

Mission San José y San Miguel de Aguayo

701 E. Pyron Ave. San Antonio, Tx 78214

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, November 16, 2025

The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

Ps 98:5-6,7-8,9

Parish Office Hours

Monday—Friday 8am—4:30pm

(CLOSED for lunch 12pm—1pm)

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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, November 15

5:00 pm †Daniel Rodriguez, †Francisca Tijerina, Healing for Jean Pacheco, Ester Perry, Brianna Urbanczk, & Juliana Guzman

Sunday, November 16

9:00 am †Deacon Francisco Suniga, †Pedro Hernandez, †Diane Soriano, †Vicente Huizar, for the safety and well being of Maximus Garcia, Mackenzie Hires, Emma Hires, & Karla Gonzalez, Anniversary blessings for Manuel & Angela Garcia.

12:00 pm †Nicolas Casas, †Elvira Casas, †Ismael Caracheo, †Gloria Maravilla, †Alejandro Flores, †Manuel Camarillo, healing for Deacon Santiago & Noelia Rodriguez.

Monday, November 17

9:00 am

Wednesday, November 19

9:00 am

Friday, November 21

9:00 am

THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS

1st Collection: \$ 5,823.95

2nd Collection: \$ 510.00 Parish Grounds

“Tithe if you love Jesus! Anyone can honk”.

This weekend 2nd Collection is: **Human Development**

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!



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Please Pray for :

Dorthy 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, Loretta Leija, Cheryl Winn, Alice Aguilar, Clarence Lewis Jr. , Ester Perry, John Reyes, Anita Botello , Bea Saavedra, Ava Campos, Thomas E. Gomez, Juan Guajardo, Vicky Guajardo, Rosa Rodriguez, Fr. Herb Jones, ofm, Gloria Vargas, Niko Melendez, Marti Roberts, Mary Ann Lozano, Isela Cruz, Consuelo Chavez Gonzalez, Herlinda Sifuentes, Ursula Aguirre, Paloma Sifuentes, Pancho Garcia, Evelyn Garcia, Alejandro Hernandez, Bianca Laurel, Ava Solomon Campos, Evelyn Meyer, Aracelia Vasquez, Zariah Basaldua, Gianna Garcia, Shelby Guerard, Aracelia Vasquez, Deacon Joe Avila, Jae Marks, Brianna Urbanczyk, Violete Trevino, Angel Lopez, Tomasa Lopez, Olga Leija, Pedro Javier Contreras Jr.



Calendar of Events

Saturday, November 15

11:45am-3:00pm

Senior Turkey Luncheon (SFC)

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

5:00pm Mass (MSJ)

Sunday, November 16

9:00am Mass—English (MSJ)

10:15am-11:30am CCD (SFC)

12:00pm Mass—Spanish (MSJ)

12:00pm-5:00pm Secular Franciscan (SFC)

Monday, November 17

9:00am Daily Mass (CH)

6:30pm-9:00pm W.O.W meeting (SFC)

Tuesday, November 18

11:00am-2:00pm

Altar Society meeting (SFC)

6:00pm-9:00pm Mariachi Choir (SFC)

Wednesday, November 19

9:00am Daily Mass (CH)

6:30pm Alive Living w/Cancer (CH)

6:30pm-8:30pm ACTS Woman (SFC)

Thursday, November 20

6:00pm Parish Council (OF)

Friday, November 21

9:00am Daily Mass (CH)

Saturday, November 22

9:00am-12:00pm

Coffee w/ the Saints (SFC)

10:00am

Eucharistic Minister training (MSJ)

3:30pm—4:30pm Confession (CH)

5:00pm Mass—Eng. (MSJ)

KEY LEGEND

St. Francis Community Center	SFC
St. Clare Building	SCB
San Juan Diego Chapel	CH
Mission San Jose Church	MSJ
Parish Office	OF
Friary	FR
Parish Parking Lot	PL
San Miguel Building	SMB
Prayer Garden	PG

Let's put on a show!

A tradition for the Christmas season in many communities is the Pastorela. Traditionally it's the basic fight between good and evil, personified by Satan and the Archangel together with their minions. It is told in a light-hearted, comic manner and, of course, good wins out at the end. In addition there is a group of shepherds who are on their way following a star.

Our parish would like to present a Pastorela together with a parish gathering to share a meal. In the cast of the play are some interesting characters. As followers of the devil there's the one who is hungry all the time, the one who is always telling fantastic stories, and the one who is always looking for love. Followers of the Angel include a fastidious secretary who wants everything in order, one who's always telling jokes, a wide-eyed innocent and others. And then there are the shepherds, including a young couple who are in love.

We will need cast members, people to help with costumes, and people to help with very simple scenery. Practices can be on Sunday afternoon or Monday evening, and we'll start with reading through the script to decide who will play which parts. Our first meeting will be on Sunday, November 30 at 3:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

This is a great way to involve families. Children can be shepherds, little angels, and little devils. Teenagers can share in the roles and work backstage. Please call the office to let us know you want to participate. (210) 922-0543.

Ministries in the parish

At a recent meeting of leaders of ministries in the parish, we decided that we would list officers for each group together with their contact information. This will do two things: Give you a contact person in case you are interested in knowing more about a group, and facilitate communication among groups in the parish. The leaders are listed elsewhere in the bulletin this week.

Christ the King

Next Sunday is the solemnity of Christ, King of the Universe. It is the last Sunday of the liturgical year and in it we recognize Christ as the center of all creation. Then on November 30 we will start a new liturgical year with the First Sunday of Advent. May God help us celebrate worthily the end of the year and prepare us to enter into the season of Advent.

Fr. Dennis

HAPPY BIRTHDAY RICHARD

I Would Like to Thank Our Lord Jesus Christ for Blessing Me With 66 Years of Life. Blessed Abundantly!!!!



Coffee With The Saints

All women of our Parish & Community are invited to our next
**Coffee with the Saints
Pot Luck Breakfast**

**On Saturday, Nov. 22nd from
9:00am –11:30am.**

Join us for prayer, fellowship and our Saint discussion in the Parish Center.

**Please bring your rosary
and your favorite coffee cup.**
We'll also work on a Christmas craft.
We look forward to seeing you.

Alive & Living w/ Cancer

Is a support and prayer group for everyone whose life is affected by cancer. Those living with cancer, those in remission and family. Life can be a challenge for all of us.

You are always welcome! Whether you have cancer, are in remission or just want to support those of us who are living with cancer. We meet every Wednesday at 6:30pm in the chapel at San Jose.

**Alive, Living with Cancer meets every
Wednesday Night at 6:30pm**

in the parish chapel. We invite you to join us as we support and pray for those affected by cancer.

MISSION CONCEPCIÓN

MATACHINE

Festival



FREE ENTRY

HONOR OUR BLESSED MOTHER
THROUGH DANCE

FOOD & MUSIC

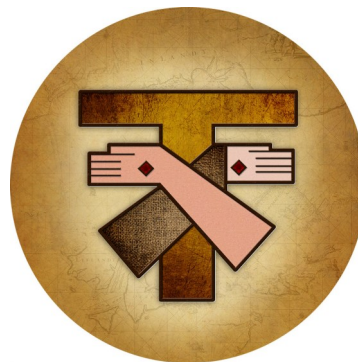
**SUNDAY
DECEMBER
7, 2025**

FOOD AND REFRESHMENT BOOTHS AT
THE PILGRIMAGE CENTER
BEHIND MISSION CONCEPCIÓN

STARTS AT 1PM UNTIL 5 PM

807 MISSION ROAD

CHICKEN ON A STICK DRINKS	FRITO-PIE CUCUMBER CUPS	HOT CHEETOS CHALUPAS	CORN IN A CUP NACHOS
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JOIN US IN THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT
AS MISSION SAN JOSE PRESENTS

SANTA'S WORKSHOP

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2025
FROM 8AM-12PM
IN THE ST. FRANCIS CENTER
6710 SAN JOSE DR.
VISIT W/SANTA & MEET HIS ELVES
\$5 PER PERSON

WILL INCLUDE:
A PANCAKE BREAKFAST
LOTS OF ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS OF ALL AGES,
COME DRESSED IN YOUR FAVORITE PAJAMAS.



Luce P.P. XIV

Prayer for the Pope

Lord, source of eternal life and truth, give to your shepherd a spirit of courage and right judgment, a spirit of knowledge and love. By governing with fidelity those entrusted to his care, may he, as successor to the Apostle Peter and Vicar of Christ, build your Church into a sacrament of unity, love and peace for all the world. Amen.

V/ Let us pray for the Pope. **R/ May the Lord preserve him, give him a long life, make him blessed upon the earth, and not hand him over to the power of his enemies.** V/ May your hand be upon your holy servant. **R/ And upon your son, whom you have anointed.** Our Father ... Hail Mary ... Glory Be

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Source: [National Catholic Register](https://www.nationalcatholicregister.org)




IlluMen
presents
Winter's Glow

Sunday, December 7, 4:00pm

Mission San José
(6701 San José Drive, San Antonio, Texas, 78214)

Free Admission



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Group/Ministry	Contact
Art & Envi.	Ester Perry (volunteer) Ester.perry@yahoo.com
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MissionFest	TBD

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"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



PILGRIM
Center of Hope

Guiding people to Christ

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.



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of
SAN ANTONIO

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.



Sacred Space Virtual Tour

Explore the Missions like never before.



The new Sacred Space Virtual Tour from [El Camino de San Antonio Missions](#) is narrated by KENS 5 anchor and reporter Alicia Neaves. The Tour pairs engaging commentary with on-screen images accessible via QR code on the pilgrim-passport stamp stand inside (or just outside) each church. Often called the "Queen of the Missions," Mission San José offers ornate stonework and a beautiful sacristy. Discover the legendary Rose Window — it is widely considered one of the finest examples of baroque architecture in North America. The sacristy features an ornately carved lavabo, where water flowed from a cherub's mouth into a bowl with a carved shell feature.



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.

FLOWER DONATIONS

We are accepting donations for Christmas Flowers to decorate the Church. You can make your donation in memory of a loved one or from yourself, individually. Envelopes will be available in the back of the church or you can ask one of the ushers for one.

Thank you for your donation!