

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: By appointment until further notice (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: 8:15am on Sundays / 4:15pm on Saturdays

Day	Date	Time	Feast	Mass Readings
Sun	07/07	9:00am / 11:15am	14 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Ez 2:2-5 / 2 Cor 12:7-10 / Mk 6:1-6
Mon	07/08	No Daily Mass	14 th Weekday in Ordinary Time	Hos 2:16,17c-18,21-22 / Mt 9:18-26
Tues	07/09	No Daily Mass	14 th Weekday in Ordinary Time	Hos 8:4-7,11-13 / Mt 9:32-38
Wed	07/10	11:00am NBVM	14 th Weekday in Ordinary Time	Hos 10:1-3,7-8,12 / Mt 10:1-7
Thurs	07/11	11:00am NBVM	St Benedict, Abbot	Hos 11:1-4,8e-9 / Mt 10:7-15
Fri	07/12	11:00am NBVM	14 th Weekday in Ordinary Time	Hos 14:2-10 / Mt 10:16-23
Sat	07/13	No Daily Mass	Blessed Virgin Mary	Is 6:1-8 / Mt 10:24-33
Sat	07/13	5:00pm NBVM	15 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Am 7:12-15 / Eph 1:3-14 / Mk 6:7-13
Sun	07/14	9:00am / 11:15am	15 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Am 7:12-15 / Eph 1:3-14 / Mk 6:7-13

Collection

Collection	NBVM	SJB
Budget per Week	[\$1,500.00]	[\$1,000.00]
5pm & 9am / 11:15am Sunday	\$2,673.00	\$482.00
Building (Savings) Fund		\$20.00
Rummage Sale (additional)	\$233.00	
Candles		\$22.00

Mass Intentions: The intention for the 9am Sunday Mass is for the whole parish.
Wednesday:
Thursday:
Friday:
Saturday Vigil:
Sunday 11:15am:

Liturgical Ministers for 7/14/24

	NBVM Vigil	NBVM Sunday	SJB Sunday
Server	Ron Haley	Ron Haley	n/a
Lector	Brenda / Kathy	Estrella Brown	Kathy Reandeau
EME	Sacristan	Sacristan	Suzy Breeden
Music	Connie Ramos	Jackie / Theresa	Stempers
Hospitality	n/a	Sign up	Sign up

Bulletin: Announcements need to be received by Wednesday at 7:00pm for inclusion in that weekend's bulletin. Items can be emailed to nbvm.sjb.bulletin@gmail.com or call Deacon Paul at 503-396-8554.

"The just will be glad and leap with joy at the sight of God; they will be jubilant and overjoyed." (Psalm 68:4)

Announcements

General:

Deacon Paul will be gone next Sunday, July 14th.

Adoration and Benediction: Sundays at 3:00pm at Nativity.

Nativity:

HOPE is looking for volunteers to help at their food pantry and Thrift Store. If interested, call HOPE at 503-556-0701.

Please remember to contribute to HOPE. Boxes are in the back of the church and in the hall.

Bible Study is on break for the summer.

Please sign-up for Sunday **hospitality** in the hall.

St. Johns:

Hospitality – Sign-up sheet is in the back of the church.

Please remember to give to Turning Point.

Where does the Memorare come from?

The powerful Memorare's miraculous reputation precedes it.

“Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unaided...”

The Memorare is one of the most powerful prayers in our Catholic treasury. As seen in its opening line, the Memorare begins with the simple acknowledgment of Our Blessed Mother's constant presence in our lives.

By emphasizing the simple fact that Our Lady is our steadfast companion and help, the Memorare becomes a prayer of confidence and consolation...and it has a miraculous reputation that precedes it.

The Memorare is sometimes attributed to St. Bernard of Clairvaux, who lived in the 12th century, but its original author is actually unknown. It appears in a longer 15th-century prayer, Ad sanctitatis tuae pedes, dulcissima Virgo Maria (“At your holy feet, sweetest Virgin Mary”).

Despite its most likely being composed some centuries before, the Memorare was not popularized until the 17th century when another Bernard, Fr. Claude Bernard, was miraculously healed through the prayer.

Amazed by his healing, Fr. Claude knew that the Lord wanted him to propagate this powerful prayer. He printed over 200,000 leaflets with the prayer on it. From France to England to Germany, Fr. Claude printed and distributed the miraculous prayer in as many languages as he could.

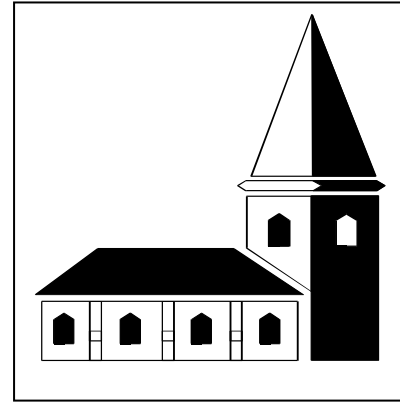
Through his dedication to this prayer, Fr. Claude helped carry the miraculous healing intercession of Our Lady throughout the world. It eventually became the favorite prayer of many powerful saints such as St. Francis de Sales and St. Teresa of Calcutta. Mother Teresa insisted upon the Memorare's power, saying that it never once failed her in times of great need.

Here is the full Memorare:

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother. To thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy, hear and answer me. Amen.

Let the miraculous reputation of the Memorare inspire you to deeper confidence in Our Lady's constant friendship. She is our most powerful intercessor and longs to bring us to her Son.

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Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 7, 2024

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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