

# 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

### Pastor:

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### Deacon:

Deacon Carl Rutkowski: deaconcarl@ststanislausbandera.com

### Office Manager:

Lindsay Mace: lindsay@ststanislausbandera.com

### Director of Religious Education:

Melinda Lindner: melinda@ststanislausbandera.com

### Groundskeeper/Safe Environment Co-ordinator:

Jesse Lindner: jesse@ststanislausbandera.com

**IN CASE OF EMERGENCY:** Call the Rectory 210-831-3718

## PARISH MINISTRIES

### St. Stanislaus Church

<b>Altar Society:</b>	Michelle Barnet	210-219-3626
<b>Cemetery Committee:</b>	Raymond Batto	830-796-4923
<b>Cursillo/Ultreya:</b>	Carmen Tirado	210-378-0274
<b>Guadalupano Society:</b>	Volunteer needed	
<b>Knights of Columbus:</b>	Criss Wilson	419-692-7477
<b>Ministry Schedule:</b>	Ernie DeWinne	210-373-3138
<b>Perpetual Adoration:</b>	Greg Hicks	830-796-0248
<b>Prayer Blanket Ministry:</b>	Pat Koehler	830-510-2723
<b>Rosary Makers:</b>	Linda McLaughlin	830-328-0810
<b>St. Vincent De Paul Soc.:</b>	Bob Bashaw	830-796-2017

### St. Victor Chapel

<b>Pastoral Council:</b>	Ruth Tschirhart	210-287-4603
<b>Altar Society:</b>	Margaret Christilles	830-510-6691
<b>Bereavement Comm.:</b>	Kathleen Reile	830-688-1175
<b>Prayer Blanket Ministry:</b>	Joyce Painter	830-751-3188
<b>RE Coordinator:</b>	Ana Edwards	(text only) 210-464-5926

## ST. VINCENT de PAUL OFFICE HOURS

**St. Stanislaus:** Thursday 9:30AM - 12:30PM  
**St. Victor:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday 9:00AM - 11:00AM

## BULLETIN DEADLINE

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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 7, 2024 ~ SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD 7 DE ENERO, 2024 ~ SOLEMNIDAD DE LA EPIFANIA DEL SEÑOR

## MASS INTENTIONS Week of January 8th—14th, 2024

Mon.		No Mass
Tues.	6:30 pm	Scott Black Family
Wed.	12:15 pm	Abbey Rzechula
Thurs.	7:00 am	Carol Ann & John Smith
Fri.	12:15 pm †	Fabian Anderwald
Sat.	5:00 pm †	Mildred & Edward Markgraf
Sun.	8:00 am †	Herb & Eva Norris
	11:30 am †	Epifania Garcia
	4:00 pm	Mary Bolan
		St. Victor
Sat.	7:00 pm	Parishioners
Sun.	9:45 am †	Lillian Butcher

## WEEKLY OFFERING

### ST. STANISLAUS

December 24th Collection ..... \$6,240.00  
Assumption Seminary .....\$4,420.44

### ST. VICTOR

December 24th Collection .....\$2,005.00  
Assumption Seminary .....\$2,113.00

The next Second Collection will be on  
**January 13th/14th for Renovation**  
**(St Stanislaus) and Ghana (St Victor)**

## THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

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

Clay Brown, Ashley Raby, Denny Foster, Marcus Kaspar, Fernando Villela, Tammy Bailey-Jonas, Nancy MacMillan, Carole Hart, Brian Royal, Weston Williams, Ed Ringgold, Joyce Painter, Donald Meinen, Gene Meinen, Diana Meinen, Estela Notzon, Gladys Garcia, Annie Smith, Bill Jenschke, Suann Ritter, Abel, Elizabeth Batto, Samantha Caffish, Angelika Inzanti, Toni Farmer, Rosaria Segovia, Shirley Clark, Jim Mazurek, Clint Haycraft, Jo Darling, Leticia Rangel Blume, Matthew Mazurek, Maria and Jose Mendoza, Janie Martinez, Barney Brown, Clovis Downing, Jim Lindner, Ron Dusek, FJ Brewerton, Andrea Osorio, Allan Richardson, Grant Newcomer, Debra Martinez, Al Evans, Irene Nelson, Don & Suann Ritter, Santiago Ciel Diaz, Daniel Willmann, Georgina Villada, Stan Foster, Kathy Gardner, Mercedes Segovia, Pete Martinez, Boyd Noack, Rebecca Rubio, Billie Smith, Elma Hinojosa, Anjelita Orenday, Abraham Orenday, Sophia Lorena Ramirez, Magan Merritt, Robbyn Michalka, Francis Guerrero, Kathy DeVito, Gloria Merritt, Jean & Derek Mace, Gloria Muniz, Jim & Mary Lee, Deacon Ricardo Rivas, Steve Cerwin, Sheila Frost, Corky Frost, Margaret Duff, Josh West, Benny Padalecki, Kathy Delgado, Jane Malone, Ray Sadler, Mike Chambers, Kara DeVito, Anamaria Brannon and Stephanie Stringer.

**Please contact the Parish Office to make changes.**

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK: LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

**Monday:** Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11 or Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9; Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 Mk 1:7-11  
**Tuesday:** 1 Sm 1:9-20; 1 Sm 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:** 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10; 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42

**Lunes:** Is 42, 1-4. 6-7 o Is 55, 1-11 o Hch 10, 34-38 o 1 Jn 5, 1-9; Sal 28, 1a y 2. 3ac-4. 3b y 9b-10 o Is 12, 2-3. 4bcd. 5-6; Mc 1, 7-11

**Martes:** 1 Sm 1, 9-20; 1 Sm 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

**Viernes:** 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:** 1 Sm 3, 3b-10. 19; Sal 39, 2 y 4ab. 7-8a. 8b-9. 10; 1 Cor 6, 13c-15a. 17-20; Jn 1, 35-42

## PERPETUAL ADORATION OPEN HOURS:

**Monday:** 3:00 am—4:00 am  
12:00 pm—1:00 pm  
11:00 pm—Midnight  
**Tuesday:** 11:00 am—12:00pm  
10:00 pm—11:00 pm  
**Wednesday:** 2:00 pm—3:00 pm  
11:00 pm—Midnight  
**Thursday:** 1:00 am—2:00 am  
10:00 pm—11:00 pm  
12:00 pm—1:00 pm  
**Friday:** 3:00 pm—4:00 pm  
6:00 pm—7:00 pm  
11:00 pm—Midnight  
**Saturday:** 12:00 am—1:00 am  
1:00 am—2:00 am  
2:00 am—3:00 am  
3:00 am—4:00 am  
4:00 am—5:00 am  
12:00 pm—1:00 pm  
10:00 pm—11:00 pm  
11:00 pm—12:00 Midnight  
**Sunday:** 3:00 am—4:00 am  
4:00 am—5:00 am  
5:00 am—6:00 am  
6:00 am—7:00 am  
12:00 pm—1:00 pm  
1:00 pm—2:00 pm  
6:00 pm—7:00 pm

Contact the Parish Office to sign up.

## PARISH NEWS

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration forms are available for download on our website ([www.ststanislausbandera.com](http://www.ststanislausbandera.com)), in the parish office, and at the back of the church. Registration is required for all grades K-12. RE fees are \$15 per child or \$30 per family. If you have any questions, please contact Melinda at (830) 460-4712 or [Melinda@ststanislausbandera.com](mailto:Melinda@ststanislausbandera.com). St Stanislaus RE 9:15 am—10:30 am, St Victor RE 8:30 am—9:30 am.

### RCIA

Our RCIA Catechumen and Candidates have begun their journey of discovery and discernment. We ask everyone to please keep them and our awesome team in your prayers as they continue!

### BIBLE STUDY FOR RE PARENTS

Attention **ALL** Religious Education parents: Please join us in the Hall during CCD for coffee, snacks and Bible Study! It will begin at 9:20 am and continue until 10:15 am.

### WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

*We are happy to welcome the following new members to our parish family at*

*St. Victor Chapel  
Norman & Martha  
Sawyers*

### OPEN ADORATION HOURS

#### "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.

*A list of open hours can be found on the second page of this bulletin.*

### NOTARY SERVICES FOR PARISHIONERS

Melinda, the DRE, is a notary public if any parishioners are in need of that service. If you would like to do so, please call the office (830 460 4712) during office hours to schedule an appointment.

### ST STANISLAUS ALTAR SOCIETY

The Altar Society will have their monthly meeting in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, January 9th at 5:30 pm. All are welcome to attend.

### THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

#### "Little Drummer Boy"

Did you know that the only reason we say that there were three wise men is that they brought three gifts? And these special gifts—gold, frankincense, and myrrh—tell us much.

When one king visited or sent an ambassador to another, he would give a gift of gold to show that he acknowledged the kingship of the other. The second gift is a type of incense, which was used in Jesus time to worship God. The gift of myrrh is oil used to anoint the dying. So these gifts remind us of Jesus' kingship, divinity, and his dying for us.

So what gifts do we have for Jesus? Maybe we can take a hint from the wise men. If we acknowledge Jesus as king, maybe a better gift than gold would be to pledge our obedience to him. A better way than burning incense to pay homage to Jesus' divinity is to take time to pray throughout the day. As for the gift of myrrh, we can give Jesus the crosses we bear each day.

The song "Little Drummer Boy" reminds us that the best gift is not necessarily the most expensive. Instead, it is the simple gift that only we can give. Let Epiphany remind us to offer our lives to Jesus each day.

Tom Schmidt

### DIGITAL BULLETINS

Anyone wishing to receive a digital copy of the bulletin each weekend, please call Lindsay at the office.

### NEED HELP DEALING WITH GRIEF?

Griefshare is coming to St Stanislaus. Griefshare is a Christ centered support group to help you move through the grief process. Through this 13-week group, you'll discover what to expect in the days ahead and what's "normal" in grief. Since there are no neat, orderly stages of grief, you'll learn helpful ways of coping with grief, in all its unpredictability—and gain solid support each step of the way.

The Group will meet in St Joseph's Hall starting Tuesday, January 16th at 6:00 pm. If any parishioners from St Stanislaus or St Victor would like to sign up, please contact Debbie Brzezinski (210) 865 2966 or Lindsay in the Parish Office. For more information visit [www.griefshare.org](http://www.griefshare.org).

### ST. JOSEPH HALL USAGE

If you wish to use the Hall for your group's event, please:

- Contact the office to make sure it is available.
- Do not leave leftovers in the refrigerator. Take home or dispose in a trash bag and take to the dumpster.
- Clean the room(s) and hall when finished, i.e. No food, crumbs, or liquids on counters, tables or floor and take trash to the dumpster.
- Turn off all lights and lock all outside doors before leaving.
- If you notice anything broken or damaged (lights, A/C etc.) please let the office know as soon as possible.

Thank you.

### HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

If you know of a family member, neighbor or friend who is unable to come and receive Jesus in Holy Communion, please call the Parish office to arrange a visit.

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