

# St. John the Evangelist

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## MASSES/MISAS

### Daily

Tuesday: 6:30 pm (English)

Wednesday: 7 pm (Español)

Thursday & Friday: 8 am

1st Saturday of the Month: 8 am

### Saturday Vigil

5 pm—English

### Sunday/Domingo

8 am and 10 am—English

12 noon—Español

## Confessions/Confesiones

Tuesday 5:30 pm - 6:15 pm

Wednesday 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm

Saturday 4:00 pm

## OFFICE HOURS:

Sunday .....9am—12noon

Monday—Thursday ...9am—3pm

Friday & Saturday ...**CLOSED**

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## THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Behold, this child is destined for the fall and rise of many in Israel." - Lk 2:34a

Simeón los bendijo, y a María, la madre de Jesús, le anunció: "Este niño ha sido puesto para ruina y resurgimiento de muchos en Israel". - Lc 2, 34

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## St. John the Evangelist Mission Statement

We, the people of Saint John the Evangelist, are a Catholic community. Mindful of our ethnic diversity, and as stewards of God's gifts, we dedicate our lives to God. Following the example of our patron saint, John, in the sharing of God's word and love, we serve others. Using our individual gifts, we are called to grow in love, spirituality and unity. Through God's grace and the effort of all, we accomplish this mission.

## Misión Pastoral de San Juan el Evangelista

*Nosotros, la gente de San Juan el Evangelista, somos una comunidad católica. Orgullosos de nuestra diversidad étnica, y como buenos administradores de los dones que Dios nos ha dado, nosotros dedicamos nuestras vidas a Dios. Siguiendo el ejemplo de nuestro Santo patrón, Juan, compartiendo la palabra y el amor de Dios, servimos a los demás. Usando nuestros dones individuales, estamos llamados a crecer espiritualmente, en el amor y en la unidad. A través de la Gracia Divina y del esfuerzo de todos, cumplimos esta misión.*



**CHURCH CALENDAR & MASS INTENTIONS**



**February 1—8, 2020**

**Saturday 1**

4 PM Confessions/Confesiones  
4:40 PM Evening Prayer  
5 PM Mass: Fr. Pedro Garcia-Ramirez, Mildred Hayes, †Bill Klekotta, †Joseph Lavalle

**Sunday 2**

7:40 AM Morning Prayer  
8 AM Mass: For the People of St. John  
9:30 AM Rosary  
10 AM Mass: †Nancy Funderburk, †Sue Keith, Fr. Pedro Garcia-Ramirez  
12 PM Misa: †Erlinda Nájera, †Socorro Nájera, †José Nájera, †Víctor Nájera

**Monday 3**

6:20 PM Rosary/Rosario

**Tuesday 4**

5:30 Confessions  
6:10 Evening Prayer  
6:30 PM Mass

**Wednesday 5**

6 PM Confessions  
7 PM Misa

**Thursday 6**

7:40 AM Morning Prayer  
8 AM Mass: Prayer Blanket Recipients, Sister Ellen McRedmond (60th Anniversary)

**Friday 7 ADORATION**

7:40 AM Morning Prayer  
8 AM Mass  
8:30 AM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**Saturday 8**

8 AM **Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament/** Daily Mass  
4 PM Confessions/Confesiones  
4:40 PM Evening Prayer  
5 PM Mass: †Marjie Waltmon

**Contribution Statements for 2019**

Donation Letters for 2019 will be available to parishioners after January 31. Please contact the parish office if you would like us to mail or email your statement to you or statements may be picked up in the parish office.

**Declaraciones de Donaciones para 2019**

Las cartas de donación para 2019 estarán disponibles para los feligreses después del 31 de enero. Comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si desea que le enviemos su carta por correo o correo electrónico o la puede recoger en la oficina parroquial.



**Presentation of the Lord:** Forty days after Jesus was born, in accordance with the Torah, Mary and Joseph brought him to the temple in Jerusalem to be presented to the Lord. What they could not have known is that two elderly habitués of the temple, Simeon and Anna, recognize in the six-week old child the Savior of the world. As we celebrate this special feast today, let us challenge ourselves to recognize Jesus in the faces of those we meet.

**Presentación del Señor:** Cuarenta días después de su nacimiento Jesús es llevado al templo de Jerusalén por María y José, conforme lo requería la Tora, para presentárselo al Señor. Lo que no pudieron haber sabido es que dos ancianos asiduos del templo Simeón y Ana, reconocieron al Salvador del mundo en el niño de seis semanas. Al celebrar hoy esta fiesta tan especial retémonos a nosotros mismos para reconocer a Jesús en los rostros de aquellas personas que encontramos en el camino.

**THE JOY OF GIVING**

January 26.....\$7,660.00  
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In today's Gospel, we hear Simeon say to Mary: "...your own soul shall be pierced with a sword—so that the thoughts of may hearts may be laid bare". **Your generosity enables the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to bring hope to parents whose hearts are burdened with worries and concerns.**

En el evangelio de hoy, escuchemos a Simeón decirle a María: "...tu propia alma será perforada con una espada, para que los pensamientos de nuestros corazones puedan ser descubiertos". **Su generosidad permite a la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paul llevar esperanza a los padres cuyos corazones están cargados de preocupaciones e inquietudes,**

**Special Collection.** Next weekend, February 8 & 9, we will be taking up a special collection for the Catholic Higher Education Campus Ministries. This collection directly supports our campus ministry programs at the colleges and universities in our diocese. These include communities at the University of Texas, Texas A&M, Baylor, Texas State, Mary Hardin-Baylor, St. Edward's and other smaller college campuses. Thank you for your ongoing support and generosity to this annual collection.

**Colecta Especial.** El próximo fin de semana, 8 & 9 de febrero realizaremos una colección especial para la Educación Superior Católica. Esta colección apoya directamente nuestros programas del ministerio en los colegios y universidades de nuestra diócesis. Estos incluyen comunidades en la Universidad de Texas, Texas A & M, Baylor, Texas State, Mary Hardin-Baylor, St. Edward's y otros universitarios mas pequeños. Gracias por su continuo apoyo y generosidad a esta colección anual.



1st Friday/Saturday **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** will be held Feb. 7 & 8. Adoration will be available from Friday morning at 9am until Saturday morning at 8am. This is an excellent opportunity to fulfill your 1st Friday or 1st Saturday devotions to Our Lord and Our Lady You are welcome to stop by any hour, for any length of time. Please contact Ginger Parten for more information, 512-954-5005 or glake22@yahoo.com

El primer viernes/sábado **Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento** se llevara a cabo el 7 y 8 de febrero. La adoración estará disponible desde el viernes a las 9am hasta las 8am el sábado. Esta es una excelente oportunidad para cumplir con sus devociones del 1er viernes o 1r sábado a Nuestro Señor y Nuestra Señora. Le invitamos a venir a cualquier hora, por cualquier periodo de tiempo. Por favor comuníquese con Ginger Parten para mas información, 512-954-5005 o glake22@yahoo.com



**Seder Meal.** The 2nd Annual Seder Meal will be Thursday, April 2 at 6 pm in the Alexander Center.

**Cena de Seder.** La Segunda cena anual de Seder será el jueves 2 de abril a las 6 pm en el Centro Alexander.

**Men's ACTS Retreat: April 2-5, 2020.** For more information contact Eddie Brailiff at 830-613-7908.

**Retiro ACTS para Hombres: 2-5 de abril, 2020.** Para mas información llame a Eddie Brailiff al 830-613-7908 .

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter.** Worn out from the Holidays? Are you looking for a way to avoid the January blahs? How about a special weekend, just for the 2 of you? Register for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend today! An upcoming weekend is scheduled for February 7-9 at the Wingate Hotel in Round Rock. To apply online visit [austinme.org](http://austinme.org) or contact Michael and Shani Cowart at 512-677-9963 or [wwmeaustin@gmail.com](mailto:wwmeaustin@gmail.com) Call early to ensure a space.

**Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial.** Desgastados de los días de fiesta? Esta buscando una manera de evitar los bla de enero? Que tal un fin de semana especial, solo para ustedes dos. Inscríbase hoy para un Fin de Semana del Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial. El próximo Fin de Semana esta programado el 15 al 17 de febrero. Para mas información o para inscribirse llame a Antonio e Isabel Romero al 830-220-2503 o Emilio y Ana Martínez al 830-613-1297.

**Vacation Bible School "Rocky Railway":** Join "Rocky Railway" as a Crew Leader! Polish up your imagination to participate in creative activities while building relationships with elementary age kids. Crew Leader training will be on Thursday, March 19 at 6:30 pm. Contact Amy Corley for more information.

**Escuela Bíblica de Vacaciones "Rocky Railway":** Únase a "Rocky Railway" como líder de equipo! Refresca tu imaginación para participar en actividades creativas mientras construyes relaciones con niños de primaria. Un entrenamiento de Líder de Equipo será el jueves 19 de marzo a las 6:30 pm. Llame a la oficina para mas información.

**"To the Heights" - Middle School Rally: March 28, 2020,** Sacred Heart Parish in La Grange, Fee for the Conference & Transportation is \$40. Registration Form and \$30 is due March 8. Limited Scholarships are available. We will have a fundraiser to help cover a portion of the cost.

**"To the Heights" - Middle School Rally: Marzo 28, 2020,** Parroquia del Sacrado Corazon en La Grange, la tarifa para la conferencia y el transporte es de \$40. El formulario de inscripción y \$30 se deben entregarse antes del día 8 de marzo. Becas limitadas están disponibles. Tendremos un recaudador de fondos para ayudar a cubrir una parte del costo.

**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Training:** All current Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and anyone interested in being an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion is invited to attend training on Saturday, February 22 at 2 pm in the church. Contact Deacon Ed Holicky if you have questions.

**Entrenamiento para Ministros Extraordinario de la Sagrada Comuni3n:** Todos los Ministros Extraordinario de la Sagrada Comuni3n actuales y cualquier persona interesada en ser un Ministro Extraordinario de la Sagrada Comuni3n est3n invitados a asistir a un entrenamiento el s3bado 22 de febrero a las 2 pm en la iglesia. Comuníquese con el Diacono Ed Holicky con preguntas.

**Adult Formation.** To live a Christian moral life is to respond to the gift of God's love. St. John will be hosting the Adult Formation Classes—Morality starting Feb. 15 at 9 am. Registration Forms may be found in the Narthex or in the Parish Office. Those interested should register early to ensure there are enough materials.

**Formaci3n de Adultos.** Vivir una vida moral cristiana es responder al don del amor de Dios. San Juan ser3 anfitri3n de las Clases—Moralidad a partir del 15 de febrero a las 9 am. Los formularios de inscripci3n se pueden encontrar en el N3rtex de la iglesia o en la Oficina Parroquial. Los interesado deben registrarse lo antes posible para asegurar de que hay suficientes materiales.

### This Week's Activities

#### Sunday 2

7 AM Knights of Columbus (AC)  
10 AM RICA (Buttomer)  
10 AM RICA para Niño's (Casa de Maria)  
4 PM Grupo de Oraci3n

#### Monday 3

4:30 PM 1st Communion Classes  
5 PM St. Vincent de Paul (AC)  
6 PM ACTS Men Mtg. (AC)  
6 PM María Rosa Mística (St. Matthew)  
6:20 PM Scriptural Rosary  
7 PM Reuni3n de Cursillistas (Buttomer)

#### Tuesday 4

7 PM Grupo de Oraci3n

#### Wednesday 5

10 AM Senior Ministry (AC)  
4:30 PM Faith Formation—Elem

**EIM Workshop:** Ethics & Integrity in Ministry Workshop, in English. February 8 at 10 AM or February 22 at 2 PM in the House of Mary. All volunteers are required to attend an EIM Workshop every 3 years. Those wishing to attend one of the upcoming Workshops will need to preregister online through the Diocese of Austin. Walk-ins are NO longer accepted.) Contact Amy Corley if you have questions.

**JESUS: the Way, the Truth and the Life .** A 10 week DVD Study Program and book will begin Monday, February 24 at 7 pm in the House of Mary. The DVD presenters are **Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio, Jeff Cravins, and Dr. Edward Sri.** This study was **filmed in the Holy Land**, so Catholics will experience the extraordinary world in which Jesus lived and taught—the historical context, the politics, the clashing cultures, the history, and the ancient land—and see where the most significant events of his life took place, from his infancy to his ascension. Contact Cyndy Lucky as soon as possible to order a study set, 214-882-7262 or [clucky@luckyconstruction.com](mailto:clucky@luckyconstruction.com)

The **Knights of Columbus** would like to invite you to a pancake breakfast Sunday, February 2 after the 8 am and 10 am masses. This is a small token of our appreciation to you for your support in our various activities and to encourage you to get to know your fellow parishioners.

**Los Caballeros de Colon** servirán tacos el domingo 2 de febrero después de la misa de las 12. Esta es una pequeña muestra de nuestro agradecimiento a ustedes por su apoyo en nuestras diferentes actividades y para animarle a conocer a compañeros feligreses.

### Week: February 2—8, 2020

6:30 PM Faith Formation—MS.HS  
7 PM Spanish Choir Practice

#### Thursday 6

10 AM Lectio Divino (St. John House)  
6:30 PM Knights of Columbus (AC)  
6:30 PM RCIA (St. John House)

#### Friday 7

7 PM Encuentro Matrimonial (Buttomer)

#### Saturday 8

8 AM CRSP Women (Buttomer)  
8 AM Restored Order Year 2 (AC)  
10 AM EIM English (House of Mary)  
2 PM Encuentro Matrimonial (AC)  
5 PM CRSP Men (Buttomer)





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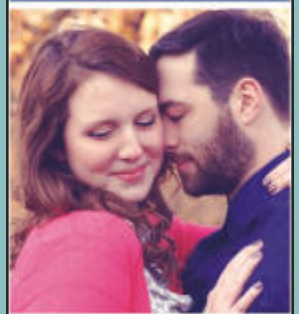
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