

SEPTEMBER 19, 2021

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
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)
..... 361-865-2446 (home)

Ascension of Our Lord Church

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

Ascension of Our Lord Church

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

MASS SCHEDULE

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	September 18	6:00 p.m.	Arthur & Lillie Spies & Ann	Moravia
Sunday	September 19	9:30 a.m.	John Henry	St. John

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	September 25	6:00 p.m.	L.A. & Vera Wenglar	St. John
Sunday	September 26	9:30 a.m.	Sylvester & Joanie Janak	Moravia
First Friday	October 1	8:00 a.m.	Allen Roeder	St. John

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	October 2	6:00 p.m.	Jerry & Karlene Tupa & Pamela Tupa	Moravia
Sunday	October 3	9:30 a.m.	Anton & Josephine Orsak	St. John

September 19: Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-4, 5-8; Jas 3:16—4:3; Mk 9:30-37

Jesus speaks of his own rejection, torture, and shameful death. True discipleship, he says, is concerned not with status but with service to the poor, with justice and peace.

September 26: Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Nm 11:25-29; Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Moses and Jesus both attest to the fact that the work of the Spirit cannot be confined by an institution, and that no one can claim a monopoly of the Spirit's charism, or wisdom. Beware of growing rich while neglecting the rights and needs of others.

October 3: Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

Conjugal love, lived in fidelity to God's original plan, is to be one of the principal manifestations of the kingdom proclaimed by Jesus. Through baptism into Christ, we join with him in having one and the same Father.

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 SEPTEMBER: Glen Cernik, Sophie Cernik

ASCENSION CHURCH USHERS FOR SEPTEMBER: George Jasek, J. G. Hrcir

ST. JOHN CHURCH CLEANERS FOR SEPTEMBER: Pam Besetsny, Cheryl Brossman, Adrienne Machac

ST. JOHN CHURCH USHERS FOR SEPTEMBER: Gary McBride, Brad Lux

YEAR OF THE FAMILY

Pray. Sing your favorite church song on the way to Mass.

Eat. Fast from one snack or meal this week and offer the sacrifice for someone in your family.

Play. Collect items or make a donation to an organization that helps those with illnesses.

L.A.M.B.

L.A.M.B Thrift Store will re-open on Tuesday, September 21. All summer clothes will be half off.

From the Desk of Msgr. John

We welcome Father John Affum back from Ghana from his vacation and his mother's funeral. It is good to have him back along with Father Chris.

Beginning this Sunday evening, the priests of the Victoria Diocese will gather for the Annual Fall Convocation at Lost Pines in Bastrop and will finish Tuesday at noon. Father John and I will be attending and Father Chris will be staying here while we are gone.

When I get back from the convocation, I will take the rest of the week off and spend it at the farm.

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 18 – 6:00 p.m. – Moravia – Harley Wilson, Heather Wilson

Sunday, September 19 – 9:30 a.m. – St. John–Dylan Orsak, Brant Redman, Wade Shimek, Mary Beth Krischke

Saturday, September 25 – 6:00 p.m. – St. John– Layne Sevcik, Trent Sevcik, Dillon Goedrich, Kullen Kutac

Sunday, September 26 – 9:30 a.m. – Moravia – Bryce Machicek, Alaina Halata, William Halata

Saturday, October 2 – 6:00 p.m. – Moravia – Harley Wilson, Heather Wilson

Sunday, October 3 – 9:30 a.m.–St. John–Dylan Orsak, Brant Redman, Wade Shimek, Mary Beth Krischke

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.



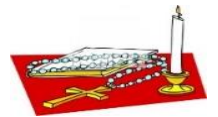
GENERATIONS OF FAITH: We have a great need for Catechists for our Generations of Faith Program for the 2021-2022 year. Please pray about becoming a Catechist. If you have questions or find it a mission that you would like to participate in, please contact Dana Daughtry, 713-822-3019. Thank you for your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

PRO-LIFE CORNER—

“The first person in the world to welcome Jesus, to recognize Him in the womb of His Mother was a child: John the Baptist. How wonderful, God chooses an unborn child to announce the coming of His redeeming Son.”

[Mother Teresa]

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.



CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS #797

There will not be a September Craft Day.

On Monday, September 20, 2021, will be the first meeting for Catholic Daughters.

If you are interested in joining CDA #797, contact Maureen Grones at 361-550-9988, or you can attend the meeting.



Pray for the repose of the souls of James Brossmann father of Scott Brossmann and for Allen Roeder of our St. John Parish family. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

AREA EVENTS

- ➔ **St. John the Baptist Catholic Church Parish Picnic, Sunday, September 26, 2021, Sweet Home Community Center, Sweet Home, Texas.** Picnic Stew, Sausage & Trimmings. \$10 per plate. Auction, Raffle, Country Store, Cake Walk, Kids' Games and more.
- ➔ **Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church BBQ & Raffle, Meyersville, Texas, Sunday, September 26, 2021.** Plates to Go ONLY. \$10 per plate. 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
- ➔ **Holy Cross Catholic Church Fall Festival Turkey Dinner, KC Hall, Bay City, Texas. Sunday, September 26, 2021** Turkey & Dressing Dinner-\$12 per plate. Raffle, Country Store & Auction
- ➔ **St. John Catholic Church, Hungerford, Annual Bazaar, Sunday, October 3, 2021.** BBQ Beef, Chicken, & Sausage. Dine-In & Plates to Go, Auction, Country Store, Cake Walk, & Dance (1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.)
- ➔ **St. Roch Catholic Church, 167TH Annual Mentz Picnic. Mentz, Texas, Sunday, October 3, 2021,** Dine-In & Plates-to-Go - \$14. BBQ Beef, Pork & Sausage. Country Store, Dessert Walk, Auction, Silent Auction, Bingo, Music & such much more.
- ➔ **Sacred Heart Catholic Church Fall Festival, Flatonia, Texas, Sunday, October 3, 2021.** Fried Chicken & Sausage with Dressing & Trimmings Dinner, Plates - \$12.00; Dine-In or Drive-Thru or Walk-Up, Bingo, Live Auction, & Music.
- ➔ **Queen of the Holy Rosary, Hostyn Festival, Sunday, October 3.** Fried Chicken, Sausage & all the trimmings, Plates \$12. County Store, Raffle, Cake Wheel, Bingo, Silent Auction & Music.



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



34th Annual Catholic Conference - The Sacraments: Here is Your Salvation

Saturday, September 25, 2021-- St. Joseph High School, 110 E. Red River, Victoria, TX

Register online at www.victoriadiocese.org

Workshop presentations will include retreats, new approaches, and best practices on various topics for those in faith formation (catechetical ministry) as well as presentations on the Mass, prayer, family, self-care and ministry to the sick.

POSTPONED

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.



SACRED HEART WOMEN'S ACT RETREAT

The Sacred Heart Women's Act Retreat will be on Thursday evening, October 7, 2021 through Sunday, October 10, 2021. We would like for the women to join us for a life-changing weekend. This experience is

sponsored by the Sacred Heart Deanery and will take place at Cathedral Oaks in Weimar, Texas. It will be an opportunity for spiritual renewal and the making of many friends. Transportation will be provided to and from the Retreat Center. All food will be provided. Forms are in the back of Church. If you have any questions the contact information is on the Form.

Raphael's Refuge is celebrating the Feast of the Archangels on Sept. 29. They will have confessions at 11:15 a.m. followed by the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at 12:05. Father Felix Twumasi will preside. At 6:00 in the evening, Deacon Novosad will lead us in a Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Adoration and Benediction.



Your marriage deserves to THRIVE!

Choosing to L.O.V.E. is a retreat for couples seeking to enrich their marriage by focusing on what brought it into existence: **their marriage vows**.

Developed by Bishop Gary Janak and several couples from the El Campo area in 2009, it has served over 200 couples since its founding.

Meant for couples wanting to strengthen their bond, and not those experiencing serious marital challenges, the weekend includes inspiring talks by married couples and clergy, within a leisurely schedule, so couples can also have private time. October 8-10, 2021 at the Spiritual Renewal Center.

Registration is simple & easy! Register online at www.victoriadiocese.org/choosingtolove.



ST. JOHN PICNIC REPORT 2021

	INCOME	EXPENSES	PROFIT
Auction	\$ 92,335.00	\$ 1,026.45	\$ 91,308.55
Ball Throw	409.75		409.75
Beer	38,070.00	13,117.33	24,952.67
Country Store	4,830.65		4,830.65
Donations	125.00		125.00
Duck Race	341.00		341.00
Kolaches & Rosettes	1,739.00	450.00	1,289.00
Meal	46,332.29	28,089.60	18,242.69
Meat Donations	370.00		370.00
Stew Sales	2,428.50		2,428.50
Raffle *	20,720.30	6,228.34	14,491.96
Soda**	5,362.25	1,469.01	3,893.24
Misc. Expenses	0.93	10,912.97	(10,912.04)
Advertising Expenses		3,183.10	(3,183.10)
Appreciation Meal		1,852.50	(1,852.50)
TOTAL	\$ 213,064.67	\$ 66,329.30	\$ 146,735.37

* Includes the total of \$6,000.00 cash prizes

** Includes expense for koozies for 2022

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES

Shiner Hobo	650.00	Misc. Supplies	834.80
Dujka Bros.	800.00	Mr. B. Fireworks	4,000.00
Red Ravens	1,000.00	Misc. Repairs	306.42
Mark Halata & Texiva	750.00	Security	420.00
La Grange Ice Plant	1,141.75	Patrol	160.00
Garbage & Dumpster	850.00		

DONATIONS

4 E Dairy	Milk for rolling chicken		
Renowned Chemical	Hand Cleaner & Surface Cleaner		
Robert & Peggy Mendel	40 Dozen Rosettes		
Jr. & Eugene Chaloupka	50 Bags of Popcorn		
DK Air Conditioning	All maintenance on A/C units		

**TO ALL PARISHIONERS, RELATIVES, FRIENDS AND ALL GOOD PEOPLE--
THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**

2021 Moravia Picnic Report

	INCOME	EXPENSES	PROFIT
AUCTION	52,230.00	893.57	51,336.43
BEER	4,267.21	-	4,267.21
CAKE WALK	699.10		699.10
COUNTRY STORE	1,790.00		1,790.00
HAMBURGER STAND	614.94		614.94
KJZT PARTIAL MATCHING FUNDS FOR COUNTRY STORE AND CAKE WALK	1,000.00		1,000.00
MEAL	41,263.43	17,920.80	23,342.63
DONATIONS(SEE LIST)	2,850.00		2,850.00
RAFFLES	5,935.00	165.75	5,769.25
RING TOSS	333.75	-	333.75
SODA WATER/SNOW CONES	1,398.97	384.02	1,014.95
STEW SALES	805.00	-	805.00
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES (SEE LIST)	-	5,828.32	(5,828.32)
TOTAL	\$ 113,187.40	\$ 25,192.46	\$ 87,994.94
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES:			
ADVERTISING	1,399.50		
TEXAS SOUND CHECK	750.00		
MARK HALATA & TEXAVIA	650.00		
PICNIC WORKERS APPRECIATION DINNER	1,253.82		
VIC Ice Co.	500.00		
PORTABLE POTTIES & TRASH DUMP	500.00		
THREE COOLING FANS	500.00		
TWO BASKETS	75.00		
DISHWASHERS	200.00		
TOTAL	5,828.32		
<i>Thanks to the Hallettsville Knights of Columbus for having the Hamburger Stand and sharing the profit and for handling the beer.</i>			
Total Beer Income	\$ 9,186.00		
Total Beer Expenses	4,433.21		
Net Profit	4,752.79		
KC Profit @ 10%	475.28		
Moravia Profit @ 90%	4,277.51		
Beer Tickets Expense	(10.30)		
Moravia Net Beer Profit	\$ 4,267.21		
Moravia 25% profit from the KC Hamburger Sta	\$614.94		

2021 WORKERS APPRECIATION DINNER			
CATERED MEAL (150 PLATES)	\$	1,312.50	
REFRESHMENTS		158.32	
INCOME FROM SALE OF LEFTOVERS		217.00	
NET COST OF APPRECIATION DINNER	\$	1,253.82	
DONATIONS			
Adela Filip		20.00	
Allen & Arlene Becan		50.00	
Anonymous		10.00	
Anonymous		200.00	
Anonymous		40.00	
Arlenel Holmes		150.00	
Barbara Haas		30.00	
David & Dorothy Young		100.00	
Delores Janak		50.00	
Dorothy Olsovsky		50.00	
Dwayne & Connie Burton		100.00	
Emith Orsak		100.00	
Ervin & Karen Neskora		100.00	
Ervin J. & Helen Chaloupka		200.00	
Eugene & Irene Cerny		50.00	
Gayle Kocich		75.00	
Henrietta & Franklin Filip		125.00	
J Bar Food		250.00	
Jasek Tree Trimming George & Diana Jasek		100.00	
Leo C & Dorothy S. Henke		500.00	
Mark & Mary Shafer		50.00	
Marty & Kristina Janak		50.00	
Moravia Store		75.00	
Philip & Kathleen Guenther		100.00	
Robert & Mary Kendall		50.00	
Thomas & Rose Ann Brosch		150.00	
Vernell R Shanks		75.00	
	TOTAL	\$2,850.00	
OTHER DONATIONS:			
Four six foot white tables donated by Dennis & Barbara Janak			
Milk for frying chicken donated by 4-E Dairy			
Portable Building donated by Morgan Portable Buildings			
D K Refrigeration for a free check up on our Air Conditioner Service Prior to Picnic			
Chips for Soda Stand donated by S & H Vending			
\$55.25 (25% discount) on the cost of Printing Raffles Tickets donated by Lavaca County Office Supplies			
\$50.00 Donation from Greg Kubenka from the Water Slide and Can Toss			

Next Bulletin: Sunday, October 3, 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, Tuesday, September 27, 2021**