

# St John the Baptist Catholic Church

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**Daily Mass**

***Tuesday-Wednesday-Friday-  
Saturday  
Holy Hour 7:00 AM  
Mass at 8:00 AM***

**Sunday Obligation**

***Saturday 6:00 PM  
Sunday 7:30 AM***

**Eucharistic Adoration**

***Fridays 12PM to 3 PM  
Confession  
Friday 12 Noon to 1:00  
Saturday 5:15 to 5:45***

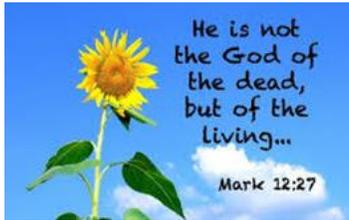
***Thanksgiving Day - November 24 Mass - 9:00AM  
Immaculate Conception - December 8 Mass - 6:00PM***

**"Welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you for the glory of  
God" states St Paul Romans 15:7.**

Our God is a welcoming God and His Son, Jesus, also welcomes everyone into His presence. As parishioners of St John the Baptist parish we too wish to display this same welcoming attitude. And so we say,

**"Welcome to each of you who visit our Church.  
Welcome into our lives of faith, of family and of community.  
May God Bless You with Peace and All Good Gifts!**

***November 6, 2022 – 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
November 13, 2022 – 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
National Vocation Awareness Week - November 6-12, 2022***



*November 6, 2022*  
*32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*To be a witness to Jesus is to be like the first apostles,  
a witness to his resurrection*

The seven brothers who bravely approach their martyrdom in the second book of Maccabees have a better sense of life after death than the Sadducees with their absurd hypothesis about seven deceased brothers. One martyred brother, filled with conviction, declares, “The King of the world will raise us up to live again forever.” Jesus verifies this: “Those who are deemed worthy to attain to the coming age no longer die; they are like angels.” God is not the God of the dead but of the living, for to him all are alive.” And until we reach the place of eternal life, “May our Lord Jesus Christ encourage your hearts and strengthen them in every good deed and word. May the Lord direct your hearts to the love of God and to the endurance of Christ.”

*We pray together in the Nicene Creed, “I look forward to the resurrection of the dead.” We live life on this earth once, die once and are judged once. Jesus is the resurrection and the life” We hope that one day we will rise with him, even if on earth our lives are “hidden with Christ in God” (Colossians 3:3) To be a witness to Jesus is to be like the first apostles, a witness to his resurrection. The living God who called Abraham, Isaac and Moses is the same God who sent his Son, raised him from the dead and who calls us to follow him and rise up to be with him forever.*

*Magnificat – November 2022*

**Sunday Readings**

**2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14**

“You accursed fiend, you are depriving us of this present life, but the King of the universe will raise us up to live again forever....”

**2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5**

May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father....encourage your hearts and strengthen them in every good deed and word.

**Luke 20:27-38, 20:27, 34-38**

Jesus said, “God is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive.”

**A Word from Pope Francis**

Christian faith is not a way of exorcising the fear of death; rather, it helps us to face it. Sooner or later, we will all pass through that door....The true light that illuminates the mystery of death comes from the Resurrection of Christ....And this is the light that awaits us behind that dark door of death.

*General Audience, Rome  
February 9, 2022*



**Reflection Questions**

- When my final days come, will I have any regrets?
- What change can I make today to avoid remorse tomorrow?

**PRAYER** Gracious God, help us to love others so that, in our final days, we feel no remorse about how we lived our lives.

We pray in Jesus’ name. AMEN.

*The Redeemers*



**Living Stewardship –  
Pillar of Prayer**

As stewards of the Faith, we may not always be able to go out and spread the Word of God to the whole world. However, we do have the ability to pray for those who work tirelessly to build up God’s church throughout the world.

**General Intercession:**

For all Catholic missionaries throughout the world.

**We pray to the Lord...**

**Ministry to Assist Parishioners in Need of a Ride to Church**

We would like to set up a list of those who need a ride to church and a list of those who could assist these parishioners.

Please call the Church office if you are in need of a ride or could be a driver. This can be on an as needed basis or on a regular basis.



November 13, 2022

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

We don't know when the end times may come. But regardless, our call is to live prepared by fulfilling God's will and trusting in him.

As we approach the end of the liturgical year, the readings prepare us for the conclusion of our earthly pilgrimage. Jesus describes the end times in today's Gospel. He warns us not to follow false prophets who will arise and claim to come in his name. He prophesies a time of war, natural disasters, famines and plagues. Persecution will fall upon his followers, allowing them the change to give testimony—martyrion in Greek.

We don't know when the end times may come. But regardless, our call is to live prepared by fulfilling God's will and trusting in him. Jesus clearly wants us to be aware of the coming of the end of the world and the eventual end of our lives on this earth, but he does not want us to be overly anxious. If we are in Christ, we are already a new creation. The old has passed away. Behold the new has come. Be not afraid!

Magnificat, October 2022

Sunday Readings

Malachi 3:19-20a

For you who fear my name, the sun of justice will arise with healing in its wings.

2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

We wanted to present ourselves as a model for you, so that you might imitate us.

Luke: 21:5-19

Jesus said, "All that you see here—that days will come when there will not be left a stone upon another stone...."

Reflection Questions

We don't know when the end times may come. But regardless, our call is to live prepared by fulfilling God's will and trusting in him.

- Do I live out each day aware that I will someday meet God face to face?
• Is there anything I should adjust in my life to be better prepared for that day?

PRAYER Faithful God, help us to believe in your promises and when doubt assails us, be with us and show us the way.

We pray in Jesus' name AMEN
The Redemptorists

A Word from Pope Francis

Here is the meaning of being wise and prudent: it is a matter of not waiting until the last minute of our lives to cooperate with the grace of God....It would be good to consider for a moment; one day will be the last. If it were today, how prepared am I?



Angelus, Rome November 12, 2017



Bulletin Reflection:

In today's Gospel, Jesus warns of the coming persecutions for those who follow Him.

Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Formation

As Catholics, we are (and will be) ridiculed and mocked for our faith. It is important to brush up on the teachings of the Faith and pray for the courage to defend them.

General Intercession:

For persecuted Christians around the world. We pray to the Lord...



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Friday Adoration

Adoration is every Friday from 12:00 noon till 3:00 pm at St. John the Baptist Church. Give Him 15 minutes of your day and He will not let you go!



## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Mass on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 8:00 AM. Holy Hour begins at 7:00 AM.

# MASS Intentions

Sat	Nov 5	8:00 AM	✠ Fr Binu & All Priests
Sat	Nov 5	6:00 PM	✠ Joseph P Uhlarik
Sun	Nov 6	7:30AM	✠ Charlie Billman
Tues	Nov 8	8:00 AM	✠ Evelyn Metz
Wed	Nov 9	8:00 AM	✠ St John's Parishioners
Fri	Nov 11	8:00 AM	✠ Mark Coomes
Sat	Nov 12	8:00 AM	✠ Fr Binu & All Priests
Sat	Nov 12	6:00 PM	✠ Jim & Geneva Tunny
Sun	Nov 13	7:30AM	✠ Amelia Wolter
Tues	Nov 15	8:00 AM	✠ Mary Jane Jansing
Wed	Nov 16	8:00 AM	✠ St John's Parishioners
Fri	Nov 18	8:00 AM	✠ Bill Purdy
Sat	Nov 19	8:00 AM	✠ Fr Binu & All Priests
Sat	Nov 19	6:00 PM	✠ Phil Wittich
Sun	Nov 20	7:30AM	✠ Barbie, Jennifer & Michelle Sloan

Praying for ✠ In Memory ✠

Mass Intentions Available. Please stop in the parish office, mail, call or drop in the collection basket to have a Mass said for your loved ones. Mass stipends are \$10.

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

	<u>Nov 12 (6PM)</u>	<u>Nov 13 (7:30AM)</u>
<b>Coordinator</b>	Ted Wissel	Ron Miller
<b>Greeter</b>	Steve Mathes	Jill Jansing
<b>Lector</b>	Gary Payne	John Holzer
<b>Eucharistic M</b>	Stephanie Green	John Holzer
	<u>Nov 19(6PM)</u>	<u>Nov 20 (7:30AM)</u>
<b>Coordinator</b>	Achleigh Simon	Ted Wissel
<b>Greeter</b>	Jeremy Simon	Jill Jansing
<b>Lector</b>	Gary Taylor	Jessica Gorman
<b>Eucharistic M</b>	Bob Green	Jessica Gorman

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**Preschool to Grade 5 - Wednesday, 6:45 PM**

Nov 9 & 16 – Class: Nov 23 No Class

**Junior High & High School - Sunday 8:30 AM**

Nov 14 & 21 Class: Nov 28 No Class

## Congratulations to our

### New Parish Council Members

Jeremy Simon -- Pam Thomas -- Vickie Tunny

## CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Nov 20 we will have a special collection (envelope). It is an education-action that offers building blocks of hope to break the cycle of poverty in the US. by providing grants and loans to poor communities.



- Rita Bedel
- Amy Castner
- Tim Castner
- Todd Castner
- Paul Fullenkamp
- Dottie Fullenkamp
- Amy Graham
- Lily Handt
- Seth Hull
- Keith Jarvis
- Larry Kendall
- Linda McCain
- Melvin Meisberger
- Mark Meister
- Teresita Noah
- Tom Noah
- Eileen Ogden
- Bill Offinger
- Gary Patton
- Pavi Pathak Family
- Randy Simon
- Dolores Simon
- Pam Thomas
- Catherine Werner

Beginning in November we would like to begin a



**Food Pantry Ministry.** Each month we will list items that are needed by a local food pantry. We will keep the baskets available at all times and we will take them to the food pantry the first week of each month.  
**Suggested Items for November: Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Sweet Potatoes, Cake Mixes, Icing.**

## National Vocation

### Awareness Week

### Celebrated

### November 6-12, 2022

is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations. NVAW began in 1976 when the U. S. bishops designated the 28th Sunday of the year for NVAW. In 1997, this celebration was moved to coincide with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord.

### Prayer for Vocations

*O Holy Spirit, Spirit of wisdom and divine love, impart Your knowledge, understanding and counsel to our youth that they may know the vocation wherein they are called by God to serve. Give them courage and strength to follow Divine Will.*

*Guide their uncertain steps, strengthen their resolutions, shield their chastity, fashion their minds, conquer their hearts and lead them to the vineyards where they will labor in God's holy service. Amen*