



MONDAY, JULY 12

6:30 am Donnie Slovak +
12:05 pm Wesley & Bessie Lanicek ++
6:30 pm Willie Mae Vavra +

TUESDAY, JULY 13

6:30 am Cecelia Kucera +
12:05 pm Bobby Honza + and
Raymond Honza Sr. +

6:30 pm Jesus Abeja +

WEDNESDAY, JULY 14

6:30 am Larry Dunkerley +
12:05 p.m. Annie C. Martinek +

Adoration after 12:05 pm Mass until 5:00 pm

6:30 pm Demetrio Cervantes +

THURSDAY, JULY 15

6:30 a.m. Elizabeth Schlebach +
12:05 p.m. Janet Rejcek Roach & Henry Rejcek ++

6:30 pm Enrique B. Gonzales +

FRIDAY, JULY 16

6:30 a.m. Lillian C. Valek +
12:05 p.m. Emeleen Maliska +

SATURDAY, JULY 17

5:00 pm John A. Vrla + and
Johnny Wickliffe +

SUNDAY, JULY 18

7:30 am Charles Hafertepe + and
John Barto +
10:30 am Louise & Charles Houston ++ and
Joe S./Mary/Joe L. Liska +++
1:00 pm Maria Elena Gonzalez + and
Rafael Mendiola + and
For the St. John Parish Community

MASS INTENTIONS EPIPHANY MISSION, ITALY
Sunday, July 11, 9:30 a.m. For Needs of Epiphany Parish
Sunday, July 18, 9:30 a.m. For Needs of Epiphany Parish

SPONSOR OF WEEK: J.E. KEEVER MORTUARY



Dear Saint John and Epiphany Parishioners,

“Moses said to the people: If only you would heed the voice of the Lord, your God, and keep His commandments and statutes...”

I think it would help a great deal if each one of us would hear Moses saying that to us every day, several times a day, beginning when we wake up in the morning!

I also think that the emphasis needs to be put on the word, “ONLY.” “If **ONLY**, you would heed the voice of the Lord. .”

In reality, that **IS** the **ONLY** thing we need to do for our entire lives!!!

Listen to the Lord and do it! How much simpler could life be? He has all the answers, He knows everything, we only have to ask, listen and do!

Pretty simple and foolproof, huh!? Then why is life so hard and screwed up many times?

Two reasons:

The effects of Original Sin in each one of us.
The daily work of the Devil.

So the real work in our lives, in order to have good, happy lives is to correct the two statements above. That is the reason Jesus Christ came to earth, suffered, died and resurrected from the dead. It is the reason that before He returned to heaven, He left us our Catholic Church. The Church is our instrument of salvation. Through our Church we have all we need to beat the two statements above!

So, see you in Church!
Love & Prayers,
Father John

SANCTUARY LIGHTS THIS WEEK

The sanctuary light on the south side of sanctuary is in memory of Joe & Annie Vrana and John & Agnes Rejcek and Deceased Families donated by Edward & Bernice Rejcek for week of July 10-16. Sanctuary light, north side, is in memory of Frank N. & Mary T. Dick.

ALTAR SERVERS FOR WEEKEND LITURGIES

July 17, Saturday

5:00 pm Tyler Dennie/Grant Vrana/Hardy Walker

July 18, Sunday

7:30 am Nate Allen/Cooper Gillespie/Byron Betik

10:30 am Dylan Honza/David Janousek/Kenny Janousek

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

IN OUR PARISH

Sunday, July 11

No Coffee & Donuts during month of July (cafeteria is being painted)

9:00-1:00 St. John Library Open/Room 106

3:00 p.m. Baptisms/Church

Monday, July 12

Masses 6:30 am/12:05 pm (English) 6:30 pm Spanish

Tuesday, July 13

8:00am Golden Crusaders Social-Lunch-Meeting/KC

Masses 6:30 am/12:05 pm (English) 6:30 pm Spanish

Wednesday, July 14

Masses at 6:30 am, 12:05 pm, & 6:30 pm (English)

Eucharistic Adoration in Church after 12:05 pm Mass

10 am-4 pm Blood Drive @ Ennis Regional Hospital

2:30 pm Mass at IOOF Nursing Home

7:30 pm KC 3rd Degree Meeting/KC

Thursday, July 15

Masses 6:30 am, 12:05 pm (English) 6:30 pm Spanish

Friday, July 16

Masses 6:30 am & 12:05 pm (English)

Saturday, July 17

3:30 pm Confessions/Church

Sunday, July 18

No Coffee & donuts during July

SHOWER INVITATION

Seth Wright and Annette Corbett were married on Friday, July 9, at St. Patrick's in Denison. Seth is our Director of Adult Education and Annette is our Director of Children's Education. Upon their return to Ennis, the Pastoral Advisory Council and our parish will host a wedding shower for them. The cash/gift shower will be on Sunday, August 1, from 2:00-4:00 p.m. in the cafeteria.

A special film presentation will be shown after the shower for those who would like to stay.

We congratulate Seth & Annette on their marriage. Please keep them in your prayers that God will guide and bless them in all their future endeavors.

ST. JOHN BAZAAR NEWS

Our annual Bazaar will be on September 18 & 19.

Please check your closets, etc. for new/unused/duplicate gifts to donate for booth prizes. We will need your Arts & Crafts and new/like new stuffed animals for various booths. Also, we need items for the White Elephant Booth, which is like a garage sale. If anyone has 10x10 tents the Bazaar would like to borrow them.

Cesar Munoz is the current chairperson for this year's Bazaar, but we will need a new chairperson for 2011. Please consider this ministry. Please support the Bazaar in any way you can. Your support and generosity are needed to make the Bazaar successful.

AUCTIONS

We need items for the Silent and Live Auctions. If you have items to donate for either of these auctions, please call Evelyn Zmolik, 972-875-2791, or 972-875-4210, or Evette Vitovsky, 972-875-3350.

Thank you for your support!

ST. JOSEPH CEMETERY UPDATE

Future projects for this fiscal year for St. Joseph Cemetery include: cleaning out ditches; installing culverts, flumes and headwalls (work began July 7); gravel the roads in the Old Sections (planned in next 3 months). In mid-Autumn, the plan is to pour concrete roads in the new section; widen the east/west road on south side of Mausoleum; widen intersections leading to the newest section (blessed by Fr. John); research and purchase wrought iron section signs for ease in locating burial sites (assisted by upcoming KJZT Society fundraiser in August).

With the anticipated improvements in St. Joseph Cemetery, any and all donations would be greatly appreciated.

During construction activity, we urge all visitors to exercise caution when driving or walking in the cemetery.

COLLECTIONS FOR JULY 3/4

St. John Church Support Collection	\$ 19,147.93
Capital Improvements Collection	3,797.86
Epiphany Mission Collection	515.35
Epiphany Building Fund Collection	432.99

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for those who need our prayers: Viola Dlabaj, Helen Jones, Louise Valek, Theresa Toupal, Annette Metcalfe, Rose Ann Vrana, Louise Haba, Jay LaForge, Samuel Zapata, Sr. Edna Gonzalez, Helen Barak, Kelly Betik, Cecilia Blazek, Jennifer Gallagher, Myrna Mauricio, Rev. Emil Slovacek, Helen Slovacek, Ella Patak, Millie & Leslie Trojacek, Alec Mecom, Avelina Nutt, Angie Garza, Johnny Mensik, Maria Manriquez, Raul Partida, Steve Betik, Sam Harrell, Frances Kozlovsky, Tony Alvarez, Betty Rogala, Evelyn Dlabaj, Tony Schlottman, Donna Glaser, Elizabeth Holland, Pamela Trojacek Fowler, Claudio Amador Sr., Claudio Amador Jr., Gary Kidder, Eddie Zhanel, Ruphine Patak, Joe & Mary Patak, Danny Kubin and Jerry Dolezal.

YOUTH



Life Teen Kickoff

Labor Day weekend, Sunday, September 5
Giant Water Slide, Mechanical Bull, food,
and much more

Special guest: **Coffey Anderson**
See him at <http://www.icoffey.com>



Rangers Game & MERCY ME CONCERT

August 28, bus leaves St. John's at 3 PM
Cost: \$20, includes concert, ticket, and transportation
To purchase tickets, please contact Joey at (972) 878-8336.



CORE MEMBERS WANTED!

A core member is an adult interested in serving
with Life Teen and leading teens closer to Christ!

Interested? Questions?

Call and talk with Joey at 972-878-8336



Message from Joey:

Thank you for all of
your prayers and your
support.
The Youth Conference
last weekend was a
success!

Where would we be if Jesus had said . . .

“Are they really worth my time and effort?”

Do this for your family. In getting closer to Christ, you can become a better husband and father. Can you take the time and make the effort on Saturday/Sunday, August 7-8, to experience a weekend with your brothers in Christ? Come and see for yourself what the Holy Spirit is offering you.

Men's *Christ Renews His Parish* Retreat
August 7-8, 2010
St. John Nepomucene Catholic Church

ST. JOHN GOLDEN CRUSADERS MEETING

St. John Golden Crusaders will meet Tuesday, July 13, at the Knight of Columbus hall (location change for July). Games start at 8:00 am with the meal and meeting at noon. Hot dogs will be furnished. Members with initials A-G to bring ice cream; H-M bring desserts and watermelon; and N-Z bring side dishes that go with hot dogs. Parishioners 55 & older are always welcome to become members.

K.J.T. MEETING TODAY

The KJT Society 35 will meet today, Sunday, July 11, at 1:30 pm in the meeting room at the KJT hall. All KJT members are urged and invited to attend.

TV MASS FOR SHUT-INS

Heart of the Nation is now broadcasting the Catholic TV Mass in our area on KFWD-TV Ch. 52, Sunday mornings at 9:00 a.m. Viewers can also check cable and satellite listings to find that channel for “KFWD”. Bishop Farrell has approved this televised Mass as appropriate for shut-ins, the physically challenged, sick and hospitalized, and the incarcerated.



Give Blood.
Give Life.

ENNIS REGIONAL HOSPITAL BLOOD DRIVE

Carter BloodCare, with Ennis Regional Hospital, will hold a Blood Drive on Wednesday, July 14, from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Walk-ins are welcome, but those with appointments will be taken first. Please have a good meal and drink plenty of fluids before your donation. Website: carterbloodcare.org Call Jeanna Gilmore, 469-256-2441, for more information or to make an appointment.

STAYING FOR THE WHOLE MASS

Do you cut the TV off before the end of a program? Do you leave a movie early without seeing the end? How about the Mass? The Liturgy (Mass) begins with a processional hymn and ends with the recessional hymn. The final blessing at the end of the Mass is God blessing us through the priest and sending us out into the world strengthened and ready to live and serve Him during the week. Please don't miss that final grace! Plus, it is inconsiderate to leave before the priest even exits the church.



**Vacation Bible School
was a Blast!!!**



**Thanks to all the volunteers
for their joy and service for the Lord!**

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EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS FOR PRIESTS

In the event of a real emergency you can call Fr. John, 903-624-6114, or Fr. Antonio, 469-831-0607. For day to day questions or concerns, and to make appointments, please call the business office phone number, 972-878-2834.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT CLEARANCE

Reminder: any parishioner who wishes to participate in our ministries at St. John Church, and who has not previously been screened, needs to be aware that all volunteers in any ministry, such as Faith Formation and Life Teen Core, have to fill out and submit a Screening Form and be cleared before they are allowed to participate. Please do not wait until the last minute to submit your screening form.

Reminders to those individuals who need training updates will be mailed in July. Please feel free to call the office to check if you are still in compliance, 972-878-2834.

RESPECT IN CHURCH

We have weddings, quinceaneras, Baptisms, etc. every Saturday in the church. We remind everyone that the presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament should receive our utmost reverence. Reverence can be shown by our respect for property, modest dress, no unnecessary or loud talking, no food, drink or **gum**, and by our actions. At rehearsals, weddings, quinceaneras, baptisms and funerals, our example to others is important in order to demonstrate reverence for this sacred space.

BIBLE STUDY ON SUNDAY MORNINGS

The Coffee & Donuts Fellowship and Bible Studies on Sunday mornings have been suspended for July while the cafeteria is given a fresh coat of paint. Fellowship resumes in August!

SUGGESTION BOX

If you have a genuine suggestion or concern, please drop it in the Suggestion box at the back of church. The box is checked weekly. Signed suggestions will receive personal responses.

THANK YOU FROM DUANE DOLEZALIK FAMILY

“ We want to thank Fr. John and Fr. Antonio for being there for us in our time of sorrow, when we lost our son, Duane.

We thank those who sent food, flowers, Mass intentions, memorials for St. Joseph Cemetery care, and so many consoling sympathy cards. We appreciate all who attended the Rosary, led by Tony & Debbie Vitovsky, and the funeral Mass, and the Requiem Choir who provided the heavenly music.

Hugs and words of comfort meant so much. We couldn't have gotten through our son's funeral and burial without the kindness of you all. May God bless you and please keep Duane in your prayers.”

Louis & JoAnn Dolezalik