

Saint John Catholic Church

Iglesia Católica San Juan



3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

[Jesus] said to him, "Follow me." - Jn 21:19b

May 1, 2022 – Third Sunday of Easter
1 de Mayo de 2022 – Tercer Domingo de Pascua

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St John Parish Calendar

SATURDAY	April 30, 2022
4:30PM	Reconciliation
5:30PM	Mass for soul of Frederick McMahon
SUNDAY	May 1, 2022
9:00 AM	Mass soul of Virginia Johnson
12:30 PM	Misa por Maria Esther Gonzalez, Maria Ascencion Cubas & Santiago Martinez
WEDNESDAY	May 4, 2022
12:00 NOON	Mass for soul of John Kolaloski
THURSDAY	May 5, 2022
8:30 AM	Mass for soul of Michael Penn
SATURDAY	May 7, 2022
4:30 PM	Reconciliation
5:30 PM	Mass for all mothers living & deceased
SUNDAY	MAY 8, 2022
9:00 AM	Mass all mothers living and deceased
12:30 PM	Misa all mothers living and deceased

ST. PETER OFFERS MASS DAILY AT NOON

ADORATION ON WEDNESDAY

ST. JOHN 1ST WEDNESDAY - 6PM

**ST. PATRICK 2ND WEDNESDAY - MASS 6PM
AND ADORATION—6:30 PM**

ST. PETER 3RD WEDNESDAY— 6PM

DONATION FOR FISH

REQUEST FOR THE MONTH OF May

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DONACIONES PARA FISH ESTE MES

Mayo

Papel Higiénico

Readings for the week of May 01, 2022

Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13

2 av 5:11-14/ Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/

Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Jn 14:6-14

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/

Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17

Jn 6:60-69

Next Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 [3c]

Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-3

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, Frank Haselton, Leonora Gray, Leslie Gray, Melissa Harrington, Chris Jones, Carl Saunders, Hallett Harrison, Joseph Di Marino, Mike Elrod, Theresa Mose-ly, James Geishermer, Joan Purcell, Paul Evans, Rey-mar Penarrieta Chavez, Frank & Kathy Mcollum, Sonny Scott.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

April 23 & 24, 2022

	Weekly	Year to date
Actual	\$4,857.00	\$209,439.76
Budget	<u>\$4,135.00</u>	<u>\$177,805.00</u>
	\$722.00	\$31,634.76

All totals include weekly collection and e-giving

MASS ATTENDANCE

5:30	9:00	12:30
56	125	280

From the Desk of the Administrator

Dear Parishioners,

It is a couple of weeks now since the Russian-Ukraine conflict started resulting to a war, through which many lives have been lost, millions have left the Ukrainian Country to become Refugees elsewhere, and millions more have been displaced within the country. You will agree with me that it has become necessary to support them in this sad and miserable state, and as the scripture says:

"when I was hungry you gave me something to eat, when thirsty you gave me something to drink, needed clothes and you clothed me because whatever you did for one of the least of the brothers and sisters, you did for me." (Mt. 25:35-40). Based on this biblical reference, Bishop Knestout is asking parishes to consider special donation in support of this course, so as to support the church in Central and Eastern Europe, and the Archdiocese of Kosice in Slovakia, which shares borders with Ukraine, and which is having influx in refugees now.

As much as the Cluster Churches are making donations, you can as well add your contribution by making your check to the church or through E-giving.

Remember that your support will make a lot of difference to these people who have been rendered refugees elsewhere.

God richly bless you for your kindness and generosity.

Fr. Maxwell

CONGRATULATIONS – FELICIDADES

Congratulations to our new member **Vanessa Flores** who was baptized, received her First Communion and Confirmation.

and

Gilmer Morales Mauricio who completed his Sacraments of Initiation, First Communion and Confirmation.

Thank you to their sponsors, godparents and catechists.

Robert "Mitch" Goodman's Retirement

It's hard to believe the time has come to say goodbye. Mitch you're one of a kind, and we're going to have a hard time replacing you! Thank you for all you've contributed over the years. You've been an amazing employee, a great coworker and friend here, and we are sad to see you go. We will miss your energy, enthusiasm, and most of all, your unfailing dedication to helping this place function a little better every day. We wish you a long, happy retirement.

If you wish to send cards to Mitch, please mail them to the office.

Saint John's Job Opening

We are looking for a maintenance supervisor to help maintain our beautiful church here at Saint John. It's a part time position with flexible hours. We would prefer to hire a parishioner from this parish, someone who loves this church and wants to take care of it (and make a few bucks in the meantime). Please email us if you are Interested at office@stjohnscatholicchurch.org. Thanks! Fr. Maxwell



COUNCIL OF WOMEN YARD SALE

Mark your calendar so you don't forget the Yard Sale on

Saturday May 14th

and Sunday 15th. 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)



THANK YOU FROM CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES:

Your compassion and Lenten alms change lives globally and helps those in need in your own community.

Thank you to all who donated to the annual RICE BOWL. We have collected \$638.00.

SJP WINNERS FOR APRIL

They are Pat Floyd, Beatrice Burton, Dianne Cassady, Paulita Matheny, Mary Worrell, John Loughran, Margaret Farmer Peg & John Smith. The next drawing is May 19.