

July 1, 2018

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH  
7026 FM ROAD 957  
SCHULENBURG, TX 78956  
ST. JOHN, TEXAS

ASCENSION OF OUR LORD CHURCH  
11134 FM 957  
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MORAVIA, TEXAS



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**MASS SCHEDULE**

**St. John the Baptist Church**

Saturday..... 6:00 p.m.  
(on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>)  
Sunday ..... 9:30 a.m.  
(on 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup>)  
First Friday .....8:00 a.m. followed by Holy Hour

**Ascension of Our Lord Church**

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

**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](http://www.victoriadiocese.org)  
(Click on “Catholic Cemeteries”)  
Safe Environment: [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org)  
(Click on “Safe Environment Program,” then on “eAppsDB”)

**PARISH CONTACTS**

**St. John the Baptist Church**

Elsie Farek.....979-562-2159

**Ascension of Our Lord Church**

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**HALL RENTAL**

**St. John the Baptist Church**

Frank Forestier  
Barbara Appelt .....832-643-4590 (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

**Ascension of Our Lord Church**

Kathy Guenther .....979-562-2124  
..... 979-562-2328 (work)  
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## MASS SCHEDULE

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### Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	June 30	6:00 p.m.	Gladys Barcak	Moravia
Sunday	July 1	9:30 a.m.	George & Bernice Vasek	St. John

### July 4, 2018

Wednesday	July 4	9:00 a.m.	Sick & Suffering of Both Parishes	St. John
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### First Friday

Friday	July 6	8:00 a.m.	Tom Farek	St. John
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### Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	July 7	6:00 p.m.	L. A. & Vera Wenglar	Moravia
Sunday	July 8	9:30 a.m.	Charlie Deem	Moravia

### Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	July 14	9:00 a.m.	David Kubenka	St. John
Sunday	July 15	10:00 a.m.	Daniel S. Spies	Moravia

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### July 1, Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13; 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

Because of sin, sickness and death have entered the world, but are overcome through the resurrection of Jesus. He hears the cry of those in need, healing the sick and raising the dead to life. He made himself poor that we might become rich.

### July 8, Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: EZ 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6: 1-6a

Jesus is met with misgivings and rejection by his own relatives. Like them, we often resist the prophetic word because of an obstinacy of heart, rooted in a self-pride which must give way to weakness and powerlessness.

### July 15, Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-14; Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10; Mk 6:7-13

The prophet hears what God proclaims and is called to speak in God's name. The Twelve hear the message of Jesus and are sent forth to preach the good news. In him have we been chosen to be full of love.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### *From the Desk of Msgr. John*

Our Picnics are right around the corner. Many people have worked together in preparing everything for the two parish picnics. It is great to see so many people concerned about our Churches and their upkeep.

It takes many people to make a Picnic a success. Thank you to all who have and are helping with the preparations.

Let us be thankful to God for our country and our freedom as we celebrate Independence Day. Let us pray for the strength and courage for our government leaders. May all of you have a Happy and Safe 4<sup>th</sup> of July.

## ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 30 – 6:00 p.m. – Moravia – Heather Wilson, Harley Wilson

Sunday, July 1 – 9:30 a.m. – St. John – Mary Beth Krischke, Carson Pustka, Carter Pustka

Saturday, July 7 - 6:00 p.m. – Moravia – Heather Wilson, Harley Wilson

Sunday, July 8 - 9:30 a.m. – Moravia – Carson Pustka, Carter Pustka, Dylan Orsak

Saturday, July 14 – 6:00 p.m. – St. John – Dylan Goldberg, Wade Shimek

Sunday, July 15 – 10:00 a.m. – Moravia – Mary Beth Krischke, Dylan Orsak,

## PRO-LIFE CORNER—

“While we are zealously performing the duties of good citizens and soldiers, we certainly ought not to be inattentive to the higher duties of religion. To the distinguished character of **PATRIOT**, it should be our highest glory to add the more distinguished character of **CHRISTIAN.**”

[General George Washington, America’s First President]

## 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. John Parish Annual 4<sup>th</sup> of July Picnic, (6 miles SW of Schulenberg, Texas, Wednesday, July 4, 2018, 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. John, 10:00 a.m. Flag Raising Ceremony, 10:30 a.m. Start serving lunch. Stew, Fried Chicken and all the Trimmings. Dine-in and Take Home-\$10. Music, Auction, Raffle. At Dusk- Fireworks and more.**
- ✦ **Ascension Church Picnic (Moravia), Sunday, July 15, 2018, Moravia, Texas, Sunday Mass— 10:00 a.m., dinner 11:00 a.m., Stew & Kettle Fried Chicken & Trimmings. All Plates - \$10. Drive-Thru Plates To Go from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Country Store, Plant Walk & Games, Cake Walk, Bingo. Auction sale at 1:00 p.m. Music also provided.**
- ✦ **Holy Family K of C Council #9088 Presents the Sixteenth Annual K of C Readin’, Ritin’ & Reelin’ Fishing Tournament, August 3 & 4, 2018, Port O’Connor Community Center.** Door Prizes, Cash Prizes, Live Auction, Cash Prizes & Raffle. For Info Contact: Sister Ann Meletio—361-485-2044; Brenda Hermes—361-564-8361; George Wenzel—361-649-7707.



**ASCENSION CHURCH CLEANERS FOR JULY:** Diane Halata, Janet Spies

**ASCENSION CHURCH USHERS FOR JULY:** Dallas Canada, Greg Kubenka

**ST. JOHN CHURCH CLEANERS FOR JULY:** Diane Kutac, Joanie Krischke

**ST. JOHN CHURCH USHERS FOR JULY:** Eugene Krupala, Leonard Sumbera

*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!*

**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.

# MINI CHEER CAMP 2018

- GROWING THE TRIBE -

July 23-25 | 9 AM - 12 PM  
Sacred Heart School Cafeteria

\$40 per camper  
(includes t-shirt, megaphone,  
snacks, and medal)

Please pick up and return registration  
forms at SHS by June 18th







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## ST. JOHN PICNIC NEWS

- **ITEMS ARE NEEDED FOR THE AUCTION:** Suggestions: Baskets, buckets or boxes of home canned pickles, homemade jelly/jam, home baked goods (cookies, bread, strudel, rolls, kolaches, poppy seed cake, etc.), homemade noodles, fresh vegetables and fruits (watermelons, cantaloupes, potatoes, tomatoes, etc.), homemade spirits, antiques, quilts, livestock, potted trees, wooden rockers/ picnic tables, metal art, swings, gliders, hanging plant stand, unusual plants/flowers, homemade dessert a month, and other unique items. If you wish to donate livestock or large items, please contact David Berger (979) 505-8225 or (979) 562-2199. We will accept as many items as you can bring. *Please tag your items with the name of whom is donating.*
- **DON'T FORGET TO DONATE ITEMS FOR THE COUNTRY STORE:** Suggestions: Pickles, preserves, farm fresh eggs, vegetables, fruits, homemade *jellies, cookies, molasses, picante sauce, snack mixes, fudge, kolaches, strudels*, noodles and breads. Plants, homemade crafts, pot holders, hot pads, aprons, bonnets, dish towels, etc.
- **PLEASE BRING** cakes (as many as you feel that you can), kolaches, other pastries, pickles, green beans, sauerkraut, and fresh tomatoes for the meal.

**PICK UP YOUR PICNIC WORKER LIST, POSTERS TO ADVERTISE, AND RAFFLE TICKETS!!!!!!!!!!**

## ST. JOHN PICNIC WORK DAYS

Attention: National Honor Society Students, Confirmation Candidates—Here's a way to earn some service hours.

- ✓ **Saturday, June 23 @ 7:30 a.m.**--Remove benches from beer stand, set up Country Store, put ticket booths in place, get out whatever is stored that needs to be set up or out, etc. Pressure washing wherever needed, if necessary or not previously done.
- ✓ **Saturday, June 30 @ 7:30 a.m.**--Clean up of the kitchen cabinets, shelves, closets, etc. and washing of pots, pans, buckets, etc.
- ✓ **Monday, July 2 @ 4:00 p.m.**--We will clean and cut potatoes. Someone needs to get the potato cutter from the K of C Hall.
- ✓ **Monday, July 2 @ 4:00 p.m.**--Help is need to prepare and season chicken.
- ✓ **Wednesday, July 4---PICNIC DAY**
- ✓ **Thursday, July 5 @ 7:30 a.m.---CLEAN UP DAY !!!!**We will pick up trash and clean up wherever & whatever else is needed.
- ✓ If everyone makes an effort to help wherever help is needed and goes that extra step to help, we will have the most successful picnic ever!

*Celebrating 130 Years*

**ANNUAL 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY  
PICNIC**

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**ST. JOHN PARISH**

7026 FM 957 - 6 MILES SW OF SCHULENBURG, TX

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 4TH**

**9:00 AM**

**MASS AT ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST**

**10:00 AM**

**FLAG RAISING CEREMONY**

*\*All Veterans Are Encouraged to Attend\**

**10:30 AM**

**START SERVING LUNCH**

*STEW, FRIED CHICKEN, AND ALL THE TRIMMINGS*  
DINE-IN OR TAKE HOME ★ \$10.00

**MUSIC BEGINS: \*FREE DANCE UNDER THE PAVILION\***  
The Shiner Hobo Band ★ The Dujka Brothers  
Red Ravens ★ Texas Dream

**12:30 PM**

**AUCTION BEGINS**

**8:00 PM**

**RAFFLE DRAWING**

**AT DUSK**

**FIREWORKS**

Beer ★ Soda Water ★ Snow Cones ★ Hamburgers and more ★ Country Store ★  
Cake Walk ★ Ball Throw ★ Ring Toss ★ Lil Diggers Sandpile and more Entertainment

EVERYBODY WELCOME - FUN FOR ALL - YOUNG AND OLD! ★ VISIT OUR 130 YEAR OLD CHURCH

visit [www.stjohnpicnic.com](http://www.stjohnpicnic.com) & like us on Facebook - St. John 4th of July Picnic



# **Moravia- Ascension of Our Lord News 2018**

The Moravia Picnic is **Sunday, July 15, 2018**. The picnic cleanup day is **Tuesday, July 10, 2018**, starting at 8:00 a.m. Parishioners are asked to please come out for this general cleanup of our halls and grounds in preparation for the picnic.

Cleanup after the picnic is **Monday, July 16, 2018**, starting at 7:30 a.m.

Items for the auction are greatly needed. Please bring them early that morning and have your items marked with your name on them. Suggested donations are: goody baskets, beer signs, antiques, home canned goods and baked goods.

Also larger items such as outdoor furniture, swings, metal art.

Cash donations toward the bingo is appreciated and donations toward the picnic meats are also appreciated.

Cakes for the dinner meal and cake walk are needed, cakes for cake walk have to be well wrapped.

County store donated items can be any homemade canned vegetable of all kinds, homemade baked items, and small plants. Craft items also sell well and children's toys.

Please check the picnic work list for your name and extra help from anyone would be so appreciated.

Working together makes our picnic the success it has been in the past.

Please mark your calendar for the Moravia Picnic appreciation dinner for **Sunday, August 26, 2018**.

# Moravia Ascension Parish Picnic

MORAVIA, FM 957 & FM 532

## SUNDAY, JULY 15

MASS: MORAVIA: SUNDAY - 10:00 A.M.

### DINNER 11:00 A.M.

STEW & KETTLE FRIED CHICKEN  
& TRIMMINGS

ALL PLATES: \$10.00

Drive-thru Plates To Go From 10:30 am. to 12:30 p.m.

**COUNTRY  
STORE**

GAMES & WATER  
SLIP N' SLIDE



**Cake Walk  
12:00 Noon**

**BINGO**

LIC. # 17461806097

1:30-5:30 P.M.

### Auction Sale at 1:00 PM

HAMBURGERS, REFRESHMENTS AND ENTERTAINMENT ON THE

MORAVIA PARISH PICNIC GROUNDS

- Auction & Activities under the Pavilion -
- Prize Drawing at 7:00 PM -



Music During The Day  
And Night By:  
Mark Halata & Texavia  
The Moravians



EVERYBODY WELCOME - FUN FOR ALL!

## MEMORIALS

### Ascension Building Fund

#### In Memory of Edwin John Vaculik:

Karen P & Mike Vrana-\$10  
Betty Patalik-\$20  
Joe & Debbie Neskora-\$5  
Tim & Darlene Henke-10  
Hilbert Henke-\$10  
Albert & Dorothy Olsovsky-\$20  
Margaret Maren-\$20  
Kubena Funeral Home (Dan, Eugene, Andy, & Alison)-\$20  
Leo C. & Dorothy Henke-\$10  
Dolores Janak-\$15  
Ida Fisher-\$50

### Ascension Cemetery Fund

#### In Memory of Edwin John Vaculik:

Mike & Carol Bozka-\$25

#### **St. John Altar Society**

I want to thank everyone that is supporting the St. John Altar Society grocery store receipt program. In 2017 we received checks from Arlen's Market totaling \$634.09. Please continue to save your Arlen's Market receipts and put them in the envelope hanging on the wall in the back of St. John Church. We appreciate your support!

Thank you,

Ann McBride

#### **MORAVIA KJT SOCIETY #44**

The Moravia KJZT Society #44 will have a meeting at the Moravia Dining Hall on Tuesday, July 11, 2018, at 9:00 a.m. All Members are invited to attend.

**Next Bulletin: Sunday, July 15, 2018**

**All announcements can be sent by email to the Rectory at**

**[rectory@shcatholicchurch.org](mailto: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, July 10, 2018**