

Primer Domingo de CUARESMA

“Dice la Escritura:
El hombre no vive
solamente de pan.”

Lc 4, 4

March 9, 2025

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

216 W. 1st St. San Juan, Texas 78589

Email Address: SJBSanJuan@cdob.org

Rev. Manuel Alfredo Razo Canales S.T.D

Pastor

Deacon Eduardo Reyna, H.O.M.I
Deacon Agapito Cantu
Deacon Graciano Rodriguez

Schedule of Masses

Monday - Friday: Spanish 6:00 pm

Weekend Schedule

Saturday, 5:00 p.m., Bilingual
Sunday, 8:00 a.m., Español
Sunday, 10:00 a.m., English
Sunday, 12:00 p.m., Español

Parish Office
(956) 783-1196
Fax (956) 702-7447
Parish Office hours
Monday—Friday
8:00 a.m.—noon
1:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.
Saturday-Sunday Closed

CCD OFFICE
(956) 783-1068
(956) 783-4767

CCD Office hours
We close for Lunch
12:00pm-1:00pm
Monday 8:00am-5:00pm
Tuesday 8:00am-6:30pm
Wednesday 8:00am-9:00pm
Thursday 8:00am-4:30pm
Friday & Saturday closed

Hora Santa

Martes
7:00p.m

Exposicion del Santisimo

Lunes a Viernes
6:00a.m.-12:00p.m.



Confesiones

Martes & Viernes

5:30 p.m.

Domingos

7:30a.m.

9:30a.m.

11:30a.m.

Confessions

Tuesday & Friday

5:30 p.m.

Sundays

7:30a.m.

9:30a.m.

11:30a.m.

Parish Mission Statement

St. John the Baptist Parish is a welcoming Catholic community. We celebrate our faith with a spirit of worship which empowers us to grow spiritually, share the Good News, reach out to those in need, serve the poor and work for justice. We lovingly honor our traditions, especially devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary.

MISION INMACULADA CONCEPCION

901 Church St. San Juan, Texas

Horario de Misas (Español)

5:00 p.m. sábado
12:00 p.m. domingo
Hora Santa
Miercoles 7:30 pm



Confesiones

Miercoles 7:30—8:30 pm
30 min. antes de cada
Misa



St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, San Juan, Texas



Misión Inmaculada Concepción, San Juan Texas



Viacrucis todos los viernes de cuaresma a las 6:30p.m.

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
San Juan, Texas

BE STILL/Quédate Quieto

Join us for four days of prayer, reflection, and spiritual renewal as we journey through LENT with a focus on trusting in God's presence and finding peace in stillness.

Acompañenos a cuatro días de Oración, reflexión y renovación espiritual mientras recorremos esta jornada hacia la cuaresma, enfocándonos en confiar en la presencia de Dios y encontrar la paz en la quietud.

Monday/lunes, March/marzo 10.
Tuesday/Mártes, March/marzo 11.
Wednesday/miércoles, March/marzo 12.
Thursday, Jueves, March/marzo 13.
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. (bilingüal)
St. John's Parish Church
Iglesia parroquial San Juan Bautista
Guided by: Deacon Eduardo Reyna H.O.M.I.

*"Be still, and know that I am God."
-Psalm 46:10*

*"Quédate quieto y reconoce que yo soy Dios."
-Salmo 46:10*

Scripture Reflection - Reflexión de las Escrituras
Guided Prayer & Meditation - Oración y Meditación
Inspirational Talks - Pláticas Inspiradoras
Community Sharing - Compartiendo en Comunidad

Nos estamos preparando para la Cuaresma

Estas veladoras acompañaran al Santísimo Sacramento en la exposición del Jueves Santo

Hagan sus pedidos en la oficina parroquial

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

Curso Bíblico en Español

Impartido por Pbro. Lic. Benito Rivera
Licenciado en Teología Bíblica

TODOS LOS LUNES HORA : 7:00 PM LUGAR : SALON PARROQUIAL

SALMO 119.105
TU PALABRA ES LAMPARA PARA MIS PASOS Y LUZ EN MI SENDERO

216 W.1ST ST. SAN JUAN, TX

Offertory Report, March 2, 2025

| Church Maintenance | |
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| Envelopes: \$ 6,816.00 | \$ 3189.50 |
| Loose: \$3,718.00 | \$ 1,261.00 |
| Total: \$9,966.00 | \$ 4,450.50 |

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church



Mass Intentions for the Week

Sat. March 8, 5:00 p.m. † Roberto Garcia, Manuel Rivera Jr., Manuel Rivera Sr., Elena & Jose Guadalupe Rivera, Javier Francisco Estrada, Manuel Rivera Jr., Pedro Pompa Sr.

Sun. March 9, 8:00 a.m. † Monserrato Garcia, Ricardo Rodriguez, Martha Davila, Bday Fr. Manuel Alfredo Razo

10:00 a.m. † Adan Telles, Ubaldo & Belinda Robles, Aristeo & Eduvijes Cantu, Juan Jose Maldonado

12:00 p.m. † Evelia Cantu, Irma Cavazos Gonzales, Jesus de Loera Romo, J. Jesus de Loera Romo, Juan Verduzco, Gloria Silva Leal

Mon. March 10, 6:00 p.m. † Sabino Vazquez Camargo

Tue. March 11, 6:00 p.m. † Fr. Alfonso Guevara

Wed. March 12, 6:00 p.m. † Fr. Bart Flaar

Thu. March 13, 6:00 p.m. † Dcn. Alex Gamboa, Damian Parra

Fri. March 14, 6:00 p.m. † Ciro Cantu

Sat. March 15, 5:00 p.m. † Rebecca Villarreal, Ana Lopez, Ernesto Cazares, Roberto Garcia, Martin Navarro, Ramon Navarro

Sun. March 16, 8:00 a.m. † Teodoro de La Rosa, Juan Ramon Martinez

10:00 a.m. All our Parishioners

12:00 p.m. † Evelia Cantu, J. Jesus de Loera Romo, Evelia Cantu, J. Jesus de Loera Romo, Juan Verduzco, Adrian Angel Gonzalez, Genaro Tijerina

Inmaculada Concepción



Intenciones para las Misas de la semana

Sab. 8 de Mar, 5:00 p.m. Por todos los parroquianos

Dom. 9 de Mar, 12:00 p.m. † Luis & Esperanza Sarmiento, Sabino Vazquez

Sab. 15 de Mar, 5:00 p.m. Por la salud del Papa Francisco

Dom. 16 de Mar, 12:00 p.m. † Bianca Alaniz, Luis & Esperanza Sarmiento



Were here to Serve

Necesitamos Ujieres en todas las Misas. Si está interesado en ser parte de este ministerio comuníquese con: **Delia Rodríguez (956)-369-7310**

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San Juan, Texas**



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Feliz Cumpleaños

**Ven a Celebrar en Familia la vida de
nuestro querido Párroco
Padre Manuel Razo**

**Domingo
Marzo 9, 2025
Hora 5:30 PM
Salón Parroquial
Te Esperamos!**



216 1st. Street San Juan, TX



**4TH Annual Women's
Renew Conference**



"HOPE IS AN ANCHOR FOR THE SOUL"
Hebrews 6:19

**FRIDAY, APRIL 25TH : 6 PM - 8:45 PM
SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH : 8 AM - 3:30 PM**

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Keynote Speaker



LISA MARTINEZ
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OTHER WOMEN OF FAITH WHERE YOU WILL ENCOUNTER
GOD, EXPERIENCE FAITH FILLED TALKS, AND FIND YOUR
TRUEST SELF.

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**Early Bird Registration before April 4th:
\$60
High School Student - \$50
Group Rate: 10 for \$500**

**After April 4th:
\$70
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NO Group Rate**

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**MISA DE
SANACION**

**JUEVES
MARZO, 27, 2025
HORA : 7:00 PM**

**ORACION DE SANACION Y
ALABANZA**

**TE ESPERAMOS CON TU
FAMILIA !**

PADRE MANUEL RAZO



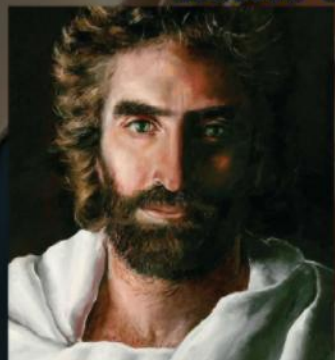
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Hora Santa

**TODOS LOS MARTES
HORA 7:00 PM**




**Noche de meditación y oración con
Nuestro Señor Jesús Eucaristía**

TE ESPERAMOS!

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**First Sunday of Lent
Putting God to the Test**

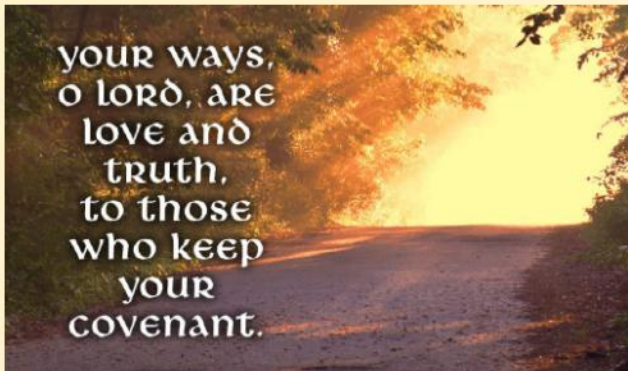
I always thought today's Gospel shows how Jesus was tempted to be a Messiah in a way that matched human expectations—those of Jews waiting for a messiah—instead of doing what his Father wanted. But I also wonder if these temptations are what we expect of God.

Do we expect God to provide for our needs by turning stones into money? God does help us with our troubles, but usually by giving us the strength to get through them with our God-given abilities. This might mean finding a better job that uses more of our talents. It might be forgiving us, if we are the cause of our own troubles, and giving us the courage to start over.

Or do we expect God to bring peace to the world by instantly removing all nuclear weapons or capturing all terrorists? When we pray for peace, we could pray that God show us what we can do to bring that peace. We could be generous in giving to the poor, especially where poverty is the cause of war.

Maybe we expect God to be a superhero for us, strengthening our faith with spectacular miracles. Jesus would tell us the same thing he told the devil: "Don't put the Lord your God to the test" (see Luke 4:12). Instead, as we take time to pray over the scriptures, read spiritual books, and share our faith with others, we will find our faith growing and know that the Lord has been with us all along the way.

Tom Schmidt



**Primer Domingo de Cuaresma
Poniendo a Dios a prueba**

Siempre pensaba que el Evangelio de hoy muestra cómo Jesús fue tentado a ser un Mesías de una manera que coincidiera con las expectativas humanas (las de los judíos que esperaban al Mesías) en lugar de hacer lo que su Padre quería. Pero también me pregunto si estas tentaciones son lo que nosotros esperamos de Dios.

¿Esperamos que Dios provea para nuestras necesidades convirtiendo piedras en dinero? Dios nos ayuda con los problemas, pero generalmente dándonos la fuerza para superarlos con las habilidades que Él nos dio. Esto podría significar encontrar un trabajo mejor donde podemos utilizar más de nuestros talentos. Puede ser que nos perdone, si somos la causa de nuestros propios problemas, y nos dé el valor para comenzar de nuevo.

¿O esperamos que Dios traiga paz al mundo eliminando instantáneamente todas las armas nucleares o capturando a todos los terroristas? Cuando rezamos por la paz, podemos orar para que Dios nos muestre lo que podemos hacer para traer esa paz. Podemos ser generosos al dar a los pobres, especialmente en lugares donde la pobreza es la causa de la guerra.

Tal vez esperamos que Dios sea un superhéroe para nosotros, fortaleciendo nuestra fe con milagros espectaculares. Jesús nos diría lo mismo que le dijo al diablo: "No pongas a prueba al Señor tu Dios" (ver Lucas 4, 12). En cambio, mientras tomemos el tiempo para rezar con las Escrituras, leer libros espirituales y compartir la fe con los demás, veremos cómo crezca nuestra fe y entenderemos que el Señor ha estado con nosotros a lo largo del camino.

Tom Schmidt



**Lecturas de las Escrituras
Para la Semana del 9 de Marzo de 2020**

Domingo Primero Domingo de Cuaresma Dt 26, 4-10; Sal 90, 1-2. 10-11. 12-13. 14-15; Rom 10, 8-13; Lc 4, 1-13

Lunes Lev 19, 1-2. 11-18; Sal 18, 8. 9. 10. 15; Mt 25, 31-46

Martes Is 55, 10-11; Sal 33, 4-5. 6-7. 16-17. 18-19; Mt 6, 7-15

Miércoles Jon 3, 1-10; Sal 50, 3-4. 12-13. 18-19; Lc 11, 29-32

Jueves Est 14, 1. 3-5. 12-14; Sal 137, 1-2a. 2bc-3. 7c-8; Mt 7, 7-12

Viernes Ez 18, 21-28; Sal 129, 1-2. 3-4ab. 4c-6. 7-8; Mt 5, 20-26

Sábado Dt 26, 16-19; Sal 118, 1-2. 4-5. 7-8; Mt 5, 43-48

Domingo Segundo Domingo de Cuaresma

Gén 15, 5-12. 17-18; Sal 26, 1. 7-8a. 8b-9abc. 13-14; Fil 3, 17—4, 1 o

Fil 3, 20—4,1; Lc 9, 28b-36



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