Sermon in a Sentence

A Treasury of Quotations on the Spiritual Life
One cannot believe in Christ without
believing in the Church, the Body of
Christ. One cannot believe with the
Catholic faith in the Church, without
believing in its inalienable magisterium.
Fidelity to Christ implies, then,
faithfulness to the Church, and
faithfulness to the Church brings with it
fidelity to the magisterium.

(P83 121)

Blessings upon your Sunday Offering

Nov, 2 2025

Envelope: \$873.00 Loose: \$3234.00 Total \$4107.00

Building Fund

Envelope: \$270.00 Loose: \$125.00

All Souls

Envelope: \$312.00

Church Office 361-933-1200

Office Hours

Monday: 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Tuesday: 9:00 am – 3:30 pm Thursday: 9:00 am – 3:30 pm

Friday: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Candle Prices

The price of our 6 day Votive candles have increased.

You may now may purchase

1 Candle for \$3.00 Case of 24 price \$60.00

October 26/27 From the Diocese;

Texas Education Freedom Accounts Allow You to Choose Catholic Schools! Exciting news for families with school-aged children! Texas is moving closer to launching its new school choice program—now officially named the Texas Education Freedom Accounts.

These are Education Savings Accounts (ESAs) designed to make a Catholic school

education affordable. Throughout November, our Catholic Schools Office is hosting Town Halls and webinars to teach parents all about the program.

Visit our diocesan ESA webpage at www.ESACC.org or scan the QR code to learn more and register for an upcoming information session with Superintendent Dr. Hammel and Technology Director Mr. Garcia.

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Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Nov. 9, 2025

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.

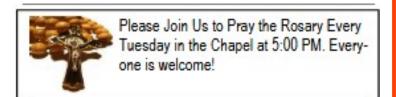
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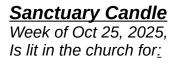
Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday Vigil, Saturday @ 5PM, Sunday Mass, 9AM & 11AM Weekday Mass: Monday—6PM in Church, Tuesday to Friday—8AM in Chapel and Saturday–9AM

Mass Intentions

Sat	Nov	8	5:00 pm	Parishioners of St. John Nepomucene
Sun	Nov	9	9:00 am	Living members Charba Fam;+ D. Jones; Spec Int
			11:00 am	+Nick Hill; +Antonio Villarreal;+ Arturo Bosquez Jr
Mon	Nov	10	6:00 pm	+Nick Hill; +Richard Galloway; Special Intention
Tues	Nov	11	8:00 am	Dan W; Special Intention; +Dolores Torres
Wed	Nov	12	8:00 am	+Dr. Glenn McCarty; Young men discerning the call
				of the Holy Priesthood; Mike & Angela Casarez
Thurs	Nov	13	8:00 am	James Parker; Int of T&S Smith; +Richard Pancoast
Fri	Nov	14	8:00 am	T&S Smith Spec. Int; +Ed Sauley; Greg Vrana
Sat	Nov	15	9:00 am	Special Intention
			5:00 pm	+Raul & Sylvia Perez; +Antonio T. Villarreal
Sun	Nov	16	9:00 am	+Dr. G. McCarty; +Nick Hill;+ H. Del Rosario
			11:00 am	Parishioners of St. John Nepomucene
Mon	Nov	17	6:00 pm	All Seminarians; T&S Smith Spec Int; +Ed Sauley
Tues	Nov	18	8:00 am	M/M Daniel Strukel; M/M John Bluntzer; T&S Smith
Wed	Nov	19	8:00 am	+Dr. G.McCarty; Joan W; Souls of Priests in
				Purgatory
Thurs	Nov	20	8:00 am	Holy Souls in Purgatory; Victims of Abuse to become
				wounded healers; T&S Smith Spec. Int
Fri	Nov	21	8:00 am	For all Priests falsely accused to become the sacrificial
		victir	ns of Holy L	ove for Holy Mother Church; T&S Smith; Mike Dawson
Sat	Nov	22	9:00 am	Special Intention
			5:00 pm	Parishioners of St. John Nepomucene
Sun	Nov	23	9:00 am	+Dr. Glenn McCarty; +Maria Weese;+Leonard Weese

Levi Provatt; + Antonio Villarreal; +Richard Pancoast





Thanksgiving for Mike Hellums By Elvera Swetlick

Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome

"To dedicate or consecrate" a place to God is a ritual that is found in every religion. To "reserve" a place to God is an act of recognizing His glory and honor.

When the Emperor Constantine granted full liberty to Christians in 313, they did not spare in order to construct places for the Lord – numerous are the churches constructed at that time. Constantine himself also constructed churches, one of which he was a magnificent basilica on the Caelian Hill in Rome, over the ancient Lateran Palace, which Pope Sylvester I dedicated to Christ the Savior (318 or 324). A chapel dedicated to Saint John the Baptist was built inside it which served as the baptistry. This moved Pope Sergius III to dedicate it to Saint John the Baptist as well. Lastly, Pope Lucius II also dedicated it to Saint John the Evangelist in the 12th century. Thus, the name of this Papal Basilica is the Basilica of the Most Holy Savior and of Saints John the Baptist and John the Evangelist in the Lateran. Christians consider the Basilica to be the *mother church of all churches in the world*.

The church was destroyed several times in the course of the centuries, and always rebuilt. The final reconstruction took place under the pontificate of Benedict XIII. The church was rededicated in 1724. It was at that time that the feast celebrated today was established and extended to the universal Church.

Please remember those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith: † JoAnn Charba, † Dora Gonzales, † Michael Dawson

Remember in your prayers those who are sick in our parish:

Erwin Dornak, John Lloyd & Evelyn Bluntzer, Lawrence Charba; Mark Heatherton; Angie Rodriguez; Names will be removed after 3-4 weeks unless the office has been notified.

Creating & Maintaining a Safe Environment

All volunteers of the Diocese of Corpus Christi must complete an online application and training and are renewed every 3 years. The program now used is COMPASS. Existing volunteers who are in need of renewal will receive an email automatically from the Diocese with the link for the new program in use. If you are a volunteer and are not sure if you're in need of renewal or a new volunteer, please contact the office @361-933-1200. Thank you.



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

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

We must have someone present during each hour as the Most Blessed Sacrament must not be left alone while exposed.

If *you* feel called to spend time with Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament and want to sign up for an hour or as a substitute, please call the office 361-933-1200.

"Every Holy Hour we make so pleases the Heart of Jesus that it will recorded in Heaven and retold for all eternity." St. Mother Teresa

Lectors

Nov,9 2025- 32nd - Sun in Ord Time C

Sat. 5:00 pm- Jose Cuellar Sun. 9:00 am- Laurie Luciani 11:00 am- Imelda Chapa

Nov, 16 2025-33rd Sun in Ord Time C

Sat. 5:00 pm- Dr. Julio Rangel Sun. 9:00 am- Henry Charba 11:00 am- Diana Ochoa

Saturday Rosary:

Children's Rosary every 1st Saturday.

A "Scriptural" Rosary is said Saturday morning for *Pro Life* intentions at <u>8:30 am</u> before the 9 a.m. Mass. A Rosary will be said before the 5 p.m. Saturday Vigil Mass, and on Sunday @ <u>8:30 a.m.</u>, and 10:30a.m.