

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	03/17	10:00am (NBVM)	2 nd Sunday of Lent	Gn 15:5-12,17-18 / Phil 3:17—4:1 / Lk 9:28b-36
Mon	03/18	No Daily Mass	St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Doctor	Dn 9:4b-10 / Lk 6:36-38
Tues	03/19	No Daily Mass	St. Joseph, Husband of Mary	2 Sm 7:4-5a,12-14a,16 / Rom 4:13,16-18,22 / Mt 1:16,18-21,24a
Wed	03/20	11am (NBVM)	2 nd Weekday of Lent	Jer 18:18-20 / Mt 20:17-28
Thurs	03/21	11am (NBVM)	2 nd Weekday of Lent	Jer 17:5-10 / Lk 16:19-31
Fri	03/22	11am (NBVM)	2 nd Weekday of Lent	Gn 37:3-4,12-13a,17b-28a / Mt 21:33-43,45-46
Sat	03/23	No Daily Mass	2 nd Weekday of Lent	Mi 7:14-15,18-20 / Lk 15:1-3,11-12
Sat	03/23	5:00pm (NBVM)	3 rd Sunday of Lent	Ex 17:3-7 / Rom 5:1-2,5-8 / Jn 4:5-42
Sun	03/24	9:00am / 11:15am	3 rd Sunday of Lent	Ex 17:3-7 / Rom 5:1-2,5-8 / Jn 4:5-42

Collection

Collection	NBVM	SJB
Budget per Week	[\$1,338.00]	[\$754.00]
5pm & 9am / 11:15am Sunday	\$1,053.86	\$349.00
Ash Wednesday	\$335.65	\$130.00
Turning Point (Feb)		67 lbs

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

Wednesday:
Thursday:
Friday:

Liturgical Ministers for – 03/23/19 to 03/24/19

	NBVM Vigil	NBVM Sunday	SJB Sunday
Server	Ron Haley	Emma Hisey	Gracie/Pearl
Lector	TBA	Gary Schiedler	Kathy Reandeau
EME	Deacon Paul	Chris Stemper	Carol Sluder
Music	TBA	Jackie & Paula	“Choir”
Hospitality	n/a	Please sign up	Rochon & Bunnel families

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.

"Remember your tenderness, Yahweh, and your constant love: they are from eternity."
 (Psalm 25:6)

Announcements

General:

Please remember the “**donation cups**” for collecting change during Lent (Turning Point for SJB and HOPE for NBVM). Contributions will be put into the “**poor box**” on Palm Sunday.

Stations of the Cross on Fridays during Lent: **6:00pm at St. Johns** and **6:30pm at Nativity**; followed by a Lenten meal in the hall.

Reconciliation Service – Wednesday, April 3, at 6:30pm at Nativity. Fr. Chuck Wood from St. Wenceslaus in Scappoose will be assisting Fr. Mark. This will be preceded by a potluck at 5:30pm

On the 3rd, 4th, and 5th Sundays of Lent, we will be hearing from Year A as found in Today’s Missal.

Ivan Jones’ funeral will be March 30 at 12 noon at Nativity. The rosary will be at 11:00am. There is a sign-up sheet at Nativity to bring either dessert or salad.

Nativity:

“Silent Prayer Intention” cards are in the back of the church. Each card has the name of a family who you will pray for during Lent. This is done anonymously. Everyone is asked to pray for at least one family during Lent.

Bible Study – Bible Study is on hold until sometime after Easter.

St. Johns:

Ladies’ Bible Study & Reflection is on Thursdays. Adoration is at 9:45am in the Church. After Adoration, everyone meets at Kathy’s. If interested, call Kathy Reandeau at 503-728-3149.

Musicians, Singers, and Choir Members

All pastoral musicians - professional or volunteer, full-time or part-time, director or choir member, cantor or instrumentalist - exercise a genuine liturgical ministry. The community of the faithful has a right to expect that this service will be provided competently. Pastoral musicians should receive appropriate formation that is based on their baptismal call to discipleship; that grounds them in a love for and knowledge of Scripture, Catholic teaching, liturgy, and music; and that equips them with the musical, liturgical, and pastoral skills to serve the Church at prayer.

Liturgical musicians are first of all disciples, and only then are they ministers. Joined to Christ through the sacraments of initiation, musicians belong to the assembly of the baptized faithful; they are worshipers above all else. Like other baptized members of the assembly, pastoral musicians need to hear the Gospel, experience conversion, profess faith in Christ, and so proclaim the praise of God. Thus, musicians who serve the Church at prayer are not merely employees or volunteers. They are ministers who share the faith, serve the community, and express the love of God and neighbor through music.

Choir members, like all liturgical ministers, should exercise their ministry with evident faith and should participate in the entire liturgical celebration, recognizing that they are servants of the liturgy and members of the gathered assembly.

Preparation for the celebration of the Sacred Liturgy, and particularly for the selection of what is to be sung at the Liturgy is ultimately the responsibility of the pastor and of the priest who will celebrate the Mass. At the same time, "in planning the celebration of Mass, [the priest] should have in mind the common spiritual good of the people of God, rather than his own inclinations."

In the dioceses of the United States of America, musicians, singers, and choir members may wear the alb and cincture, other suitable vesture, or other appropriate and dignified clothing.

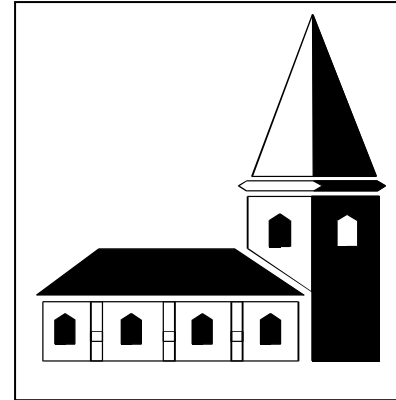
Sacristans and Ushers

The sacristan carefully arranges the liturgical books, the vestments, and other things necessary in the celebration of Mass. It is appropriate for those who care for sacred vessels, linens and other things used in the liturgy to accompany their work with prayer.

The Order for Blessing Altar Servers, Sacristans, Musicians, and Ushers may be used when sacristans and ushers first begin their service.

From the Archdiocesan Liturgical Handbook (Office of Divine Worship)

<https://archdpdx.org/divine-worship>



Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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2nd Sunday of Lent

March 17, 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

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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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