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ZACHARY, LA



Mass Schedule:

SATURDAY:

4PM CONFESSION
5PM MASS

SUNDAY:

7AM MASS
10AM HOLY ROSARY &
DIVINE MERCY
11AM MASS

WEEKDAYS:

WED. 7AM MASS
THURS. 7:30 MASS
FRI. 7:30 MASS,
DIVINE MERCY TO FOLLOW
(CONFESSIONS ARE
AVAILABLE 15 MINUTES
BEFORE DAILY MASSES)

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*Our
Lady of the
Assumption*
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Mass Schedule for Our Lady of the Assumption:

SUNDAY: 9AM MASS

TUESDAY: 6:15 PM CONFESSION 6:30PM MASS

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September
30
2018

Any who give you a
cup of water to drink
because you
belong to Christ,
amen, I say to you,
will surely not
lose their reward.

Mark 9:41

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

NOT AGAINST US

Like Moses before him, Jesus corrects his disciples' misunderstanding of the gift of the Spirit. They saw people who were not of their company casting out demons and doing other works such as Jesus had done. Jesus points out that no one who does a good deed in his name can be opposed to him at the same time. He goes on to point out the importance of the "little ones," the poor, simple people, children, the meek ones who are not important in the world. It is to them that he was sent, not to the wealthy and the self-righteous. He underscores the importance of small works done in faith, as well as big works like driving out demons. "Anyone who gives you a cup of water . . . because you belong to Christ . . . will surely not lose his reward" (Mark 9:41). God builds the coming reign little by little in our actions, however small and unassuming, when they are done out of love of God and neighbor. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jb 1:6-22; Ps 17:1bcd-3, 6-7; Lk 9:46-50
Tuesday: Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Ps 88:2-8;
Mt 18:1-5, 10
Wednesday: Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Ps 88:10bc-15;
Lk 9:57-62
Thursday: Jb 19:21-27; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14; Lk 10:1-12
Friday: Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Ps 139:1-3, 7-10,
13-14ab; Lk 10:13-16
Saturday: Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Ps 119:66, 71, 75,
91, 125, 130; Lk 10:17-24
Sunday: Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-6; Heb 2:9-11;
Mk 10:2-16 [2-12]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Monday: St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus
Tuesday: The Holy Guardian Angels
Thursday: St. Francis of Assisi
Friday: Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos; First Friday
Saturday: St. Bruno; Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher;
First Saturday; Blessed Virgin Mary

SANCTUARY LIGHT: SEPTEMBER 29—OCTOBER 5

The Sanctuary Light at St. John will burn in memory of **Darrin Vince, Madeline & Joseph Hemba**.
The Adoration Chapel will burn in memory of **Ruth Delahoussaye & Stephen Blackwell**.
The Sanctuary Light at Our Lady will burn in memory of **Corine Leclercq**.



In Sympathy

Our Communities of Faith extend our sympathy and prayerful support for the families of:

Gloria Denicola, parishioner of SJB and mother of Mike Denicola; and **Neil Scheibel**, father of Tom Scheibel.
May the Lord grant comfort and peace to these families and may they and all who sleep in Christ, find in His presence light, happiness and peace.

New to our Parish:



John & Amanda Bellard and
their on, Bransen, in Zachary

Congratulations and Welcome

To our newest members
Baptized in the Lord



Saturday, September 22, 2018

'Ruth' Claire Bayer

daughter of Andrew and Christin Bayer

Sunday, September 23, 2018

Clinton Forrest 'Francis' Gayle

son of Candice Holley

Taylor Rose 'Mary' Gayle

daughter of Candice Holley

The KC's BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN
is a drive to collect funds to support
Pro-life initiatives at the local level.
Please take home an empty baby
bottle next weekend (Oct. 6 & 7)



and deposit your donation to fill the bottle.
Return the bottle to church on October 13th & 14th.



OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

News & Announcements



Class is TODAY.

October classes are: 14th & 28th.

We will have a LIVING ROSARY the last half hour of class at 11am on Oct. 14th.

Parents, please sign up if you can join us.

Confirmation Session #1 is

October 24th at 5:30pm at SJB.



ALL SAINTS / ALL SOULS

All Saints / All Souls Memorial Candles

The Altar of the Faithfully Departed will be on display:
from Wednesday, October 31st until Tuesday, November 6th

Memorial Candles are \$5.00 each.

Order forms are now available following all Masses
in the church. Deadline for ordering is October 21st.

Contact for more information: Diane Rouchon (683-5192)

"Let's Make a Centerpiece!"

A class will be held on Tuesday, October 9th at 7:30pm (following a brief Altar Society meeting)
to make your Fall / Thanksgiving centerpiece.

Bring your favorite vase, basket or family heirloom for your design.

The cost is \$25.00 to cover the cost of supplies and benefit our Religious Ed programs.

Please RSVP Joyce Barrone at 324-7711.

Please **RSVP by October 1st** to insure enough supplies will be provided.



Men of the Immaculata 2019 Men's Conference

St. George Catholic
Church in Baton Rouge
on March, 2019

Guest speakers: Tim Staples (Director of Apologetics & Evangelization at Catholic Answers) and Father Donald Calloway, MIC (author of 7 books including *Turning Back* and *Champions of the Rosary*) plus Sister Tracey Dugas and Chef John Folse.

Call the parish office for more information.

Tickets are selling fast so please don't wait.

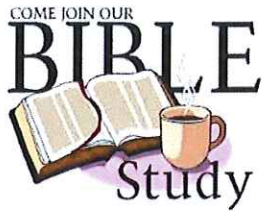
Exclusive Membership

The temptation to control things is pretty common, but we can't be truly at peace till we allow God to be the one in control. God loves all people, even those who don't know him. So if we see someone who has a spiritual gift, it could be God's way of helping that person to know about His love. There are many non-Christians who are very generous or patient or wise, who could come to faith if they realized that God was acting through them. You don't have to bowl them over with evangelistic fervor. Just the observation that you see God's love in them might get them thinking about their faith. The Apostles Creed reminds us that the Church is catholic, or universal. All are welcome, because Jesus died for everyone.

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PARISH WIDE EVENTS



Mondays: 10:00am in the Parish Hall. The current study is "Wild Goose"
-a study on the Holy Spirit.

Wednesdays: 6:00pm in the Parish Hall. We will begin on Sept. 26 with
"Acts of the Apostles".

Thursdays: 6:00pm in Classroom 4. The current study is "Wild Goose"-a study on the Holy Spirit.

Sundays on Oct. 14, Oct. 28, Nov. 11, Dec. 9, Jan. 6, Jan. 27: 9:15am-10:45am in the Parish Hall.
The current study is "Divine Mercy, the Second Greatest Story Ever Told".

NEXT Sunday, October 7th: Following the 11:00am Mass

We will host our first **SAUSAGE FEST AND PIE BAKE OFF**.

Enter your best sausage recipe or favorite pie. The fee is \$5.00 per dish and you must complete an entry form. The winners will be selected by our priests and sisters.

Hot dogs, corn hole toss, and fun will be provided by the parish.

Bring your cooler with drinks, lawn chair and relax after Mass. Contact the parish office to enter the contest.



Saturday, October 13th: Morning of Reflection

8:00am Breakfast and 9:00am Program with a Public Rosary at Noon

Please join us for a morning of prayer and fellowship sponsored by Handmaids of the Lord. FREE!



Sunday, October 28th: Following the 11:00am Mass

Depart with us for an afternoon of fun at the Lockett Farms **CORN MAZE AND PUMKIN PATCH** at Rosedown Plantation in St. Francisville.



The cost is \$8 per person (2 & under free) and includes corn mazes, games, a trip to the Pumpkin Patch for one free pumpkin, and a hay ride.

We will have a reserved picnic area for our parish. Pack a cooler with drinks, sandwiches and snacks. Please RSVP to the parish office ASAP. (If we get enough people, we will get a bus!)

Sunday, December 2: following 7:00am and 11:00am Masses



BREAKFAST WITH SANTA and mini **MISTLETOE MARKET**

Breakfast is free! The fee for the market is \$10.00 per booth.

We will have only 10 booths.

Please call the parish office to reserve a booth.



2018 Morning of Reflection

The Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Saturday, October 13th

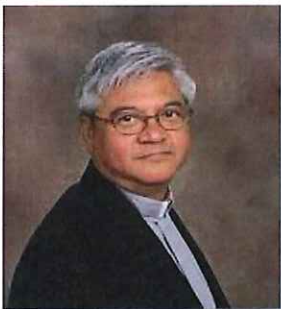
Starts with Breakfast at 8:00 am in Parish Hall

Program at 9:00 am with Public Rosary at Noon

St John the Baptist Catholic Church

Please join us for a Morning of Prayer and Fellowship

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Attendance is FREE. Reservations Encouraged.

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America Needs Fatima Public Living Rosary at Noon
Commemorating 101st Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima Apparitions
America Needs Fatima - PRAY for the Future of America
Procession from SJB Activity Center to Church grounds
with Knights of Columbus Honor Guard





For Our Troops, Their Families, and Our Country

Marvin Ashford, Jr., Army	Aaron Barr, USAF
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Brian Plauche, USAF	Andrea Byrd Prosser, USCG
Mike Prosser, USCG	Jesse B. Richard, Army
Nicholas Richards, USN	Michael Roberts, USCG
James Rouchon, USMC	Jarrod Mason Sealey, USAF
David Welch, LaNG	Gordon M. White, USAF
Christopher Williston, USAF	

October's HEALING ROSARY

is Monday, October 1st at 9:00am
at the home of Devin and Linda Holley.
Please join us as together we pray for
the healing of our parishioners and their
family members.



NEXT WEEK at St. John the Baptist Sunday, September 30

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

-7:00 am: Mass / Coffee

-11:00 am: Mass

-5:00 pm: Lifeteen

Monday, October 1

-9:00 am: Healing Rosary

-10:00 am: Bible Study

-6:00 pm: Prayer Group

-6:30 pm: Scouts

Tuesday, October 2

-5:00 pm: Adult Choir

-6:00 pm: Children and Youth Choirs

Wednesday, October 3

-7:00 am: Mass

-6:00 pm: Bible Study

Thursday, October 4

-7:30 am: Mass

-10:00 am: Altar Society

-6:00 pm: Study by Handmaids of the Lord

-7:00 pm: R.C.I.A.

Friday, October 5

-7:30 am: Mass / Divine Mercy / Coffee

-7:30 pm: N.A. Meeting

Saturday, October 6

-4:00 pm: Reconciliation

-5:00 pm: Mass

Sunday, October 7

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

-6:30 pm: KofC Rosary

-7:00 am: Mass / Coffee

-8:00 am: Knights of Columbus

-11:00 am: Mass



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writing checks or worrying about cash donations or
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contributions and change the timing or the amount of
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Visit our website: sjb-ola.org and click on the link.

Call the parish office for assistance.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS 09/23/2018

St. John the Baptist

Identified (Envelopes, checks, online)	\$	9,366.00
Unidentified (Loose cash)	\$	1,034.25
Building Maintenance	\$	435.00
Youth Ministry	\$	395.00
Religious Education Donation	\$	255.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	125.00
Legacy of Faith (Debt Reduction)	\$	2,211.00

Our Lady of Assumption

Identified (Envelopes, checks, online)	\$	3,143.64
Unidentified (Loose Cash)	\$	425.00
Youth Ministry	\$	45.00

NEXT WEEK at Our Lady

Sunday, September 30

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

-9:00 am: Mass

-10:00 am: Religious Ed Class #4

Tuesday, October 2

-6:15 pm: Reconciliation

-6:30 pm: Mass

-7:00 pm: Men's Club

Sunday, October 7

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

-8:30 am: Rosary

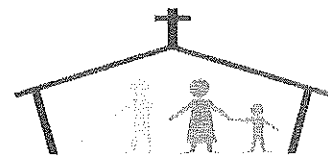
-9:00 am: Mass

-10:00 am: First Sunday Social

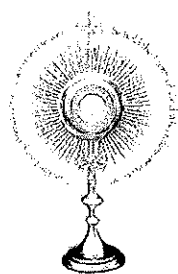




Religious Education



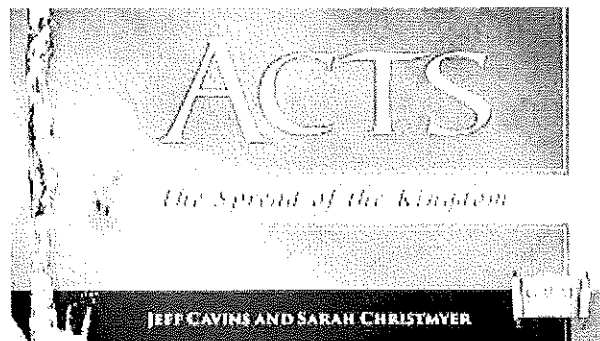
- ❖ Life Teen is tonight from 5-7pm in the Gym.
- ❖ Due to Fall Break, the next K-5 & Edge is October 14th.
- ❖ Emmaus Road will also be on October 14th during K-5 classes. All are invited!
- ❖ 11th grade students first Confirmation session is October 24th, 5:30-7pm in the Parish Hall.
- ❖ Please sign up for Formed on the church website! It's a great resource for expanding your knowledge and deepening your faith!



24 Hour Adoration is
Monday, October 15th from 8am until
Tuesday at 8am. Please consider signing up
for an hour with Jesus.

Email Suzanne Payne for an available time.

suzanpayne@gmail.com



**Come check out our newest
Bible Study! Every Wednesday
at 6pm in the Parish Hall.**

'INFUSED' Steep Your Marriage in Faith
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