



Masses For The Week

MONDAY, NOV. 15—St. Albert the Great, Bishop/Doctor

6:30 am Louise M. Hrbacek +
12:05 pm Wesley & Bessie Lanicek +
6:30 pm Georgie A. Zabojnik +

TUES., NOV. 16—St. Margaret of Scotland & St. Gertrude

6:30 am Donnie Slovak +
12:05 pm Dorothy & Miles Strunc ++
6:30 pm (Spanish) Eduardo Carlos Ortiz +

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 17—St. Elizabeth of Hungary

6:30 am Willie & Mary Kriska ++
12:05 p.m. Raymond/Mary/Joe L/George/Theresa Sladeczek +

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

2:30 pm Mass at Claystone Nursing Home
6:30 pm Raquel Garcia +

THURS., NOV. 18—Dedication Basilicas of Peter & Paul

6:30 am Georgie Hejny + and
Stanley & Cecilie Liska ++

12:05 p.m. Louise Houston + and
Anna Dlabaj +

6:30 pm Spanish Oswaldo Enrique Raynal +

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19

6:30 a.m. John Barto +
12:05 pm Mary M. Zhanel + and
Joseph & Ann Neuhoff ++

SATURDAY, NOV. 20

5:00 pm Andy R. Blazek + and
Clem Rejeck +

CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21

7:30 am Leslie R. Zabojnik Sr. + and
Don Krysinski +
10:30 am John Paul Hajek + and
Rayford Novy +
1:00 pm Carolina Garcia + & Maria Alicia Gonzalez +
and For the St. John Parish Community
5:00 pm LIFE TEEN MASS (Life Night follows Mass)
Duane Dolezalik + and
Brodwynne Patak +

MASS INTENTIONS EPIPHANY MISSION, ITALY

Sunday, November 14, 9:30 am

Emil Jurik +

Sunday, November 21, 9:30 am

For the Epiphany Mission Community

SPONSOR OF WEEK: GLENN'S WAREHOUSE CARPET

*from the
Pastor's desk* 

Dear Saint John and Epiphany Parishioners,

Only this Sunday and one more to go in this Liturgical Year! Next Sunday is the last Sunday of Liturgical Year C and it is Christ the King Sunday. The Sunday after that is the First Sunday of Advent - the First Sunday of the New Liturgical Year, which will be Sunday Cycle A.

As we near the end of our Liturgical Year the Church invites us to meditate on the end times - that future coming of the Lord Jesus Christ at the final judgment, the end of the world. What a crazy thing it is to think about. However, our Lord tells us that we need to think about it very often. By thinking about and realizing the truth of the final judgment we help ourselves detach from this world and focus on the holiness that will get us to Heaven. If we stay focused on this world it is very difficult to live a good Catholic life.

Even the work we do to live each day takes on a very different meaning in light of our Catholic Faith and the end of this world. In our second reading this weekend, St. Paul places a great emphasis on how we are to work each day. He reminds us that our daily work life is our path to holiness and Heaven. It is through the work that we do each day that we are to help ourselves and others get to Heaven.

The Catholic while working each day should seek only the glory of God and the good of others. If we truly strive to do this everyday then our work becomes an instrument of our salvation and helps lead others to Christ. We should prepare for the coming of Christ at the end of time by sanctifying our daily work.

It is in our workplace that we are able to grow in charity, understanding, helpfulness, diligence and perseverance. By bringing grace into our lives through the Sacraments we are better able to cooperate with Christ in His redemptive work on earth. We should not let a day pass by that we are not aware of the great privilege we have in cooperating with God's plan for salvation, both for ourselves and others.

Keep up the good work!

Love and Prayers,

Father John

Pastor

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 14

- 8:45 am** RCIA Session/Rm 102 Compound
9:00 am Religious Education Classes
9:00-1:00 St. John Library Open/Rm 106 Compound
11:00 am VFW Turkey Dinner (see notice)
3:00 pm Baptisms/Church
5:00 pm Life Teen Mass and Life Night

Monday, November 15

- 6:30 am, 12:05 pm & 6:30 pm Masses (English)
7:00 pm Bible Study
6:00-8:00 pm SJ Rosary Guild Meet/Room 102 Compound
7:30 pm KC 4th Degree Meeting/KC

Tuesday, November 16

- Masses at 6:30 am, 12:05 pm(English) & 6:30 pm(Spanish)
5:00-7:00 pm SJ Parish Library Open/Compound
7:00 pm Grief Recovery Program/Room 102
7:00 pm Pastoral Advisory Committee Meeting/Conf. Rm

Wednesday, November 17

- 6:30 am Mass-** Teens "Food for the Soul" & free Breakfast
Masses: 6:30 am, 12:05 pm(&Adoration till 5 pm)&6:30 pm
2:30 pm Claystone Nursing Home Mass
7:00-8:15 pm Religious Education Classes
7:00-8:15 pm Life Teen D-Nite/Cafeteria
7:30 pm Adult Choir Practice/Church

Thursday, November 18

- 6:30 am, 12:05 pm(English) & 6:30 pm(Spanish) Masses
7:00 pm *That Man is You* Session/Cafeteria

Friday, November 19

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

Saturday, November 20

- 7:00 am** *That Man is You* Session
3:30 pm Confessions/Church

Christ the King Sunday, November 21

- Collection for Catholic Campaign for Human Development
8:45 am RCIA Session/Rm 102 Compound
9:00 am Religious Education Classes
9:00-1:00 St. John Library Open/Rm 106 Compound

ALTAR SERVERS FOR WEEKEND LITURGIES

November 20, Saturday

- 5:00 pm** Grant Vrana/Hardy Walker

November 21, Sunday

- 7:30 am** Tyler Novy/Dylan Fisher/Nate Allen
10:30 am Kenny Janousek/David Janousek/Tyler Gilmore
5pm Life Teen Mass Cooper Gillespie/Tyler Dennie/Dylan Honza

COLLECTIONS FOR NOVEMBER 6 & 7

St. John Church Support Collection	\$ 22,817.23
St. John Capital Improvements Fund Collection	3,955.88
Epiphany Mission Collection	628.50
Epiphany Mission Building Fund Collection	494.19

BAZAAR OUTCOME

Here are the figures from our recent 2010 Bazaar:

Net proceeds (income-expenses) **\$54,680**
45% down payment for insurance **(\$27,117)**

Remaining Proceeds for renovation after insurance: **\$27,563**

As of October 31, 2010, the bank account balance for the Bazaar account is: **\$68,485**

Thank you all for your dedication and hard work to make our parish Bazaar a success!

May God continue to bless you all and your families.



TURKEY DINNER AT VFW TODAY



Jack Lummus Post 7106 and the Ladies Auxiliary will host their annual **Turkey Dinner** at the Ennis Post today, November 14, starting at 11:00 am. Turkey with all the trimmings, including tea, coffee & dessert will be served. Adults \$7.00 and Children \$5.00. Eat there or take it home. The public is welcome!

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

These people need our prayers: Moses Zapata, Roy Fira Jr., Nolen Dockery, Leslie & Millie Trojacek, Norma Martinez, Maria Manriquez, Pete Cruz, Wanda Slovak, Helene Valek, Mary A. Garza, Ashton Weaver, Lillian Slovak, Hannah Rejcek, Ken & Dee Joncas, Olivia Widener, Tori and Myrna Mauricio, Helen Barak, Knox Nunnally, Helen Lacik Smith, Betty Zajic, Johnny Mensik, Josie, Debbie, Henry and Ray Castillo, James Pustejovsky, Gary Kidder, Tommy Rickman, Frankie Joe Patak, Sandra Horrell, Geri Melvin, Sr. Edna Gonzalez, Raul Partida, Steve Betik, Frances Kozlovsky, Betty Rogala, Tony Alvarez, Evelyn Dlabaj, Elizabeth Holland, Claudio Amador Jr. & Sr., Joe & Mary Patak, Ruphine Patak and Jerry Dolezal.

SANCTUARY LIGHTS THIS WEEK

Sanctuary light on the south side of sanctuary is in memory of Stanley & Cecilie Liska and all the Liska families donated by Jerry & Cecilie Holland for the week of November 13-19. Sanctuary light, north side, is in memory of Frank N. & Mary T. Dick (Fr. John and Frank's parents).

NEW PARISHIONER OR CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

GRIEF RECOVERY PROGRAM

If this is the first year since the death of a loved one or a divorce, the holidays may be difficult.

Since time does not heal emotional wounds, subsequent holiday times may be painful and awkward. Grief is the normal and natural reaction to loss. It is normal to worry that you won't be able to handle the pain of that first holiday season without him/her. Those feelings and fears represent a normal, healthy range of emotions about painful loss.

St. John Church and Boze Mitchell McKibbin Funeral Home are sponsoring an eight week Grief Recovery Program conducted by Dolores McKibbin, a Certified Grief Recovery Specialist, continuing Tuesday, **November 16, at 7:00 pm in Room 102** in the compound.

This program guides those who wish to resolve their loss issues and move beyond their grief. Please let Dolores and Grief Recovery help you to cope in the upcoming holidays.

EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS FOR PRIESTS

In the event of a real emergency, call Fr. John Dick, 903-624-6114, or Fr. Antonio Ormaza, 469-831-0607. For day to day questions or concerns, and to make appointments, please call the business office phone number, 972-878-2834 or 972-875-2834.

TV MASS FOR SHUT-INS

Heart of the Nation is now broadcasting the Catholic TV Mass in Dallas/Ft. Worth on KFWD-TV ch. 52, Sunday mornings at 9:00 a.m.

KFWD-TV is available over-the-air on digital TV channel 52 as well as on local cable and satellite services. Viewers should check cable and satellite listings to find the correct channel number for "KFWD".

Bishop Farrell is grateful to Heart of the Nation for providing this televised Mass for shut-ins, the physically challenged, sick and hospitalized and the incarcerated.

All who are involved in these ministries are asked to please share this information with those you serve.

For a free copy of the TV Mass Prayer Book, write to:

Heart of the Nation

1126 S. 70th St., Suite N601
Milwaukee, WI 53214

Or call: 1-800-430-0930

www.SundayTVMass.org

THE EDGE

The EDGE is an exciting program that meets the needs of Junior High youth through games, skits, music, and much *more!* All 6th, 7th & 8th graders are welcome. Sundays, 9:00-10:15 am in the Cafeteria. Any questions or comments, contact: **Joey Scancelli(972) 878-8336** joeys@stjohnncc.net Or Joe & Sheila Galetka at 972-935-5686

FUND FOR CHAPA FAMILY

Naomi and Rolando Chapa and their children lost their home and all their possessions in the tornado in Rice. A fund has been set up at Ennis State Bank to help them rebuild their lives. Donations can be given at the bank, or mailed to Chapa Family Emergency Fund, Ennis State Bank, P. O. Box 370, Ennis, TX 75120. You can also call the Chapas at 214-770-5871 or 972-841-6094. Thank you!

ROSARY GUILD MEETING

St. John Rosary Guild will meet on Monday, November 15, from 6:00-8:00 pm in Room 102 in the compound. Please join them in providing Mission rosaries to our Faith Formation children, the CRHP participants, and foreign ministries.

It is fun and you can meet some wonderful people while providing a needed service in our parish. Any Confirmation student can earn service hours by helping in this ministry.

Come any time between 6:00 & 8:00 pm. If you have any questions, please call Cheryl at 469-337-3497.

"THAT MAN IS YOU" PROGRAM

"That Man is You" is a 26 week interactive, multimedia men's program divided into two 13 week "semesters". The Fall semester is dedicated to developing a vision of man fully alive while the Spring semester is dedicated to becoming "that man".

"That Man is You" is transforming men, families and society as it presents the vision of man fully alive! Combining the teachings of the Church and wisdom of the saints with the best research from modern science in an interactive, multimedia format, "That Man is You" puts this vision within the grasp of every man.

The program can transform marriages and family life. Grateful wives are one of the most obvious fruits of the program.

Modern men struggle with issues including balancing demands of work and family, finances and chastity. The program has a forthright approach to these issues to help resolve them.

The program is successful in helping men to activate their faith. The expression of spiritual awakening is most frequently made by an increased participation in parish life and ministry.

Call Seth Wright at the office for more information, 972-878-2834.

That Man is You website: <http://www.paradisusdei.org/tmy/>

REMINDER TO PARISH GROUPS

If your parish group meets anywhere on St. John property, you must fill out the Facilities Use Request form. Forms are available in the annex and at the parish business office.

CHURCH SUPPORT ENVELOPES

The mail-out list from the church support envelope company was not updated for the next batch of envelopes. Therefore, if you are newly registered, or if you recently changed your address, it will not be in effect until the next batch. If you want more generic envelopes to "make do" please call the office, 972-878-2834. Or use a blank envelope for your donation and write your name on it.

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Next weekend the second collection will be for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. This collection helps to alleviate poverty in communities in our country at its roots. The Campaign helps to break the cycle of poverty. CCHD has helped attain fair wages for jobs, created more just terms for payday loans, improved health care in poor areas—just a few of the many works of the Campaign. Fight poverty in America. Defend Human Dignity. Support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Please be generous for the collection next weekend.

Give a
Birthday present to
Jesus for His house
this Christmas!

The three Kings brought gifts to Jesus, recognizing that the birth of the Savior outweighed their own wants. They gave of what they had for Him.

Jesus is the precious gift that the Father gave to us. Let us remember Him this Christmas season instead of turning it into what the world would have it be.



BASSANO, Jacopo
Adoration of the Magi
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Donate the money for the purchase of
cushions for the pews in our church.

Donate a cushion in memory of someone.

All donations and memorials
will be listed in the bulletin during the
Christmas season.

\$172 for a cushion to cover half a pew

\$344 for cushions to cover an entire pew

JOEY TEEN



Life Teen Calendar

NOV. 14TH—3:00-5:00 PM SUPER SUNDAY,
5:00 PM MASS & LIFE NIGHT
NOV. 21ST—MASS & LIFE NIGHT
NOV. 28—NO LIFE TEEN MASS OR LIFE NIGHT



FOOD FOR THE JOURNEY

ALL TEENS ARE WELCOME TO COME TO
6:30AM MASS ON WEDNESDAY
FOLLOWED BY A FREE BREAKFAST!



D-Nites

Wednesday nights 7-8:15 pm in the Cafeteria
Next D-Nite Nov. 17
No D-Nite on Nov. 24

Questions? Call Joey 972-878-8336 or email: joeys@stjohncc.net

LIFE



TEEN

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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

At last, a powerful Catholic study just for you! Vatican II asked women to accept God's urgent call to "aid humanity in not failing". Based on Johnnette Benkovic's book, *Full of Grace*, this study will teach you how by revealing God's purpose and mission for you. In a group study format with video lectures by Johnnette Benkovic, host of *The Abundant Life*, you will delve into:

- **Prayer**
 - **Church documents and teachings**
 - **Lives of women saints**
- **Sacred Scripture**
 - **The Catechism**
 - **The example of our Blessed Mother**

You will be nurtured and fed spiritually, mentally, and emotionally. You will learn to embrace your gift of authentic femininity and your dignity as a daughter of God. You will be equipped to fulfill your call and mission as a woman of grace in the world today. You can find additional information about Women of Grace on their website:

www.womenofgrace.com

Study group will begin on: Tuesday, January 4, 2011
7:00-8:30 pm in Cafeteria

Weekly Meetings through May 17, 2011

ADVENT MISSION

From the heart of the deep South, steeped in Southern Baptist tradition, Michael Cumbie's call from God to preach came at age 14. At age 19, while attending college Michael experienced a life changing charismatic encounter with the Holy Spirit.

Dissatisfied with fundamentalist, evangelical preaching of the Gospel, Michael began to understand just exactly how the early church had worshiped with its signs and symbols—and focus on the Eucharist. Over time he realized that his quest for the fullness of Faith could only be realized in the Roman Catholic Church. In 2001 he and his family were received into the Catholic Church.

Michael Cumbie is an experienced speaker, musician and worship leader and will inspire us with his knowledge, wit and incredible sense of humor. He will speak at St. John's for our Advent Mission at 7:00 pm on November 29 & 30, & December 1.