

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	10/19	9:00am / 11:15am	29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Ex 17:8-13 / 2 Tm 3:14—4:2 / Lk 18:1-8
Mon	10/20	No Daily Mass	St Paul of the Cross, Priest	Rm 4:20-25 / Lk 12:13-21
Tues	10/21	No Daily Mass	29 th Weekday in Ordinary Time	Rm 5:12,15b,17-19,20b-21 / Lk 12:35-38
Wed	10/22	11:00am Nativity	St John Paul II, Pope	Rm 6:12-18 / Lk 12:39-48
Thurs	10/23	11:00am Nativity	St John of Capistrano, Priest	Rm 6:19-23 / Lk 12:49-53
Fri	10/24	11:00am Nativity	St Antony Mary Claret, Bishop	Rm 7:18-25a / Lk 12:54-59
Sat	10/25	No Daily Mass	Blessed Virgin Mary	Rm 8:1-11 / Lk 13:1-9
Sat	10/25	5:00pm NBVM	30 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sir 35:12-14,16-18 / 2 Tm 4:6-8,16-18 / Lk 18:9-14
Sun	10/26	9:00am / 11:15am	30 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sir 35:12-14,16-18 / 2 Tm 4:6-8,16-18 / Lk 18:9-14

Collection

Collection	NBVM	SJB
Budget per Week	[\$1,500.00]	[\$1,000.00]
5pm & 9am / 11:15am Sunday	\$1,485.00	\$798.00
Savings (Building Fund)		\$10.00
HOPE	10 lbs	

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 10/26/25

	NBVM Vigil	NBVM Sunday	SJB Sunday
Server	Ron Haley	Ron Haley	n/a
Lector	Brenda / Kathy	Estrella Brown	Tracy Points
EME	Sacristan	Sacristan	Suzy Breeden
Music	Connie Ramos	Jackie / Theresa	Stempers
Hospitality	n/a	Whole Parish	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.

“Justice and right judgement are the foundations of your throne; unfailing love and faithfulness march before you.” (Psalm 89:15)

Announcements

General:

It would help the volunteers who count the collections for Nativity and St. Johns if all parishioners make sure that the following is completed on their envelopes: (1) circle your parish name, (2) write the amount with "check" or "cash", (3) print your name. Please use your envelopes BOTH FOR THE REGULAR SUNDAY COLLECTION AND THE BUILDING FUND. If you have to mail your collection envelope, please put your donations in the appropriate collection envelope before placing in the mailing envelope. Many thanks to those who have been using their envelopes and filling everything out consistently these past years. Collections are usually counted every Monday. Each person who has been issued an envelope number for 2025 will receive an end of the year statement. If you have any questions, please call Estrella Brown.

There is no Adoration or Benediction until further notice.

Nativity:

Hospitality will meet Monday, November 3, at 10:00am. Agenda includes future activities and purchasing new tables for the hall.

Bible Study - Bible study resumes Wednesday, October 29. It meets every Wednesday from 6:30 to 7:30pm. Please contact Connie Ramos at 503-998-9172 for further information.

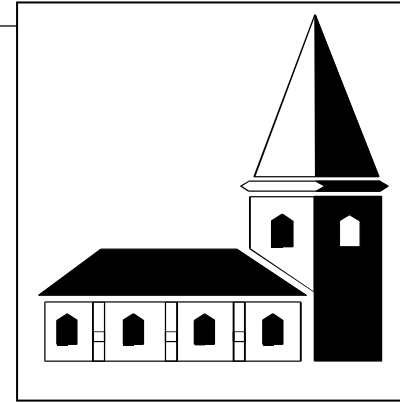
Please sign-up for Sunday **hospitality** in the hall.

St. Johns:

Hospitality – Please remember to sign up in the back of the church.

"Perhaps we do not know what love is, nor does this greatly surprise me. Love does not consist in great sweetness of devotion, but in a fervent determination to strive to please God in all things, in avoiding, as far as possible, all that would offend Him, and in praying for the increase of the glory and honor of His Son and for the growth of the Catholic Church."

—St. Teresa of Avil



Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

(East 2nd & "D" Street; Rainier)

St. John the Baptist

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28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 19, 2025

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

Rev. Mr. (Deacon) Paul Cramer (Permanent Deacon, Bulletin, Communications, Call To Protect) - (503) 396-8554

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Jackie Schiedler (Music Coordinator) - (503) 556-9690

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Estrella Brown (Funeral Arrangements/Hospitality) - (971) 404-8472

Russ Lenoir (Maintenance-when Available)

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.

SJB Volunteer Staff

Suzy Breeden (Chair of Pastoral Council) - (503) 728-3045; **Anita Lang** (Vice-Chair) (503) 728-3991

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