

ST. STANISLAUS CHURCH

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Parish Office Hours:
 Monday - Friday
 8:00AM - 3:00PM



PERPETUAL ADORATION: Perpetually held in the Adoration Chapel. Please stop by the Parish Office for access code.

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS:
 Saturday 5:00PM
 Sunday 8:00AM
 (Bilingual) Sunday 11:30AM
 Sunday 4:00PM

WEEKDAYS:
 Tuesday 6:30PM
 Wednesday 12:15PM
 Thursday 7:00AM
 Friday 12:15PM

PASTOR: Msgr. Frank Kurzaj

DEACON: Carl Rutkowski

ST. VICTOR CHAPEL

Mission of St. Stanislaus Church
 10514 Pk. Rd. 37
 Lakehills, TX 78063
 Contact Information same as above.



ADORATION:
 Mondays 4:00PM-5:00PM

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS:
 Saturday 7:00PM
 Sunday 9:45AM

PARISH STAFF

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 Call the Rectory 210-831-3718

PARISH MINISTRIES

St. Stanislaus Church

Altar Society:	Michelle Barnet	210-219-3626
Cemetery Committee:	Raymond Batto	830-796-4923
Cursillo/Ultreya:	Carmen Tirado	210-378-0274
Guadalupano Society:	Maria Contreras	830-460-4712
Knights of Columbus:	Alan Zimmer	210-243-2542
Ministry Schedule:	Ernie DeWinne	210-373-3138
Perpetual Adoration:	Greg Hicks	830-796-0248
Prayer Blanket Ministry:	Beannie Butler	210-422-3727
St. Vincent De Paul Soc.:	Ellen Spence	830-796-2017

St. Victor Chapel

St Victor Liaison:	Margaret Christilles	210-827-0495
Altar Society:	Yvette Dibrell	210-289-0566
Bereavement Comm.:	Kathleen Reile	830-688-1175
Prayer Blanket Ministry:	Joyce Painter	830-751-3188
RE Coordinator:	Ana Edwards (text only)	210-464-5926

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Experience the joy of forgiveness. Confessions are offered on Saturdays at 4:00PM at St. Stanislaus Church or by appointment.

BAPTISMS: We look forward to welcoming your child into our family at St. Stanislaus Catholic Church. Please contact the Parish Office 2-3 months prior to your anticipated Baptismal date.

MARRIAGES: ..and the two shall become as one. Mark 10:8. Please contact the Parish Office at least 6 months prior to your anticipated wedding date.

ANointing OF THE SICK: Are you or a loved one in need of healing? If you or someone in your family is in need of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL OFFICE HOURS

St. Stanislaus: Thursday 9:30AM - 12:30PM
St. Victor: 3rd Wednesday 9:00AM - 11:00AM

BULLETIN DEADLINE

All bulletin announcements are to be sent to the Parish Office by **Thursday** the week **before** the bulletin is to be printed.

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of St. Stanislaus Parish is to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ by living our faith as a Catholic Community in worship, service, and support of one another. We believe that each member is called to discipleship, outreach, and evangelization to our parish and local community. We celebrate the gift of Jesus by growing in our faith and living out the mission of our fidelity to the Roman Catholic Church.

**JANUARY 11th, 2026 ~ FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD
11 DE ENERO, 2026 ~ FIESTA DEL BAUTISMO DEL SENOR**

MASS INTENTIONS

Week of January 12th—January 18th, 2026

Mon.		No Mass
Tues.	6:30 pm	† Catherine Perry
Wed.	12:15 pm	† Charles Ebrum
Thurs.	7:00 am	† James Duff
Fri.	12:15 pm	† Mary Lucille Boyd
Sat.	5:00 pm	Margaret Silva
Sun.	8:00 am	† James Duff
	11:30 am	Margaret & John Rodriguez
	4:00 pm	† Kathryn White St. Victor
Sat.	7:00 pm	Stacy Garland
Sun.	9:45 am	† Lorene Riedlinger

WEEKLY OFFERING

ST. STANISLAUS

Christmas Day Collection\$4,542.50

December 28th Collection\$6,015.00

ST. VICTOR

Christmas Day Collection\$1,836.60

December 28th Collection\$2,098.00

**The next Second Collection on January 24th/25th
is for the Church in Latin America**

THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Please pray for the sick of our parish, including...

Clay Brown, Ashley Raby, Denny Foster, Tammy Bailey-Jonas, Carole Hart, LaNell Royal, Weston Williams, Ed Ringgold, Joyce Painter, Gene Meinen, Diana Meinen, Estela Notzon, Annie Smith, Bill Jenschke, Suann Ritter, Abel, Samantha Cafilish, Angelika Inzanti, Toni Farmer, Rosaria Segovia, Shirley Clark, Clint Haycraft, Jo Darling, Leticia Rangel Blume, Maria and Jose Mendoza, Janie Martinez, Barney Brown, Clovis Downing, Jim Lindner, Ron Dusek, FJ Brewerton, Andrea Osorio, Allan Richardson, Grant Newcomer, Debra Martinez, Irene Nelson, Don & Suann Ritter, Santiago Ciel Diaz, Daniel Willmann, Georgina Villada, Stan Foster, Kathy Gardner, Mercedes Segovia, Pete Martinez, Rebecca Rubio, Billie Smith, Abraham Orenday, Sophia Lorena Ramirez, Magan Merritt, Robbyn Michalka, Francis Guerrero, Kathy DeVito, Derek Mace, Jim & Mary Lee, Deacon Ricardo Rivas, Steve Cerwin, Corky Frost, Margaret Duff, Josh West, Kathy Delgado, Mike Chambers, Kara DeVito, Stephanie Stringer, Darlene Foster, Benjamin Villela Franco, Carey Appolonia, Shirley Janecek, Brenda Moczygemba, Kristi Mazurek, James Meinen, Scott Hicks, Molly Verr, Joan Schmidt, Judy Wilson, Sandy Gerkin, Travis Stevenson, Trena Fitzpatrick, Jan Hench, Vincent Mifsud, Patricia Guia, Angeles Cheverria, Carol Garcia, Carol Raby, Barbara Maxwell, Carlos Salas, Karl Mueller, Brendan Haycraft, Diane Dziuk Moy, Dianna Coy, Scott Butler and Margaret and John Rodriguez.

Please contact the Parish Office to make changes.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Monday: 1 Sm 1:1-8; Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19; Mk 1:14-20
Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20; 1 Sam 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd; Mk 1:21-28
Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Mk 1:29-39
Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11; Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25; Mk 1:40-45
Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a; Ps 89:16-17, 18-19; Mk 2:1-12
Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 2:13-17
Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10; 1 Cor 1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34

Lunes: 1 Sm 1, 1-8; Sal 115, 12-13. 14-17. 18-19; Mc 1, 14-20
Martes: 1 Sm 1, 9-20; 1 Sam 2, 1. 4-5. 6-7. 8abcd; Mc 1, 21-28
Miércoles: 1 Sm 3, 1-10. 19-20; Sal 39, 2 y 4ab. 7-8a. 8b-9. 10; Mc 1, 29-39
Jueves: 1 Sm 4, 1-11; Sal 43, 10-11. 14-15. 24-25; Mc 1, 40-45
Vienes: 1 Sm 8, 4-7. 10-22; Sal 88, 16-17. 18-19; Mc 2, 1-12
Sábado: 1 Sm 9, 1-4. 10. 17-19; 10, 1; Sal 20, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7; Mc 2, 13-17
Domingo: Is 49, 3. 5-6; Sal 39, 2 y 4ab. 7-8a. 8b-9. 10; 1 Cor 1, 1-3; Jn 1, 29-34

OPEN ADORATION HOURS

Sunday

8:00 am, 11:00 am, 12:00 pm, 5:00 pm, 6:00 pm, 7:00 pm, 11:00 pm

Tuesday

1:00 am, 2:00 am, 3:00 am

Monday

12:00 am

Wednesday

11:00 pm

Thursday

7:00 pm, 9:00 pm

Friday

1:00 am, 2:00 am, 3:00 am, 4:00 am, 3:00 pm, 4:00 pm, 5:00 pm, 6:00 pm, 9:00 pm, 10:00 pm

Saturday

3:00 am, 4:00 am, 8:00 am, 9:00 am, 1:00 pm, 3:00 pm, 4:00 pm, 10:00 pm

“Come To Me”

Jesus asks each of us to spend time with Him in prayer. Please consider signing up for one of several Adoration hours available. Spending an hour alone with Jesus offers an opportunity to put God first in your life.

PARISH NEWS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

St Stanislaus RE—Sundays from 9:00 am to 10:00 am*
St Victor RE—Sundays from 8:30 am to 9:30 am

St. Stanislaus Religious Education Classes 2025-26 for K-12th grades meet on Sundays from 9:00 am to 10:00 am in St. Joseph Hall. Our Coordinator of Religious Education, Rebecca Neill, can answer any questions you may have. Her contact information is in the church bulletin.

***Due to construction of the new Hall at St. Stanislaus, we will be using the restrooms next to the Adoration Chapel by the Church. We will have a volunteer to escort students to the restrooms for K-3rd grades.**

ST VICTOR PARISHIONERS

Please join us in the Church Hall on Sunday, January 18th for Brunch after Mass. Main dish provided by the Altar Society. Everyone brings a side dish or dessert and enjoys! We look forward to seeing everyone and are all welcome.

ST VICTOR ALTAR SOCIETY

Please join us in the Church Hall at the St Victor Altar Society Meeting on Wednesday, January 28th with a social at 6:00 pm, followed by the meeting at 6:30 pm. Bring a snack to share if you would like.

ST STANISLAUS ALTAR SOCIETY

The Altar Society will have their monthly meeting in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, January 13th at 5:30 pm. All are welcome to attend.

The Altar Society would like to invite all ladies of the parish who are 18 or older to join our organization. Not only do we clean and maintain the Altar, but we also order, arrange and pay for flowers and candles, sacramental hosts and wine, and other needed items. We clean and wash altar cloths and our priest's vestments. Our Bereavement Committee organizes and provides meals for funerals, and our Christmas Card Committee delivers cards to our local nursing homes. We pray for the sick of our parish with our Prayer Chain Ministry. Please come and join us, your sisters in Christ, and enjoy the fulfillment of our ministry.

MEETING WITH FR FRANK

On Monday, February 2nd, 2026, Fr Frank would like to meet with the descendants of the first settlers and those interested in remembering the arrival on February 2nd 1855. The meeting will take place at 6:00 pm in the Hall. All are invited.

ST STANISLAUS VOCATIONS MINISTRY

BE HERE for more priests! Wednesday morning, January 14th at 11:45 am to pray a Rosary especially for vocations. Mass will follow at 12:15 pm.

We need more sisters and priests! Join the Vocations Ministry for a Holy Hour for Vocations next Sunday, January 18th from 2:30—3:30 pm in the Church. Mass follows at 4:00 pm.

ST. VICTOR ALTAR SOCIETY

January membership drive now underway, only \$10 per year. Your membership and extra support help keep our St Victor Chapel going. Envelopes are in the foyer of the Chapel. Please return in the collection basket. Sincere thanks to all.

BAPTISM

We are happy to welcome:

Pierce Joseph Huebinger

As a new member into our Christian community through the waters of baptism.

**The Baptism of the Lord
TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

Through the centuries, artists and craftspeople have depicted Jesus' baptism in the Jordan River by John. At first in mosaics and frescoes, and later in tapestries, stained glass, and paintings, the scene is familiar. Jesus is standing waist-high in flowing water. Above him, standing on dry land, John the Baptist pours water over Jesus. The first artists to depict this were sketching from memory. This is exactly how most people were baptized in the early days: as adults, standing or kneeling in the water, with water poured over their heads.

This method of baptizing, called immersion, is the favored way today. An adult enters a font, or an infant is lowered a bit into the water supported by a parent's hand, and water is poured or splashed over them. The treasures of baptismal art attest that submersion, or plunging beneath the water's surface, is not really in our tradition, and that "infusion," the mere pouring of a few drops of water, yields too narrow an understanding of what it means to be plunged into Christ's life. Jesus Christ has gone before us into the water, and waits for us there with abundant gifts. No wonder the tradition calls for abundant symbols!

—Rev. James Field

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