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Worship Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday Masses:

8:00 AM, 10:30 AM and 5:00 PM

Spanish Mass: 2:00 PM

Weekday Masses:

Monday—Friday 7:00 AM

Weekday Adoration:

Every Friday following Mass

7:30 AM-8:30 AM

Holy Days:

Vigil Mass: 6:00 PM

Holy Day: 7:00 AM and 12:00 PM

Confession:

30 minutes before Vigil Mass

And anytime by request

all the other Masses

First Friday Adoration

7 AM - 5 PM

Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction

First Saturday Devotion:

8:00 AM—10:30 AM

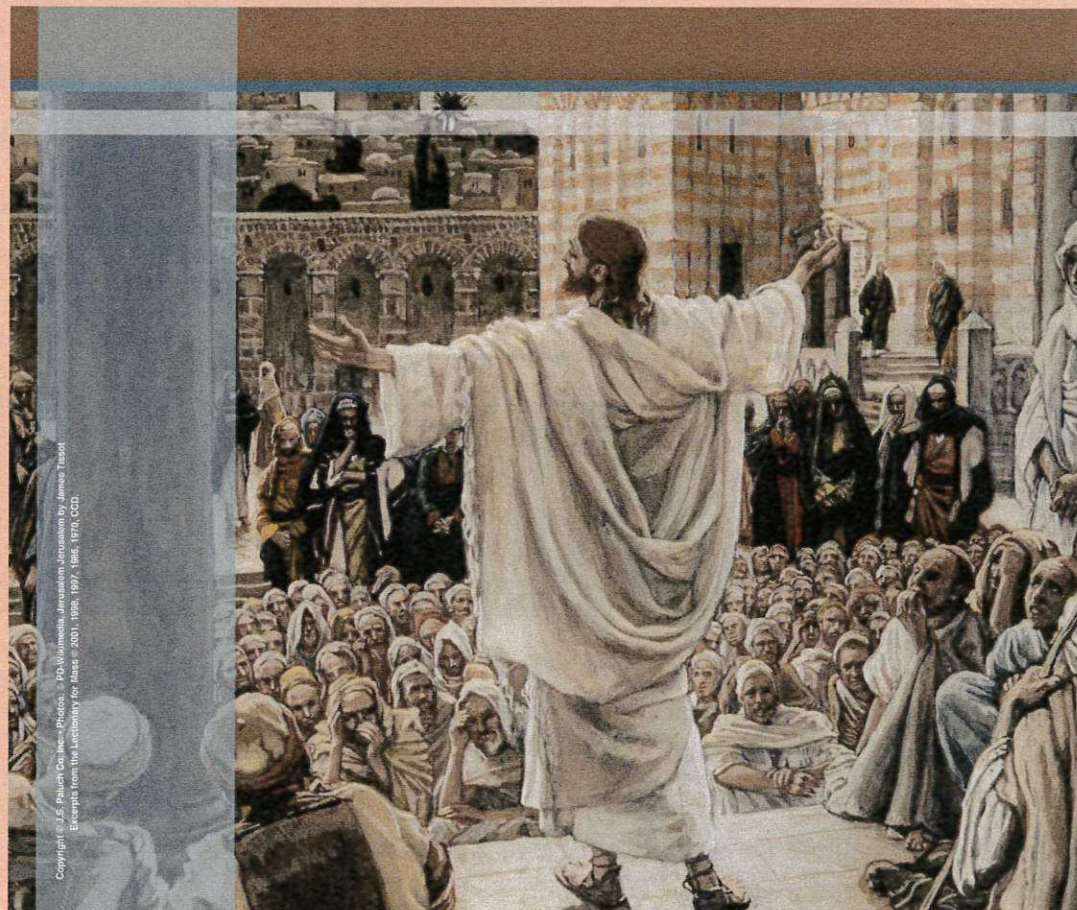
Confession, Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary, Meditation and Benediction

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JULY 4, 2021

FOURTEENTH
SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

When the Sabbath came,
Jesus began to teach
in the synagogue, and many
who heard him were astonished.

Mark 6:2

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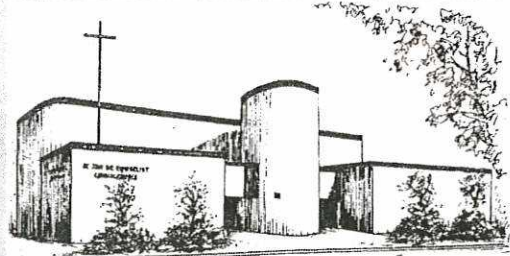
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Welcome to St. John the Evangelist!

Whether you're just visiting for a brief time, looking for a new parish home, returning to the practice of your Catholic faith or interested in finding out more about the Catholic Church, we are happy you're here! To learn more about St. John, please visit stjohngulfport.org.



If you are new to the parish, please go to our website and click on the "New Parishioner" tab.



A special thank you to this year's sponsors of the July 4th posters. May the Lord bless you in your generosity.

Terry & Candy Hurst, Kevin & Elena Reid, Jimmy & Garnette Wetzel, and Mercedes Carranza.



If you would like to donate flower arrangements for the altar, please contact the parish office.

If you have a loved one that is homebound, in a nursing home or in the hospital and would like a visit from Father Satish or Deacon David, contact Ann in the parish office.



We extend our condolences and deepest sympathy to the family of Barbara Walker.

May Barbara and all the souls of the faithfully departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Following Mass at 7:00 AM each Friday, the Blessed Sacrament is exposed for adoration until 8:30 AM.

Adoration on the First Friday of each month begins at 7:30 AM and continues until 5:00 PM.

Happy birthday blessings are extended to:

Lynne Healy, July 3
John Faulk, Ashleigh Pucheu, July 4
Malik Smith, July 5
Gage Cola, July 6

Trudy Ferrara, Briggs Martin, Cathy Whitener, July 8

May God grant them many blessings in the coming year!



Congratulations to Our Parishioners



Celebrating Wedding Anniversaries

Josh & Laci Treadgill, 11 yrs on July 4

May God bless them with many more

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Independence Day

Monday: St. Anthony Zaccaria; St. Elizabeth of Portugal

Tuesday: St. Maria Goretti

Friday: St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions

Hear Us and Heal Us

Your prayers are asked for the following individuals

Mary Ann Bishop	Doug Kirk	Gee Gee Grandis
Andy Borgia	John Knight	Maria Pique
Dean Bowles	Linda Langenbach	Thomas Woodcock
Harriett Bowles	Betty Martin	May Adams
Suzanne Bowles	Rhonda Mires	Elizabeth Feinman
Garry Cooper	Carolyn McClellan	Kendall Dedeaux
Ed Croal	Helena Nichols	Bette Johnson
Ronnie Cuevas	Judy Northrup	Paulette Garton
Mimi Davis	Bernard Papania	Ronnie Wade
Carolyn Fayard	Colette Marissa	
Marcia Flagg	Quigley	
Julie Foster	Peggy Ryland	Parishioners of
Angel Garcia	Joan Sample	St. John the
Jordan Hoang	Vicki Smith	Evangelist
Werner Huber	Charlie Underwood	
Kory Hudson	Erma Wilson	
Bill Jones	Joey Labella	
Kent Killegrew	Alan Penton	
Suzanne King	Trudy Ferrara	

To add or remove a name from the prayer list, please contact the Parish Office. Names will appear on the prayer list for six weeks, but are

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday: 8:00 AM ✠Skip Ryland
4:00 PM ✠Mackie Fayard

Sunday: 8:00 AM ✠Mary Borzik
✠Skip Ryland
✠John Windham
Special intentions of Ed Croal
Special intention in honor of St Joseph

10:30 AM People of the Parish
5:00 PM ✠Alex North
Monday: 7:00 AM ✠Skip Ryland
Tuesday: 7:00 AM ✠Helen Ann Fayard
Wednesday: 7:00 AM ✠Angela Hage
Thursday: 7:00 AM ✠Mackie Fayard
Friday: 7:00 AM ✠Skip Ryland

Second Collection

July 4 - Church renovation

Parish Office Hours

Parish office will be closed Monday July 5th.

Office hours are Monday thru Friday from 9 am to 3 pm.

In the event of an emergency or if you need to reach Fr. Satish, you may call or text him at 228-297-7774.

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Your support is graciously appreciated!

A Reflection on Sunday's Readings

NO BAD NEWS

There are many times when we say, "Tell me what I want to hear, and don't confuse me with facts." And we don't take kindly to someone who might be bold enough to snuff out our expectations.

The biggest problem with such an attitude is not that we miss out on the truth or the facts, but that we miss out on the new and surprising gifts others can give us. Like the townspeople in today's Gospel story, we too often refuse to allow others to display the talents that can be good news for us.

Today's readings call for hospitality and faith and discernment. Hospitality opens the doors of our hearts and minds to the "stranger" among us, no matter how familiar he or she may seem to be. Faith enables us to accept the gifts of others, no matter how alarming or "strange" they may seem to be. Discernment helps us discover the prophets in our midst, no matter how amazing they may seem to be. Hospitality, faith, and discernment—cultivate these. Then, nobody can bring bad news.

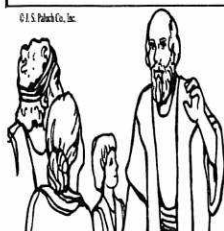
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FEAST OF FAITH Little Mysteries

Two small rites—or, as one liturgist has called them, "little mysteries"—accompany the preparation of the gifts. The priest or deacon takes a small cruet of water from the server and adds a drop of water to the wine. Then, after the elevation of the chalice (and the incensation, if incense is used), the priest washes his hands. Both of these actions were at first practical, matter-of-fact realities: in the ancient world the wine was usually quite thick, and was generally mixed with water before it was drunk. And in the early church, when the faithful brought forward a great variety of gifts at this time, there was a definite need for the presider to wash his hands!

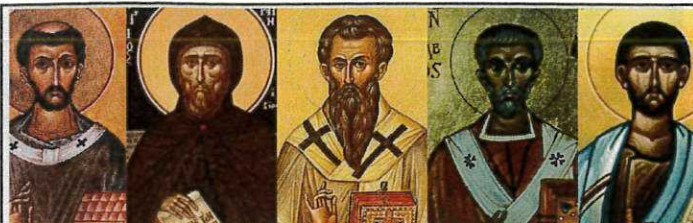
But now these rites serve a purely symbolic function. The mingling of the water and wine is accompanied by a prayer that speaks of the wonderful exchange of the Mass, the mingling of Christ's divinity and our humanity. And as the priest washes his hands, he prays words of supplication from Psalm 51, acknowledging his own sinfulness in the presence of the assembly before he dares to approach the altar for this most sacred action.

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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 4, 2021

My grace is sufficient for you,
for power is made perfect in weakness.
— 2 Corinthians 12:9



Theological Writings by the Church Fathers on the Holy Eucharist

"I wish to add something that is plainly awe-inspiring, but do not be astonished or upset. This Sacrifice, no matter who offers it, be it Peter or Paul, is always the same as that which Christ gave His disciples and which priests now offer: The offering of today is in no way inferior to that which Christ offered, because it is not men who sanctify the offering of today; it is the same Christ who sanctified His own. For just as the words which God spoke are the very same as those which the priest now speaks, so too the oblation is the very same."

Source: St. John Chrysostom, "Homilies on the Second Epistle to Timothy," 2,4, c. 397 A.D.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — They shall know that a prophet has been among them (Ezekiel 2:2-5).

Psalms — Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy (Psalm 123).

Second Reading — I am content with weaknesses and hardships for the sake of Christ (2 Corinthians 12:7-10).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-4, 14-15ab; Mt 9:18-26
Tuesday: Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b, 15; Mt 9:32-38
Wednesday: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Mt 10:1-7
Thursday: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 10:7-15
Friday: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mt 10:16-23
Saturday: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-4, 6-7; Mt 10:24-33
Sunday: Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-14; Eph 1:3-14 [1:3-10]; Mk 6:7-13



Prayer to the Guardian Angel of the United States

O glorious Guardian Angel of the United States, to whom God has entrusted the care of our beloved country we honor you and thank you for the care and protection you have given to this great nation from the first moment of its inception.

O powerful Angel Guardian, whose watchful glance encompasses this vast land from shore to shore, we know that our sins have grieved our Lord and God and marred the beauty of our heritage. Lead us to a deep conversion, so that we may return to the embrace of His merciful love!

O Holy Angel, obtain for us through the intercession of the Queen of Heaven before the throne of God the graces we need to overcome the forces of evil so rampant in our beloved land.

Help us, our God-given protector and friend, to respond wholeheartedly to the urgent pleas of the Mother of God at Fatima. Assist us to offer the prayers and sacrifices necessary to bring peace and goodness to our nation.

We want to make you known and loved throughout our land, so that docile to your inspirations we may know, love and serve our Lord more faithfully and so become once more "one Nation under God"! Amen.