

# THE HOLY FAMILY



## **Weekend Masses: MAIN CHURCH**

Saturday : 5:00 p.m. English

Sunday : 8:00a.m., English 10:00a.m. Bilingual

## **Daily Liturgies: DAY CHAPEL**

Monday : No Mass –Closed

Tuesday: 8:00a.m.– Chapel

Wednesday: 12:15 p.m.– Chapel

Thursday: 8:00a.m.–Chapel

Friday: No Mass—Closed

## **ADORATION: DAY CHAPEL**

Thursdays: 6:30p.m.-7:30p.m.

## **RECONCILIATION: Saturdays 4:00p.m.**

*\*Also available by appointment .\**

## **EMERGENCY/ANOINTING OF SICK:**

**210-648-0123**

**Please call the office number follow the prompts  
and someone will call you back.**

## **HOME BLESSINGS ALSO AVAILABLE**

## **ADMINISTRATION—STAFF**

**Pastor**

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**Tuesday-Thursday**

**9am-5pm**

## **Ministry**

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### **Altar Society**

**Yolanda Pena**

**210-381-7249**

### **Bible Study**

**Todd Boyer**

**210-219-5981**

### **Baptismal Classes**

**Deacon Ovidio**

**Garcia**

**210-573-1519**

### **D.O.C. Family**

**Young Adults**

**Jessica**

**Nunez**

**210-381-4093**

### **Faithful Chaplet**

**Rosary**

**Sylvia Neaves**

**210-689-3699**

### **Familia**

**Guadalupana**

**Sylvia**

**Enriquez**

**210-884-4252**

### **Knights of Colum-**

**bus**

**Todd Boyer**

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### **Liturgical**

**Committee**

**Evelyn Holt**

**210-289-1697**

### **Music Director**

**Armando**

**Carranza**

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**Lorie Ewing**

**210-392-6935**

### **Diaconate**

**Formation**

**Acolyte—Eloy LaQue**

**210-502-4906**

### **Building**

**Maintenance Com-**

**mittee**

**Daniel Alvarez**

**Mario Alvarez**

**Eddie Lopez**

### **Golf**

**Tournament**

**Committee**

**Jeanette**

**Urbanczyk**

**210-248-8669**

**Announcements that need to be entered into the bulletin need to be emailed to the Office 2 weeks prior.**

## **ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH**

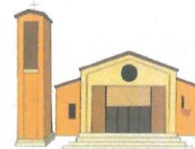
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**December 28, 2025**



## Church Mass Intentions

### Saturday, December 27, 2025, 5pm English

- + Shirley Grahmann
- + Anton Richter
- + Rosalva Juarez
- + Celina Juarez
- + Maria Gutierrez
- + All Souls in Purgatory

### Sunday, December 28, 2025, 8:00 am English

- + Frances & Bobby Wise
- + Richard Mendoza Jr
- + Raul M. Ruiz
- + Susan Mayer Oliver
- + Allen R. & Shelby Mayer
- + Erna & Vincent Respondek
- + Members of the Bilcek Family
- + All Souls in Purgatory

### Sunday, December 28, 2025, 10:00 am Bilingual

- + J.C. Guerra
  - + Emil Gawlik
  - + Nora Gawlik
  - + Larry Gawlik
  - + Jeannette Smith
  - + Louise Mingo
  - + All Souls in Purgatory
- Special Intentions—Alice O'Bannon

## Weekday Mass— Schedule

### Monday, Dec 29, No Mass

1 John 2:3-11; Luke 2:22-35

### Tuesday, Dec 30, 8:00am (Mass in Chapel)

### Novena Mass Of Perpetual Help

1 John 2:12-17; Luke 2:36-40

### Wednesday, Dec 31, 12:15pm (Mass in Chapel)

1 John 2:18-21; John 1:1-18

### Thursday, Jan 1, 12:15pm (Bilingual Mass Church) 6:30pm (Bilingual Mass in Church)

Numbers 6:22-27; Galatians 4:4-7; Luke 2:16-21

### Friday, Jan 2, 12:15p.m. (Healing Mass in Church)

1 John 2:22-28; John 1:19-28

### Saturday, Jan 3, 5pm (Mass in Church)

1 John 2:29-3:6; John 1:29-34

### Sunday, Jan 4, 8am (English Mass Church) 10am (Bilingual Mass in Church)

Isaiah 60:1-6; Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6; Matthew 2:1-12

## ADORATION EVERY THURSDAY

6:30PM—7:30PM in the Chapel

### FINANCE COUNCIL

Fr. Jose Francisco Puente—Flores, Pastor, Betty Dury, Ellie Shields, Daniel Alvarez

### PASTORAL COUNCIL

Fr. Jose Francisco Puente—Flores, Pastor, Deacon Ovidio Garcia, Evelyn Holt, Aubrey Drzymala, Charles Remling, Sr. Susan Mika, Steven Padilla, Belinda Montoya, Ida Ayala, Mary Ann Montez, Ray Nunez

## Upcoming 2nd Collections

December 27-28 Religious Education/Faith Formation/CCD

January 1— Charity Fund

## Question of the Week

As this tumultuous year comes to an end, what can I do for those who are strangers in a strange land?



## STEWARDSHIP WEEKEND COLLECTION THANK YOU FOR YOUR WEEKLY SUPPORT AND GENEROSITY

**December 12-14, 2025**

6:30 p.m. attendance: 95

5:00 p.m. attendance: 79

8:00 a.m. attendance: 86

10:00 a.m. attendance: 178

Operating: \$4,399.31

SVDP: \$245.00

2nd Collection Retired Religious Men & Women: \$531.00

Maintenance Fund: \$275.00

Christmas Flowers: \$135.00

Christmas Offering: \$225.00

Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass Operating: \$90.00

2nd Collection Charity Fund: \$91.00

Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass Christmas Flowers: \$50.00



Please remember to keep your address current so that you can receive any postcards or mail we mail out. Contact the office if you need donation envelopes or if you need more information. 210-648-0123.

## St. Benedict Parish Hall Rental 210-648-0123

**Sacrament Of Marriage and Quinceanera's** The couple and or Parents of the Debutant will need to come to Mass and personally speak to Fr. Francisco after Mass so that he can meet with you and Schedule further arrangements.

St. Benedict also offers **Anointing of the Sick** for your loved ones who may not be able to come to Church.

**House Blessings** please see Father Francisco after mass.

## SPECIAL PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please call and leave a message if there is a name you wish to include on this prayer list or send email: [stbenedictchurch4535@gmail.com](mailto:stbenedictchurch4535@gmail.com)

David Arce, Beatrice Ortega, Juanita & Victor Charo, Sisto Ybarra Jr. Felipe Quiroga Jr. Joe Cavazos, Luis Cavaos, Cindy Cavaos, Chanito Cavazos, Adrian Romo, Leroy Trevino, James Trevino, Maria Trevino, Mary Ann Silva, Agnes Jendrusch, Cecelia Padalecki, Janice Lubel, Esteban Steve Fuentes, Selena Montez, Marissa Sanchez, Josh Castellanos, Monica Reyes, Mario Reyes, Martin Reyes, Juwan O'Neil, Mary Ann Silva, Charles Hunnucutt, Blanca Garcia, Maria Montoya, Ruth Oliva, Ryan Sanchez, Gloria Castellanos, Lillie Gonzalez, Jose Arellano, Mary S. DeWitt, Jerry & Alma Robles, Juwan McNeil, Benny Roland Cervantes, Patricia Cervantes, Vangie Reyes, Julio Castillo, Xavier Mendoza, Leonardo Cervantes, Gloria Barba, Cynthia Ibarra, Jerry Martinez, Luis Zepeda Jr., Allice Gallegos, Bobby Wise, Isabel De La Rosa, Sylvia Guevara, Laura Jendrusch, Felix Joseph Barba, Charles Peosade Jr., Solia Zepeda, Gloria Cappelli, David Russell, Santos Estrada, David Pena, Mary Ann Jimenez, Josie Leal, Patrick Eaton, Amador Godoy, Laura Walrond, Dalia Garcia, Roxanne Ramos



## Mass Schedule for January

**Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God (New Year's Day) Mass—**

Thursday, January 1, 2026 at 12:15pm and 6:30pm in the church.



**OFFICE CLOSED**

**Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God (New Year's Day), Thursday, January 1, 2026.**

## SAVE THE DATE January 5, 2026

We invite you to our next Altar Society Meeting on January 5, 2026 at 12:00p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Altar Society Membership Appreciation Luncheon on January 11, 2026 at 12:00p.m. in the Parish Hall. We are blessed to service Together! Whether you've been with us for years or are new to our parish family,

Let's gather to uplift each other in faith and support our Church—St. Benedict's. "Your heart for service is what makes our Altar Society Ministry Vibrant!

For questions, contact Ms. Yolanda Pena, President at (210) 381-7249.

**Pulpit Talks:** As a reminder to anyone wanting to make a pulpit talk, please submit your request and script to the church office for approval at least a week before you plan to come up. Thank You.



## SAVE THE DATE "CORRECTION"

Birthday Celebration for Father Francisco has been rescheduled to Saturday, January 31, 2026. If you would like to help or donate please contact Yolanda Pena at (210) 381-7249.



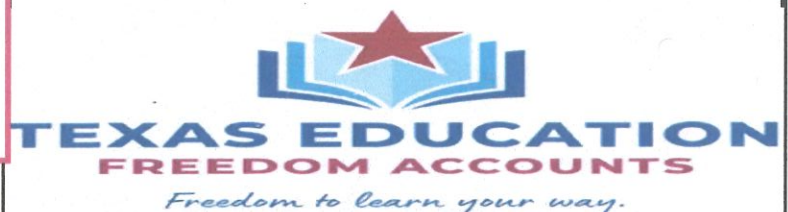
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**"All your children shall be taught by the Lord; great shall be the peace of your children."**

Isaiah 54:13

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## ST. BENEDICTS CATHOLIC CHURCH REVERSE RAFFLE

Sunday, February 7, 2026 Doors open at 6:00pm

Drawing to begin at 8:00pm - St. Benedicts Parish Hall

**\$100 per ticket—only 300 tickets sold**

**One Prize: \$10,000 (gift cards)**

**All tickets drawn—last ticket wins!**



Split? Last 5 tickets in drum—if all agree and noted on ticket, can split the grand prize.

## Archbishop's Appeal for Ministries



### Ways to Give:

Visit [archsa.org/aafm\\_giveasa/](https://archsa.org/aafm_giveasa/)

Call (210) 734-1910

Mail to PO Box 7374 Kensington, CT 06037

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### Mission Of Hope

Join Us in our Mission Of Hope. Every act of Generosity reflects Gods Gift to us it is through these gifts that we are called to the common purpose of caring of those who are in need and instilling HOPE in our Communities.

**CONGRATULATIONS!** We have achieved are goal through the Archbishop's Appeal for Ministries.

St. Benedict Catholic Church—2025 Archbishop's Appeal Goal \$12,962.00.

**Currently at 102% of our Goal with \$12,963.00**



The 26th annual golf tournament will be held on April 11th 2026 at Willow Springs Golf Course. More information to follow.



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