

MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK OF FEBRUARY 11

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12

NO 6:30 a.m. Mass today

12:05 p.m. Willy & Mary Kriska ++ and Alvin Kubin +

6:30 p.m. Joe & Helen Barak and Family

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

6:30 a.m. Mildred Trojacek & Frances Betik ++

12:05 p.m. Tyler Slovak +

6:30 p.m. Communion Service

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14—ASH WEDNESDAY

6:30 a.m. Joe & Helen Barak and Family

12:05 p.m. Danny Slovak +

5:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Word with Imposition of Ashes

7:30 p.m. NET USA (**Spanish Mass**)

THURSDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

6:30 a.m. Warren, Lester, Effie Mae, Beasley & Jerry

12:05 p.m. Henry Odlozil + & Mary Odlozil (anniversary)

6:30 p.m. EDGE Retreat

FRIDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16

6:30 a.m. Giuseppe Raspa +

12:05 p.m. Bill & Caroline Dudik ++

SATURDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17

3:30 p.m. **Confessions**

5:00 p.m. Tom Valek +

FEBRUARY 18, FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

7:00 a.m. Theresa Kasowski +

11:00 a.m. Frances Vinkler +

1:00 p.m. Poor Souls Novena

5:00 p.m. For the Parish Community

MASSES FOR EPIPHANY CHURCH

Sun. Feb. 11, 9 am Juan Melchor +

Sun. Feb. 18, 9 am Juan Espinoza +

HYMNS FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Entrance: The King of Glory 494

Offertory: Eye Has Not Seen 616

Communion: One Bread, One Body 813

Recessional: Lord, You Give the Great Commission 466

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK: Maliska Homes Inc.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH 10 AM - 4 PM



ONLY \$5 - stjohnncc.net/lifeteen

COLLECTIONS FOR FEBRUARY 3 & 4
Totals include Church Collection & Faith Direct

St. John Regular Collection	\$19,781.27
Second Collection: Capital Improvement	\$2,871.48
Epiphany Regular Collection	\$1,283.71
Second Collection: Building Fund	\$346.51

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.



CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 11

Sunday, February 11

Second Collection: None

Women's English CRHP Retreat ends

8:30-10:30 am Religious Ed/ Elementary**9:00 am** RCIA/ Cafeteria**6:30 pm** Life Teen / Cafeteria**Monday, February 12****5:30-6:30 pm** Confessions**7:00 pm** Pilgrimage meeting/ Room 102**Tuesday, February 13****6:30 am** Food for the Soul / Church

NO Confessions

7-8 pm Upper Room**Wednesday, February 14**—Ash Wednesday**1-2:30 pm** Women's Book Study/ Room 103

No Religious Ed

No EDGE / Church

No Adult Choir Practice

Thursday, February 15**6:30-8:30 pm** Choice Wine/ Room 102**Friday, February 16****7:00 pm** Stations of the Cross (English)**8:00 pm** Stations of the Cross (Spanish)**Saturday, February 17****10 am - 4 pm** EDGE Retreat / Compound Room 101/102**3:30 - 4:30 pm** Confessions**Sunday, February 18**

Second Collection: Bishop's Annual Appeal

8:30-10:30 am Religious Ed/ Elementary**9:00 am** RCIA/ Cafeteria**6:30 pm** Life Teen / Cafeteria

NEWS AND NOTEWORTHY

GOLDEN CRUSADER MEETING

Tuesday, Feb. 13th in the Cafeteria. If you are 55 or older, we want you to come & join us. We are having a pot luck lunch.

Members bring A-L: vegetable M-Z: dessert

Please wear your Mardi Gras hat and beads! Also, bring your wedding pictures for all to see in honor of St. Valentine's Day!

W.I.N.E (Women in the New Evangelization) Book Study

A new Lenten book study, featuring Walk in Her Sandals, Experiencing Christ's Passion Through the Eyes of Women will begin on Wednesday, February 14th at 1:00-2:30 PM, Room 103 in the Compound. We will finish at 2:30PM. The books are available from Amazon or catholicvineyard.com. If you have any questions, contact Nancy Gaines at 469-309-2578.

POOR SOULS NOVENA—February 18th—23rd

If you would like to have the name of a deceased loved one added to the Novena, please call the office (972-875-2834) or email us at joannag@stjohncc.net or marial@stjohncc.net. Donations may be sent in, dropped off, or put in the mailbox outside the office.

ASH WEDNESDAY

Masses & Ashes

Wednesday, February 14th

6:30 am - English Mass with Imposition of Ashes

12:05 pm - English Mass with Imposition of Ashes

5:00 pm - English Celebration of the Word with Imposition of Ashes

7:30 pm - Spanish Mass with Imposition of Ashes

PILGRIMAGE TO SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Initial meeting of interest: February 12 at 7 pm in room 102

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

Thursday: 2 pm

Friday: 12 am, 8pm



ST. JOHN CHURCH

Sanctuary Light : February 10 - February 16

In Memory: Frances & Joe Kudrna

By: Michael & Sharon Kudrna

Altar Candles : February 10 - February 16

In Memory: Deceased Altar Society Members

DIVINE PROVIDENCE HALL CHAPEL

Altar Candles: February 9 - February 15

In Honor: St. John Parishioners

By: St. John Altar Society

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Congratulations!

Marvin & Mary Ann Trojacek

At a Mass and ceremony at the Cathedral Shrine of the Virgin of Guadalupe, Bishop Burns bestowed the Bishop's Award for Service to the Church to the honorees for their outstanding service to the church.

The Bishop's Award for Service to the Church was inaugurated in 2012 to recognize the great work and true sacrifice made by lay men and women in the Diocese of Dallas. Recipients of this award are practicing Catholics, exemplary volunteers, and known for their public witness to the Catholic faith.

Each person receiving the Bishop's Award for Service to the Church accepts no compensation for their service, and is recommended by specific evidence of their virtuous good works. This award continues to be presented annually.



The Rite of Institution of Lectors

*"Take this book of holy Scripture
and be faithful in handing on the
Word of God, so that it may grow
strong in the hearts of his people."*

Congratulations!

John Waedekin



Lent

Journey to the Blessings of the Cross

Lent begins on February 14th!

Prayer, Fasting, and Almsgiving—get your appetites out of the way so God can work!

Laws of Fast and Abstinence

Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday by all those who have celebrated their 18th birthday and have not yet celebrated their 59th birthday. Fasting as explained by the U.S. bishops means partaking of only one full meal. Some food (not equaling another full meal) is permitted at breakfast and around midday or in the evening—depending on when a person chooses to eat the main or full meal.

Abstinence from meat is to be observed on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all Fridays of Lent by all who have celebrated their 14th birthday. Abstinence forbids the use of meat, but not of eggs, milk products, or condiments made of animal fat. Abstinence does not include meat juices and liquid foods made from meat. Thus, such foods as chicken broth, consommé, soups cooked or flavored with meat, meat gravies or sauces, as well as seasonings or condiments made from animal fat are not forbidden. (Clearly, soups with meat particles may not be served.) Also, it is permissible to use margarine or lard.

WHAT ABSTINENCE



NO MEAT
Mammals or Fowl



FISH IS OK

FASTING



1 Regular Meal

2 Smaller Meals

That together do not equal the regular meal in size



NO SNACKS



WHEN

FASTING AND ABSTINENCE

ABSTINENCE WHO

CATHOLICS 14+
ARE OBLIGED TO PRACTICE ABSTINENCE

CATHOLICS 18-58
ARE OBLIGED TO FAST

THOSE OUTSIDE THE AGE LIMITS

and those whose state in life (e.g. pregnant women, manual laborers, those who are ill) may be excused from the requirements of fasting and abstinence, but are encouraged to take up some other form of penitence or acts of charity or piety



St. John Nepomucene Parish Presents...

C.R.H.P.

Christ Renews His Parish

St. John Nepomucene presents a fantastic spiritual renewal program entitled “Christ Renews His Parish”. Separate men’s and women’s retreats are held each Fall and each Spring. This overnight retreat is designed to bring members of our Parish together in Christ.

Each weekend will include group activities and interaction, prayer and reflection on such subjects as Scripture, Eucharist, Christian Community, and Christian Awareness. The outcome of the weekend will be a deeper relationship with Christ and growth in your affiliation with the community of our Parish. All participants will spend the night right here at St. John Nepomucene.

The program is open to all parishioners, but space is limited. Reservations are on a ‘first come-first served’ basis, so you should respond quickly. Once you have registered, you will be contacted with the details before the retreat.

There is no charge for the retreat!!

Mail To
Seth Wright
St. John Nepomucene
401 E. Lampasas
Ennis, TX 75119
or email:
sethw@stjohnncc.net

Men’s Retreat Information:
Contact Seth Wright for the names and contact information of the appropriate members of the Men’s Retreat team

Women’s Retreat Information:
Contact Seth Wright for the names and contact information of appropriate members of the Women’s Retreat team

Please sign me up for (circle one) **TODAY’S DATE** _____

Women’s Retreat **February 10-11, 2018** Men’s Retreat **February 24 - 25, 2018**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Email Address: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Emergency Contact # _____

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Jo Ann Dolezalik—2/4/18	Rose Cooke—2/11/18	Robert Trevino—1/14/18	Maribel Laguna—2/18/18
Georgie Ann Nekuza-2/25/18	Robert Parma—12/24/17	Paula Brownlee—1/14/18	Greg Wilborne—2/25/18
Sr. Genevieve Prochaska	Richard Mraz—2/4/18	Tommy Nguyen—1/14/18	Randy Willis—2/25/18
Sr. Redempta Bradley	Jo Ann Manak—3/11/18	Anayely Martinez—2/25/18	Lynette Martinez—2/25/18
Rachel Zmolik—3/11/18	Caroline Spellman—2/11/18	Larry Ureanovsky - 1/14/18	David Perdue—2/25/18
Catherine Roberts—2/11/18	Mary Trojacek—2/4/18	Edward Parma - 1/21/18	Joe Barak, Jr.—2/25/18
David Trojacek—2/4/18	Joan Trojacek—2/4/18	Angelita Garza—1/21/18	Paula Saucedo—2/25/18
Margie Dvorak—2/18/18	Tracy Toupal—2/18/18	Jeanie Liska — 2/4/18	John Schleich—2/25/18
Marguerite Patterson-3/11/18	Pauline Novy—2/25/18	Mary Gertrude Langley - 2/4/18	Alfred Martinez—2/25/18
Sherri Longoria—3/11/18	Randy Willis—1/21/18	Saul Fira - 2/4/18	Eugene Peña—2/25/18
Jennifer Wright—2/11/18	Greg Wilborn—1/21/18	Angie F. Garza - 2/4/18	Joe Ben Macalik—3/11/18
Epi Garfias—2/25/17	Diana Martinez—3/11/18	Gonzalez Family—2/4/18	Stephanie Godwin—3/18/18
Paul Tolliver—2/25/18	Pete Tysdal - 2/11/18	Alma Fira - 2/4/18	Ronnie Deagen—3/18/18
Melissa Patterson—3/11/18	Trevor Daniel—2/18/18	Mona Langley - 2/11/18	Lynn Carter—3/18/18
Jerry Zmolik - 3/18/18	Danielle Brown—2/18/18	Teresa Jones—2/18/18	Amber Lyn Northcutt—3/18/18
Marion Haba—2/18/18	Dennis Rejcek—2/18/18	Robert Toth—2/18/18	
Ed Tysdale—2/11/18	Mary Gertrude Langley-2/25/18	Dorothy Sonka—2/18/18	
Lillian Barto—2/18/18	Mary Trojacek—3/18/18	Maria Arroyo—2/18/18	
Alcario Sanchez—2/11/18	Jeffrey Limon—1/14/18	Lorne Dulworth—2/18/18	
Patricia Riley—2/4/18	Lupe Ramirez—1/14/18	Hortensia O'Campo—2/18/18	