

St. John the Evangelist

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Office Hours: 2-5 pm Tuesday (Deacon Marcelino) Wednesday & Thursday (Maggie Conder)

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 Becoming Catholic - David Nino 903-473-2676

Ladies Guild Meeting — MAR 6

The Ladies Guild will meet this Tuesday, March 6, at 12:00 pm in the Parish Office trailer. All women of the parish are invited to attend.

2018 Bishop's Annual Appeal

The 2018 Bishop's Annual Appeal is how YOU can support our seminarians, our retired clergy, and our diocesan mission to teach the Catholic Faith to all of East Texas. Our clergy, families, parishes, and missions are strengthened through your generosity to the Appeal. Please mail in your pledge or gift, drop in the collections basket, or make your donation online at www.dioceseoftyler.org/appeal. Every gift brings us closer to our goal. Thank you!

Movie Event — Paul, Apostle of Christ

Monica Hughes is organizing a group event to attend the movie. Date and time to be determined based on interest. Add your name to the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board if interested. Got questions? Call/Txt Monica Hughes 804-477-5424 or email hughesnva@gmail.com.

Ashes to Easter

Lenten Daily Prayer

Help me Lord, to experience as much as possible the love that moved you to become man, to save us from the drudgery that is life apart from you. Amen.

RCIA Elect & Candidates

Please keep our Candidates for Full Communion in the Catholic Church and our Elect who is seeking Baptism in your prayers and sacrifices this Lent as they prepare to enter the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil.

Isidro Rodriguez	Jaime Rodriguez
Dulce Rodriguez	Maricela Rodriguez
Suzan Alvarado	Russell Silva
Kathleen Roel	Graciela Cadena
Jotslyn Monarrez	

Stations of the Cross - Friday's 6:00 pm

March 9, 16, and 23

Almsgiving during Lent

During Lent, we are asked to focus more intently on "almsgiving," which means donating money or goods to the poor and performing other acts of charity. The parish is sponsoring the following giving options:

2018 Bishop's Appeal

CRS Rice Bowl – donate change or cash

Good Samaritans

- drop loose change & cash in the "grocery cart" at the back of church.
- saltine crackers – 1 lb. box
- toasters, coffeemakers, pots & pans (*new or clean & very gently used*)
- Furniture – deliver directly to Good Samaritans

Easter Flower Fund

A donation is a beautiful way to remember, honor or give thanks for loved ones. All gifts of \$10 or more, received by March 25th, will have the name of the loved one printed in the Easter bulletins. Envelopes are available at the back of the church. Drop in the collection basket or in the office.

Parish Collections - 25 February 2018

Combined Mass Total

Attendance.....	xxx
1st Collection	\$ 1,100
2nd Collection - Capital Campaign	\$ 1,368
Capital Campaign Pledges Received	76
Capital Campaign Amount Pledged	\$ 227,264
Campaign Pledges Collected 2-25-2018	\$ 25,964

PLEASE PRAY / POR FAVOR, ORAR

... for all who are sick, elderly or alone. / para todos los que están enfermos, ancianos o solos.

Melvin Mann (3/30) Sophie Downing (3/30) Lyn Hoff (3/30)
 Nancy Edwards (3/30) Flavia Rodriguez (3/30) Maeanna
 (Dusty) Forette (3/30) Janice Hays (3/30)

... and for our Military Families / y para las familias militares.

William Bell, Kristine Diaz (*daughter of Pete & Ivonne Diaz*),
 Maria Homan, Stephen Linn, Jayde E. Mack, Dylan Nix, Gary
 Robinson, Jr., Mark H. Sutton, Sergio Cardena, Jr (*grandson
 of Deacon & Lupe Espinosa*).

SJE Ladies Guild

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS for \$500 SCHOLARSHIP!

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be a high school student graduating 2018
- Must be a member of St John's parish
- To be considered, applications must be completed, signed and submitted with all the required documents to Maggie Conder or the Parish Office before the deadline.

Scholarship recipient will be announced at the Baccalaureate Mass celebrated at 12:30 pm on Sunday, May 27th.

Application forms are available on the Church bulletin board or website (stjohnemory.org).

Questions? Contact Lyn Baldwin
903-335-4076 | lyn.baldwin@gmail.com

Application Deadline
Sunday, April 29, 2018
@ 2:00 pm



THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Monday/lunes, March 5
 Tuesday/martes, March 6
 Bible Study 10:00am
 Ladies Guild Meeting 12:00pm
 Mass >> Faith Formation 6:30pm
 Wed/miércoles, March 7
 Spanish Choir 6:30pm
 Thursday/jueves, March 8
 R.C.I.A (Becoming Catholic) 7:00pm
 Friday/viernes, March 9
 Stations of the Cross 6:00pm
 Saturday/sabado, March 10
 1st Reconciliation (Year 1 of 3) 9:00am
 Sunday/domingo, March 11
 Mass / Misa (English) 11:00am
 Mass / Misa (Español) 12:30pm

COMING SOON

MAR 12-16 Spring Break - No FF Classes
 MAR 14 Knights of Columbus Meeting
 MAR 20 Lent Penance Service
 MAR 27 Holy Week - No FF Classes
 MAR 29 Holy Thursday (7:30 pm)
 MAR 30 Good Friday (7:00 pm)
 MAR 31 Easter Vigil (10:00 pm)
 APR 1 Easter Sunday



FAITH FORMATION INFORMATION

MAR 13 - Spring Break/No Class
 MAR 20 - Penance Service/No Class
 MAR 27 - Holy Week/No Class

SACRAMENT CLASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, Mar 10
 – 1st Reconciliation (Yr 1 of 3)
Saturday, Mar 24
 – 1st Eucharist (Year 2 of 3)

Sunday, March 11

Worship Ministers Schedule

Readers: Knights of Columbus
 EMHC: Knights of Columbus