

"Behold, the virgin shall be with child and bear a son, and they shall name him Emmanuel," which means "God is with us."

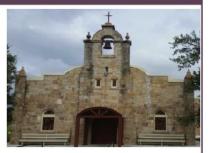
Matthew 1:23





St. Andrew Catholic Church Pleasanton, Texas Archdiocese of San Antonio





Sacred Heart Catholic Church Campbellton, Texas

Mission Statement

St. Andrew Parish, a Eucharistic, faith community, dedicated, committed, and responding to God's call, to proclaim and share Christ's merciful and abundant love, through service and example.

Sunday, December 24, 2023

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Sacrament of Reconciliation:Wednesday:5:30 - 6:30 p.m.Saturday:4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Sacred Heart, Campbellton Mass Schedule: Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Thursday: 5:00 p.m.

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Religious Ed. Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Closed for Lunch from 12:00 Noon-1:00 p.m.

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Mass Intentions for the Week of:

December 26, 2023-

January 1, 2024

Sacred Heart, Campbellton Thursday, December 28 5:00pm For the people



Sunday, December 31 9:00am †Clarence Henke; †F. Shelby Henke †Paul Rodriguez †Mary Jane Haverlah †Dan Mullin

St. Andrew, Pleasanton Tuesday, December 26 8:30am For the people

Wednesday, December 27

8:30am For the Ministries of St. Andrew and Sacred Heart

7:00pm Por el Pueblo

Thursday, December 28 8:30am For the People

Friday, December 29 8:30am For the Students at Our Lady of Grace

Saturday, December 30

6:00pm †Emilia Uribe; †Norma Castillo; †Jerome Woitaske; †David V. Uribe; †Beatrice Balzen; †Pat Wright; Health of Aubrey Olle Smith

Sunday, December 31

- 7:00am †Maurilio Gonzales Jr.; †Margarita Garcia †Marta Gutierrez; †Richard Guerra; †Alfredo B. Ortiz Jr.; †Evelyn Kruse 73rd Birthday of Happy Amador Health of Aubrey Olle Smith
- **11:00am** †Honorato Ido Galindez; †Virginia Zaiontz; †Peter John Szalwinski; †Sulema Talamantez †Florinda Flores; †Alma Jones; Health of Sabas Garza Health of Aubrey Olle Smith
- **1:00pm** †Juana Luna; †Jesus Alaniz Health of Aubrey Olle Smith

Monday, January 1

9:00am +For the Souls of parishioners deceased in 2023



In Observance of Christmas, the Parish office will be closed:

Monday and Tuesday, December 25th and 26th.

The office will be open from 9:00 am-noon on December 27th-29th



Third Sunday of Advent December 17, 2023 Mass Attendance: * St. Andrew - * Sacred Heart - *

St. Vincent de Paul St. Andrew - * Sacred Heart - *

*unavailable due to early bulletin deadline On-line Giving: December 6-12, 2023 St. Andrew - *

Upcoming Second Collections December 25, 2023 Assumption Seminary January 7, 2024 ACCEPT Program

Merry Christmas!

From Fr. Ian, Dcn. Kurt, Dcn. Joey, Dcn. Bennie and your St. Andrew Staff May the Lord Jesus renew your hearts in this season of new birth and joy!



Mass For the Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God

Monday, January 1, 2024 9:00am St. Andrew

Not a Holyday of obligation this year.

NEXT BAPTISM CLASS in English

The November Baptism Class for parents and sponsors will be held on Sunday, January 21st at 8:30 a.m. in the Parish Library.

If you are the parent or the sponsor of a child being baptized soon, please make plans to attend the class and get your certificate of attendance.

REMINDER

If you had a photo on this years *Altar de los Muerots* and you have not picked up the photograph, please come by the parish office to pick it up. You can get the photo Monday-Friday from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm.



Dear God, we place our sick under Your care and humbly ask You restore your servants listed here to health again:

Vivian Abshier, Barbara Arguijo, Yvonne Arnold, Lucy Avendaño, Louis Badillo, Carrie Barnes, Elsa Bazan, Erica G. Bernal, Natalie Biela, Gloria Berger, Elana Guadalupe Cantu, Isaiah Carrasco, Matias Carrasco Jr., Rita Castillo, Louis & Betty Castro, Cindv Childers, Adam Coronado II, Joan Cornett, Rav Cortez, Mark Anthony De León, Roberto De León, Estefania Donado, Maria Dee Donado, Pedro Donado, Helen Douglas, Albert Esparza, Sylvia Bosquez Florez, Erin Foster, Gairo Salomon Gaitan, Gracie Wanda Gaitan, Jay Garcia, Maria del Socorro Garcia, Medora Garza, Floyd Goins, Thomas Goins, Lupe Gomez, John Gonzalez, Kevin Heirholzer, Linda Humphries, Janette Iglesias, Rene Iglesias, Kelly Jackson, Patsy Erwin Kock, Fred Z. Leal, Michael Leal, Ines Llamas, Roy Llamas, Alfredo Lopez, Sarah Jo Lopez, Raymond Madrid, Will & Nancy Mangum, Scott Marlowe, Jimmy Marin, Emma Martinez, Isidra Martinez, Luz Martinez, Amanda McAda, Elias Miller, Kasen Miller, Lee Montañez, Dolly Morales, Joel Morales, Michelle Morales, Pedro Muñoz, David Murchy, Raul & Sara Murillo, Martha Narvaez, Lupe Olivarri, Luke Oropeza, Terri Ortiz, Krystina Pacheco, Jonathan Peatte, Ezekiel Prada, Scott Pratka, Zachary Ramirez, Rebecca B. Reyna, James Rice, Michael Rice, Mike Rice, Randy Rice, David & Norma Rodriguez, Francis M. Rodriguez, Rosel Rodriguez, Sandra Russell, Chrissie Sagan, Sylvia Salinas, Rev. Jim Schellenburg, Katie Self, Aubrey Olle Smith, Maria Sylvia Spaulding, Tony Talamantez, Ruth Tanner, Sara, Seth, & Jazmine Valenzuela, Nita Vogel, Denera Garcia-White, Patrick (Ricky) Wright, Angie Zamarripa, Edward Zamarripa, James Ybañez, Jose F. Zapata, Zalo Zepeda; Sabas Garza, Patricia Szalwinski

We also pray for the safety of our men and women in the military:

Alex Cabrera, Jacob Chapa, Ethan Faught, Andrew Garcia, Reece Garcia, Kelsey Gonzales, Jared Griego, John Haring, Jeff & Regina Hascall, Simon Karsky, Cody Leal, Charles D. Miller, Joseph & Kassandra Patty, Alex Rodriguez



BULLETIN DEADLINES

Diocesan, our bulletin publisher, has sent us the deadlines for the upcoming holidays. The deadline for the December 29th bulletin has passed.

THURSDAY ADORATION OF THE **BLESSED SACRAMENT**

St. Andrew 5:00 am-10:00 p.m.



Sacred Heart 7:00 am-5:00 pm

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday. December 25 - Nativity of the Lord: Office Closed, Campus Closes after mass

Tuesday, December 26- St. Stephen, protomartyr; Office Closed

Wednesday, December 27 - St. John the Evangelist; No Jr. High Youth Ministry/RE, resumes January 10th at 6:30 p.m.;

Thursday, December 28- The Holy Innocents, Martvrs:

Friday, December 29 - Fifth day in the Octave of Christmas

Saturday, December 30 - Sixth day in the Octave of Christmas

Sunday, December 31 - the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph; NO RE/CCD; resumes January 7th at 8:30am

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY



OPEN: TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 10:00 A.M. TO 2:00 P.M. CLOSED 12-12:45 PM FOR LUNCH

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! AT LEAST 2 HOURS EITHER ON TUESDAY OR THURSDAY FROM 10A.M. TO 12NOON

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY Hours for Christmas Week



St. Vincent de Paul Pantry will be closed on Tuesday, December 26th for Christmas break.

They will reopen on Thursday, December 28th for a half day. (10am-12Noon).



The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, January 1 in observance of the Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God.

ATTENTION

Your help is needed ...



Attention Adults

The next adult Bible Study will begin in January. More information will be coming in the next few weeks.

Contact Debbie Shows for more information and to register.



IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Parish Office will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 Noon from Wednesday, December 27th through Friday, December 29th

Since we will be closed in the afternoons on those days, please plan accordingly. You may leave a message on the office telephone system and we will get back to you the following morning. For emergencies, please use the emergency line.

Jr. High and High School youth are currently fundraising to help meet expenses for planned activities. Please contact H.S. Youth Minister, Audrie Miranda, 210-589-4393, Jr. High Program Coordinator, Lydia Brown, 830-480-4228 or D.R.E Debbie Shows, 210-281-0067 if you can lend a helping hand!

2024 Picnic Planning Meeting

Our Parish Picnic will be held on Sunday. May 5, 2024. The first planning meeting will be held on Thursday, January 4th at 6:30pm. Come join us in preparing for a successful event.

Double Obligation



This year, Christmas falls on a Monday. A vigil Mass on Sunday, Dec. 24, or

Mass on Christmas Day fulfills the Holy Day obligation. But what about the Fourth Sunday of Advent? Celebrating a vigil Mass on Saturday, Dec. 23, or a morning Mass on Sunday, Dec. 24, fulfills the fourth Sunday of Advent obligation. YOU MUST attend mass for the 4th Sunday of Advent and for Christmas to fulfill both obligations.

ATTENTION YOUTH

No youth ministry this Monday, December 25th and on Monday, January 1st. Have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We will see you on Monday, January 8th at 6:30 pm in the Annex.

A BIG Thank you

The ACCEPT Program would like to thank everyone for their generosity in helping seniors this year. More information will follow on the number of seniors helped this year.



COMING IN DECEMBER:

December 21 – January 4: Christmas Break December 23-24: Reg. weekend Mass Schedule Christmas Eve, December 24: Sacred Heart Mass, 4:00 p.m. Christmas Eve, December 24: Nativity Play, 5:30; Children's Mass, 6:00 p.m., Carols at 11:00 p.m., Midnight Mass December 25, Christmas Day: Mass, 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. December 30 – 31: Regular Weekend Mass schedule







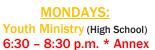
Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Matthew 9:37

St. Andrew and Sacred Heart CCD, R.C.I.A. and YOUTH MINISTRY SCHEDULE and KEY

VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are **THE** essential component to a successful religious education program. If you hear the Lord calling you ... please contact Debbie Shows, 830-281-0067 or debbie@standrewpleasanton.org





Jesus Rocksl



 WEDNESDAYS:

 Jr. High Youth Ministry/R.E.

 6th, 7th and 8th Grade

 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
January 2024						
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	No YM Christmas Break		No CCD/YM Christmas Break			
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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