MASS SCHEDULE
HORARIO DE MISAS

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*

12:00 pm English

CONFESSION/*CONFESIÓN*

Saturday/*Sábado*

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

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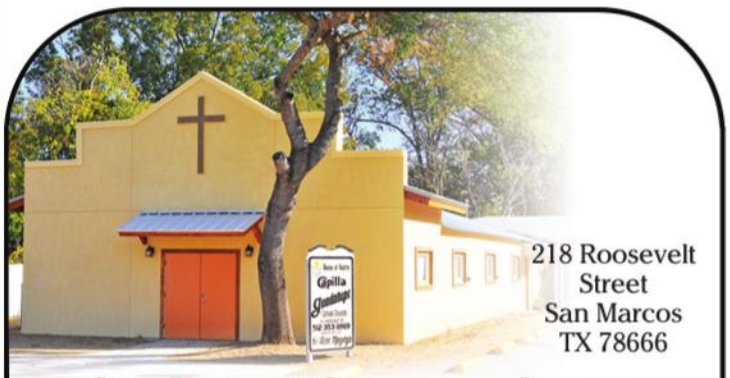

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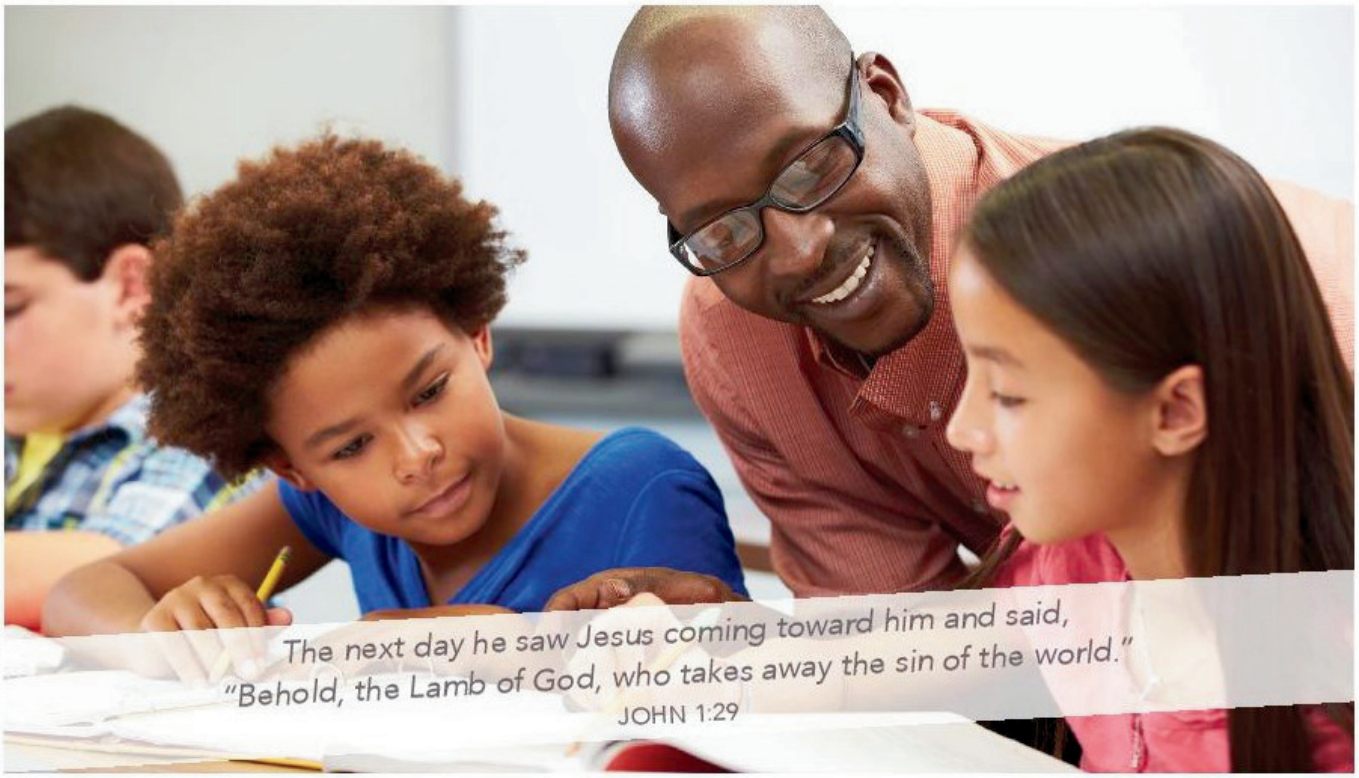
A WORD FROM *Pope Francis*

"What about you?" It is significant that these words of the elderly Pope [Leo XIII] were also addressed to a laywoman [Katharine Drexel]. We know that the future of the Church in a rapidly changing society will call, and even now calls, for a much more active engagement on the part of the laity.

—MASS WITH BISHOPS, CLERGY, AND RELIGIOUS OF PENNSYLVANIA, SEPTEMBER 26, 2015



The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world."
JOHN 1:29

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Proud Servants of God

"My servant" is an identification a lot of people will shy away from. A servant seeks to accomplish someone else's goals, and the adjective "my" suggests belonging to another. Yet all of today's readings describe individuals who are proud to be servants—servants of God. What makes this kind of servant something to which all of us can aspire?

As a servant of God, Isaiah became "a light to the nations that [God's] salvation may reach to the ends of the earth" (Isaiah 49:6). As a servant of God, Paul became "an apostle of Christ Jesus," proclaiming the good news of God's love "to the church of God that is in Corinth." As a servant of God, John the Baptist prepared the way so that Jesus "might be made known to Israel" (John 1:31). These servants sought to accomplish God's goals for the fulfillment of others. It is in such commitment to others that we ourselves are fulfilled. Ask any parent, lover, or good friend if this is not the case.

We might not want to be the servant of another, but what a privilege it is to be called to be a servant of God, a light to others, to proclaim God's love and make Jesus known. By our baptism, we have all been so called. We enlighten others by the way we live with integrity. The unselfishness of our lives proclaims the good news of Christ Jesus. Authentic Christian living makes him known to the world. That's what it means to be a servant of God.

—Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

FOR *Reflection*

- *How does your life in the home, workplace, or community manifest the love of God for others?*
- *How do you personally benefit by serving others?*

STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Collection for January 5, 2020

St. John	13,794.00
OLG Chapel	594.00
Debt Reduction (Claretian Addition)	1,881.92
Children	87.00
We Share (On-Line Giving)	495.00

Second Collection / Segunda Colecta
THIS WEEK - Charities
Next Week - Liturgical Items

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Claretian Addition Note:
Collection January 5, 2020 - $ 1,881.92
Monthly Payment - 4,972.80
Principal - 2,587.30 / Interest - 2,385.50
Balance - $ 477,100.46

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb..." ISAIAH 49:5

God have given each of us different gifts. In order for God's plan to work, you have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do. And guess what? God has given each of us a different plan! So, stop comparing yourself to others. Don't let envy and jealousy enter your life. Be thankful for the gifts God has given you and generously share them with others.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Due to unforeseen circumstances, when a mass is subject to cancelation, the mass intentions will be reset accordingly.

Saturday - Jan. 18 5:00 p.m.
† Norma Mc Clellan
† Rebecca Soto
† John T. Pacheco
† John & Lydia Soto
† Crystal Castaneda
† Lillie Ruiz
† Betty Zeni

5:00 p. m. - OLG Chapel
Josefina Tobias, Birthday Blessing
† Daniel & † Juanita Gutierrez
† Freddy Ybarra
† Richard Natal

Sunday - Jan. 19 7:30 a.m.
Michael & Corina Peralez, 21st. Anniversary
† Rogelio Nieto
† James Braden
† Olivia Torres
† Robert Gomez, Sr.

9:30 a.m.
Alicia Jimenez, Spiritual Healing
† Arnulfo Silva
† Maria Idale Alonzo
† Curtis Garcia

11:30 a.m.
All Parishioners

Sunday - Jan. 19 1:30 p.m.
† Samuel Salazar
† Evaristo & Trinidad Suarez
† Henry & Regina Guerrero
† Gilbert S. Garza
† Florentino Sanchez, Jr.
† Florentino & Christina Sanchez, Sr.
† Mariana Hernandez de Olguin

Monday - Jan. 20 12:00 p.m.
NO MASS/NO COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesday - Jan. 21 12:00 p.m.
Clarence Doskocil, For Healing
Lazaro Rocha III, For Healing
† James Braden
† Hortencia

Wednesday - Jan. 22 12:00 p.m.
Christian Miguel Urrutia
Tristian Prado, For Healing
Francisco, In Thanksgiving

Thursday - Jan. 23 12:00 p.m.
Ezrah Piña, For Healing
† Antonio Mendoza
† Belen M. Rodriguez

Friday - Jan. 24 12:00 p.m.
Suzanne Cruz Sewell, Birthday Blessing

2do domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

"Ahora el Señor ha hablado, quien me formó como su sirviente desde el vientre ..." ISAÍAS 49: 5

Dios nos ha dado a cada uno diferentes dones. Para que el plan de Dios funcione, tienes que hacer lo que Dios te está llamando a hacer y yo tengo que hacer lo que Dios me está llamando a hacer. ¿Y adivina qué? ¡Dios nos ha dado a cada uno un plan diferente! Entonces, deja de compararte con los demás. No dejes que la envidia y los celos entren en tu vida. Agradece los dones que Dios te ha dado y compártelos generosamente con los demás.

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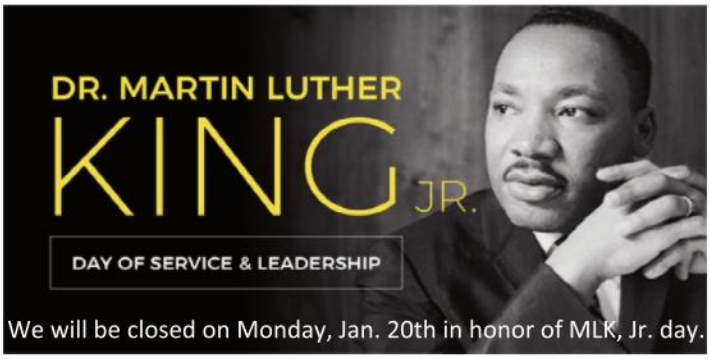
Readings for the Week

Sunday	**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time** Is 49:3, 5-6; 1 Cor 1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34
Monday	**Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr; Saint Sebastian, Martyr** 1 Sm 15:16-23; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday	**Memorial of Saint Agnes, Virgin and Martyr** 1 Sm 16:1-13; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday	**Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children** 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday	**Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin** 1 Sm 18:6-9, 19:1-7; Mk 3:7-12
Friday	**Memorial of Saint Francis de Sales Bishop and Doctor of the Church** 1 Sm 24:3-21; Mk 3:13-19
Saturday	**Feast of the Conversion of Saint Paul, Apostle** Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Mk 16:15-18
Sunday	**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time** Is 8:23—9:3; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23 or Mt 4:12-17



We will be closed on Monday, Jan. 20th in honor of MLK, Jr. day.

Sanctuary Light - St. John

In Loving Memory of:

Rose Sanchez

By: Linda Rodriguez (Sister)

May the souls of the *Faithful Departed,* through the mercy of God, *Rest in Peace,* Especially for:

Delia Serrano

Sanctuary Light - St. John Chapel

All Parishioners

A Special Thank you to our priest, deacons, choirs and musicians, lectors, ushers, altar servers, adult altar servers, sacristans, and ministers of communion who gave their time to serve the community throughout the year and through this very holy season. A big thank you to all the members of the Arts and Environment Committee for doing such an amazing job! We would also like to thank Connie Ramirez on an outstanding job with the Christmas play and all the children/ adults that made that happen.

Every Thursday at St. John Chapel, The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed at the end of the 12:00 p.m. Mass and conclude at 7:00 p.m. with Benediction.

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In Fatima, Our Lady said, "My Immaculate Heart will be your refuge and the way that will lead you to God." Please join thousands of Faithful throughout our Diocese for 33 days of preparation prayer for **Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary**. The prayers begin on February 20th and are done privately using the preparation book. Please visit www.TexasToJesusThroughMary.org by **January 23rd** to receive your **FREE** copy of the Montfort preparation prayer book. Your book will be mailed to you.

DEANERY MEETING

ALL LADIES OF THE PARISH ARE INVITED TO THE QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE BASTROP/LOCKHART & SAN MARCOS DEANERIES CCW, ON SUNDAY January 26th AT 2:00 P M AT THE PARISH HALL OF ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH. ST. PAUL'S LADIES ALTAR SOCIETY WILL BE HOSTING THE MEETING. (A FUND RAISER FOR THE DEANERY WILL CONDUCTED EITHER DURING

OR AFTER THE MEETING. SO BRING YOUR MONEY!!!!

LADIES PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN AND ENJOY SOME FOOD,FELLOWSHIP, LEARNING AND FUN!

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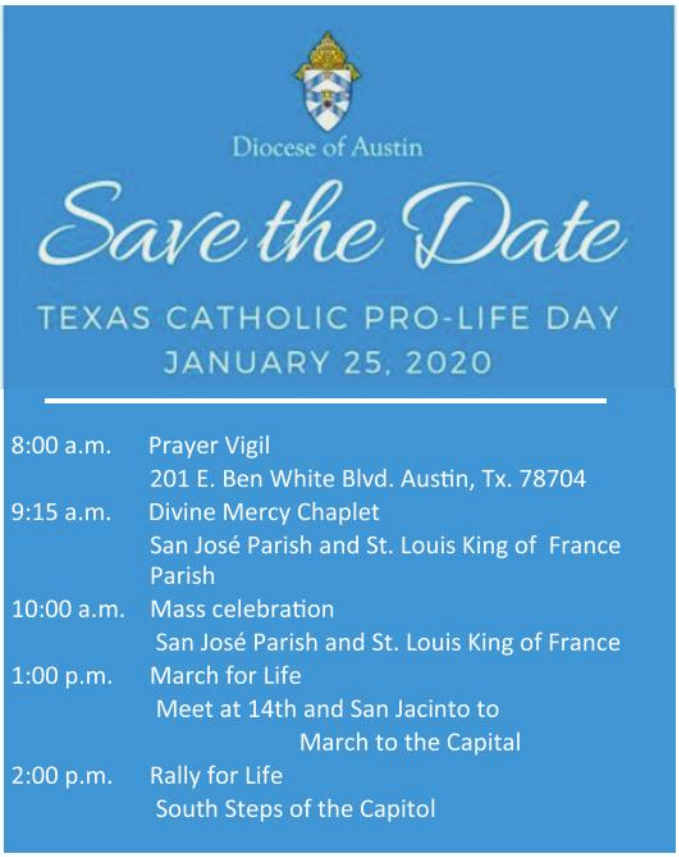

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Religious Education Calendar

Religious Education Coordinator - Betty De Leon
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Youth Ministry Coordinator - Jerry Castillo
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Feb. 3	Fri.	Deadline for paperwork for students receiving sacraments this year, including RCIC baptisms.
Feb. 15	Sat.	Retreat for First Communion and 2nd year candidates 9:00 - 3:00
Feb. 18	Tues.	Confessions for First Holy Communion, Fr. John's students
Feb. 19	Wed.	Confessions for First Holy Communion, Sunday's students

The following couples requested Marriage Recognition Certificates to recognize their milestone anniversaries in 2019. Marriage Certificates signed by Bishop Joe Vasquez are a project of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women. Congratulations to all these special couples!

Names and years married

Gerald & Betty Champagne 71
Robert & Irene Riley 70
Raymond & Belia Mendez 66
Alfred & Mary Ann Till 65
Isidro & Esperanza Silva 61
Scott & Hilda Cook 60
Alejandro & Carmen Selvera 60
Jesus & Ana Lopez 55
Michael & Joan Guzaldo 55
Manuel & Janie Alvarez 55
Gilbert & Reme Garcia 50
Lupe & Gloria Castillo ,Sr 50
Pete & Janie De Los Santos 50
Rene & Laurie Garcia 40
Filiberto & Sylvia Barrios 40
Sabas & Blanca Castillo 35
Jesse & Elizabeth Ponce 35
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Jimmy & Barbara Haenel 20
Freddy & Sandra Duran 20
Javier & Alma Quintanilla 15
Donald & Margaret Bohls 10
Francisco Joel & Mariah Marie Rivera 5

Couples, you may pick up your certificate from the Church office during business hours.

END OF YEAR GIVING STATEMENTS

Call the office to request an end of year tithing statement. These will be ready for mail out on January 15th. If you do not have envelopes, you may also request them at this time.

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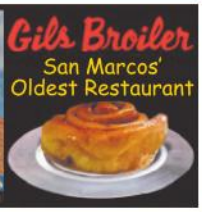

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