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ONE FAITH COMMUNITY

JANUARY 16, 2022



2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." - Jn 2:1-3

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ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass Schedule

Saturday

4:30pm Mass

Sunday

7:00am Mass

11:00am Mass

Weekdays

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

8:00am Mass

Confession Schedule

Saturday | 3:30pm

15 minutes before Daily Masses

Office of Religious Education & Youth Ministry

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OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Mass Schedule

Sunday

9:00am | Mass

Tuesday

5:30pm | Confession

6:00pm | Mass

Daughters of Mary Sisters

Sr. Mary Ann Diaz and

Sr. Fe Bista "Ping"

LITURGICAL LIFE

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday:

1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday:

1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday:

1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday:

1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

Friday:

1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

Saturday:

2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday:

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/ Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Monday: St. Anthony, Abbot

Tuesday: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Thursday: St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr

Friday: St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr

Saturday: Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

God delights in you. How do you feel when you hear that? Delight usually comes with an exuberant flow of joy that seemingly arises from one's toes with the expression of great glee. Reflecting upon the deep measure of joy God has in us can be a source of joy for ourselves. Delight is infectious. A very young brother and sister were playing on the beach when the all too familiar ice cream truck made its daily rounds. The boy shook with excitement and delight as he took his sister's hand and exclaimed, "The ice cream man is here, isn't it great!" As they ran off toward the truck, one could hear the girl reply, "Yeah, I can't wait!" The experience of a child's delight in something so simple as ice cream, lifts our spirits from our burdens and transports us to the lighter, more innocent side of life.

Life is not meant to be a burden. Believe it or not, God actually wants us to be happy! In fact, the wedding feast at Cana shows us that God even puts His blessing on our happiness. It is okay to celebrate the wonder of ourselves and others. Life is good. It is always interesting to note that Jesus saves the good wine until last. You would think it would be the other way around. The superb quality of Jesus' wine points to the superior quality of life we find in Christ. It is not a life of burdens but a life of wonder and delight! In Christ, we are lifted from the superficial and mundane to a life of purpose, hope, and love.

God is with us through the long haul, through the challenges and sorrows as well as the successes and accomplishments. In spite of the fact that we often wander from the path, God's celebratory delight in us remains. As spouses are asked to remain faithful to each other through whatever life brings, God remains faithful too. This promise remains through this life and into the next. All we have to do is take the advice of Jesus' mother to heart when she says, "Listen to him." This wisdom saves us from foolishly giving in to the illusion that we can make better wine than Jesus.
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CATHOLICISM and COOKIES

Bible Study

beginning Monday, January 17th
at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall

We will use the ten week designed DVD Bible Study program by Bishop Robert Barron titled CATHOLICISM.

Cookie treats and drinks will be provided.

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Handmaids are beginning a new Bible Series entitled
Jesus: The Way, the Truth and the Life
on Thursday, January 20th @ 6:00 pm in classroom 2.

LITURGICAL AND PRAYER LIFE



SANCTUARY LIGHT: January 15-21

The Sanctuary Light at SJB will burn in memory of **Bob Hanchey**

The Adoration Chapel will burn in memory of **Henry Kliebert**

The Sanctuary Light at OLA will burn in memory of **Georgia Honore**

In Sympathy

Our Communities

of Faith extend our sympathy and prayerful support for the family of:

Marie Simoneaux, mother of Peggy Amato,

May the Lord grant comfort and peace to this family. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Amen

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Saturday: 1/15: Mark Rioux, Celeria Ranatza, Austin Hollingsworth, Bruce Pitre, Luke Everett Fontenot, Dennis Delatorre, Dana Baker Othmer, Louis Baker, Jr., Kay & Charles Pelletier, Bob Arceneaux, Judy Patriquin, Berly Gordy, Jeff Schwindman, Capone/Grob family, Scruggs/Kennedy family, Bob & Gerry Anderson, Gene Appleton, Iris & Abner Travasos, Stuart & Lou Plauche', L.C. Riche, Renee Fontenot, Thomas Rabalais, Henry Kliebert, Michael Millican

Sunday: 1/16:

7:00 AM: Luke Everett Fontenot, Celeria Ranatza, Phillip Larsen, Henry Kliebert, Mary Jane & Newman Matte, Lucy Maggio, Jimmie McKenzie, Brad Vince, Dana Parmelee, Nancy Sunderman-Elert, Cyndy Greschak, Rusty Hagan, William & Natalino Whitley, Engle-Rissler families

9:00 AM: Little & Davis families, Georgia Honore, Dr. John Piker, Evelyn Beauchamp, Leslie Ligon, Joan Abraham, Irma Laird, Ann O'Brien, Flora Rivette, Sonya Watson

11:00 AM: Karen Babin, Bernadine Nugent, Carl Boudreaux, "Mickey" Martin, Charles Rissler, Joe Anzalone Family, Tyler Craig, Johnny Wales, Marie Simoneaux

Tuesday: 1/18: Celeria Ranatza, Eural Hingle, Michael Martin, Irma Laird, Evelyn Beauchamp, Bobbye Lovelady

Wednesday: 1/19: Betty & Fred Litchliter, Celeria Ranatza, Dana Parmelee

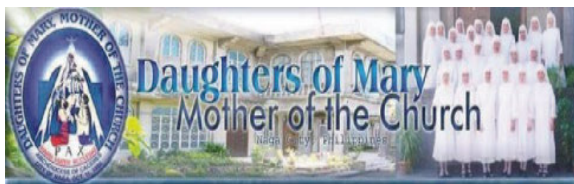
Thursday: 1/20: Celeria Ranatza, Dana Parmelee, Luke Everett Fontenot

Friday: 1/21: Celeria Ranatza, Jimmie McKenzie, Don Metcalf, Karen Cooper, Fr. Joseph Doyle, Dana Parmelee, Special Intention

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS, THEIR FAMILIES & OUR COUNTRY

Dr. Marvin Ashford, Jr., Army
Aaron Barr, USAF
Jared Barr, USAF
Nathaniel Barr, USN
James A. Benning, USM
Matthew Boyd, Army
Cody Castello, USMC
Eugene Cazedessus, USMC
Allen Jude Charlet, Army
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Matthew Charlet Dart, USN
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Neil Ahdwin Garcia, US Army
Brad Gautreaux, USMC
Nesta Gross, USAF
Dr. Christopher Johnson, USN
Army Sabrina Jones, LaNG
Markus Kippers, USN
Dustin Knight, USN
Joshua Knight, LaNG
Laura Clesi Knight- LaANG
Joseph L. LeBlanc Jr., Army
Stanley Mays, USAF
Andrew Metcalf, Army
Gordon Newman, Army
Robert Brett Parker, LaNG
Brian Plauche, USAF
Andrea Byrd Prosser, USCG
Mike Prosser, USCG
Jesse B. Richard, Army
Nicholas Richards, USN
James Rouchon, USMC
David Welch, LaNG
Gordon M. White, USAF
Christopher Williston, USAF

Parish offices are **CLOSED**
Monday, January 17th.



Join us for a
Farewell Celebration

Honoring

Sister MaryAnn Diaz

As she leaves our parishes after many years of dedicated service to continue her ministry work in the Philippines

Saturday, January 22, 2022 following 4:30pm Mass at St. John in the PAC and

Sunday, January 23, 2022 following 9:00am Mass at Our Lady of the Assumption



FAITH FORMATION

SJB Faith Formation

There are no classes this weekend.
The next K-5 and Life Teen are Jan. 23rd.
The next Edge is Jan. 30th.

*12 hour Adoration
Monday, Jan. 17th
7am-7pm
Please consider spending an
hour with our Lord.
Scan the code to sign up*



First Reconciliation
and Retreat
Saturday, Jan. 22nd
8:30am-Noon
Students and parents
meet in the gym.

*****Bible Studies*****

***Emmaus Road- 9:30-10:30am in the Parish Hall**
1/23, 2/6, 2/20, 3/6, 3/20, 4/3, 4/24

***Catholicism and Cookies**
beginning Jan. 17th @ 7pm in the Parish Hall

VATICAN INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION:

*The Eucharistic Miracles
of the World*

APRIL 11-14, 2022

MONDAY-THURSDAY: 8AM-5PM
IN THE PARISH ACTIVITY CENTER
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In the entire history of the Catholic Church, there have been numerous Eucharistic miracles approved by the Catholic Church as truly worthy of belief. The Vatican Eucharistic Miracles Photographic Exhibition faithfully recounts for us many well documented miraculous occurrences. Knowledge of these miracles strengthens our faith in Christ and His Church.

They are visible proof of Jesus Christ's Real Presence in the Holy Eucharist. The Exhibit was created by Blessed Carlo Acutis, a 15 year old from Milan, Italy who was just Beatified on October 10, 2020. The Exhibit will be available for viewing at our parish during Holy Week. We highly encourage you to schedule time to view the exhibit during this Year of the Eucharist.

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

This Week at a Glance

Sunday, January 16

Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

-7:00 am: Mass

-11:00 am: Mass

-4:30 pm: That Man is You

Monday, January 17

OFFICE CLOSED

-8:00 am: 12 hour Adoration

-6:00 pm: Prayer Group / Chapel

-7:00 pm: Bible St/Catholicism

Wednesday, January 19

-8:00 am: Mass

-5:30 pm: H.S. Youth Group

-Thursday, January 20

-8:00 am: Mass/Mother of Perpetual Help

-6:00 pm: Handmaids/Jesus: The Way, the Truth, and the Life

-7:00 pm: R.C.I.A.

Friday, January 21

-8:00 am: Mass/Divine Mercy

-Saturday, January 22

-8:30 am: 1st Reconciliation Retreat

-3:30 pm: Reconciliation

-4:30 pm: Vigil Mass

Sunday, January 23

Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

-7:00 am: Mass

-9:30 K-5/Emm Rd Bible Study

-11:00 am: Mass / Baptisms

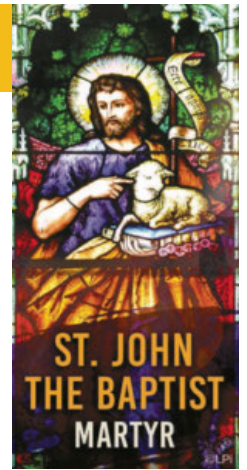
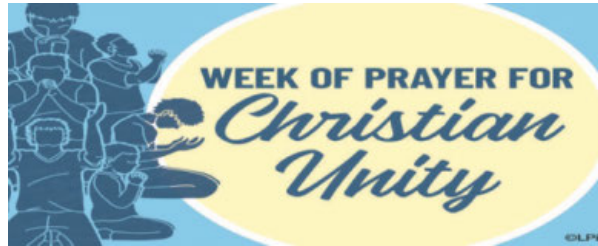
-4:00 pm: Life Teen

-4:30 pm: That Man is You

COLLECTIONS

1/16/22

See next week's bulletin for reports.



ALL Parishioners of SJB and OLA
Please update your membership!

- ◆ Does the Church database have YOUR family membership correct?
- ◆ It is time for us to update our database with any changes, additions, or deletions that may have occurred in YOUR family over the past two years.
- ◆ Have you changed your phone number? Have you moved? Are you preparing to move soon? Are all of your children still at home and are they included in your membership record? Do you want your record published?
- ◆ If you have not already informed the Church Office about changes to your record, please let us know **NOW** so that the upcoming publication will be accurate.

THANK YOU!!

Parish Registration Question: Why is it so important that we register in a parish? Isn't it good enough that we go to Mass?

Answer: Registration is the official way we join a parish community. Many people think that because they attend a particular parish they automatically belong. At times, young adults who have moved away for years think they are still signed up under their parents. But membership requires signing up, formally enrolling yourself in a parish. Registration is a commitment to a community, a way to be included in the religious, social, and ministerial activities of your parish. Your registration affects the parish in many ways. Census numbers can determine how many priests are assigned to a church, what benefits and obligations the community has to the diocese, and how Masses, Confessions, and devotions are planned and scheduled. Registration shows you belong. It is also necessary for certain benefits, like scheduling sacraments, obtaining sponsor certificates, and getting donation statements for taxes. Most importantly, it lets the parish count on you, to call on you to assist in its mission. Registering in your parish is a statement of faith and confidence in the life and work of your parish. ©LPi

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OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION



COLLECTIONS (January 16)

See next week's bulletin for reports.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Next class is January 23.

“As the family goes, so goes the nation, and so goes the whole world in which we live.”
ST. JOHN PAUL II

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

This Week at a Glance

- Sunday, January 16**
Second Sunday of Ordinary Time
 -8:30 am: Rosary
 -9:00 am: Mass
- Tuesday, January 18**
 -5:30 pm: Mother of Perp Help Novena
 -5:30 pm: Reconciliation
 -6:00 pm: Mass
- Sunday, January 23**
Third Sunday of Ordinary Time
 -9:00 am: Mass
 -10:00am: Religious Ed Class

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