

Sacraments:

Infant Baptism -- Parents need to contact the pastor regarding instruction/preparation. The sacrament will be scheduled when the parents and pastor are in agreement that the family is ready for this experience.

Initiation of Adults & Older Children (RCIA): Contact the parish.

Reconciliation: Saturday at 4:00pm at Nativity or by appointment (watch bulletin for special reconciliation services).

Matrimony -- Engaged couples need to contact the pastor at least six months prior to the proposed wedding date. They need to participate in a series of instructions. They should make no final decision regarding the wedding date until they and the pastor are in agreement that they are ready for this experience. **Please do not set a wedding date prior to contacting the pastor.**

Sacrament of the Sick and/or Communion for the Sick -- Either the parishioner or a relative should contact the pastor whenever the parishioner is sick and wishes to receive communion or the Sacrament of the Sick.

Confirmation: Adult & Youth; preparation is required. Please contact the parish.

Parish registration: Registration cards are in the vestibule of the church.

Mass Schedules:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm at Nativity

Sunday: 9:00am at Nativity; 11:15am at St. John's

Daily: Wednesday through Friday at 11:00am at Nativity

Holy Days: see bulletin

Rosary: ½ hour before Mass on Sundays

Day	Date	Time	Feast	Mass Readings
Sun	09/08	9:00am / 11:15am	23 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Wis 9:13-18b / Phmn 9-10,12-17 / Lk 14:25-33
Mon	09/09	No Daily Mass	St. Peter Claver	Col 1:24—2:3 / Lk 6:6-11
Tues	09/10	No Daily Mass	23 rd Weekday in Ordinary Time	Col 2:6-15 / Lk 6:12-19
Wed	09/11	11am (NBVM)	23 rd Weekday in Ordinary Time	Col 3:1-11 / Lk 6:20-26
Thurs	09/12	11am (NBVM)	The Most Holy Name of Mary	Col 3:12-17 / Lk 6:27-38
Fri	09/13	11am (NBVM)	St. John Chrysostom, Bishop & Doctor	1 Tm 1:1-2,12-14 / Lk 6:39-42
Sat	09/14	No Daily Mass	Exaltation of the Holy Cross	Nm 21:4b-9 / Phil 2:6-11 / Jn 3:13-17
Sat	09/14	5:00pm (NBVM)	24 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Ex 32:7-11,13-14 / 1 Tm 1:12-17 / Lk 15:1-32
Sun	09/15	9:00am / 11:15am	24 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Ex 32:7-11,13-14 / 1 Tm 1:12-17 / Lk 15:1-32

Collection

Collection	NBVM	SJB
Budget per Week	[\$1,338.00]	[\$754.00]
5pm & 9am / 11:15am Sunday	\$1,001.50	\$397.00
Building Fund		\$10.00
Assumption of Mary		\$15.00

Mass Intentions: The intention for the Sunday Mass is for the whole parish.

Wednesday:
Thursday:
Friday:

Liturgical Ministers for – 09/14/19 & 09/15/19

	NBVM Vigil	NBVM Sunday	SJB Sunday
Server	Ron/Brandon	Hannah Hisey	Gracie/Pearl
Lector	TBA / Kevin	Angelique Hisey	Kim Bunnell
EME	Deacon Paul	Renee Stemper	Suzy Breeden
Music	Christina	Theresa & Paula	“Choir”
Hospitality	n/a	Please sign-up	Please sign-up

Bulletin: Announcements need to be received by Wednesday at 7pm for inclusion in that weekend’s bulletin. Items can be emailed to nbvm.sjb.bulletin@gmail.com or call Deacon Paul at 503-556-0511 or 503-396-8554.

"Yahweh is my Stength and my Shield; my heart has trusted in him."
(Psalm 28:7a)

Announcements

General:

We are looking for a volunteer who is willing to take on the voluntary ministry of business manager for Nativity and St. Johns. If you are interested, please contact Father Mark or a member of the finance council.

Deacon Paul will be gone for three weekends in October (Oct 5&6, Oct 12&13, and Oct 19& 20).

Father Mark will be at the annual priests’ convocation during the first week of October. There will be no daily Mass on Wednesday, October 2, Thursday, October 3, and Friday, October 4.

Nativity:

The Pastoral Council meets this Thursday at 6:00pm in the hall.

Bible Study – Bible Study meets on Wednesdays at 6:30pm in the hall. Topics for this fall include the “Didache” and salvation history.

St. Johns:

Phyllis Russelman would like to thank every who expressed “well wishes” to her and her husband

Ladies’ Bible Study & Reflection is on hiatus until September.

Sunday Parish Celebration of the Holy Eucharist

Christ the Lord instituted the Eucharistic sacrifice of his Body and Blood and entrusted it to the Church, his beloved Bride, as the memorial of his Passion and Resurrection. The other sacred actions and all the activities of the Christian life are bound up with it, flow from it, and are ordered to it.

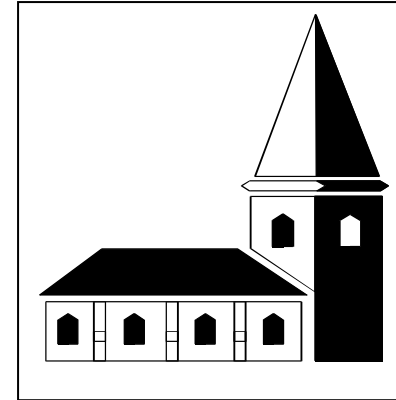
The celebration of the Mass is the action of Christ and the People of God hierarchically arrayed. It is the center of the whole Christian life for the Church both universal and local. In it is found the high point both of the action by which God sanctifies the world in Christ and of the worship that the human race offers to the Father, adoring him through Christ, the Son of God, in the Holy Spirit.

At the level of the Archdiocese as a whole, among all celebrations of the Holy Eucharist, a Mass at which the Archbishop presides in person as a successor to the Apostles in the particular Church is of prime importance.

As regards the individual parish, it follows from the nature of the Eucharist that the gathering of the faithful on Sunday for its celebration is the most important of all parish activities.

For their part, the faithful people, by reason of their Baptism into the Catholic Church, have a right to a Sunday celebration of the Eucharist that is carefully prepared beforehand in accordance with the liturgical and canonical norms of the Church, so that the texts and rites are selected with care, there is suitable and truly sacred music, the Word of God is properly and efficaciously proclaimed and explained, their faith is duly safeguarded and nourished by the words pronounced and sung in the celebration of the liturgy, and so that the celebration is carried out with sacred furnishings and vestments that are dignified, proper, and clean.

From the Archdiocesan Liturgical Handbook (Office of Divine Worship)
<https://archdpdx.org/divine-worship>



Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 8, 2019

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The mission of Nativity of the B.V.M. is to know, love, and serve our Lord, by knowing and loving and serving His people, and by being open to our responsibility to all humanity.

NBVM Volunteer Staff

Rev. Mr. (Deacon) Paul Cramer (Permanent Deacon, Bulletin, Communications, Call To Protect) - (503) 556-0511
Linda Bailey (Business Administrator (NBVM & SJB) - (360) 560-3460 (klondikehill@msn.com) **Paula Cramer** (Assistant)
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Tom Greer (Chair of Finance Council) - (503) 556-9571
Brenda Plourde (503-556-1708) / Anne Greer (503-5556-9571) (Liturgy & Environment)
Jewel Lee (Greeting Cards / RCIA) - (503) 410-6425
Ron Haley / Paula Cramer (Sacristans/Altar Linens)
Jackie Schiedler (Music Coordinator) - (503) 556-9690
Theresa Jones (Music – when available) - (503) 556-9137
Paula & Deacon Paul Cramer (Scheduling Use of Parish Buildings) - (503) 556-0511
Estrella Brown (Funeral Arrangements/Hospitality) - (503) 728-0249 or (971) 404-8472
Russ Lenoir (Maintenance-when Available)

St. John the Baptist

The mission of St. John the Baptist Parish is to be an involved witness to the Gospel, so that each of us may develop more fully our potential for spiritual growth, as we nurture and expand our parish family and help the community around us experience the Lord.

SJB Volunteer Staff

Sandy Hartley (Chair of Pastoral Council) - (503) 728-0413; **Suzie Breeden** (Vice-Chair) (503) 728-3045
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