

St. John the Evangelist

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Becoming Catholic (RCIA) - David Nino 903-473-2676
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Parish Donation Drive — Paper Towels

During the month of **January** we ask each person or family to donate **paper towels**. Donated items can be left in the basket in the entrance hall. Please help us reduce costs by donating items that support our parish family.

THANK YOU!

Faith Formation — Jan. 8

Faith Formation classes resume on Tuesday, January 8th.
Any questions call Tina Denny at 817-821-8530.

Ladies Guild Meeting — Jan. 9

The Ladies Guild will meet on Wednesday, January 9th at 11:30 am in the Parish Center.

Knights of Columbus Meeting — Jan. 9

The Knights of Columbus will meet at Parish Center. Dinner is at 6:00pm, and the meeting will begin at 7:00pm.

The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic Fraternal Order that works to help those in need. We are always looking for men who are at least 18 years, who want to lend a hand to improve the lives of those in the parish and the community. Interested? Call Thomas Garcia (903) 855-9123 or Pat Giglio (219) 577-4084.

Virgin of Chiquinquirá, Pilgrimage, Cultural & Sightseeing Tour of Bogatá, Zipaquirá, Chiquinquirá, & Villa de Leyva, Colombia June 2 – 9, 2019 Cost \$1,900 Registration Deadline: February 1, 2019

- A deposit of \$500 is required to secure reservation.
- Any balance is to be paid in full no later than April 1.
- Reservations made after April 1 must include full payment.
- Cost includes round trip airfare, lodging, breakfast, dinner, tickets & transportation

Accommodations

- "Centro de Espiritualidad Francisco Palau, Carmelitas Misioneras" (Monday thru Thursday)
- Monasterio de la Candelaria en Ráquira, Padres Agustinos Recoletos (Thursday thru Sunday)

Highlights

- Sanctuary of Our Lady of Chiquinquirá
- Monastery of La Candelaria
- Monastery of Santo Eccehomo
- Villa de Leyva
- Santa Sofia
- Cathedral Sal (8th Wonder of Modern World)
- Monserrate Sanctuary
- Ballet Folklorico
- Botero Museum
- Museum of Gold
- Historic Bogota Downtown
 - * Iglesia de la Veracruz y de San Francisco
 - * Iglesia de San Ignacio y la Tercera
 - * La Catedral Primada
 - * Plaza de Bolivar
 - * Colombia Congress Building

For information and reservations, contact the Parish Office/Maggie Conder 972-679-9330 or Fr. Victor 903-474-4382



Parish Collections - 30 December 2018

Combined Mass Total

Attendance.....xxx
1st Collection\$ 776
2nd Collection - Capital Campaign/Bldg Fund\$ 1,575
Capital Campaign Pledges Received76
Capital Campaign Amount Pledged\$ 227,264
Campaign Pledges Collected 10-31-2018\$ 72,549
Catholic Extension Matching Grant Goal\$ 100,000
CE Matching Grant Period4-11-18 to 4-30-19
CE Matching Grant Raised 10-31-2018\$ 53,741

PLEASE PRAY / POR FAVOR, ORAR

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

Lyn Baldwin, Adam Blount (*Deb Boyd's son*), Ester & Armando Cabrero (*Jose Cabrero's parents*), Eveli Cabrero (*Jose Cabrero's sister*), Richard Chacon (*Leticia Chavez's brother*) Sophie Downing, Nancy Edwards, Maeanna (Dusty) Forette, Janice Hays, Paula Harvey, Lynn Hoff, Pat Holcomb, Patrick James (*Amy Urquiza's son*), Holly Koiro, Jim & Jane Moreau, Norberta Nicasio, Ricky Raines (*Elizabeth Doros' cousin*), Jesse Sepeda (*Rosa Nino's brother*), Willie Villanueva.

... and for our military families / y para las familias militar. Freddy Hernandez (*son-in-law of David & Rosa Nino*), Michael E. Riordan (*son of Mark & Mary Riordan*), Gary Robinson, Jr. (*son of Jeanette & Gary Robinson*), Sergio Cadena, Jr. (*grandson of Deacon Marcelino & Lupe Espinosa*).

Job Postings: Controller & Administrative Assistant

Dec. 28, 2018 -- The Diocese of Tyler is seeking qualified applicants for two positions at the chancery office: Controller and Administrative Assistant. Visit the Diocese of Tyler website for information on both positions and how to apply: <https://dioceseoftyler.org/en/news/job-postings-controller-and-administrative-assistant>.

Acknowledging January 6, 2019, marks the Epiphany. Pope Francis said: "Like the Magi, we also raise our gaze to the heavens; only in this way, will we be able to see the star that invites us to walk the paths of goodness."

"Happy New Year to all!"

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Monday/lunes, January 7
Spanish Prayer Group 7:00pm
Tuesday/martes, January 8
Faith Formation 6:15pm
Mass 6:30pm
Wed/miércoles, January 9
Knights of Columbus Meeting 6:00pm
Spanish Choir 6:30pm
Thursday/jueves, January 10
English Choir 1:00pm
Becoming Catholic (RCIA) 7:00pm
Friday/viernes, January 11
Saturday/sabado, January 12
Sunday/domingo, January 13
Mass / Misa (English) 11:00am
Mass / Misa (Español) 12:30pm

COMING SOON

JAN 26 Sacrament Classes
FEB 22 Parish Council Meeting
FEB 10 Bake Sale for Building Fund
MAR 6 Ash Wednesday - Lent Begins
MAR 10 Daylight Saving Time Begins
APR 14 Palm Sunday
APR 21 Easter

WORSHIP MINISTER SCHEDULE

Sunday, Jan. 13 - 11:00 am

Knights of Columbus Sunday

Readers: 1R. John Conder 2R. Mark Riordan
EMHC: Bill Power & Leo Hollo
Nursing Home: Deacon Marcelino
Altar Servers: Kyle B., Eric B., Olivia M.
Greeters: Bill Andes & Fernando Garcia

