

HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH

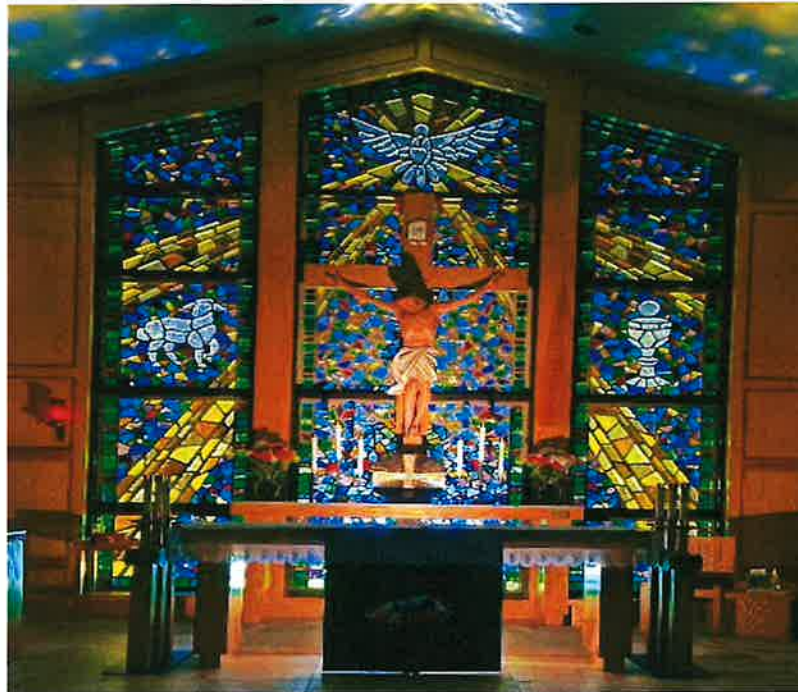
DIOCESE OF TYLER

Celebration of the Mass (Feb. 7 to Feb. 13)

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:30 am
Monday 9:00 am
Tuesday No Mass
Wednesday No Mass
Thursday No Mass
Friday No Mass

Adoration

Tuesday
9:45 am - 12:30 pm
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm



Reconciliation

Tuesday 9:45 - 12:30 pm
Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 pm
Sunday Upon request
Weekdays Upon request

Sacrament of the Sick

Offered at first Friday
Mass upon request.

Marriage or Baptism

Contact the parish office
six (6) months prior to the
anticipated date.

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Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 8, 2026

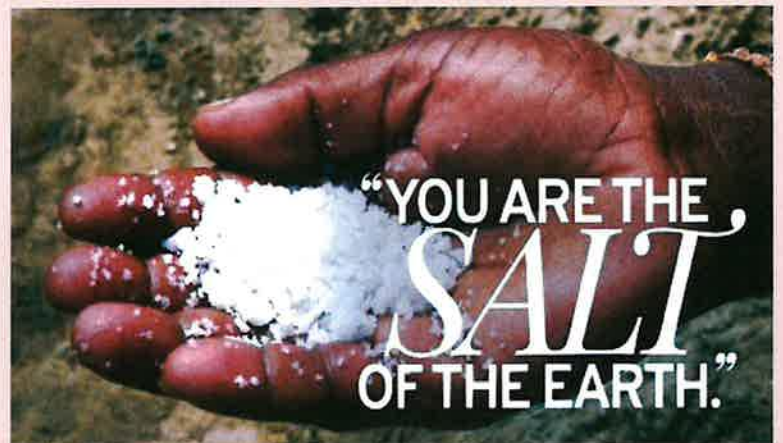
TODAY'S READINGS

1ST READING
IS 58 : 7 - 10

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:
PS 112 : 4 - 9

2ND READING:
I COR 2 : 1 - 5

GOSPEL:
MT 5 : 13 - 16



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Pope Leo's February Intention

For children with incurable diseases. Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support never losing strength and hope.

Church Organizations

Financial Council	Charlie Clymer
Pastoral Council	John Rigney
Knights of Columbus	Jerry Hauck
4th Degree Knights	Gary Laudt
Legion of Mary	Marge Clymer
Food Pantry	Jane Bidlack
Food Makers/Prayer Blankets	Bob Mailliard
Cenacle of Life	Carol Szczepanski
Funeral Preparations	Vicki Hauck
	Deacon John Erdag

PARISH SUPPORT

Attendance:	1/31	SAT: 82	2/1	SUN: 57
Collections from 1/31 - 2/1				
Building & Maintenance		\$		1,334.00
Offertory		\$		5,331.00
Votive Candles		\$		30.00
Church in Latin America		\$		42.00

FEBRUARY SECOND COLLECTIONS

1/31 & 2/1: Building and Maintenance Fund
 2/7 & 2/8: Diocese of Tyler Catholic Schools
 2/14 & 2/15: Aid to the Church in Central & Eastern Europe
 2/21 & 2/22: Black and Indian Missions

Thank you for your generous contributions.
 Please remember Holy Spirit Catholic Church in your Will.



Mass Intentions

Sat	2/7	+Charles Snodgrass (Kelly)	
Sun	2/8	Mass for the People of Holy Spirit Parish	
		+Louise & +Tony Diegel (M/M Laudt)	
Mon	2/9	+Peggy and +Michael Vancas (Ann Marie Vancas)	



Remember the sick of our parish: Shepard Gartin; Erin Sine; Joe Fazzio; Dr. Steve Boswank; Charles McCloskey; Deanie DeLee; Sharon Ryan; Marge & Charlie Clymer; Mary Langhoff; Lillian Speights; Rebecca Niebrugge; Claire Sullivan; Kirk Wilder; David Barber; Elaine Arellano; Marissa Cowles; Judy Terry; Randy Munoz; Jess & Eva Corrigan; Elaine March & Rosemary Seltzer; Maureen Tucker; Patrick Wood; Margaret Smith-Cauley; Elmer Mulhollon, Roland & Pat Schmeear, Barbara Schneider; Helene Kaczowka; Emly Walker; Joe Bonneville; Juan & Barbara Delgado; Avery Boultinghouse; Jo & Doris Hoffman; Roy Marchak; David Borel; Verna Sloan; Mike Stephens; Kathy Bowers; Msgr. Ron Diegel; Chris & Dave Paape; Richard Schuetz; Jodie Woods; Jean Hamilton; Kathleen Fleming; Jaye Anderson; Karee Haney; Charlie Parker; Jacob Stephens.



Remember the active military of our parish: Senior Chief Petty Officer, James Nichols, (Nephew of Dcn John & Cindy Sue Erdag). Cody Mitchell, LTJG Navy (Son-in-law of Stan & Terrie Evans). Ben Clymer, Sr Airman USAF (Grandson of Charlie & Marge). Captain Joseph Chandler, U.S. Army (Nephew of Mike & Margaret Jernigan). Lt. Gary Buchanan; Lt. Will Corrigan (Great Nephews of Jess & Eva Corrigan). Paul Moreno AMT 2nd Class (Grandson of Kathy & Dale Boman).

An Irish Blessing

May God grant you always a sunbeam to warm you, a moonbeam to charm you, a sheltering Angel so nothing can harm you.

Laughter to cheer you, faithful friend near you, and whenever you pray, heaven to hear you.



Love makes our friends
A little dearer

Joy makes our hearts
A little lighter

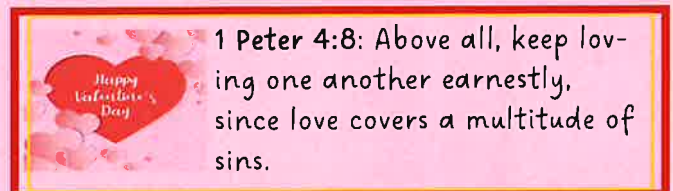
Faith makes our paths
A little clearer

Home makes our lives
A little brighter

Peace brings us all
A little nearer

FEBRUARY UPCOMING EVENTS

<u>Sat 2/7:</u>	9:00 am	Patriotic Rosary	
	5:00 pm	Mass	
	6:00 pm	Knights of Columbus Valentine Social (Reserved tickets only)	
<u>Sun 2/8:</u>	8:30 am	Mass	
<u>Mon 2/9:</u>	9:00 am	Mass	
<u>Tues 2/10:</u>	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	Adoration	
	4:00 pm	KC Officers' Meeting	
	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Adoration	
<u>Wed 2/11:</u>	10:30 am	Bible Study	
	3:00 pm	Cenacles of Life	
<u>Thurs 2/12:</u>	1:00 pm	Legion of Mary	
	6:00/7:00 pm	Rosary & KC Council #15174 Meeting	
<u>Fri 2/13:</u>	9:30 am	Rosary Makers	
	5:00 - 6:30 pm	Knights of Columbus Fish Fry	
<u>Sat 2/14:</u>	5:00 pm	Mass	
<u>Sun 2/15:</u>	8:30 am	Mass	
<u>Mon 2/16:</u>	9:00 am	Communion Service	
	6:00 pm	OCIA	
<u>Tues 2/17:</u>	9:00 am	Mass	
	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	Adoration	
	2:00 pm	Pastoral Council Meeting	
	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Adoration	
<u>Wed 2/18:</u>	9:00 am	Mass - ASH WEDNESDAY	
	3:00 pm	Cenacles of Life	
	5:00 pm	Mass - ASH WEDNESDAY	
<u>Thurs 2/19:</u>	9:00 am	Mass	
	1:00 pm	Legion of Mary	
<u>Fri 2/20:</u>	9:00 am	Mass	
	9:30 am	Rosary Makers	
	3:00 pm	Divine Mercy and Rosary Hour	
	4:30 pm	Stations of the Cross	



Holy Spirit Food Ministry

Due to increased costs of groceries, the Food Ministry is in need of non-perishable food donations. If you can contribute, place donations in the box outside the church office. Or, for monetary donations, use a Food Ministry Donation Envelope, available in the basket in the narthex. All contributions are greatly appreciated and serve to help people in need at HLR and its surrounding community. Additionally, we are, once again, in need of plastic grocery bags.

If you of a resident in need, please obtain their name and phone number. Please provide their information to: Bob Mailliard (504-559-6022)



SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Tuesday: St. Scholastica, Virgin (Twin sister of St. Benedict, eventually interred in the same grave with him; invoked against storms; patroness of Benedictine nunneries.)



Wednesday: OUR LADY OF LOURDES

(According to St. Bernadette Soubirous, the visionary of Lourdes in 1858, the Virgin Mary proclaimed herself "The Immaculate Conception"; patroness of Portugal and the Philippines.)



Knights' Korner



K of C Fish Fry Season:

Fish Fry season is starting again **Friday, February 13**. Come at 5 pm to St. Jude Hall. We have the same pricing as last year! That is \$15 for folks over 12 years old. Younger than 12 eats free. Enjoy your US raised catfish and fixings (includes coffee, tea, and dessert) with your neighbors. See you there!

Join the Knights

Men, you've seen that Knights of Columbus Holy Spirit Council is involved in a lot of the activities of the parish. What are the benefits of joining? It is a Vatican and Church recognized, worldwide organization that supports men in their spiritual, social, and financial living. We help each other by praying, especially the Rosary, the premier weapon reiterating the salvific story of Jesus Christ and His Mother Mary. Ask any Knight for more information. You won't be disappointed.

I am Jerry Hauck and I approve this message.

Anyone involved in any Ministry at our Parish, must be compliant on your Ethics and Integrity training with VIRTUS.

**To sign up for training, please notify Holy Spirit's contact person:
Justin Mahaffey 903-714-3649 or email him at:
justin.mahaffey@icloud.com**



Special Announcements

- Today, after Mass, you can pick up your 2025 Tax Contribution Statement. It is located on the table outside of the church office.
- For the week of February 9th through the 13th: Fr. Francis will **only** say Mass on Monday, as he will be at a Diocesan Priest Retreat for the rest of the week.
- The Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass and Reception will be held on **Saturday, February 14, 2026**, at 2:30 pm at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Tyler. All couples celebrating anniversaries ending in 0 or 5 or 50+ years in 2026 are invited. Visit www.dioceseoftyler.org/events to register. Questions contact Maria Garcia 903-534-1077 ext 157 or mgarcia@dioceseoftyler.org
- Next Sunday's, second collection will be designated for the Black and Indian Missions. Financial support affects the Church's evangelization efforts for the needs of Native American, Alaskan American, and African American communities
- Next weekend, February 14/15th, please bring in your dried palms from last year; there will be a basket in the narthex.
- Due to prior commitments, the Pastoral Council Meeting will be on Tuesday, February 17th at 2:00 pm in St. Jude's Hall.
- On February 18th, **ASH WEDNESDAY**, Masses will be offered at 9:00 am and 5:00 pm.
- Our parish is inviting parishioners to participate in a special opportunity to donate the 2026 Paschal Candle. This meaningful contribution can be made "In Memory of" or "In Honor of" someone special. Interested parishioners are encouraged to contact the church office by next Sunday, February 15th. You may select the style of the candle, with prices beginning at \$250. The family or individual who donated the candle will have the opportunity to take home the Paschal Candle next year.

Bishop's Appeal for Ministries

Everyone should have already received a solicitation letter for the 2026 Bishop's Appeal for Ministries (BAM). Please be sure to pick up a commitment brochure from the back of the church (or in the narthex) and be sure to use the special envelope (with the Holy Spirit label), when you return your pledge. Additionally, please indicated Holy Spirit-Holly Lake on the memo line of your check.

**Please
join us**

Knights of Columbus Friday Fish Fry

Jan 30th - Feb 13th - Mar 6th - Mar 27th

FRIED CATFISH W/ALL THE TRIMMINGS:

- French Fries
- Hush Puppies
- Beans
- Coleslaw
- Desserts
- Coffee/tea



**Dinner served from
5:00–6:30pm**

Tickets at the door
Carry-out available

Adults \$15
**(Children 12 yrs. &
under free)**

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