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MASS

MISA

Tuesday/Martes:

Chapel/Capilla @ 8:00 AM

Wednesday/Miércoles:

Chapel/Capilla @ 8:00 AM

Thursday/Jueves:

Chapel/Capilla @ 8:00 AM

Friday/Viernes:

Chapel/Capilla @ 8:00 AM

Saturday/Sábado:

Church/Iglesia @ 6:00 PM English

Sunday/Domingo:

Church/Iglesia @ 8:00 AM Español,

10:00 AM English, 12:00 PM Español

CONFESSIONS

CONFESIONES

Saturday/Sábado:

4:00 PM-5:00PM

ADORATION

ADORACIÓN

Thursdays Blessed Sacrament/
Jueves Exposición del Santísimo

8:00 AM-5:45 PM

OFFICE HOURS

HORARIO DE OFICINA

Monday – Thursday/Lunes – Jueves

Monday- 8:00 AM-NOON

Tuesday- 8:00 AM-3:00 PM

Wednesday- 8:00 AM-4:00 PM

Thursday- 8:00 AM-3:00 PM

(One hour lunch/Una hora de almuerzo)

12:00 - 1:00 PM

Friday/Viernes:

8:00 AM-NOON

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JANUARY 2ND, 2022 | THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. - Mt 2:10-11

Al ver de nuevo la estrella, se llenaron de inmensa alegría. Entraron en la casa y vieron al niño con María, su madre, y postrándose, lo adoraron. Después, abriendo sus cofres, le ofrecieron regalos: oro, incienso y mirra. - Mt 2, 10-11

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PRAYER & WORSHIP

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THIS MONTH'S HOST SPONSORS

George & Cynthia Felan

Intention: Thanksgiving for 50th Anniversary



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*Eternal Father in Heaven,
Please protect all of Your people from
unjust death;
Most especially, please protect Your
dear children
In the sanctuary of a mother's womb.
Please bring about an end to the evil of
abortion,
And convert the hearts of all those who
support it.
Amen.*

SACRAMENT

For any Sacramental need, please call the Pastor to make an appointment. Each Sacrament requires a different preparation program, to be established in the initial interview.

SACRAMENTO

Si desea celebrar algún Sacramento, por favor haga una cita con el párroco. Cada Sacramento requiere un tiempo de preparación para ser establecido en dicha

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

For Anointing of the sick please fill out a card at the entrance of the church.

UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS

Para la Ucción de los enfermos por favor llene una tarjeta que esta en la entrada de la Iglesia.

MASS INTENTIONS

To offer masses for your loved ones please call the office.

INTENCIONES DE MISA

Para ofrecer misas para sus seres queridos por favor llámé a la oficina si desea ofrecer la misa.

THIS WEEKS FLOWER SPONSORS

Maria Guadalupe Hernandez

Intention: † Estefania Tejina

If you wish to be a sponsor please contact the parish office at 281-342-5092



Alfred Arredondo, Miguel De La Torre, Antonia Flores, Lupe Garcia, Pedro Granados, Cecilia Gonzalez, Mark Lester, Gaston Lendasse, Ofelia Gonzalez Morales, Claudia Gonzalez, Diana T. Giordonello, Lawrence E. Giordonello, Jairo Lemus, Esther Leyva, Leonard Martinez, Serafin Nuñez, Jesse Perez, Myra Ponville, Bryan Ramirez, Josefina Ramirez, Ramona Rosales, Lupita Ramos, Joe Rosilez Sr., Aurora Sanchez, John Sanchez, Esteban Treviño, Tony Treviño, Jesus Vega, Legacy at Long Meadow Community, Diana Torres Giordonello, Larry Torres Giordonello, Fr. Innocent Ezrifale, Sandy Ramirez

Call the office with the names of those who need our prayers and also call to inform us when to remove the name from the list.

Llame a la oficina para informar sobre quienes están enfermos y podamos orar por ellos. Llámenos también cuando consideren



DECEMBER 25 † Guadalupe Lopez
6:00PM

By Dolores Gonzalez

DECEMBER 26 † Estefania Tejina 8:00 AM

By Ma. Guadalupe Hernandez

† Parish Family 10:00 AM

† Isaias Muñiz 12:00 PM

By Juana Muñiz

DECEMBER 27 NO MASS

DECEMBER 28 † 8:00AM

By

DECEMBER 29 † Jim Lund 8:00AM

By Lety Manzo

DECEMBER 30 † 8:00AM

By



ANNOUNCEMENTS



WEEKEND COLLECTION

Weekend of December 19, 2021

Weekend Collection.....	\$7,134.46
Second Collection.....	\$806.00
Children's Collection.....	\$47.00
Christmas Dance	\$8,958.00
Flowers.....	\$435.00
Building Fund.....	\$0.00
Tamales.....	\$2,338.25
Candles.....	\$65.00
St. Gabriel.....	\$27.00
Online Giving	\$2,177.00
TOTAL	\$21,987.71

COLECTA DEL FIN DE SEMANA

Fin de Semana del 19 de Diciembre, 2021

Colecta Regular.....	\$7,134.46
Segunda Colecta.....	\$806.00
Colecta de Niños.....	\$47.00
Baile Navideño	\$8,958.00
Flores.....	\$435.00
Fondos del Edificio.....	\$0.00
Tamales.....	\$2,338.25
Veladoras.....	\$65.00
San Gabriel	\$27.00
Online Giving	\$2,177.00
TOTAL.....	\$21,987.71

READINGS OF THE WEEK

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

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

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

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

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

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

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Domingo: Is 60, 1-6/Sal 71, 1-2. 7-8. 10-11. 12-13 [cfr.11]/Ef 3, 2-3. 5-6/Mt 2, 1-12

Lunes: 1 Jn 3, 22—4, 6/Sal 2, 7-8. 10-12/Mt 4, 12-17. 23-25

Martes: 1 Jn 4, 7-10/Sal 71, 1-2. 3-4. 7-8/Mc 6, 34-44

Miércoles: 1 Jn 4, 11-18/Sal 71, 1-2. 10. 12-13/Mc 6, 45-52

Jueves: 1 Jn 4, 19—5, 4/Sal 71, 1-2. 14 y 15. 17/Lc 4, 14-22

Viernes: 1 Jn 5, 5-13/Sal 147, 12-13. 14-15. 19-20/Lc 5, 12-16

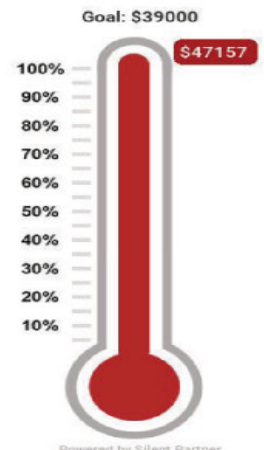
Tamales for sale year-round!!! Only \$12 per dozen call the office before wednesday to order.



DSF Updates:

Goal: \$39,000

Paid: \$47,157



PARISH INFO

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ANNOUNCEMENT FROM CARDINAL DINARDO

Dear St. John Fisher Parishioners,

Cardinal Daniel DiNardo has issued a decree removing the general dispensation from the Sunday and Holy Day Mass Obligation effective Sunday, January 2nd, 2022, the solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord.

Cardinal DiNardo is asking the Catholic faithful of our Archdiocese to resume regular Sunday Mass attendance. Still, please note that the normal dispensations (those who find it impossible to attend Mass due to illness, advanced age, caring for a sick person, or being at elevated risk of contracting COVID-19) are still in place. Those who cannot attend for one of those reasons are encouraged to watch a live-streamed Mass and meditate upon the Scriptures at home. For the time being, the suspension of receiving the Precious Blood from a common chalice remains in effect

We are excited to celebrate our upcoming Christmas liturgies with you and welcome everyone back to the parish in the New Year. Together let us continue to open our hearts and minds and glorify the Lord in 2022!

ANUNCIO DEL CARDENAL DINARDO

Queridos feligreses de St. John Fisher,

El cardenal Daniel DiNardo ha emitido un decreto que elimina la dispensa general de la obligación de la misa dominical y del día santo a partir del domingo 2 de enero de 2022, solemnidad de la Epifanía del Señor.

El cardenal DiNardo está pidiendo a los fieles católicos de nuestra Arquidiócesis que reanuden la asistencia regular a la misa dominical. Aún así, tenga en cuenta que las dispensaciones normales (aquellos a quienes les resulta imposible asistir a misa debido a una enfermedad, edad avanzada, cuidado de una persona enferma o que tienen un riesgo elevado de contraer COVID-19) todavía están vigentes. A los que no puedan asistir por una de esas razones se les anima a ver una Misa en vivo y meditar sobre las Escrituras en casa. Por el momento, se mantiene vigente la suspensión de recibir la Preciosa Sangre de un cáliz común.

Estamos emocionados de celebrar nuestras próximas liturgias navideñas con ustedes y les damos la bienvenida a todos a la parroquia en el Año Nuevo. ¡Juntos continuemos abriendo corazones y mentes y glorifiquemos al Señor en 2022!

BIBLE STUDY WITH DEACON BRICK

There will not be bible study for the month of December. Bible study will start again Tuesday January 4th at 10:00 a.m. till 11:00 am at the Knights of Columbus Hall on HWY 36 in Rosenberg, TX.. Very casual all you need is your bible (any translation). The class will be presented in English. For questions, please call Deacon Brick at 713-542-6334 or email db1@mission1.net.

2022 ST. JOHN FISHER MARRIAGE PREPARATION ENGLISH CLASSES

Pick up and complete registration form at the office. Return completed form to the office by 2-1-2022.

First Class starts 2-20-22 @ 3:00PM.

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Pues eres tú quien me creo, me tejió en el seno de mi madre. Te doy gracias por tantas maravillas, admirables son tus obras y mi alma bien lo sabe.”
Salmos, 139, 13-14

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QUINCEAÑERA

Tenemos celebraciones de quinceañeras en St. John Fisher.



PRO-LIFE PRAYER

God, you are the Lord and Creator of Life
You have blessed men and women
With the privilege
Of bringing new life
Into the world.
You have imparted in our hearts.
The desire to nurture and protect life.
At all its stages.
I accept these gifts as a sacred trust.
Through the power of the Holy Spirit
Help me to affirm the value of life.
Grant me the wisdom and courage
To speak out and defend human life.
Give me compassion
So that I may lovingly counsel
Those who would reject the gift of life,
Which is the reflection
Of Your image and likeness.
Amen

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



PASTOR'S DESK

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DEAR ST. JOHN FISHER FAMILY,

I greet you, hoping that these December festivities have left plenty of unity, joy, and love in your families.

Happy New Year! What a blessing God has given us to reach 2022. Many of us hope that it will be a much better year than 2021.

Today I invite you first to thank God for the year that has just ended for the experiences that we've lived through have taught us lessons and perhaps the tests or problems we've faced have helped us mature and grow as people both morally and spiritually.

We begin a new year always in our mind with new purposes whether family or personal, we set new goals, between studying, finding a better job, losing weight, eating healthier, buying a new car or house of your dreams, taking the trip that's been planned for some time now-the list can go on.

But I propose something to you: Let's surrender to God our purposes, our goals, our dreams...let's place in God's hands everything that is in our mind and heart, so that through His Holy Spirit He may give us the wisdom, the strength, the light, and love we need to carry out everything we want. This is of course a matter not only of just simply praying but one also about acting!

I invite you not to leave behind your purposes! For example, if you've started exercising, do it little by little, do it thinking that the time

and intensity will increase as the days go by, otherwise you will quickly tire and become discouraged and lazy. Another example, if you have decided to look for a better job, then go and see how it'll benefit you as a person, in what areas of your life will you grow and how will that new job help your families.

Let us begin 2022 holding onto the hand of God together! Let us entrust our families to Him so that He may accompany us in this new year and give us the health, patience, faith, and humility to continue to be united in His love.

And as the scripture passage from Jeremiah 29:11 says, "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jesus is the hope, He is our guide, He is our Friend, let us let Him guide our lives. Today He gives us the pencil again so that we can continue to write in the book of life. Let us ask Him to be our inspiration and that each dawn our purpose is to become a better Christian, a better husband/wife, a better father/mother, a better son/daughter, a better worker, a better friend, a better student...so that we can make a difference in this world.

In our parish, like every year, we will continue to need your hands, your feet, your ideas, your joy, your encouragement to carry out the evangelization of Love. So, my brethren, help me to continue this mission; that my purpose is and will continue to be to guide you're as a pastor to meet the Lord.

My prayers are with each of you! May God bless your every step, every project, and every goal you may have and encourage you to never give up.

Happy New Year 2022!

Father Jose-Luis Gutierrez

QUERIDA FAMILIA DE SAN JUAN FISHER:

Les saludo esperando que estas Fiestas decembrinas hayan dejado unidad, alegría y mucho amor en sus familias.

¡Feliz Año Nuevo! Que bendición nos ha dado Dios de llegar a este 2022. Muchos de nosotros con la esperanza de que sea mucho mejor que el 2021 que ha terminado.

Hoy les invito primero que nada a dar gracias a Dios por el año que acaba de concluir, pues las experiencias vividas han dejado una enseñanza y tal vez las pruebas o problemas los hicieron crecer más como personas tanto moralmente como espiritualmente.

Comenzamos un año nuevo siempre en nuestra mente con nuevos propósitos tanto personales, como familiares; poniéndonos nuevas metas, entre estudiar, encontrar un mejor trabajo, bajar de peso, comer más saludable, comprar el carro o la casa de sus sueños, hacer el viaje que han planeado desde hace tiempo...en fin...la lista no terminaría.

¿Pero, les propongo algo? Vamos a entregar a Dios nuestros propósitos, nuestras metas, nuestros sueños...dejemos a Dios todo lo que hay en nuestra mente y corazón, para que a través de su Espíritu Santo nos dé la sabiduría, la fortaleza, la luz, y el amor para que podamos llevar a cabo todo lo deseado. ¡Claro, no solo es de orar sino también de actuar!

¡Les invito a no dejar a medias lo que se han propuesto! Por ejemplo, si comienzas a hacer ejercicio, hazlo poco a poco, hazlo pensando que el tiempo y la intensidad irán creciendo conforme pasen los días, de lo contrario te cansaras rápidamente y llegara el desánimo y la pereza. Otro ejemplo, si te has propuesto buscar un mejor trabajo,

entonces ve y analiza en que te va a beneficiar como persona, en que área de tu vida crecerás y sobre todo como ayudara ese nuevo trabajo para sus familias.

¡De la mano de Dios comencemos juntos este 2022! encomendándole primeramente nuestras familias para que nos acompañe en este nuevo año y nos dé la salud, la paciencia, la fe y la humildad para continuar unidos en su Amor.

Y como dicen las escrituras en Jeremías 29, 11: "Porque yo sé muy bien lo que haré por ustedes; les quiero dar paz y no desgracia y un porvenir lleno de esperanza -palabra de Yavé-." Jesús es la esperanza, es nuestro guía, es nuestro Amigo, dejémoslo guiar nuestras vidas. Hoy nos vuelve a dar el lápiz para que sigamos escribiendo en el libro de la vida. Pero pidámosle que sea nuestra inspiración y que cada amanecer nuestro propósito sea ser un mejor cristiano, un mejor esposo o esposa, un mejor papá o mamá, un mejor hijo o hija, un mejor hermano o hermana, un mejor trabajador o trabajadora, un mejor amigo o amiga, un mejor estudiante... para que hagamos diferencia en este mundo.

En nuestra parroquia, como cada año, seguiremos necesitando de sus manos, de sus pies, de sus ideas, de su alegría, de su ánimo para continuar con la evangelización del Amor. Así que, mi gente, ayúdenme a continuar esta misión; que mi propósito es y seguirá siendo guiarlos como pastor al encuentro del Señor.

¡Mis oraciones por cada uno de ustedes! Que Dios bendiga cada paso, cada proyecto, cada propósito y los anime a nunca desfallecer.

¡Feliz Año 2022!

Padre Luis Gutierrez

CALENDAR & EVENTS

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DECEMBER 26 - JANUARY 8

Sunday 12/26	Monday 12/27	Tuesday 12/28	Wednesday 12/29	Thursday 12/30	Friday 12/31	Saturday 1/1
<p>8:00 AM Misa</p> <p>10:00 AM Mass</p> <p>12:00 NOON Misa</p>	<p>OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p>8:00 AM Weekly Mass</p>	<p>8:00 AM Weekly Mass</p>	<p>8:00 AM Blessed Sacra- ment</p>	<p>OFFICE CLOSED</p> <p>8:00 AM Weekly Mass</p> <p>7:00 PM Solemnity of Mary Mass Bilingual</p>	<p>10:00 AM Solemnity of Mary Mass</p> <p>10:00 AM Misa Solemni- dad de Maria</p> <p>6:00 PM Mass</p>
Sunday 1/2	Monday 1/3	Tuesday 1/4	Wednesday 1/5	Thursday 1/6	Friday 1/7	Saturday 1/8
<p>8:00 AM Misa</p> <p>10:00 AM Mass</p> <p>12:00 NOON Misa</p>	<p>6:00 PM RCIY</p> <p>7:00 PM Talleres de Ora- cion y Vida & Matrimonio Igle- sia Domestica</p>	<p>8:00 AM Weekly Mass</p> <p>6:00 PM CCE Catecismo para Adultos</p>	<p>8:00 AM Weekly Mass</p> <p>6:30 PM Youth Group</p>	<p>8:00 AM Blessed Sacra- ment</p>	<p>8:00 AM Weekly Mass</p>	<p>4:00 PM Confessions</p> <p>6:00 PM Mass</p>



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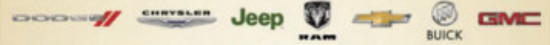
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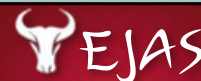
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