

†Please remember those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith †:
† Lee Vasquez Sr; † Patrick Malloy, † Lily Melchor; +Leonita Otahal; †Louis O’Brien; †Angie Rodriguez;
†Enrique Castaneda

Remember in your prayers those who are sick in our parish:
Erwin Dornak, John Lloyd & Evelyn Bluntzer, Lawrence Charba, Mark Heatherton, Mary Jane Carrizales
Names will be removed after 3-4 weeks unless the office has been notified

Parish Office Hours	
Monday	12:30 am- 3:30 pm
Tuesday	9:00 am - 3:30 pm
Thursday	9:00 am- 3:30 pm
Friday	9:00 am- 1:00 pm

Blessings upon your Sunday Offering
August 23, 2026
Regular Collection
Envelopes: \$ 1,557.00
Loose: \$ 943.00
Total: \$ 2,500.00

LECTORS
August 30, 2026- 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sat. 5:00 pm – Jose Cuellar
Sun. 9:00 am - Rene Garcia
11:00 am - Tara Paredes

September 6, 2026- 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sat. 5:00 pm - Dr. Julio Rangel
Sun. 9:00 am - Balde Torres
11:00 am - Alexander Marroquin

The Holy Rosary

1st Saturday of every Month - Children’s Rosary

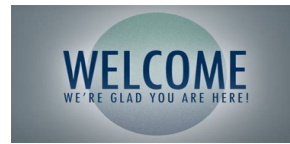
Every Saturday morning at 8:30 a.m. before the 9 am. Mass A “Scriptural Rosary for Pro Life intentions - Prayed in the Church.

Saturday before the 5 p.m. Vigil Mass, and on Sunday @8:30a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Rosary is prayed in the Church

Tuesday @ 5:00 p.m. Rosary – Prayed in the Adoration Chapel.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

The Most Blessed Sacrament is exposed in the Adoration Chapel every Sunday from
12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.



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22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Aug 30, 2026

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

Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday Vigil, Saturday @ 5PM, Sunday Mass, 9AM & 11AM

Weekday Mass: Monday—6PM in Church, Tuesday to Friday— 8AM in Chapel and Saturday—9AM

Mass Intentions

Sat	Aug	29	9:00 am	Special Intention
			5:00 pm	Joey Cuellar, III (bday); For the conversion of the new world disorder who are enemies of God & His children; Anthony S. Perez & Mary Ann Zapata
Sun	Aug	30	9:00 am	†Delia Garcia; †Leonita & Claude Otahal; †Jo Ann Charba
			11:00 am	Parishioners of St. John Nepomucene
Mon	Aug	31	6:00 pm	†Louis Allen O’Brien; Paul Catsoris
Tues	Sep	01	8:00 am	†Crisanta Russell; †Nadia Lewand; †Rose Mary A.
Wed	Sep	02	8:00 am	Reunification of the Holy Catholic Church of the east & west; Jennifer Ysassi, birthday
Thur	Sep	03	8:00 am	†Leonita Otahal; †Gwendolyn Brokke; †Fr. C. Myers
Fri	Sep	04	8:00 am	Young men discerning the call of the Holy Priesthood; †JoAnn Charba
Sat	Sep	05	9:00 am	Special Intention
			5:00 pm	Parishioners of St. John Nepomucene
Sun	Sep	06	9:00 am	†Jo Ann Charba; Mike Hellums
			11:00 am	†Fr. Chris Myers; †Judy Barber; †Rick Castaneda
Mon	Sep	07	6:00 pm	†Chase Wilson
Tues	Sep	08	8:00 am	For All Seminarians
Wed	Sep	09	8:00 am	Children who are adopted
Thur	Sep	10	8:00 am	For the Souls of Priests in Purgatory; Icy AC &Htg.
Fri	Sep	11	8:00 am	Fr. Chris Myers
Sat	Sep	12	9:00 am	Special Intention
			5:00 pm	†Pete Charba; For all victims of abuse to become wounded healers; Renee & Rena Perez
Sun	Sep	13	9:00 am	Parishioners of St. John Nepomucene
			11:00 am	†Richard Pancoast; †Louis Allen O’Brien; †Leonita Claude Otahal

“Taking Up the Cross”

How many eloquent reasons there are to love the cross, yet how we forget them in the current of life! In our days, how many plans we make, little calculations-very often unconscious, I must say-which are made simply to avoid suffering. We flee it in the first movement of our nature, which finds it so repugnant, and we must not be astonished by that...Our nature's first reflexes are to avoid whatever threatens harm. Therefore, do not be surprised at this, but be in the state of soul, the disposition...where you can say to Jesus, “I do not fear any cross because I know that when a cross comes, you always come, too. “The Crucified is never found without the cross, and neither is the cross found without the Crucified. It always bears Jesus. I press it to my breast to press him at the same time to my heart. So tell him, “With you I do not fear any cross.” Note that this is not to ask for the cross. Little Therese, a few weeks before her death, said, “Oh I would never wish to ask the good Lord for greater sufferings, for I am too little. They would become my very own sufferings; I would be forced to endure them alone, and I have never been able to do anything all alone.”...To say that we are ready to receive the crosses Jesus will send us, even without asking for the cross, makes us afraid, makes our nature tremble. I understand this well. But it is a magnificent occasion for generosity and confidence: “All you permit for me will be grace from you, and you will be there with me. I do not fear the cross, because I do not fear you, The King of Love.” Jesus will never let the cross crush you; on the contrary, it will lift you up toward heaven. It is no longer you who will carry it; it is the cross which will carry you. Jesus took upon himself the bitterest cross, and he will add a balm to it before giving it to you-that is certain. The sweetness of the crosses accepted with the joy of free will is a great mystery, yet very real. That is why you must embrace it with open arms.

Father Jean Du Ceur De Jesus d'Elbee

Father d'Elbee († 1982) was a member of the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary

The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen

A dying man asked a dying man for eternal life; a man without possessions asked a poor man for a Kingdom; a thief at the door of death asked to die like a thief and steal Paradise. One would have thought a saint would have been the first soul purchased over the counter of Calvary by the red coins of Redemption, but in the Divine plan it was a thief who was the escort of the King of kings into Paradise. If our Lord had come merely as a teacher, the thief would never have asked for forgiveness. But since the thief's request touched the reason of His coming to earth, namely, to save souls, the thief heard the immediate answer.



Fulton Sheen to be beautified on September 24, 2026 in St. Louis, Missouri.

Sanctuary Candle

Week of August 29, 2026

Is lit in the Church for:

Married Couples



St. John Nepomucene Parishioners

The Our Lady of Fatima Statue is available for home travel for family prayer, family intentions, praying the rosary for your family, our Country, world peace, etc. Please call the the parish office @ 361-933-1200 during regular scheduled office hours to reserve your week.



BLESSED NEW SCHOOL YEAR!

**JESUS SAID “LET THE CHILDREN COME TO ME”!
DO YOU OR YOUR CHILDREN NEED ANY SACRAMENTS?**

CALL US! 361-933-1200

CCD CLASSES EVERY SUNDAY FROM 9:55 AM - 10:55 AM



Registration is now open for 2026-2027 Religious Education Program year. Classes begin September 13, 2026. Please call the Parish Office during regular hours for more information.

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) CLASSES at St. John Nepomucene will begin in September. Do you want to renew your faith? Call the Parish office during regular office hours for more information @ 361-933-1200

Volunteers NEEDED!

St. John Nepomucene Religious Education Program
The 2026-2027 Program Year is scheduled to begin soon and we are in need of Catechists and Assistants. Call the Parish Office @ 361-933-1200 if you're interested in sharing your faith with our children and youth.



RAFFLE TICKETS

St. John Nepomucene Raffle tickets are on sale now! Tickets are \$5.00 per ticket or \$20.00 for a book of 5 tickets. We ask that you support our raffle fundraiser by selling tickets or buying tickets for this years raffle. Raffle ticket drawing will be during our annual **Prize BINGO** on September 20, 2026! Thank you!



Prize Bingo

September 20, 2026



We are asking parishioners to donate gifts to be given away at this Bingo! Please drop off your gifts at the Parish office during office hours. Thank you.



Prize Bingo

SAVE YOUR SEAT!

Presale Bingo Tickets now available in the Parish Office.
3 Cards for \$20.00

St. John Parishioners

All Military, Retired and Veterans

We'd like to salute and thank you for your service! Please provide your name and branch you are serving in or served to our email st.johns.robstown@gmail.com or call the Parish Office @ 361-933-1200. Thank you.

