

Mission San José y San Miguel de Aguayo

701 E. Pyron Ave. San Antonio, Tx 78214

*A Franciscan Mission Founded February 20, 1720 * Established*

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, February 09, 2025

In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

Ps 138:1-2,2-3,4-5,7-8



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

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday
10am-3pm

Friday, Saturday, Sunday

9:30am—3:30pm

CLOSED on Tuesday

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, February 08

5:00 pm †Lee Winkler, †Albert & Vivian Dirmeirer, †Newton Meyer, †Dorotea Diaz, †Belino Gonzalez, †Dolores Gonzalez, †Juan Gonzalez, healing for Jean Pacheco, Jesse Pacheco, Alice Aguilar, and Ludivina Tamez

Sunday, February 09

9:00 am †Deacon Francisco Suniga, †Jose Medina Jr., †Josefa R. Delgado, †Ray Rodriguez, †Maria Louisa Sepulveda Valdillez, †Guadalupe Sepulveda Salazar, for the safety & well being of Maximus Garcia & Mackenzie Hires, for a safe and healthy pregnancy for Victoria Delfierro, for the healing of Clarence Lewis Jr, and Mary Ann Silva, Birthday Blessings for Maria Luisa Aguilar and Bro. Manuel Mendoza

12:00 pm †Nicolas Casas, †Elvira Casas, †Heriberto Garcia Tamez, †Jesse Salcedo, †Robert Antonio Soto, †Ronnie Cardenas, †Lydia & Gilbert Delgado, †Delia & Miguel Vera Cruz Jr., †Edward Jr. & Janie Vera Cruz, †Gilbert Sr. & Guadalupe Delgado, †Abel H. & Manuel Sanchez Jr. †Richard Aguilar, †Nellie Viagran Gill, †David Gallardo, †Paul Martinez Jr., †Anita Cabral, †Jose Cabral, †Francisco Cervantes, †Lillia Cervantes, †Steven Blundy, †Stacy Blundy, †Connie Perez, †Guadalupe Cuellar, †Jose Villaseñor, †Nick Carnevale, for the healing of Rosendo Gutierrez, Gracie Casanova, Rosendo Gutierrez, Joe Avere, and Ellen Clark, birthday blessings for Amber Estrada.

Monday, February 10

9:00 am

Wednesday, February 12

9:00 am

Friday, February 14

9:00 am

THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS

1st Collection: \$ 4,621.72

2nd Collection: \$ 439.00 Parish Grounds

This weekend 2nd Collection is: **Parish Grounds**

Next week 2nd Collection is: **Parish 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!



Administration

Pastor

Fr. Dennis Schafer, ofm

Deacon

Joe Avila
210-323-6654
deaconjoe13@gmail.com

Parish Administrator Bookkeeper/ Office Manager

Angela M. Garcia
msjkb2022@aol.com

Receptionist

Beatrice Basaldua
sanjoseinsatx@yahoo.com

Maintenance

Manuel Lee Garcia

Gift Shop Manager

Lydia Muriel

Youth Minister

Javier Montanez

Please Pray for :

Dorthy Narendorf	Jean Pacheco
Susie Huizar	Jesse Pacheco
Aurora Castro	Haydee Robles
Noelia & Deacon Santiago Rodriguez	Rudy Alvarez
Mattie Winn	Ruby Silva
Carmen Martinez	Janie Penalver
Kerwin McClain	Arthur Picky Mata
Evelyn Meyer	Rudy Alvarado Jr.
Ronald Sova	Zany Perez
Dorothy Mireles	Carlos Marmolejo
Emma Ortiz	Patricia Vigil Maldonado
Freddie Ortiz	Sergio Gomez Jr.
Carmen Classy	Loretta Leija
Willie Acuna	Jenney Nieto
Jefferey Payne	Sylvia Ortiz
Sherron Bodine	Cheryl Winn
Alicia C. Marty	Alice Aguilar
Yolanda Montoya	Frank Castro
Roberto & Herlinda Sifuentes	Paul Schafer
Michael Doughty	Clarence Lewis Jr.
Joslyn Miranda	Ludivina Tamez
Loraine Castro	Debbie Morantez
Guadalupe Cisneros	Danny Cruz
Gloria Herrera	
Bro. Manuel Mendoza, ofm	
Fr. Paul Gallagher, ofm	
Maggie Petrie	



Calendar of Events

Saturday, February 08

9:00am—11:00am

Guadalupanas Meeting (SFC)

3:30pm—4:30pm Confession (CH)

5:00pm Mass—Eng.

Sunday, February 09

9:00am Mass -English

12:00pm Mass -Spanish

Monday, February 10

9:00am Daily Mass (CH)

5:30pm-7:30pm

Adult Choir Practice (SFC)

Tuesday, February 11

6:00pm-9:00pm

Mariachi Choir practice (SFC)

Wednesday, February 12

9:00am Daily Mass (CH)

10:00am Cancer Support Group (OF)

5:30pm-9:00pm

Woman's ACTS meeting (SFC)

6:30pm Tailgate Rosary (PL)

Thursday, February 13

6:00pm Parish Council meeting (OF)

Friday, February 14

9:00am Daily Mass (CH)

Saturday, February 15

3:30pm—4:30pm Confession (CH)

5:00pm Mass—Eng.

5:00pm-11:pm

Daddy Daughter Dance (SFC)

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
Parish Parking Lot	PL

A Great Experience of Community

This past Saturday a large group of parishioners gathered in St. Francis Hall to get to pray, get to know one another, to discuss the parish and, of course, to eat! We started with the Gospel where Jesus invites Simon and his friends to shove off into the deep water and cast their nets. After a night of finding no fish, their nets were filled to overflowing and needed the help of a second boat to help bring in the catch. We used a contemplative practice to discover God's personal message to each of us. Then in groups we discussed why we belong to the parish, what things can we improve, and what are the issues that our local communities face – what must be improved for the sake of our children and grandchildren.

Next week we'll publish a report on the day so all can read the results. This has been the second of such gatherings in the parish, and we hope to have more in the future. We are practicing synodality here in our community, forming ourselves not from the top down but from member to member. May God bless our continued response to His grace in our lives!

Honoring Br. Kevin

For almost ten years Br. Kevin served the people of Mission San Jose. A tireless worker, he started his day before others and ended after others. He was a loving presence among us and his wit lightened the days of many. He always made sure to visit all parish events and personally greeted almost everyone present.

As Br. Kevin left, he asked that no gifts be made to him personally, but that people might make donations for the care of the grounds. We are going to honor his request by establishing the Br. Kevin Lenihan, OFM Endowment Fund. The singular purpose of the fund will be the care of the grounds and the gardens at Mission San Jose Church. We will establish the fund with a one-time special collection and then add to it with a portion of the second collection at our weekend Masses.

So, next weekend, February 15-16, we will pass out envelopes that can be used to donate to the fund. We will then collect them the weekend of February 22-23. This initial collection will be the basis of the endowment and every year we will release part of the interest to pay for the care of the grounds and gardens. Going forward, we will dedicate 10% of our weekly second collection to the fund.

Thank you, Br. Kevin, for your many years of fraternal service here at Mission San Jose. We will always remember you!



The Year of Jubilee

We are well into celebrating the year of Jubilee here at San Jose. We've placed some banners and posters in the church and on the grounds, and we'll make available brochures that explain the idea of Jubilee and how to receive a plenary indulgence during this year. There are several churches in the Archdiocese that are official places of Jubilee, and the four Missions have been declared such for the south side of San Antonio.

There are several events that will be planned for the year, and we're asking for 3-5 parishioners to form a committee to plan these events. I ask you to consider being on this committee. Please call the parish office to let us know of our desire to participate. I'm grateful for your generosity.

Fr. Dennis

"Daddy-Daughter" dance

Saturday, February 15, 2025.

starts with a 5 pm mass, a blessing, serenade, meal & DJ music in the parish hall & a dance contest.

DENIM AND Diamonds
DADDY-DAUGHTER DANCE
SATURDAY FEBRUARY 15, 2025
ST. FRANCIS PARISH CENTER
6710 SAN JOSE DR.
TICKETS
\$20 PRESALE
\$30 At the Door
\$10 Additional Daughter
GIRLS ARE INVITED TO BRING DAD, UNCLE, GRANDPA, OR OTHER SPECIAL MALE GUEST
Mass Time 5:00 pm Mariachi 6:00-6:30 pm
Dinner 6:30-7:00 pm Music 7:00-11:00 pm
For more information contact Rosalinda (210)328-2085

PILGRIM CENTER OF HOPE

INVITES MEN OF ALL FAITH JOURNEYS

CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2025

Holy Trinity Banquet Hall, 20523 Huebner Rd., San Antonio, TX 78258



REGISTER TODAY | CMCSANANTONIO.COM

Congratulations to Jesse & Jean Pacheco

On Monday, February 03, 2025, Jesse & Jean Pacheco received the Archdiocese *Lumen Gentium* Award. This award was established by Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller, M.Sp.S. It is given to a layperson who has demonstrated outstanding faithfulness, dedication and demonstrated participation in the Catholic Church's mission to bring Christ's light to all. Congratulations Jesse & Jean Pacheco and may God bless you both for your discipleship, dedication and hard work. We thank you both for your generosity and for all you do for Mission San Jose Church.



Coffee With The Saints

All women of our Parish & Community are invited to our next Coffee with the Saints Pot Luck Breakfast on Saturday, Feb. 22nd from 9:00 –11:30. Please join us for prayer, fellowship and our Saint discussion in the Parish Center. You are encouraged to pick a favorite Saint to journey with you in this New Year. Please bring your rosary.

We look forward to seeing you.

Children's Aid:

Help Mission San Jose fight childhood cancer by recycling plastic bottle caps. Mexico non-profit, Banco de Tapitas (Bank of Caps) collects all types of plastic bottle caps to make toys that are sold. The profits are then used to help cancer patients up to age of 21. Patients receive aid for medicines, chemotherapy, bone marrow transplant, oncological wigs and also food, lodging and meals. All programs are free of charge for patients. We are collecting all types of plastic bottle caps. Please look for our collection boxes at the church office and side chapel in church. Help recycle plastic waste that will benefit vulnerable children and make a difference in their lives.

"with God all things are possible". Matthew 19:26

Mission San Jose ACTS Core presents

Valentine's Day Dance



\$25
per person

VFW Post 9186

650 VFW BLVD, SAN ANTONIO, TX 78223

Dinner: 6:00pm – 7:30pm February 22, 2025

Dance: 8:00pm – 12 midnight

Music by: Top Shelf Band & DJ Majick



Come join us for a rosary followed by praise and worship.
Meet us at 6:30 pm on Wednesday, Feb. 12, 2025
in the parking lot outside the church office.
Bring your families, rosaries, and lawn chairs.
(If we have bad weather, we will meet in the Chapel)
For information call Gilbert Jimenez at (210) 414-8245

The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven,
may the *faith* you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of *charity* enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed *hope*
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from within
both humanity and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation
of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee
reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed,
be glory and praise for ever.

Amen

Franciscus

Alive, Living with Cancer

is a support group for anyone whose life is affected by cancer, personally or through the life of another. People of all ages, faith traditions, orientations, and nationalities will find welcome. We offer a safe place for people to share their personal experience in confidentiality and without judgment. We do offer our prayerful support no matter where a person finds themselves on their journey with cancer, others and their faith. We meet in the office of San Jose on

Wednesdays at 10:00am

Feb. 12

Feb. 19

Feb. 26

A free will offering is collected to defray expenses and people are welcome to bring their cup of preferred beverage.

Festival Meeting–

Volunteers needed– Please join us February 24th 6:30pm Parish hall, Everyone is invited. Hope to see you there.

Viva Fiesta!

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING A LITURGICAL MINISTER?

Training for Liturgical Ministers will be opened to parishioners who have both an interest and are willing to dedicate the time needed to serve the parish at the mass you attend. It takes a group of volunteers to create a worship space for all.

If interested in becoming a Lector, or an Extra-Ordinary Minister of Communion the requirements are that you have all Sacraments and if married, married by the Catholic Church. These ministers proclaim the Word of God and serve the Body of Christ to others. So according to the Archbishop they should be in good standing with the church and must be at least 17 years old.

Other Liturgical ministers needed during mass are Ushers and choir members. We also need volunteers to help in decorating the church throughout the Liturgical seasons. This ministry is called Arts and Environment

For more information leave a message for

Ester Perry at the office 210-922-0543.

"to equip the holy ones for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ,"
Ephesians 4:12*



Flowers for the Altar last week

Altar Flowers were donated by

Viola Talamantez in memory of

†James Talamantez

*May his soul and the souls of all the faithfully departed, through
the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen*



YOUTH JUBILEE DAY RETREAT

THE EUCHARIST:

FROM ADORATION TO ACTION

We invite all youth, ages 14-30, to a Youth Day Jubilee Retreat, in English, with Praise and Worship guided by The Franciscan Friars.

In this meeting, we will reflect on how an encounter with God's deep love can call us to become a more authentic version of ourselves by using our God-given talents in the world.

Saturday, Feb. 22, 2025 - 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Mission San Francisco de la Espada

10040 Espada Road

In the Espada Hall, next to the Visitor's Parking

**Lunch and snacks provided*

Flowers for the Altar

Altar Flowers were donated by Cecilia Winkler

in memory of

†Lee Winkler

*May his soul and the souls of all the faithfully departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

Amen



"Let us set out to the bright future, full of Hope."

Archbishop Gustavo
García-Siller, MSpS



Learn More:
ArchSA.org/
Jubilee2025

**We are called to be
Pilgrims of Hope!**

The Volunteer Services Council
of the
San Antonio State Hospital



*Trinkets & Treasures
Thrift Shop*

EMPLOYEE & PUBLIC EVENT

Dates Open in 2025

Feb. 4th, March 4th, April 1st,
May 6th, June 3rd, Aug. 5th, Sept. 2nd,
Oct. 7th, Nov. 4th, Dec. 2nd.

9AM TO 2PM

Always accepting any Donations

6711 S. New Braunfels

@ Logan Hall-Bldg 510

For any Questions or to drop off Donations

(210) 531-8004

AVAILABLE
IN
SPANISH

TREASURES OF THE
ARCHDIOCESE
OF SAN ANTONIO



**Books are available for purchase in
the Parish office or in the Gift Shop
cost is \$40 each.**

Thank you for your support

Volunteers Needed!

Do you love art and history? Are you interested in the history of Mission San Jose Church and the other Mission churches? If you answered "YES" to these questions, then El Camino de San Antonio wants YOU for its new Docent Program. We are currently seeking volunteer docents that are enthusiastic and flexible to greet visitors

and assist them in discovering the sacred space of the Missions. Training sessions to learn about the art, architecture and faith of the missions will be available. If you are interested in becoming a docent for El Camino de San Antonio please contact Nicky Mata at Camino@archsa.org or 210-275-4548.



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.