

# ***Mission San José y San Miguel de Aguayo***

**701 E. Pyron Ave. San Antonio, Tx 78214**

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

**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sunday, July 06, 2025**

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

**Ps 66:1-3,4-5,6-7,16,20**

## **Parish Office Hours**

Monday—Friday 8am—4:30pm

**(CLOSED for lunch 12pm—1pm)**

210-922-0543

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## **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

## **La Tiendita (Gift Shop)**

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday

10am-3pm

Friday, Saturday, Sunday

9:30am—3:30pm

**CLOSED on Tuesday**



Picture taken by: Javier Montanez

## **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, July 05**

**5:00 pm** †Deacon Chip Perry, healing for Jean Pacheco, Ester Perry

**Sunday, July 06**

**9:00 am** †Deacon Francisco Suniga, †Sondra Frias, for the safety & well being of Maximus Garcia, Mackenzie Hires, & Emma Hires, Birthday Blessings for Shawn Benedetti. In thanksgiving for Laura Gamez.

**12:00 pm** †Santiago Martin Sosa Perez, †Consuelo Reyna Ramos, †Nicolas Casas, †Elvira Casas, †Maria De La Luz Jacinto, †Leonor “Lorito” Villalovos, †Maria Rosa Contreras.

**Monday, July 07**

**9:00 am**

**Wednesday, July 09**

**9:00 am**

**Friday, July 11**

**9:00 am**

## Administration

**Pastor**

**Fr. Dennis Schafer, ofm**

**Deacon**

Joe Avila

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**Bookkeeper/ Office Manager**

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**Receptionist**

Beatrice Basaldua

sanjoseinsatx@yahoo.com

**Maintenance**

Manuel Lee Garcia

**Gift Shop Manager**

Lydia Muriel

**Youth Minister**

Javier Montanez

havier@stic.net

## **Please Pray for :**

Dorothy Narendorf, Susie Huizar, Aurora Castro, Noelia &

Deacon Santiago Rodriguez, Mattie Winn, Carmen

Martinez, Kerwin McClain, Ronald Sova, Emma Ortiz,

Freddie Ortiz, Carmen Classy, Willie Acuna, Jefferey

Payne, Alicia C. Marty, Yolanda Montoya, Roberto &

Herlinda Sifuentes, Michael Doughty, Gloria Herrera,

Bro. Manuel Mendoza, ofm, Fr. Paul Gallagher, ofm,

Maggie Petrie, Jean Pacheco, Victor Ortiz, Rudy Alvarez

Jr, Janie Galindo, Loretta Leija, Cheryl Winn, Alice

Aguilar, Clarence Lewis Jr. , Ester Perry, John Reyes,

Anita Botello, Bea Saavedra, Ava Campos, Danielle

Galindo, Francisca Tijerina, Thomas E. Gomez, Ms

Beverly, Juan Guajardo, Vicky Guajardo, Rosa Rodriguez,

Fr. Herb Jones, ofm,



## Calendar of Events

**Saturday, July 05**

**3:30pm-4:30pm** Confessions (CH)

**5:00pm** Mass (MSJ)

**Sunday, July 06**

**9:00am** Mass—English (MSJ)

**12:00pm** Mass—Spanish (MSJ)

**3:00pm—5:00pm**

ACTS Directors (SCB)

**Monday, July 07**

**9:00am** Daily Mass (CH)

**6:00pm—9:00pm** ACTS Men (SFC)

**Tuesday, July 08**

**6:00pm-9:00pm** Mariachi Choir (CH)

**Wednesday, July 09**

**9:00am** Daily Mass (CH)

**Thursday, July 10**

**6:30pm-7:30pm** ACTS Core (SCB)

**Friday, July 11**

**9:00am** Daily Mass (CH)

**Saturday, July 12**

**3:30pm—4:30pm** Confession (CH)

**5:00pm** Mass—Eng. (MSJ)

## **THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS**

**1st Collection: \$ 4,020.33**

**2nd Collection: \$ 447.00 Peter's Pence**

This weekend 2nd Collection is:

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!



### **St. Francis Community Center SFC (Parish Hall)**

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

## **The New Colossus** by **Emma Lazarus**

Not like the brazen giant of Greek fame,  
With conquering limbs astride from land to land;  
Here at our sea-washed, sunset gates shall stand  
A mighty woman with a torch, whose flame  
Is the imprisoned lightning, and her name  
Mother of Exiles. From her beacon-hand  
Glowed world-wide welcome; her mild eyes command  
The air-bridged harbor that twin cities frame.  
"Keep, ancient lands, your storied pomp!" cries she  
With silent lips. "Give me your tired, your poor,  
Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free,  
The wretched refuse of your teeming shore.  
Send these, the homeless, tempest-tost to me,  
I lift my lamp beside the golden door!"

As I was growing up I remember this poem being presented as an ideal for us as Americans in the United States. The last five lines, especially, were held up as models for the American approach to welcoming strangers to our shores. My ancestors, coming from Ireland and southern Germany/France, were part of the great migration of the 19<sup>th</sup> century and settled in the Cleveland area. Both branches of my family tree faced discrimination. Irish Catholics were suspicious because of their perceived obedience to the Pope, and Germans faced discrimination during both World Wars. Yet my ancestors found a way and we are part of the American family. I pray the same for all who come to our country.

As we celebrate our Independence from repression this July 4<sup>th</sup>, I am challenged by the reading we had this past Wednesday from the book of Tobit:

"Do to no one what you yourself dislike. Give to the hungry some of your bread, and to the naked some of your clothing. Seek counsel from every wise man. At all times bless the Lord God, and ask him to make all your paths straight and to grant success to all your endeavors and plans."

The United States has been described as a 'great experiment' in democracy. After more than two centuries, we are more than an experiment. Yet our commitment to the values upon which our country was founded requires constant vigilance to maintain it. May God bless us and guide us. May we remain united in purpose, even when we disagree, and may we build up each other.

**Fr. Dennis**





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## Safe Environment Training through Virtus

**Per the Code of Conduct, the Archdiocese of San Antonio requires 3 trainings:**

- ♦ **Sexual Harassment Training:** Sexual harassment training is required for clergy, candidates for ordination, employees, and adult volunteers. This training must be renewed every three years.
- ♦ **Protecting God's Children:** Protecting God's Children is required for clergy, candidates for ordination, employees, and adult volunteers who minister to children/youth. This training must be renewed every three years.
- ♦ **Vulnerable Adults Training:** Vulnerable adults training is required for clergy, candidates for ordination, employees, and adult volunteers who minister to adult vulnerable populations. This training must be renewed every three years.



# OCIA

## **Want to become Catholic?**

The OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) might be the place for you.

## **What is OCIA?**

The OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a process that engages prospective converts to Catholicism who are beyond the age of reason (older than seven years, but often older than 18). It is designed specifically for those who are unbaptized, but often and legitimately used for those who are baptized (Catholic or non-Catholic), but un-catechized.

For example, some OCIA candidates were baptized Catholic, but were never raised in the Faith. Other candidates may be baptized non-Catholic Christian and never catechized as a Catholic. For those who have been baptized Catholic and raised in the Faith at home, through religious education, or Catholic schooling, a Confirmation program may be a more fitting program.

## **What does the process look like?**

The OCIA program is organized and run by lay members of our parish and overseen by our pastor. The OCIA team members (those who run the program) and candidates (those wishing to become Catholic and/or fully initiated) typically meet on the parish grounds.

Weekly meetings will begin early September, and conclude shortly after Easter Sunday. Each meeting will involve a different lesson about the Catholic Faith.

During the Season of Lent, in the few weeks before the Easter Vigil Mass, candidates undergo what are called "scrutinies." It's a scary word, but it simply involves the candidate making a progressively deeper commitment to the Faith that they are about to profess.

It does not involve any type of speech, but simply standing before the congregation at a Sunday Mass for a brief moment as the priest recites a few prayers on your behalf and asks you to affirm your decision with very simple responses.

## **How do I join?**

If a person who wishes to become Catholic, or fully initiated (i.e., Confirmed), the first thing they should do is to

**call Cecilia Winkler (210) 859-3927**

**or the parish office (210) 922-0543**

We look forward to hearing from you!





# FREE SERVICES

**South Texas Health Mobile Bus**

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Please email [normaavon09@yahoo.com](mailto:normaavon09@yahoo.com) for registration



## Flowers for the Altar

Altar Flowers were donated by  
Cecilia Winkler in memory of

**†All who served to protect our freedom**



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

*Amen*

**Adoration and  
Exposition of the Blessed  
Sacrament**

**July 11, 2025**

**At 7pm**

**In the San Juan Diego Chapel**



**NEXT Service: Fri., August 1, 2025**

*"Indeed, this is the will of my Father, that everyone who looks upon the Son and believes in Him, shall have eternal life. Him will I raise up on the last day."*

*John 6:40*



### Join the MSJ Youth y familia Ministry

- Spiritual Enhancement
- Community & Service hours
- Educational endeavors

For additional Information, contact: **Javier Montanez**, Youth Minister at (210) 317-3971 or [havier@stic.net](mailto:havier@stic.net)  
Or  
Mrs. **Rosalinda Trevino-Montiel**, Asst. Youth Minister at (210) 328-2085 or [rosemontiel@outlook.com](mailto:rosemontiel@outlook.com)

## Arts and Environment

### Volunteers Needed

We in need of volunteers and someone to help lead A&E with decorating the Church on Holy Days and Feast Days.

Please, if you can help, join this much needed ministry at Mission San Jose. Please contact Ester Perry 210-922-0543

Thank You!!



Registration for the 2025-26 classes will begin on Aug. 04, 2025 in the parish office. Classes will start on Sun, September 14, 2025

I look forward to seeing each of you at Mass on Sundays!

Mrs. Angela Garcia

## 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

**Wednesday, July 09, 2025 at 6:30pm**

**In the San Juan Diego Chapel**

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

## 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*





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

Archbishop Gustavo  
García-Siller, MSPS

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



**Learn More:**  
ArchSA.org/  
Jubilee2025

## Holy Name Catholic School

Serving the youth of San  
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### Our History

For more than six decades, Holy Name has offered a strong Catholic education. Initially staffed by the Sisters of Our Lady of Charity, the school welcomed the Sisters of St. Francis in 1981. Over the years, Holy Name has grown, now offering a comprehensive Pre-Kindergarten, Extended Daycare, Elementary, and Middle School program.

#### OUR CAMPUS

Our school offers a strong core curriculum paired with daily religion classes to support both academic and spiritual growth.

#### PROGRAMS

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Parish office or in the Gift Shop cost is  
\$40 each.**

**Thank you for your support**

## 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.**



## 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](mailto:Camino@archsa.org) or 210-275-4548.

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**