

The Diocese of Lubbock: Deaneries

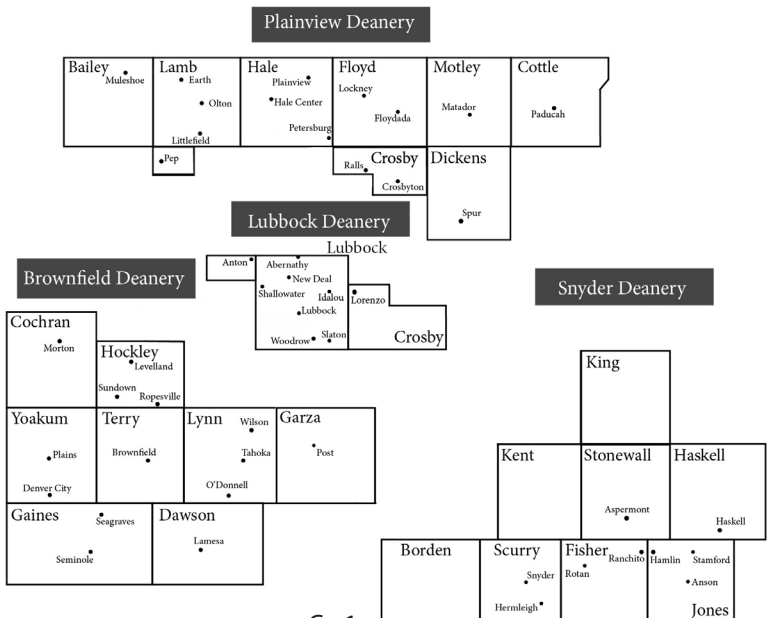
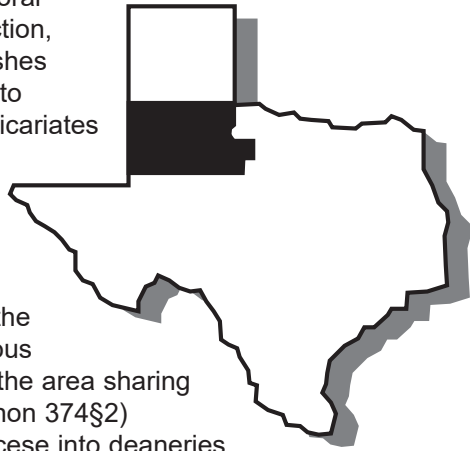
“In order to foster pastoral care through common action, several neighboring parishes can be joined together into special groups such as vicariates forane (deaneries).

...commonly called ‘vicariates (deaneries)’.

The vicariate is under the direction of a ‘vicar (dean),’ who represents the bishop and aids the various pastors and ministers in the area sharing pastoral resources.” (Canon 374§2)

The division of the diocese into deaneries is not obligatory, but in large dioceses the bishop usually entrusts to certain priests known as “deans” or “vicars forane” the oversight of a portion of his diocese and generally delegates to them special jurisdictional powers during their term of office.

Because the Diocese of Lubbock covers such a large area (more than 23, 000 square miles) Bishop Robert Coerver, has established the Brownfield, Lubbock, Plainview, and Snyder Deaneries.





Brownfield Dean June 30, 2026
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Birthdate: 02-19-83 Ordained: 06-11-16

Brownfield	Saint Anthony	Plains	Sacred Heart
Denver City	Saint William	Post	Holy Cross
Lamesa	Saint Margaret Mary	Ropesville	San Francisco De Asis
	Our Lady of Guadalupe	Seagraves	Saint Paul
Levelland	Saint Michael	Seminole	Saint James
Morton	Saint Ann	Tahoka	Saint Jude
O'Donnell	Saint Pius X	Wilson	Blessed Sacrament



Lubbock Dean June 30, 2026
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Birthdate: 03-20-74 Ordained: 07-08-06

Abernathy	Saint Isidore	New Deal	Queen of the Apostles
Anton	Saint Anthony	Shallowater	Saint Philip Benizi
Idalou	Saint Philip Benizi	Slaton	Saint Joseph
Lorenzo	San Lorenzo		Our Lady of Guadalupe
Lubbock	Our Lady of Grace	Woodrow	San Ramon
	Christ the King Cathedral		
	Holy Spirit Church		
	Our Lady of Guadalupe		
	Saint Elizabeth		
	Saint John Neumann		
	Saint John the Baptist		
	Saint Joseph		
	Saint Patrick		
	Saint Clare of Assisi		



Plainview Dean *June 30, 2026*
Very Rev. George Poonely

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Incardinated: 10-01-14

Crosbyton	Saint Joseph	Olton	Saint Peter
Earth	Saint Mary Magdalen	Paducah	Saint Elizabeth
Floydada	Saint Mary Magdalen	Petersburg	Sacred Heart
Hale Center	Saint Theresa	Pep	Saint Philip Neri
Littlefield	Sacred Heart	Plainview	Our Lady of Guadalupe
Lockney	San José de Calasanz		Sacred Heart
Matador	Our Lady of Guadalupe		Saint Alice
Muleshoe	Immaculate Conception	Ralls	Saint Michael
		Spur	Saint Mary



Snyder Dean *June 30, 2026*

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Anson	Saint Michael	El Ranchito	Sacred Heart
Aspermont	Saint Mary	Rotan	Saint Joseph's
Hamlin	Holy Trinity	Snyder	Our Lady of Guadalupe
Haskell	Saint George		Saint Elizabeth
Hermleigh	Saint John	Stamford	Saint Ann

The Diocese of Lubbock
Annual Catholic Offering for Ministries Prayer

Take Lord, and receive,
all my liberty,
my memory,
my understanding
and my entire will --
all that I have and
call my own.

You have given all to me.

To you, Lord,
I return it.

Everything is yours,
do with it as you will.

Give me only your love,
and your grace.

That is enough for me.

Saint Ignatius Loyola