

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	01/17	9:00am / 11:15am	2 nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	1 Sm 3:3b-10,19 / 1 Cor 6:13c-15a,17-20 / Jn 1:35-42
Mon	01/18	No Daily Mass	2 nd Weekday in Ordinary Time	Heb 5:1-10 / Mk 2:18-22
Tues	01/19	No Daily Mass	2 nd Weekday in Ordinary Time	Heb 6:10-20 / Mk 2:23-28
Wed	01/20	11:00am NBVM	St. Fabian, Pope & Martyr	Heb 7:1-3,15-17 / Mk 3:1-6
Thurs	01/21	11:00am NBVM	St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr	Heb 7:25—8:6 / Mk 3:7-12
Fri	01/22	11:00am NBVM	2 nd Weekday in Ordinary Time	Heb 8:6-13 / Mk 3:13-19
Sat	01/23	No Daily Mass	St. Marianne Cope	Heb 9:2-3,11-14 / Mk 3:20-21
Sat	01/23	5:00pm (NBVM)	3 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jon 3:1-5,10 / 1 Cor 7:29-31 / Mk 1:14-20
Sun	01/24	9:00am / 11:15am	3 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jon 3:1-5,10 / 1 Cor 7:29-31 / Mk 1:14-20

Collection

Collection	NBVM	SJB
Budget per Week	[\$1,338.00]	[\$754.00]
5pm & 9am / 11:15am Sunday	\$975.00	\$523.00
Building (Savings) Fund		\$20.00

Liturgical Ministers for – as available

	NBVM Vigil	NBVM Sunday	SJB Sunday
Server			
Lector			
EME			
Music			
Hospitality	n/a	n/a	n/a

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

Wednesday:
Thursday:
Friday:

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.

"Turn away from evil and do good; search for peace and pursue it." (Psalm 34:15)

Announcements

General:

A reminder that daily Mass has resumed: Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at 11:00am at Nativity. Masks and distancing are still the expectation, and safety protocols are the same as for the weekend Masses.

Father Mark wants to remind everyone of the expectation that those attending Mass must sign up and wear a mask. Following the guidelines from the Archdiocese is important if we want to keep our churches open.

Missals are available if folks wish to take one home. They are especially helpful to those individuals who are unable to attend Mass due to Covid-19.

Contribution envelopes for next year are available. They are in the hall. Please contact the parish office to make arrangements to pick yours up.

To maintain safety, there is limited space in the church to ensure safe physical distancing. Therefore, attendance is kept, and you need to sign-up to attend a particular weekend Mass. For Nativity contact Ron Haley at 503-396-1212, and for St. Johns contact Kathy Reandean at 503-728-3149. Please note that face masks are currently required. See Fr. Mark for additional information or questions.

Nativity:

Bible Study – Bible Study meets every Wednesday at 6:30pm in the hall. Physical distancing is in place. Attendance is limited to about 6-7 individuals. Please contact William Stahl at 503-556-3717 for details.

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

St. Johns:

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

Funerals - Introduction

Holy Mother Church who, by her preaching, generates to a new and immortal life the children who are born to her in Baptism, and nourishes them by the sacraments during their earthly pilgrimage, accompanies each of them at his journey's end, in order to surrender him "into the Father's hands." She offers to the Father, in Christ, the child of his grace, and she commits to the earth, in hope, the seed of the body that will rise in glory.

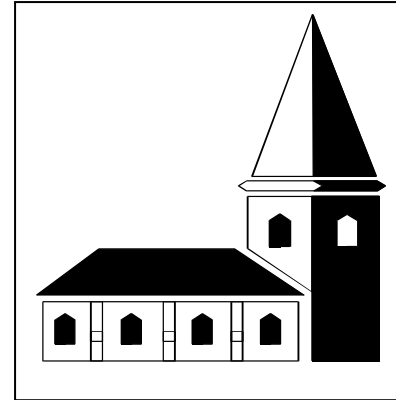
For the Christian, the day of death inaugurates, at the end of the sacramental life, the fulfillment of the new birth begun at Baptism, the definitive "conformity" to "the image of the Son" conferred by the anointing of the Holy Spirit, and participation in the feast of the Kingdom which was anticipated in the Eucharist - even if final purifications are still necessary in order to be clothed with the nuptial garment of eternal joy and salvation.

The Christian funeral confers neither a sacrament nor a sacramental on the deceased, who has passed beyond the sacramental economy. It is nonetheless a liturgical celebration of the whole Church, who celebrates funeral rites to offer worship, praise, and thanksgiving to God for the gift of a life that has now been returned to God, the author of life and the hope of the just. The ministry of the Church in this instance aims at expressing efficacious communion with the deceased, at the participation in that communion of the community gathered for the funeral, and at the proclamation of eternal life to the community.

Ecclesiastical funerals, by which the Church seeks spiritual support for the deceased, honors their bodies, and at the same time brings the solace of hope to the living, must be celebrated according to the norm of the liturgical laws.

As soon as possible after the notification of death, the priest should call on the bereaved, whether at home or in the hospital, to console them and pray with them. In the absence of a priest, a deacon or members of the parish who are suitably prepared for this ministry are encouraged to share in this responsibility.

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 in Ordinary Time

January 17, 2021

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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