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MASS SCHEDULE
Immaculate Conception
 Sunday: 8:00 AM - The Holy Rosary 7:30 AM
 Wednesday: 6:00 PM
 Friday: 8:00 AM *Alternates with SJB
Saint John the Baptist
 Saturday: 5:00 PM - Reconciliation 3:30-4:30 PM
 Sunday: 10:00 AM - The Holy Rosary 9:30 AM
 Tuesday: 8:00 AM
 Thursday: 8:00 AM
 Friday 8:00 AM *Alternates with IC



WELCOME
 Immaculate Conception and St. John the Baptist Parishes are welcoming and faithful Catholic communities! We are so happy that you are here with us as part of our community or just visiting. If you are a new parishioner and would like to register or volunteer, please feel free to contact the parish office at 509-674-2531.

Sacraments:
Baptism: Baptisms are celebrated on the 2nd and 4th weekend of the month. Please contact the Parish Office.
First Holy Communion & Confirmation: For preparation for these Sacraments, please contact the Faith Formation Coordinator.
Holy Matrimony: Please contact Fr. Higuera at least six months in advance.
Reconciliation: Saturday 3:30—4:30 PM at SJB, Sunday 7:00—7:40 AM at IC or by appointment, please contact the Parish Office.
Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the Parish Office, especially for the home-bound and the hospitalized.

LITURGICAL ROLES Ministers of the Word

Saturday, October 6, 2018, 5:00 pm Mass (SJB)

Lector: Gerri
Communion Minister: Cheryl
Cup Ministers: Susan

Sunday, October 7, 2018, 8:00 am Mass (IC)

Lector: Rob
Communion Minister: Ann

Sunday, October 7, 2018, 10:00 am Mass (SJB)

Lector: Michelle
Communion Minister: Jan
Cup Ministers: Brenda
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MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday through Sunday

Dear Faithful Parishioners, would you like to have a Mass said in honor or memory of someone? It is easy! Simply email **Diane Moran**, imm.stjohns@gmail.com or call the Parish Office at 509-674-2531.

Please provide: **1)** the name of the person the Mass is for, **2)** whether they are living or deceased, **3)** your name and phone number, and **4)** your preferred date. We will try our best to accommodate you. Mass intentions can also be used to honor someone's birthday, anniversary or other special occasion. Suggested donation is \$10.00

READINGS FOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 7, 2018

Sun: **TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Gn 2:18-24 Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 Heb 2:9-11
Mk 10:2-16

Mon: Gal 1:6-12 Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c
Lk 10:25-37

Tues: Gal 1:13-24 Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15
Lk 10:38-42

Wed: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14 Ps 117:1bc, 2 Lk 11:1-4

Thurs: Gal 3:1-5 Luke 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75 Lk 11:5-13

Fri: Gal 3:7-14 Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 Lk 11:15-26

Sat: Gal 3:22-29 Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday, October 14th:

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Wis 7:7-11 Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 Heb 4:12-13
Mk 10:17-30

ONLINE GIVING HAS ARRIVED AT ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST & IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

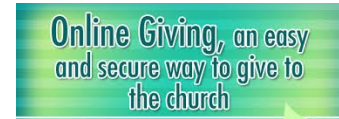
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- No need to write checks or bring cash to church.
- Peace-of-mind knowing that the church is receiving your contribution even if you are unable to attend.
- More secure than checks.
- All contributions are recorded for you on your bank statement with date of settlement.
- IT COSTS YOU NOTHING!

HOW DO I GET STARTED:

Visit our website: icsjbparishes.org and click on "ACCESS ONLINE GIVING"

If you have been receiving envelopes and do **not** want to receive envelopes, please contact the book keeper at the Parish Office.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

The exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is offered every Friday of the month alternating at SJB and IC, from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm. Please sign-up at the back of the parishes. **Oct. 12—SJB**

MINISTER TRAINING

Saturday, Oct. 13, 8:30 am—1:00 pm SJB

All current and new Extraordinary Ministers, Sacristans and Lectors. This is an opportunity to participate in the Mass in a way that is both helpful and fulfilling. Lunch will be included. **Please register in advance on our website at icsjbparishes.org**

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GOSPEL REFLECTION



In today's Gospel, the Pharisees try to trap Jesus with a trick questions. The "lawfulness" of divorce in Israel was never an issue. Moses had long ago allowed it but Jesus points His enemies back before Moses, to "the beginning" interpreting the text we hear in today's first reading. Divorce violates the order of creation, He

says. Moses permitted it only as a concession to the people's "hardness of heart"—their inability to live by God's covenant Law. But Jesus comes to fulfill the Law, to reveal its true meaning and purpose and to give people the grace to keep God's commands. Marriage, He reveals, is a sacrament, divine, life-giving sign. Through the union of husband and wife, God intended to bestow His blessing on the human family—making it fruitful, multiplying it until it filled the earth. That's why today's Gospel moves so easily from debate about marriage to Jesus' blessing of children. Children are blessings the Father bestows on couples who walk in His ways, as we sing today's Psalm. Marriage also is a sign of God's new covenant. As today's Epistle hints, Jesus is the new Adam—made a little lower than the angels, born of a human family. The Church is the new Eve, the "woman" born of Christ's pierced side as He hung in the sleep of death on the cross. Through the union of Christ and the Church as "one flesh", God's plan for the world is fulfilled. Eve was "mother of all the living" And in Baptism, we are made sons and daughter of the Church, children of the Father, heirs of the eternal glory He intended for the human family in the beginning. The challenge for us is to live as children of the kingdom, growing up ever more faithful in our love and devotion to the ways of Christ and the teachings of His Church.

Scott W. Hahn is an American Roman Catholic theologian. Hahn's popular works include Rome Sweet Home and The Lamb's Supper: The Mass as Heaven on Earth. His lectures have been featured in multiple audio distributions through Lighthouse Catholic Media.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP Weekend of September 30, 2018

**Don't forget your envelope*

Average projected weekly cost to operate SJB:	\$2,484.82
Offertory Collection for SJB:	\$1,241.00
Online Giving for SJB—Sept.	\$1,625.00
Average projected weekly cost to operate IC:	\$1,992.31
Offertory Collection for IC:	\$1,866.25
Online Giving for IC—Sept.	\$1,470.00

Thank you for your continued support!

UPCOMING EVENTS/MEETINGS

FAITH FORMATION— DEBBIE CERNICK 509-674-2531 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

- **Elementary** class meets on most Wednesdays, 3:15pm - 4:30pm at St. John's.
- **Middle School** class has been cancelled due to lack of students. Parents interested in the class being reinstated should contact Debbie at 674-2531.
- **High School class** meets most Sundays 6-7:45pm at St. John's.
- **First Communion** preparation classes begin this **Sunday, October 7, 5:00 pm, at Immaculate Conception Church.** Parents of students 1st grade and older, interested in this program should contact Debbie immediately, 674-2531 or FaithFormation.icsjb@gmail.com

CELEBRATION OF FAITH—SATURDAY, OCT. 13 YAKIMA CONVENTION CENTER

The Central Washington Catholic Foundation has awarded our parishes with a "Parish Religious Education Program Award" for the upcoming school year. We will use these funds to prepare for the start of a wonderful school year. If you would like to support this foundation, attend the event or donate, please go online at www.cwccatholicfoundation.org.

HOLY SPIRIT LIBRARY—ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH HALL

"Learning and Living the Faith"

Book Suggestion: *Father Solanus The Story of Solanus Casey .O.F.M.Cap.* by Catherine M. Odell

"He was a simple Capuchin priest who worked most of his life as a monastery doorkeeper, yet in his eighty-six years, this unassuming monk was a conduit of God's loving mercy and healing. During his lifetime, Father Solanus Casey was often heralded as a 20th-century saint and on July 11, 1995, Pope John Paul II declared him to be "venerable", the first official step toward sainthood. People flocked to him. Those looking for cures from cancer, heart disease, tuberculosis. Those seeking help for broken marriages, broken hearts, and broken lives Those wanting to find spiritual health and renewal. To each person, Father Solanus brought an aura of God's goodness and grace. In showing others that a life-giving faith and a love of God can be both powerful and simple, Father Solanus is a source of encouragement and a model of virtue for the modern world." --Our Sunday Visitor

About the Author: Catherine M. Odell has been a writer in the Catholic press for eighteen years. She is the author of Our Sunday Visitor's Those Who Saw Her and The First Human Right

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