



MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7

6:30 am Georgie Hejny +
12:05 pm Helen Dlabaj + and
All Souls Novena +
6:30 pm Frank & Janie Patak +

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8

6:30 am Father John J. Dick Birthday
12:05 pm Chad Ryan + and
All Souls Novena +
6:30 pm(Spanish) Ysidro Castillo + and
For the Souls in Purgatory +

WED., NOV. 9—Dedication Lateran Basilica in Rome

6:30 am Duane Dolezalik +
12:05 pm Gladis Knotts-Reschke + and
All Souls Novena +

6:30 pm Mary Novak Pinkert +

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10—St. Leo the Great, Pope

6:30 am Ernest & Ann Haskovec ++
12:05 pm Gertrude Griffith + and
All Souls Novena

6:30 pm Spanish Cecelia Kucera +

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11—St. Martin of Tours

6:30 am Olin & Elnora Bowers ++ and
Louis A. & Lillian Slovak ++ and
For all Veterans, Living & Deceased
12:05 pm Agnes Prachyl + and
Marvin & Irene Martinek 50th Anniversary

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12—St. Josaphat, Bishop

5:00 pm Andy Blazek + and
Rudy, Emily and Gary Valek +++

33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, NOVEMBER 13

7:00 am Louis J. Slovacek + and
Maria Perla Cruz +
11:00am Helen Patak Birthday and
Bill/Mary/Jo Ellen Vitovsky +++
1:00 pm Roberto Carlos Ortiz + and
For Our Parish Community
5:00 pm Life Teen Mass
Winnie Whitfill + and
Carl Pelzel +

MASS INTENTIONS FOR EPIPHANY CHURCH

Sunday, November 6, 9:00 am Manuela Huerta +
Sunday, Nov. 13, 9:00 am Jake & Antonia Escamilla ++

SPONSOR OF WEEK: ED'S GARAGE



Dear Saint John and Epiphany Parishioners,

We, as Roman Catholics, begin this month of November, each year, with a very special Feast; the Solemnity of All Saints. On this day we ask all those who are Saints in Heaven, both declared and undeclared, to pray for us that we too might join them in their victory over sin and death. The victory that Jesus Christ, the Son of God, won for each of us by His suffering and death on the Cross, followed by His ultimate victory of Resurrection from the dead.

The following day, we celebrated the Feast of All Souls Day. This is the day when we pray for our dead who are being purified in Purgatory. Now, Blessed Pope John Paul II, said, "We feel bound by love to offer those brothers and sisters who have experienced the fragility proper to human existence the help of our vigilant prayer. May whatever residue of human weakness still remaining in them to delay their happy encounter with God be definitively wiped out." In other words, we still love our dead loved ones, parents, children, brother, sister and other, and we want by our prayers to finish helping them get to Heaven! So let's pray hard for them. We don't want them to have to wait any longer for the big party in the sky! It is time for them to enter the Heavenly Banquet!

In fact, the whole month of November is dedicated by the Church for prayers and suffrages for the souls in Purgatory. A plenary indulgence is granted and applicable to the souls in purgatory when we visit a cemetery and pray, if only mentally, for the dead from November 1 through November 8th. Also, a plenary indulgence which is applicable only to the souls in purgatory is granted the Christian faithful who devoutly visit a church or oratory on All Souls Day.

Let's not miss the opportunity to love our deceased family and friends by helping them to get to Heaven! What a wonderful way to show true love for someone.

See you in Church, or at the cemetery!

Love and Prayers,

Fr. John

Pastor

SANCTUARY LIGHTS THIS WEEK

Sanctuary light, south side, is in memory of James H. & Lovenia Harrison donated by David & Vanessa Perdue for the week of November 5-11.

Sanctuary light, north side, is in memory of Frank & Mary Dick.

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 6

Second collection for Capital Improvements Fund

- 8:30-10:30 am** Religious Education Classes
8:45-10:45 am RCIA Classes /Room 102 Compound
8:30-10:45 am St. John Library Open/Rm106 Compound
11:00 am KC Chicken Fried Steak Dinner/KC Hall
5:00 pm Life Teen Mass and Life Night

Monday, November 7

- 6-6:30 and 7:00 pm** Confession will be available
7:00 pm "The Mass" Class/Cafeteria
7:00 pm Catholic Daughters Meeting/KC

Tuesday, November 8

- 8:30 am** Golden Crusaders Social-Lunch-Meeting
5-7 pm SJ Library Open/Rm 106 Compound
6-6:30 and 7:00 pm Confession will be available
7:00 pm Pastoral Advisory Council Meeting/Conf.Room
7:00 pm Grief Recovery Program/Room 102

Wednesday, November 9

LT Food for the Soul & breakfast after 6:30 am Mass

- 6:30-8:30 pm** Religious Education Classes
6:30 pm Parenting Skills Class/Room 301
7:00 pm D-NITE in Cafeteria
7:30 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal/Church

Thursday, November 10

- 7:00-8:15 pm** EDGE Class
7:00 pm Financially Free Seminar/Room 101
7:00 pm *That Man is You!* Group/Room 103-104

Saturday, November 12

- 7:00 am** *That Man is You!* Group/Room 103-104
3:30 pm Confessions/Church

Sunday, November 13

- 8:30-10:30 am** Religious Education Classes
8:45-10:45 am RCIA Class/Room 102 Compound
8:30-10:45 am St. John Library Open/Rm106 Compound
11:00 am VFW Turkey Dinner @ VFW Hall
1:30 pm KJZT Society #16 Meeting/KJT Dining Rm
1:30 pm KJZT Juniors Meeting/KJT Dining Room
5:00 pm Life Teen Mass and Life Night

GOLDEN CRUSADERS MEETING

St. John Golden Crusaders will have their Thanksgiving meal on Tuesday, November 8. Games begin at 8:30 am and the lunch at 11:30 am. Turkeys, dressing, sweet potatoes and cranberry sauce were assigned to volunteers. Everyone else bring according to last name: A-N side dishes O-Z desserts

K.J.Z.T. SOCIETY #16 MEETING

KJZT Society #16 will hold their last meeting of the year on Sunday, November 13, at 1:30 pm in the KJT dining room. There will be the election of officers and plans will be made for next year's activities. After the meeting, the Junior group will join them for a pizza lunch and door prizes will be given. All members are invited and encouraged to attend.

KJZT JUNIORS MEETING

The KJZT Juniors will have a joint meeting with the adult society on Sunday, November 13. They will all enjoy pizza and refreshments. The meeting will begin at 1:30 pm. Please plan to attend. Crafts will be made at this meeting.

CDA NOVEMBER MEETING

Catholic Daughters will meet on Monday, November 7, at 7:00 pm at the KC dining room. Each November the Court's service project is feeding the hungry, and members are asked to bring canned food items for Helping Hands. All members are urged to attend as plans will be made for the Thanksgiving Bake Sale and the annual Sheltered Workshop Christmas Party. Any Catholic woman, age 18 and older, interested in CDA is invited to attend.

HYMNS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6

791 For All the Saints 616 Eye Has Not Seen
822 I Am the Bread of Life 613 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

KC CHICKEN FRIED STEAK DINNER TODAY

Chicken Fried Steak Dinner with all the trimmings will be held today, Sunday, November 6, at the KC hall in Ennis. Dinner starts at 11:00 am, and drinks and dessert included. All plates \$8.00—eat there or take out. Sponsored by the 4th Degree Knights of Columbus. Bring the whole family!!

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for: Gertrude Langley, Gloria J. Haba, Johnny Garcia, Danita Canty, Betty Cloonen, Jerry Dlabaj, Jose Victorino, Hannah Rejcek, Ken Joncas, Rosie Mach, Mario Cedillo, Ruphine Patak, Tony Ingargiola, James Saylor, Inez Fira, Louisa Tovar, Edwin & Dorothy Langer, Ashton Weaver, Martina Ortiz, Gene Marusak, Lisa Marklund, Mireya Ross, Anna Rosales, Lauren Moran, Betty Rhodes, Senaida Arreola, Christian Marente, Helen Matous, James Pustejovsky, Elizabeth Holland, Robert Martinez Sr., Olga Patak, Alfred Martinez, Vulela Escobar, Raymond Bobalik, Catherine McClelland, Thelma Collinsworth, Jenna Rejcek, Rosa Sanchez, Patsy Blazek, Betty Rogala, Graciela & Ruben Monreal, Helen Zmolek, Robert Strunc, Gary Kidder, Viola and Evelyn Dlabaj, Domingo Galban, Jerry Dolezal, Tony Alvarez, Josie, Ray & Cynthia Castillo, Steve Betik, Earlene Slovak, Raul Partida, Bernard Betik

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, FATHER JOHN!

Father John's birthday is Tuesday, November 8. Let's all wish him a great birthday and keep him in our prayers.

Thank you for being our pastor, Father John. May God continue to bless you and the Holy Spirit guide you. Happy birthday from your flock!

COLLECTIONS FOR OCTOBER 29 & 30

St. John Church Support Collection	\$ 16,611.77
St. John Charity Collection	2,200.52
Epiphany Mission Collection	997.35

ST. JOSEPH CEMETERY RULES

Once again, people need to be reminded that no items are allowed on the ground on graves at St. Joseph Cemetery.

We are experiencing an overload of **glass** containers, toys, flowers, etc. which make maintenance of the grounds very difficult. Numerous **solar lights** are appearing, and they are also **forbidden**. If you put items on the ground, and especially glass containers, they **will** be picked up.

The caretaker has the right to do so, and he has to do

VETERANS CEREMONY



Your presence is requested at the 11th Annual Ellis County Veterans Ceremony on Saturday, November 12, at 10:00 am, Waxahachie Civic Center, Main Ballroom, I-35E at Highway 287. This year's ceremony will be held indoors, regardless of weather. Please bring your family and friends to join in honoring our veterans, past and present.

Brethren, do not be children in your thinking; be babes in evil, but in thinking be mature. *1 Corinthians 14:20*

Learn more about your Catholic Faith.



Guadalupe Radio Network

910 AM—English

850 AM—Spanish



Dish Network—261

DIRECTV—370

Charter Cable 246—English

124—Spanish

AT&T Uverse 562—English

3077—Spanish

For links to these and other great resources, go to our parish website and click on “More Resources” on the drop-down menu under “Let’s Learn” or go to

<http://www.stjohncc.net/lets-learn-more/more-resources>.

Always be prepared to make a defense to any one who calls you to account for the hope that is in you, yet do it with gentleness and reverence... *1 Peter 3:15*

That Man is You!

Thursdays at 7 PM
or Saturdays at 7 AM
Room 103-104

The Alass

Class
Mondays,
7:00 PM
Cafeteria

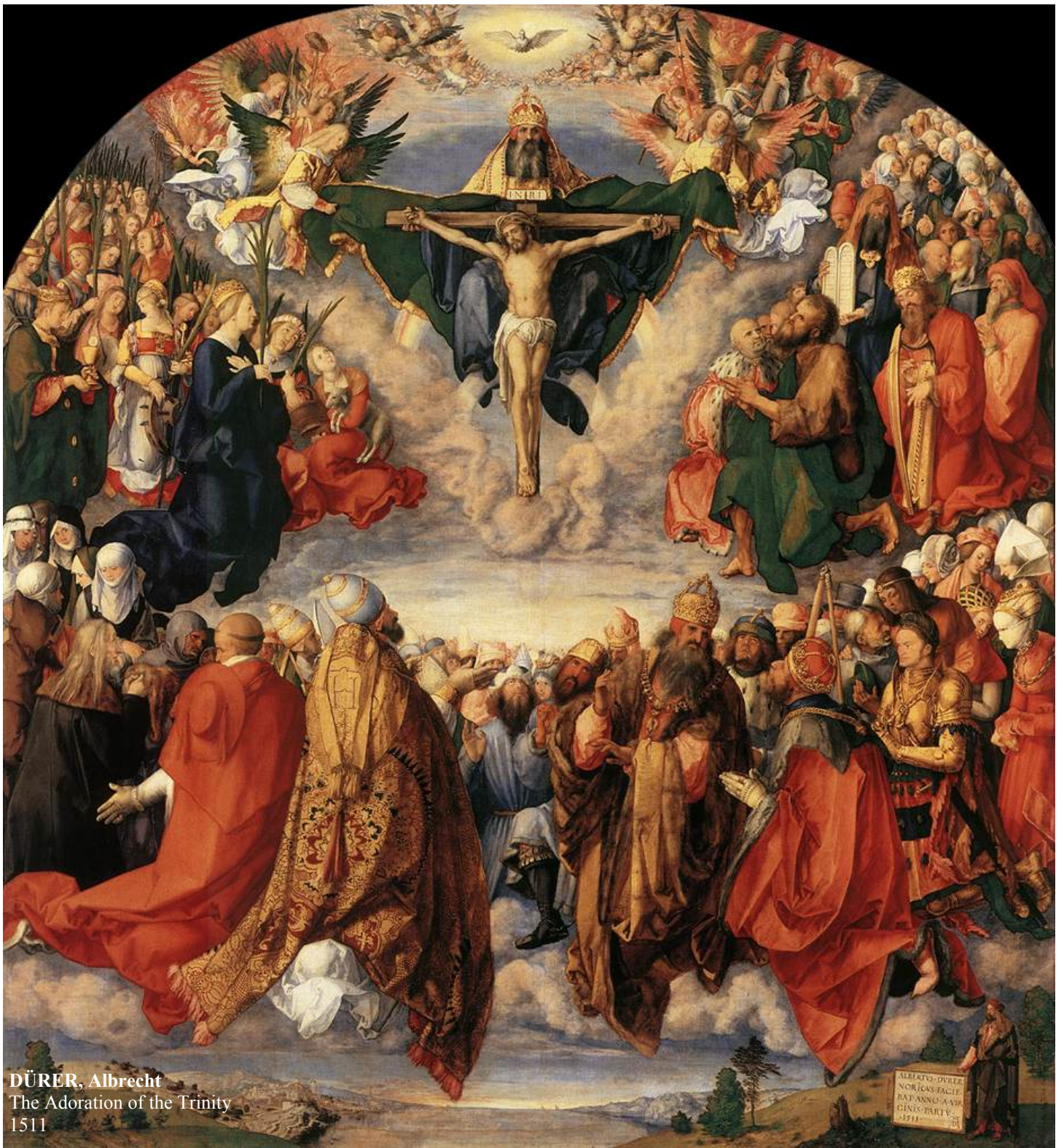
RCIA

Classes: Sundays
8:45-10:45 am
Room 102

Parenting Skills Class

Wednesdays,
6:30 PM, Room 301
7 Week course, cost \$15

Adult Education Opportunities



DÜRER, Albrecht
The Adoration of the Trinity
1511

Praise God with
all the Saints and
Angels at Mass!

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is He who comes in the Name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

See Isaiah 6: 3 and Luke 19:38.

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LIFE TEEN CALENDAR OF EVENTS

NOVEMBER 6- LIFE NIGHT 6:30PM

NOVEMBER 13- NO LIFE NIGHT

NOV 9-FOOD FOR THE SOUL-6:30AM MASS & A FREE BREAKFAST & D-NITE 7PM CAFETERIA



EDGE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

EDGE NIGHT NOVEMBER 3RD- 7PM-8:15PM IN THE CAFETERIA

EDGE NIGHT NOVEMBER 10TH- 7PM-8:15PM IN THE CAFETERIA

QUESTIONS? CALL JOEY 972-878-8336 OR JOEYS@STJOHNCC.NET

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

VFW TURKEY DINNER ON NOV. 13

Jack Lummus Memorial VFW Post 7106, and Ladies Auxiliary, at 3100 N. I-45 Service Road, Ennis, will host their annual Turkey Dinner next Sunday, November 13. Dinner from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm or food runs out. \$8 a plate, including dessert and drink. For faster service, there will be 2 lines this year, one for eat-in and one for takeout. Bring the whole family for a great home-cooked meal while helping our Veteran family too. May God bless our veterans for serving for our freedom, and those for supporting our veterans.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

The St. John Pastoral Advisory Council will meet on Tuesday, November 8, at 7:00 pm in the conference room. All members are urged to attend.

ALTAR SERVERS FOR WEEKEND LITURGIES

Saturday, November 12

5:00 pm Josh Zapletal/Tyler Dennie

Sunday, November 13

7:00 am Aaron Rejcek/Dylan Fisher

11:00 am Chris Trojacek/Grant Vrana

5:00 pm Life Teen Mass Joseph Baird/Matt Zajic

ADDITIONAL CONFESSION TIMES

Monday evening: 6:00 pm till 6:30 pm Mass

After Mass at 7:00 pm

Tuesday evening: 6:00 pm till 6:30 pm Mass

After Mass at 7:00 pm

These confessions will end if there is no one present for Confession.

ST. JOSEPH CEMETERY GATE TIMES

With the end of Daylight Savings Time, the timer on the gate at St. Joseph Cemetery has been changed so that the gate opens at 7:30 am each day and closes at 5:30 pm (soon it will be dark at 5:30 pm). If you are in the cemetery when the gate closes, please drive up slowly to the gate and stop at the line and wait for the gate to open.

GRIEF RECOVERY PROGRAM

The holidays can be difficult after losing a loved one. St. John Church and Boze Mitchell McKibbin Funeral Home are sponsoring an 8-week Grief Recovery Program conducted by Dolores McKibbin, a Certified Grief Recovery Specialist. The program is running every Tuesday until December 13, at 7:00 pm, in Room 102. Please let Dolores and Grief Recovery help you with the holidays ahead.