

Mission San José y San Miguel de Aguayo

701 E. Pyron Ave. San Antonio, Tx 78214

*A Franciscan Mission Founded February 20, 1720 * Established September 23, 1932.*

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, January 14, 2024

Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.

Ps.40:2,4, 7-8, 8-9, 10

Parish Office Hours

Monday—Friday 8am—4:30pm

(CLOSED for lunch 12pm—1pm)

210-922-0543

sanjoseinsatx@yahoo.com

www.missionsanjosechurch.org

Mass Schedule

Saturday 5pm,

Sunday 9am & 12pm (Spanish)

Daily Mass: Monday, Wednesday, Friday
9am in the San Juan Diego Chapel

Confessions

Saturday 3:30pm—4:30pm

In the San Juan Diego Chapel

Gift Shop Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 10am—3pm

Friday, Saturday, Sunday 9:30am—3:30pm

CLOSED on Tuesdays



Mission Statement

Mission San Jose Catholic Church was founded and established to proclaim the Gospel mission of Jesus for our time and place by becoming a faith community of God's people. Through a commitment to prayer, study, fellowship and ministry, we strive to become a community of hope to all around us and a living mission to the many who choose to come to Mission San Jose.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 13

5:00 pm †Deacon Chip Perry,
†Newton Meyer

Sunday, January 14

9:00 am †Deacon Francisco Suniga,
†Paul Kusenberger

12:00 pm †Elvira Casas, †Nicolas Casas,
†Lydia & Gilbert Delgado,
†Delia & Miguel Vera Cruz Jr.,
†Edwaed & Janie Vera Cruz, †Olivia Hererra,
†Manuel & Abel Sanchez,
†Anita & Silvia Vera Cruz

Monday, January 15

9:00 am

Wednesday, January 17

9:00 am

Friday, January 19

9:00 am

Administration

Pastor

Fr. Dennis Schafer, ofm

Deacon

Joe Vidaurri
Santiago Rodriguez (retired)

Parish Administrator

Bro. Kevin Lenihan, ofm

Bookkeeper/ Secretary

Angela Garcia

Receptionist

Beatrice Basaldua

Maintenance

Manuel Garcia

Gift Shop

Lydia Muriel

Calendar of Events

Saturday, January 13

9:30 am—12:00 pm

Guadalupe Meeting (SFC)

3:30pm— 4:30pm

Confessions (Ch)

5:00 pm Mass -English

Sunday, January 14

9:00 am Mass -English

12:00 pm Mass -Spanish

Mariachi Choir

2:30pm –6:00pm

Young Adults (SFC)

Monday, January 15

Office Closed

9:00 am Mass (CH)

Tuesday, January 16

6:00 pm—9:00 pm

Woman's ACTS meeting (SFC)

Wednesday, January 17

9:00 am Daily Mass (CH)

10:00 am Memorial Mass - †Mary

Jane McPhillips

11:30am Memorial Reception (SFC)

6:00 pm Building Committee (OF)

Thursday, January 18

6:00 pm Finance Committee (SFC)

6:30pm Tailgate Rosary

Friday, January 19

9:00 am Mass—English (CH)

Saturday, January 20

3:30—4:30 pm Confessions (CH)

5:00 pm Mass English

Please Pray for :

Dorthy Narendorf

Frances Zapata

Susie Huizar

Dora Huitt

Aurora Castro

Willie Acuna

Noelia & Deacon Santiago
Rodriguez

Jefferey Payne

Debbie Morantez

Frances Bustos

Jacob Ford, James Ford,
and Avery Ford

Mary Molina

Barbara Winn

Michael Doughty

Mattie Winn

Robert Gomez

Carmen Martinez

Eloy Martinez

Kerwin McClain

Sherron Bodine

Emma Ortiz

David Zaiontz

Evelyn Meyer

Juan Vega

Newton Meyer

Ben Lara

Ronald Sova

Cherie Lenihan

Dorothy Mireles

Ben Lara

Daniela Rivas

Jean Pacheco

Carmen Classy

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1st Collection: \$ 3,912.75

2nd Collection: \$ 425.34

Church Grounds

This weekend 2nd Collection is:

Church Grounds

Next week 2nd Collection is: Church
Grounds

**Here are three (3) other ways to
donate:**

1.) MSJ website

(Missionsanjosechurch.org): Click
on donate button, and use your
bank card. The name on your card
will identify you ;

2.) "Bill Pay" option through
your bank to schedule payments to
Mission San Jose; or

3.) Use the QR code below If
you have any questions, please
contact the office. Thank you for
supporting Mission San Jose
Church!



St. Francis Community Center (Parish Hall)	SFC
St. Clare Building—(Side building by parish hall)	SCB
San Juan Diego Chapel	CH
Mission San Jose Church	MSJ
Parish Office	OF
Friary	FR

Coffee With The Saints

All women of our Parish & Community are invited
to our monthly Pot Luck Breakfast on

Sat., Jan. 27th, from

9:00–11:30 a.m.

in the Parish Center.

Please join us for our Saint discussion, prayer &
fellowship, followed by a Valentine craft.

Please bring your rosary.

We look forward to seeing you.



Join us for a Community Rosary at 6:30 pm
on Thursday, Jan. 18th.

Bring your family, rosaries, and lawn chairs.

(If we have bad weather, we will meet in the Chapel.)

For information, call Gilbert Jimenez at (210) 414-8245.

Weekly Bulletin

**Any group or ministry wishing to place an article
in our parish bulletin please submit it by
Tuesday. Any article received after Tuesday will be
placed in next week's bulletin.**

Thank You!!

Mission San Jose Gift Shop

**Come by our Gift Shop to get your
religious items or do gift shopping for
any special event or occasion.**

Open:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

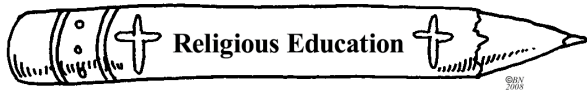
From 10:00am—3:00pm

on Saturday and Sunday from

9:30am -4:30pm

Your Support is appreciated!





We will not have class this Sunday, Jan. 14, 2024 in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Classes will resume Sunday, Jan. 21, 2024.

Peace and All good,
Angela Garcia,
Coordinator of Religious Education

First Reading

1 Samuel 3:3b-10,19
The Lord calls Samuel.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10
A prayer of commitment to follow the will of the Lord.

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a,17-20
Paul reminds the Corinthians that their bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit.

Gospel Reading

John 1:35-42
John the Baptist recognizes Jesus as the Lamb of God, and Jesus receives his first followers.



In observance of Martin Luther King, Jr., the Parish Office will be closed on Monday, January 15, 2024 and will resume on Tuesday, Jan. 16, 2024.

Altar Servers

Calling the youth of the parish to serve at the table of the Lord Assisting the Priest and Deacon During mass.

1st Holy Communion is a requirement

Call the office

210-922-0543



Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Dear Lord, help us to worship you in truth and holiness. In our devotion, give us understanding to know that we are all brothers and sisters, Created in your image to serve you faithfully. And perceiving this insight, may we be willing to share your message of reconciliation with our neighbors. We praise you, O God, for Martin Luther King, Jr, and all your servants who, having finished their course, challenge us to remain steadfast in our quest for justice, equality and freedom. May Dr King's dream be our dream and may peace prevail among all people of the world.

Amen





Catholic Charities urgently responds to the needs of the most vulnerable in our community, providing them with much-needed Compassion, Aid, Respect, and Empowerment. It is crucial that we come together and make a difference now. Join us in our mission to support those who need us most, and together we can bring immediate relief and lasting change.

**Item Recommendations for
Our Unhoused Population:**

- Jackets
- Sweatshirt
- Sweatpants
- Socks
- Underwear
- Beanies
- Gloves
- Canvas Shoes
- Backpacks
- Blankets
- Phone Chargers
- Baby Wipes
- Diapers
- Hygiene Items
(Soap, Lotion, Shampoo, Conditioner,
Toothbrush, Toothpaste)



**Item Recommendations for
the Food Basket:**

- Fruit Cups
- Apple Sauce
- Tuna Kits
- Ramen Soup
- Granola Bars
- Chips (Snack Size)
- Bottled Water
- Coffee (including Cups)



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**Catholic Charities
202 W. French Place
San Antonio, TX 78212**



**Catholic Charities
106 Miers, Street
Del Rio, TX 78840**



Ven, Holy Spirit, Ven!

December 21, 2023

To the Faithful in the Archdiocese of San Antonio,

Fiducia Supplicans (FS), *On the Pastoral Meaning of Blessings*, issued by the Dicastery for the Doctrine of the Faith (DDF) on December 18, highlights the rich tradition of the Church in offering pastoral blessings. Scripture itself cites blessings of various types.

Blessings, as stated in the declaration, are celebrated by virtue of faith and are ordered to the praise of God and the spiritual benefit of his people: “*To seek a blessing in the Church is to acknowledge that the life of the Church springs from the womb of God’s mercy and helps us to move forward, to live better, and to respond to the Lord’s will*” (FS 20). It was issued to respond to Pope Francis’ proposal to develop a broader understanding of blessings (FS 13).

While this declaration remains firm on the perennial doctrine of the Church regarding marriage, and ensures that blessings to those in irregular unions or same-sex couples are not to be mistaken for a sacrament or liturgical rite, it affirms what the Church has done for centuries: offering pastoral blessings to those who seek closeness to God and the assurance of his love and accompaniment.

As stated by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB): “*The Declaration issued today by the Vatican’s Dicastery for the Doctrine of the Faith (DDF) articulated a distinction between liturgical (sacramental) blessings, and pastoral blessings, which may be given to persons who desire God’s loving grace in their lives. The Church’s teaching on marriage has not changed, and this declaration affirms that, while also making an effort to accompany people through the imparting of pastoral blessings because each of us needs God’s healing love and mercy in our lives*”.

This declaration should not invoke scandal nor confusion for the people of God. It is issued to ensure that all of God’s children know they are loved and accepted. Ask any priest and they will share how often people seek a spontaneous and informal blessing from them. It is one of the many joys of priesthood! Those requesting such blessings seek God’s closeness, healing, and strength. Therefore, the declaration is quite specific in noting that such blessings are never offered in concurrence with the ceremonies of a civil union or in connection with them, nor are they given with any vestments or words proper to a sacrament or a liturgical rite.

Read *Fiducia Supplicans* (www.vatican.va). Do not allow others to interpret for you what might very well be a misinterpretation. As found in the introduction: “*This Declaration is ... intended as a tribute to the faithful People of God, who worship the Lord with so many gestures of deep trust in his mercy and who, with this confidence, constantly come to seek a blessing from Mother Church*”.

May we be enriched by the blessings Christ offers us through his Church. I impart my blessings upon all of you.

Sincerely in Christ,

Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller, MSps
Archdiocese of San Antonio

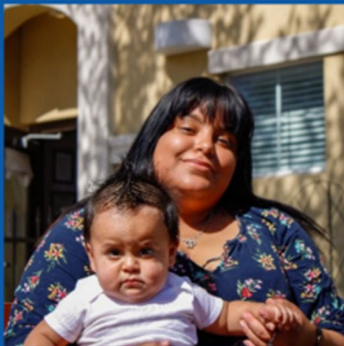
IN RECEIVING THE
Eucharist,
WE ARE CALLED TO SERVE.

EL RECIBIR LA
Eucaristía,
NOS LANZA A SERVIR.

ARCHBISHOP'S
Appeal
for MINISTRIES
CAMPAÑA DEL ARZOBISPO PARA LOS MINISTERIOS

"I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world."

John 6:51



**Your
Gift
Protects
Life**

**Your Gift
helps form
Catholic
Leadership**



**Your Gift
funds
ministries
that help the
poor and sick**

**Your Gift
helps
spread the
Gospel**



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