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#### CHURCH SITES

St. Alexander, San Alejandro  
1568 W. Holt Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53215  
St. Helen, Santa Elena  
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#### PARISH OFFICE | OFICINA PARROQUIAL

3307 S. 10th St., Milwaukee, WI 53215  
Telephone: 744-3695 | Facsimile: 744-2874

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#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday, 12 PM Elementary School Mass, St. Helen  
Wednesday, 8 AM, St. Alexander  
Thursday, 8 AM, St. Alexander  
Friday, 12 PM Middle School Mass, St. Alexander

#### MISA ENTRE SEMANA

Miércoles, 6:30 PM Español, St. Helen Church

#### WEEKEND MASSES IN ENGLISH

Saturday, 4 PM, St. Alexander  
Sunday, 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM, St. Helen

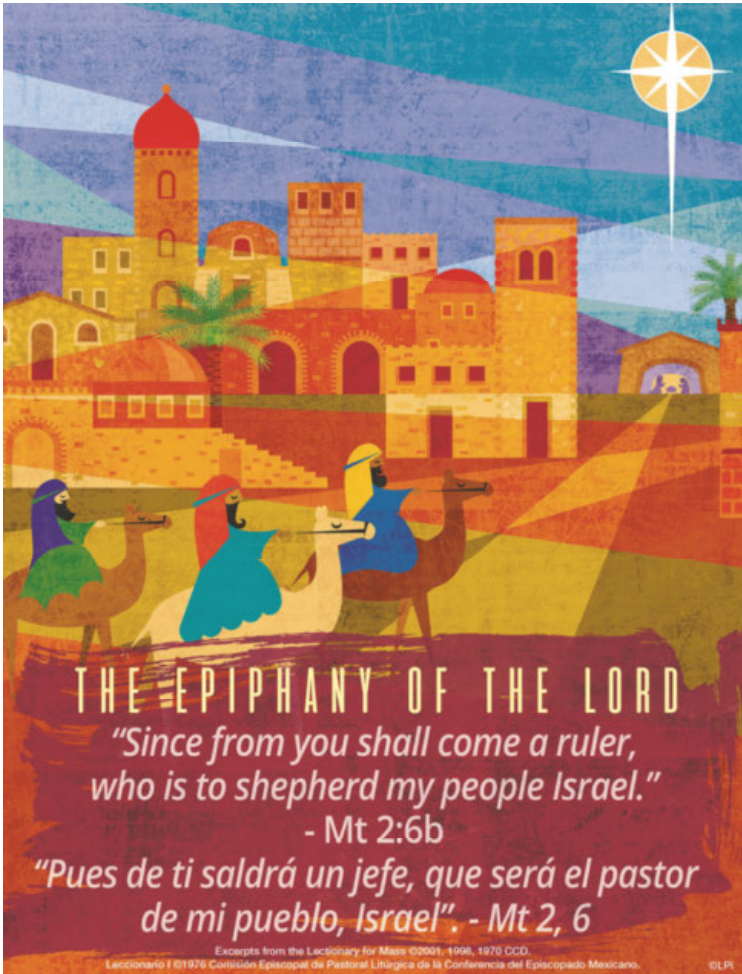
#### FIN DE SEMANA MISAS EN ESPAÑOL

Sábado, 5 PM, Santa Elena  
Domingo, 8:30 AM y 11:30 AM, San Alejandro

#### RECONCILIATION / RECONCILIACION

*(in both languages, en ambas lenguas)*  
Saturday, SA Church, 2:30-3:30 PM | Miércoles, SA Church, 5-6 PM

WEBSITE: [www.sjpii-parish.org](http://www.sjpii-parish.org)



#### PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Michael Ignaszak, Pastor  
Rev. Esteban Redolad, Associate Pastor  
Deacon Edwin Reyes, Permanent Deacon  
Deacon Manuel Maldonado, Permanent Deacon  
Idalia Nieves-Reyes, Pastoral Associate  
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Sharon Dahle, Director of Admin. Services  
Robert Martin, Director of Music & Liturgy  
Miguel Herrera, Director of Maintenance  
Doreen Petrovic, Admin. Asst. & Safeguarding Coordinator  
Jennifer Jusino Alvarado, Bilingual Secretary

#### SCHOOL STAFF:

Beth Eichman, Principal  
Graciela Martin, School Secretary  
Connie Nosbisch, School Secretary

January 2, 2022 | 2 de enero de 2022

**The Finance Council is still looking for new members!**

By: Sharon Dahle, Director of Administrative Services

The Finance Council is an advisory committee that is made up of the Fr. Mike, Fr. Esteban, the Trustees, parish members and myself. Some of our jobs on the Finance Council are to review income vs. expenses for the parish and school, to review our investments, work on the budgets, and to work with our maintenance supervisor regarding projects or major repairs to our facilities. We meet the first Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. Must be bilingual. If you are interested, please call the parish office and speak to either Fr. Mike, Fr. Esteban or myself.



Please make sure all checks are made payable to St. John Paul II Parish. We are still receiving checks that are made payable to St. Alexander and St. Helen. Our bank no longer accepts these checks. Thank you in advance!

The **English Baptism Prep Class** will take place on Tuesday, January 4, 6 p.m. at St. Helen Church. The **Spanish Baptism Prep Class** will take place on Thursday, January 6, 6 p.m. at St. Helen Church. You **MUST** register with the parish office in order to attend the Baptism Prep Classes. If you have any questions, please call the parish office. Thank you.

Los horarios para la **clase de preparación para el bautismo** en la Iglesia Santa Elena es el siguiente: Inglés, Martes 4 de enero a las 6 p.m., Español, Jueves 6 de enero a las 6 p.m. Los participantes deben registrarse en la oficina parroquial previo a la fecha de la clase. Si tiene alguna pregunta, llame al 744-3695. ¡Gracias!

“When I stand before God at the end of my life, I would hope that I would not have a single bit of talent left and could say, I used everything you gave me.”

—Erma Bombeck

**A Little Humor**

The new minister was driving on an unpaved country road and had a wreck. A farmer in the parish stopped and said, “Reverend, are you okay?” The minister said, “Yes, I had the Lord riding with me.” The farmer took a long look at the car and said, “Well, Reverend, you better let him ride with me, because you’re gonna kill him.”

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In 2022, SJPII Parish will be promoting the WeShare On-Line Giving. It’s fast, easy, convenient and secure. If you’ve never donated online before, signing up is easy!

- Visit our church website, [www.sjpii-parish.org](http://www.sjpii-parish.org) and click “Give Online”.
- Click on the collection you wish to donate to (ex: Weekly, Building Fund, Holy Day, Food Pantry, Special Donations, etc.)
- Click “Recurring donation,” then enter your donation amount and frequency.

Once you’ve added your account information, donations will automatically deduct from your checking account or you can charge your credit card. It’s that easy and you can stop deductions at anytime. There are no penalty fees involved.

Our goal is to have 30 families sign up for the first quarter of the year January through March and so on for each quarter.

If you need help or have questions, you can call the parish office or a WeShare support representative at 800-950-9952 and select option 1. They are available from 7 a.m.-7 p.m. CT.

**Senior Corner**

**Vital Voices:** (414) 771-4368

Provides telephone reassurance program for daily wellness checks on homebound older adults.



**Eras Senior Network:** (414) 488-6500

Matches volunteers with older adults to provide rides to medical appointments and grocery stores as well as friendly phone visits.

<p><b>January 2</b> 8:30a Mass SH 8:30a Misa SA 10:30a Mass SH 11:30a Misa SA</p> <p>No Religious Education or Confirmation classes this weekend.</p>	<p><b>January 3</b> School Resumes Parish Office Closed 6p Adoration &amp; Benediction SA</p>	<p><b>January 4</b> 12p School Mass (E) 6p Baptism Class ENG SH 6p SP Women’s Group SAH 6:30p Human Concerns PO/Kitchen</p>	<p><b>January 5</b> 8a Mass SA 6:30p Misa SH 6:30p Finance Mtg. (Virtual) 6:30p Dartball SHH 7 SP Marriage Group SAH 7:10p Choir SH Loft</p>	<p><b>January 6</b> 8a Mass SA 6p Bautismo Clase SP SH 6p Grupo de Oracion SA</p>	<p><b>January 7</b> School Early Dismissal No School Mass</p>	<p><b>January 8</b> 4p Mass SA 5p Misa SH</p>
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## MASS INTENTIONS INTENCIONES PARA LA MISA

### Monday, January 3

6:00 PM St. Alexander Bilingual Adoration with  
Benediction  
San Alejandro Bendición y Adoración Bilingüe

### Tuesday, January 4

12:00 PM St. Helen † Kenneth Lychwiak - int. Barbara  
Konkol

### Wednesday, January 5

8:00 AM St. Alexander Intention of Celebrant  
6:30 PM Santa Elena Intención of Celebrante  
*Español Misa*

### Thursday, January 6

8:00 AM St. Alexander Intention of Celebrant

### Friday, January 7

12:00 PM St. Alexander Intention of Celebrant

### Saturday, January 8

4:00 PM St. Alexander † Marleen Clark - int. Linda &  
Tom Schmidt  
† Alice & Felix Zbikowski - int.  
family  
5:00 PM Santa Elena Intención del Celebrante  
*Español Misa*

### Sunday, January 9

8:30 AM San Alejandro Intención del Celebrante  
*Español Misa*  
8:30 AM St. Helen Intention of Celebrant  
10:30 AM St. Helen † Irene Kohler - int. David Kohler  
11:30 AM San Alejandro † Sidronio Sandoval & Maria del  
*Español Misa* Refugio Sandoval - int. familia

### New Year Prayer

Thank You Lord for giving me the brand new year ahead. Help me live the way I should as each new day I tread. Give me gentle wisdom that I might help a friend, give me strength and courage so a shoulder I might lend. The year ahead is empty, help me fill it with good things. Each new day filled with joy and happiness it brings.  
—Amen

### Oración de Año Nuevo

Señor, gracias por darme el nuevo año que se acerca. Ayúdame a vivir de la manera que debo vivir cada nuevo día. Dame sabiduría para ayudar a un amigo, dame fuerza y coraje para ofrecerle mi hombro. El próximo año está vacío, ayúdame Señor a llenarlo de buenas obras. Y que cada nuevo día sea de alegría y felicidad.  
—Amén

**HAPPY ★ NEW ★ YEAR**

## SCRIPTURE READINGS LECTURAS DE LA ESCRITURA

### Sunday | Domingo:

Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf.11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/  
Mt 2:1-12

### Monday | Lunes:

1 Jn 3:22—4:6/Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

### Tuesday | Martes:

1 Jn 4:7-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mk 6:34-44

### Wednesday | Miércoles:

1 Jn 4:11-18/Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13/Mk 6:45-52

### Thursday | Jueves:

1 Jn 4:19—5:4/Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17/Lk 4:14-22a

### Friday | Viernes:

1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 5:12-16

### Saturday | Sábado:

1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b/Jn 3:22-30

### Next Sunday | Próximo Domingo:

Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22 or, Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]/Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

## FOOD PANTRY FECHA DE DESPENSA

January 15: Item of the Month: Tomato Sauce

15 de enero: Artículo del mes: Salsa de tomate

February   febrero 19	Pineapple chunks, piña en trozos
March   marzo 19	Cooking oil, Maseco
April   abril 16	White sugar, azúcar granulada
May   mayo 21	Pasta (elbows & spaghetti) Pasta (coditos & spaghetti)
June   junio 18	Tuna fish, Atún

Thank you to everyone who generously gave to our food pantry. We have one of the best food pantries in the area, thanks to all our parishioners and the organizations who help us feed our parish & school families as well as our neighboring community. God bless you throughout the year for your continuous support. We could not be successful without your donations.

Gracias a todos los que generosamente han donado a la despensa de alimentos. Tenemos una de las mejores despensas de alimentos en el área, gracias a todos nuestros feligreses y las organizaciones que nos ayudan a alimentar a nuestras familias de la comunidad parroquial y escuela. Dios los bendiga durante todo el año por su continuo apoyo. No podríamos tener éxito sin sus donaciones.



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