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# St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

November 21, 2021

34<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## Mass of Thanksgiving / Misa de Acción de Gracias

November 25 – 25 de noviembre, 25

11 AM (English / Inglés) & 12:30 PM (Spanish / Español)



Today is the Last Day to reserve a seat at the Parish Thanksgiving Dinner.

November 25, 12 – 3 PM

The sign-up sheet is on the parish bulletin board. Include your name and the number of guests.

Hoy es el último día para reservar un asiento en la cena parroquial de Acción de Gracias.

25 de noviembre, 12 – 3 PM

La hoja de registro está en el tablón de anuncios de la parroquia. Incluya su nombre y el número de invitados.



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### Advent 2021

Baby Clothes for Baby Jesus  
Preparing for the Christ Child in the  
Way we Prepare for our own Children

Please join with the children in Faith Formation and donate a gift of new infant clothing, size new born to 2 toddler.

Donations will benefit Fatherheart, a Home for Mothers in Lindale, Texas. Fatherheart is a safe place for an expectant mom to prepare for the birth of her unborn child; mend the past and move into the future with renewed hope. Learn more: [livingalternatives.org/fatherheart](http://livingalternatives.org/fatherheart).

Donations accepted November 28<sup>th</sup> through December 24<sup>th</sup>. Look for the "manger" as you walk into the church and leave your donation in the manger.

### Advent Schedule

Advent Penance Service – Dec. 14  
Immaculate Heart of Mary – Dec. 8  
Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast Day – Dec. 12  
Christmas Novena Begins – Dec. 16  
Volunteer Appreciation Dinner – Dec. 19  
Christmas Concert – Dec. 19

### Adviento 2021

Ropa de bebé para el Niño Jesús  
Preparándonos para el Niño Jesús en la  
forma en que nos preparamos para  
nuestros propios hijos

Únase a los niños en Formación en la fe y done un regalo de ropa nueva para bebés, tamaño recién nacido para 2 niños pequeños.

Las donaciones beneficiarán a Fatherheart, un hogar para madres en Lindale, Texas. Fatherheart es un lugar seguro para que una futura mamá se prepare para el nacimiento de su hijo por nacer; repara el pasado y avanza hacia el futuro con renovada esperanza. Obtenga más información: [livingalternatives.org/fatherheart](http://livingalternatives.org/fatherheart).

Se aceptan donaciones del 28 de noviembre al 24 de diciembre. Busque el "pesebre" al entrar a la iglesia y deje su donación en el pesebre.

### Calendario de Adviento

Servicio de Reconciliación – 14 dic.  
La Inmaculada Concepción – 8 dic.  
Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe – 12 dic.  
Comienza las Posadas – 16 dic.  
Cena de Agradecimiento de Voluntarios – 19 dic.  
Concierto de Navidad – 19 dic.

# Faith Formation for Children & Youth

## Formación de Fe para Niños y Jóvenes

**Dec. 14 – Advent Confession**

**14 dic. - Confesiones de Adviento**

Faith Formation classes **will not meet**  
on these dates:

Las clases de formación en la fe **no se**  
**reunirán** en estas fechas:

**November 23**

**23 de noviembre**

December 21 and 28

21 y 28 diciembre

March 15 and April 12, 2022

15 de marzo y 12 de abril

### **Confirmation & First Holy Communion Class**

### **Clase de Confirmación y Primera Comunión**

Class will meet on the 3rd Saturday  
each month from 10 am to 12 pm

La clase se reunirá el tercer sábado de  
cada mes de 10 am a 12 pm

Saturday, December 11

Sábado, 11 de diciembre

**Questions? Tina Denny**  
**817-821-8530**

**¿Preguntas? Tina Denny**  
**817-821-8530**

### **Cherish – December 4**

Cherish is a unique event for mothers and daughters (ages 12+) to learn more about the gift of femininity and the goodness of how our bodies are designed. This is a bilingual workshop featuring presentations by Catholic medical professionals who will provide an overview of a woman's cycle, discuss important information regarding fertility care, and address some of the issues young women may encounter with their cycles in adolescence. This is a wonderful opportunity for mothers and daughters to grow closer and learn together! This event will take place at St. Therese Catholic Church on December 4, 2021. For more information and to register please visit: [stphilipinstitute.org/events](https://stphilipinstitute.org/events).

### **Cherish – 4 de diciembre**

Cherish es un evento único para que madres e hijas aprendan más sobre el don de la feminidad y la bondad de cómo están diseñados nuestros cuerpos. Este taller presenta presentaciones bilingües de profesionales médicos católicos que brindarán una descripción general del ciclo de una mujer y discutirán información importante sobre el cuidado de la fertilidad y los problemas que las mujeres jóvenes pueden encontrar con sus ciclos en la adolescencia. ¡Esta es una oportunidad maravillosa para que madres e hijas se acerquen más y aprendan juntas! Este evento tomara lugar en St. Therese Catholic Church en Diciembre 4, 2021. Para mas informacion o registracion porfavor visite <https://stphilipinstitute.org/events/>

### **Christmas Flower Donations**

Honor your loved ones (deceased or living) this Christmas season by donating to the Christmas flowers that will adorn the sanctuary during Christmas. Make a donation on or before Sunday, December 19. Envelopes are available on the table in the hall. Drop in the collection basket or in the parish office.



## Parish Collections – Nov. 14, 2021

Combined Mass Total

Attendance:	316
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection:	\$ 1,966
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection – Building Fund:	\$ 893

**Food Sales for October 2021 \$ 1,280**

**Priest for Tomorrow as of 10-12-2021 \$ 11,323**

If you are unable to attend Mass, please consider mailing in your Sunday Offering and Building Fund donation to:

St. John the Evangelist

551 East FM 2795, Emory, TX 75440

## LOOKING AHEAD

NOV 22-26	School Break
NOV 25	Thanksgiving Day
NOV 28	Advent Begins
DEC 03	First Friday/Fish Fryday Dinner
DEC 08	Immaculate Conception (Holy Day)
DEC 12	Our Lady of Guadalupe Festival
DEC 12	Parish 8 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary
DEC 14	Advent Confessions
DEC 16	15 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of FV's Ordination
DEC 19	Christmas Concert (Sunday)
DEC 19	Volunteer Appreciation Dinner
DEC20-JAN3	School Break
DEC 21	Deacon's 8th Ordination Anniversary
DEC 24	Christmas Eve Vigil (Friday)
DEC 25	Christmas Day (Holyday) (Sat)
DEC 27	St. John Evangelist Feast Day (Mon)
JAN 01	Mary, Mother of God (Sat)

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## WORSHIP MINISTER SCHEDULE

**Sunday, Nov. 28 – 11:00 AM**

Readers: 1R. Sheila D. 2R. Sue C.

**Sunday, Dec. 05 – 11:00 AM**

Readers: 1R. Deb B. 2R. John C.

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† PLEASE PRAY / POR FAVOR, ORAR †

... for all who are sick, elderly, or alone. May God bless all caregivers / *para todos los enfermos, ancianos o solos. Que Dios bendiga a todos los cuidadores.*

Adam Blount (*Deb Boyd's son*)

Benny & Pat Deis

Al & Marilyn Doty

Sophie Downing

Nancy Edward

Maeanna (*Dusty*) Forette

Jim Hardy (*Dennis Wagner's cousin*)

Pat Holcomb

Holly & Gerry Koiro

Leo & Barbara Lyke

Jim Moreau

Jeannie Prendergast

Dale Vasil

Willie & Mary Villanueva

Carolyn West (*Debby Keenan's friend*)

... and for our military & first responder families / *Y para la familia de nuestros militares y primeros rescatistas.*

Michael E. Riordan (*son of Mark & Mary Riordan*)

Gary Robinson, Jr. (*son of Jeanette & Gary Robinson*)

Rene Espinosa (*son of Marcelino & Lupe Espinosa*)

Sergio Cadena (*grandson of Marcelino/Lupe Espinosa*)

Ruben Olvera (*nephew of Federico & Clara Aguilar*)

Preston Beverly (*grandson of Linda DeVore*)

## The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for the Month of November 2021

People Who Suffer from Depression. We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday:

11:00 AM English

12:30 PM Spanish

Tuesday: 6:30 PM

## CONFESSION

Before and after Mass and by appointment

## ADORATION

1<sup>ST</sup> Friday of each Month

**BAPTISM:** By appointment

**MARRIAGE & QUINCEAÑERAS:** Consult

Father Victor nine (9) months in advance

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## GET IN TOUCH

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By appointment until further notice call or  
msg 972-679-9330

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**SJEMembers Email Group**

To receive parish-specific news, prayer requests, bulletin, etc., inform the Parish Office of your email address.

# NOVEMBER THE MONTH OF ALL SOULS



## Outreach to Victims of Abuse

If you know or suspect that a minor or vulnerable adult is currently being abused or is in danger, immediately report it to state/local law enforcement or the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services at (800) 252-5400 or txabusehotline.org.

The Diocese of Tyler is committed to respecting the dignity of all persons and to helping anyone who may have been hurt or abused by a priest, deacon, religious, or anyone working in the name of the Church. Any current or past cases of abuse involving Church personnel should be reported to civil authorities and also to the victim assistance coordinator at (903) 266-2159 or vac@dioceseoftyler.org.