



St. John Nepomucene
Catholic Church
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1st Sunday of Lent, February 18, 2024

Reconciliation: 30 min before each Sunday Mass, or **Anytime by Request**
Adoration: Sundays after the 11:00am Mass from 12:00 till 5:00pm
Baptisms: Please call the Parish Office for information. Classes required before the baptism.
Marriage: Arrangements for marriages must be made at least six Months before wedding.
Mass Intentions: To request a specific date, please come by the parish office during office hours.
Parish Hall Availability: Please call the Parish Office, 361-933-1200.
Sunday Mass Schedule: Sunday Vigil, Saturday @ 5PM, Sunday Mass, 9AM & 11AM
Weekday Mass: Monday—6PM in Church, Tuesday to Friday— 8AM in Chapel and Saturday—9AM

Sat	Feb	17	9:00 am 5:00 pm	Special Intention Parishioners of St. John Nepomucene
Sun	Feb	18	9:00 am 11:00 am	✦ Mr. & ✦ Mrs. Joe Prochaska; ✦ Lillie Dornak For the conversion of the new world disorder who are enemies of God and his children HolySouls In Purgatory; Elsie Herbers; ✦ Aurelio S. Herrera
Mon	Feb	19	6:00 pm	Mike & Wendy Chandler Family; ✦ Maria Weese; ✦ Richard F. Johnson
Tue	Feb	20	8:00 am	Herbie Hart Family; For the Souls of Priests in purgatory
Wed	Feb	21	8:00 am	In Priase & Thanksgiving to the Eternal High Priest for trhe gift of the ministrial Priesthood; Soul of Joe Milenski;
Thu	Feb	22	8:00 am	Devin & Jody Weis Family; Jason Herbers; Aurora Johnson
Fri	Feb	23	8:00 am	Special Intention
Sat	Feb	24	9:00 am 5:00 pm	✦ Armando Garza; ✦ Patsy P. Holland
Sun	Feb	25	9:00 am 11:00 am	Parishioners of St. John Nepomucene Jo Billings; Amando & Martha Garza; ✦ Patsy P. Holland
Mon	Feb	26	6:00 pm	Gregory & Susan Bohuslav Family; Tracy Herbers
Tue	Feb	27	8:00 am	Special Intention of Mr. & Mrs. John L. Bluntzer; Special Intention of Callaway Family
Wed	Feb	28	8:00 am	✦ Monica Marie Villarreal; For Bishops to be of one mind & heart to call a plenary council to unite the Body of Christ in our country
Thu	Feb	29	8:00 am	✦ Nick Hill; Francesca Herbers; For all victims of abuse to become wounded healers
Fri	Mar	1	8:00 am	✦ Mr. & Mrs. Joe Prochaska; ✦ Lucila Hernandez; Alyssa Rodriguez (BD)
Sat	Mar	2	9:00 am 5:00 pm	Special Intention
Sun	Mar	3	9:00 am 11:00 am	Dr. Lavoï Family & Practice ✦ Patsy Holland; ✦ Fr. Joh Lule Parishioners of St. John Nepomucene

Lent Fish Fry



Friday Fish Fry

Lunch 11:00am— 1:30pm

Dinner 4:30pm—7:00pm

Invite family and friends.

\$10.00

Fish, cole slaw, green beans,
bread, lemon & dessert.

Dine In or

Drive thru is available.

3 Compartment
To Go Plates
(Can be purchased
at Sam's Club)

Plastic Cutlery
Packets
(Can be purchased
at Sam's Club)

5 gal. Box of
Clear Frying Oil
(Can be Purchased
at Sam's Club)

100 oz. Cans of
Cut Green Beans
(Can be purchased
at Sam's Club)

Cans of
Ro-tel Chilies &
Italian Seasoning
Dry Mix

Tee Shirt Style
Plastic Bags
& Fold Over Top
Sandwich Bags

4 gal. Mayonnaise
(Can be purchased
at Sam's Club)

Jars of Miracle
Whip & Diced
Pimientos

Can Sodas &
Bottled Water &
Dawn Dish Soap
Dish Scrubbers

2 oz. portion
Cups & Lids
(can be purchased
at Sam's)

Desserts can be
brought in on
Thursday of each
week.

*These supplies are
needed each week.
Please drop off at
the office &
THANK YOU!*

Meditation of the Day:

“The angels ministered to him”

In the Holy Land, the Judean desert, which lies to the west of the River Jordan and the Oasis of Jericho, rises over stony valleys to reach an altitude of about one thousand meters at Jerusalem. After receiving baptism from John, Jesus entered that lonely place, led by the Holy Spirit himself who had settled upon him, consecrating him and revealing him as the Son of God. In the desert, a place of trial as the experience of the people of Israel shows, the dramatic reality of the self-emptying of Christ who had stripped himself of the form of God (Phil 2:2-7) appears most vividly. He who never sinned and cannot sin submits to being tested and can therefore sympathize with our weakness (Heb 4:15). He lets himself be tempted by Satan, the enemy, who has been opposed to God's saving plan for humankind from the outset.

In [Mark's] succinct account, angels, luminous and mysterious figures, appear almost fleetingly before this dark, tenebrous figure who dares to tempt the Lord. Angels the Gospel says, ministered to Jesus; they are the antithesis of Satan. “Angel” means “messenger.” Throughout the Old Testament we find these figures who help and guide human beings on God's behalf. It suffices to remember the Book of Tobit, in which the figure of the Angel Raphael appears and assists the protagonist in every vicissitude. The reassuring presence of the angel of the Lord accompanies the people of Israel in all of their experiences, good and bad. On the threshold of the New Testament, Gabriel is dispatched to announce to Zechariah and to Mary the joyful events at the beginning of our salvation; and an angel whose name we are not told warns Joseph, guiding him in that moment of uncertainty. A choir of angels brings the shepherds the good news of the Savior's birth; and it was also angels who announced the joyful news of his Resurrection to the women. At the end of time, angels will accompany Jesus when he comes in his glory (Mt 25:31). Angels minister to Jesus, who is certainly superior to them. This dignity of his is clearly, if discreetly, proclaimed here in the Gospel. Indeed, even in the situation of extreme poverty and humility, when he is tempted by Satan he remains the Son of God, the Messiah, the Lord.

We would be removing an important part of the Gospel were we to leave out these beings sent by God, who announce and are a sign of his presence among us. Let us invoke them frequently so that they may sustain us in our commitment to follow Jesus to the point of identifying with him. Mary, Queen of Angels, pray for us!

Pope Benedict XVI

Benedict XVI (+ 2022) reigned as pope from 2005 until 2013)



Please remember those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith: †Lillie Dornak, †Richard Pancoast, †Patsy Holland

Remember in your prayers those who are sick in our parish: Erwin Dornak, Nina Curran, Laurie Luciani, Raul Perez, Olivia Rosas, Vicki Ginn, Henrietta Vrana, Ashley Marie Jimenez, Evelyn Bluntzer
Please call the Parish Office on the progress of the above to keep our list current.

February

Happy Valentine's Day

Saturday Rosary:

A "Scriptural" Rosary is said Saturday morning for *Pro Life* intentions at **8:28 am** before the 9 a.m. Mass. A Rosary will be said before the 5 p.m. Mass. **And also on, Sunday @ 8:30 a.m. a "Scriptural" Rosary will be prayed before the 9:00 a.m. Mass.**

The Adoration Chapel is open every Sunday from 12 p.m. to 5 p.m.

We are seeking additional Adorers of the Blessed Sacrament. If you would like to adopt a regular hour with our Lord or would like to volunteer as a Substitute Adorer, please contact the Parish Office at 361- 933-1200. The scheduled hours for Adoration are:



12pm—1pm 3pm—4pm
 1pm—2pm 4pm—5pm
 2pm—3pm

Thank you!

save the date

Sunday † May 18-19, 2024

St. John Nepomucene

100th Year Celebration 1924-2024

Fun • Family • Food & Bingo

Centennial Celebration— Prize Bingo

Bingo Donations may be dropped off at the Parish Office during regular office hours.

Centennial Photo History



"If anyone has any pictures or archives from St. John's History that you would like to include in our 100th year celebration."

Please forward your photos to st.johns.robstown@gmail.com or call/and or come by the office.

Collectors

Feb 18, 2024—1st Sunday of Lent

Sat. 5:00 pm—Dr. Julio Rangel

Sun. 9:00 am—Edward Mireles

Sun. 11:00 am—Irma Saenz

Feb 25, 2024—2nd Sunday of Lent

Sat. 5:00 pm—Mark Heatherton

Sun. 9:00 am—John Charba

Sun. 11:00 am—Diana Ochoa

Key Reading

Sat—[Is 58:9b-14](#), [PS 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6](#), [Lk 5:27-32](#)

Sun—[Gn 9:8-15](#), [Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9](#), [1 Pt 3:18-22](#), [Mk 1:12-15](#)

Mon—[Lv 19:1-2, 11-18](#), [19:8, 9, 10, 15](#), [Mt 25:31-46](#)

Tue—[Is 55:10-11](#), [PS 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19](#), [Mt 6:7-15](#)

Wed—[Mt 6:7-15](#), [PS 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19](#), [PS 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19](#)

Thu—[1 Pt 5:1-4](#), [PS 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6](#), [Mt 16:13-19](#)

Fri—[Ez 18:21-28](#), [Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8](#), [Mt 5:20-26](#)

Medical Plaza Pharmacy

13725 Northwest Blvd., Suite 130
Corpus Christi, TX 78410

Hours

MON - FRI: 8:30 AM - 6:00 PM
SAT: 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
SUN: CLOSED

Contact : 361-387-0005

pharmacist@medplazarxcc.com

Blessings upon your Sunday Offering
February 11, 2024

Envelope: \$1,101.00

Loose: \$696.00

\$1,797.00

Thank You!

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& Office Hours

Monday: 12:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Tuesday: 9:00 am - 3:30 pm

Thursday: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Friday: 9:00 am-4:30 pm

Adult Faith Formation— Is held in the library on **Wednesday** at 6:30pm.



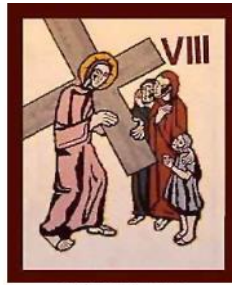
Please Join Us for Rosary

Every Monday in the Chapel at **5:00 PM**. *Everyone is welcome!*

The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen

Say to yourself over and over again regardless of what happens: "God Loves me!" And then add: "And I will try to love Him!"

***Our 2nd Fish Fry Day will be
Friday, February 23, 2024
Invite Friends & Family***



Jesus meets women
who are crying.

**Stations of the
Cross will be
prayed in the
Church at
6:30 p.m.
Tuesday
nights during
Lent.**

Sermon in a Sentence

A Treasury of Quotations on the Spiritual Life

The truth of God is infinite and human intelligence cannot approach it except in successive degrees.

It is important to discuss safety with our young children without overwhelming or scaring them. The Diocese of Corpus Christi provides great information for parents to utilize when discussing safety with your children. The information is easy for children to understand without frightening or overwhelming them. The resources include great discussion guides that offer age-appropriate messages about personal and online safety. Visit <https://diocesecc.org/parenteducation/>, and select the age appropriate guide for your discussion with your child(ren): [Discussion Guide 5-8](#) ; [Discussion Guide 9-12](#) ; [Discussion Guide 13-17](#)

The Diocese offers another great resource found on the website for parents to use: **25 Ways to Keep Kids Safe**. This resource provides 25 ways to keep children safe, at home, out, and online. It also includes: the importance of dialing 911, asking permission before leaving home, and keeping an open communication about the importance of internet safety. The resources are available in [English](#) and [Spanish](#). This is great information to share with others with children.



**Our Lady Star of the Sea
Catholic Church
STARFEST**

**With Games, Raffle, Music,
Auction & Fun**

Sunday, Feb 25, 2024

Beef BBQ—Drive Thru Available

With beans, potato salad, dessert & tea

\$12.00 Donation or Pre-Sale BBQ Tkts. \$10.00

For more information call (361) 883-4507