

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

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<u>Masses</u>: Sat., 5:00pm (English) & Sun., 10:00am (English) Confessions by Appointment

Office Hours: Mon., Wed. & Fri., 9:00am - 1:00pm

Tues. & Thurs., 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Rectory (Fr. David's Home): 3323 86th Street, Lubbock, TX 79423

February 7, 2016

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTION:

Saturday, February 6th: Mass for the people

Sunday, February 7th:
Alice Lehr + (Grandmother of
Michelle McCallick)

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8

Responsorial Psalm:
In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.
(Psalm 138:1-5, 7-8)

<u>Second Reading:</u>
1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Gospel Acclamation:
Come after me and I will make
you fishers of men.
(Matthew 4:19)

Gospel: Luke 5:1-11

ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES

Wednesday, February 10th
5:00pm & 7:00pm
Please join us as we begin our
Lenten season with two
evening Masses.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES COLLECTION

A second collection will be taken up on Saturday, February 13th and Sunday, February 14th. All proceeds will go towards our local Catholic Charities fund.

LENT REFLECTIONS— DYNAMIC CATHOLIC

Have you ever had a memorable, life-changing Lent? Sign up to receive daily reflections during Lent at:

www.dynamiccatholic.com/lent

SAN RAMON ANNUAL VALENTINE'S DANCE

Friday, February 12th
7:00pm—12:00am

Knights of Columbus Banquet Hall
FM 1585 (1/2 mile East of Slide)

For more information, please call 806-863-2201

LENTEN RETREAT

Saturday, February 27th 10am -2:30pm at SJTB

Our Spiritual Life Committee invites you to a Lenten Retreat given by Fr. David Cruz & Ann Krier. Set aside a few hours to make your Lenten experience more meaningful. Please call or email the parish office to RSVP by Monday, February 22nd. There is no charge, but we request a donation of one canned good to donate to Catholic Charities.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Friday, February 19th 7:00pm

The Spiritual Life Committee invites you to make your Lenten experience more meaningful by reflecting and praying the Divine Mercy Stations.

JANUARY OFFERTORY GIFTS

Total: 18,036.45

Sunday Collections: \$13,678.83
Saturday Collections: \$4,357.62
"Give, and it will be given to you...For by your standard of measure it will be measured to you in return."

(Luke 6:38)

PRAYER INTENTION LIST

Week of January 31, 2016

Healing & Good Health

-Juan Contreras -Jakob Neuber

-Maxine Abeyta -Eloisa Landin

-Andrea Garcia -Joshua Albiar

-Martha Oyervidez -Jason Mata

-Yajayra Marin -Pat Casarez

-Angie Piña -Mary Salazar

-Joe Porras

-Karter Fayth Salazar -Ben & Jane Ybañez

General

-Armando Morales
-Joseph Contreras & Family
-Nexi Porras

Eternal Rest

-Andres & Margarita DeLeon

-Antonio & Luis Valenciano

-Ginger Storm

-All the faithful departed +

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

Saturday, February 20th Catholic Pastoral Center 4620 4th Street 10:00am—1:00pm

For more information or to register, please contact
Alicia Alvarez at 806-792-3943 or aalvarez@catholiclubbock.org

BAKE SALE

Our High School CCE program will be conducting a bake sale after Masses this weekend in order to support Catholic Charities. We appreciate your generosity



Dear Friends of St. John the Baptist,

In the last few weeks, we have focused on the incorporation of the Spiritual Works of Mercy, offered by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops for the Year of Mercy. The next two weeks, I would like us to reflect on and incorporate the Corporal Works of Mercy.

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. David

-Patti Tyree

Corporal Works of Mercy (3 of 7)

The Corporal Works of Mercy are found in the teachings of Jesus and give us a model for how we should treat all others. These charitable actions help our neighbors in their bodily needs, responding to the basic needs of humanity as we journey together through this life.

Feed the Hungry

There are many people in this world who go without food. When so much of our food goes to waste, consider how good stewardship practices of your own food habits can benefit others who do not have those same resources.

- Research, identify and contribute financially to organizations that serve the hungry.
- The next time you make a recipe that can be easily frozen, make a double batch and donate one to your local food pantry or soup kitchen.
- Try not to purchase more food than you are able to eat. If you notice that you end up throwing groceries away each week, purchasing less groceries would eliminate waste and allow you to donate the savings to those in need.

Give Drink to the Thirsty

Many of our brothers and sisters in Christ do not have access to clean water. We should support the efforts of those working towards greater accessibility of this essential resource.

- Donate to organizations that help build wells for water for those in need.
- Organize a youth group to collect bottled water to distribute at a shelter for families.
- Make an effort not to waste water. Remember to turn off the water faucet when you are brushing your teeth or washing dishes.

Shelter the Homeless

There are many circumstances that could lead to someone becoming a person without a home. Christ encourages us to go out and meet those without homes, affirming their worth and helping them seek a resolution to the challenges they face.

- Volunteer at a local homeless shelter.
- Donate time or money to organizations that build homes for those who need shelter.
- Many homeless shelters need warm blankets for their beds. Donate some blankets to a local shelter.