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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 20, 2022 - Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe
November 24, 2022 - Thanksgiving Day (9AM)
November 27, 2022 - First Sunday of Advent***



November 20, 2022
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
“Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom”

“The Solemnity of Christ the King was established by, Pius XI in 1925 and, later, after the Second Vatican Council it was placed at the close of the liturgical year. The Gospel, according to Saint Luke presents, as in a great painting the kingship of Jesus at the moment of his crucifixion. The leaders of the people and the soldiers taunt ‘the firstborn of all creation’ and put him to the test to see whether he has the power to save himself from death. Yet precisely on the cross Jesus is exalted to the very ‘height’ of the God who is Love. It is there that he can be ‘known’. Jesus gives us life because he gives us God. He can give God because he himself is one with God. From the One who ‘is before all things, and in him all things hold together’ the so-called ‘Good Thief’ straight away receives forgiveness and the joy of entering the Kingdom of Heaven.... Jesus from the throne of the Cross welcomes every human being with infinite mercy.”—Pope Benedict XVI

Magnificat – November 2022

Sunday Readings

2 SM 5:1-3

You shall shepherd my people Israel; you shall be ruler over Israel.

Col 1:12-20

Christ is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation.

Luke 23:35-43

“Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.”

A Word from Pope Francis

Jesus’ promise to the good thief gives us great hope. It tells us that God’s grace is always greater than the prayer which sought it. The Lord....is so generous, he always gives more than what he has been asked. You ask him to remember you and he brings you into his kingdom!



Homily, Rome
November 24, 2013

Reflection Questions

- Do I trust Jesus to forgive all who sincerely seek forgiveness?
- Do I try to forgive others as Jesus forgives?

PRAYER

Merciful God, we are humbly grateful for your forgiveness and we ask for the grace to forgive those who have hurt us.

We pray in Jesus’ name. AMEN.

The Redemptorists



Bulletin Reflection:

In today’s Gospel, the Good Thief realized the error of his ways. Instead of just disregarding his errors, he turned to Jesus for forgiveness.

Living Stewardship – Pillar of Service

This week, in Thanksgiving for all God has done for you, do something for someone else. Perhaps help out with the cleaning after Thanksgiving dinner or serve at a food pantry.

General Intercession:

In Thanksgiving for all God has done for us and our parish.

We pray to the Lord...



Thanksgiving Day - Mass 9:00 AM
Heavenly Father, on Thanksgiving Day, we bow our hearts to You and pray. We give You thanks for all You've done, especially for the gift of Jesus, Your Son. For beauty in nature, Your glory we see, for joy and health, friends, and family.



November 27, 2022
First Sunday in Advent

“So will it be at the coming of the Son of Man. Two men will be out in the field; one will be taken and one will be left”

In the first Gospel of Advent, Christ reminds us to “stand ready”. The impervious, unprepared people “in Noah’s day were distracted by their “eating” and “drinking”, oblivious to the imminent flood. In what, then, does this Advent preparation consist? Putting on the Lord Jesus Christ through faith. “Encountering Christ, letting [ourselves] be caught up in and guided by his love, enlarges the horizons of existence gives it a firm hope which will not disappoint. Faith is no refuge for the fainthearted, but something which enhances our lives. It makes us aware of a magnificent calling, the vocation of love.... Faith is a lamp that guides our steps in the night and suffices for the journey” (Lumen Fidei, 53). “Let us walk in the light of the Lord!”

Magnificat, November 2022

Sunday Readings

Isaiah 2:1-5

In days to come....One nation shall not raise the sword against another....nor shall they train for war again.

Romans 13:11-14

Let us then throw off the works of darkness and put on the armor of light.

Matthew 24:37-44

Jesus said, “So too, you also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come.”

Reflection Questions

God comes every day to help us be our better selves.

- Have you experienced God’s presence in the goodness of others?
- Have you been a sign of God’s presence to those around you?

PRAYER Lord Jesus, so that the world may know of your presence among us, we pray—be born in us, born to our world.

We pray in Jesus’ name AMEN
The Redemptorists

A Word from Pope Francis

Keeping watch does not mean to have one’s eyes physically open but to have one’s heart free and facing the right direction, ready to give and to serve....in a concrete sense, being attentive to



our neighbors in difficulty, allowing oneself to be called upon by their needs,

*Angelus, Rome
December 1, 2019*



Bulletin Reflection:

In today’s Gospel, Jesus tells us to always stay on guard and to keep away from sin. We do not know the day or the hour when He comes back.

Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Hospitality

As we enter Advent, make a point to grow as a Christian and become a better person. Start by asking the Holy Spirit to guide you and help you become more hospitable to those around you.

General Intercession:

For our parish, that we may grow closer to the Lord this Advent.

We pray to the Lord...



November 6	\$4,034.00
November 13	1,595.00
Military Services	186.00
All Saints Day	360.00
Bishops Disaster Fund	335.00
Cemetery Fund	255.00
Campaign for Human Dev	10.00

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!

Thanksgiving Day Mass 9:00 AM



WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

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

MASS Intentions

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
Tues	Nov 22	8:00 AM	✠ Paul H. Wissel
Wed	Nov 23	8:00 AM	✠ St John's Parishioners
Thur	Nov 24	9:00 AM	✠ Paul Miller
Fri	Nov 25	No Mass	
Sat	Nov 26	8:00 AM	✠ Fr Binu & All Priests
Sat	Nov 26	6:00 PM	✠ Emily Mathes
Sun	Nov 27	7:30AM	✠ Steve Tunny
Tues	Nov 29	8:00 AM	✠ Paul H Wissel
Wed	Nov 30	8:00 AM	✠ St John's Parishioners
Fri	Dec 02	8:00 AM	✠ The Noah Family
Sat	Dec 03	8:00 AM	✠ Fr Binu & All Priests
Sat	Dec 03	6:00 PM	✠ Jim McCain
Sun	Dec 04	7:30AM	✠ Bill Purdy

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

	Nov 26 (6PM)	Nov 27 (7:30AM)
Coordinator	Ron Miller	Jeff Greiwe
Greeter	Steve Mathes	Bob Voegeli
Lector	Achleigh Simon	Sharon Voegeli
Eucharistic M	Ron Edinger	Andy Miller
	Dec 3 (6PM)	Dec 4 (7:30AM)
Coordinator	Sharon Voegeli	Ted Wissel
Greeter	Bob Voegeli	Steve Mathes
Lector	Jennifer Tunny	Andy Miller
Eucharistic M	Ron Miller	Jessica Gorman

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Preschool to Grade 5 - Wednesday, 6:45 PM

Nov 23 No Class, Nov 30 Class, Dec 7 Class

Junior High & High School - Sunday 8:30 AM

Nov 27 No Class, Dec 4, 11 Class

THE GOLDEN GATE CHOIR

A Christmas performance called "Mary, Did You Know" will be held on Sunday December 4th at 7:00 PM at the Damm Theatre. It is a free concert, but a free will donation will be gladly accepted.

Food Pantry Ministry



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Each month we will list items that are needed by a local food pantry. The baskets will be available at all times and be taken to the food pantry when full.

Suggested Items for November: Gravy, Cereal, Cranberry Sauce, Applesauce, Cake Mixes, Icing, Canned Fruit.

United Catholic Appeal



Being united today helps us

give others hope for tomorrow. Sacrifice makes our lives holy because we are giving back to God something that actually belongs to Him. We make a gift to Him of a gift He has already given to us. It is a good a beautiful thing.

Our Goal This Year - \$12,834



CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE

We are helping the Pregnancy Care Center of Southeast IN in Lawrenceburg and also the Sisters of St. Francis in Oldenburg this year with our parish Christmas giving tree. We need all the gifts returned by the weekend of December 10th and 11th. Thank you for helping these two organizations out during the Christmas season.



- 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
- Ethan Siegel
- Randy Simon
- Dolores Simon
- Pam Thomas
- Catherine Werner

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.