ranch in Pipe Creek, only about 45 minutes away. Plans are already underway for this, and the theme will likely be “Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God and Renew a Right Spirit within Me.” More to come.
The Atonement Catholic Academy strives for excellence in the physical, intellectual, and spiritual virtues through a challenging course of classical and Catholic education.

It provides an accredited classical education and unparalleled Catholic culture to boys and girls in an environment that inspires development of both faith and reason. Contact us at (210) 695-2240, stop by, or send email to yjoiner@atonementonline.com.

**Volunteers Needed**

**Weekend Adoration.** We need a minimum of two adorers for each hour. *Our current needs are for Friday 4 to 5 p.m., and Saturday 9 to 10 p.m.* If you are interested, please send a text to (210) 275-5104, or email to schoolcat@att.net.

The Parish Office is seeking volunteers to help count Sunday’s offering. Typically done on Monday mornings from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.. If interested please send email to salejo@ourladyoftheatonement.org.

The Altar Guild is in need of two more volunteers for this year. In particular, we need to fill the April and August slots. We will train you. If interested, please contact Jessica Coleman at (210) 479-5863.

Livestream the Mass. We are looking for a volunteer to help us **livestream the 11 a.m. Mass.** No experience needed. We will train you. Please contact Mrs. Erica Lizama via email at elizama@ourladyoftheatonement.org

Parish Ministries & Organizations are always looking for volunteers. Beside your talent, what we need most is just volunteers to help out. No experience is necessary. Contact any Ministry or Organization directly.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Catherine School - schoolcat@att.net, (210) 275-5104

Adult Inquiry Class
Alan Becker- inquiry@ourladyoftheatonement.org, (210) 273-9426

American Heritage Girls
Veronica Tovar, AHG Coordinator, or
Catherine Henriquez, AHG Vice Coordinator
Email: ahgtroop0814@gmail.com, (210) 695-2240 ext. 109

Atonement Moms Group
https://OurLadyofAtonement.flocknote/AtonementMoms

Culture of Life Ministry
Phil Sevilla- philsevilla@att.net, (210) 784-0518

Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) Athletics
Send email to cyopresident@atonementonline.com

Educating on Nature & Dignity of Women (ENDOW)
Glorian Roman-Ashby - EndowAtAtonement@gmail.com

Fr. Paul of Graymoor Knights of Columbus Council #16730
Grand Knight Phil Tait, (210) 382-7842

Fulton Sheen Catechism
Thomas Dum, (361) 571-5541

God's Comfort in Loss (after miscarriage)
Marcela Elsner, Renee Keller, & Claire Jenkins
Send email to godscomfortinloss@ourladyoftheatonement.org

Nonnatus New Moms Ministry
Rebecca Gisla - nonnatusmeals@gmail.com, (210) 278-4242

Rosary Guild
Catherine School - schoolcat@att.net, (210) 275-5104
Grace Howard, (210) 887-8562

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St. Cuthbert Home Visitation Ministry
Dr. Jesus Garcia Gallegos - jgarcia.gallegos@gmail.com,
(210) 993-2127

St. Joseph the Worker Prayer Group
Bill Vogt, (913) 961-2981

St. Stephen’s Guild for Altar Servers, Ushers, & Greeters
John Weems - altar_servers@ourladyoftheatonement.org

St. Vincent de Paul Society
(210) 695-2944 ext.160

The Altar Guild
Jessica Coleman, (210) 479-5863

The Troops of St. George
Robert Wallace - tsg815.org

Women of Grace
Diana Marie Salsman, (210) 865-5627

Volunteers needed. Contact the ministry or organization directly.

Parish Office Hours are
Monday through Friday
from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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Ademola Elliott, & Clare McDonough
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We continue to be grateful to those of you who contribute so generously to our Parish. But we still need your stewardship. Without your healthy support of the parish, we struggle to fully embrace God’s plan to spread the Gospel during these difficult and uncertain times.

Have you considered simplifying your giving through our online giving portal? You can automatically send your tithe from your checking account or debit/credit card – just as you may do now with your bills. You can enroll by going to the offertory link on our website at ourladyoftheatonement.org. You can continue to support us in the following ways:

Online Giving- At website and click on the “Offertory” link, select “Offertory Collections” in the fund box, and then fill in the amount of your tithe. Please consider making your tithe recurring.

At Mass- Bring your tithe to Mass OR
Mail Your Check- Attn: Business Office, Our Lady of the Atonement Catholic Church, 15415 Red Robin Rd, San Antonio, TX 78255.