

AUGUST 8, 2021

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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 **RADIO:** 99.9 FM & 94.3 FM

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

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

Ascension of Our Lord Church

Robert & Mary Kendall.....361-217-0624

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

Ascension of Our Lord Church

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

MASS SCHEDULE

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	August 7	6:00 p.m.	Henry R. & Julia Olsovsky & Rebecca Patterson	Moravia
Sunday	August 8	9:30 a.m.	Christopher Canada	Moravia

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Saturday	August 14	6:00 p.m.	Marcia Hrcir	St. John
Sunday	August 15	9:30 a.m.	Robert Besetsny & Nerissa Cahal	St. John

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	August 21	6:00 p.m.	Joe Barcak & Irene Drozd Barcak	Moravia
Sunday	August 22	9:30 a.m.	Clarence & Evelyn Haas	Moravia

August 8: Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: 1Kgs 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

Readings: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

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

August 22: Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Jos 24:1-2a, 115-17, 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.

Ministry Schedule has been made. If there is a change, you will be notified. The Mass is live-streamed at Sacred Heart Catholic Church on Facebook. The link for the Mass is: <https://www.facebook.com/SacredHeartCatholicChurchHallettsville> and also on the Radio Stations FM 99.9 & FM 94.3 on Sunday at 8:00 a.m.

ASCENSION CHURCH CLEANERS FOR AUGUST: Bob Svetlik, Diana Svetlik

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 Kristinik, Andy Besetzny

YEAR OF THE FAMILY

Pray. Pray one "Glory Be" prayer in thanksgiving for God's calling for you.

Eat. Consider asking your parish priest over for dinner.

Play. Check out our website for fun vocation games to play!

Knights of Columbus Council #2433

Would you or someone you know like to become a Knight? The entire process from registering to attending the degree ceremonies is online. If you are interested, please contact Membership Chairman, David Smolik, at 361-798-4492, or Field Agent Ryan Janak at 832-693-3160. Dues are free the first year, but you will be subject to yearly dues after the first year.



The Emmaus Center provides individual, couple, family, adolescent and children's counseling as well as specialized support groups from a Catholic perspective. For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call (361) 212-0830.

From the Desk of Msgr. John

Thank you to everyone for all the hard work you do in our two parishes. The Church is the people who make it up. You can tell the make up of the Church by the way people work together and take pride in their Church. It is a place of young and old working together to have a beautiful place of worship. A place where people come together as families and friends to enjoy each others' company and faith.

You can be very proud of who you are as a Church—St. John the Baptist and Ascension of Our Lord.

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

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

Sunday, August 8 – 9:30 a.m. – Moravia – Dylan Orsak, Brant Redman, Wade Shimek, Mary Beth Krischke

Saturday, August 14 – 6:00 p.m. – St. John – Layne Sevcik, Trent Sevcik, Dillon Goedrich, Kullen Kutac

Sunday, August 15 – 9:30 a.m. – St. John – Dylan Orsak, Brant Redman, Wade Shimek, Mary Beth Krischke

Saturday, August 21 – 6:00 p.m. – Moravia – Harley Wilson, Heather Wilson

Sunday, August 22 – 9:30 a.m. – Moravia – Bryce Machicek, Alaina Halata, William Halata

GENERATIONS OF FAITH: We have a great need for Catechists for our Generations of Faith Program for the 2021-2022 year. Please pray about becoming a Catechist. If you have questions or find it a mission that you would like to participate in, please contact Dana Daughtry, 713-822-3019. Thank you for your discernment.

KJZT Society #83

KJZT Society #83 will host the District II Meeting on Sunday, August 22, 2021, in the back room at Robert's Restaurant in Flatonia, Highway 95 North of IH10 at 11:00 AM. Moravia KJZT Society #44 members are invited. Please RSVP to Dorothy S. Henke at 361-798-6906 by August 10, 2021 if you plan to attend.

PRO-LIFE CORNER—

“I knew without a doubt, that abortion is a violent act of murder and exploitation. And I know that our responsibility is to work and pray without ceasing for its end.”

[Denver Archbishop Samuel J. Aquila, January 22, 2013]

This is a reminder that you can purchase Communion, Confirmation Gifts, Wedding Gifts and other Religious Articles and books at the Sacred Heart Church Rectory. Come by and see the latest items for sale.



AREA EVENTS

- ➔ **St. Michael Catholic Church “Harvest Feast Picnic” – Weimar, Texas, Sunday, August 8, 2021,** 11:00 a.m. Fried Chicken & Stew Dinner, Plates \$10; Drive-thru plates will be available at the St. Michael Family Center. Polka Mass—10:30 a.m. Country Store, Auction, and more.
- ➔ **Saint Andrew Summer Festival, Hillje, Texas, Sunday, August 15, 2021, @St. Andrew Parish Hall.** Prime Beef Bar-B-Que & Homemade Sausage with all trimmings--\$12 per plate. On-Line Auction, Raffle & Country Store items.
- ➔ **The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary – 166th Prazska Pout--Praha Picnic –Sunday, August 15, 2021,** Holy Mass, 10:00 a.m. Dinner 11:00 to 2:00 p.m. – Praha Stew & Fried Chicken – Plates-\$10, Bingo, Auction, Music, Antiques, Ice Cream and more.
- ➔ **Sacred Heart Parish Fall 2021 Picnic, Hallettsville, Texas, Sunday, September 5, 2021, at the KC Hall.** Country Fried Chicken, Stew, Homemade Cornbread Dressing with all the trimmings. \$12 per plate. Cake Walk, Bingo, Country Store, Religious Articles, Music, Auction, Raffle, 2021 Polaris Ranger (Raffle) and more.



DIOCESAN WOMEN'S RETREAT:

JESUS APPROACHES

A THREE-DAY RETREAT FOR WOMEN

OCTOBER 1-3, 2021 AT THE DIOCESE OF VICTORIA SPIRITUAL RENEWAL CENTER

Jesus Approaches, What Contemporary Women Can Learn about Healing, Freedom and Joy from the Women of the New Testament.

For more information and registration go to www.victoriadiocese.org/women-retreats



ASCENSION OF OUR LORD (MORAVIA) PICNIC APPRECIATION DINNER

The Moravia Picnic Appreciation Dinner will be held on Sunday, August 29, 2021. Dinner will be served at 12:00 Noon. Please pass the word around to all workers.

MEMORIALS

ASCENSION OF OUR LORD (MORAVIA)

BUILDING FUND

In Memory of Marcia Hrcir:

Mr. & Mrs. Scotty Brossmann-\$20

Marcus & Sharon Bujnoch-\$20

Irene & Gene Cerny-\$25

Franklin & Henrietta Filip-\$20

Phil & Kathy Guenther-\$20

Pat Hrabovsky, Bernie Cashman & Edith Priest-\$25

David & Wendy Hrcir-\$50

Kathy & Kenny Huff-\$100

Dolores Janak-\$20

Kubena Funeral Home (Dan, Eugene, Andy & Alison)-\$25

Dorothy Olsovsky-\$20

Naomi Hrcir Staha Family-\$30

Wanda Stanzel & Tea Stanzel-\$10

James & Marsha Steffek-\$20

MSGR. JOHN PETERS SEMINARY BURSE

In Memory of Marcia Hrcir:

Mary & James Akers-\$20

ST. JOHN SEMINARY BURSE

In Memory of Marcia Hrcir:

Andy Besetzny-\$110

Stuart & Joanie Krischke-\$30

Milton & Diane Holub-\$25

ASCENSION CEMETERY FUND

In Memory of Albert Olsovsky:

Marcus and Sharon Bujnoch-\$20

Kathy Ahlstrom-\$20

In Memory of Beverly Angell:

Henrietta Vanek-\$300

Next Bulletin: Sunday, August 22, 2021

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 16, 2021