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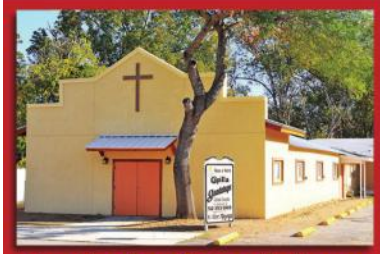

Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel

Capilla de Guadalupe

218 Roosevelt St.
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Founded 1883

FEBRUARY 11, 2018

Mass Schedule / *Horario de Misa*

Saturday / *Sábado*

5:00 pm	English	Church
5:00 pm	*Español*	OLG Chapel

Sunday / *Domingo*

7:30 am	English
9:30 am	*Español*
11:30 am	English
1:30 pm	*Español*

Tuesday - Friday / *Martes - Viernes*

12:05 pm English

First Friday / *Primer Viernes*

12:05 pm Luna Hall
followed by Expostion of the Blessed Sacrament until 7:00 pm

Confession / Confesión

Saturday / *Sábado*

4:00 pm and before or after daily Mass. or by appointment

Rev. Jairo Lopez, *Pastor*
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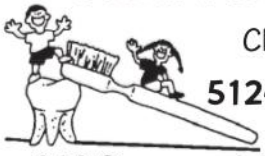

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Monday-Friday / *Lunes-Viernes*
9:00 am-12:00 pm and 1:00-6:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento

First Friday: Following 12:05 pm Mass Until 7:00 pm Benediction.

Communion for the Sick
Comunión para los Enfermos

Call the office. / *Llame la oficina.*

Marriage / *Matrimonio*
Quinceañeras

Call the office at least 6 months in advance. *Llame la oficina al menos 6 meses por adelantado.*

If you wish an Anointing of the Sick, or have an item to be Blessed, please ask the priest after any Mass.

A Word From Pope Francis

[Jesus says] he is the real instrument of the Father's mercy, who goes to encounter everyone, bringing consolation and salvation, and, in doing so, he manifests God's justice. The blind, the lame, the lepers, the deaf regain their dignity and are no longer excluded because of their disease.

—General Audience, September 7, 2016

The Courage to Heal

Leprosy was a highly contagious skin disease that led to certain death for anyone who caught it in Jesus' time. For good reason the Jewish law demanded that a leper live set apart and scream out as he walked along to keep everyone at a safe distance. Imagine the pitiful scene of everyone discreetly but purposefully moving away at the sound of someone screaming, "Unclean, unclean!"

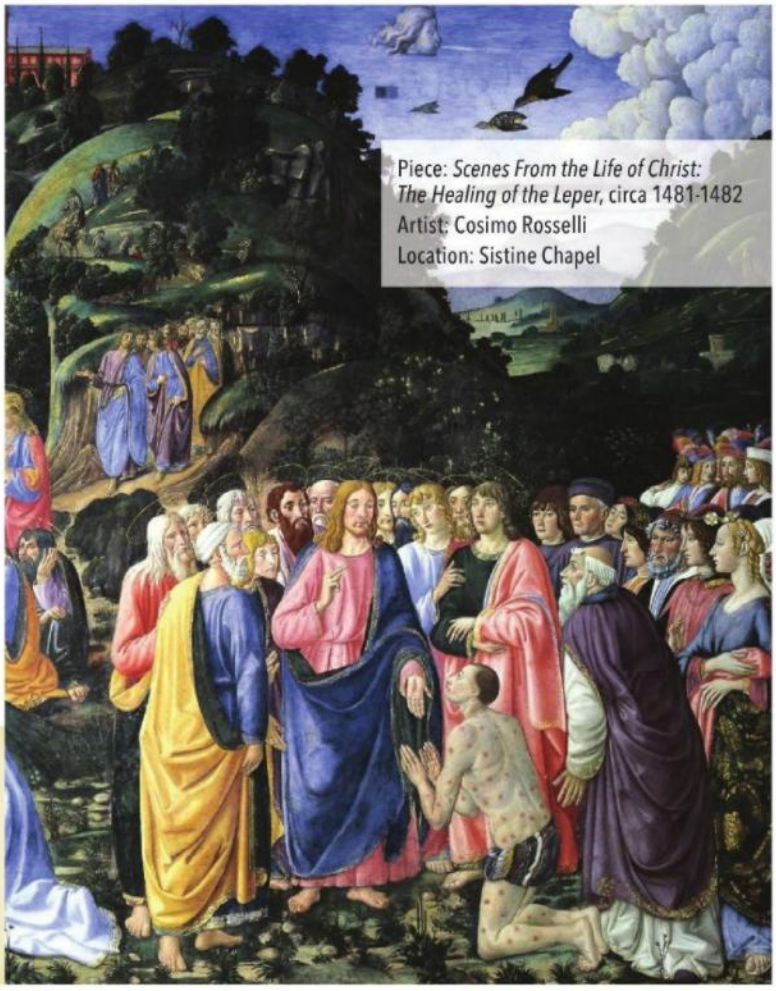
Yet the leper doesn't scream to keep Jesus away. He walks right up to our Lord and confesses his faith in Jesus' power to heal him of this incurable bacteria. He humbly admits his contagious illness and places himself before Jesus. And unlike anyone else might do, Jesus doesn't run away, he walks toward him. He does the unthinkable. He touches him!

We need not be ashamed of our deadly sin that eats away at our heart and cripples our ability to love. Go to Jesus, expose it to him, and let his loving touch transform you.

The terrible disease of leprosy was still a major problem well into the nineteenth century when St. Damian, a Belgian missionary, went to the Hawaiian Island of Molokai to serve as parish priest to all the lepers quarantined on that island. Not fearing to touch them, he cared for them for many years until, as expected, he contracted the disease and died of it.

This is what it means to be a Christian! Be like Jesus. Be not afraid of your wounds or those of others, no matter how repellent, and give of yourself to care for them.

—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC



Piece: *Scenes From the Life of Christ: The Healing of the Leper*, circa 1481-1482
Artist: Cosimo Rosselli
Location: Sistine Chapel

For Reflection

How at peace am I with my own wounds, sins, and imperfections?
Am I mature and free enough to ask for help and also reach out and help others in their moral or physical suffering?

"If you wish, you can make me clean."
...[Jesus] said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean."
(Mark 1:40–41)

Stewardship
a way of life

Weekly Collection For January 28, 2018:

St. John	10,542.50
OLG Chapel	942.00
Children's	217.60
We Share (On-Line Giving)	598.00
Total	$ 12,300.10
Weekly Budget	14,500.00
Variance / Short	(2,199.90)

Second Collection:

Liturgical Items - 3,385.50

The Second Collection next week is for:
La segunda colecta la proxima semana es por:
BUILDING FUND

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Stewardship Reflections

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Brothers and sisters, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God."
- 1 CORINTHIANS 10:31

Do a quick check of your priorities. Where does God rank in that list? If He's not first, you have some work to do. Putting God first in everything helps us from putting other "gods" (like our pride and ego, money and possessions to name a few) before God. Before making a decision, ask yourself I'm I doing this for the glory of God or for the glory of me?

6º domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

"Hermanos y hermanas, ya sea que coman o beban, o lo que sea que hagan, hagan todo para la gloria de Dios"
-1 CORINTIOS 10:31

Haga una revisión rápida de sus prioridades. ¿Dónde se ubica Dios en esa lista? Si Él no es el primero, tienes trabajo que hacer. Poner a Dios primero en todo nos ayuda a poner otros "dioses" (como nuestro orgullo y ego, dinero y posesiones, por nombrar algunos) ante Dios. Antes de tomar una decisión, pregúntate: ¿voy a hacerlo por la gloria de Dios o por la gloria mía?

MASS INTENTIONS

Due to unforeseen circumstances, a mass is subject to cancelation at a moment's notice the mass intentions will be reset accordingly.

Saturday - February 10

5:00 p.m.
† Crystal Castañeda
† Steven Castillo
† Norma Mc Clellan
† John & Lydia Soto
† Richard A. Natal

5:00 p.m. - OLG
† Martina Gomez
† Donna Duran
† Gertrude Godinez
† Jose S. & Julia Cruz
† Jose & Adeliada Mendez

Sunday - February 11

7:30 a.m.
Rosita Contreras, *Healing*
Angie Martinez, *69th Birthday Blessing*
Michelle Delgado
† Robert Gomez Sr.
† Brandon Gonzales
† Pedro Cabrera Jr.

9:30 a.m.
ALL PASHIONERS

11:30 a.m.
Flores Family
Paula Castillo, *Birthday Blessings*
† Greg Jones
† Beverly Tyler

1:30 p.m.
Livier Golden, *Birthday Blessings*
Francisco & Rosa Hurtado, *Anniversary Blessings*
† Angelino & Paula Tristan
† Candido Rodriguez
† Gloria Rodriguez

Monday - February 12

No Mass / No Communion Service

Tuesday - February 13

12:05 p.m.- *Luna Hall*
† Cesar Alvarez Sr.
† Manuela Ibarra

Wednesday - February 14

12:05 p.m.
† Briana Ledesma
† Ignacio Quintero

Thursday - February 15

12:05 p.m.- *Luna Hall*
Christian Miguel Urrutia
Noah Demetriadis, *Birthday Blessing*
† Reynaldo Reyna
† Jose & Maria Martinez

Friday - February 16

12:05 p.m.- *Luna Hall*
Hortencia Ofelia Santos, *Health*

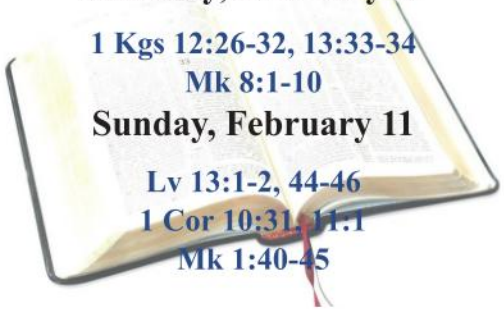
Scripture Readings

Saturday, February 10

1 Kgs 12:26-32, 13:33-34
Mk 8:1-10

Sunday, February 11

Lv 13:1-2, 44-46
1 Cor 10:31-11:1
Mk 1:40-45



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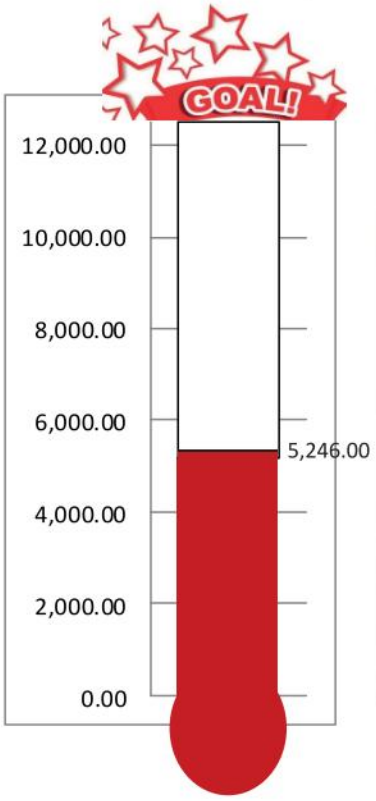

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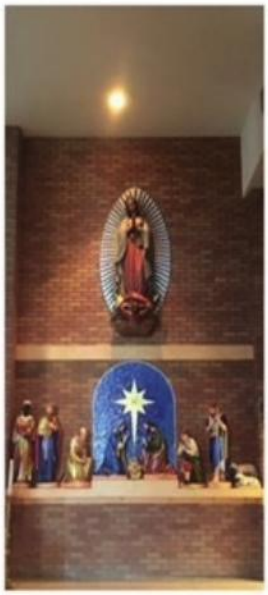
Please help us reach our goal!

Incandescent Light Bulb vs LED Light



Before

After

Church Lighting Project

We have been working on getting better lighting in the church and have been given a few bids. We are asking for those of you that can give towards this project will greatly be appreciated. We are hoping to save a lot on our electricity bill plus get better lighting in the church.

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All classes to meet in Claretian Hall unless it says "no classes" on the calendar below.

February

1 (Thurs.) Deadline for all paperwork for students receiving sacraments, including RCIC Baptisms.

March

11– 18 (Sun.– Sun.) No Classes/Spring Break.
25 - April 1 (Sun.– Sun.) No Classes/Holy Week.

April

7 (Sat.) Rehearsal for RCIC Mass (2nd-8th grade students receiving Baptism Breanna class), 9:00 a.m. Spanish 11:00 a.m. English.

8 (Sun.) RCIC Mass (2nd – 8th grade students receiving Baptism) at 9:30 a.m. Spanish or 11:30 a.m. English.

25 (Wed.) Confessions for First Holy Communion students, 5:00 p.m. in the Church.

27 (Fri.) Catechist Appreciation Dinner, 6:00 p.m. in Claretian Hall.

2017-2018 CALENDAR

ST. JOHN YOUTH MINISTRY

GRADES 9th - 12th

FEBRUARY

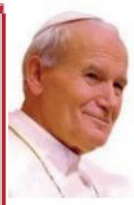
11 (Sun.)
Bake Sale after all Masses
18 (Sun.)
Meeting tonight

MARCH

4 (Sun.)
Meeting tonight
18 (Sun.)
Meeting tonight

APRIL

8 (Sun.)
Godstock
22 (Sun.)
Meeting tonight



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- BLESSED POPE JOHN PAUL II, THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY – Two Classes

1:00 PM to 5:30 PM

Sunday, February 25 and Sunday, March 4

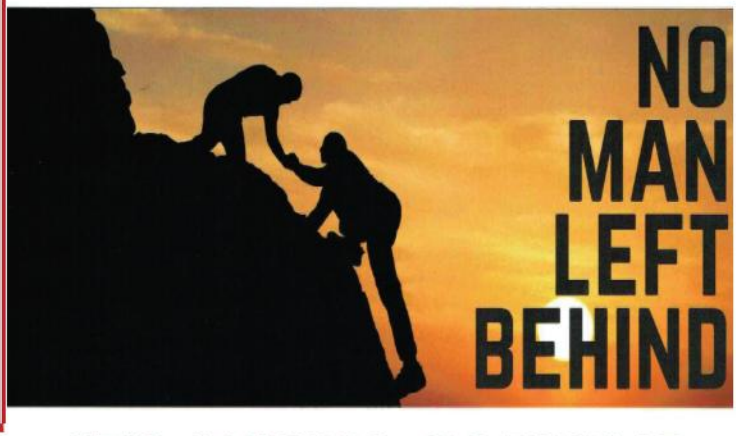
The focus is to bring parents and teens together.

All are welcome.

The class is free; workbooks are available but not required.

For more information, call Brian McAuliffe – 830-837-3964

or register at e-mail StJohnsLife@gmail.com



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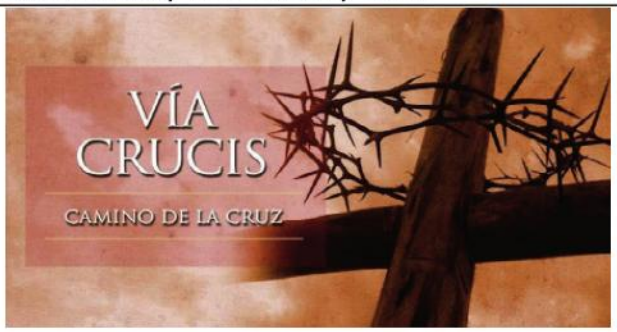

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Para mayor información te puedes comunicar con
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The St. Vincent de Paul Truck will be at St. John's: **Saturday, March 10th from 10 am to 1 pm.** Accepting furniture, clothing, household items, etc. No appliances or computer equipment please. These items are sold in the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store (Austin) and the proceeds used to assist the poor and needy to include those of San Marcos.

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February 14th.

6:00 a.m. Bilingual Service - Church
12:05 p.m. English Mass - Church
4:00 p.m. English Service - Church
4:00 p.m. *Spanish Service - Luna Hall*
5:30 p.m. *English Service - Church*
5:30 p.m. *Spanish Service - Guadalupe* Chapel
7:00 p.m. *Spanish Service - Luna Hall*
7:00 p.m. English Service - Church

Stations of the Cross / (Fridays)

February 16th, 23rd

March 2nd, 9th, 16th, & 23rd

Spanish will be at 6:30 p.m.

English will be at 7:30 p.m.

FISH FRY FRIDAY

February 16th, 23rd

March 2nd, 9th, 16th, & 23rd.

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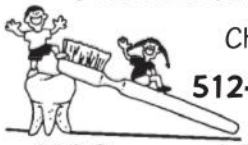
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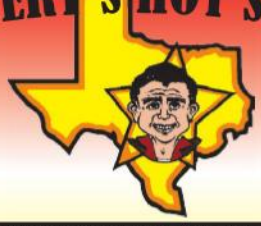
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