



MONDAY, OCTOBER 15—St. Teresa of Jesus
6:30 am John White +
12:05 p.m. Mike Kelly +
6:30 pm William Vavra +
TUES., OCT. 16—Sts. Hedwig & Margaret Mary Alacoque
6:30 a.m. Duane Dolezalik +
12:05 p.m. Louis A. Slovak +
6:30 pm Pedro Hernandez Salas +
WED., OCTOBER 17—St. Ignatius of Antioch
6:30 a.m. Frank & Ann Kriska ++
12:05 p.m. Alvin C. Hubacek +
Adoration after 12:05 pm Mass until 5:00 pm
6:30 p.m. Johnny Mensik +
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18—St. Luke, Evangelist
6:30 a.m. Ann Mikel Langer +
12:05 p.m. Carl Pelzel +
6:30 pm(Spanish) Maria Elena Gonzalez +
FRIDAY, OCT. 19—St. John deBrebeuf & St. Isaac Jogues
6:30 a.m. Adele/Joe/Joe David Janousek +++
12:05 p.m. John Barto +
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20—St. Paul of the Cross
5:00 p.m. Keenan and Jeff Prachyl ++
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21
7:00 a.m. Tony Prachyl +
11:00 a.m. Stanley L. Vlk +
1:00 pm Martha Elva Wong Gallegos +
5:00 Life Teen Mass
Lillian Slovak +

MASSES FOR EPIPHANY CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 14, 9:00 am Joe & Julia Jurik ++
Sun., Oct. 21, 9:00 am Lee & Celesta Bohanon ++

ALTAR SERVERS FOR WEEKEND LITURGIES

Saturday, October 20
5:00 p.m. Chris Trojacek/Tyler Novy
Sunday, October 21
7:00 am Zachary Matous/Josef Woodward/Jake Kasowski
11:00 am Joseph Galetka/Austin /Spaniel/Tyler Dennie
5:00 pm Teen Mass Alex Fry/Matt Zajic

SPONSOR of the WEEK: ENNIS STATE BANK



Dear Saint John and Epiphany Parishioners,
Francis Fernandez writes: “Jesus Christ, the Son of God Incarnate, is divine Wisdom that has been hidden from all eternity in the bosom of the Father. He is now accessible to all men and women who are disposed to open their hearts to Him. To possess Christ is to possess everything. That is why we commit the greatest folly whenever we choose some worldly good in place of Christ, be it honor, wealth, good health, anything at all. Nothing is worth more than Jesus.” These words pretty well sum up the meaning of this Sunday’s Readings. The first reading is the prayer of King Solomon seeking Wisdom. Our second reading from the Letter to the Hebrews reminds us that God knows all things, even those things we think are hidden in us. So His Wisdom is complete. In the Gospel of this Sunday, the account of Jesus meeting with the rich young man, puts this choice for Jesus in a very practical way. We must be willing to leave everything else behind.

For me, the most powerful sentence in the Gospel reading is: “At that statement his face fell, and he went away sad, for he had many possessions.” The young man has not yet “got it!” He doesn’t have that Faith/Knowledge/Love of Jesus that enable him to say, “yes.”

The young man still believes that in some way he needs his possessions to be happy. He still believes that he requires something other than a relationship with Jesus to have life. This is the great issue, Faith. The young man does not completely say, No, to Jesus, but rather want to qualify his, yes. This is the lukewarm faith that Scripture warns us of. We must daily ask the Lord Jesus to increase our gift of Faith, so that we might make of ourselves a complete gift to Him.

See you in Church!

Love & Prayers,
Fr. John

SANCTUARY LIGHT SIGN UP FOR 2013

If you would like to have your loved ones honored or remembered in a special way—sign up for the Sanctuary Light candle. \$15.00 for one week, and you may have several names on the week you select. Sign-up will begin this weekend, October 6 & 7, at the Religious Items counter in the church annex. Thank you for your support.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARITY GOLF

The 9th annual Knights of Columbus Charity Golf Event will be today, Sunday, October 14, at Indian Oaks, 7574 Lee Lane in Peeltown, TX. Registration and lunch begins at 11:30 am. Shotgun start at 1:00 pm. This year’s event will fund scholarships. Four person scramble \$65 each includes golf, lunch and two mulligans. Raffle, food and fun for all. You don’t have to golf to participate. Tee and food sponsors, raffle prizes and donations are still needed. Call Brad Cepak, 214-538-9910

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

Sunday, October 14

- 8:30-10:30 am** Religious Education Classes
8:45-10:45 am RCIA Sessions begin/Room 102 Compound
8:30-10:45 am St. John Library open/Rm 106 Compound
11:30 am KC Charity Golf Event (see notice)
3:00 pm Baptisms/Church
5:00 pm Life Teen Mass and Life Night

Monday, October 15

- 7:00 pm** Grief Recovery Session/Room 102
7:15 pm Theology of the Body Study/Cafeteria
7:30 pm KC 4th Degree Meeting/KC

Tuesday, October 16

- Food for the Soul** for teens after the 6:30 am Mass
5:00-7:00 pm St. John Library open/Room 106 Compound
7-8:15 pm EDGE Night
7:00 pm Parables of Mark's Gospel/Room 103
7:00 pm Beginning Apologetics Class/Room 301

Wednesday, October 17

- Eucharistic Adoration after the 12:05 pm Mass until 5pm
6-8 pm Life Teen "Into the Deep"/Cafeteria
6:30-8:30 pm Religious Education Classes
7:30 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal/Church

Thursday, October 18

- 7:00 pm** Second Vatican Council Study/Cafeteria
7:00 pm That Man is You Session/Room 103

Saturday, October 20

- 7:00 am** That Man is You Session/Room 103
9 am-9 pm Epiphany Mission Fiesta (see notice)
3:30 pm Confessions/Church

World Mission Sunday, October 21

- 8 am-7 pm** Epiphany Mission Fiesta (see notice)
8:30 & 12:30 Safe Environment Training-Retraining/Rm 202
8:30-10:30 am Religious Education Classes
8:30-10:45 am St. John Library open/Rm 106 Compound
8:45-10:45 am RCIA Session/Room 102 Compound
5:00 pm Life Teen Mass and Life Night

HYMNS FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14

- Entrance: Praise to the Lord, the Almighty #536
Offertory: Here I Am, Lord #671
Communion: The Summons #687
Recessional: Two Fishermen #693

SANCTUARY ALTAR CANDLES THIS WEEK

The 6 candles flanking the sanctuary main altar for the week of October 13-19 are for the intentions of the Jeff Johnson family donated by Jeff & Joan Johnson.

COLLECTIONS FROM OCTOBER 6 & 7

St. John Church Support Collection	\$ 21,356.65
St. John Capital Improvements Collection	2,604.70
Epiphany Church Support Collection	641.41
Epiphany Building Fund Collection	343.00

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next Sunday, October 21, is World Mission Sunday. Catholics unite at Mass to recommit themselves to their vocation, through Baptism, to be missionaries. On this Sunday, we are called in a special way to be "missionaries of faith" through prayer and participation in the Eucharist, and by giving to the second collection. Why is this our responsibility? Because we are all missionaries for Christ. Please give generously next weekend.

EPIPHANY MISSION FIESTA

The Epiphany Mission Fiesta in Italy, TX, will be next weekend, October 20-21, from 9am to 9 pm on Saturday and 8 am to 7 pm on Sunday. Address: 434 S. Ward St. A Soccer Tournament will be held both days, along with food, games and entertainment, and a crowning of the fiesta queen. Raffle tickets are still available at the St. John business office. Great prizes include a riding lawnmower and an Apple IPAD. Please support our Epiphany Mission by buying raffle tickets and/or by attending their Fall Fiesta.

SECOND COLLECTION FOR CHRISTMAS TREES

Second collection this weekend is to purchase new Christmas trees to decorate the church for the Christmas season. Thank you!

SANCTUARY LIGHT THIS WEEK

The Sanctuary light is in memory of Lillie Galetka donated by Evelyn Patak for the week of October 13-19.

KC CHICKEN FRIED STEAK DINNER

The next KC Chicken Fried Steak Dinner will be on November 11. More details coming up—make plans now to attend!

ALTAR CARE FOR OCTOBER 20 & 27

Irene Kriska Nancy Valek

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

These people need our prayers: Louise Haba, Ivan Bohuslav, Charlie Honza, Frances Maliska, Bridgette Barak, Jeff Sladeczek, Christine Hanson, Hannah Rejcek, Helen Zmolek, Cameron Wolf, Meg Routh, Patsy Odlozil, Gloria, Jimmy and Danny Garcia, Ruperto Gomez, Ray Castillo, Ignacia DeLeon, Mark Strunc, Monsignor Frank Miller, Georgie Ann Nekuza, Lori Strunc, Ophelia Esparza, Richard Case, Mike Newhouse, Judy Huddle, Neal Harrison, Michael Holt, Adell Vrzalik, Edna Gonzalez, Martina Ortiz, Jose Luis Garcia, Juanita LeVay, Wade Gardner, Sandy and Tuff Wheeler, Anna Lee Weaver, Mary Hejny, Marion Haba, Tommy Slama, Janet Sumbler, Gina Hawkins, Wilma Zhanel, Ella Vrana, Helen Barak, Raymond and Johnny Fira, Connie Alvarez, Ray Savala, Betty Coker, Richard & Janie Mraz, Rose Sanchez, Alfred Martinez, Joe M., Stephanie and Matthew Escobar, Leo Rejcek, George Spaniel Sr., Glenda Eisenwine, Rick Sparkman, Theresa Kasowski, Sr. Genevieve and Frankie Prochaska, Margie Patak, Helen Matous, Millie Trojacek, Mildred Wickcliffe, Mary Ann & Johnnie Hajek, Joe and John Schleichach, Graciela and Rene Monreal, Steve and Bernard Betik, Edwin & Dorothy Langer, Brandi Schlottman, Frankie J. Patak, Ninfa Carrillo, Maria Manriquez, Lauren Moran, James Pustejovsky, Gary Kidder, Jerry Dolezal, Raul Partida

Study of the Second Vatican Council



Come learn what the council really said.

Come learn what the Holy Spirit is telling us in our age.

Six week study, Thursdays,
beginning Oct. 11
7:00 PM, Cafeteria

The Year of Faith

Theology of the Body Study “Into the Heart”

Come learn of the beauty of how God designed love into our very beings.

**Mondays, beginning Oct. 8
7:15 PM, Cafeteria**

Retreat for Adults

Friday night, Nov. 2 through lunch on Sunday, Nov. 4
The retreat will be held at Camp Hoblitzelle outside of Midlothian. This peaceful place will allow you to get away from the busyness of life and have the time to rest in the Lord.



Sign up today!

Contact Seth Wright at the Parish Office, 972-878-2834,
for more information.

Sign up now for the Retreat for Adults!

PARABLES OF MARK'S GOSPEL

A six series study and reflection on the parables in Mark's Gospel presented by Deacon Don Griffith is on Tuesday nights at 7:00 p.m. in Room 103 in the compound. See clearly how Jesus in the gospel nurtures the dreams of liberation for the common people. Did you know Jesus compares himself to a thief struggling to break into the house of a strong man? Bring your Bible.

THAT MAN IS YOU

The *That Man is You* men's program has once again begun on Thursdays, 7:00 pm, and Saturdays, 7:00 am, in Room 103 in the compound. This program is designed to teach Christian Catholic men how to live their lives in today's world. For info see: THATMANISYOU.ORG

BEGINNING APOLOGETICS

Beginning Apologetics sessions are on Tuesday nights, 7:00 pm, room 301 in the high school. Come learn more about and understand our Catholic faith and be able to explain it to others.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Learn more about the Church, come into the Church, receive missed sacraments, help those who want to be Catholic

Sunday mornings, 8:45-10:45 AM

Contact Seth Wright at the Parish Office for more information and to register, 972-878-2834.

Pope Benedict has asked the Church throughout the world to celebrate and renew our faith in the God who created us, loves us, and saved us. This Year of Faith begins on Oct. 11, the 50th anniversary of the opening of the Second Vatican Council and the 20th anniversary of the publication of the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Celebrate this Year of Faith by learning more about or by going deeper into the Faith.



YEAR OF FAITH²⁰¹²₂₀₁₃



Movie Event:

Saturday,
Oct. 27,
7PM

English:
room 103-104
Spanish
subtitles:

Safe Environment
Training and Retraining
will be held at 8:30 AM
and at 12:30 PM on Sun-
day, Oct. 21, in room 202-
204 in the school building.
If you need to be trained
or retrained, come to
either session.

NEPOMUCENE'S TEENS



Life Teen Fall Semester

Sunday 10/14 – Protect this
House

Sunday 10/21 – Filling the Gap

Sunday 10/28 – A Friend Indeed

Sunday 11/4 – FREE! A Night on
Religious Freedom

Tuesday Mornings at 6:30 – Food For
the Soul & Breakfast
(show up at Mass at 6:30)

Wednesday Evenings – 6-8 pm
“*Into The Deep*” meet in the Cafeteria,
attend Mass, & explores deeper levels
of the faith



Nepomucene's



Teens

EDGE Fall Semester

Tuesday 10/16 – Give It Away Now
-Service “Sheltering the Homeless”*

**We are asking all Edge students and families to bring items to edge to serve the homeless and needy. Items such as: blankets, clothing, toiletries, anything that would serve the fellow man and serve your neighbor. Edge students are asked to bring these items to October 16th's session, and we will make a donation to a local charity!*

Tuesday 10/23 – “Glow in the dark” – A social session

**-Like and follow “Nepomucene's Teens”
on Facebook and Twitter to stay updated!**



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TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**The following Men's and Women's teams took Christ
Renews His Parish to Immaculate Conception parish
in Corsicana:**

Men's Team:

Brad Evans—Lay Director
Jeremy Cole Ronnie Fira
Marvin Trojacek James Brazier
Scooter Holland Eddie Cervantes
Michael Kudrna Jason Watson
Jesse Rodriguez Dick Sanchez
Paul Robie John Waedekin
Eddie Martinez Ryan Waedekin

Women's Team:

Joni Keach—Lay Director
Christine Baker Judy Clayton
Sugar Glaspy Cheri Pollard
Barbara Kaman Joann McClelland
Cheryl O'Brien Rose Cooke
Lori Zajic Janie Alvarez
Nancy Martinek Heather Fira
Rachel Wood Vicky Williams
Susan Evans Stephanie Robie
Debbie Vitovsky Karen Waedekin
Sara Vitovsky Kim Brazier
Barbie Campos Barbara Zimmerman

Thank you to these teams for all of their work and for spreading the love of God to our neighbors at Immaculate Conception.

Let us all keep praying for the work that the Holy Spirit is doing through CRHP in Corsicana and in our own parish!



**2012 Bazaar Auction Winner
Supper at Pappadeaux's with Fr. John
Benny and Evelyn Zmolik,
Wesley and Annette Honza,
Adolph and Rose Marie Novy
It was delicious and fun!**

Thank you very much to El Mexicano Grill for so generously providing food for our teens on Tuesday mornings for Food for the Soul. The support is truly appreciated.

Please make a point to support businesses like El Mexicano that are run by parishioners and support our parish.