

ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE CATHOLIC CHURCH • NEW TAITON

DIocese of Victoria in Texas

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Week of  
July 6, 2025

Today is the  
Fourteenth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time.

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:00 a.m. & 8:30 a.m.

Weekday Mass: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 7:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday: 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. or by appointment.

~ PASTORAL CARE INFORMATION ~

Sacrament of Baptism: If you are in need of a Baptism, please contact the Parish Office at (979) 543-6985.

Sacrament of Marriage: Couples planning marriage should contact the Parish Office six months prior to the desired date at (979) 543-6985.

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound: If a family member is sick and would like to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office at (979) 543-6985.

New Parishioners: Welcome to St. John’s Church. Please fill out our census form located at the main entrance and return to the Parish Office.

Mass Intentions for this Week:		
Monday, 07/07	No Mass	
Tuesday, 07/08	7:00 a.m.	Father Ralph Baidoo †
Wednesday, 07/09	7:00 a.m.	Jim & Annie Drastata † Betty Urbanovsky †
Thursday, 07/10	7:00 a.m.	A.J. Fucik †
Friday, 07/11	7:00 a.m.	Johnnie Krpec †
Saturday, 07/12	4:00 p.m.	Dorothy Baros † Isabel & J.C. Koudela †
Sunday, 07/13	7:00 a.m.	Parish Family Alvin Kahanek †
Youth Mass	8:30 a.m.	Garrett Mills † Josh Supak † Caleb Venglar †

**Saturday, 4:00 p.m.**  
**Altar Servers:** Keegan Bubela, Macie Bubela  
**Lector:** Sandi Bystrek  
**Ushers:** Volunteer, Volunteer  
**Extraordinary Ministers:** Diann Srubar, Volunteer  
**Rosary** prayed before Mass.

**Sunday, 8:30 a.m.**  
**Altar Servers:** Shane Tupa, Aiden Murphy  
**Lector:** Youth  
**Ushers:** Lawrence Svetlik, Youth  
**Extraordinary Ministers:** Jeff Nohavitza, Susan Nohavitza  
**Rosary** prayed before Mass.

Sacrificial Offering

06/29/2025

\$2,351.00

**BULLETIN SPONSORS** this week are Donald & Cindy Priesmeyer.

**SANCTUARY LIGHT** this week is in memory of Robert Kubala.

**STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA** will be in the home of Nick & Elizabeth Tupa for the months of July and August.

**CRUCIFIX AND PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS** will be in the home of Ben & Lena Tupa for the months of July and August. Please pray for vocations.

**JULY ALTAR DECORATORS:** Connie Hlavaty, Lena Tupa, Elizabeth Tupa, Rose Ann Mitchell, Lori Tupa, Kathy Bubela, Megan Bubela, Dorothy Fiala, Jeanette Socha, Donna Korenek, Judy Venglar and Sarah Venglar. Your \$25 offering is due.

**JULY FLOWERS FOR MONSIGNOR PETRU’S GRAVE:** Brian & Diane Seaman

**2 WEEKS TO SIGNUP FOR RETROUVAILLE** – Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? This program has helped 10’s of 1000’s of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about or to register for the August program beginning with a weekend on August 1-3 call 800-470-2230 or email: retrouvaillevictoria@gmail.com or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com

**“MAKE YOUR HOME IN ME”:** The 1<sup>st</sup> El Campo Deanery Men’s Retreat. Come join us for a weekend of fellowship and faith September 11<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> at the Cathedral Oaks Retreat Center in Weimar. For information contact Greg Janak (979) 533-3230, Steven Korenek (979) 637-7966 or Stephen Spanihel (979)758-4422.

**PRO-LIFE CORNER:** “The first priority, the fundamental priority of the common good is protecting and supporting human life, for without life, there is no common good.” Bishop Arthur J. Serratelli. How can our Declaration state that all have the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness when the state sponsors the killing of the unborn?

**2025 DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL (DSA)** - Our parish received the following information from the Chancery Office regarding our 2025 DSA goal: \$29,186.00. The amount contributed so far is \$16,305.00. Please consider making a donation toward our parish goal. Any amount is greatly appreciated. Let us do our part in supporting the Bishop and the operation of the Diocese of Victoria.

Meditation for the Week

“Imagine that on this day Jesus sends you and several dozen of your fellow parishioners to nearby towns or neighborhoods to spread the gospel. Today we hear Jesus do just that with seventy-two of his disciples. He empowers them to call for repentance, heal the sick, drive out demons, and preach of the kingdom of God. “The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few,” he tells them then and us now. May God’s word inspire us to spread the Good News and may the Eucharist nourish and sustain us as we labor in the fields of the Lord.” (Pastoral Patterns)

*Isaiah 66:10–14c Mother Jerusalem will gather her children.*

*Psalms 66 "Let all the earth cry out to God with joy."*

*Galatians 6:14–18 I bear on my body the brand marks of Jesus.*

*Luke 10:1–12, 17–20 If people welcome you, bid them peace.*

“Difficulties are many, but our reward is great. Isaiah finds comfort in Jerusalem, our spiritual home, despite the fact that at the time it lay in ruins, leading the Israelites to mourn for its prior greatness. Paul bears the marks of his persecution but boasts in the saving cross. Jesus sends his disciples out like lambs among wolves, but they return rejoicing with their successes. Whatever our difficulties are today, may we, like all the earth, cry out to God with joy.” (Pastoral Patterns)