

MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK OF DECEMBER 17

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18

6:30 a.m. Joe & Helen Barak & Family
12:05 p.m. Arturo & Mariana Casanova ++
6:30 p.m. Symon Castillo +

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19

6:30 a.m. Frances Pleiner +
No 12:05 p.m. Mass due to waxing
No 6:30 p.m. Mass due to waxing

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20

No 6:30 a.m. Mass due to waxing
12:05 p.m. Neal Harrison +
No 6:30 p.m. Mass (Christmas play at the KJT Hall)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21

6:30 a.m. Dennis Kaman +
12:05 p.m. Duane & Stephen Dolezalik ++/ Anton & Effie Jurica ++
6:30 p.m. Salvador Espino +

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22

6:30 a.m. Charlie Tapia +
12:05 p.m. Richard Zhanel +

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23

3:30 p.m. Confessions
5:00 p.m. Mildred & Adolph Trojacek ++
7:00 p.m. **SPANISH MASS** Juan Felipe Arriaga +

DECEMBER 24, FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT

8:00 a.m. For the Parish Community
10:00 a.m. Emil Slovacek +

MASSES FOR EPIPHANY CHURCH

Sun. Dec. 17, 9 am Miguel & Carmen Palacios ++
Sun. Dec. 24, 9 am Karina, Humberto, & Jaime Arrellano +++

No Upper Room until



Praise Him!!

**Tuesday, January 2, 2018
7-8 pm in room 101**

Perpetual Adoration Chapel Open Hours

Sunday: 2 am, 4 am
Monday: 2 am, 3 am
Tuesday : 2 am, 3 am, 9 am
Wednesday: 1 am, 6 am, 9 am
Thursday: 2 pm
Friday: 12 am 8pm



THANK YOU FROM THE CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Thanks to our parish family for supporting CDA by purchasing baked goods at our bake sale and to our members who donated desserts, made a donation, and/or worked the tables. Your generosity will help out Court continue our "good" works.

SHELTERED WORKSHOP CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Catholic Daughters and the Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone who contributed to the success of the Sheltered Workshop Christmas Party. Thank you to our members who helped decorate, set up, clean up, brought food and desserts for the Christmas Buffet, cookies for the "cookie walk", the K of C Christmas Band, Santa's helpers who purchased gifts for the consumers, Gracie and Reese Zhanel for helping distribute stuffed animals to the consumers, Telico Fire Dept. for your help, and of course a big thank you for the visitor from the North Pole, Santa. With all of your help, generosity, and your true Spirit of Christmas this party for the consumers of the Sheltered Workshop was spectacular and successful.

COLLECTIONS FOR DECEMBER 9 & 10

Totals include Church Collection & Faith Direct

St. John Regular Collection	\$19,649.03
Second Collection: Retirement Fund for Religious	\$998.40
Immaculate Conception	\$1,550.34
Epiphany Regular Collection	\$1,145.00

Making a gift for the benefit of St. John Nepomucene Catholic Church after you are gone is a wonderful way to create a lasting legacy and ensure that the faith life you and your family have received will be there for generations to come.

For more information or to answer your questions about a possible gift, please phone or e-mail Dominic Tartaglia at the parish office or by email at dtartaglia@stjohnncc.net.



HYMNS FOR SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17

Entrance: Come, O Long-Expected Jesus 345
Offertory: Maranatha, Lord Messiah 324
Communion: O Come, O Come, Emmanuel 323
Recessional: Rejoice, the Lord Is King! 493

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK: Dr. Fredric Puckett PLLC (Comp of)

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 17

Sunday, December 17

Second Collection: Christmas Flowers
 KJZT SOCIETY #16 BAKE SALE
8:30-10:30 am Religious Ed/ Elementary
9:00 am RCIA/ Rm 101-102
6:30 pm Life Teen / Cafeteria

Monday, December 18

7-9 pm Confessions

Tuesday, December 19

6:30 am Food for the Soul / Church
 No Confessions
 No Upper Room

Wednesday, December 20

No Religious Ed/ Elementary
 No EDGE/Church
6:30 pm Christmas Play / KJT Hall
7:30 pm Adult Choir Practice/ Church

Thursday, December 21

Friday, December 22

Saturday, December 23—See Mass schedules!!

3:30 pm Confessions

Sunday, December 24—See Mass schedules

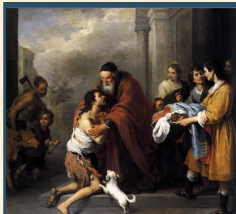
Second Collection: Christmas Collection
 NO Religious Ed/ Elementary
 NO RCIA/ Rm 101-102
 NO Life Teen / Cafeteria

NEWS AND NOTEWORTHY

ALTAR CANDLES

If you would like to reserve the 6 candles around the main altar in the sanctuary for your intentions or a loved one, living or deceased, for 1 week in 2018, stop by the religious counter after Mass to sign up. \$40 for 1 week.

Nepomucene's Men
 Spiritual Growth & Fellowship for Men
Monday, December 18th in Rm 101 @ 7 pm
 All males 18 and older are invited.
Topic: "Death, Judgement, Heaven and Hell"



RCIA
 Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
New group starting!

Sundays, beginning Jan. 7 from 9-10:30 AM in the Cafeteria
 Contact Seth Wright at the Parish Office for more details.

FORMED.org
 The Catholic Faith. On Demand.
 Register with access code: 6YQGKN

End of Year Giving

Consistent with Internal Revenue Service regulations, all year end gifts must be postmarked with a 2017 date to be recorded as a gift in 2017. The postmark on the envelope will determine what year the gift is recorded in. Examples for clarification are listed below:

- If we receive a gift with a check dated 12/31/2017 on 1/3/2018, but the postmark on the envelope reads 12/31/2017 (or earlier) then we will post the date of the gift as 12/31/2017.
- If we receive a gift with a check dated 12/31/2017, but the postmark of the envelope reads 1/1/2018 (or later) then it will be posted as a gift received in 2018.

We will also record all hand delivered gifts received at the office on **Dec. 31, 2017 by noon** as a 2017 gift.

Children's Christmas Play
Wednesday,
December 20th

6:30 pm
at the KJT Hall
Practice Times:
December 17th 3:30-5pm
@ the Cafeteria



Visit the Altar Society's Religious Articles shop. We have many items that make great gifts. A selection of Advent and Christmas items are available. Many items are \$1-\$5. It is open after each weekend mass and is located at the side entrance of the church.



ST. JOHN CHURCH

Sanctuary Light : December 16 - December 22
 In Memory: Frances Kozlovsky
 By: Rose & David Cooke

Altar Candles : December 16 - December 22
 For: Intentions John & Agnes/Joe & Annie Vrana Families
 By: Bernice Rejcek

DIVINE PROVIDENCE HALL CHAPEL

Altar Candles: December 15 - December 21
 In Honor: St. John Parishioners
 By: St. John Altar Society

Breakfast with St. Nicholas



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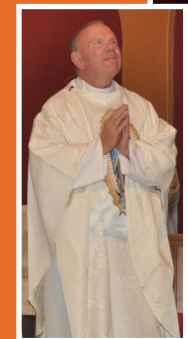
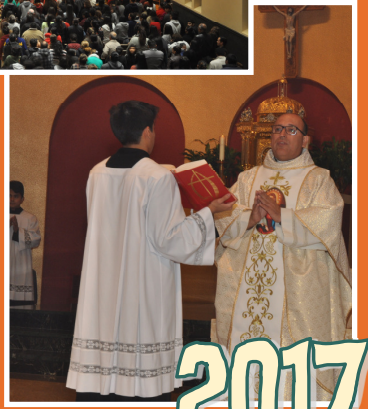


Mary, Our Mother

*Invites us all to celebrate the
Solemnity of Mary,
The Holy Mother Of God
and 2018!*

**Party begins after 8:30 pm Mass
on New Year's Eve & ends at Midnight
Fun for the whole family– Food, Music, Games
\$10/person suggested donation at the door.**

OUR LADY



OF GUADALUPE

2017

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Jo Ann Dolezalik—12/24/17	Gloria Garcia—10/29/17	Ella Spaniel—10/22/17	Mary Gertrude Langley-12/24
Georgie Ann Nekuza-11/26/17	Alcario Sanchez—11/26/17	Mary Sosa—10/22/17	Mary Trojacek—12/24/17
Sr. Genevieve Prochaska	Patricia Riley—10/15/17	Diana Martinez—1/14/18	Joan Trojacek—12/24/17
Sr. Redempta Bradley	Rose Cooke—11/26/17	Brandon Martinez - 11/5/17	Beth Johnson—12/31/17
Rachel Zmolik—1/14/18	Robert Parma—12/24/17	Pete Tysdal - 1/7/18	James Ray Slovak—12/31/17
Catherine Roberts—1/7/18	Richard Mraz—11/19/17	Pricila Elizondo - 11/12/17	Johnny Joe Lopez—1/7/18
David Trojacek—12/24/17	Jo Ann Manak—1/14/18	Rafael Casanova - 11/12/17	Chastity Lopez—1/7/18
Margie Dvorak—12/24/17	Caroline Spellman—1/7/18	Raymond Dlabaj - 11/12/17	Jeffrey Limon—1/14/18
Marguerite Patterson-1/14/18	Mary Trojacek—11/5/17	Dorothy Sonka - 11/12/17	Lupe Ramirez—1/14/18
Sherri Longoria—1/14/18	Joan Trojacek—11/5/17	Helen Barak - 11/19/17	Robert Trevino—1/14/18
Jennifer Wright—1/7/18	Tracy Toupal—1/7/18	Maille McDonald - 11/26/17	Paula Brownlee—1/14/18
Epi Garfias—12/31/17	Pauline Novy—12/31/17	Doug Cooke— 11/26/17	Tommy Nguyen—1/14/18
Paul Tolliver—12/31/17	Beth Johnson—10/8/17	Katherine Michno—11/26/17	Anayely Martinez—1/14/18
Melissa Patterson—1/14/18	Lillie Toth Cline -1/7/18	Hector Padilla—11/26/17	Larry Ureanovsky - 1/14/18
Alfred Martinez—11/26/17	Randy Willis—11/26/17	Vincent Ong, Jr.—1/7/18	
Jerry Zmolik - 12/24/17	Greg Wilborn—11/26/17	Trevor Daniel—1/7/18	
Marion Haba—12/24/17	Lynn Carter—10/22/17	Danielle Brown—1/7/18	
Ed Tysdale—1/7/18	Rick Parkinson—10/22/17	Chuck Pringle—12/3/173	
Lillian Barto—12/31/17	Sally Medlin—10/22/17	Dennis Rejcek—1/14/18	
Jerry & Janie Marusak-10/29/17	Joe Ben Macalik—10/22/17	Raul Monreal—12/24/17	