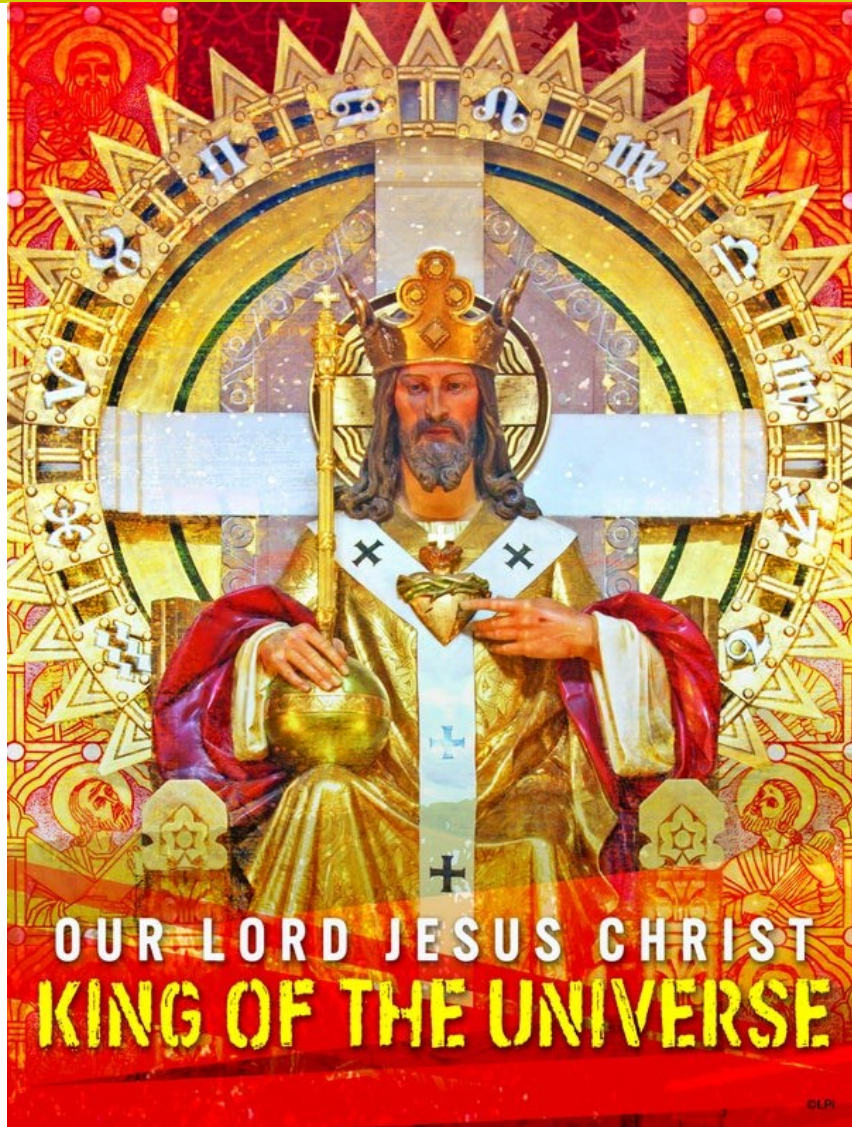


Saint John Catholic Church

Iglesia Católica San Juan

November 21, 2021—Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe
21 de noviembre de 2021 - Nuestro Señor Jesucristo Rey del Universo



LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday5:30 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.
Daily Masses: ..Wednesday 12:00 p.m.
 .. Thursday 8:30 a.m.
CONFESIONS (Saturday)..... 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

HORARIO LITURGICO

Domingo.....12:30 p.m (Español)
Misa Diaria: ... Miércoles 12:00 del medio día
 .. Jueves 8:30 a.m.
CONFESIONES (Sábado) 4:30 p.m. o por cita

HORARIO DE OFICINAS

LUNES—JUEVES: 9:00 a.m. — 2:00 p.m.
VIERNES: 9:00 a.m. - 12 del medio día

OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday: 9:00 a.m. — 2:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m. — 12 NOON

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St John Parish Calendar

SATURDAY November 20, 2021
4:30 PM Reconciliation
5:30 PM Mass parishioners St. John, St. Peter & St Patrick

SUNDAY November 21, 2021
9:00 AM Mass for parishioners St John, St Peter & St Patrick
12:30 PM Misa

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 24, 2021
12:00 Noon Soul of Josie Zahnee

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 25, 2021
9:00 AM THANKSGIVING Mass

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 27, 2021
4:30 Reconciliation
5:30 PM Mass souls of Tom & Frances Leary

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 28, 2021
9:00 AM Mass
12:30 PM Misa Eusebio Velasquez Gonzalez

ST. PETER OFFERS MASS DAILY AT NOON

THE PRAYER REQUEST BOOK FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPART-ED IS NOW IN THE COMMONS AREA.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS/ RECUERDE EN SUS ORACIONES:

Helen Rice, John & Jolene White, Junie Kirby, Maxine Di-Marino, Wayne Ewing, Jeff Kenschack, Mary Higgins, Elena Chavez. John & Peggy Smith, Stanhope Flournoy, Betty Yingst, Paul Greene, Virginia Johnson, Frank Haselton, Leonora Gray, Leslie Gray, Ann Gillikin, Melissa Harrington, Chris Jones, Carl Saunders, Hallett Harrison, Robert Lilley, Joseph Di Marino, Kay Morris and Mike Elrod

If someone you know is sick, hospitalized or home bound and would like our Eucharistic minister or a priest to visit, please call the office. Unless you call we have no way of knowing. If you need a priest for someone who is dying of gravely ill, call our emergency number 804-402-1221.

Readings for the week of November 21, 2021

Sunday: Dn 7:13-14/Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5 [1a]/Rv 1:5-8
Jn 18:33b-37

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/
Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61 [59b]
Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Dn 3:62, 63,
64, 65, 66, 67 [59b] /Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Dn 6:12-28/Dn 3:68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74
59b]/Lk 21:20-28

Friday: Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81
/Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87/
Lk 21:34-36

Next Sunday: Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Ps 25:4-5, 8-
9, 10, 14 [1b]/ Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

**DONATION REQUEST FOR THE MONTH OF
NOVEMBER FOR FISH IS
SOUP**

**DONACIONES PARA FISH ESTE MES DE
NOVIEMBRE
SOPAS**

**Fully Vaccinated
NO MASK
Unvaccinated
MUST WEAR MASK**

WEEKLY COLLECTION

November 13 & 14, 2021

Weekly	Year to date
Actual \$4,255.00	Actual \$91,358.70
Budget \$4,135.00	Budget \$82,700.00
\$ 120.00	\$ 8,658.70

MASS ATTENDANCE

5:30	9:00	12:30
57	115	166



From Administrator's Desk

The year is like a wheel with 365 spokes (as days), and it keeps turning and turning, one full turn after the other, without stopping. The Liturgy of the catholic church likewise follows a yearly pattern of 3 liturgical cycles (A, B & C) showing descriptions of it starting from Advent-Christmas, through Lent-Easter, Ordinary time and ending with the solemnity or feast of Christ the king of the universe.

It is supposed that those who have taken active part in the life of the church and did not miss Sunday mass, would have acquired a deeper knowledge of the person of Jesus Christ.

The liturgical calendar year B began last year November, is coming to an end this coming Sunday with the solemn feast of Christ the king of the universe, not only of the earth but the heavens as well, to pave way for a new liturgical year (cycle C) which apparently begins Advent, the next Sunday.

It is interesting to note that Thursday after the Christ the king feast every year coincides with the American Tradition of celebrating Thanksgiving, in which families gather from far and near to share a meal using the traditional turkey, as a family, with the view of showing appreciation to the Lord by acknowledging his benefits and blessings bestowed in the whole year, just like the Jews celebrated the Passover feast as a family coming from all over, to remember what the Lord has done for them in the past during the exodus (Ex. 12ff)

On this note, I wish you a glorious and fruitful feast of Christ the king of our lives, and an enjoyable commemorative Thanksgiving (proclaimed by president Abraham Lincoln as a national Thanksgiving Day to be held each year in November) with your various family members scattered all over, who will be traveling from far and near for this reunion.

Have a wonderful one.

Fr. Maxwell

Scam email alert

Cybercrime is hitting us again. Criminals set up fraudulent email addresses, with very similar spellings on yahoo, Gmail, etc., and sending messages that APPEAR to be coming from the pastor or the office. They are trying to trick people into sending gift cards to the pastor via links in the email (most popularly iTunes gift cards). Never transfer funds or send gift cards to people requesting it online. Always check with your parish office first. If when you receive an email that shows the parish's pastor or a parish priest as the sender requesting you to purchase a gift card or asking for money, **rest assured it is a scam.** All cybercrime should be reported to the FBI at <https://www.ic3.gov/default.aspx>. It is up to the victim of cyber-crimes to file complaints."

Saint John depends upon your generosity. These walls, built by generations past, now need you to nurture them. Give what you can. No amount is too small. E-Giving makes it easy. Visit www.stjohnscatholicchurch.org and click on the logo



GIVING TUESDAY Global giving day known as **#GivingTuesday** falls each year on the Tuesday after **Thanksgiving**, which is November 30th. It was created to remind us, after all that shopping on Black Friday and Cyber Monday, to also spend our money benefiting the Charities that are near and dear to our hearts. We encourage you to give to your favorite charitable cases on #GivingTuesday this year and we hope that St. John's will be one of them!

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Our annual Christmas Concert will be held on December 12th, 2021 at 3:00pm in the sanctuary of St. John's Catholic Church. All are invited to attend! Please bring a donation of non-perishable foods, personal hygiene goods, or new baby items. Questions? Please email Katie (musicministerkate@gmail.com). We hope to see you there!

Workbook for lectors, Gospel Readers, and Proclaimers of the Word 2022 available at the Office. A donation of \$15 gladly accepted.

St. Joseph Missal 2022

For your convenience we have placed the 2022 St. Joseph Missal on the counter in the commons. A donation of \$4.00 is greatly appreciated.

"The Word Among Us"

Please take a booklet for free to read during this Advent. The booklets are placed on the counter in the commons.

Life is Messy by New York Times Bestselling author Matthew Kelly.

The mess of life is both inevitable and unexpected. It is filled with delightful mysteries and frustrating predicaments. In our disposable culture we throw broken things away. So what will we do with broken people, broken relationships, broken institutions, broken families, and of course, our very own broken selves? We are all broken and wounded. This book is about putting our lives back together, and allowing ourselves to be put back together, when life doesn't turn out as we expected it to. Based on his own heart-wrenching personal journals, Matthew Kelly shares how the worst three years of his life affected him, by exploring this question: Can someone who has been broken be healed and become more beautiful and more lovable than ever before? The answer will fill you with hope. This is quite simply the right book at the right time.

Please take one book for FREE and enjoy reading during this Advent season. The books are placed on the counter in the commons in English and in Spanish.