

HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH

DIOCESE OF TYLER

Celebration of the Mass (June 13 to June 19)

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:30 am
Monday 9:00 am
Communion Service
Tuesday 9:00 am
Wednesday 9:00 am
Thursday 9:00 am
Friday 9:00 am

Adoration

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



Reconciliation

Tuesday 9:45 - 12:30 pm
Saturday 4:30 - 4:45 pm
(or by appt.)
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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Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 14, 2026

TODAY'S READINGS

1ST READING
EX 19 : 2 - 6

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:
100 : 1 - 3 ; 5

2ND READING:
ROM 5 : 6 - 11

GOSPEL:
MT 9 : 36 - 10 : 8



"Then he summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits to drive them out and to cure every disease and every illness.

Matthew 10:1

Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Sunday



Pope Leo's June Intention

For the value of sports. Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.

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
	Jane Bidlack
Music Ministry	Nitja McGrane
Food Pantry	Bob Mailliard
Rosary Makers/Prayer Blankets	Carol Szczepanski
Cenacles of Life	Vicki Hauck
Funeral Preparations	Deacon John Erdag

PARISH SUPPORT

Attendance: 6/6 SAT: 62 6/7 SUN: 80

Collections from 6/6 - 6/7

Offertory	\$ 5,416.00
Candles	\$ 10.00
Building & Maintenance Fund	\$ 2,025.00
Holy Spirit Food Pantry	\$ 102.00

JUNE SECOND COLLECTIONS

6/6 & 6/7: Building & Maintenance Fund
6/20 & 6/21: Retired Priests of Tyler Diocese
6/27 & 6/28: Peter's Pence

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



Mass Intentions

Sat 6/13	Barbara Piatko (Mary Catalano)
Sun 6/14	Mass for the People of Holy Spirit Parish
	Gene Angel (Ann Marie Vancas)
	Vincent Miller (Knights of Columbus)
Tue 6/16	Pat Bonneville (Knights of Columbus)
Wed 6/17	+Fred Crowley (M/M Clymer)
Thur 6/18	LC & Candy Dodson (M/M Clymer)
Fri 6/19	



Remember the sick of our parish: Fran Fleming; Mark Edwards; Deidra Hatcher; 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 Schmeier, 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 Boman).

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**

JUNE UPCOMING EVENTS

Sat 6/13:	5:00 pm Mass
Sun 6/14:	8:30 am Mass
Mon 6/15:	9:00 am Communion Service
Tues 6/16:	9:00 am Mass
	9:30 am - 12:30 pm Adoration
	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Adoration
Wed 6/17:	9:00 am Mass
	3:00 pm Cenacles of Life
Thurs 6/18:	9:00 am Mass
	1:00 pm Legion of Mary
Fri 6/19:	9:00 am Mass
	9:30 am Rosary Makers
	9:30 am Food Ministry Distribution
	3:00 pm Divine Mercy & Rosary Hour
Sat 6/20:	5:00 pm Mass
Sun 6/21:	8:30 am Mass - FATHER'S DAY
	Holy Spirit Food Ministry's "Fill-a-Bag" Weekend
Mon 6/22:	9:00 am Communion Service
Tues 6/23:	9:00 am Mass
	9:30 am - 12:30 pm Adoration
	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Adoration
Wed 6/24:	9:00 am Mass
	10:30 am Bible Study
	3:00 pm Cenacles of Life
Thurs 6/25:	9:00 am Mass
	1:00 pm Legion of Mary
Fri 6/26:	9:00 am Mass
	9:30 am Rosary Makers
	9:30 am Food Ministry Distribution



Holy Spirit Food Ministry

Monthly Fill-A-Bag to Fight Hunger is next weekend, June 20 and 21. Please pick up a grocery bag in the narthex after Mass. Then, return the bag the next week. Filled bags can be put in the bin outside the church office or handed to a Food Ministry member. *Thank You* for your continuing support of this crucial ministry that serves HLR and the surrounding community. If you, or you know of a person in need, please give a contact phone number to:

Bob Mailliard (503) 559-6022



Come join us on Friday,
June 19th at 3:00 pm
for Divine Mercy and
Rosary Hour.



Our office staff is updating several of our files and processes. We need to account for every outstanding key to our facilities. Please contact Kathy Mahaffey if you have either a church building key or an office key.

Thank you, in advance, for helping us in this matter.



**40th Anniversary of the
Diocese of Tyler**

***Be Conformed to Christ:
Go Out to the World***

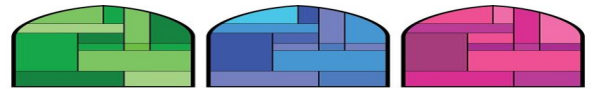
Coming November 2026!



CYCLE PREP Workshop (by Pearl & Thistle)

Cycle Prep is a 90-minute parent-daughter workshop that introduces girls (ages 9-12) to menstrual cycles, periods, and the language of their bodies in a positive, adult-supported environment. Cycle Prep encourages girls to respect their bodies and equips them to navigate the natural changes which come with menstrual cycles.

The workshop will be held at the Cathedral of Immaculate Conception in Tyler.



Special Announcements

- ◆ Mass intention requests for the months of July through September will be open on Wednesday, June 10th. Contact the church office 903-769-3235.
- ◆ Continue to remember the soul of Reverend William E. Palmer (Bill). The visitation and Vigil will be this evening, June 14th at 6:00 pm at St. Mary of the Cenacle Catholic Church in New Boston. The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated tomorrow, June 15th at 10:00 am at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Tyler.
- ◆ Next week's second collection, June 20 - 21, provides additional funding to the Priests' Retirement Fund for the Diocese of Tyler. This helps to ensure our priests are provided for in the later seasons of life, after faithfully serving our communities.



SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Saturday: THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (*The Immaculate Heart of Mary, often honored alongside The Sacred Heart of Jesus. This devotion has its roots in Sacred Scripture, which makes frequent mention of Mary's contemplative heart.*)



St. Anthony Padua, Priest, Doctor of the Church (*Devoted student of scripture; first friar to teach theology to his fellow friars; gifted orator and preacher; known as the "Evangelical Doctor"; patron of Portugal, of the poor, and of lost articles.*)

Friday: St. Romuald, Abbot (*From Ravenna; founded the Camaldolese hermits, today numbering about 95 members; urged contemplative prayer through solitude, silence, and fasting.*)



Knights' Korner



Eats:

Our next monthly breakfast will be in **September**. Enjoy the summer.

New Leadership:

Congratulations to the new Holy Spirit Council elected officers, which were chosen at our last business meeting on June 11. Your next **Grand Knight** is **LC Dodson** and the Deputy Grand Knight is **Bruce Becker**. The parish is welcome to join us for the **installation on July 9th**. More details as we get closer. The old crew isn't going anywhere, Just looking at different roles. Please keep all of your Council members in your prayers and join us!

Joining the Knights of Columbus:

Scan this QR code with your smart phone. It will bring up the Knights of Columbus website for joining. We're **Council #15174**. We are waiting for you!



“Do People See Jesus?”

By Deacon John

There's a story about some businessmen who were running through the Chicago airport, racing to get to their plane on time. The airport was crowded and they were dodging people right and left as they ran. In their rush, one of them accidentally bumped into a table that was holding a large basket of apples. The apples fell off the table and spewed across the floor. The man didn't stop running, but one of his friends turned back and saw a girl on her knees trying frantically to save the apples. He saw the crowd stepping all around her as she crawled around on the floor, so he stopped running and went back to help her pick up the apples.

His friend called after him that he would miss the flight, but he responded that he would have to try to catch a later plane. Dropping to the floor, he collected a bunch of the apples and started to hand them back to the girl. That's when he saw that she was blind. He helped her up and asked her if she was all right. Then he led her back to her chair and gathered up the rest of the apples. As he restacked them, he pulled out the ones that had been bruised. He gave the girl \$40 for those and again made sure that she was all right. As he turned to go find another flight, she called after him. “Mister,” she asked, “are you Jesus?”

Do people see Jesus in you? I ask this question about myself all the time. Often, I'm not sure of the answer. I like to believe that I help others whenever I can. But is that showing Jesus, or is it just doing good? Really, there's nothing wrong with doing good. But the difference between people seeing Jesus in us versus just being a do-gooder is very important. It's in the way we do the good.

In today's Gospel, at the sight of the crowds, Jesus' heart was moved with pity for them because they were troubled and abandoned, like sheep without a shepherd. His heart was moved with compassion for them. This compassion led Jesus to take the practical step of sending out His disciples on their mission for God. Just as He has done throughout His ministry on earth, He commanded them to cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, and drive out demons.

Like the disciples, we too are called to continue Jesus' earthly ministry to those in need. Jesus' example challenges us to have a heart of compassion and to respond with love, kindness and care to the needs of others.

And that's because we are told to always show God's glory to others. Today's Second Reading says, “Not only that, but we also boast of God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.” Jesus has shown each one of us God's glory through His compassion, and He expects the same from us to others.

The man in the story didn't just help the apple girl. He was concerned about the apple girl. He didn't just act upon a bunch of scattered apples that needed to be picked up, he showed compassion for someone who couldn't gather the scattered apples herself. He respected her and her dignity. He showed care for her because of her, not because of a guilt over his friend's apathy. Can you see Jesus in that?

It came from his heart; where Jesus resides in us. It came from a full awareness that it's not just about what we do, it's about the sincerity of the love we do it with. It's about allowing Christ to reveal Himself through that love. He reveals Himself. In a love that cannot be genuine if it does not come from Him. When we recognize that, embrace it, and truly live it, people see Him and not just a do-gooder.

But that's easier said than done. In the busy hustle of life, we can lose sight of Jesus within us. We fall back into the details of what we're doing, and forget the real purpose. We don't necessarily lose our love for helping others, but we miss showing Christ's love to them. We find ourselves working for Christ, instead of walking with Christ. Do people see Jesus in us then? Probably not. But by becoming attentive to Him, and re-engaging with Him in our hearts, we bring that focus back to His love and He shines through us again.

May we always come to wholly live the love of Jesus within ourselves and for others that allows Him to reveal His glory to all through us. Amen.