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Please contact the parish office **RCIA** Marriage Please contact the parish office at least six months in advance

MASS SCHEDULE—HORARIO DE MISAS

Saturday (sabado) Vigil 5:00 PM Sunday (domingo) Masses: 8:00 AM (English) 9:30AM (Español) 11:00AM (English) Daily Masses: Tuesday—Friday 8AM (English) Misas entre semana: martes—viernes 8AM

Confessions: Before morning Masses, Saturday 4:00PM or by Appt. Confesiones: antes de misa entre semana, sabados a las 4PM o por cita previa

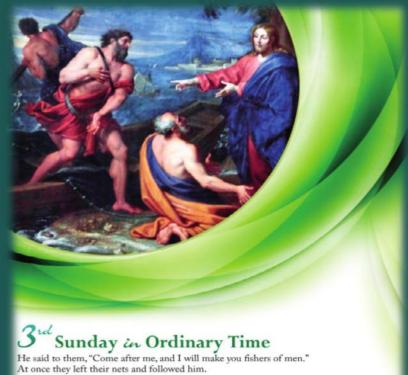
#### ADORATION/ADORACION

Adoration every Wednesday After morning Mass—7PM Cada miercoles 9AM—7PM

#### Holy Hours/Devotions

1st Wednesday, 5PM-6PM: For the Dying 3rd Wednesday, 6-7PM: Bilingual Rosary to end abortion 4th Wednesday, 5PM-6PM: Rosary For Vocations Tues after 8AM Mass: Our Lady of Perpetual Help 1st Thursdays after 8AM Mass: Vocations 1st Fridays after 8AM Mass: Sacred Heart of Jesus Monthly on the 13th: Our Lady of Fatima Rosary Every Friday @3PM: Divine Mercy Chaplet

**Bulletin Deadline:** Friday's at Noon a week before publication January 22, 2023



Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Jesús los llamó: "Síganme, y yo los haré pescadores de hombres." Al instante dejaron las redes y lo siguieron.

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Mass Attendance

SECOND COLLECTION DATES

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Office Hours: M-F 9AM-3:00PM

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#### **WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS**

Jan 24th

MA8

Tuesday Health of Jesse Tapia, †Bobby

Heep, †Martina & Louis Pruski, †Alex P. Dugie,

Jr., Souls in Purgatory

Seminarian Moses Castro

Wed Jan 25th 8AM

Health of Jesse Tapia, Souls in Purgatory

Seminarian Rafael Becerra

Thursda

†Concepcion Garza, Vocations, Retired Priests

and Religious, Aspirants in the House of

Jan 26th Discernment, Souls in Purgatory 8AM

Seminarian Deacon Thomas Swierc

Friday Jan 27th 8AM

†William and Susan Hosek, †Concepcion Garza, East Central ISD Teachers, Students,

and Staff, Souls in Purgatory

Seminarian Edgar Hernandez

#### Mass Intentions for Jan 28th & 29th

5:00PM

Saturday Health of Daryl Mahula, †Anita Michalec, Souls in Purgatory

Jan 28th

Sunday MA8

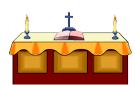
†Gilbert Kiolbassa, For the family of Edwin John Kubena and Randall Paul Kuben and for

Jan 29th the Souls in Purgatory

Sunday 9:30AM Jan 29th Parroquianos de San Jerónimo

Sunday **11AM** Jan 29th Souls in Purgatory, †John & Claire Hessling, †August Zunker, †William "Jake" Kelley

## SACRISTANS NEEDED



We are looking for new Sacristans. Our Catholic Faith is full of traditions. If you are interested in learning more about these traditions then becoming a Sacristan is for you. Or if you would just like to serve in a new ministry, that

works too. You can serve as little or as much as you would like to. Some of the services the Sacristans are involved in are opening and setting up for weddings, funerals, quinces, baptisms, morning Masses, and weekend Masses. Reach out to Gayle Haese 210-262-1091 or catch one of the Sacristans you may see around church: Robert Neugebauer, Gary Thompson, Jennifer Davis or Millie Dupnik and ask them about it. We would love to have you join our amazing ministry.

#### PRAYER LISTS

Please keep the following in your prayers:

Terry Appelt, Earl Aylward, Carol Barnett, Kathey Barnhill, Libby Brietzke-Anderson, Christopher Campos, Don Castellano-Hoyt, Richard Dennehy, Mary Ducharme, Julia Duerr, Tony Duerr, Edward Eanes, Eleanor Finch, Betty Friesenhahn, Rhonnie Franckowiak, Kathy Grams, Isaiah Herrera,

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# Please Pray for our Military:



Caleb Brooks, Kyle Budde, Rene Castellano, Wayne Hosek, Michael Weston, Eric McDonald, Bryan Joe Michalec, Omero Lopez, Kevin Kotrola, Kurt Kresta, Matt Kuwamoto, Sicily Rios, Elizabeth Ferris, Suzanne Lons-

berry, Ernesto Zavala, Jonathan Longoria, Tara Strzelczyk, Ryan Patrick Fallon, Alex Elizardo, Rory Carmichael, Courtney Brooks, Ethan Burgess, Johnny Alvarez, Erik Gonzales, Ryan Navalsky, Taylor Sansing, Gage Duffin, Brooke Geigenmiller, David Germann, Lisa Mora, John Benton, Zachary Schumann

# 3RD SUNDAY—ORDINARY TIME



Today we celebrate Sunday of the Word of God, recognizing the centrality of God's word in the life of the Church. Established only four years ago, Sunday of the Word of God reminds us that scripture is central to our faith. Our patron, Saint Jerome, who

translated most of the Bible into Latin in the fourth century, wrote, "Ignorance of the scriptures is ignorance of Christ."

Every time we come to Mass we listen to the words of scripture, conscious that God's word is a living word, speaking to us in our age as powerfully and relevantly as when it was written.

Christ is the center of the Bible, both Old and New Testaments, for, as John wrote, "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God" (1:1). Through stories and myths, histories and testimonies, visions and parables, oracles and letters and songs, God is revealed to us through the Word.

This Sunday we hear a dramatic example of how words written in one era come alive centuries later in a new context. Isaiah saw that Judah's king had turned his back on his own people, but also saw a day when God's ultimate triumph would be realized. Eight hundred years later, Matthew noted that Jesus came from the same region Isaiah mentioned, giving new meaning to the "great light" who overcame the darkness. Listening to God's holy word, let us reflect on how the light of Christ continues to overcome the darkness, and let us resolve to make God's word a guiding force in our lives.

#### **Question of the Week**

Can I commit myself to studying scripture daily in 2023, making it central in my life?

January Devotion: The Holy Name of Jesus Devoción de enero: Santísimo Nombre de Jesus

# 3° DOMINGO—TIEMPO ORDINARIO



Hoy celebramos el Domingo de la Palabra de Dios, reconociendo la centralidad de la palabra de Dios en la vida de la Iglesia. Establecido hace solo cuatro años, el Domingo de la Palabra de Dios nos recuerda que las Escrituras son fundamentales para nuestra fe. *Nuestro* 

patrón, San Jerónimo, quien tradujo la mayor parte de la Biblia al latín en el siglo IV, escribió: "La ignorancia de las Escrituras es ignorancia de Cristo".

Cada vez que venimos a Misa escuchamos las palabras de las Escrituras, conscientes de que la palabra de Dios es una palabra viva, que nos habla en nuestra época con tanta fuerza y relevancia como cuando fue escrita.

Cristo es el centro de la Biblia, tanto del Antiguo como del Nuevo Testamento, porque, como escribió Juan, "En el principio era el Verbo, y el Verbo era con Dios, y el Verbo era Dios" (1:1). A través de historias y mitos, historias y testimonios, visiones y parábolas, oráculos y cartas y canciones, Dios se nos revela a través de la Palabra.

Este domingo escuchamos un ejemplo dramático de cómo las palabras escritas en una época cobran vida siglos después en un contexto nuevo. Isaías vio que el rey de Judá le había dado la espalda a su propio pueblo, pero también vio el día en que se realizaría el triunfo final de Dios. Ochocientos años después, Mateo señaló que Jesús procedía de la misma región mencionada por Isaías, dando un nuevo significado a la "gran luz" que venció a las tinieblas. Escuchando la santa palabra de Dios, reflexionemos sobre cómo la luz de Cristo sigue venciendo las tinieblas, y resolvámonos a hacer de la palabra de Dios una fuerza orientadora en nuestras vidas.

#### Pregunta de la Semana

¿Puedo comprometerme a estudiar las Escrituras a diario en 2023, haciéndolas centrales en mi vida?

#### 2022 CUENTA DE CONTRIBUCION



Los estados de cuenta de contribuciones de fin de 2022 para contribuyentes en línea o por sobre estarán disponibles después del 31 de enero. Ya se puede solicitar el suyo. Envíe su solicitud por correo electrónico junto

con el número de su sobre al correo electrónico, bookkeeper@stjeromesatx.org o llame a la oficina parroquial (210-648-2694),

Si actualmente no recibe sobres de ofrenda o no se le ha asignado un número de sobre,llame a la oficina para solicitarlo.

#### OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

**UPDATE:** It is our understanding that envelopes for **January 1st to March 12th** have now been delivered. If you have not yet received your set of envelopes, please contact us.

If you do not receive envelopes (which is how we track cash contributions) and would like to receive them, please contact us.

#### 2022 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS



End of year contribution statements for online and envelope contributors will be available after January 31st. You can request yours now.

Please email your request along with your envelope number to bookkeeper@stjeromesatx.org or call the parish office at 210-648-2694.

If you currently do not receive offertory envelopes or have not been assigned an envelope number, please call the office to request.

#### WILDGAME DINNER



The St. Jerome Men's Club is sponsoring their annual Wildgame Dinner. The evening features a diverse menu of wildgame cuisine, opportunities for prizes and just a good 'ol time! The fun begins at 5PM in O'Brien Hall on Saturday, January 28. Corporate tables of 10 are available for

\$600 and General Admission tickets are \$40 per person.

**Silent Auction and Bucket Game:** We will be putting baskets together for the silent auction and bucket game. It adds to the fun to have a variety of gifts for everyone to bid on. Maybe you have items you can donate, maybe gifts you aren't using, antiques, books, crosses, new purses, pictures, antiques, homemade jellies/jams/candies/breads/baked goods, etc., add it to other items to make a great prize. Please drop off any items at the parish office or contact Jackie Sczepanik or Doug Pruski.

#### ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED



Calling all who have made their 1st communion or will be making their 1st communion...the Altar Server Ministry is looking for members. If your child is interested, please contact Roxanne Zigmond at 210-415-7821 or pick up a

registration form in the Acolyte room in the church.

There will be an Altar Server Training Session on Thursday, February 2nd at 6pm in the church This training is for all current altar servers and any one interested in becoming an altar server to attend.

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## MENS ACTS RETREAT



Scheduled for February 23rd - 26th, registration for the next Men's ACTS retreat is now open online at https://

giving.parishsoft.com/App/Form/d6403c96-5e43-4b41-9fc7-fe0f3cfed89c Or scan the QR code:

For more information, please contact retreat Director, John Vrzalik at 210-559-7227.



## SAFE ENVIRONMENT

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All volunteers and employees for St Jerome must be up-to-date with their safe environment documents.

To volunteer, one must register online or access an existing online account with Virtus to have a criminal background check, code of conduct, and three trainings:

- -Virtus Protecting God's Children,
- -Virtus Sexual Harassment Course, and
- -Virtus Vulnerable Adult Course.

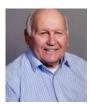
Most of us at St. Jerome completed these trainings in 2019, so the 3-year renewal is up or will be coming up for us. You will be sent an email (the email you used to sign up) notifying you of the training/document renewal. Please make sure to be on the lookout for an email (check your spam folder) from VIRTUS. If you have any questions or need any assistance, please contact Patricia at the parish office or go to https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus to log in to your account or to register.

# **THANK YOU**



The family of Weldon N. Wenzel would like to express its sincere gratitude to the St. Jerome Catholic Church community for your involvement in the funeral services for our dad. Thank you to all those who provided food for the reception after the services and those who helped prepare the space and serve the food.

We especially want to thank the Men's Club, the Knights of Columbus, and the Bereavement Committee for their extra efforts in honoring our dad. May God bless all of you and your families for your thoughtfulness and kindness.



The family of Alex Dugie, Jr. would like to thank the community of St. Jerome Catholic Church for their prayers and support during this difficult time. We'd like to especially thank Fr. Kris and Deacon Ed for presiding over the Mass and for John Earnhardt for reciting the rosary. Thank you to the choir for

their beautiful music, our Sacristan, Gayle Haese, our parish secretary, Patricia Flores, Kiolbassa Catering for providing our meal, for those who brough desserts and the bereavement committee who took time to serve our parish community by finding the time to arrange for desserts. Your help with the funeral was unsurpassed and we are so very grateful. May God continue to bless each and every one of you.

## ALTAR SOCIETY



Altar Society will have their monthly meeting on Wednesday, Jan 25th at 6:30 pm in Flanagan Hall.

The Altar Society is continuing their membership drive this weekend for new and existing members. Envelopes are in the gathering area.

# KNIGHTLY NEWS



FRATERNAL BENEFITS NIGHT TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2023 6PM O'BRIEN HALL

January Devotion: The Holy Name of Jesus Devoción de enero: Santísimo Nombre de Jesus

# RAFFLE DRAWING

Please contact Frances Zunker for tickets or scan the QR Code below to enter and pay online.





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#### A.C.T.S.

Ray Gregory ACTS@stjeromesatx.org

#### **Altar Society**

Last Wed. 6:30p.m. Millie Dupnik, President mdupnik@aol.com

# Couples & Christ

Michael & Laura Pieprzica

#### Eucharistic Ministers Leslie Wagoner

#### **Knights of Columbus 4315**

Michael Kopecki, Grand Knight knights4315@gmail.com

#### **Lector Ministry**

Debbie Williams lectors@stjeromesatx.org

#### Little Rock Scripture Bible Study

Adelita Barajas adelita.barajas@sbcglobal.net

#### Men's Club

2nd Monday 7:00 p.m. R.D. Baker

#### **Music Ministry**

Neala Montague musicministry@stjeromesatx.org

#### Sacristans

Gayle Haese gaylehaese@gmail.com (210) 262-1091

#### Senior Gathering/Bereavement

2nd Thursday 11:00 a.m. Elaine Moczygemba and Lorraine Ibrom

# Society of Our Lady of Guadalupe (SOLG)

3rd Wednesday 6PM Lupita Pacheco Martinez SOLG@stjeromesatx.org

#### That Man Is You (TMIY)

Tuesdays @ 6:30PM Paul Montes (210) 260-9323 TMIY@stjeromesatx.org

#### Ushers

Ricardo Maldonado William Lowman ushers@stjeromesatx.org

#### YOUTH PROGRAMS

#### **Altar Servers**

1st communion-12th grade Roxanne Zigmond rzigmond129@yahoo.com

#### C.Y.O.

4yrs.-8th grade Janet Pedrotti Yesenia Castillo cyo@stjeromesatx.org

#### Faith Formation (C.C.D.)

Prek 3-8th grade Kristin Rumfield (210)648-2694 X1004 dre@stjeromesatx.org

#### Life Teen

9th grade-12th grade Kristin Rumfield (210)648-2694 X1004 dre@stjeromesatx.org

#### Edge

6th grade-8th grade Kristin Rumfield (210)648-2694 X1004 dre@stjeromesatx.org

#### Teen ACTS

9th grade-12th grade

#### **BSA Troop 315**

Tuesdays 7:00 p.m.

#### **Boy Troop Scout Master:**

Rick Ruiz richardrzjr@gmail.com Girl Troop Scout Master:

## Janie Ruiz

janiecrTroop315@yahoo.com Mirette Pichardo rgjr08@att.net

# **Cub Scout Master:**

Raymond Garcia Ray.garcia1072@gmail.com Bryan Kellner bryan@stsheavyhauling.com

#### Girl Scouts Troop 2351 Leader

Ashley Denecamp

**Troop 862 Leader:** Ashley Denecamp

#### Youth Choir

Neala Montague youthchoir@stjeromesatx.org

# PASTORAL/FINANCE COUNCIL

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