

# Saint John Catholic Church

## Iglesia Católica San Juan

January 2, 2022— Epiphany of the Lord

2 de enero 2022 — La Epifanía del Señor



### THE EPIPHANY *of the Lord*

*"Since from you shall come a ruler,  
who is to shepherd my people Israel." - Mt 2:6b*

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#### LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday .....5:30 p.m.  
Sunday ..... 9:00 a.m.  
Daily Masses: ..Wednesday ..... 12:00 p.m.  
                  .. Thursday ..... 8:30 a.m.  
CONFESSIONS (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

<b>SATURDAY</b> 4:30 PM 5:30 PM	<b>JANUARY 1, 2022</b> Reconciliation All parishioners St. John. St. Peter & St. Patrick
<b>SUNDAY</b> 9:00 AM 12:30 PM	<b>JANUARY 2, 2022</b> Mass soul of Andrea Hanna Young Misa por Irma Zevallos Solano
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> Noon	<b>JANUARY 5, 2022</b> Mass soul of Matthew Fitzgerald
<b>THURSDAY</b> 8:30 AM	<b>JANUARY 6, 2022</b> Mass for soul of William Davenport
<b>SATURDAY</b> 4:30 AM 5:30 PM	<b>JANUARY 8, 2022</b> Reconciliation Mass soul of Florida McMahon
<b>SUNDAY</b> 9:00 AM 12:30 PM	<b>JANUARY 9, 2022</b> Mass parishioners St. John, St Patrick & St. Peter Misa Reina Ramirez, Nicolas Ventura & Eluvia Ventura

**ST. PETER OFFERS MASS DAILY AT NOON**

## 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, Joseph Di Marino, Mike Elrod, Theresa & Johnny Mosely.

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.

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

## Readings for the week of January 02, 2022

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  
Next Sunday: 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

## DONATION REQUEST FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY FOR FISH IS

**TOOTH PASTE**

**DONACIONES PARA FISH ESTE MES  
ENERO**

**PASTA DE DIENTES**

## THE 2022 BOXED SETS OF ENVELOPES ARE ON

THE COUNTER IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER. IF YOU DO NOT FIND A BOX WITH YOUR NAME OR YOUR ADDRESS HAS CHANGED PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE, WE WILL BE HAPPY TO SEND YOU A SET AND UPDATE OUR RECORDS.

## WEEKLY COLLECTION

December 24, 25 & 26 2021

Weekly		Year to date
Actual	\$7,331.00	Actual \$124,324.76
Budget	<u>\$4,135.00</u>	Budget <u>\$107,510.00</u>
	\$3,196.00	\$16,814.76

All Totals include weekly collection and e-giving

## MASS ATTENDANCE

12/24	6:00 = 122	8:00=112	12:00=68
12/25	9:00= 45		
12/26	9:00 = 124	12:30= 198	



Dear friends, today is the **first Sunday in the first month of the year 2022**, and we are all grateful for his graciousness. However, it is very important to ask for the Lord's blessings and his direction to begin the New Year. Apparently, it coincides with the Epiphany of the Lord in which Jesus is revealed or shown as messiah to the entire world (and not only to the Jews) by the presence of the Magi (**Caspar, Balthazar and Melchior**) from the far East directed by the Star to present their symbolic gifts of Gold (his kingship), Frankincense (his priesthood) and Myrr (his greatness), to the newborn baby, Jesus. (Mt. 2:10-11).

- ◊ The Star led the Magi to Jesus, son of God, what is leading you to God as we start the new year 2022?
- ◊ As gifts of symbolism were presented to the infant Jesus in the manger, what are you also presenting to Jesus in this new year?
- ◊ I am very sure he will be more pleased to have your heart as a gift presented to him than anything else, since it represents your entire life.

And as every mother blesses her children, the blessed mother whose solemn feast as the **Mother of God** (the Theotokos) and the church, is celebrated annually to start the New year, will bless and protect us her children with her divine maternal mantle, as we begin the year, since she was already found favor (blessed) with the Lord when visited by the angel Gabriel (Lk. 1:30)

May you all have a blessed and fruitful New year 2022, free from every pandemic.

Fr. Maxwell

### THANKS FOR 2021

Many thanks to all those involved in ministries, altar servers, Eucharistic ministers, lectors, ushers, sacristans and music ministers. To those that volunteer to clean the church, wash the altar linens, decorate and beautify the church for all the seasons inside and outside, count our offerings each week and all other "little" jobs for St. John. To all the families of the parish that furnish food and time for the funeral lunches, to the Council of Women, that provide for all receptions and special lunches and those that help during the Lenten dinners. To the busy bees, SJP 500 team, Fish representatives, staff, Knights of Columbus the crew who take care of the lawn and the Grotto of Our Lady of Guadalupe. To all the committed catechists who made the classes so wonderful for our kids. All these projects could not have been done without all of you. May we be granted the strength and will to do more in 2022. Fr. Max and Fr. Nick.