

St. Matthew Catholic Church

2800 Pine Tree Rd.
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November 29, 2020

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"To Know, to Love and to Serve Christ Among His People, and to Seek the Lost"

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND:	Saturday - Vigil	5:00 PM, (Eng.) 7:00 PM (Esp.)
	Sunday	8:30 & 10:30 AM & 6:00 PM (Eng.)
	Domingo	1:00 PM (Esp.)
DAILY:	Monday - Friday	7:00 AM
	Tuesday	7:00 PM (Español)
	Wednesday	6:00 PM
	Friday	12:05 PM
HOLY DAY:	7:00 AM, 12:05 & 6:00PM (Eng.)	7:30 PM (Esp.)
ADORATION:	First Fridays	7:30 AM - 11:45 AM
	Wednesdays	7:30 AM - 5:45 PM (Sept.- May)
CONFESSION:	Saturday	4:00 - 4:45 PM
	Tuesday	5:00 - 7:00 PM, Thursday 5:00 - 6:00 PM
	Any other time by Appointment	

Mobile App: (Install from "App store" or "Play store")
"Saint Matthew Longview"

Our website: www.stmattlgv.com

Nationwide Mass times:
www.FindaParish.com
www.Masstimes.org or 1-800-Masstimes

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY 8:30 AM - 12 NOON; & 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

SPECIAL CELEBRATIONS: ON SATURDAYS

BAPTISM: 9:00 AM (ENGLISH)

10:00 AM (ESPAÑOL)

PRESENTACION: 11:00 AM

WEDDING & QUINCEAÑERA: 12 NOON & 2:00 PM

for more information,
please contact the church office during office hours.

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Mass Intentions

SATURDAY - November 28

5:00 pm † Leo Moraw (Charles & Lanell Archer)
 † Maria Khouri (Leroy & Randa Yeoman)
 7:00 pm † Jose Isabel Nuñez (Vazquez Family)

SUNDAY - November 29

8:30 am † Elizabeth Dasaiyan (Freeda Dasaiyan)
 10:30 am People of the Parish
 1:00 pm Lupita Gonzalez – Birthday (Parish Staff)
 Matthew Solorzano – Birthday (Mario Solorzano)
 6:00 pm Spencer Plumley – Birthday (Plumley Family)

MONDAY - November 30

7:00 am † June Searcy (Deacon Joe & Marylin Bianca)

TUESDAY - December 01

7:00 am † Robert Peña (Bert & Vickie Noriel)
 7:00 pm † Nicandra Bautista (Josefina Flores & Family)

WEDNESDAY - December 02

7:00 am Msgr. Xavier - Birthday (Jerry & Sue Lang)

THURSDAY - December 03

7:00 am Msgr. Xavier - Birthday (Parish Staff)

FRIDAY - December 04

7:00 am Msgr. Xavier - Birthday (Nick Miller Family)
 12:05 pm Msgr. Xavier (Leslie Ewald)

SATURDAY - December 05

5:00 pm Msgr. Xavier (Elaine Chambliss)
 7:00 pm † Deceased Family & Friends (Araceli Morales)

SUNDAY - December 06

8:30 am † Shirley Harbour (8:30 am Choir)
 10:30 am People of the Parish
 1:00 pm † Juan Delgado & Juan Delgado Sr. (Delgado Fam)
 † Seferino Castillo (Magdalena Salazar)
 † Esperanza Garcia (Garcia Family)
 6:00 pm Nick Miller – Birthday (Sandy Miller)

Observances & Readings

Monday 30	St. Andrew, Apostle Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22
Tuesday 01	Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-17; Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday 02	Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 15:29-37
Thursday 03	St. Francis Xavier Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27
Friday 04	First Friday Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31
Saturday 05	First Saturday Is 30:19-26; Ps 147:1-6; Mt 9:35 - 10:1-8
Sunday 06	Second Sunday of Advent Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 85:9-14; 2 Pt 3:8-14; Mk 1:1-8

Pope's Intentions (December)

The Very Young: That every country resolutely commits to taking the necessary measures to make the future of the very young, especially those who suffer, a priority.



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Hope: Shaping the Broken Past

Dear brothers and sisters,

Every year we've had great hope and lots of preparation during this season. But this year, due to COVID, we experience the broken, divided, unstable, social distancing and fearful social living – no handshakes; no hugs; no celebrations; no family get-together; no vacation, etc. As we begin the Advent season and prepare for Christ's birth once again, do we have some hope for a better and peaceful world? When we look for an answer from God or return to God, we have hope for a solution and we may give 'hope' to everyone around us.

"A victim of mental depression, once went to consult a skilled physician regarding his condition. The doctor prescribed some lively amusement, and told him of a celebrated clown, who was entertaining great companies in a certain place of amusement in the town. With an expression of despair on his haggard face, the visitor exclaimed, "I am that clown." The man who was moving thousands to laughter each night, was a victim of depression himself."

All of us have a broken past to fix; a stressful life to live. Broken pasts are like our children bringing their broken toys with tears for their parents to mend. The people of Israel brought their broken dreams to God because He was their Father. We need to bring our broken lives to God. But then leave Him in peace to work alone. Sometimes we tried to help with ways that were our own. At last we snatch them back and cry, how can you be so slow? Hope is near for those who are patient, watching, waiting and alert.

God is our potter. We are His clay. He forms, molds and fixes everyone of His children; but we need let go of our broken pasts and allow Him to shape us. Hope in God! Wishing you and your family a fruitful Advent season. Blessings!
 Msgr. Xavier

Prayer Chain:

If you have a prayer request or would like to be a member of the prayer chain, please e-mail JoAnn McCracken at j.mccracken46@gmail.com or call the church office at 903-295-3890.



Due to an early bulletin publishing deadline, Offertory amounts were not available.

2nd Collection:

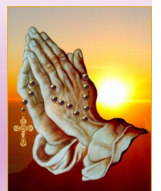
This weekend: Catholic Daughters

Next Weekend: Building Fund

Thank you for your stewardship.

Please pray for our priests in this Diocese:

Nov. 30: Rev. Msgr. John Brennan
 Dec. 01: Rev. Freddie Celano
 Dec. 02: Rev. Lawrence Challaian
 Dec. 03: Rev. Ambrose Chinnappa
 Dec. 04: Rev. Ariel Cortes
 Dec. 05: Rev. Jose Cortez
 Dec. 06: Rev. Ronald Demski



ADVENT CONFESSIONS
(English & Spanish)

Tuesday, Dec. 1st: 5:00 - 7:00 pm
Thursday, Dec. 3rd: NO CONFESSIONS
Tuesday, Dec. 8th: NO CONFESSIONS
Thursday, Dec. 10th: 5:00 - 7:00 pm



This year we will not have several priests to hear confessions. If you are not able to make it during our regular confession days, please call the neighboring churches and prepare yourselves for Christmas. **Please do not procrastinate until Christmas!**



We Wish Msgr. Xavier a Happy Birthday
(December 3rd)

Please keep him in your prayers as he continues to serve us faithfully. Come one and all to celebrate the Holy Mass on Dec. 3rd, Thursday, at 7 am (if possible) to pray for our Pastor, who gives so much as he tends & feeds his flock.

Our generous donors
of the Statues, Gazebos and Benches for
the Columbarium and Prayer Garden:

Statues:

Standing Angel	David & Jean Mangrum
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St. Joseph	Pat & Sheila Sweeney
Crucifix	Richard & Camille Wildt
Blessed Virgin Mary	Dave & Jeri Vaughan
Blessed Virgin Mary	Babette Acayan
Pieta	Jere Thompson
Welcoming Jesus	Dcn. Joe & Marilyn Bianca
St. Michael the Arcangel	Carol Muckleroy
Cherub	Rita Reindl

Altar:

John & JoAnn Miller
Knights of Columbus #2771
Melissa Acayan

Water Fountain:

Cameron & Davis Families

Wooden Altar: (SJP) Raul & Araceli Panzo

Benches were donated by:

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Thank you and may God bless you and your families!



Columbarium & Prayer Garden
SALE of Niches

There is a PRE-DEDICATION promotion for the niches through the end of November (20% discount.) If you are planning to purchase a niche, this is the best time. If you purchase a niche and decide later that you do not want it, the parish will buy it back from you.

We also have memorial pavers for your loved ones. They are 2' x 2' and can be engraved as you wish. For more info, please contact the church office at 903-295-3890. Thanks!

This Week:

Nov. 30: ACTS Women's Faith Sharing; 7 pm, Room 31
Dec. 02: ACTS Men's Faith Sharing; 6 am, Parish Hall
St. Vincent de Paul; 5 pm, Parish Hall
Dec. 03: ACTS Core; 6:00 pm, SJP Room 5
[If you plan for any other meetings, please call the church office to open a meeting room. Thanks]

Angel Tree

The Angel Tree will be set up in the foyer beginning on November 28. Please plan to stop by after Mass and choose an Angel.



Abide in Peace - Virtual Advent Program for Women



This year the St. Philip Institute invites you to join us for an Advent series for women that is designed to draw us deeper into the peace of Christ, even in

the midst of the chaos and challenges of our time. Participants will receive a free printable PDF workbook and a reading guide for the season of Advent. Beginning Sunday, Nov. 29th, we will reflect on the Gospel readings for each Sunday of Advent, as well as read through the book "Searching for and Maintaining Peace: A Small Treatise on Peace of Heart" by Fr. Jacques Phillippe. There will be a live online discussion session as well as podcast episodes that correspond to the reading schedule. For more information, please visit www.stphilipinstitute.org and click on the "Abide in Peace" graphic on the homepage.

Men of the Gospel Conference

Join the St. Philip Institute for a hybrid Men's Conference on December 5th! This conference will feature talks by Jesse Romero, Doug Barry, and Sean Bryan, the "Papal Ninja" from America Ninja Warrior. This event will take place from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm in the Chancery in Tyler, and also offers the option of watching the conference online. To register, please visit www.stphilipinstitute.org/events.



PLAN YOUR
Year-End Giving

At the end of the year many people traditionally donate to charities and non-profit organizations. As we approach the end of the year 2020, I thank you for your generosity in the past. We have done very well in every way. **Thank you!** Please prayerfully consider your year-end donations for St. Matthew Church's Prayer Garden or Columbarium and post mark them by **December 31, 2020** for your tax deductions. You may do it in person or online or by credit card or by email. Thanks again! God bless you and your family!

PRO-LIFE, FETAL DEVELOPMENT, MONTH 8

In the last two months the baby continues to gain weight. She is developing a layer of fat that will keep her warm after she is born. In the 9th month she will shift to a head-down position, preparing for birth. Her lungs are now fully developed and capable of making the transition to breathing air. Just as an expectant mother makes final preparations for the birth of her baby we make preparations for Christmas during the four weeks of Advent .



FAMILY Faith Formation

Evangelize, Catechize and Form Disciples



CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

Due to COVID-19 & social distancing
We plan to have the classes

IN-PERSON,
only for preparing Sacraments.
[grades 2nd thru 5th]

Those registered to receive the Sacraments must attend at
their respective scheduled time.

Sundays: 11:45 am & 4:30 pm

Wednesdays: 6:30 pm

All parents need to drive through at the back of the
church [in front of the Faith Formation building], and stay
in the car until your children have their temperature taken
& drop them before you leave. [If they have a fever,
please do not bring them to the class or to the Mass.]

Note: Children need to wear
their masks.



Protecting your child from abuse

Please take a flyer from the wall
pockets in the foyer. The flyer has
important information regarding:

- Not Just Strangers; Building

Protective Bonds;

- Know the Signs - Pre-Warning; Good Touch, Bad Touch;
- What to do when suspected abuse: in Texas it can be reported to Texas Department of Family and Protective Services: (800) 4-A-Child, (800) 422-4452. Diocese of Tyler Promoter of Justice: 1-877-415-6423 promoter@dioceseoftyler.org

Answer for last week's questions (11/22/20):

1. In the temple and in every house (Acts 5:42)
2. Hellenist (Greek speaking Jews) (Acts 6:1)
3. The Hebrews (Acts 6:1)
4. The twelve (Acts 6:2)
5. Serve tables (Acts 6:2)

Questions for this week:

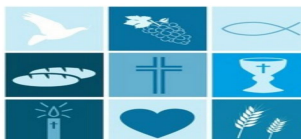
1. How many men were the brethren to look for in taking care of the widows?
2. What were to be the qualifications of the men appointed to take charge in caring for the widows?
3. List the seven men chosen to see that the widows were taken care of
4. Who was the man full of faith and the Holy Spirit?
5. Who was the proselyte of Antioch?

Online Faith Formation & RCIA Weekly Classes

The St. Philip Institute is offering a full set of CCD and RCIA classes. These classes are held weekly with a **live catechist online**. They are **free** to all parishes. If you would like to use these online classes, please connect to this link for students to enroll:



<https://stphilipinstitute.org/faith-formation-online/>



GATECHIST WANTED!

Why do we pray for the dead?

According to the Catholic Encyclopedia, the clearest Bible reference about prayers for the dead is from the Second Book of Maccabees. When soldiers were preparing the bodies of their slain comrades for burial they discovered

they were wearing amulets taken from a pagan temple which violated the law of Deuteronomy, so they prayed that God would forgive the sin these men had committed.

The New Testament echoes this notion in the second letter of Timothy when Paul prays for someone who died named Onesiphorus, saying: "May the Lord grant him to find mercy from the Lord on that day."

The Catechism of the Catholic Church also has something to say about prayers for the dead, stating: "All who die in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven" (1030).

May the souls of all the faithful departed Rest in Peace!

Pray for those who have no one to pray for them!

7 Reasons for becoming an Altar Server

1. You learn why we do everything in the Mass.
2. You get fully involved in the Mass and get more out of it.
3. You make some great friends.
4. You learn some fantastic life skills.
5. You become more involved in the community.
6. It helps you discern your vocation better.
7. It gives you a greater appreciation of the priesthood.

When we are able to resume our activities, we will have training for Altar Servers. Please watch the bulletin, parish app and Facebook page for more information.



YOUTH MINISTRY



Last week in our youth group we discussed the Sacrament of penance and the gift of healing. The story of the paralytic man demonstrates the connection between the forgiveness of sins and healing. Jesus makes it clear that He is God, that He has the power to forgive sins, and that being forgiven should be our first priority. In this instance Jesus forgives sin and physically heals. Penance is a sacrament of healing because sin wounds and the grace of forgiveness heals.

All of our high school youth are encouraged to come for a time of fellowship, faith, friends and food on Sundays at 3:00 p.m. at the St. John Paul Center. *If any family or parish group is interested in providing a meal for our youth, Contact Jim at youth@stmattlgv.com.*

We will not have Youth Ministry on November 29 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.



HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

On Sundays at 3:00 pm
In the St. John Paul Center,
Youth Choir at 4:30 p.m. in the church.



Lots of Fun, Food, Fellowship & Faith!

Virtue of the Week:
RELIABILITY—
The Strength to be



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ALIVE AGAIN

Don't want to wait until summer to get back to The Pines? Alive Again is our annual winter weekend that takes place during Advent. What better way and place is there to prepare our hearts for the coming of the Lord than at The Pines? You'll get to take part in a ton of activities and reunite with your camp friends and favorite summer counselors for a relaxing, rejuvenating weekend as you experience what a cold (how weird) weekend at The Pines is like! December 18-20, 2020 for 8th-12th graders. Cost: \$195 plus you will receive an Alive Again t-shirt! Register online at www.thepines.org/aliveagain

UPDATE: Columbarium & Prayer Garden



HIGH SCHOOL MINISTERIO JUVENIL

TODOS Los Domingos a las 3:00 pm
 En el Centro San Juan Pablo,
 Seguido por el Coro Juvenil a las 4:30 p.m.
 En la Iglesia.

Todos los estudiantes de secundaria están invitados a venir con sus amigos. Experiencia ... Divertido. Alimentos, Comunidades y Fe.

Observancias y Lecturas

Lunes, 30	San Andrés Rom 10:9-18; Sal 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22
Martes, 01	Is 11:1-10; Sal 72:1-17; Lc 10:21-24
Miércoles, 02	Is 25:6-10a; Sal 23:1-6; Mt 15:29-37
Jueves, 03	San Francisco Javier Is 26:1-6; Sal 118:1-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27
Viernes, 04	Primer viernes Is 29:17-24; Sal 27:1-14; Mt 9:27-31
Sábado, 05	Primer sábado Is 30:19-26; Sal 14:1-6; Mt 9:35 - 10:1-8
Domingo, 06	Segundo Domingo de Adviento Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Sal 85:9-14; 2 Pt 3:8-14; Mc 1:1-8

FORMACIÓN DE FE – En PESONA

Debido al COVID y al distanciamiento social planeamos tener las clases;

Solamente para los sacramentos.

[grados 2o hasta 5o]

Registrado para recibir Sacramentos deben asistir a sus clases

Domingos: 11:45 am & 4:30 pm;

Miércoles: 6:30 pm

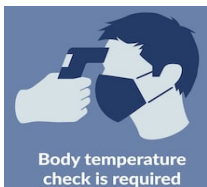
Todos los padres deben conducir en la parte trasera de la iglesia [a la edificación de la Formación De fe], y permanecer en su auto hasta que le tomen la temperatura.

Si tienen temperatura,

Por favor no los traiga a la clase o la Iglesia

Nota: Los Niños necesitan usar

Su mascarara.



PRO-LIFE, FETAL DEVELOPMENT, MES 8

Durante estos dos últimos meses continuare aumentando de peso. También estoy desarrollando una capa de grasa que me ayudara a mantener una temperatura adecuada en el cuerpo después de mi nacimiento. Durante el noveno mes me cambiare a una posición con la cabeza hacia abajo, preparándome para nacer. Mis pulmones están completamente desarrollados y serán capaces de hacer la transición para respirar aire. Después del nacimiento continuare mi proceso de crecimiento humano por muchos años mas. Así como una madre expectante hace los preparativos finales para el nacimiento de su bebé hacemos preparativos para la Navidad durante las cuatro semanas de Adviento

FORMACIÓN DE FE

Los Adultos

Grados 6 y Secundarios y los adultos

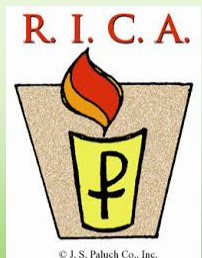
RICA Los Viernes (Español)

a las 7:00 pm Salón Parroquial

RCIA Domingos (English)

a las 4:30 pm Salón Parroquial

TODAS las personas [grados 6o a Escuela Secundaria] que se están preparando para los sacramentos de la Confirmación, y la Primera Comunión necesitan asistir a estas clases sin falta.



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Esta Semana

Nov. 30: Servidoras de Gipe; 10:00 am, Salón Parró.

Cursillos; 7:00 pm, Iglesia

Dic. 01: Grupo de Oración; 7:00 pm, Iglesia

Dic. 03: Nueva Evangelización; 7:00 pm, Salón Parro.

[Si planea realizar otras reuniones, llame a la oficina de la iglesia para abrir una sala de reuniones. Gracias]

Confesiones para Adviento

(Ingles & Español)

Martes, Dic. 1st: 5:00 - 7:00 pm

Jueves, Dic. 3rd: NO CONFESIONES

Martes, Dic. 8th: NO CONFESIONES

Jueves, Dic. 10th: 5:00 - 7:00 pm

Este año no planeamos tener varios sacerdotes para escuchar confesiones. Si no pueden hacer durante nuestros días regulares de confesión, por favor llame a las iglesias vecinas y prepárense para la Navidad. **¡Por favor, no espere hasta Navidad!**



Árbol del Ángel regalos para nuestros Niños

Nuestro árbol del Ángel está en el vestíbulo y los Ángeles en él están listos para ser adoptado! Hay un ángel en el árbol que representa a un niño o una niña de nuestras familias y también para una caja de alimentos para cada familia. Por favor pasar antes o después de la Misa y elegir un ángel para compartir las bendiciones de la Navidad. **Asegúrese de que los voluntarios sepan que Ángel ha seleccionado.**



CONTRIBUCIÓN de fin de año: Al final del año mucha gente tradicionalmente dona a caridades y organizaciones sin fines de lucro. A Medida que nos acercamos al final del año 2020, le agradezco su generosidad en el pasado. Hemos hecho muy bien en todos los sentidos. ¡Gracias!

FIESTA DE GUADALUPE

Sábado, 12 de Diciembre

Mañanitas de 5 am - 5:30 am

Rosario y cantos 5:30-7:00 am

Desayuno 8:00 am

Rosario 9:30 am

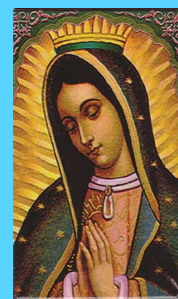
Santa Misa 10:00 am

Rosario 11:30 am

Santa Misa 12:00 pm

No Habrá Misa de 7:00 pm

Vengan y Celebremos!



Columbario & Jardín de Oración

Venta previa a la dedicación de Niches

Hemos abierto el proceso de solicitud para la compra de nichos. Hay una promoción PRE-DEDICACION para los nichos. Si usted está planeando comprar uno, este es el mejor momento.

20% descuento!

Comuníquese con la oficina de la iglesia 903-295-3890. ¡Gracias!



Esta parroquia es de ustedes. Muchísimas gracias por participar en la actividad de:

Limpieza

Comida

Ujieres durante la Misa

Rosario

Sábado

Servidoras

Evangelización

Cursillos

Grupo de Oración

Domingo

Ana Montoya

Reyna González

Genoveva Ponce

Ana Montoya

Nov. 29: Grupo de Oración

Dic. 06: Cursillos

Dic. 13: Servidoras

Dic. 20: Guerreros

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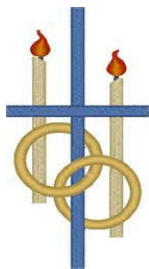
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Wedding Anniversaries

12/01: Ruff & Julie Phelps
 12/02: Janibal & Mary Rose Cabudoy
 12/03: Jose & Maria del Carmen Moreno



CONGRATULATIONS!
**May the Lord continue to
 bless you!**

Welcome to our new Catholics (Baptized)

Jolie Rae Maxwell



WELCOME!
YOU ARE A GIFT FROM GOD.

Cada Semana

Lunes: Cursillistas; 7 - 8 pm; Salón; Coro de Oración: Capilla
Clase Crecimiento; 7- 8:30 pm; salón 13, 15;
Martes: Clases ESL; 9 am- 12 pm; Misa y Grupo de Oración; 7 pm;
Miércoles: Hogar de Fe; 6:30 pm; Salón Parroquial
Jueves: Clases ESL; 9 am -12 pm; Salón Parroquial
Clase Quinceañera; 6 pm; Salón Parroquial, 1er y 3er
Viernes: RICA; 7:00 - 8:30 pm; Salón 14
Practica para Boda/Quinceañera; 5 y 6 pm; Iglesia.
Sábado: Pre-Bautismo; 4:00 pm; 3^{er} Sábado del Mes; Salón Parroq.
Domingo: Hogar de Fe; 12 pm, Salón 13 & 14; 4:30 pm, Salon 14
Grupo Juvenil; 2:30 pm; Centro San Juan Pablo
Guerreros de San Miguel; 7pm, Centro San Juan Pablo

Weekly Activities

ACTS Men: Wednesday, 6 am, Parish Hall
ACTS Women: Monday, 7 pm, Rm 31
Adult Bible Study: Tuesday, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall
Choir Practices: **Adults:** Wed. 6:30 pm; **Vigil:** Sat. 4:00 pm
Hispanic: Fri. 7 pm; **Youth:** Sun. 4:30 pm
English Class (ESL): Tue. & Thu. 9 am - 12 pm, PH
RCIA: Sun. 4:00 pm, Faith Formation Center Rm 37
St. Vincent de Paul: Wed. 5 pm, Rm 11
Youth Group: Sun. 3:00 - 4:30 pm, SJP Center

Faith Formation:

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