

St. John the Evangelist

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 Spanish Choir - Minda Painter: 903-269-6987
 English Choir - Curtis Asbill: 903-474-4111
 Becoming Catholic (RCIA) - David Nino: 903-473-2676
 Baptism/Quinceañera - David Nino: 903-473-2676

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!

9 DAYS FOR LIFE — JAN 14 - 22

The protection of life is a sustained prayer intention of the Church, and in particular of the Knights of Columbus. Knights remain firmly committed to defending the right to life of every human being – from the moment of conception to natural death. To commemorate and bolster this important cause, St. John's Council is asking you to participate in nine days of sustained prayer, to build up a culture of life in our parishes, homes and wider community. Join thousands of Catholics nationwide in the annual pro-life novena, **9 DAYS FOR LIFE**, Monday, January 14 – Tuesday, January 22.

Pray for the respect of all human life with daily intentions, brief reflections, and more.

Download a free mobile app, or sign up to receive the novena through daily emails or text message.

A printable version is also available online.

Available in Spanish and English.

Sign up at www.9daysforlife.com.

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 - 6 January 2019

Combined Mass Total

Attendance.....xxx
 1st Collection\$ 1,243
 2nd Collection - Capital Campaign/Bldg Fund\$ 1,281
 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>.

Knights of Columbus

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.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Monday/lunes, January 14
 Spanish Prayer Group 7:00pm
 Tuesday/martes, January 15
 Bible Study 1:00pm
 Faith Formation 6:15pm
 Mass 6:30pm
 Wed/miércoles, January 16
 Spanish Choir 6:30pm
 Thursday/jueves, January 17
 English Choir 1:00pm
 Becoming Catholic (RCIA) 7:00pm
 Friday/viernes, January 18
 Saturday/sabado, January 19
 Sunday/domingo, January 20
 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
 MAR 12 Spring Break - No Faith Formation
 APR 14 Palm Sunday
 APR 21 Easter

WORSHIP MINISTER SCHEDULE

Sunday, Jan. 20 - 11:00 am

Readers: 1R. Mark Freund 2R. Melody Ast
 EMHC: Kathleen Roel & Barbara Lyke
 Nursing Home: David Nino & Deacon Federico
 Altar Servers: Kyle B., Brandon B., Michaela E.
 Greeters: John Conder & Leo Hollo

