

YOU SHALL NOT PUT THE LORD YOUR GOD TO THE TEST

MATTHEW 4:7

MASS SCHEDULE/HORARIO DE MISA

SUNDAY MASS

English	Español
7:30 am	1:00 pm - livestreamed
9:00 am - livestreamed	3:00 pm
11:00 am	
5:00 pm	

DAILY MASS

Monday	8:15 am
Tuesday	8:15 am
Wednesday	8:15 am
Thursday	8:15 am
	7:00 pm - Español
Friday	8:15 am
Saturday	5:00 pm
First Saturday	8:15 am

(Daily Mass is streamed monday - friday)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION/ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA

Thursday 9:00 am - 6:30 pm

RECONCILIATION/RECONCILIACIÓN

Saturday 2:00 - 4:00 pm
or by appointment/o por cita

OFFICE HOURS/HORARIOS DE OFICINA

Monday-Thursday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Friday 8:30 am - 12:00 noon
Saturday CLOSED
Sunday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

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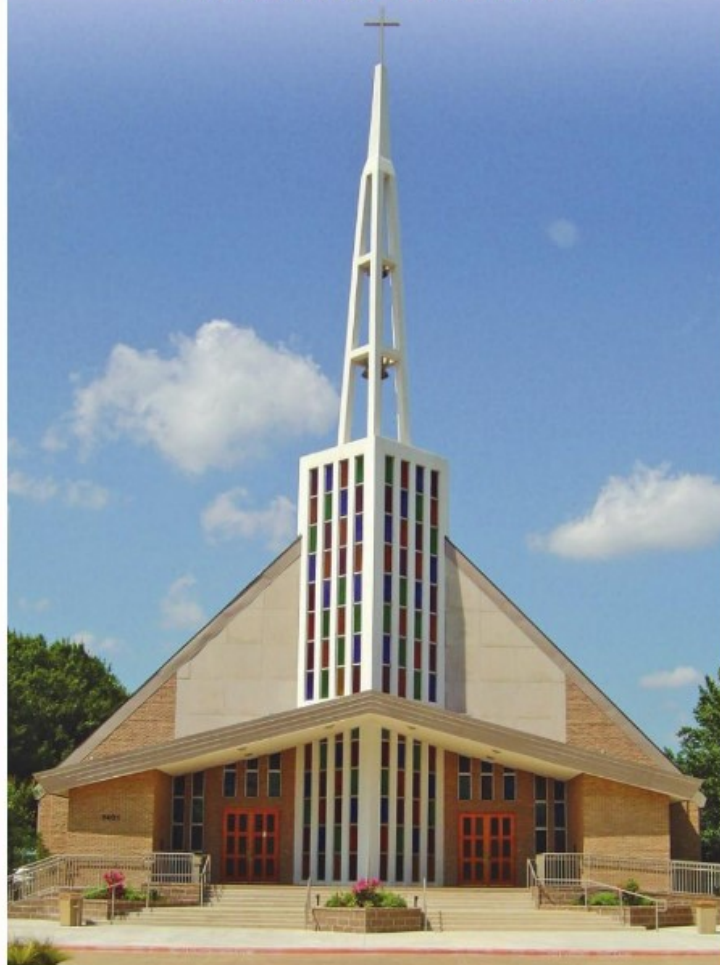
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February 26, 2023 – First Sunday of Lent



VISION: To provide a spiritual setting for our diverse church community to worship and enhance our Catholic Faith.

MISSION: Saint John the Apostle Parish proclaims and spreads the good news of Jesus Christ by its discipleship, outreach ministering, and evangelization to fulfill the spiritual needs of our parish and community.

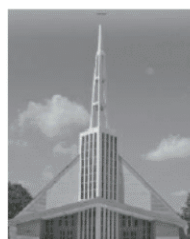
VISIÓN: Proporcionarle a nuestra diversa comunidad de la iglesia un ambiente espiritual y poder rendir culto y mejorar nuestra Fe Católica.

MISIÓN: La Parroquia Saint John the Apostle proclama y difunde la buena nueva de Jesucristo a través de su discipulado, el ministerio de alcance a la comunidad y la evangelización para satisfacer las necesidades espirituales de nuestra parroquia y comunidad.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN
VISION 2020
BUILDING THE FUTURE AT
ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC PARISH



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St. John the Apostle Catholic Church

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Stewardship Reflection

First Sunday of Lent

"It is written: 'The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve.'" - Matthew 4:10

Tempted between the riches and power of this world and service to God, Jesus chose service to His Father. If we wish to truly follow Jesus, we, too, must decide to turn away from worldly power and riches and put God at the center of our lives. Lent is our time to prune ourselves of earthly things, and develop and nurture heavenly things. Lent is time to repent and let go of the other "gods" we have put before God.

1er domingo de Cuaresma

"Está escrito: 'Adora al Señor tu Dios y sírvele solamente a él'" - Mateo 4:10

Tentado a elegir entre las riquezas y el poder de este mundo y el servicio a Dios, Jesús eligió servir a Su Padre. Si queremos realmente seguir a Jesús, nosotros también debemos decidir alejarnos del poder y las riquezas mundanas y poner a Dios en el centro de nuestras vidas. La cuaresma es nuestro tiempo para reducir nuestras cosas terrenales, y desarrollar y cultivar las cosas celestiales. La cuaresma es el tiempo para arrepentirse y dejar ir a los otros "dioses" que hemos puesto delante de Dios.

Offertory Collection for the Month of February 2023

Collection Numbers are not available this week.

"How shall I make a return to the Lord for all the good He has done for me?" Psalm 116:12

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Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court
Martha # 2323 will meet Saturday morning on
March 4, 2023.

The meeting starts at 10:00 a.m. in the
Assembly Room by the kitchen.



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Lenten Confessions

Wednesdays & Thursdays of Lent

Miércoles y Jueves de Cuaresma

February 22 – April 5, 2023

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. in the Church

Adoration Note: Benediction will be at 5:30 p.m. during Lent



Stations of the Cross

Fridays of Lent | Viernes de Cuaresma

6:30 p.m. English | 7:30 p.m. Español

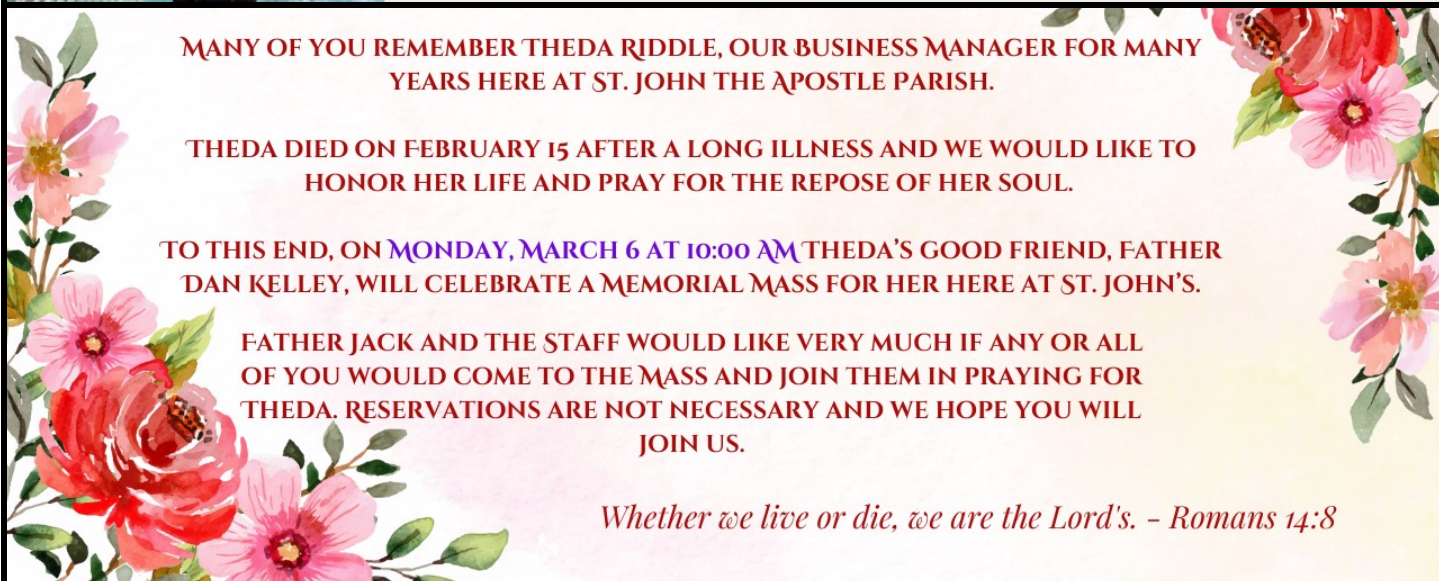
MANY OF YOU REMEMBER THEDA RIDDLE, OUR BUSINESS MANAGER FOR MANY YEARS HERE AT ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE PARISH.

THEDA DIED ON FEBRUARY 15 AFTER A LONG ILLNESS AND WE WOULD LIKE TO HONOR HER LIFE AND PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF HER SOUL.

TO THIS END, ON MONDAY, MARCH 6 AT 10:00 AM THEDA'S GOOD FRIEND, FATHER DAN KELLEY, WILL CELEBRATE A MEMORIAL MASS FOR HER HERE AT ST. JOHN'S.

FATHER JACK AND THE STAFF WOULD LIKE VERY MUCH IF ANY OR ALL OF YOU WOULD COME TO THE MASS AND JOIN THEM IN PRAYING FOR THEDA. RESERVATIONS ARE NOT NECESSARY AND WE HOPE YOU WILL JOIN US.

Whether we live or die, we are the Lord's. – Romans 14:8



PATRIOTIC ROSARY/PRAYER FOR AMERICA

The theme for 2023 is "Fellowship, Participation and Mission." As we begin this year's prayerful journey, let us give thanks for the freedoms we are so blessed with today. Our Church, country and families are facing many challenges – strong faith and prayers are desperately needed to overcome and to nourish the hope for peace in our hearts, homes and country. Please join us in praying for the intercession of Immaculate Mary Patroness of the United States through a patriotic prayer hour.

Patriotic Rosary will be held at St. Patrick Cathedral with prayer for our nation and Our Church on:

Monday, February 27th, 2023

Program 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

(free rosaries will be available)



IMPORTANT STEWARDSHIP NOTICES

If you need a contribution letter for tax purposes, please call the Parish Office to request one.

Due to a staffing emergency at Church Budget Envelope Company our Offertory Envelopes for February and March were not sent out. Temporary envelopes are available at the back of the Church or you can use a blank envelope with your name and address written on the front. Church Budget Envelope Company is trying to find a work around and we will update you with any additional information we receive. We apologize for the inconvenience. Offertory Envelopes for April and May should be mailed at the regular time.

NOTICIA IMPORTANTE

Si necesita una carta de contribución para fines fiscales, llame a la Oficina Parroquial para un solicitador.

Debido a una emergencia de personal en Church Budget Envelope Company, nuestros sobres de ofrenda para febrero y marzo no se enviaron. Hay sobres temporales disponibles en la parte de atrás de la Iglesia o puede usar un sobre en blanco con su nombre y dirección escritos en el frente. Church Budget Envelope Company está tratando de encontrar una solución y lo actualizaremos con cualquier información adicional que recibamos. Pedimos disculpas por las molestias. Los sobres de las ofrendas de abril y mayo deben enviarse por correo a la hora habitual.



**BLACK AND
INDIAN
MISSION
COLLECTION**

On Sunday, February 26, our parish will take up the 139th annual National Black and Indian Mission Collection. Our support of this collection helps build the Church in communities from coast to coast, including our diocese, which received \$14,000 from the Black and Indian Mission Collection last year. Schools, parish religious education programs, and diocesan ministries depend on your generosity to help them spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ! You can help meet unmet needs with a generous contribution today at Mass, through our parish online giving, or at <https://bit.ly/DioceseSpecialCollections>.

Thank you for your support.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LENTEN FISH FRY DINNERS

FRIDAYS, FEBRUARY 24, 2023 - MARCH 31, 2023

5:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.

ADULTS - \$12.00
SENIORS (55+) - \$10.00
CHILDREN (12 & UNDER) - \$7.00
FAMILY MEAL - \$45

FRIED/BAKED FISH
FRENCH FRIES
MAC-N-CHEESE
GREEN BEANS
COLE SLAW
HUSH PUPPIES
TARTAR & COCKTAIL SAUCE
DESSERT.



FISH FRY



Social Ministry

Food Pantry

THE FOOD PANTRY: We have received regular donations of eggs from St. John the Apostle School. The students help raise the chickens and contribute the eggs as a service to our community. Please continue to contribute items this week, especially with the following:

**Dry Beans, Dry Rice, Bread Mix, Pasta Sauce,
Dish soap**

If possible, please bring donations to the Food Pantry during their open hours.

Monday & Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Tuesday & Thursday: 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

If that's not possible, please bring non-perishable items to the Administration Building during open hours.

Monday–Thursday: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

After hours, cash and gift cards can be placed in an envelope with Food Pantry noted on the front, and placed in the mail slot near the front doors of the Administration Building. Please do not leave perishable items outside the Administration Building.

Baby World

We appreciate all the donations of gently used clothing for the children in our community needing assistance. We are

We Welcome Our New Parishioners:

Jeff & Maria Robinson

Samuel Davila & Azucena Tavera

Rhea Blais

Diana Garcia

Safe Environment Training & Renewal

English

Please note that the following sessions will be located in the Resource Room of the Administration Building:

Thursday 3-23-23 (5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.) - **RENEWAL**
Keeping the Promise Alive for Adults

Saturday 4-15-23 (9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.) - **INITIAL**
Protecting God's Children

Thursday 4-27-23 (5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.) - **RENEWAL**
Keeping the Promise Alive for Adults

Saturday 6/24/2023 (9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.) **RENEWAL**
A Plan to Protect for Adults in English.

For more information and to check course availability please visit sjtanrh.com.

Español

Jueves 3-9-23 (5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.) - **RENEWAL**
Keeping the Promise Alive for Adults

Sabado 4-29-23 (9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.) - **INITIAL** Pro-
tecting God's Children

Sabado 5-13-23 (9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.) - **RENEWAL**
Keeping the Promise Alive for Adults

Para obtener más información y verificar la disponibilidad del curso, visite sjtanrh.com.

ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE LENTEN MISSION

ENGLISH

6:30-8:00 p.m. in the Church:

Monday, March 13

Tuesday, March 14 (ends with Mass)

Presenter: Fr. Jack McKone, Pastor

Praying. Fasting. Almsgiving.



**St. John the Apostle
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Preparing minds for a lifetime and souls for eternal life.

Cane's Community Building Night Join our school community at Cane's on Tuesday, March 7, from 4:00 pm to 9:00 pm at their North Richland Hills location. Please let them know you are supporting St. John the Apostle Catholic School

2023 Eagle Wings Gala We are getting ready for our adult fun event of the year! Every year, our school hosts the biggest fundraiser for the school during the spring. This year, it falls on Saturday, May 06, 2023. We will have it in the School Gym, from 6:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Save the date to dine, dance, and help us raise funds! There will be many great items to take home, this is an event you cannot miss!

Evento Comunitario en Cane's Reserve la fecha para unirse a la comunidad escolar en el Cane's de North Richland Hills el martes 07 de marzo, de 4:00 pm a 9:00 pm.

2023 Gala Eagle Wings La escuela se está alistando para la gran fiesta del año, esperada por todos los adultos de nuestra comunidad! Cada año, en la primavera, la escuela organiza la fiesta de Gala Eagle Wings para recaudar fondos. Este año es el sábado 6 de mayo de 6:30 pm a 11:00 pm. Reserve la fecha para cenar, bailar, y ayudarnos a recaudar fondos! Habrán muchos artículos que podrá llevarse a casa, este es un evento que no se lo querrá perder!

Preparando mentes de por vida y almas para la eternidad.

05.06.23

Eagle Wings Gala

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Book of the Sick

Please remember in your prayers all those listed in our book of the sick. We pray for those who have recently fallen asleep in hope of the resurrection.

†Pascual Pasillas, †Roberta Parenti, †Angel Palafox,
†Sara Rivera, and †Ruth Ann Mullarkey

Mass Intentions

The readings for each mass can be found next to the date

Saturday 2/25 - Is 58:9b-14 | Lk 5:27-32

5:00 p.m. † Lois Pempsell

Sunday 2/26 - Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7 | Rom 5:12-19 | Mt 4:1-11

7:30 a.m. Anne Nguyen (Sp. Int.)

9:00 a.m. † Ann Gardiner

11:00 a.m. Pro Populo

1:00 p.m. Rosa Mireles (Sp. Int.)

3:00 p.m. † Emilia Garza Lizcano

5:00 p.m. † Pascual Pasillas

Monday 2/27 - Lv 19:1-2, 11-18 | Mt 25:31-46

8:15 a.m. † Mary Ann Adcock

Tuesday 2/28 - Is 55:10-11 | Mt 6:7-15

8:15 a.m. † Escher M. Griffin

Wednesday 3/1 - Jon 3:1-10 | Lk 11:29-32

8:15 a.m. † George Bates

Thursday 3/2 - Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25 | Lk 5:27 - 32

8:15 a.m. † Jerry Tousignant

7:00 p.m. † Francisco Dominguez

Friday 3/3 - Ez 18:21-28 | Mt 5:20-26

8:15 a.m. † Martha & Abe Schannon

Saturday 3/4 - Dt 26 | Mt 5:43-48

8:15 a.m. † Tiec Nguyen

5:00 p.m. † Jose Trinidad Rodriguez & Ofelia Silos

Sunday 3/5 - Gn 12:1-4a | 2 Tm 1:8b-10 | Mt 17:1-9

7:30 a.m. † Ba D Wong & Huong Nguyen

9:00 a.m. † Loretta Mesteller

11:00 a.m. † Lap Dao

1:00 p.m. Pro Populo

3:00 p.m. † Francisca Camacho

5:00 p.m. † Danh & Teresa Nguyen (Sp. Int.)