



# St. John THE Baptist

CATHOLIC PARISH

MAY 8, 2022 | FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



# CONFIRMATION

## 2022

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# PRAYER | WORSHIP

## LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

**TUESDAY, MAY 10**  
8:30 AM Ray Greisinger

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 11**  
8:30 AM Mary M Johnson

**THURSDAY, MAY 12**  
8:30 AM Susan Fisher

**FRIDAY, MAY 13**  
8:30 AM Willard Naze

**SATURDAY, MAY 14**  
4:30 PM Jean Haynes

**SUNDAY, MAY 15**  
8:00 AM People of the Parish  
10:00 AM Joseph Kurer

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

MAY 15TH | FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Reading I: Acts 14:21-27

Reading II: Revelation 21:1-5a

Gospel: John 13:31-33a, 34-35

## SCHEDULE OF WORSHIP

### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday–Friday: 8:30 AM

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday–Friday, 7:00 AM to 8:00 AM

First Thursday: 9:00 AM to 7:30 PM  
(Holy Hour at 6:30 PM)

Third Thursday: 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM

### PRIVATE PRAYER

Monday–Friday, Noon to 1:00 PM

### COMMUNITY ROSARY

Monday–Friday: 8:00 AM

Sunday: 7:30 AM



### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 9:30–10:30 AM  
(or by appointment)

### BAPTISM

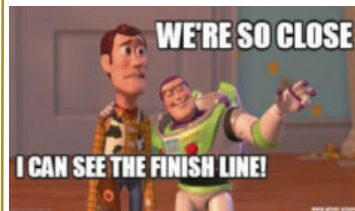
Baptism Class is offered each month and is required prior to Baptism.

Register by calling the Parish Office.

### MARRIAGE

Contact the Parish Office at least eight months in advance.

## BISHOP'S APPEAL UPDATE



The final goal after the school credit is: \$141,149

Amount Received to date: \$111,775

Number of gifts received: 440

Amount remaining to goal: \$29,374

*We are almost to our goal!  
Thank you!*

*Do you have a prayer request for yourself or a loved one?*



Go to: [www.sjbh.org](http://www.sjbh.org) & click on the tab titled, "Prayer Requests." Fill in your prayer request and it will be sent to Ruth Holloway.

She will share your request for prayer with the parish staff only and they will remember you in prayer during their team meetings and personal prayer time.

Prayer is powerful! Let us pray for you and with you.

## STEWARDSHIP OF SHARING

### WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Envelopes	\$ 18,037.00
Online Giving	\$ 1,691.80
Loose Collection	\$ 1,894.26
Children's Collection	\$ 468.00
April 1st EFT	<u>\$ 14,032.00</u>
	\$ 36,123.06



# Parish News & Updates



**St. John**  
**THE Baptist**  
CATHOLIC PARISH

The intent of the Active Membership movement is to accompany you as members of the Catholic Church at St. John the Baptist on our journey toward heaven. Just as any journey has a route that must be taken, the Church has given us a “basic roadmap” for what active membership in the Church looks like. These ways of life are not given to us to be oppressive, but rather to be liberating as we work together for the common good of our families, Church, community, and world. Please join with us in dialogue through this journey. Let us rally together in becoming Saints through our words and deeds!

## Our Mission:

*As friends and followers of Jesus, we help ourselves and our communities to visibly live out discipleship through the mission and ministry of the Catholic Church.*

## Member Expectations

As your parish, we promise:

- To provide faithful and inspiring worship services that are centered on the Word and Sacraments.
- To provide education and faith formation that helps all members to grow as disciples of Jesus.
- To create an atmosphere of generous hospitality where all are received with kindness, dignity, and respect, and our buildings & grounds are safe, clean, and beautifully maintained.
- To provide pastoral care to our parish and aid to our community in a variety of ways.
- To be open to dialogue about current and future ministry planning.
- To be good stewards of your financial gifts.

As an active member of our parish family, we ask you:

- To worship regularly with our faith community by attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.
- To grow in faith through personal prayer and devotions.
- To participate in the Sacramental life of the church.
- To volunteer your time and talents in service to our parish and community.
- To tithe your financial resources to support the mission of the church.
- To grow as a disciple by inviting others into relationship with Christ and His Church.



Contact Sarah Wulf at  
swulf@sjbh.org or 920-434-2145  
ext. 213 with any questions.

## **NEW SJB ROSARY CENTER**

Over the years, we have had an area in a narthex kiosk that contains donated rosaries for anyone to take and use. Recently, we have had a parishioner who has noticed this and would like to take it one step further! He would like to accept your old or broken rosaries or ones that you no longer use. He will take them and repair or repurpose them into beautiful new rosaries for our parish family. He will be utilizing the space in the kiosk where the rosaries currently are. He will display them for you to use and return or to take as a gift. There will be a basket in the drawer below this space to drop off your donated rosaries. We do ask that you keep this area clear of any other items, so that he is able to utilize this space for this ministry. He is doing this anonymously in honor of someone he loves greatly and forever including our Blessed Mother and asks that you keep our parish family in your prayers. What a wonderful gift he is giving to our parish family!



# Congratulations to all our First Communicants!!



May you always know the  
peace of Jesus,  
the light of his love,  
& the joy of his life within you.



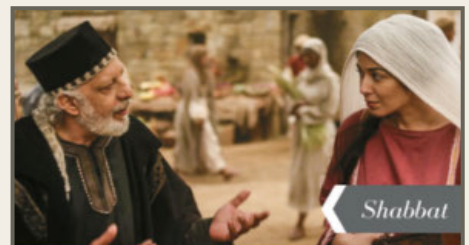
## This week at our Parish & School

### Committee Meetings this week open to all!

Catholic Women / Christian Mothers	Thursday	6:00pm	Commons
Pastoral Council	Thursday	6:30pm	Narthex



If you would like more information on any of our committees or how to get involved, please reach out to Ashley in the parish office at: (920) 434-2145.



### FRIDAY, MAY 6TH

If you haven't made it to one of these evenings yet, here is your personal invite! The evening will begin with an optional meal followed by the showing of the episode "Shabbat" and conclude with guided discussion. Join us from 6:00 - 8:30 pm and bring your family & friends along!

For more info & to save your seat - visit [sjbh.org/chosen](http://sjbh.org/chosen)

The  
**CHOSEN**

STOP ON BY THE NARTHEX AFTER EITHER MASS THIS SUNDAY, MAY 15TH  
FOR FELLOWSHIP SUNDAY HOSTED BY OUR BUILDING & GROUNDS COMMITTEE.





# Upcoming Events & Opportunities



On Sunday, June 5, 2022, The Holy Spirit will be selecting new Pastoral Council Members to replace several current members whose terms have expired.

The Pastoral Council committee mission is: *Guided by the Holy Spirit, we will do God's Will by fulfilling our parish mission and making a salvific impact in our community.*

The commitment is for a three-year term, which involves attending monthly council meetings on the 2nd Thursday of the month, or any other special events sponsored by the council.

"May you trust God that you are exactly where you are meant to be."  
~ St. Teresa of Avila

If you are interested and also would like more information, please contact Diana Ball at: 920-264-7735 or [balldar@new.rr.com](mailto:balldar@new.rr.com)



The first Millennial Meetup is right around the corner!!! Looking to establish more friendships within the St. John's community and with other young Catholics? Look no further!

What better way to get to know fellow parishioners and others in your age group than by gathering together over some beverages? The first Millennial Meetup will take place on Friday, May 20th, 2022 at Townline on Lineville starting at 6:00 PM. RSVP is appreciated but not required:

<https://forms.gle/Hn5WApuxX5K5R44c6>

This is an informal get together, so stop by, grab yourself a beverage and some food, and get ready to create new friendships over great conversation! *If you can't make it this month, save the date for our next Millennial Meetup on June 24th.*

## Pastoral Ministries at St. John's

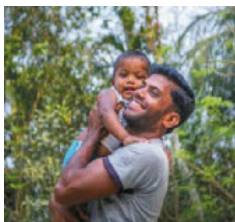


THE  
NUMBERS  
ARE IN!!!

Thank you to everyone who supported the CRS rice bowl almsgiving program this past Lent.

**We raised \$3,937.19.**

25% will stay in the diocese, and 75% will be distributed to those in need through CRS programs in other parts of the world.



### Cleaning out those old bikes?

For many on the margins, a simple bicycle is their only steady, reliable transportation to work, school, appointments, and other events. Spokes of Hope, sponsored by *Whatsoeveryou do, Inc.* will make sure the bikes are in good working condition, but they need bikes!!

If you have any new/gently used adult bikes that can easily be repaired with new tires or tubes, adjusted brakes, or other simple adjustments, please consider making a donation to our Spokes of Hope Program.

We will collect your bikes on May 21<sup>st</sup> from 8-12pm at SJB in the parking lot off Cardinal Ln! Bay Trailer Depot will provide us with a covered trailer with a lock to store the bikes until they can be dropped off at St. Vincent de Paul on Monday.

*Thank you, Bay Trailer Depot!*

If you have any questions, please contact Jessica Perez @ [jesa\\_99@yahoo.com](mailto:jesa_99@yahoo.com) Sponsored by *Whatsoever You Do, Inc.* A 501(c) 3 organization in Green Bay, WI. More information at <http://whatsoeveryou do.us> and your SJB Social Concerns Team.

# Faith Formation

2022-2023

## Faith Formation Registration

**NOW OPEN!**

Visit [sjbh.org](http://sjbh.org) for online registration forms, tuition prices, and what's new for the coming year!



## TOTUS TUUS

Totus Tuus is a week-long program led by young Catholic adults to bring the youth closer to Jesus through Mary. Students learn about the rich Catholic faith through prayer, skits, songs, games and Sacraments.

**July 31-August 5**

ENTERING GRADE 1-6

MONDAY-FRIDAY 9 AM - 2:30 PM

\$35 PER CHILD | \$99 MAX PER FAMILY  
(Bring a bagged lunch)

ENTERING GRADE 7-12

SUNDAY-THURSDAY 7 PM - 9 PM

\$20 PER TEEN

\$12 TOTUS TUUS 2022 T-SHIRT

Registration form available online at [sjbh.org](http://sjbh.org) or in the Narthex & Faith Formation Office.

**Only 60 spots available, sign up soon!**



*A  
Mother's  
Day  
Prayer to  
Honor  
and Bless  
Moms*

Heavenly Father,

I speak this prayer to you now in gratitude and praise for the gift of mothers. My mother, those of my friends, relatives, those I'll never know, all mothers.

Thank you for the role they play in the family unit. Thank you for their teachings, their wisdom, their patience, and understanding. Thank you for the physical, emotional, and spiritual gifts they possess.

I pray that you help mothers all across the world to be a blessing upon their children. Whether delivering affirmation or discipline, I pray that you help every word and action to be done in love. And I pray that children throughout the world would take time to honor their mothers, that you would show them how to uniquely do so.

I pray that these mothers also act as a blessing beyond their households, reaching into their extended families, communities, churches, schools.

May you guide each of them into fulfilling their purpose here on Earth.  
Amen.

# Christ is Risen

EASTER 2022



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God than I ever  
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You can download Hallow in the App Store or go to [Hallow.com](http://Hallow.com) to create an account.

"The Hallow app is an attempt to share these prayer techniques – the same ones that changed my life – with as many people as we can. We believe that prayer and meditation has the power to change the world. We believe that if we let Him, God will hallow – meaning "make holy" – our lives."

-Alex Jones, CEO of Hallow

## St Vincent de Paul Corner!



Today, we celebrate "Good Shepherd Sunday" where we reflect on the care and love of Jesus for us.

Have you considered answering the call to "help the poor and recognizing the Lord in their life" by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul? Help is needed in all the stores, please volunteer as your schedule permits. Help is especially needed on the loading dock accepting donations.

Want to get involved? Call our conference President Nicole Koehler at: (920) 664-3977



# PARISH INFORMATION

## STAFF & CONTACTS

### PASTORAL TEAM

**Pastor**  
Rev. James W. Lucas | Ext. 211

**Parochial Vicar**  
Rev. Raja Selvam

**Deacons**  
Manny Torres & Nick Williams

**Business Administrator**  
Sarah Wulf | Ext. 213

**Bookkeeper**  
Lisa Piechota | Ext. 202

**Pastoral Minister**  
Ruth Holloway | Ext. 209

**Pastoral Ministry Assistant**  
Jennifer Garcia | Ext. 560

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Karen Buchinger | Ext. 232

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Paul Peot | ppeot@sjbh.org

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Lynn McKean | Ext. 208

**Business Administrative Assistant**  
Ashley Prokash | Ext. 201

### FAITH FORMATION

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Mike Iversen | Ext. 210

**Grades 1-5 & First Sacraments**  
Kylie Rogers | Ext. 205

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**Manager**  
Bill Wulf | Ext. 245

### PARISH TRUSTEES


**Secretary-Trustee** | Becky Bond  
**Treasurer-Trustee** | Jeff Taylor

### COUNCIL CHAIRS

**Pastoral Council** | Diana Ball  
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**Finance Council** | John Style  
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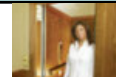
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