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Celebration of the Mass

Saturday (Vigil)	5:00 p.m.	English
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	English
	11:00 a.m.	English
	1:00 p.m.	Spanish
	6:00 p.m.	English

WEEKDAYS

Monday - Friday	12 noon
Saturdays	9:00 a.m.

Devotion to venerate the Virgin Mary

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Daily - 11:00 a.m.
Tuesdays - 7:00 p.m.

Readings for the Week

Monday:	Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Acts 10:34-38; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10; Mt 3:13-17
Tuesday:	Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:21-28 or Heb 1:1-6 and 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:14-20 and 1:21-28
Wednesday:	Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Mk 1:29-39
Thursday:	Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-11; Mk 1:40-45
Friday:	Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3, 4bc, 6c-8; Mk 2:1-2
Saturday:	Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 2:13-17
Sunday:	Is 49:3, 5-6; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10; 1 Cor 1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34

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Parish Ministries and Organizations

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| Covenant of Love | Men's Huddle Group |
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| Guadalupe Society | Prayer Chain Warriors |
| Knights of Columbus | Squires |
| | Young Adults |
- Familias Unidas En Cristo
St. Vincent de Paul Society
High School & Middle School Youth Group

Sacrament of Baptism: Parents of the child must live within the parish boundaries or have been registered and active in the parish for 6 months. Register in the Parish Office Monday through Friday, Please bring with you a copy of the state birth certificate and godparent's proof of Confirmation and, if applicable, marriage in the Catholic Church

Sacrament of Matrimony: Please meet with the pastor 6 months in advance

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Fridays 11-11:45 a.m. and Saturdays 4-4:45 p.m.

Quinceaneras: Debutante must be a registered member of the parish in good standing who is attending Catholic School or Religious Education classes for at least 2 years prior to the celebration and attend sessions focused on the meaning of the Quinceanera. One year notice is required.

A King to Behold: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Feast of the Epiphany

"Epiphany" is an appearance. In today's readings, with their rising stars, splendorous lights and mysteries revealed, the face of the child born on Christmas day appears.

Herod, in today's Gospel, asks the chief priests and scribes where the Messiah is to be born. The answer Matthew puts on their lips says much more, combining two strands of Old Testament promise - one revealing the Messiah to be from the line of David . The other predicting "a ruler of Israel" who will "shepherd his flock" and whose "greatness shall reach to the ends of the earth".

Those promises of Israel's king ruling the nations resound also in today's Psalm. The psalm celebrates David's son, Solomon. His kingdom, we sing, will stretch "to the ends of the earth," and the world's kings will pay Him homage. That's the scene too in today's First Reading, as nations stream from the East, bearing "gold and frankincense" for Israel's king.

The Magi's pilgrimage in today's Gospel marks the fulfillment of God's promises. The Magi, probably Persian astrologers, are following the star that Balaam predicted would rise along with the ruler's staff over the house of Jacob.

Laden with gold and spices, their journey evokes those made to Solomon by the Queen of Sheba and the "kings of the earth". Interestingly, the only other places where frankincense and myrrh are mentioned together are in songs about Solomon .

One greater than Solomon is here He has come to reveal that all peoples are "co-heirs" of the royal family of Israel, as today's Epistle teaches.

His manifestation forces us to choose: Will we follow the signs that lead to Him as the wise Magi did? Or will we be like those priests and the scribes who let God's words of promise become dead letters on an ancient page?

RETIRO PARA FAMILIAS KERIGMA SANTA ROSA DE LIMA DEL 3-5 FEBRERO 2017

Hay momentos en la vida en que es necesario pararse; épocas para darnos un nuevo despertar. Un retiro, es una manera eficaz de acercarse a Dios y conocerle con mayor intensidad. Una oportunidad para mejorar nuestra vida, amar más a Dios y al prójimo. Muchas veces será el inicio de una sincera conversión. Los Esperamos.

Un Rey para contemplar: Scott Hahn refleja sobre el Epifanía

"Epifanía" es una manifestación. En las lecturas de hoy, en donde se levantan estrellas, hay luz esplendorosa y se revelan misterios, se nos muestra el rostro del Niño nacido en Navidad.

En el Evangelio de hoy, Herodes pregunta a los sumos sacerdotes y escribas en dónde ha de nacer el Mesías. La respuesta que Mateo pone en sus labios dice mucho más, pues combina dos promesas del Antiguo Testamento: una que revela que el Mesías nacerá de David; la otra que predice un "gobernador de Israel" que "pastoreará su rebaño", cuya grandeza alcanzará "hasta los confines de la tierra".

Aquellas promesas sobre un rey de Israel que gobierna las naciones resuenan también en el salmo de hoy, que celebra a Salomón, el hijo de David. Su reino, cantamos, alcanzará "los confines de la tierra" y los reyes del mundo le rendirán homenaje. También vemos esa escena en la primera lectura, en donde hay naciones que vienen de oriente y traen "oro e incienso" al rey de Israel.

La peregrinación de los Magos que nos cuenta el Evangelio de hoy, marca el cumplimiento de las promesas de Dios. Estos sabios, quizás astrólogos persas, siguen la estrella que, según predijo Balaán se levantaría con un cetro sobre la casa de Jacob.

Cargados con oro y especias, su viaje evoca los que la reina de Sabá y los "reyes de la tierra" hicieron en pos de Salomón). Curiosamente, los únicos otros lugares de la Biblia donde se mencionan juntos el incienso y la mirra son cantos sobre Salomón. Aquí hay uno mayor que Salomón (cf. Lc 11,31). Ha venido a revelar que todos los pueblos son "coherederos" de la familia real de Israel, como nos enseña la epístola de hoy.

La manifestación de Cristo nos fuerza a tomar una decisión: ¿Seguiremos los signos que nos guían a Él, como lo hicieron los magos sabios? ¿O seremos como esos sacerdotes y escribas, para quienes las promesas de Dios se volvieron palabras muertas escritas en una página antigua?

The Epiphany of the Lord January 8, 2017

They opened their treasures
and offered him gifts
of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.
— *Matthew 2:11b*

Reminder: Please Remember to write **2017** on your donation checks, as the bank will not accept those with 2016. Thank you!

Last Week's Collection

		1st Collection	2nd Collection	Mailed in
Saturday	5 p.m.	\$ 7427.00	\$ 0	\$ 474.00
Sunday	9 a.m.	3381.00	\$ 0	
	11 a.m.	4052.00	\$ 0	
	1 p.m.	3555.00	\$ 0	
	6 p.m.	3570.00	\$ 0	
		Regular Collection: \$ 22459.00		

Volunteers Needed: The Parish is looking for someone who has experience in maintaining a website to take over and manage our church website. This is a volunteer position and would entail approximately 10 hours of your time each week.

We are also looking for persons who would be interested in filling in when the Receptionist is away from her desk. We usually would be able to give you advance notice, but in some cases, it may be shorter. The only experience we ask for is that you have a pleasant personality, can greet incoming visitors, answer the phone and take messages.

If either of these are something you can help out with, please call the Parish Office and leave your name and number so we can get in touch with you, or send an email to sue@srlsa.com.

High School Youth Group: The Life Teen core team invites all high school youth to a "Glow in the Dark" party on January 11th from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Bring a friend, and come ready for games, snacks, and free stuff!

Grupo de Juventud de la Escuela Superior: El equipo principal de Life Teen invita a todo los jovenes de la escuela superior a una fiesta "Glow in the dark" el día 11 de Enero de 7 pm - 8:30 pm en el salon parroquial. Traigan a un amigo y vengan listos para juegos, antojitos y regalos gratis!

ConnectNow Access: In preparation for the new year, and the receipt of income tax statements, we encourage you to register for ConnectNow, the church database, in order to print out your tax statement without having to wait for it. To access the data base, please use this link: <https://connectnow.parishsoft.com/sanantonio>, or go to our website and click on the ConnectNow icon to be taken to the page and follow the directions given. As a reminder, you must already be registered in the parish in order to logon to register for this service.



This Week at St. Rose of Lima

- MONDAY** Communion Service at Noon
Columbette Officer's Meeting - 6 p.m.
RE Baptism Parent & Godparent Session #2 - 6:30 p.m.
- TUESDAY** Adoration - 6:30 p.m.
First Communion Parent Session #2 - 6:30 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY** K of C Officers Meeting - 6 p.m.
Ladies Society Meeting - 6 p.m.
Spanish Choir Practice - 6:30 p.m.
First Communion Parent Session #2 - 6:30 p.m.
RCIA - 7 p.m.
- THURSDAY** High School Youth Group - 7 p.m.
Squires Meeting - 6 p.m.
First Communion Parents Session - #2- 6:30 p.m.
Spanish Prayer Group - 6:30 p.m.
Adult Choir Practice - 7 p.m.
Baptismal Preparation Class - 7 p.m.
Middle School Youth Group - 7 p.m.
St Vincent de Paul Meeting - 7 p.m.
Bingo - 7:30 p.m.
- FRIDAY** Familias Unidas en Cristo - 6:30 p.m.
- SATURDAY** Men's Prayer Group - 7 a.m.
RE Vocation Walk - 9 a.m.
Prayer Blanket Ministry - 9:30 a.m.
Baptisms - 10 a.m.

Marriage Preparation Class: If you are currently engaged, planning on getting married or having your marriage blessed in the church, we are offering the required Marriage Preparation Course at St. Rose of Lima. The class will be held on **Saturday, February 11 & 18, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.** and you **must attend both sessions in order to receive a Certificate of Completion.** Cost of the course is \$80 per couple which includes workbooks, snacks and lunch on both days. **Registration must be done at the Parish Office by Friday, February 3, 2017 and payment must be with cash or check.** As a reminder, 6 months notice is required to be given to the Pastor in order to schedule your wedding at St. Rose of Lima. If you have any other questions, please contact Sue in the Parish Office.

<i>This Week's Mass Intentions</i>		
Jan 9	12 p.m.	Rosa Mena Special Intention; Arthur Dwayne Dolvig †
Jan 10	12 p.m.	Norma Franco In Thanksgiving
Jan 11	12 p.m.	Nathan Anders In Thanksgiving
Jan 12	12 p.m.	Refugio Vela Special Intention
Jan 13	12 p.m.	Fr. Jorge Campos In Thanksgiving
Jan 14	5 p.m.	Jack Maines †; Maureen A. Blaha †
Jan 15	9 a.m.	Terry Salinas †; Stephanie Barrett †
	11 a.m.	Fr. Bob Overman †
	1 p.m.	Regino Gonzalez †
	6 p.m.	For Living and Deceased Benefactors of SRL

Prayer List

Frank Charles , Joseph Casillas, Yvonne DeLeon, Dorothy Gilliland, Tim McCarthy, Cesar S. Palaganas, Denise Lopez. Martha Karina, Edward Bosman, Jack Ohlrich, Ernesto Fernandez, Yamir Alejandro Frias , Armando Serrano

Thank you And Farewell!: We would like to take this opportunity to thank Deacons Frank Garcia and Robert Rosales for their service to St Rose of Lima as Deacons. Deacon Frank has been with us since his ordination in June 2011, and Deacon Robert has been with us since he was ordained last May. Both have served the parish well, and are now leaving us to pursue the next step in their religious life, which would be the priesthood. They entered Assumption Seminary last week and will continue with their studies to become priests. Please keep them in your prayers for their successful journey on their chosen paths.

Gracias y Adios!: Queremos tomar esta oportunidad para darle gracias a los Diaconos Frank Garcia y Roberto Rosales por su servicios a Santa Rosa de Lima. Diacono Frank ha estado con nosotros desde su ordination en Junio 2011, y Diacono Roberto desde su ordination este Mayo pasado. Los dos han servido bien a esta parroquia y ahora nos dejan para seguir con sus nuevo pasos a la vida religiosa. Ellos entraron al Seminario la semana pasada y continuaran con sus estudios para ser sacerdotes. Favor de tenerlos en sus oraciones para que sean exitosos en sus viajes espirituales..

St Vincent de Paul: In next weeks Gospel, we will read "The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us...filled with enduring love." As you prepare your gift for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, know that you are a sign of God's enduring love to those who are suffering and you give them reason to believe and to trust.

St Rose of Lima Parish Offices: The parish offices will be closed next Monday, January 16th in observance of Martin Luther King Day.

Oficinas de Santa Rosa de Lima: Las oficinas de la parroquia estaran cerrados el proximo Lunes, 16 de Enero en observacion del Dia de Martin Luther King.

Religious Vocation Discernment Weekend

January 13 - 15, 2017

Ages 18-40

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Middle School & High School Youth Groups:

Youth Group Meetings will resume on Wednesday, January 11 and Thursday, January 12. The Young Adult Group will resume today, January 8.

Training for Liturgical Ministers: There will be Liturgical Formation Workshops for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors, Hospitality, Liturgical Environment and Music on the following date:

Saturday, January 14, 2017
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
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Entrenamiento Para Ministros Litúrgicos:

Habra entrenamiento de Ministros Liturgicales para Ministros Extraordinarios de la Sagrada Comunion, Lectores, Ministros de Hospitalidad, Ambiente Litúrgico Y Musica en la siguiente fecha:

Sábado, 14 de Enero de 2017
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
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Catholic Question of the week: What are the four Manifestations of Christ?

- A. Nativity
- B. Magi visit
- C. Baptism
- D. Miracle at Cana (the first of Jesus' signs)
- E. All of the above.

Catholic Seniors Conference: Hallmarks of Aging and Wisdom. Whatever your state of life, the Pilgrim Center of Hope warmly invites you to the 4th annual Catholic Seniors Conference. Celebrate mass with Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller, and enjoy a day of prayer, learning and laughter while listening to inspiring guest speakers. Reconciliation will also be available and lunch is provided. Fee is \$25. Conference will be held at St Matthew's Catholic Church-McDonald Family Center. 10703 Wurzbach Rd. from 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday February 4, 2017. To register online go to www.pilgrimcenterofhope.org or register by phone call (210)521-3377.

Youth Spectacular 2017: The Archdiocese of San Antonio invites all middle school and high school students to their annual gathering for and with their youth in order to evangelize, inspire, form, and ignite them to become true missionary disciples of Jesus Christ.

Saturday, February 4, 2017
St Mary's University

For more information, please call
210-734-1911
Or email Kelly.vazquez@archsa.org

Espectacular de La Juventud 2017: La Arquidiócesis de San Antonio invita a todos los estudiantes de escuela media y superior a la reunion annual de nuestra juventud con el deseo de evangelizar , inspirer, formar y encenderlos para asi, se conviertan en verdaderos discípulos misioneros de Jesucristo.

Sabado, 4 de Febrero, 2017
St Mary's University

Para mas informacion, Favor de llamar al
210-734-1911
Or contacte a Kelly.vazquez@archsa.org



Parish Cruise: Have you been thinking about joining your fellow parishioners on the Parish Cruise to the Caribbean coming up in May? If so, remember that the final payment for the trip is by February 20, so deposits should be made now! Prices start at \$841 per person (double occupancy) which includes the cruise, meals, port taxes and gratuities. We will be visiting the ports of Falmouth, Jamaica; Georgetown, Grand Cayman; and Cozumel, Mexico. We will not have a priest accompanying us, but we will provide information for those wishing to get together and do reflections on the daily readings, rosaries with a scenic backdrop, all self-led and mandatory attendance is not required. To make your reservation, or for more information, contact Alan Martin at Rennert Travel, 210-349-6446.

Religious Education: There will be no Religious Education classes on January 16, 2017 in Observation of Martin Luther King Day.

Catecismo: No Habra clases de Catecismo, el 16 de Enero 2017 debido al Dia de Martin Luther King.

Answer to this week's Catholic Question: E. All of the above. All are "Epiphanies," although the magi visit has taken the title for itself.

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