



MONDAY, JANUARY 17—St. Anthony, Abbot

- 6:30 am** Gary Valek +
- 12:05 pm** Jeff Prachyl + and Irene Laza +
- 6:30 pm** A.A./Helen/Ab John Sulak +++

TUESDAY, JANUARY 18

- 6:30 am** Dorothy Holy Harrison +
- 12:05 pm** Agnes & Jerry Chudej ++ and Sister Stephanie Slovak +
- 6:30 pm (Spanish)** Raquel Garcia +

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19

- 6:30 am** Edward Prachyl +
- 12:05 p.m.** Stanley J. VlK + and Frank and Jay Felcman ++

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

- 6:30 pm** Jerrell Wingo +
- THURS., JAN. 20—St. Fabian, Pope & Martyr**
- 6:30 am** Wesley T. Mikel +
- 12:05 pm** John Barto + and Bill/Mary/Jo Ellen Vitovsky +++

- 6:30 pm Spanish** Betty Ureste +

FRIDAY, JANUARY 21—St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr

- 6:30 am** Richard Miller +
- 12:05 pm** Henry W. Rejcek + and Janet Rejcek Roach +

SATURDAY, JAN. 22—St. Vincent, Deacon & Martyr

- 5:00 pm** Rudolph & Emily Valek ++ and Rosa Lee Janousek +

3rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JANUARY 23

- 7:30 am** Roy Fira + and Mary Ann Kubin +
- 10:30 am** Anton & Effie Jurica ++ and Duane Dolezalik +
- 1:00 pm** Jose Oropeza + and For Our Parish Community
- 5:00 pm** **Life Teen Mass**
Bobby Honza + and Frances Kozlovsky +

MASS INTENTIONS EPIPHANY MISSION, ITALY

- Sunday, Jan. 16, 9:30 am** Eugenio Marco Huerta +
- Sunday, Jan. 23, 9:30 am** For Epiphany Parishioners

THAT MAN IS YOU! SPRING SEMESTER

The *That Man is You!* Spring Semester begins in February on Thursdays at 7:00 pm and Saturdays at 7:00 am. This semester will focus on Lent and how to prepare for Easter as a Catholic man. Sessions include a meal, short video presentation and small group discussions. Registration will begin at all Masses next weekend. For more info, call Michael Kudrna, 469-245-8678, or Paul Robie, 469-658-9120 Email them at: stjtmty@gmail.com or check out link on stjohncc.net for thatmanisyou.org



Dear Saint John and Epiphany Parishioners,

As we enter into our new Calendar Year of 2011, we hear Saint John the Baptist proclaim, “Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.”

At the beginning of each New Year we have the natural desire to think ahead and plan for what we would like to have happen in our lives this year. St. John the Baptist is pointing out to us the only person who is available, has the power, and loves us enough to make all good things happen to us this year – “Behold, the Lamb of God...!”

St. John is saying to each one of us, “Look, there is the person who can make good things happen in your life this year!” If only we will listen and believe we can experience a good year in 2011.

The most amazing and unique action of God’s redemptive grace is that it can take what would otherwise be a “bad situation” and redeem it! God’s redemptive grace make good come from any earthly thought, word or action that we experience in our lives and the lives of those we love and pray for.

His Redemptive Grace, won for us by His suffering, death and resurrection is the “magic ingredient” that can turn anything toward “good.” The ultimate power “ring” that is always searched and fought for in most fantasy books and movies! Yet, each of us has access through our Baptism to this miraculous power! This is “Good News!” This is the “Good News” of every year until the end of time.

This grace flows out in abundance from our Altars at every Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. This Sunday, and every Sunday of our lives, we should ask the Lord to pour this redemptive grace into every nook and cranny of our life and the lives of those we love.

I am looking forward with a sure and certain hope to a good year for us all.

Love and prayers,
Father John
Pastor

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK: KWIK BRAKES

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

Sunday, January 16

- 8:45 am RCIA Session
 9:00-10:15 am Religious Education Classes and EDGE
 9:00-12:00 St. John Library Open/Rm 106 Compound
 5:00 pm Life Teen Mass and Life Night

Monday, January 17

- 7:10 pm Bible Study on the *Exodus*/Cafeteria
 7:30 pm KC 4th Degree Meeting/KC Hall

Tuesday, January 18

- 6:00-8:00 pm Winter Walkers in SJ Gym (see notice)
 5:00-7:00 pm St. John Library Open/Rm 106 Compound
 7:00 pm *Women of Grace* Study/Cafeteria

Wednesday, January 19

- 6:30 am Mass- Teens "Food for the Soul" —free Breakfast
 10:00 am Little Saints Playgroup/Gym
 2:30 pm Mass at Claystone Nursing Home
 6:00-8:00 pm Winter Walkers in SJ Gym (see notice)
 7:00 pm Religious Education Classes & Life Teen D-Nite
 7-8:15 pm Parenting Skills Class/Rm 301 High School
 7:00 pm Czech Language Class/KJT Dining Room

Saturday, January 22

- 7:45 am Leave from church parking lot for *March for Life*

Sunday, January 23

- 8:45 am RCIA Session
 9:00 am Religious Education Classes and EDGE
 9-12 noon St. John Library Open/Rm 106 Compound
 3:00 pm Baptisms/Church
 5:00 pm Life Teen Mass and Life Night

ALTAR SERVERS FOR LITURGIES

January 22, Saturday

- 5:00 pm Tyler Dennie/Matt Zajic

January 23, Sunday

- 7:30 am Nate Allen/Tyler Novy/Dylan Fisher
 10:30am David Janousek/Kenny Janousek/Chris Trojacek
 5:00 pm **Life Teen Mass**
 Josh Zapletal/Alex Fry/Dylan Honza

COLLECTIONS FOR JANUARY 8 & 9

St. John Church Support Collection	\$ 17,705.22
Epiphany Church Support Collection	688.43

FLOWER MEMORIALS FOR WEEKENDS

Flower arrangements for the sanctuary for weekends with no weddings are now being taken in honor or memory of someone. Call Evelyn Zmolik for more information, 972-875-2791.

SANCTUARY LIGHTS THIS WEEK

Sanctuary light, south side of sanctuary, is in memory of Joe & Julia Jurik, and Artie Lee & Celesta Bohanon donated by Bill & Bernadine Jurik for the week of January 15-21. The sanctuary light, north side, is in memory of Frank & Mary T. Dick.

CLEANING POSITION OPEN

Applications are being accepted for a part time cleaning position at the parish. This position would include nightly office cleaning and full day Saturday/Sunday cleaning/maintenance in offices and church. Applications and more information are available in the parish business office. References must accompany the completed application.

CLAYSTONE NURSING HOME MASS

There will be a Mass at 2:30 pm on Wed., January 19, at Claystone Healthcare Center. This Mass is open to the parish also.



*Women, find your purpose...
feed your soul.*

**Study group continues Tuesdays,
7:00-8:30pm in the Cafeteria**

**New Group Forming:
Saturdays, 7am, Room 103-104**

ST. JOHN PARISH LIBRARY

The St. John Parish Library is open Sundays, 9-12 noon, and Tuesdays 5-7 pm, in Room 106 in the compound. Recommended reading for January is *My Life With the Saints*, by James Martin, S.J. The book is available from Amazon.com and bookstores. A discussion of this book will take place on Wednesday, January 26 at 7pm in the parish library. Everyone is welcome to take part in the discussion and/or to visit the library during open hours.

CZECH LANGUAGE CLASSES

Czech Language Classes are offered every Wednesday night at 7:00 pm in the KJT hall dining room, until March 30. Join them to brush up your Czech language, grammar or conversational skills. Instructor is Joe Janecka. Some history of Czechoslovakia and the Czech and Slovak Republics will be included.

K.J.T. SCHOLARSHIP

If you are a graduating senior in 2011 and have been a member of the KJT for at least one year, you may be eligible for a KJT Scholarship. Call 1-800-245-8182 for an application. The application will be mailed to you and must be returned to the home office by March 1, 2011.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

These people need our prayers: Mary Pat Clements, Joy Dlabaj, Rose Trojacek, Victor Trojacek, Kenneth Vavra, Bessie Zhanel, Deeann Bolin, Viola Dlabaj, Fred Hover, Billy Coplen, Paulita E. Alvarez, Kathy Toth, Samantha Kerr, Lucy Mikula, Allen, Edmund and Joveta Mach, Nolen Dockery, Earlene Slovak, Ella Patak, Deanna Slovacek Richardson, Wanda Slovak, Bernard Betik, Olga Enriquez, Ruben Monreal, Leslie & Millie Trojacek, Helene Valek, Lillian Slovak, Olivia Widener, Helen Barak, Johnny Mensik, Josie, Elva, Henry and Ray Castillo, James Pustejovsky, Gary Kidder, Frankie Joe Patak, Sandra Horrell, Sr. Edna Gonzalez, Raul Partida, Steve Betik, Betty Rogala, Tony Alvarez, Evelyn Dlabaj, Claudio Amador Jr. & Sr., Joe & Mary Patak, Ruphine Patak and Jerry Dolezal.

3 Ways to Strengthen your family!

Learn how Moses brought the word of God to the Israelites and how God saved and formed His family!

Bible Study on the book of *Exodus*
Mondays at 7:10 PM, Cafeteria
Beginning January 17

Saint Cyril and Saint Methodius Celebration

Mass,
Procession,
Luncheon

Sunday,
February 13th, 2011

Celebrate Saints Cyril and Methodius bringing the word of God to the Slavic peoples, bringing them into God's family!

Parenting Skills Classes

A seven-week program designed by Love and Logic®.
Wednesdays, January 19-March 2, 7-8:15 PM
Youth Room (Rm 301) in the Old High School
Cost: \$15

In the world: learn your Faith and defend it



In the parish: celebrate our parish and its heritage

In the home: be a family, not just housemates

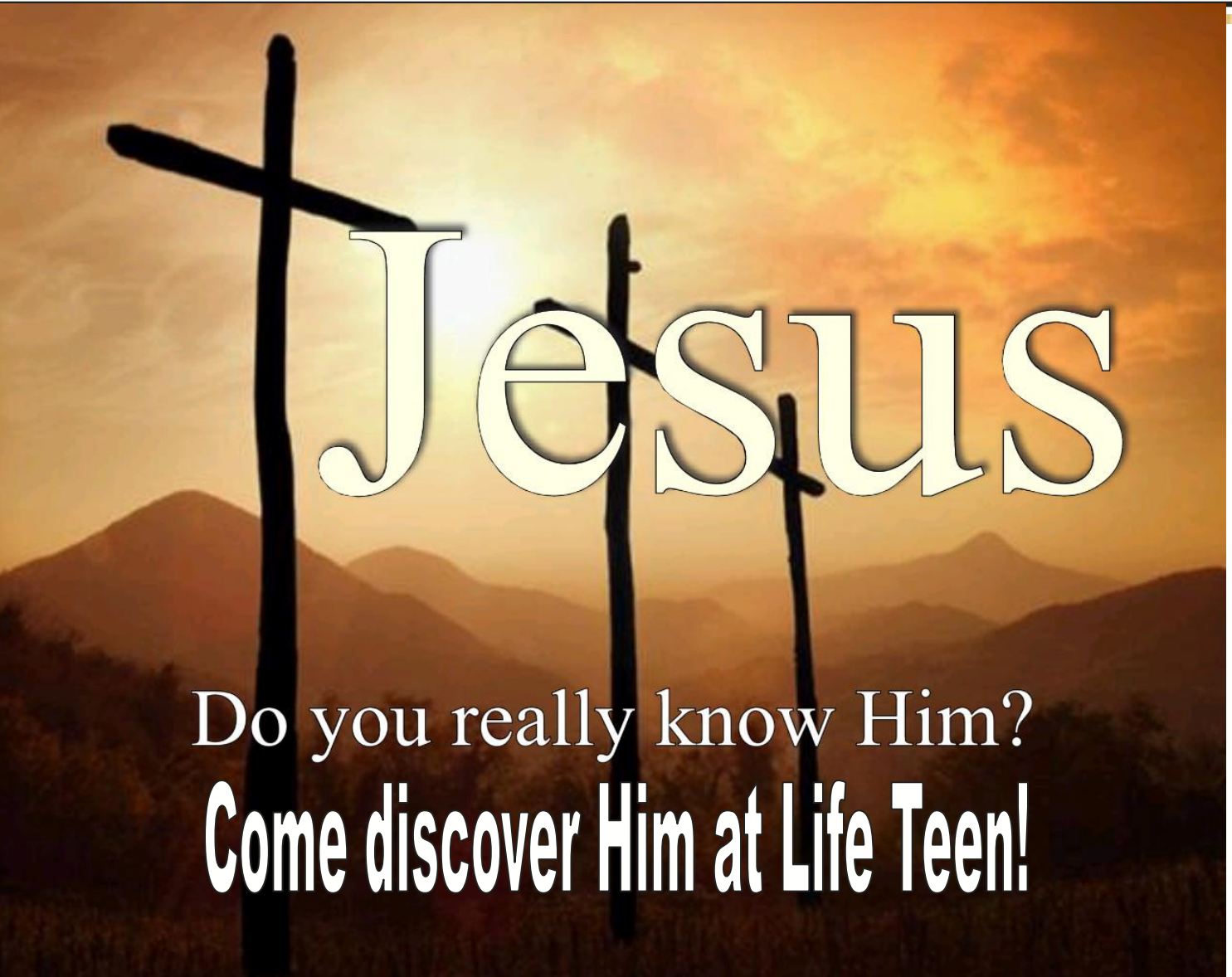
Learn practical skills to help you raise children who are happy, obedient, loved, and prepared for life!

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Life Teen Retreat
New Year's 2011
Savior





Jesus

Do you really know Him?
Come discover Him at Life Teen!

Jan 16th– Mass 5pm and Life Night 6:30pm-8pm

Food for the Soul-Jan 19th, Wednesday

All teens are welcome to come to 6:30 Mass followed by a free breakfast!

D-Nite– Jan 19th

Wednesday nights 7pm-8:15pm in the Cafeteria

Questions? Contact Joey at 972-878-8336 or joeys@stjohncc.net

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS 2011 EDUCATION CONTEST

Catholic Daughters of the Americas will sponsor a 2011 Education Contest, with themes of: "The Lord is My Light" and "The Light Others Give to Me" to encourage lively imagination and freedom of thought for students. The category choices are: Art, Essay, Poetry, Computer Art, Music, and Photography. Participants need to create an original idea for the entry. Contest open to grades four through twelve. All winning entries must meet contest rules. Check CDA website: www.catholicdaughters.org or the National Office at CDofANatl1@aol.com for contest application and rules. Due date Feb. 7, 2011. Local contacts: Diane Sulak, 972-878-0016, email: dianesulak@wildblue.net or Mary Ann Trojacek, 972-875-6655

KC FREE THROW COMPETITION

The annual KC Free Throw Competition for boys and girls ages 10-14 will be Sunday, January 30, at 2:00 pm in the St. John gym. Arrive by 1:30 pm with a parent or guardian. Students are required to furnish proof of age (copy of birth certificate) and written parental consent. For entry forms or more information, call Kevin Betik at 972-825-7016.

MARCH FOR LIFE ON JANUARY 22

Roe Memorial Events will take place **Saturday, January 22, 2011**—marking the 38th anniversary of the tragic Roe v. Wade U.S. Supreme Court decision which legalized abortion in America. These events are in memory of the more than 51 million babies who have died, and in prayer for the mothers and fathers who have been hurt by abortion.

St. John parishioners will carpool to this event, leaving the church parking lot at 7:45 am, since the Cathedral fills quickly. The Mass begins at 10:00 am with Joe Languell providing music. At 12:00 noon the March for Life proceeds to the Earl Cabell Federal Courthouse where Roe v. Wade was originally filed. The police-escorted March is peaceful, prayerful and family friendly with a rally beginning at 12:45. Marchers return to the Cathedral at 1:30 pm for cookies and hot chocolate. For those who cannot march, Eucharistic Adoration will take place in the Cathedral. Bishop Farrell would like to see 10,000 people this year (6,000 last year) so plan to bring your family and all of your friends to this moving event. Call Ginger Bush for more

WINTER WALKERS

Come to the St. John gym each Tuesday and Wednesday night from 6-8 pm to walk. Stay healthy, keep warm. Any children **must** be accompanied by a parent and supervised. For info, call Joan Johnson, 214-728-6160. KJZT Society #16 is the sponsor.

LITTLE SAINTS PLAYGROUP

Parents with young children are invited to bring their children to play in the gym from 10 AM until noon on Wednesday mornings. Parents will stay in the gym and socialize while the children play. This is not a drop-off service. For info, Stephanie Holland, 214-229-8293.