

St. Matthew Catholic Church

2800 Pine Tree Rd.
Longview, Texas 75604-1647

January 03, 2021

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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.

CHURCH OFFICE CONTACTS

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Mass Intentions

SATURDAY - January 02

- 5:00 pm Steve Kennedy (Kennedy Family)
- 7:00 pm † Lucrecia Blanquet (Eduardo Serrano & Diana Tornes)
- † Irvina Rubio (Luis Castro)

SUNDAY - January 03

- 8:30 am † Harley Miller (John & Joann Miller)
- 10:30 am Charles & Eva Williams (Msgr. Xavier)
- 1:00 pm People of the Parish
- 6:00 pm Niki Starr (Nick & Sandy Miller)

MONDAY - January 04

- 7:00 am † Mary Weierich (Linda Thomas)

TUESDAY - January 05

- 7:00 am Jaime & Melva Ruiz
(Christmas Friend)
- 7:00 pm Parish Families

WEDNESDAY - January 06

- 7:00 am † Joseph & Kathryn Bina (Jeri Vaughan)

THURSDAY - January 07

- 7:00 am † Adelaida Asence (Bert & Vickie Noriel)

FRIDAY - January 08

- 7:00 am † Mariano Noriel (Bert & Vickie Noriel)
- 12:05 am Rita Reindl - In Thanksgiving (Jerry Lang)

SATURDAY - January 09

- 5:00 pm † Amparo Rodriguez (Steve & Beth Kennedy)
- 7:00 pm † Rosa Maria Monreal (Ibarro Castro Family)
- Souls in Purgatory (Ibarro Castro Family)

SUNDAY - January 10

- 8:30 am Altar Society (Msgr Xavier)
- 10:30 am † Guadalupe Rojas (Rita Reindl)
- 1:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul (Msgr Xavier)
- 6:00 pm People of the Parish



New Year: New Way to a New Life

Dear brothers and sisters,
I hope and pray that you have begun your New Year with the blessings from God; may it bring all the blessings you need to glorify God in your life.

As we celebrate the Epiphany of Our Lord, we are invited to pray, plan, ponder, proceed and to progress in our life following the example of the Magi - the wise men. The Wise Men were probably from an area which is now in either Iraq, Iran, Saudi Arabia, Yemen & northern Syria: Gaspar, King of Sheba; Melchior, King of Arabia; and Balthazar, King of Tarse & Egypt. They were astrologists; they had seen an unusual new star in the sky, and knew it revealed the birth of a special king in Israel, called Messiah. They probed into it and started seeking for Him; followed the stars religiously, they found Him; and adored Him with gifts: Frankincense, Gold and Myrrh, that signifies the life and death of the King.

These wisemen kept seeking God and His guidance, listening to God even in their dreams. Wise people seek God and His ways. Right? When confused, they looked for His plans in the Scripture.

During this Year of St. Joseph, let us learn to look for God's will and His guidance - praying for God's will to be revealed; plan to fulfill His plans daily; ponder in your heart His ways; proceed to live the way He directs you to live. When in dilemma or in confusion, consult Him or His Word or your Spiritual Director, following the example of St. Joseph.

Although no one can go back and make a brand **new** start, anyone can start from now as we begin the New Year, and make a brand **new** ending. Be structured enough for success and achievement and be flexible enough for creativity and fun.

May this New Year bring you a new energy to walk the new life. Blessings!
Msgr. Xavier

Observances & Readings

Monday 04	St. Elizabeth Ann Seton 1 Jn 3:22 - 4:6; Ps 2:7-12; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
Tuesday 05	St. John Neumann 1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-4, 7-8; Mk 6:34-44
Wednesday 06	St. André Bessette 1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2, 10-13; Mk 6:45-52
Thursday 07	St. Raymond of Penyafort; 1 Jn 4:19-5:4; Ps 72:1-2, 14-17; Lk 4:14-22
Friday 08	1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-20; Lk 5:12-16
Saturday 09	1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-9; Jn 3:22-30
Sunday 10	The Baptism of the Lord Is 42:1-7; Ps 29:1-10; Acts 10:34-38; Mk 1:7-11

SUPPORT OUR SPONSORS:

Please check out the advertisers on the back of the bulletin. They help us to pay for our bulletins.

Pray for Pope's Intentions (January)

Intention for evangelization: Human fraternity
May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.



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.

YOUR TITHES & OFFERINGS *Worship through Giving*

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

2nd Collection:

This weekend: Building Fund

Next Weekend: Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Thank you for your stewardship.

Pray For Our Priests in Our Diocese:

- Jan. 04: Rev. Lawrence Love
- Jan. 05: Rev. Nolan Lowry
- Jan. 06: Rev. Jay Lucas
- Jan. 07: Rev. John Lydon
- Jan. 08: Rev. Jose Marin
- Jan. 09: Rev. Mani Mathai
- Jan. 10: Rev. Rajan Mathias



MY HEARTFELT & SINCERE THANKS

To every one of you for your
WISHES, GIFTS AND PRAYERS
FOR MY BIRTHDAY and CHRISTMAS!
I have prayed for you and your family
at ALL MY CHRISTMAS MASSES.
I wish you a Blessed and Peaceful
NEW YEAR - Msgr. Xavier

Offering Envelopes



Offertory Envelopes for 2021 will be available for you to pick up during the week from the Church Office. Envelopes are not mailed to your home.

We encourage you to use the envelopes for the following reasons:

- * to confirm your membership in the parish;
 - * to respond to your individual requests for Certificates for Baptism and Confirmation,
 - * for other church-related matters; and
 - * for official purposes, like immigration letters, etc.
- * to prepare an accurate letter for your tax purposes.
For more info, please call the church office. Thanks for your understanding. God bless!



FOR YOUR Year-End Contributions:

I want to thank you for your generosity. We have done very well in every way. **Thank you!**

It is NOT LATE to donate for the year 2020. Just date your check December 31, 2020. You may also donate to St. Matthew Church on-line: go to our parish website, www.stmattlgv.com; click on 'donate' and follow the directions. God bless. Msgr. Xavier



January 18 to February 1st

We remember all the unborn children. Join the pro-life movement and our young people who prepare the "Cemetery of the Innocents"

Do your part to end the abortion in our town, nation and the world.



NEWS from ACTS

Due to the Corona Virus pandemic, our Men's ACTS Retreat scheduled for October 2020 has been rescheduled the spring, April 2021.

Director: David Scott 903-387-0773

Faith Sharing:

Women's Mondays at 7 p.m. in Rm. #37
Men: Wednesday at 6 a.m. Parish Hall.

THIS WEEK

- Jan. 04: **Fund-Raising Committee**; 6 pm, Conf. Room
ACTS Women Faith Sharing; 7 pm, Room 37
Jan. 06: **ACTS Men Faith Sharing**; 6 am, Parish Hall
Adoration; Church, 7:30 am - 5:00 pm
St. Vincent de Paul Society; 5 pm Room 12
Jan. 08: **Free Food Distribution**; 9:00 am, SJP Center

Annual Event Calendar - 2021

is being prepared. **All ministry heads**, please plan your events and meetings for the year 2021 ahead of time and submit it to the church office ASAP so we can allot a special place for everyone.



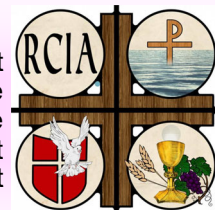
THANKS TO OUR ALTAR SOCIETY For the Church Christmas Decorations

Sincere THANKS to our Altar Society members, Michelle Faucheux from **Village Floral Shoppe** and all who assisted them during the year 2020 with all the decorations and caring for the Altar of the Lord in St. Matthew; especially for the beautiful decorations for Christmas and New year.

May the Baby Jesus, the Blessed Mother and St. Joseph be close to your family and your loved ones always.

RCIA (Christian Initiation)

Classes are held every Sunday at 4:30 pm in the Parish Hall. For more information and registration, please contact Deacon John D'Antoni at 903-261-9790 or the church office at 903-295-3890.



St. Vincent de Paul Assistance

Our Society of St. Vincent de Paul has received a grant of \$14,534.00 to be used for assistance with Rent or Utility bills. In these uncertain times, we know that there may be some of our parishioners who could use some assistance with these payments. If so, please come to the church office to fill out the application. For more information, contact the church office.

COVID-19 Testing

The community spread of COVID-19 has been substantial in recent weeks. St. Mary's Catholic Church at 2108 Ridgewood in Longview, has partnered with All American Testing to expand community access to COVID-19 testing. A team will be set up in the Rosary Room of the Parish Hall throughout December and January. Free testing will be available 7-days a week. Please follow the signs to the north end of the campus & the Parish Hall entrance. You must pre-register at www.allamericantesting.com.



FREE COVID-19 TESTING

AVAILABLE 7-DAYS PER WEEK
MONDAY – SATURDAY
9 AM TO 5 PM
SUNDAY
NOON TO 7 PM

PRE-REGISTER AT <https://www.allamericantesting.com/>



FAMILY Faith Formation

Evangelize, Catechize and Form Disciples



CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

Due to COVID-19 & social distancing
We 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.

Sun.: 11:45 am & 4:30 pm; Wed.: 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.

We wish
all our Catechists, Parents &
children a Blessed New Year with
Blessings that brings every health
and happiness in their lives. Thank
you!



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 (12/27/20):

1. None (Acts 7:5)
2. A foreign land (Acts 7:6)
3. 400 years (Acts 7:6)
4. Covenant of circumstances (Acts 7:8)
5. Isaac (Acts 7:8)

Questions for this week:

1. Who has Abraham's grandson?
2. How many children did Abraham's grandson have?
3. Jacob's sons were described in what way?
4. Who was sold into Egypt as a slave by his brothers?

Catechists Orientation:
January 6th (Wednesday)
Faith Formation Classes
Resume on

Jan. 10th (Sunday) &
Jan. 13th (Wednesday)

Sacrament Prep Class

For ALL PARENTS, SPONSORS WITH CHILDREN

Will continue as usual in the classrooms.



RCIA (Christian Initiation) INVITE YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY

We meet every **Sunday at 4:30 p.m.** in Room 37. For more information and registration, contact Deacon John D'Antoni at 903-738-7463 or the church office at 903-295-3890.

Classes in Spanish will be on Fridays at 7:00 pm, as it was from September thru December.

Failure to attend these classes with no valid reason or COVID, will be removed from the list; and may have to wait for another year to receive the Sacraments.

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/>

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

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY



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

Feel free to invite your friends from your school or from your neighborhood. Lots of Fun, Food, Fellowship with true Faith.



To the communities we serve, COVID-19 continues to be a major health risk, and CHRISTUS Good Shepherd Medical Center is asking for your help in this ongoing

battle to slow the spread of the virus. We are seeing significant spread of the virus in the communities we serve, and our health system is seeing increased hospitalizations from COVID-19.

Since the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic, we have urged our communities to protect themselves, their loved ones and their neighbors. After months of physical distancing and staying home, infections and deaths began to decline. But, as we reopened, some of the steps that were critical to slowing the spread have been relaxed. As a result, we are now experiencing a surge in COVID-19 cases.

We are committed to providing great care to all who seek it, and we remain vigilant in working to make sure our staff have the resources they need to keep them safe as they provide that much-needed care. Each day, it seems as though we are experiencing an increasing number of coronavirus cases and continued high numbers of hospitalizations, both locally and throughout the country. We implore you to take the simple steps we know will stop the spread of the virus:

- Wear a mask & Wash your hands often
- Practice social distancing; &
- Stay home if you are sick

We are not powerless in this public health crisis, and we can defeat it in the same way we defeated previous threats to public health – by working together to keep our community safe.

**“Guerreros de San Miguel Arcángel”
ESTAS INVITADO JOVEN ADULTO!!**

(18-30 años de edad)

Quienes: No as sido previamente casado y no tienes hijos. Podrías ser miembro de nuestro grupo juvenil!!

Cuando: Todos los **domingos** de **7:00 pm - 8:30 pm**

“Por eso pónganse la armadura de Dios, para que en el día malo puedan resistir y mantenerse en la fila valiéndose de todas sus armas.” Efesios 6:13

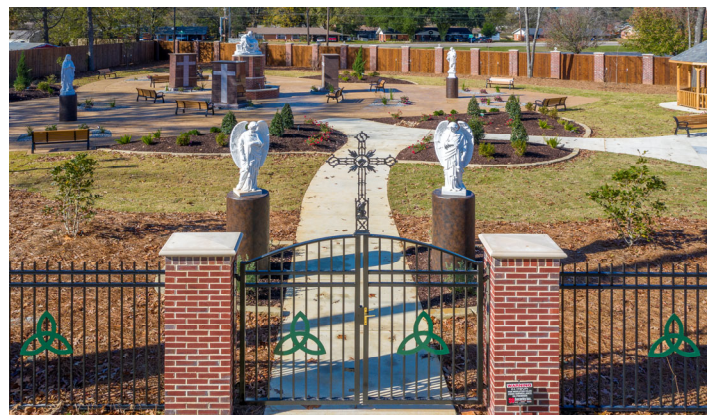


SCHOLARSHIP

Our Lady’s Guild will award scholarships in 2021 to parishioners from St. Anthony, St. Mary, St Matthew or Our Lady of Grace parishes. Anyone attending college or technical school in the fall is eligible, including adults going back to college. Applications are available in the wall pockets in the foyer or from the church office. For more information, please contact Linda Thomas at 903-759-5704. The submission deadline is April 5, 2021.



Our Columbarium & Prayer Garden viewed by a Drone



Observancias Y Lecturas

Lunes, 04	Santa Isabel Ana Seton 1 Jn 3:22 - 4:6; Sal 2:7-12; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
Martes, 05	San Juan Neumann 1 Jn 4:7-10; Sal 72:1-8; Mc 6:34-44
Miércoles, 06	San André Bessette; Día de los Santos Reyes Magos (Puerto Rico y América Latina) 1 Jn 4:11-18; Sal 72:1-2, 10-13; Mc 6:45-52
Jueves, 07	San Raimundo de Peñafort; 1 Jn 4:19 - 5:4; Sal 72:1-2, 14-17; Lc 4:14-22
Viernes, 08	1 Jn 5:5-13; Sal 147:12-15, 19-20; Lc 5:12-16
Sábado, 09	1 Jn 5:14-21; Sal 149:1-9; Jn 3:22-30
Domingo 10	El Bautismo del Señor Is 42:1-7; Sal 29:1-10; Hch 10:34-38; Mc 1:7-11

SOBRES PARA LA COLECTA - 2021

Estarán disponibles en la oficina. Si usted no esta registrado a la parroquia puede hacerlo y pedir que se le asignen sobres. Los animamos a usar los sobres por las siguientes razones:

1. Le permite a la Parroquia mantener registros actualizados de los miembros que están activamente asistiendo y apoyando a la parroquia.
2. También nos ayuda a responder a sus solicitudes individuales de los certificados de patrocinio para sacramentos y otras cuestiones relacionadas con las iglesias.
3. También nos ayuda a preparar una carta precisa para fines de impuestos.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY



Feel free to invite your friends from your school or from your neighborhood. Lots of Fun, Food, Fellowship with true Faith.

**From January
On Sundays
at 3:00 pm
In the St. John Paul
Center;
Youth Choir
at 4:30 p.m.**

SCHOLARSHIP

Our Lady's Guild otorgará becas en 2021 a feligreses de St. Anthony, St. Mary, St Matthew y Our Lady of Grace. Cualquiera que asista a la universidad o escuela técnica en el otoño es elegible, incluidos los adultos que regresan a la universidad. Las aplicaciones están disponibles en los bolsillos de la pared en el vestíbulo o en la oficina de la iglesia. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con Linda Thomas al 903-759-5704. La fecha límite de presentación es el 5 de abril de 2021.

ESTA SEMANA:

- Ene. 04: Servidoras de Glpe;** 10:00 am, Salón Parró.
Cursillos; 7:00 pm, Salón Parroquial
Nueva Evangelización; 7:00 pm, Salón # 14
Ene. 06: Adoración; 7:30 am – 5:00 pm, Iglesia
Ene. 07: Grupo Compartiendo la Fe; 7:00 pm, Salón #14
Crecimiento Clases; 7:00 pm, Salón #13, 15
Ene. 08: RICA; 7:00 pm, Salón Parroquial
Ene. 09: Producto Frescos de Comida; SJP, 9:00 am

Clases de Formación de Fe: Ene. 10 y 13

Clases Para Sacramentos:

Se espera a todos los padres y padrinos con sus hijos inscritos para sacramentos el sábado,

¡NO QUIERE PERDERSELO!

Se espera que todos asistan!

NO tendremos clases de Sacramentos

En los tercer Sábados.



PARA NIÑOS

FORMACIÓN DE LA FE

Debido a COVID-19

y distanciamiento social

Tenemos las clases EN PERSONA, sólo para preparar los sacramentos.

[grados 2. ° a 5. °]

Aquellos inscritos para recibir los sacramentos deben asistir a su respectiva hora programada.

Dom .: 11:45 am y 4:30 pm; Mié .: 6:30 pm

Todos los padres deben pasar por la parte trasera de la iglesia [frente al edificio de Formación de Fe] y permanecer en el automóvil hasta que a sus hijos les tomen la temperatura y se les baje antes de irse. [Si tienen fiebre, no los traiga a la clase ni a la misa]. Nota: Los niños

deben usar sus máscaras.

GRACIAS A NUESTRA SOCIEDAD DEL ALTAR y todos los miembros que decoraron la iglesia para la fiesta de Guadalupe, Navidad y año nuevo .

Sincero agradecimiento a los miembros de la sociedad del Altar y todos los que ayudaron durante el año 2019 con todos los adornos y cuidado para el Altar del Señor en San Mateo; especialmente para la decoración hermosa para la fiesta de nuestra Señora de Guadalupe y Navidad. Que el niño Jesús, la Santísima Virgen y San José estén cerca de ellos siempre. ¡Feliz Año Nuevo!



Agradezca y apoye por favor a nuestros publicistas en la parte posterior del boletín. Este boletín es apoyado por ellos.

Si gusta publicar su negocio llamar al 1-800-833-5941.

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

Limpieza

Comida

Ujieres durante la Misa

Rosario

Sábado

Domingo

Dic. 27: Grupo de Oración

No Venta

Ramon Hernandez

Servidoras

Reyna Gonzalez

Ene. 03: Servidoras

No Venta

Ramon Hernández

Evangelización

Genoveva Ponce

Ene. 10: Cursillos

No Venta

Ramon Hernández

Guerreros

Ana Montoya

Ene. 17: Grupo de Oracion

No Venta

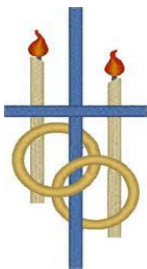
Ramon Hernández

Cursillos

Reyna González

Wedding Anniversaries

01/03: John & JoAnn Miller
01/09: Stephen & Kakie McCracken



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

Baptism Preparation Classes:

In English: January 21, 2021 at 6:30 pm
In Spanish: January 16, 2021 at 4:00 pm



Pre-registration is a must!

Come to the church office to register.

YOU ARE A BLESSING FROM GOD. BE A BLESSING TO YOUR CHILDREN BY BAPTIZING THEM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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

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, Salón 14
Grupo Juvenil: 2:30 pm; Centro San Juan Pablo
Guerreros de San Miguel: 7pm, Centro San Juan Pablo

Faith Formation:

Youth Ministries:	Crecimiento:	Hermila Jaimes	240-8208	Grupo de Oracion:	Alonso Rivera	452-4349	
Jim & Michelle Hooks	295-3890	Cursillo:	Arturo Rodriguez	261-4609	Quincenara:	Isabel Serrano	238-1550
RCIA: Dcn. John D'Antoni	738-7463		Rafaela Cerda	746-9229	Guerreros de San M.:	Maria Guido	930-9581
RICA: Francisco Trinidad	720-7709	Hogar de Fe:	Sandra Gonzalez	297-7286	Mision de Amor:	Sanjuana Olvera	261-2306
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