

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: By appointment until further notice (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: 8:15am on Sundays / 4:15pm on Saturdays

Day	Date	Time	Feast	Mass Readings
Sun	04/17	9:00am / 11:15am	Easter Sunday	Acts 10:34a,37-43 / Col 3:1-4 / Jn 20:1-9
Mon	04/18	No Daily Mass	Easter Monday	Acts 2:14,22-33 / Mt 28:8-15
Tues	04/19	No Daily Mass	Easter Tuesday	Acts 2:36-41 / Jn 20:11-18
Wed	04/20	11:00am NBVM	Easter Wednesday	Acts 3:1-10 / Lk 24:13-35
Thurs	04/21	11:00am NBVM	Easter Thursday	Acts 3:11-26 / Lk 24:35-48
Fri	04/22	11:00am NBVM	Easter Friday	Acts 4:1-12 / Jn 21:1-14
Sat	04/23	No Daily Mass	Easter Saturday	Acts 4:13-21 / Mk 16:9-15
Sat	04/23	5:00pm NBVM	2 nd Sun Easter (Divine Mercy)	Acts 5:12-16 / Rev 1:9-11a,12-13,17-19 / Jn 20:19-31
Sun	04/24	9:00am / 11:15am	2 nd Sun Easter (Divine Mercy)	Acts 5:12-16 / Rev 1:9-11a,12-13,17-19 / Jn 20:19-31

Collection

Collection	NBVM	SJB
Budget per Week	[\$1,500.00]	[\$1,000.00]
5pm & 9am / 11:15am Sunday	\$1,405.00	\$720.00
Building (Savings) Fund	\$45.00	\$120.00

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

Wednesday:
Thursday:
Friday:

Liturgical Ministers for 04/24/2022

	NBVM Vigil	NBVM Sunday	SJB Sunday
Server	Ron Haley	Ron Haley	n/a
Lector	Brenda Plourde	Jewel Lee	Mannie Mustola
EME	Sacristan	Sacristan	Lloyd Hartley
Music	Volunteer	Volunteer	Stempers
Hospitality	n/a		n/a

Bulletin: Announcements need to be received by Wednesday at 7:00pm for inclusion in that weekend's bulletin. Items can be emailed to nbvm.sjb.bulletin@gmail.com or call Deacon Paul at 503-396-8554.

"Yahweh, the Most High, inspires awe, the great king rules over the earth." (Psalm 47:3)

Announcements

General:

Next Sunday there is a **second collection** for "The Catholic Home Missions."

Reconciliation—Parishioners can call Father Mark to make an appointment. You can also contact a neighboring parish to schedule time with a priest. [St. Frederic – 503-397-0148; St. Wenceslaus – 503-543-2110; St. Rose – 360-425-4660; St. Birgitta – 503-286-3929.]

Nativity:

All Parish Hospitality after Mass on Easter. Please bring something to share.

Bible Study is every Wednesday at 6:00pm in the hall. The focus will be on the Mass, followed by the history of Divine Mercy as presented by Father Chris Alar. For those interested, contact Connie Ramos at 503-998-9172.

Please don't forget to contribute to HOPE, especially during this time.

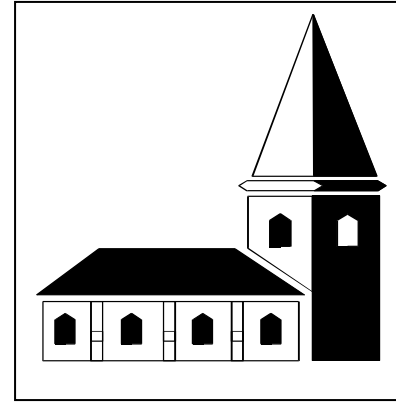
St. Johns:

Choir practice is before Mass on Sundays. Everyone interested in singing is encouraged to attend. **Please bring your missals and music issues.**

Don't forget to contribute to Turning Point, especially during this time.

“Since all our love for God is ultimately a response to His love for us, we can never love Him in the same way He loves us, namely, gratuitously. Since we are fundamentally dependent on God and in His debt for our creation and redemption, our love is always owed to Him, a duty, a response to His love. But we can love our neighbor in the same way that He loves us, gratuitously—not because of anything the neighbor has done for us or because of anything that we owe him, but simply because love has been freely given to us. We thereby greatly please the Father. God the Father tells Catherine [of Siena]: This is why I have put you among your neighbors: so that you can do for them what you cannot do for me—that is, love them without any concern for thanks and without looking for any profit for yourself. And whatever you do for them I will consider done for me.”

— Ralph Martin (an excerpt from Fulfillment of all Desire)



Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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Easter

April 17, 2022

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.

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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.

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