

Mass Intentions for week of November 16

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17**—St. Elizabeth of Hungary

NO 6:30 a.m. Mass today  
 12:05 p.m. Frank & Jay Felcman ++  
 6:30 p.m. Helen & Frank Dlabaj ++

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18**

6:30 a.m. Anastacia Correa + & Ernestine Santos +  
 12:05 p.m. Willie & Anna Dlabaj ++  
 6:30 p.m. Agustin, Socorro, & Moises Gonzalez +++

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19**

6:30 a.m. Joe McKibbin +  
 12:05 p.m. Bobby Prachyl +  
 2:30 p.m. Helene Valek (health) (Legends)  
 6:30 p.m. Louisa De Los Santos +

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20**

6:30 a.m. Jerry Dolezal + & Dolezal Family  
 12:05 p.m. George & Emily Novy ++

**NO 6:30 p.m. Mass**

7:00 p.m. Confirmandi (Confirmation Mass) English

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21** -Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30 a.m. Joe R. Laza + Anna B. Laza +  
 12:05 p.m. Bessie & Frank Faraizl ++

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22**— St. Cecilia

3:30 p.m. Confessions  
 5:00 p.m. Anton "Tony" Pavlicek +

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23, OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,  
 KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

7:00 a.m. Clem Rejcek +  
 11:00 a.m. Willie Trojacek +  
 1:00 p.m. For the Parish Community  
 5:00 p.m. Life Teen Mass Rex Spurgeon, Jr.

**MASSES FOR EPIPHANY CHURCH**

Sun. November 16, 9 am Feloteo Anaya  
 Sun. November 23, 9 am Juan Calderon +

**HYMNS FOR SUNDAY, November 16**

**Entrance:** Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven - 531  
**Offertory:** Christ, Be Our Light - 512  
**Communion:** Now In This Banquet - 825  
**Recessional:** I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light - 513

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK:** Boze Mitchell McKibbin Funeral Home

Letter from the Pastor

while in roma  
 2014

COLLECTIONS FOR NOVEMBER 8 & 9

Totals include Church Collection & Faith Direct

St. John Church Support Collection	\$17,691.95
Second Collection: Capital Improvements	\$880.96
Epiphany Church Support Collection	\$943.25

Benediction  
 Prayer & Praise

PRAYER  
 IS PUTTING ONESELF IN THE  
 HANDS  
 OF  
 GOD

Mother Teresa

Adore

Nov. 23rd - 7:00 pm - Church

**IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK**

**Sunday, November 16**

NO Religious Education Classes  
**8:30-10:30 am** Catechist Training / Cafeteria  
**9:00 am** RCIA / Room 101  
**1:30 pm** KJZT Society #16 Meeting/ KJT dining room  
**6:30 pm** Life Night

**Monday, November 17**

**6:00 pm** Confessions/ Church (No Confessions after Mass)  
**7:30 pm** KC 4th Degree meeting/ KC

**Tuesday, November 18**

**7:00 am** Food for the Soul Breakfast  
**5:30-6:30 pm** Confessions/ Church (No Confessions after Mass)  
**7:00 -8:15 pm** EDGE/ Cafeteria

**Wednesday, November 19**

**6:00 pm** Life Teen "Into the Deep"  
 NO Religious Education Classes  
**6:30-8:30 pm** Catechist Training / Rm 202-204  
**7:00 pm** Grief Recovery/ Library  
**7:30 pm** Adult Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, November 20**

**7:00 pm** RCIA / Room 101

**Friday, November 21**

**Saturday, November 22**  
**3:30 pm** Confessions/Church

**Sunday, November 23**

**8:30-10:30 am** Religious Education Classes  
**9:00 am** RCIA / Room 101  
**6:30 pm** Life Night

**ADORERS STILL NEEDED!**

Saturday 10 AM · Sunday 8 AM · Sunday 10 AM · Sunday 11 AM

**NEWS AND NOTEWORTHY**

**SHARING OUR BLESSINGS**

We accept clean clothes and shoes in the gym every Sunday after 7:00 am Mass until 1 pm. During this time anyone is welcome to take what they need free of charge.

**\* We are in BIG need of children's clothes—ALL SIZES! \***

**GRIEF RECOVERY GROUP**

8 - Week Grief Recovery Program conducted by Dolores McKibbin, Certified Grief Recovery Specialist, on Wednesdays in the Library at **6:00 pm**. For more information, please call Dolores McKibbin at 972-351-2849.

**CHICKEN FRIED STEAK DINNER**

Sunday, November 16 @ the KC Hall. Begins at 11:00 am. All plates are \$10 including carry out. Plates include all the trimmings, drink, and dessert. Sponsored by the 4th Degree KC's.

**CEMETERY HOURS**

Gates are open from 7:30 AM—5:30 PM

**RELIGIOUS ED NEEDS VOLUNTEERS**

Sunday classes are in need of:  
 4th grade teacher  
 2nd grade teacher  
 Adult Pre-K aid

**LIBRARY HOURS**

Our Church Library is in room 106 in the compound

The hours are:

Sundays—8:15 am —10:45 am  
 Tuesdays—6:30 pm—7:00 pm  
 Wednesdays—11:15 am—11:45 am

*Altar Society*  
*Christmas Raffle*

**\$50**

**Tickets are available at the Religious Counter after Mass**  
**\$1 each or 6 for \$5**

**Drawing will be held on December 7th after the 11 am Mass**

**PRIZES**

1. 12" Nativity Set
2. Rosary
3. \$50 Gift certificate to the Religious Store

**ST. JOHN CHURCH**

**Sanctuary Light : November 15—November 21**

In Memory: Billy Joe Kriska

By: Irene Kriska

**Altar Candles : November 15—November 21**

In Memory: Billy Kriska & Francis Joe Kriska

By: Irene Kriska

**FLOWERS BY THE TABERNACLE**

**November 15– November 21**

In Memory of Billy & Francis Joe Kriska by Irene Kriska

**November 8 - November 14** (Last week's arrangements)

In Memory of Brad Gunn, Brittany Whitfill, & Stanley Zabojsnik

**DIVINE PROVIDENCE HALL CHAPEL**

**Altar Candles: November 14—November 20**

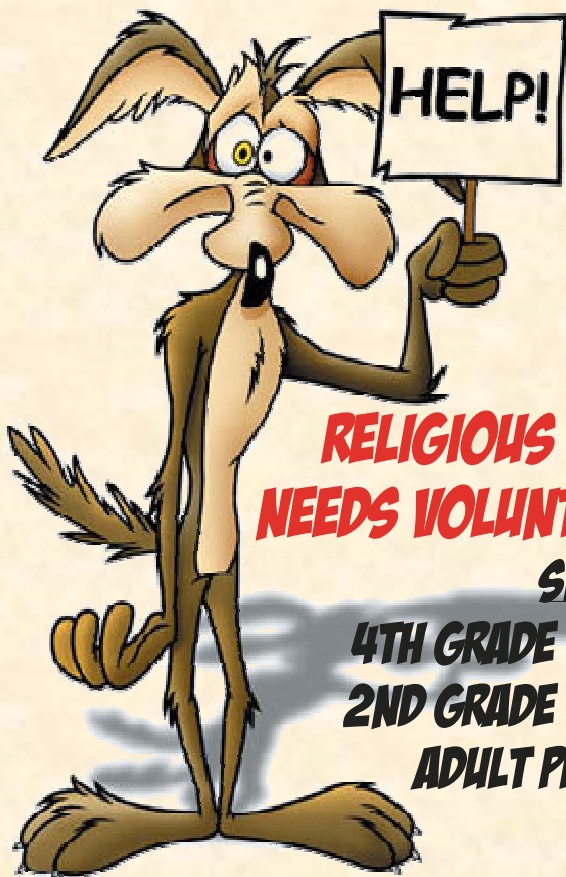
For: Health

By: Anonymous

**Flower Arrangements: November 14—November 20**

In Memory: Lorenzo Gallegos, Sylvia Baeza, Juan Reyes

By: Joanna Gallegos



**RELIGIOUS ED  
NEEDS VOLUNTEERS**

**SUNDAYS:  
4TH GRADE TEACHER  
2ND GRADE TEACHER  
ADULT PRE-K AID**



Sunday - 5-8:30 PM  
Tuesday - 6:30 Mass  
& Breakfast  
Wednesday - 6:30-8:30 PM

Tuesday nights  
7:00-8:15 PM



## A People Recognize Their Mother

- From 1524 until 1532, the Franciscan Friars only Baptized around 200,000 of the millions in Mexico.

### **1531—Our Lady appears to St. Juan Diego**

- By 1536, **5 million** had been Baptized.
- By 1548, **9 million** had been Baptized.
- The word of the power of Christ had spread so much that villagers would rush out to beg to be Baptized when missionaries first approached their village.
- This people who had seen and been subjected to so much horror recognized their salvation in Christ through the intercession of Our Blessed Mother.

See Warren H. Carroll, *Our Lady of Guadalupe and the Conquest of Darkness*, 107-110.

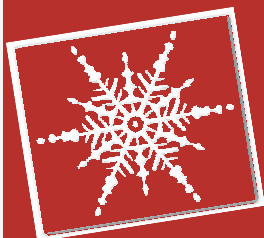
**Their Mother brings  
them to her Son.**



# Christmas



is coming!



## 2014 Christmas Play

December 3rd - 6:30 PM

At the KJT

## Breakfast with St. Nicholas

December 6th - 8:00 - 11:00 AM

St. John Cafeteria

Breakfast: \$5/person or \$25/family of 6 +  
Picture: \$7/ Picture (individual or family)



# Start your day off right...

## Morning Offering

O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings of this day for all the intentions of your Sacred Heart, in union with the holy sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world, in thanksgiving for your favors, in reparation for my sins, for the intentions of all my relatives and friends, and in particular for the intentions of the Holy Father. Amen.

## Act of Faith

O my God, I firmly believe that you are one God in three divine Persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; I believe that your divine Son became man and died for our sins, and that he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe these and all the truths that the holy Catholic Church teaches, because you have revealed them, who can neither deceive nor be deceived. Amen.

## Act of Hope

O my God, relying on your almighty power and infinite mercy and promises, I hope to obtain pardon for my sins, the help of your grace, and life everlasting, through the merits of Jesus Christ, my Lord and Redeemer. Amen.

## Act of Charity

O my God, I love you above all things, with my whole heart and soul, because you are all-good and worthy of all love. I love my neighbor as myself for the love of you. I forgive all who have injured me and ask pardon of all whom I have injured. Amen.

## Prayer to Keep the Presence of God

Lord, God Almighty, you have brought us safely to the beginning of this day. Defend us today by your mighty power, so that we may not fall into any sin, and that all our words may so proceed and all our thoughts and actions be so directed as to be always just in your sight. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Acceptance of Divine Will

May the most just, the most lovable, and the most high will of God be done, be fulfilled, be praised and exalted in all things forever. Amen.

## Prayer before a Day's Work

Direct, we beg you, O Lord, our actions by your holy inspirations, and grant that we may carry them out with your gracious assistance and that every prayer and work of ours may begin always with you, and through you be happily ended. Amen.

## Abandonment to God's Providence

My Lord and my God: into your hands I abandon the past and the present and the future, what is small and what is great, what amounts to a little and what amounts to a lot, things temporal and things eternal. Amen.

## Prayer for Vocations

Lord Jesus Christ, shepherd of souls, who called the apostles to be fishers of men, raise up new apostles in your holy Church. Teach them that to serve you is to reign: to possess you is to possess all things. Kindle in the hearts of our young people the fire of zeal for souls. Make them eager to spread your Kingdom upon earth. Grant them the courage to follow you, who are the Way, the Truth, and the Life; who live and reign for ever and ever. Amen.

## Prayer for the Pope

V. Let us pray for our Sovereign Pontiff Francis.  
R. The Lord preserve him and give him life, and make him blessed upon the earth, and deliver him not to the will of his enemies. Amen.

*Whether you pray one of these, some of these, all of these, or prayers of your own, it is important to start each day with God.*

*You may want to keep this page or cut some of them out and keep them handy.*

# Morning Prayers

## 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—11/30/14	Annie Fira Garcia—11/30/14	Leo Rejcek—11/ 23/14	Wesley Krajca—12/28/14
Helen / Bob Zmolek—12/7/14	Janie & Richard Mraz-11/30/14	Joe Gobeal—11/23/14	Pete Gutierrez—12/28/14
Georgie Ann Nekuza—12/7/14	Barbara Sample—11/30/14	Craig Sellars—11/23/14	Ginger Morales—12/28/14
Nathan Gunn—11/23/14	Ella Patak—11/23/14	Mildred Trojacek—12/28/14	Patti Youngblood—12/28/14
Sr. Genevieve Prochaska-11/30	Angie Fira Garza—11/30/14	Leo Rejcek—11/23/14	Lillian Bacak—12/28/14
Frank Prochaska—11/30	Bill Hejny—11/30/14	June & Dick Moody—12/28/14	
Sr. Redempta Bradley—11/30	Locadio Pesina—11/30/14	Angie Garza—11/30/14	
Nancy Blackburn—12/28/14	Sr. Edna Gonzalez—11/30/14	Annie Garcia—11/30/14	
Stephen Dolezalik—11/30/14	Louann Redick—12/28/14	Jill Liska—11/30/14	
Betty Jo Culpepper—12/28/14	Maria Socorro Herrera—11/2	Tammy LaScala Koch-11/30/14	
Alfred Martinez—11/9/14	Bob Henderson—12/28/14	John Sosa—11/30/14	
Betty Rogala—11/9/14	Ginger Monreal—11/9/14	Henry Vrana—12/7/14	
Ivan & Margaret Bohuslav— 11/30	Stanley J. Liska—11/16/14	Ben Eric Fira—12/7/14	
Margie Dvorak—12/7/14	Johnny/ Mary Ann Hajek-12/28	Mary Alice (Beva) Garza-12/7	
Mary Hejny—12/7/14	Edwin/Dorothy Langer-11/16	Domingo De Los Santos Jr -12/7	
Analiase Mahaley—12/28/14	Jean Nelson—11/16/14	Eleanora Pelzel—12/7/14	
Anna Galetka—12/28/14	Catherine Augusto—11/16/14	Patsy Zabochnik—12/28/14	
	Elaine Smith—11/16/14	Nancy Valek—12/28/14	