

UPCOMING LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE			
	Saturday, January 1st 10:00 am	Sunday , January 2nd 9:00am	Sunday, January 2nd 11:00am
Lectors	Carlos Diaz Sonya Diaz	Kevin Moore Mary Bustillos	Virginia Luna Susan Miller
Eucharistic Ministers	TBA	Eva Guajardo Johnny Rodriguez	Debbie Gonzalez Selena Vaughn
Altar Server	Grant McCall	Isaac Kitten	Peter DeLaTorre
Ushers	Mirella Castillo, EJ Castillo, Mauro Rocha, Hector Perez	Johnny Rodriguez, Rick Rodriguez, Matt Carrizales	Lo Gauna, Damon McCall, Jordi Sales , Jack Maloney

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST MINISTRY CONTACTS

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# Saint John the Baptist Catholic Church

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THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH  
CYCLE C  
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2021

**First Reading**  
*1 Samuel 1:20-22,24-28*  
Hannah dedicates her son, Samuel, to the Lord.

**Responsorial Psalm**  
*Psalm 84:2-3,5-6,9-10*  
Those who dwell in the Lord's house are happy.

**Second Reading**  
*1 John 3:1-2,21-24*  
We are God's children now.

**Gospel Reading**  
*Luke 2:41-52*  
The boy Jesus is found in the Temple.

**Pastor:** Monsignor David Cruz  
**Deacon:** Deacon Severo Alvarado  
**Mass Times:**  
Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am  
Monday & Wednesday &  
Thursday at Noon  
**Confessions:**  
1st Saturday of the Month  
4:00 - 4:45 pm or by appt.  
**Office Hours:**  
Monday through Friday  
9:00 am to 1:00 pm  
**Mailing Address:**  
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**Welcome to any new parishioners of St. John the Baptist.**  
**You can register:**

- With our front office at 10805 Indiana Avenue
  - Or Online at www.stjohnbaptistlbk.org

Calendar For Upcoming Week	
<b>Current Saturday 12/25/2021</b>	Mass - 10:00 am - For the Intentions of Our Holy Father
<b>Current Sunday 12/26/2021</b>	Mass - 9:00 am - For the People of the Parish Mass - 11:00 am - For Johnny Martinez (ER)
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Office Closed</b> <b>No Daily Mass</b> No Rosary Group
<b>Tuesday</b>	KoC Officer Meeting - 7:00 pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Daily Mass - Noon
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Office Closed</b> <b>No Daily Mass</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Office Closed</b> Solemnity of Mary Eve Mass - 5:00 pm
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>No Confession or Adoration</b> Solemnity of Mary Mass - 10:00 am
<b>Sunday</b>	Mass - 9:00 am Mass - 11:00 am

Dear Parish Family,

Christmas is a time of joy and a time of gratitude. We are joyful for the birth of Christ and grateful for all of God's blessings throughout the course of this past year. As Christmas draws closer and a new year will soon be upon us, I want to take the opportunity to express my thanks for all you have done for St. John the Baptist. Your generosity, sacrificial offerings, and gifts of time, talent and treasure have made it possible for us to become a stable and growing Catholic community. Without families and individuals like you, who make up our parish, there would be no St. John the Baptist Church!

As we continue to move forward into the new year, I ask for your continued support and prayers so that God may truly bless our efforts on His behalf. Please know of my prayers for each of you.

May the Lord grant you, and yours, a healthy, happy, safe, and peaceful Christmas. And may He watch over all of us and bless us, one and all!



**Merry Christmas!**

Father David, Pastor



<p><b><u>Sacramental Preparation</u></b></p> <p>If you are in need of any sacraments (Baptism, 1st Holy Communion, 1st Reconciliation, Confirmation, or Holy Matrimony), please contact Terri Contreras for more information on our programs at 771-2673 or parisharchives@stjohnbaptistlbk.org.</p>
<p><b><u>Protection of our Children</u></b></p> <p>Our Parish is committed to the protection of children and young people, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse. Any allegations of sexual abuse of a minor must first be reported to the proper civil authorities. The Diocesan Victims Assistant Coordinator, Oscar Reyes, should be contacted afterwards at 806-543-9178</p>
<p>All bulletin, Facebook, or website posts can be submitted to Mary Morris at websmaster@stjohnbaptistlbk.org. Bulletin deadline is 2 weeks in advance of publication.</p>



"God gave us His Son Jesus Christ as a Sacred gift of life and salvation; we give ourselves to Christ as a humble gift of our love for God."

The best gift we can give God is our faith and trust in Him through Jesus Christ.

In Christ—Dcn. Severo †

\* **New Year's Eve Mass, Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God**

Friday, December 31st at 5 pm

\* **New Year's Day Mass, Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God**

Saturday, January 1st at 10:00 am

\* **Feast of Epiphany Mass**

Sunday, January 2nd  
at 9:00 am and 11:00 am



\* **No Daily Mass On Following**

Dec. 27th, 30th, or Jan. 3rd



There will be no Adoration or Confession available this Saturday, January 1st.

Instead, there will be a 10 am Mass for the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God. Thank you for your understanding.



Because of this parish's generosity, 63 patients from StarCare received a special Christmas present this week! StarCare Specialty Health System provides services for adults, children, and adolescents who have a diagnosis of mental illness, intellectual disabilities, and/or substance use disorder.



**and DONUTS Returning in 2022!**

We are excited to announce the return this January of Coffee & Donuts after both Sunday Masses!

This ministry is an act of love and fellowship by our hospitality team, and they need our help to get it up and running again.

If you are able to donate (donuts or money to purchase refreshments) or can help serve after Mass, please contact Belinda Martinez at (806) 777-4089.

**Changes to our Baptism Classes**



To better serve our parishioners and to be good stewards of the sacramental life of our parish, the policy for baptism has been revised.

Beginning January 1, 2022, parents requesting their child(ren) receive the Sacrament of Baptism are required to be registered and active members of our parish for no less than 6 months prior to beginning preparation for the Sacrament. Requests for exceptions (for example, danger of death) will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

*Thank you for your understanding.*

Terri Contreras, Parish Archivist

Msgr. David Cruz, Pastor

**PRAYER INTENTIONS**

**Healing**

Adrian Rodriguez  
Albert Hernandez  
Bob Akeroyd  
Christian Rivera  
Dan Olson  
Eddie Rangel  
Groves Family

Jeanniey Martinez  
Kenny Kittrell  
Kevin Muico  
Leonard Wagner  
Linda Carrizalez  
Lydia Miranda  
Mike Prosser  
Olga Aguero

Phillip McQueen  
Terrie Nolan

**General**

Jose O. Rodriguez Family  
Joseph Contreras  
**Birthday**  
Camila Castillo  
Mirella Castillo

**Eternal Rest**

Alfred Nolan  
Antonio V.  
Fred santistevan  
† All the Faithful Departed