

# SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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Rev. Angelo Consemينو, Pastor

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Sat. 12/09	5:30 p.m.	+	SJC - Second Sunday of Advent – Mary Kitten
Sun. 12/10	9:00 a.m.	■	SJC Second Sunday of Advent – For the Parish –
Mon 12/11	6:00 p.m.	■	SJC-- Weekday
Tue. 12/12	No Mass	■	Advent Weekday
Wed. 12/13	6:30 p.m.	■	OLG-Weekday – Robert Charanio ~ Jeremy Thomas
Thu. 12/14	11:00 a.m.	■	OLG- Advent Weekday – Jacob Lopez
Fri. 12/15	11:00a.m.	■	SJC- Advent Weekday
Sat. 12/16	9:00 a.m.	■	OLG-Advent Weekday –
Sat. 12/16	5:30 p.m.	+	SJC - Third Sunday of Advent – A.A. Wimmer ~ Corlis Pate – David Bednarz
Sun. 12/17	9:00 a.m.	■	SJC - Third Sunday of Advent – For the Parish – Stephanie Escobar Bryce Meurer

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

- 8:30 a.m. - Join us in praying the Rosary
- 10:15 a.m. - Coffee & Donuts
- 10:30 a.m. Adult Ed. and CCE Class

**Collection for Retired Religious - Dec. 9 & 10**  
See next column for information

**Mondays: Quilting returns on Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> @ PC.**

**Dec. 11, Mon. 6:30PM: BAPTISMS CLASS at OLG Office, Call: 828-7022 for further information.**

**Dec. 11, Mon. 7 PM. ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE will be held for both churches.**

**Dec. 11, Mon. 7:30PM: 4th Degree meets @ the Hall. @ 8PM. Knights meeting**

**Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe.**

**Dec. 12, Tue, OLG: Mananitas @ 5AM. Mass follows. Reception follows (Hall).**

**Dec. 12, Tue, 6:30PM: MOM's Group .will meet at MERCY CENTER DINING ROOM- All men are welcome. Call David 745-1144 or Mark Meurer 789-8456.**

**Dec. 13, Wed, 6:30PM: Choir practice**

**Dec. 14, Thurs, 6:30PM: Guitar practice**

## St. Joseph Office Hours

9:00 a. m. - 12 noon

Bulletin deadline: Wednesday by noon - 828-3944

Church Email Address: sjcslaton@gmail.com

## SACRAMENTS

**BAPTISMS CLASS: 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Mondays each month.-**

**Dec. 11, 6:30 PM, Parish Office, 705 S. 4<sup>th</sup> St.**

Call: OLG, 828-7022. Parents & Godparents should attend.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Call for Appointments SJC office - 828-3944

**OLG** Wednesday - 6:00 p.m. - Thursday 10:30 a.m.

Saturday 9:30 a.m.

SJC - Saturdays - 4:30 - 5:00 p.m.

**WEDDINGS:** Inquire with the Pastor, at least six months before setting a wedding date. Contact the office @ 828-3944 to set up an appointment..

## STEWARDSHIP of TREASURE

Regular Offering ..... \$3,071.22

Children's Offering (included above) \$43.22

## Church Cotton Auction - 2017

Total Auction \$ 28,000.00

Paid as of 12/10/2017 \$ 22,150.00

Balance due \$ 5,850.00

Mail payments to St. Joseph Church - 205 S 19th

**DEC. 17 Sun. at 9AM MASS: BLESSING of FIFTEENTH BIRTHDAY. FOR BOYS & GIRLS, WHO CELEBRATE THEIR 15<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY THIS MONTH.** The Blessing will be held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday each month.

**Dec. 20, Wed, 7:15PM: Parish Council Meeting, Parish Center.**

## For Whom Shall We Pray 12/10/2017

**HELEN BATENHORST ~ CAROL KING**

**KIM KITTEN KING ~ CONNIE LEWIS**

**CLIFF STEFFENS**

(\*New names underlined)

## Christmas Liturgies

**Christmas Eve - Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30 pm @ SJC**

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**Christmas Day – Dec. 25<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00 am @ OLG**

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## Retirement Fund for Religious

Today, your gift to this collection helps provide medications, nursing care, and much more, for thousands of senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests. It also helps ensure that younger members can continue the good works of their elders. Please be generous!

**DIAMOND JUBILEE** - You are cordially invited to a Diamond Jubilee Celebration with Msgr. Joseph James celebrating 60 Years of Priestly Service on Saturday, **December 16, 2017**, 10 a.m. Mass at Saint Joseph Church, Slaton, corner of Division and 19th Streets. Reception to follow at Saint Joseph Hall. Slaton Knights of Columbus 2571 will provide BBQ chicken and sausage. We ask people to **please bring side dishes** as follows: A-M --vegetables or salads, N-Z--desserts. No Gifts Are Expected. Participants are invited to share testimonies of gratitude. **RSVP** to Mark Meurer by **December 8th** or for more information call 806.789.5456 or email to: mark@slatonchurch.com

## Annual DCA Appeal 2017 - 2018

Parish DCA Goal 2017-2018 \$ 19,585.00

Total Pledges made 11/30/2017 \$ 26,076.50

Amount paid on Pledges \$18,516.00

Amount Due \$ 7,560.50

## Religious Education

PCL – Chrystal Holley 548-1138

## CCE Classes

Sundays 10:30 – 11:45 a.m. classes held at the school, for all grades and youth.

## CCE CLASSES for Dec. 10 & 17

**NURSERY NEEDS:** A large area rug (at least 8' x 10') is needed for the infant/toddler classroom for use during Sunday CCE. To donate, please contact Pat Behnke 806-781-3484. We need an easy-to-clean, flat pile rug, no shag.

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**GRIEF SHARE-SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS-** Sessions held the **first three Sundays of Advent, Dec. 10 & 17**, 1:30-3 p.m. in the Family Life Conference room at the Catholic Renewal Center (4620 4th Street, Lubbock).

Are you or your family experiencing sadness this holiday season because of the death of a loved one? Are you even dreading Christmas gatherings because you're not sure how to celebrate since your loved one is now gone? Join us as we discuss ways to survive the upcoming holidays while missing a deceased loved one. Individuals and families with children are welcome to attend 1 or all 3 of our sessions, which will be facilitated by Jenna Chang. Please contact Jenna, Office of Marriage and Family Life, to register or for more info.: 806.792.3943, ext 201.  
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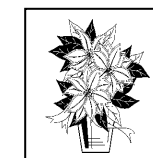
## Parish Envelopes 2018

If your information recently changed or if your contact number has changed to a cell number, please notify the parish office 828-3944 or complete a new parish card located at the large bulletin table. Return in collection or Call now 828 -3944 or email sjcslaton@gmail.com

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## Penance Service Date 12/11 7 pm SJC

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**Christmas Flowers  
Collection Dec. 16 & 17**