



Baptism of the Lord

Bautismo del Señor



**St. Andrew
Catholic Church**

**Archdiocese of
San Antonio**



**Sacred Heart
Catholic Church**

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, January 11, 2026

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Parish Office Hours:

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

St. Andrew, Pleasanton Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 6:00 p.m. Sunday Vigil

Sunday: 7:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. (Español)

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. (Español)

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Wednesday: 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Saturday: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

First Friday Devotion:

8:30 am

First Saturday Devotion:

8:30 am

Healing Mass:

1st Wednesday each month: 6 p.m.

Sacred Heart, Campbellton Mass Schedule:

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Thursday: 4:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

1st Sunday: 8:30 - 8:55 a.m.

Religious Ed. Office Hours:

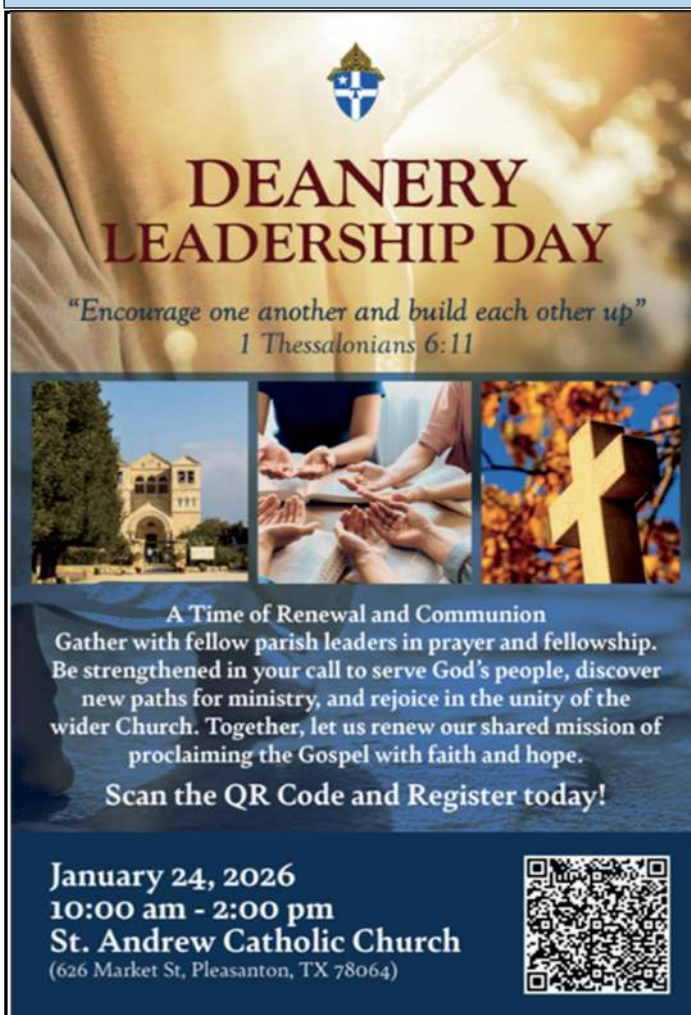
Tuesday-Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Closed for Lunch from 12:00 Noon-1:00 p.m.

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FAITH FORMATION



DEANERY LEADERSHIP DAY

"Encourage one another and build each other up"
1 Thessalonians 6:11

A Time of Renewal and Communion
Gather with fellow parish leaders in prayer and fellowship. Be strengthened in your call to serve God's people, discover new paths for ministry, and rejoice in the unity of the wider Church. Together, let us renew our shared mission of proclaiming the Gospel with faith and hope.

Scan the QR Code and Register today!

January 24, 2026
10:00 am - 2:00 pm
St. Andrew Catholic Church
(626 Market St, Pleasanton, TX 78064)

St. Andrew is hosting the Deanery Leadership Day in the Hall

If you are in a leadership role in a parish ministry, ie. Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Ushers, Choir Ministry, Parish Pastoral and Finance Councils, Knights of Columbus, Guadalunpanas, ACCEPT, St. Vincent de Paul, Youth Ministry, ACTS, Homebound Ministry, Catholic School Teachers, Catechists, Deacons, and Priest, this is a special day for you.

The Deanery Leadership day is designed to offer:

- Time for spiritual renewal
- Opportunities to build solidarity with neighboring parish leaders
- Space to strengthen and reflect as a parish leadership team

Mark your calendars for January 24, 10-2:00 p.m. Click on QR Code above to register.

A New Bible Study began this past week. It is not too late to join. The study meets Tuesday mornings, 9-10:30 a.m. and Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m., in the Parish Library.

Matthew: The King and His Kingdom

Matthew: The King and His Kingdom shows how Jesus fulfills God's promises to Israel and establishes his kingdom on Earth. Through references to the Old Testament promises of God to his people and the messages God sent them through the prophets, this Bible study provides the key to understanding the rest of the New Testament and Christ as the fulfillment of God's plan.

Matthew portrays Jesus as the true King who fulfills the Law the people of Israel have failed to keep and who introduces the new law that will accompany the New Covenant. In this 24-part study of Matthew's Gospel, Jeff Cavin's explains how Jesus is challenging and empowering us to a new level of holiness and shows how we must be thoroughly immersed in the kingdom of heaven on earth, the Church, to live it.

Interested? Sign up in the Narthex of Church. Cost of study: Physical Workbook and digital component: \$50.00 Digital component includes online workbook and video for: \$6.95

BINGO

Religious Education and Youth Ministry

FUNDRAISERS

Sunday, January 11, 2026

Doors Open at 2:00 p.m.

Bingo 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY DECEMBER 2025 REPORT

Second Collection - St. Andrew - \$1,386.45
Sacred Heart - \$226.00

On-Line Giving - \$260.00

Private donations/cash/checks - 1,450.00

Served - 174 Families/487 Individuals

Food Distributed - \$3,723.56 (7,335.41 pounds)

Non-Food Assistance - \$45.46

Donated Food - 456.63 lbs (\$899.56)

Non-Food Donated - \$00.00

(money saved with HEB coupons was \$610.74)

PARISH EVENTS

Parish Ministry Formation Program St. Andrew Catholic Church 626 Market St., Pleasanton, TX 78064

If you are interested in being commissioned by Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller in your called ministry, sign up for the Parish Ministry Formation Program.

Core classes begin in September. There are four classes per each of the four core courses. All Class times are 9 am to 12 pm.

If you missed the first course, Sacred Scripture, or The Creed, you can start the third course in January. Catch up when the other courses are offered again.

3. Liturgy & Sacraments: Jan. 17, 24, 31; Feb. 7
Debbie Shows formator

4. Life in Christ: Feb. 21, 28; Mar. 7, 14
Fr. Francis formator

Courses will be offered in English, dates provided above.

If you have any questions, Contact Debbie Shows, debbie@standrewpleasanton.org

The Prayer Garden has been renovated and is ready to be utilized again. We thank the Building Committee for their generous time and donations to this endeavor. If you would like to make a donation in Memory of a loved one, and purchase a 5x7 plaque for \$500, application forms are available in the parish office.



St. Andrew Men's ACTS Retreat

An ACTS Retreat is a Catholic lay retreat sponsored by a parish for its community that begins on Thursday evening and ends with Sunday Mass. The team of the lay parishioners directs the weekend for fellow parishioners, with the blessing and support of the parish pastor. ACTS men's retreat is scheduled for March 26-29, 2026. If you would like to enhance your relationship with our Lord, consider attending this retreat.

Anyone actively involved in church ministry must be up to date on your Safe Environment Compliance

Go to Virtusonline.org ...

To sign in & update your account, or sign on as a new registrant. If you have forgotten your username or password, or have general questions, contact Debbie Shows for assistance at

Debbie@standrewpleasanton.org

Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother Sacred Heart –Campbellton

Starting January 8, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. Followed by the Rosary, then Mass at 4:00 p.m.

Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother is an extraordinary pilgrimage that reveals Mary's unique role in God's kingdom and in our lives. This study will place you in the midst of the powerful drama of her earthly life, taking you through Mary's joys...and her sorrows. You will learn how she works in our lives today, drawing us ever closer to her divine Son.

Cost: Workbook \$27.95

*The Lord
will bless
his people
with peace.*

Getting Married?

Congratulations on your engagement! Please contact the parish office to start your marriage preparation, before scheduling your venues etc.

The process takes on average 6 months to complete, and we want to make sure and set your date aside as soon as possible.

Are you ready to baptize your child 6 and under?

1. **Register your child for baptism at the Parish office.**
- ** **If you are not a member of St. Andrew's, please fill out a parish registration form.**
2. **Parents and godparents to be then attend a Baptism Prep Class.**
3. **Baptisms will be scheduled after step 2.**

MEXICAN AMERICAN CATHOLIC COLLEGE

Mexican American Catholic College is holding a raffle with some amazing prizes, Grand prize is a 2025 Ford Maverick and 4 other great prizes. Tickets are \$20 each, which benefits the formation of pastoral leaders in South Texas, including the diaconate candidates and lay ecclesial ministers. Drawing will take place on February 14, 2026. Tickets will be sold after masses the weekend of January 24th and 25th.

Pray

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

Sierra Abrego	Ricky Lopez
Juanita C. Arguijo	Jimmy Marin
Lydia Ayure	Christopher John Martinez
Erica Benavides	Debra Dyanne Martinez
Natalie Biela	Juan Martinez
Isaiah Carrasco	Luz Martinez
Rita Castillo	Rosie Martinez
Louis & Betty Castro	Ron McComisky
Fred Catala	Michael R. McCouley
Olivia Compian	Patty Morgan
Joseph Coronado	Raul & Sara Murillo
Estefanie Donado	Martha Narvaez
Mary de Donado	Father Tu T. Nguyen
Pedro Donado	Laura Oliva
William Faught	Lutecia Paez
David Flores	Jonathan Peatte
Carol Garcia	Robyn Pesina
Crisanta Garcia	Ruben Pesina
Helen Garcia	Ruben David Pesina
Christine Garrison	Sandra Porter
Medora Garza	Preston Rhodis
Floyd Goins	Shay Rhodis
Abel Gomez	Shelly Rice
David Gonzalez, Jr.	Minnie Rodriguez
Matt Grothues	Eric James Salinas
Joseph Guerra	Matt Shows
Dora Guerrero	Maria Sylvia Spaulding
Felicia Harriman	Jody Don Sterline
Will Hicks	Darlene Swize
Jennifer Huizar	Patricia Szalwinski
Jim James	Tony Talamantez
Chris Jenschke	Ruben Trejo
Edward Kruse	Florentina H. Trevino
Fred Z. Leal	Angela Urrabazo
Inez Llamas	Johnny Vasquez
Becky Llamas	Tomas Villa
Martin Llamas, Jr.	Debbie Williams
Alfredo Lopez	Denera Garcia-White

Freddy Andrade	<i>We also pray for the safety of our men and women in the military.</i>
Nestor Ayala	
Carlos A. Beltrán	
Colten Brown	Ryan Leonhardt
Alex Cabrera	Jocivus Lopez
Jonathan Castillo	Charles D. Miller
Isaiah Renee Delgado	Nathan Ryan Pacheco
Eric Paul Espinosa	Joseph & Kassandra
Ethan Faught	Patty
Alana S. Gallegos	Zaden Quinonez
Reece Garcia	Wally Ramirez
Kelsey Gonzales	Alex Rodriguez
Jared Griego	Jaden Saenz
John Haring	Gabriel Shows
Jeff & Regina Hascall	Mayson Smith
Victoria Huron	Frankie Spurlock
Brandon Johnson	Andrew Talamantes
Simon Karsky	Justin Velasquez
Cody Leal	



DID YOU KNOW.....

Did you know the Church says if you really want to get fit this year, you need to eat more bread?

Ok, now before you order extra tortillas, please understand that I'm talking about the Bread of Life in the Holy Eucharist. Many of us will make a New Year's resolution to get physically fit this year, which is great, after all, our bodies are the temples of the Holy Spirit. That makes it our responsibility to care for this Holy temple, but what's the best way? Even more important than exercise is your commitment to pray every day. Prayer was once described to me as a ringing phone, on one end is God, on the other end, well that's up to you. You can just let it ring, or you can pause long enough to pick it up and say "hi." But how can you be sure that God is calling you? Well, if you are reading this article, you can be pretty sure that you are being called. The question now becomes, how in the world are you going to make time to answer? Start small, a 1 to 5-minute prayer as you wake or get ready for bed, thanking God for the gift of another day, is a great way to get into the habit of daily prayer. Yes, even a one-minute prayer is enough to start getting in the best spiritual shape of your life. Or maybe as you commute to work or to pick up the kids; this is a great time to take Jesus along with you. Don't worry, God can hear you on the go, He's on the best mobile plan available, the reception will be great, you just need to pick up. In addition to prayer, you may also feel called to attend daily Mass, which is the highest form of prayer. Now I know that not everyone feels called to daily Mass, and for many people, work and family commitments can make attending daily Mass a challenge. But that's ok, like when starting an exercise regimen, start out slow so you don't burn out too soon. A priest once recommended that everyone try to get to one extra daily Mass per week, as even this small addition can be life-changing. Much like a commitment to regular exercise, being consistent with daily Mass will strengthen your faith in Jesus. And in our desire to be more like Him, receiving the Eucharist softens our hearts, increases our love for Jesus and for others, and challenges us to listen and respond to how Jesus is calling us to love and serve. St Thomas Aquinas said, "The Eucharist is the sacrament of love: it signifies love, it produces love. The Eucharist is the consummation of the whole spiritual life." I find that the more I receive Jesus, the more I wish to spend time with Him in quiet prayer and reflection can rest in Him, give Him my concerns, my day, my challenges and my joys. In receiving Him, I receive His Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity, and I receive His peace. St. Maximilian Kolbe said, "If angels could be jealous of men, they would be so for one reason: Holy Communion." May we, like the saints, acknowledge the call from God, may we have the courage to join in conversation with Him; God is calling, will you answer the call? Want to know more about how to get spiritually fit? Please contact your local parish office. Stay tuned next week when we tackle the question: does God really expect me not to work on Sunday?

God Bless, Deacon Frank

Bulletin Deadline

All Mass Intentions, bulletin articles and mass announcements are **due to the Parish office by 5:00 pm Monday**. If you submit **after Monday**, it will go into the **following week's bulletin**.

**Mass Intentions for Week of:
January 13-18, 2026**



Sacred Heart, Campbellton
Thursday, January 15, 2026:
For the People

Sunday, January 18, 2026:

9:00 am †Mary Jane Haverlah; †Clarence Henke; †Harold Jambers; †Paul Rodriguez; †F. Shelby Henke; †Daniel Mullin; †Ruth Herrera; †Thomas Garcia; †Jacob Rodriguez; †Richard & †Elodia Garcia; †Eddie Rodriguez; †Robert Garcia; Diane & †Erin Hardin; †Ernest Garcia; †David Swize; Health of: Father Tu; Special Intention for Rain

St. Andrew, Pleasanton

Tuesday, January 13:

8:30 am Special Intention for Timm, Lorena, Teresa and Gabriel Seidel family; For the Health of: Debra Dyanne Martinez; Gwen Hesseltine; Father Tu; Special Intention for Rain

Wednesday, January 14:

8:30 am For the People; For the Health of Father Tu

7:00 pm Por el Pueblo; Por la salud del Padre Tu; Intencion especial para la Lluvia

Thursday, January 15:

10:30am For the Health of: Father Tu; Denera Garcia White; Deacon Bennie & Maria Ilda Garcia; Special Intention for Rain

Friday, January 16, 2026:

8:30 am For the Health of Father Tu; Special Intention for Rain

Saturday, January 17, 2026:

6:00 pm †Henry Mangum; †Charlene Jasik; †Pat Wright; †Norma Castillo; †Laura Marie West; †Raymond Marek; †Johnny & †Georgia Marek; In Thanksgiving on the birthdays of: Alberto Mario Ospino; German de Jesus Galvis; Eleanor Avila; Health of: Debra Dyanne Martinez; Father Tu; Special Intention for Rain

Sunday, January 18, 2026:

7:00 am †Roy H. Trevino; †Totty Palacio de Fergusson; †Mary Palacio; †Mary Ann Vylecka; †Angelita Zamarripa; †Guadalupe DeHoyos; For the Health of Father Tu; Special Intention for Rain

10:30am †Consuelo G. Ramos; †David Ramon; †Olga Zamarripa; †Florinda Flores; †Mike Lambaria; In Thanksgiving on the birthdays of: Ledda Cadwell; Erika Castillo Moreno; For the Health of: Father Tu; Special Intention for Rain

12:00pm †Benjamin Colunga; †Rogelio DeLaRosa; †Canuto Fergusson; †Maria Del Carmen Flores; For the Health of: Father Tu; Special Intention for Rain

ALTAR FLOWERS

Altar Flowers for the weekend of Dec 27th-28th were in Memory of Ray Garza.

Altar Flowers for weekend of January 3rd & 4th were in Memory of Emilia Uribe, Lydia G. Luna, Ana Uribe and Gloria Jenks.

Altar Flowers the weekend of January 10th-11th are in Memory of Juan Jose and Maria Cruz Garza.

Contact the parish office if you wish to order altar flowers.



**The Holy Family of Jesus,
Mary and Joseph
December 27-28 2025**



St. Andrew Mass Attendance: 644

Sacred Heart Mass Attendance: 40

St. Andrew - \$6,832.25 Sacred Heart - \$308.00

Vigil Lights - \$36.00 Vigil Lights - \$22.00

Online Giving:

December 16-22, 2025

St. Andrew - \$2,166.13

Sacred Heart - \$50.00

SVdP - \$90.00

December 23-29, 2025

St. Andrew - \$1,061.71

Sacred Heart - \$50.00

SVdP - \$40.00

If you are wanting to participate in online giving you can scan the QR Code to set up your donation. Thank you for your support!



Christmas Eve and Day: December 24-25, 2025

St. Andrew Mass Attendance: 589

Sacred Heart Mass Attendance: 140

St. Andrew - \$4,654.46 Sacred Heart - \$1,323.00

Vigil Lights - \$58.52 Virgil Lights - \$00.00

Assumption Seminary Collection

St. Andrew - \$1,704.00 Sacred Heart - \$279.00

The Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

January 1, 2026

St. Andrew Mass Attendance: 330

St. Andrew: \$1,830.25

Epiphany of the Lord

January 3-4, 2026

St. Andrew Mass Attendance: 579

Sacred Heart Mass Attendance: 30

St. Andrew - \$6,610.40 Sacred Heart - \$1,798.00

Vigil Lights - \$61.35 Vigil Lights - \$00.00

ACCEPT COLLECTION

St. Andrew - \$1,222.97 Sacred Heart - \$86.00

Online Giving:

December 30, 2025 - January 5, 2026

St. Andrew - \$1,409.88

Sacred Heart - \$409.10

SVdP - \$70.00

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