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St John Parish Calendar

SATURDAY 4:30 PM 5:30 PM	February 26, 2022 Reconciliation Mass for soul of Fr. Alistair McKay
SUNDAY 9:00 AM 12:30 PM	FEBRUARY 27, 2022 Mass soul of Fr. Alistair McKay Misa soul Miguel de Pilar Flores
WEDNESDAY 9:00 AM 7:00 PM	ASH WEDNESDAY Mass souls Raymond & Mable Simmons Misa
THURSDAY 8:30 AM	MARCH 3, 2022 Mass
SATURDAY 4:30 AM 5:30 PM	March 5, 2022 Reconciliation Mass soul of "Otts" Miskimon
SUNDAY 9:00 AM 12:30 PM	March 6, 2022 Mass soul Edna Stanley Misa por el alma de Julio Penarrieta

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 Konschack, Mary Higgins, Elena Chavez, John & Peggy Smith, Stanhope Flournoy, Betty Yingst, Paul Greene, Virginia Johnson, Frank Haselton, Leonora Gray, Leslie Gray, Melissa Harrington, Chris Jones, Carl Saunders, Hallett Harrison, Joseph Di Marino, Mike Elrod, Theresa Mosely, James Geishermer, and Joan Purcell.

MASK NOTICE

We encourage you to wear your mask at Mass for the safety of all

SJP winners for February are Cary Outland, Beatrice Burton, John & Sara Marakovitz, Fred & Judy Brown, Jeremy Young, Aubrey Prete, Barbara Bailey and Carmen Bencivenni. Next drawing March 17.

Readings for the week of February 27, 2022

Sunday: Sir 27:4-7/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 [cf. 2a]/

1 Cor 15:54-58/Lk 6:39-45

Monday: 1 Pt 1:3-9/Ps 111:1-2, 5-6, 9 and 10 /

Mk 10:17-27

Tuesday: 1 Pt 1:10-16/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/

Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14

and 17/2 Cor 5:20—6:2/

Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Dt 30:15-20/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6

Lk 9:22-25

Friday: Is 58:1-9a/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19 /

Mt 9:14-15

Saturday: Is 58:9b-14/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/

Luke 5-27-

DONATION REQUEST FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY

Canned Carrots

DONACIONES PARA FISH ESTE MES

Febrero

Zanahorias Enlatadas

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES—RICE BOWL

Each Lent, Catholic families across the country unite to put their faith into action through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Through CRS Rice Bowl, families learn about how our sisters and brothers across the globe overcome hardships like hunger and malnutrition, and how through Lenten alms, we have the power to make the world a better place for all. **Don't forget to pick up your family's CRS Rice Bowl TODAY.**

WEEKLY COLLECTION

February 19 & 20, 2022

	Weekly	Year to date
Actual	\$4,612.00	\$159,317.16
Budget	<u>\$4,135.00</u>	<u>\$140,590.00</u>
	\$477.00	\$18,727.16

All Totals include weekly collection and e-giving

MASS ATTENDANCE

5:30	9:00	12:30
70	94	247

From the Desk of the Administrator

Dear Parishioners,
Prayerful Greetings in the Lord.
From next week and the subsequent ones, there will be sessions of the consultative process in the impending synod of the catholic church being held worldwide, of which all of you are expected to participate in the process, since the Holy Father would like to hear from those in the pews and on the margins in the theme: "*Communion, Participation and Mission*", in the various churches worldwide, on what is happening in our churches by listening to each other.

I would therefore encourage all parishioners in the various churches to be part of the listening sessions and meetings listed in the bulletins so that you save the dates that they will be held in your various churches, for you to make your choice which ones you would want to attend. Don't forget that your views are very important for the good and growth of the Catholic Church in the whole world.

Secondly, you are reminded that next Wednesday, March 2, is Ash-Wednesday, which begins the Lenten period of forty days fasting & prayer, penance and abstinence. Kindly note the times for masses on Ash-Wednesday in St. Peter, St. Patrick and St. John Churches.

God bless you all.
Fr. Maxwell

2022 Annual Diocesan Appeal: Together, we bestow His first fruits

Jesus reminds us that a good tree produces good fruit. Consider putting your love and generosity into action by supporting our Annual Diocesan Appeal today.

Many of you received a letter from Bishop Knestout asking for your support of the 2022 Annual Appeal. For those of you who did not receive a mailing or have not had time to respond to it, we will conduct our Digital In-Pew pledge process at all Masses during the first and second weekend of March.

COUNCIL OF WOMEN YARD SALE

Mark your calendar so you don't forget the Yard Sale on Saturday May 14 and Sunday 15. We need lots of donations to fill up our storage building. We will take donations any day beginning now. Just call Margaret Owens(804-795-5090) or Pauline Carlson (804-932-8547)

LENTEN SCHEDULE

Ash Wednesday is March 2nd. Mass with the distribution of ashes will be celebrated as follow:

**Saint John 9:00 AM in English
and 7:00 pm in Spanish**

St Patrick 6:00 PM
St Peter at 12:05 PM.

**Stations of the Cross every Friday during
lent at 6:00 PM**

LENTEN DINNERS—CURBSIDE ONLY

Can you believe that Lent will start this coming Wednesday? That means the Lenten Dinners will start next Friday. **Once again this year we will be selling our Lenten dinners for curbside pick up only.** In order to make this year a success we NEED YOU. If you are interested in pitching in (and perhaps making a Lenten sacrifice or commitment), now is the time to step up. Come and pick up your food and don't forget to tell your friends.

Sponsorship Opportunity

Lenten dinners will be here before you know it. In order to keep our prices the same as last year we need sponsors. Please take a look at these sponsorship opportunities and let us know if you can help us and help our community:

Fish -	\$1,800
Vegetable Oil & Margarine-	\$100 \$200
Breading & Hushpuppy & Mac&Cheese	\$300
Big Potatoes & French Fries	\$400
Dressings -	\$300
Produce -	\$400
Paper Product -	\$600

Please consider sponsoring any of the above items or give a donation of a portion of the total amount. All amounts of donations help. Thank you in advance. The Lenten Fish Team.

CONDOLENCES

St. John family extends deepest sympathy to our parishioner Stanhope Flournoy on the loss of his son Robert Flournoy who died this past week. Please keep Stanhope and his family in your prayers.

THANK YOU

On behalf of the KofC thanks so much for your support of our coats for kids collection

THE WISDOM OF VENERABLE FULTON SHEEN 365 DAYS OF INSPIRATION

Venerable Fulton Sheen was one of the greatest communicators to ever live. **Please take a book for FREE and enjoy reading during this LENTEN season.**