
St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

JANUARY 22, 2023

3RD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

“Repent, for the kingdom of Heaven is at hand.”

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday:

11:00 AM English

12:30 PM Spanish

Tuesday: 6:00 PM

Thursday: 8:00 AM

Friday: 8:00 AM except 1st Friday 6:00 PM

CONFESSION

CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

ADORATION

Every Friday 8:45 am – 6:00 pm

BAPTISM: Contact Church Office

MARRIAGE & QUINCEAÑERAS: Consult

Father Michael one (1) year in advance

QUINCEANERA CLASS, David Nino,

david_nino@verizon.net

469-964-5032

FAITH FORMATION & SACRAMENT

PREPARATION, Tina Denny,

denny1951@sbcglobal.net

817-821-8530 (Tuesdays 6:30PM)

SPANISH CHOIR, Minda Painter,

minda.painter@msn.com, 903-269-6987

ENGLISH CHOIR, Glenda Schill, 214-232-0520

RCIA, Curtis Asbill (903-474-4111), Deacon

Marcelino Espinosa; Thursday, 7pm

GET IN TOUCH

Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9am-1pm

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SJEMembers Email Group

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

SJE Website- stjohnmemory.org

SJE Facebook- www.facebook.com/stjohnmemory

Sunday's Gospel describes the beginning of Jesus' public ministry. In the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, and Luke (called the Synoptic Gospels), Jesus' public ministry begins after his baptism by John the Baptist. When Jesus returns from the desert, he hears that John has been arrested.

The Gospel concludes with a description of the ministry that Jesus begins in Galilee. Jesus inaugurates the Kingdom of God with his work. He teaches in the synagogue and preaches the kingdom. His ability to cure people's diseases and illness is a sign of the kingdom. In Jesus' ministry, we already begin to see the Kingdom of God among us.

FYI - THIS WEEK THE PARISH OFFICE IS OPEN TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY FROM 9AM – 1PM.

CHURCH FLOWERS

(Donation Envelopes in the Lobby)

Anyone who wishes to donate flowers for the Sanctuary for a remembrance, loved one or event, contact *Linda DeVore at 951-723-0076*. Cost is \$45 PER arrangement, payable to SJE Altar Society. Place order 1 week in advance. *Thank you to all who generously donate.* **FLOWERS FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 22 GIVEN BY DONATIONS.**

Group Name	Leader	Phone	Meeting Day/Time
Jovenes Adultos Para Cristo	Homero Aguilar	469-734-0045	Fridays 7:00pm Sunday 2:00pm
Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial	Juan Antonio Lopez Evelia Lopez	903-243-0208 903-975-3364	Sunday 11:00am
Youth Group	Jairus Aguilar Emmanuel Aguilar Sarahi Martinez	903-948-7185 903-617-7447 903-243-6351	Wednesday 6:30pm
Baptism Formation	Saul & Modesta Rodriguez Juan Tapia Dcn. Marcelino	972-748-4566 - -	2nd & 4th Sunday 2:00pm
Spanish Choir	Minda Painter	903-269-6987	Thursday 7:00pm
English Choir	Glenda Schill Paulette Puttonen	214-232-0520 972-285-1466	Wednesday 4:00pm
Quinceanera Formation	David Nino	469-964-5032	call
Faith Formation/Sacramental Preparation	Tina Denny Becky Wagner	817-821-8530 469-567-7314	Tuesday 6:30pm; Mass at 6pm
Knights of Columbus	Mark Riordan	559-285-0588	1st Wed 6:30pm officers; 2nd Mon 6:30pm dinner/ general meeting
Ladies Guild	Diane Eaton	903-850-8005	1st Wed 11:30am brown bag; meeting 12:00pm
Altar Society	Linda DeVore	951-723-0076	Friday 10am
RCIA	Curtis Asbill Dcn Marcelino	903-474-4111 903-474-4692	Thursday 7pm

MASS INTENTIONS / INTENCIONES DE MASA

Date	Day	Time	Intention
1/22/2023	Sunday	11:00am English 12:30pm Spanish	Pro Populo
1/24/2023	Tuesday	6:00pm English	
1/26/2023	Thursday	8:00am English	Frank & Margaret Radez deceased
1/27/2023	Friday	8:00am English	
1/29/2023	Sunday	11:00am English 12:30pm Spanish	Pro Populo Juan Pablo Angel Guerrero deceased

PRIEST FOR TOMORROW
update for St. John the Evangelist-Emory

Goal: (Meta)	\$100,000.00
Pledges: (Promesas)	\$141,962.00
Payments Received: (Pagos recibidos)	\$ 59,631.33 (42.0%)
Remaining Balance on Pledges:	\$ 82,330.67
(Balance) As of: November 30, 2022	(58.0%)

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

(Donation Envelopes in the Lobby)

Prayer shawls are available to anyone who is going through a challenging time due to illness, loss, life circumstances and **now Baptisms**. The shawls are made with love and provide comfort and support to the recipient. Each shawl is blessed by Father Michael and parishioners of St. John's. **To request a shawl for yourself, a family member or a friend or become part of the Prayer Shawl Ministry, please contact *Brenda DeVaney* at 518-307-3343 or bdevaney4@verizon.net. *Not funded by the Parish.***

LOOKING AHEAD

- JAN 22 SUNDAY FATHER MICHAEL RETURNS
POT LUCK LUNCH AFTER 1ST MASS
- JAN 23 PARISH OFFICE OPEN TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY FROM 9AM-1PM
- JAN 24, 26, 27 – BACK TO FULL MASS SCHEDULE: 6PM TUESDAY, 8AM THURSDAY,
8AM FRIDAY
- JAN 26 CATECHESIS AND COFFEE WITH FATHER MICHAEL 11AM
- JAN 27 KNIGHTS DINNER AND A MOVIE NIGHT, "LILIES OF THE FIELD", SIDNEY
POITIER, ENGLISH ONLY, 6:30PM DINNER, MOVIE FOLLOWING
- JAN 28 TEXAS FATIMA ROSARY, ST JOHN IN EMORY, 10AM



MIRANDO HACIA EL FUTURO

- JAN 22 DOMINGO VUELVE EL PADRE MICHAEL
 - JAN 23 OFICINA PARROQUIAL ABIERTA MARTES, MIÉRCOLES, VIERNES DE 9AM-1PM
 - JAN 24, 26, 27 – VOLVER A LA MISA COMPLETA HORARIO: 6PM MARTES, 8AM JUEVES,
8AM VIERNES
 - JAN 26 CATEQUESIS Y CAFÉ CON EL PADRE MICHAEL 11AM
 - JAN 27 CENA DE CABALLEROS Y NOCHE DE CINE, "LILIES OF THE FIELD", SIDNEY
POITIER, SOLO EN INGLÉS, CENA A LAS 6:30PM, LUEGO DE LA PELÍCULA
 - JAN 28 ROSARIO DE FÁTIMA DE TEXAS, SAN JUAN, EMORY, 10 AM
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Parish Collections – Jan 15, 2023

Combined Mass Total

Attendance:	296
1 st Collection:	\$ 2,337
2 nd Collection – Building Fund:	\$ 3,014
Food Sales for December 2022	\$ 0.00
Weekly Operating Expenses Dec 2022	\$ 2,538

KNIGHTS DINNER & A MOVIE NIGHT

Friday, January 27th at 6:30pm, Rooms 4&5
LANGUAGE: ENGLISH ONLY - NO SUBTITLES

Lilies of the Field is a 1963 American comedy drama film adapted by James Poe from the 1962 novel of the same name by William Edmund Barrett, and stars Sidney Poitier, Lilia Skala, Stanley Adams, and Dan Frazer. It tells the story of an itinerant worker who encounters a group of East German nuns, who believe he has been sent to them by God to build them a new chapel.

WORSHIP MINISTER SCHEDULE

Sunday, January 29 – 11:00 AM

Readers: 1R. Pat F. 2R. Leo H.

Sunday, February 5 – 11:00 AM

Readers: 1R. Alice K. 2R. Elyse P.

Sunday, February 12 – 11:00 AM

Readers: 1R. Sheila D. 2R. Lyn B.

POSTER ON THE BULLETIN BOARD

† PLEASE PRAY / POR FAVR, 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.*

Anne Caton (*Diana Saenz's neighbor*)
Benny & Pat Deis
Pedro & Pete Diaz (*Pete & his father*)
Nancy Edwards
Maeanna (Dusty) Forette
Jim Hardy (*Dennis Wagner's cousin*)
Pat Holcomb
Russell Silva
Louis Heflin (*Elizabeth Doros Friend*)
Bill Baldwin
Vivian Leopold

Holly & Gerry Koiro
Roy Lindsey (*Diana Saenz's father*)
Gaye McFarland (*Kathy Austin*)
Jim Moreau
Jeannie Prendergast
Mary Villanueva
Al Doty
Sadie Belliveau (*Debbie Stearns' Mother*)
Annette Riley Reagar (*Deb Keenan Friend*)
Edie Giglio
Robin Painter (*Minda Painter step-daughter*)

... 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 & Brook Robinson, Jr. - Navy (*son & DIL 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 - Marines (*grandson of Linda DeVore*)
Luis Garcia - Marines (*son of Luis & Aurora Garcia*)
David Mendez (*son of Vita Mendez*)



Prevent Abuse

The Diocese of Tyler is committed to provide help to anyone who may have been abused by a priest, deacon, religious, or anyone working in the name of the Church. Concerns about the conduct of Church personnel can be directed to the pastor or to the Promoter or Justice: Fr. John Gomez, at 903-266-2159 or at promoter@dioceseoftyler.org.
