

May 21, 2017

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH
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MASS SCHEDULE

St. John the Baptist Church

Saturday..... 6:00 p.m.
(on 2nd and 4th)
Sunday 9:30 a.m.
(on 1st, 3rd, and 5th)
First Friday8:00 a.m. followed by Holy Hour

Ascension of Our Lord Church

Saturday..... 6:00 p.m.
(on 1st, 3rd, and 5th)
Sunday 9:30 a.m.
(on 2nd and 4th)

MARRIAGES

Consult the Pastor six (6) months in advance before making any plans or decisions.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to our parish family. Please stop by the rectory or call to register.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the rectory.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday Evening—5:30 p.m.

GENERATIONS OF FAITH (RELIGIOUS EDUCATION)

Dana Daughtry 713-822-3019-cell or 979-562-2381
EWTN..... Cable Channel 71 or Dish Channel 261

WEBSITES

Cemetery: www.victoriadiocese.org
(Click on “Catholic Cemeteries”)
Safe Environment: www.victoriadiocese.org
(Click on “Safe Environment Program,” then on “eAppsDB”)

PARISH CONTACTS

St. John the Baptist Church

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Robert & Mary Kendall.....361-798-9467

HALL RENTAL

St. John the Baptist Church

Frank Forestier
Barbara Appelt832-643-4590 (cell)
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Ascension of Our Lord Church

Kathy Guenther 979-562-2124 (home)
..... 979-562-2328 (work)
.....979-743-0369 (cell)

CEMETERY

St. John the Baptist Church

Dorothy Berger.....979-562-2187

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Kathy Guenther979-562-2124
..... 979-562-2328 (work)
.....979-743-0369 (cell)

MASS SCHEDULE

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Saturday	May 20	6:00 p.m.	Charlie Deem	Moravia
Sunday	May 21	9:30 a.m.	Larry Berger	St. John

Fast of the Ascension of Our Lord

Saturday	May 27	6:00 p.m.	Albert Berkenhoff	St. John
Sunday	May 28	9:30 a.m.	Leroy Loth	Moravia

First Friday

Friday	June 2	8:00 a.m.	Anton, Marie & Patrick Hrcir	St. John
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Pentecost Sunday

Saturday	June 3	6:00 p.m.	Aubrey Shanks	Moravia
Sunday	June 4	9:30 a.m.	Jimmy Vanicek	St. John

THE WORD OF GOD

May 21, Sixth Sunday of Easter

Readings: Acts 8:5-8, 114-17; Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20; 1 Pt 3:15-18; Jn 14:15-21

The people of Samaria come to worship the Lord and receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. It is this same Spirit who leads us into the truth. In the body, Jesus was put to death; in the Spirit, he was raised to life. We are called to this same glory.

May 28, Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord

Readings: Acts 1:1-11; PS 47:2-3, 6-9, Eph 1:17-23, Mt 28:16-20

Jesus commissions his disciples to baptize in his name, reminding them that he is always present through his Spirit. Having ascended to his Father amid cries of gladness, we are to be his witnesses for we have been gifted with his Spirit of wisdom and revelation. Let us, there, live in a manner worthy of the call we have received.

June 4, Pentecost Sunday

Readings: Acts 2:1-11, PS 104: 1,24,29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13, Jn 20:19-23

All of us have been baptized into one and the same Spirit. That same Spirit, the Advocate, our comfort and refreshment, was given as gift to the disciples to strengthen them to go forth in the name of the Lord, "to renew the face of the earth."

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 20 – 6:00 p.m. – Moravia – Alex Lozano, Dylan Orsak

Sunday, May 21 – 9:30 a.m. – St. John – Laura James, Kate Claire James, Mary Beth Krischke

Saturday, May 27 – 6:00 p.m. – St. John – Harley Wilson, Heather Wilson

Sunday, May 28 – 9:30 a.m. – Moravia – Mary Beth Krischke, Dylan Goldberg, Wade Shimek

Saturday, June 3 – 6:00 p.m. – Moravia – Mary Beth Krischke, Dylan Orsak

Sunday, June 4 – 9:30 a.m. – St. John – Laura James, Kate Claire James

ANNOUNCEMENTS

From the Desk of Msgr. John

Congratulations to Father Stephen Vacek and Father Jacob Mendoza, who were ordained on Saturday, May 20th for the Diocese of Victoria. Please keep them in your prayers.

Congratulations to all of our Parishioners who are graduating from high school or college at this time of the year. Our prayers are with you as you continue your journey.

Next Sunday, May 28th, we celebrate the Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord.

ASCENSION CHURCH CLEANERS FOR MAY: Mary Ann Pratka, Jeanette Chudej

ASCENSION CHURCH USHERS FOR MAY: Daniel Steffek, Dale Janak

ST. JOHN CHURCH CLEANERS FOR MAY: Adele Kubos, Lorine Kubenka & Diane Roeder

ST. JOHN CHURCH USHERS FOR MAY: Harvey Hermis, Ralph Besetzny

ASCENSION CHURCH CLEANERS FOR JUNE: Diane Svetlik, Makayla Svetlik

ASCENSION CHURCH USHERS FOR JUNE: Emith Orsak, Allen Grones

ST. JOHN CHURCH CLEANERS FOR JUNE: Patricia Berger, Susie Kalich & Terah Lux

ST. JOHN CHURCH USHERS FOR JUNE: Walter Hermis & Bobby Mendel

THE EMMAUS CENTER-*Counseling in the Catholic Tradition*—Sponsored by the Diocese of Victoria—1908 N. Laurent Street, Suite 140, Victoria, Texas 77901. For an appointment, go to www.emmauscounselingcenter.com or call 361-212-0830. *Extending a Listening Heart to Those in Need.*

Please pray for vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life.

Please pray for the Veterans who have served Our Country and have sacrificed and given so much for our freedom.

PRO-LIFE CORNER—

Motherhood is more than childbearing; it is a life choice entailing sacrifices, respect for life, and commitment to passing on those human and religious values which are essential for a healthy society. [Pope Francis]

AREA EVENTS

St. Michael Catholic Church Festival, 302 E. Church St., Cuero, Texas, Sunday, May 21, 2017, Plates—(Roast Beef, Gravy, Potatoes, Green Beans, Desserts) \$10. Bingo, Games, Food, Country Store, Raffle, Auction, Plant Walk.

St. Phillip the Apostle Catholic Church, El Campo, presents & invites you to an afternoon with Sondra Abrahams from Lake Charles, Louisiana, Sunday, May 21, at 1:00 p.m. During a near death experience, she was given visions of the future. Following her recovery, she shares experiences with people all over the world. She has been called a mystic and a visionary by priests, and bishops, but the only title she claims is “Warrior for Christ.”

Shiner Catholic Church Spring Picnic, Sunday, May 28, 2017, KC Picnic, KC Park, Dinner Plates, Plates-\$10

Sacred Heart Catholic Church Picnic, Sunday, May 28, 2017, KC Hall, Hallettsville. Plates - \$10 Adult; Children 10 & under--\$5; (Country Fried Chicken, Homemade Stew, Homemade Cornbread Dressing with all the trimmings). Auction, Bingo, Cake Walk, Country Store, Religious Articles Booth, Kiddie Games & Rides all afternoon, Music on the Main Pavilion until 1:00 p.m., Free Dance on the Biergarten Polka Pavilion (1:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.), Washer Pitcher Tournament, Delicious Hamburgers, French Fries, and more all afternoon. Come join in on the Fun!

Our God Reigns, Alleluia!

MEMORIALS

Ascension of Our Lord Catholic Church

Seminary Burse

In Memory of Ben Barborak: Willie Barborak-\$25

In Memory of Marvin Filip: Patricia Berger-\$10; Willie Barborak-\$15; Leo & Joyce Janda-\$20

In Memory of Aubrey Shanks: Willie Barborak-\$10

In Memory of Charlie Deem: Jerome & Georgia Pavliska-\$40; Raymond Henke-\$20

Ascension Building Fund

In Memory of Marvin Filip: Leon & Joyce Svetlik-\$10; Cal-Marine Foods, Inc.-\$40; Jim Goeman-\$100

In Memory of Mr. Schramek: David & Dorothy Young-\$20

In Memory of Charlie Deem: Zavoda Manufacturing Co.-\$100

In Memory of Donald & Romaine Crawford: Iron Solutions-\$100; Dolores Janak-\$20; Leo & Dorothy Henke-\$20; Gene Marie Bohuslav-\$20; Phil & Kathy Guenther-\$25; Albert & Dorothy Olsovsky-\$20; Michael & Marylu Seiver-\$200

In Memory of Leroy Loth: Dolores & Joanie Janak-\$20; Dennis & Barbara Janak-\$50; Anita & Leroy Etzler-\$25; Jimmie & Sylvia Steffek-\$20; David & Dorothy Olsovsky-\$20; Perry & Roxanna Deem & Girls-\$20; Moravia EEA (Georgie Herman)-\$30; K of C Council #2433-\$25

In Memory of Aubrey R. Shanks: Jerome and Georgia Pavliska-\$25; Albert and Dorothy Olsovsky-\$25; Dolores Janak-\$25; Kubena Funeral Home (Dan, Eugene, Andy, Allison)-\$20; Phil & Kathy Guenther-\$15; David & Dorothy Young & Family-\$25; David & Carol Bohuslav-\$20

In Memory of Dorothy Rybak: Gene Marie Bohuslav-\$15; Dennis & Catherine Poppe--\$20; Chris Hessler-\$25, Kubena Funeral Home (Dan, Eugene, Andy & Allison)-\$20; Chris & Jennifer Korinek-\$50; JG & Janis Hrcir-\$50; Dolores Janak-\$15; Daniel & Jeanette Pustka-\$50; Greg & Jennifer Janik-\$20

In Memory of Ben Barborak: Debbie Jozwiak-\$100

Altar Society

In Memory of Donald & Romaine Crawford: Zibby Crawford-\$70; James & Carol Robbins-\$25

In Memory of Dorothy Rybak: Ann & Philip Korinek -\$1,000;

Cemetery Fund

In Memory of Marvin Filip: Eunice Sparks and Skip and Donna Smith-\$50

In Memory of Dorothy Rybak: Joyce Rybak-\$25

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In Memory of Aubrey R. Shanks: Dennis & Barbara Janak-\$25; Marcia & Mark Hrcir-\$20; Mildred & Allan Timm-\$20

In Memory of Dorothy Rybak: Betty & Dennis Kloesel-\$25; Gene & Angie Pavlicek-\$10; Nancy & Marvin Zatopek-\$30; Jim & Chris Rung-\$30

Next Bulletin: Sunday, June 4, 2017

All announcements can be sent by email to the Rectory at rectory@shcatholicchurch.org

Or can be called in to the Rectory to 361-798-5888.

Any announcements after the due date and time, will be published in the next bulletin, if applicable.

Bulletin Deadline: 12:00 p.m. on Monday, May 29, 2017