

Mass Intentions for the week of January 15

MONDAY, JANUARY 16

No 6:30 a.m. Mass today
12:05 p.m. Adolph Tobola +
6:30 p.m. Johnny F. Vrana +

TUESDAY, JANUARY 17—Saint Anthony

6:30 a.m. Billy Coplen +
12:05 p.m. Kerry Galetka +
6:30 p.m. Asuncion Salazar + Juan Rodriguez +

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18

6:30 a.m. Jeff Frazier (health)
12:05 p.m. John F., Antonie, Danny Kubin +++
2:30 p.m. St. John Residents at Legends NH (LEGENDS)
6:30 p.m. Robbie Reinhard +

THURSDAY, JANUARY 19

6:30 a.m. Stanley Vlk +
12:05 p.m. Tom, Elizabeth, & Ernest Machovsky +++
6:30 p.m. Arturo Dorado +

FRIDAY, JANUARY 20—Saint Fabian and St. Sebastian

6:30 a.m. For the consolation of Wright & Reinhard Families
12:05 p.m. Will, Mary, & Willie Prachyl +++

SATURDAY, JANUARY 21—Saint Agnes

3:30 p.m. Confessions
5:00 p.m. John F., Danny, & Toni Kubin +++

JANUARY 22, THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:00 a.m. Guadalupe C & Roman M. Rodriguez ++
11:00 a.m. Joe Spaniel +
1:00 p.m. Arturo Dorado +
5:00 p.m. For the Parish Community

MASSES FOR EPIPHANY CHURCH

Sun. Jan. 15, 9 am Ricorgo Gomez
Sun. Jan. 22, 9 am Sora Jose Gutierrez

HYMNS FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 15

Entrance: The King of Glory - 494
Offertory: Here I Am, Lord - 671
Communion: At That First Eucharist - 840
Recessional: In Christ There Is No East or West - 726

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK: Edward Jones / Jaime Holland

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
+ 2017

Dear Saint John and Epiphany Parishioners,

Here we are in the New Year of 2017 and back into the Liturgical Season of Ordinary Time. How fast it all goes! Before you know it we will be celebrating Ash Wednesday, on our way to Easter!

Since the year will move by us quickly let us begin by asking the Holy Spirit to set us down and show us the new and exciting things we need to do in 2017 to bring us closer to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The holier we are, the better every part of our life goes throughout the year. Each day we can see the working of the Lord and hear His voice guiding us along.

The same Jesus who we just remembered coming into Bethlehem, is the same one we will remember dying on the Cross on Good Friday and rising from the dead on Easter Sunday.

O, how much He loves us and desires to give us abundant life. Let each of us, now early in 2017, think of small, daily ways we can grow in our relationship with Him.

Very short prayer times to start with.....maybe 5 minutes three times a day. Drive by and run into the Adoration Chapel for all of 3 minutes each time I leave work, school, Walmart, wherever!

Because He is God, He multiplies what little we can do, by zillions!!!! It is the desire of our heart to know, love and serve Him that pleases Him and gives Him permission to enter our lives in a deeper and more practical way, every minute of every day.

Make 2017 holy!!!!

Love & prayers,
Fr. John

COLLECTIONS FOR JANUARY 7 & 8
Totals include Church Collection & Faith Direct

St. John Regular Collection	\$21,359.93
Second Collection: Christmas Flowers	\$1,567.90
Epiphany Regular Collection	\$1,107.00
Second Collection: Christmas Flowers	\$138.75

IN OUR PARISH WEEK OF JANUARY 15

NEWS AND NOTEWORTHY

Sunday, January 15

Second Collection: Diocese of Trujillo, Honduras

Women's CRHP retreat ends

8:30-10:30 am Religious Ed/ Elementary

9:00 am RCIA/ School

9:30 am RCIA Inquiry/ School

6:30 pm Life Teen

Monday, January 16

5:30-6:30 pm Confessions

7:00 pm Nepomucene's Men/ Room 101

Tuesday, January 17

10:30 am Little Saints Playgroup/301

12:30 pm Altar Society Meeting/ Rm 101

5:30-6:30 pm Confessions

7 - 8:00 pm Upper Room

Wednesday, January 18

6:30-8:30 pm Religious Ed

6:30-8:30 pm EDGE

7:30 pm Adult Choir Practice/ Church

Thursday, January 19

7:00 pm Wild Goose Life Teen Bible Study/Rm 101

Friday, January 20

Saturday, January 21

Men's CRHP Retreat Begins

Sunday, January 22

Second Collection: The Church in Latin America

Men's CRHP Retreat Ends

8:30-10:30 am Religious Ed/ Elementary

9:00 am RCIA/ School

9:30 am RCIA Inquiry/ School

6:30 pm Life Teen

NEWS AND NOTEWORTHY

ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING

Tuesday, January 17th after 12:05 pm Mass in Room 101

WINTER WALKERS

Catholic Family Fraternal of Texas, Ennis Soc. 16, is sponsoring Winter Walkers. The gym will be open after the noon weekday Masses starting Dec. 1st for at least 30 minutes. Contact Joan Johnson 214-728-6160 for more information.

Nepomucene's Men
 Spiritual Growth & Fellowship for Men
Monday, January 16
Rm 101 @ 7 pm
 All males 18 and older are invited.
Topic: Divine Mercy: A Ten Session Study Of The
 Second Greatest Story Ever Told

ALTAR CANDLES

If you would like to reserve the 6 candles around the main altar in the sanctuary for your intentions or a loved one, living or deceased, for 1 week in 2017, stop by the religious counter after Mass to sign up. \$40 for 1 week. 972-875-6856

**DIVINE PROVIDENCE CHAPEL
 CANDLES & FLOWERS**

The 4 candles surrounding the Monstrance and the 2 altar flower arrangements in the Divine Providence Chapel are available for your intentions or for a loved one, living or deceased. Please call Evelyn Zmolik at 214-549-6885.

Adoration Chapel Open Hours

Sunday: 4 am

Monday: 2 am, 3 am , 3 pm

Tuesday : 2 am, 3 am

Wednesday: 12 am, 1 am

Friday : 12 am, 1 am, 6 am , 2 pm

"Jesus waits for us in this sacrament of love. Let us be generous with our time in going to meet Him in adoration and in contemplation that is full of faith and ready to make reparation for the great faults and crimes of the world. May our adoration never cease." St. John Paull II

ST. JOHN CHURCH

Sanctuary Light : January 14 – January 20

In Memory: Edward Rejcek

By: His Family

Altar Candles : January 14 – January 20

In Memory: Helen Zmolek

By: Ronnie & Susan Zmolek

DIVINE PROVIDENCE HALL CHAPEL

Altar Candles: January 13 – January 19

For: Shaelyn Hayes

By: Marvin & Mary Ann Trojacek

RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults



- Become Catholic
- Receive missed Sacraments
- Just learn more about the Faith and God

Contact Seth Wright at the
Parish Office for more
details. 972-875-2834

New group starting!

Sundays, 9:30-10:30 AM
Room 104 in the compound

St. John Nepomucene Parish Presents...

C.R.H.P.

Christ Renews His Parish

St. John Nepomucene presents a fantastic spiritual renewal program entitled “Christ Renews His Parish”. Separate men’s and women’s retreats are held each Fall and each Spring. This overnight retreat is designed to bring members of our Parish together in Christ.

Each weekend will include group activities and interaction, prayer and reflection on such subjects as Scripture, Eucharist, Christian Community, and Christian Awareness. The outcome of the weekend will be a deeper relationship with Christ and growth in your affiliation with the community of our Parish. All participants will spend the night right here at St. John Nepomucene.

The program is open to all parishioners, but space is limited. Reservations are on a ‘first come-first served’ basis, so you should respond quickly. Once you have registered, you will be contacted with the details before the retreat.

There is no charge for the retreat!!

Mail To
Seth Wright
St. John Nepomucene
401 E. Lampasas
Ennis, TX 75119
or email:
sethw@stjohncc.net

Men’s Retreat Information:
Contact Seth Wright for the names and contact information of the appropriate members of the Men’s Retreat team

Women’s Retreat Information:
Contact Seth Wright for the names and contact information of appropriate members of the Women’s Retreat team

Please sign me up for (circle one) **TODAY’S DATE** _____

Women’s Retreat January 14 - 15, 2017 Men’s Retreat January 21 - 22, 2017

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Email Address: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Emergency Contact # _____



Be not Afraid!

Our annual Life Teen Retreat is 2 weeks away!

We would like to remind you to register your teenager (child, grandchild, niece or nephew, neighbor), if you have yet to do so.

Also, please consider contributing to the formation of the young church by sponsoring a student to go on this retreat by using this form or donating online.

The cost of the retreat is \$150

<http://www.stjohnncc.net/lifeteen>

NAME: _____

AMOUNT: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

STUDENT WHOM YOU'D LIKE TO GIFT: _____

MARK BOX FOR YOUR GIFT TO GO TO A STUDENT IN NEED:

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

If you have a loved one who is sick or in need of special prayers (not deceased) please contact the parish office by phone or email joannag@stjohncc.net. Your loved one's name will appear on this prayer list for 4 consecutive Sundays. If a longer period of time is needed, please call the parish office to renew your request 2 weeks before the printed date to the right of your loved one's name.

Jo Ann Dolezalik—2/5/17	Sherri Longoria—1/8/17	Braydon Divin—1/15/17	Frank Tapia—2/5/17
Georgie Ann Nekuza-2/5/17	Calvin Baw, Jr. —1/22/17	Geraldine Kubin—1/15/17	James Zhanel—2/12/17
Sr. Genevieve Prochaska	Alfred Martinez—2/12/17	JoAnn Strunc—1/15/17	Maley McDonald—2/12/17
Sr. Redempta Bradley	Maura Meza—2/12/17	Angelina Navarez & Fam.-1/15/17	Deanna Richardson—2/12/17
Rachel Zmolik—1/8/17	Mary Nell Witt—1/8/17	Clarissa Gonzalez—1/15/17	Zach Sowell—2/12/17
Catherine Roberts—1/8/17	Jennifer Wright—1/8/17	Nancy Escobar—1/15/17	Pat Swindle Novy—2/12/17
Mildred Trojacek—2/5/17	Luciana Rigante—11/27/16	Teresa Wiebold—2/19/17	Tristyn Wallar—2/12/17
David Trojacek—2/5/17	Carmen Nelson—1/1/17	Betty Honza—1/22/17	Sara Hooten 2/12/17
Jane Rychlik—2/5/17	Rachel Dyson—2/12/17	Melissa Patterson—1/22/17	Paola Saucedo—2/12/17
Richard Mraz—2/5/17	Mary Ludwig—1/15/17	Evelyn Zmolik—1/22/17	Lynn Carter—2/12/17
Margie Dvorak—12/25/16	Epi Garfias—2/5/17	Raymond Honza—1/22/17	Patsy & Jerry Zmolik - 2/12/17
Betty Rogala—2/5/17	Paul Tolliver—2/5/17	Lorraine Smith—1/29/17	
Mary Ann Felcman—2/5/17	Wayne Sylvester, Jr.—1/1/17	Nancy Kuykendall—1/29/17	
Joan Gura—2/5/17	Dorothy Langer—1/8/17	Nancy Prewitt—1/29/17	
Marguerite Patterson-1/8/17	Dianne McCarty—1/8/17	Margaret Bohuslav—2/5/17	
Patti Youngblood—2/12/17	Lynn Carter—1/8/17	Pam Hammonds—2/5/17	
Kati Betik Arnold—1/15/17	John Matous—1/15/17	Jeff Frazier—2/5/17	
Arnold Twins—1/15/17	Joe Barak, Jr.—1/15/17	Jimmy Aguilar—2/5/17	
Jeanette/Martin Hunter—1/1/17	Julio Olbera—1/15/17	Joan Trojacek—2/5/17	
Norma Jean Horrell—1/1/17	Una Rae Mahaley—1/15/17	Edward Patak—2/5/17	