

ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE CATHOLIC CHURCH • NEW TAITON
DIocese of Victoria in Texas

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Week of
December 14, 2025

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Today is the
 Third Sunday
 of Advent.

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, 12/15	No Mass	
Tuesday, 12/16	7:00 a.m.	Annie Supak †
Wednesday, 12/17	7:00 a.m.	Jim & Annie Drastata †
Thursday, 12/18	7:00 a.m.	Special Intention - David Krenek
Friday, 12/19	7:00 a.m.	Johnnie Krpec †
Saturday, 12/20	4:00 p.m.	Gladys Bodungen † Victor & Frances Buzek, Sr. † Special Intention - Jett Kubala Birthday
Sunday, 12/21	7:00 a.m.	Parish Family Ire Zaruba †
	8:30 a.m.	Deloris Naiser †

Saturday, 4:00 p.m.

Altar Servers: Shane Tupa, Aiden Murphy
Lector: Diann Srubar
Ushers: Volunteer, Volunteer
Extraordinary Ministers: Lori Tupa, Garret Bubela
Rosary prayed before Mass.

Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

Altar Servers: Kutter House, Macie House
Lector: Timothy Merta
Ushers: Lawrence Svetlik, Volunteer
Extraordinary Ministers: Jon Bystrek, Sandi Bystrek
Rosary prayed before Mass.

Our Harvest Collection
for this week
 \$750.00

Sacrificial Offering
12/07/2025
 \$4,784.00

BULLETIN SPONSORS this week are Michael & Jackie Watz.

SANCTUARY LIGHT this week is in memory of Gladys Labay.

STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA will be in the home of Nick & Elizabeth Tupa for the months of November & December.

CRUCIFIX AND PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS will be in the home of Ben & Lena Tupa for the months of November & December. Please pray for vocations.

DECEMBER ALTAR DECORATORS: Karen Kaspar, Lenice Kaspar, Donna Kaspar, Jean Merck, Wanda Dorotik, Jeanine Stehling, Amanda Dorotik, Vanessa Rod, Dobie Rod, Cheryl Roach, Becky Hardin, Ashley Koudela and Candice Mills. Your \$25 offering is due.

CCD CLASSES on Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. at the Parish Hall.

SPECIAL ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS will be taken up this weekend at all Masses.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Volunteers are still needed for Christmas and New Year Masses. If you are able to help, please place your name on the schedules provided at the main entrance.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU: The St. John's Scholarship Games Party was again a success. We would like to thank everyone for coming out and supporting this fundraiser. Proceeds benefit the youth of St. John's.

THE YEAR IS COMING TO AN END. Did you pay your 2025 Harvest Collection, DSA, No Bake Cake Sale and \$25 Altar Flowers?

PARISH APPRECIATION DINNER

In appreciation for your support thru the year, St. John's Parish together with the Altar Society cordially invites all parishioners to a Social and Dinner on Friday, January 9, 2026 at the Parish Hall. Social begins at 5:45 p.m. followed by Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Please RSVP by January 5, 2026 by signing the tablet at the main entrance.

ADVENT PENANCE SCHEDULE:

Confessions begin at 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 14th - Hungerford
 Monday, December 15th - St. Philip's - El Campo
 Wednesday, December 17th - **New Taiton**
 Thursday, December 18th - Eagle lake

CHRISTMAS CRIB IN THE CHURCH: Volunteers are needed and welcome to help put up the crib on Sunday, December 21st after the 8:30 a.m. Mass. Come when you can. Any help is greatly appreciated.

PARISH FAMILY TREE: If you are new to our Parish, we have a large tree in the Sanctuary called the Parish Family Tree. All ornaments on the tree are from members of our Parish. Please be a part of our Parish Family and place your ornament on the tree.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR
THE FEAST OF THE NATIVITY
OF THE LORD (CHRISTMAS)

December 24th
 Vigil Mass - 4:00 p.m.
 Mass during the Night - 9:00 p.m.

December 25th
 Mass at Dawn - 7:00 a.m.
 Mass during the Day - 8:30 a.m.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR
THE SOLEMNITY OF MARY,
THE MOTHER OF GOD

December 31st
 Vigil Mass - 5:00 p.m.

January 1st
 Feast Mass - 7:00 a.m.