

August 12, 2018

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH
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ASCENSION OF OUR LORD 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
Direct TV Channel 370

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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Ascension of Our Lord Church

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

HALL RENTAL

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Frank Forestier
Barbara Appelt832-643-4590 (cell)
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Kathy Guenther 979-562-2124 (home)
..... 979-562-2328 (work)
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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

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	August 11	6:00 p.m.	Raymond Giovannini	St. John
Sunday	August 12	9:30 a.m.	Frank & Frances Tupa, Sr.	Moravia

Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Feast Day, Wednesday, August 15)

Tuesday	August 14	6:00 p.m.	Seminarians and Priests	St. John
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Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	August 18	6:00 p.m.	Joe Barcak & Irene Drozd Barcak	Moravia
Sunday	August 19	9:30 a.m.	Lebert & Leona Berger and Donald & Larry Berger	St. John

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	August 25	6:00 p.m.	Edwin Vaculik	St. John
Sunday	August 26	9:30 a.m.	Jerome Kristek	Moravia

August 12, Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: 1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-9; Eph 4:30—5:2; Jn 6:41-51

To strengthen him for the journey, God provides Elijah with cake and water reminiscent of his ancestors' Pasch. Thus he experiences the goodness of the Lord. Jesus, the bread of life, strengthens us for our journey, following his way of love.

August 15, The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)

Readings: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab, Ps45:10bc. 11-12ab, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Because she belongs to Christ, Mary, our queen, is raised on high, a great sign for all who believe in her Son.

August 19, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-7; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58

Wisdom has prepared a banquet of food and wine, an image expressive of God's communion with us. For those who desire life, Jesus gives his own Flesh and blood. Thus we shall be filled with the Spirit.

August 26, Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Ps 34:2-3, 16-21; Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32; Jn 6:60-69

Joshua confronts the tribes of Israel: Will you desert your covenant with Yahweh? The desertion of disciples is a prelude to the paschal mystery. With Peter, however, let us profess our faith in the Lord, who gave himself up for us all.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

From the Desk of Msgr. John

Summer is almost over and school is starting up again. Let us pray for all of our students that they will take their studies seriously and learn as much as they can. Let us pray for safety for everyone in all our schools.

Wednesday, August 15th, is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a Holy Day of Obligation and everyone is required to attend Mass. The Mass for us will be at St. John on Tuesday evening, August 14th, at 6:00 p.m.

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 11 - 6:00 p.m. – St. John – Dylan Goldberg, Wade Shimek
Sunday, August 12 - 9:30 a.m. – Moravia – Carson Pustka, Carter Pustka, Mary Beth Krischke

Saturday, August 18 – 6:00 p.m. – Moravia – Heather Wilson, Harley Wilson
Sunday, August 19 – 10:00 a.m. – St. John– Mary Beth Krischke, Carson Pustka, Carter Pustka

Saturday, August 25 - 6:00 p.m. – St. John – Dylan Goldberg, Wade Shimek
Sunday, August 26 - 9:30 a.m. – Moravia – Carson Pustka, Carter Pustka, Dylan Orsak

*Please pray for the Veterans who have served Our Country and have sacrificed and given so much for our freedom.
Please pray for Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life!*

PRO-LIFE CORNER—Save Their Lives Prayer

Lord, please be with all the innocent children whose lives are threatened right now by abortion. Hold these precious babies in your hands. Protect them from harm

Save their lives, Lord—let hope and grace triumph over death.

Give these babies' parents strength—so they can withstand the temptation of abortion. Give them wisdom...so they will know there is a better way. Give them the courage to choose life.

In your loving name I pray. Amen.

[ONLINEFORLIFE.ORG, P. O. Box 5052, Frisco, TX 75035]

AREA NEWS

- ✦ **Stevens Nursing & Rehab** is hosting a **Community Bingo** on the last Friday of each month. Everyone is invited, prizes will be given—2:00 p.m. in Dining Room A.
- ✦ **St. Michael Polka Mass and Harvest Feast, Weimar, Texas, Sunday, August 12, 2018, Fried Chicken and Stew Dinner, Veteran's Memorial Park, Weimar, Texas. 11:00 a.m. – Adults-\$10 – Children - \$5 (12 and under). Entertainment for all—Auction, Bingo, Drawing at 6:00 p.m., Train Ride, Cake Walk and more. Hamburgers and Cold Drinks. Music and Washer Pitching Tournament.**
- ✦ **The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary – Praha Picnic – 163rd Pražska Pout, Wednesday, August 15, 2018, Holy Mass, Wednesday, 10:00 a.m. Dinner 11:00 to 2:00 p.m. – Praha Stew & Fried Chicken – Plates-\$10, Bingo, Auction, Music, Ice Cream and more**
- ✦ **Sacred Heart Catholic Church Fall 2018 Picnic, Knights of Columbus Hall, Hallettsville, Texas, Sunday, September 2, 2018.** Dinner Plates-\$10, Child-\$5, Dinner Serving from 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.; Country Fried Chicken, Stew, Homemade Cornbread Dressing with all the trimmings. Music, Cake Walk, Country Store, Bingo, Religious Articles Booth, Washer Pitching Tournament, Delicious Hamburgers, Fries, and so much more. Auction Sale at 1:00 p.m.



ASCENSION CHURCH CLEANERS FOR AUGUST: Stardust Cleaning, Michael Lapham

ASCENSION CHURCH USHERS FOR AUGUST: Leo Henke, Sr., Dale Janak

ST. JOHN CHURCH CLEANERS FOR AUGUST: Felicia Kainer, Ann McBride & Sandra Mendel

ST. JOHN CHURCH USHERS FOR AUGUST: Alphonse Krupala, Leonard Sumbera

L.A.M.B. Thrift Shop has opened at its new location. The hours are Tuesday & Wednesday from 9:15 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. The location is 1429 U.S. Hwy. 90A East.

MORAVIA PICNIC APPRECIATION DINNER – AUGUST 26, 2018

Please set aside Sunday, August 26, 2018, for our Annual Picnic Appreciation Dinner. All workers are invited to come for a catered Noon meal. Please bring a dessert for the Dessert Table. The Appreciation Dinner is a Thank You Dinner for all the hard work that workers put in at our 2018 Picnic.

. MEMORIALS

MORAVIA CEMETERY FUND

In Memory of Eugene Tykal: Peoples State Bank.

ASCENSION CHURCH BUILDING FUND

In Memory of Guthrie Stephanek: Jimmie and Sylvia Steffek-\$20; Richard and Wilma Schaefer-\$15

In Memory of Eugene Tykal: Mary Jane Cernosek-\$50

MSGR. JOHN SEMINARY BURSE

In memory of Edwin Vaculik: Richard & Wilma Schaefer-\$15

ASCENSION OF OUR LORD/MORAVIA 2018 RAFFLE TICKET WINNERS

Prizes	Winner		
\$600 Cash Certificate	Jeremy Neskora	\$100 Cash Certificate	Susan Owrey
\$400 Cash Certificate	Larry Klitsch	\$100 Cash Certificate	Kenneth Neskora
\$250 Cash Certificate	Shirley Ammann	\$100 Cash Certificate	Mark Lester
\$250 Cash Certificate	Dawne Haikenwaelder	\$100 Gift Card	Barbara Haas
\$250 Cash Certificate	Billy & Bev Hrcir	\$100 Gift Certificate to Oakridge Restaurant	Dennis Dornak
\$250 Cash Certificate	Donald Leopold	\$75 Cash Certificate	Joyce Smolik
\$200 Cash Certificate	Connie Burton	\$75 Cash Certificate	Thadious Polasek
\$200 Cash Certificate	Mary Ann Rother	\$50 Cash Certificate	Dana Johnson
\$200 Cash Certificate	Wade Shimek	\$50 Cash Certificate	John Rose
\$200 Cash Certificate	Mildred Timm	\$50 Cash Certificate	Forrest Dittrich
\$200 Cash Certificate	Doug Harvey	\$50 Cash Certificate	Claudia Vrana
\$150 Cash Certificate	Nathan Hollas	\$50 Cash Certificate	Kelly M. Bronikowski
\$150 Cash Certificate	Wenglar's Pipe & Iron Supply	\$50 Cash Certificate	Lynette Seifert
\$100 Cash Certificate	Joseph & Debra Neskora	\$50 Cash Certificate	Nicolette Siegel
\$100 Cash Certificate	Denis Kubiak	\$50 Cash Certificate	Jeanette Chudej
\$100 Cash Certificate	Maggie S. Pustka	\$50 Cash Certificate	Cindy Renken
\$100 Cash Certificate	Allen Grones	\$30 Gift Certificate to Moravia Store	Vernon Meazle
\$100 Cash Certificate	Cullen Machicek	\$25 Cash Certificate	Reni Matula
\$100 Cash Certificate	Colleen Deem	Gift Basket	Dorothy S. Henke
\$100 Cash Certificate	A W Spies	Gift Basket	Karen Mudd
\$100 Cash Certificate	Thadious Polasek		



Masses for The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday, August 14

Sacred Heart – 6:00 p.m.

St. John – 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, August 15

Sacred Heart – 6:45 a.m.

Sacred Heart – 8:05 a.m.

Sacred Heart – 12:05 p.m.

St. Mary – 6:00 p.m.

BLOOD DRIVE

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH, HALLETTSVILLE, TEXAS,

SUNDAY, AUGUST 26, 2018,

8:45 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.

IN THE BLOODMOBILE IN THE GYM PARKING LOT.

PLEASE GIVE BLOOD.

All Blood Donors stay tuned for new and exciting thank you gift.



Next Bulletin: Sunday, August 26, 2018

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 Tuesday, August 20, 2018