

**ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE CATHOLIC CHURCH • NEW TAITON
DIOCESE OF VICTORIA IN TEXAS**

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**Week of
August 15, 2021**

Today is the
Solemnity of the
Assumption of the
Blessed Virgin Mary.

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m. **Sunday:** 7:00 a.m. & 8:30 a.m.
Weekday Mass: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 7:00 a.m.
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday: 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. or by appointment.

~ PASTORAL CARE INFORMATION ~

Sacrament of Baptism: If you are in need of a Baptism, please contact the Parish Office at (979) 543-6985.

Sacrament of Marriage: Couples planning marriage should contact the Parish Office six months prior to the desired date at (979) 543-6985.

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound: If a family member is sick and would like to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office at (979) 543-6985.

New Parishioners: Welcome to St. John's Church. Please fill out our census form located at the main entrance and return to the Parish Office.

Mass Intentions for this Week:

Monday, 08/16	No Mass	
Tuesday, 08/17	7:00 a.m.	Special Intention - Annie Fucik Amelia "Lydia" Sablatura †
Wednesday, 08/18	7:00 a.m.	Albert & Georgia Kubala †
Thursday, 08/19	7:00 a.m.	Johnnie Krpec †
Friday, 08/20	7:00 a.m.	Mary Ann Berger † Leonard Cerny †
Saturday, 08/21	4:00 p.m.	Parish Family Darrell Naiser † George Zernicek †
Sunday, 08/22	7:00 a.m.	Betty Jo Livanec † William E. Supak †
	8:30 a.m.	Jerome, Patty & Jeremy Havel † Cindy Waligura †

Saturday, 4:00 p.m.

Altar Servers: Mason Bystrek, Jackson Bystrek, Carson Bystrek, Hudson Bystrek

Lector: Cassie Clark

Ushers: Lawrence Labay, Jr., Volunteer

Extraordinary Ministers: Jon Bystrek, Sandi Bystrek

Rosary prayed before Mass.

Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

Altar Servers: Simone Riha, Hudson Riha, Vanessa Riha

Lector: Keith Kresta

Ushers: John Merck, Volunteer

Extraordinary Ministers: Becky Dluhos, Volunteer

Rosary prayed before Mass.

***Our Harvest Collection
for this week***

\$810.00

Offertory Collection

Loose: \$633.00

Envelopes: \$2435.00

\$3068.00

BULLETIN SPONSORS this week are Diann & Andy Srubar.

SANCTUARY LIGHT this week is in memory of Vlasta Krpec Sumbera.

STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA will be in the home of Nick & Elizabeth Tupa for the months of July & August.

CRUCIFIX AND PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS will be in the home of Robert & Connie Hlavaty for the months of July & August. Please pray for vocations.

PRAYER THIS WEEK: Father, we pray that more young people will be generous in responding to your invitation to be priests, brothers and sisters. Teach them to follow in Jesus' footsteps by bringing the light of the Holy Spirit to all people. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen. Serra International

AUGUST ALTAR DECORATORS: Barbara Vacek, Leona Swoboda, Rose Marie Bain, Patricia Sanders, Anita Drasta, Gladys Labay, Cassi Yackel, Nancy Ryan, Annie Drastata, Madilyn Zbrank and Irene Cerny. Your offering is due.

CCD REGISTRATION FORMS can be found on the cabinet at the main entrance. CCD will begin on Wednesday, September 8th at 6:00 p.m.

2021 DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL (DSA) - Our parish received the following information from the Chancery Office regarding our 2021 DSA goal: \$24,162.00. The amount contributed so far is \$7,340.00. Please consider making a donation toward our parish goal. Any amount is greatly appreciated. Let us do our part in supporting the Bishop and the operation of the Diocese of Victoria.

EL CAMPO DEANERY WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT will be held October 21-24, 2021 at Cathedral Oaks Retreat Center in Weimar, Texas. Applications are available at the main entrance.

PINCICS (TODAY) SUNDAY: St. Mary's Church in Praha 166th Pražská Pout and Saint Andrew Church in Hillje Summer Festival. **NEXT SUNDAY:** Sts. Cyril & Methodius Church in Cistern Church Picnic.

Meditation for the Week

"Every so often a solemnity like the Assumption falls on a Sunday, giving more prominence to this special feast of Mary. At the end of her earthly life God drew Mary home, assuming her into heaven where she would reign as queen until the end of time. From the beginning of her life on earth, when she was immaculately conceived, until the end, the Blessed Virgin Mary conformed her life to God's will. Let us look to her as a model as we endeavor to discern God's will for us." (Pastoral Patterns)

Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab A woman clothed with the sun, with the moon beneath her feet.

Psalms 45 "The queen stands at your right hand, arrayed in gold."

1 Corinthians 15:20-27 Christ, the firstfruits; then those who belong to him.

Luke 1:39-56 The Almighty has done great things for me: he has raised up the lowly.

"When the angel Gabriel visited the young virgin Mary with the momentous, shocking news that she would be the mother of God's Son, she responded faithfully, "May it be done to me according to your word." When a woman spontaneously praised his mother, Jesus told the crowd, "Blessed are those who hear the word of God and observe it." As we listen to God's word today, let us consider how we assent to God's will and incorporate God's word in our lives. " (Pastoral Patterns)