

St. John the Baptist and Holy Trinity

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October 4, 2015

Mass Schedule:

Mon., Tues. & Fri.—12:00 Noon

Saturday Vigil—4:00 pm

Sunday—9:00 am & 11:00 am

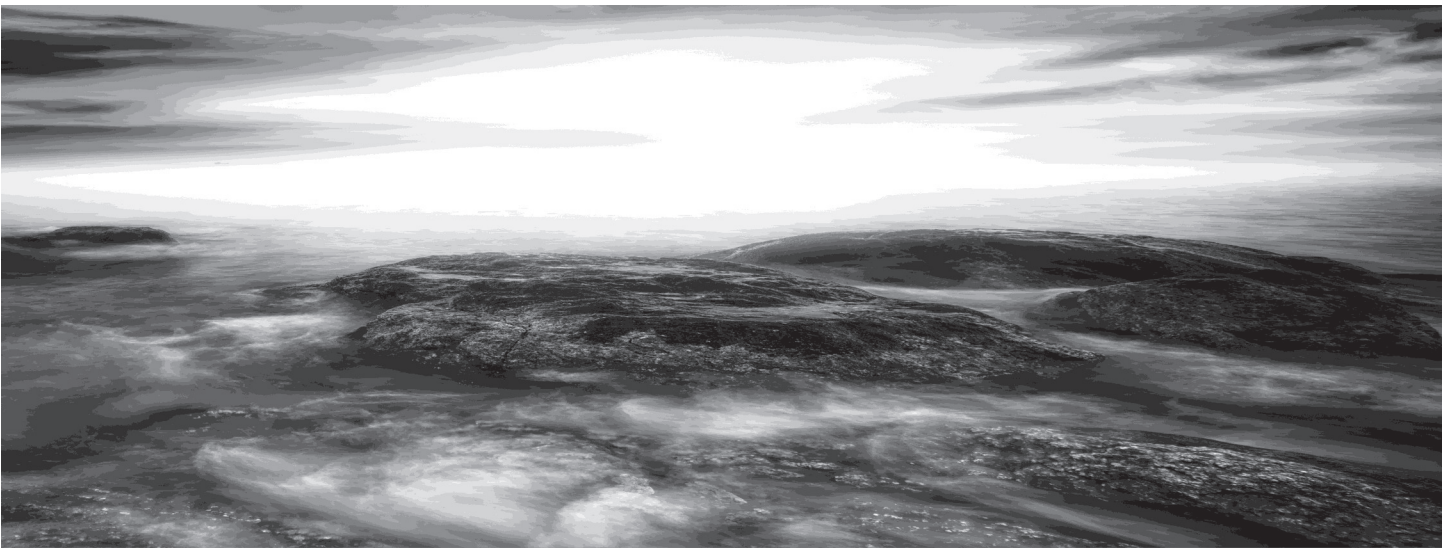
Reconciliation: Fri. 11:30am. Or by appointment.

Office Hours for SJB/HT

Mon.-Thurs. 9:00am-4:30pm

Fri. 9:00am-2:00pm

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He said to them in reply, "What did Moses command you?" They replied, "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce and dismiss her." But Jesus told them, "Because of the hardness of your hearts he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning of creation, *God made them male and female.*"

- Mk 10:3-6

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

Twenty-Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time

About one-third of marriages end in divorce in the United States. The reasons for such an outcome are as varied as the individuals involved. Few of those who do divorce experience the high-profile questioning and scrutiny that public figures like celebrities or politicians do when they go through a divorce. Recent events in the past few months show that the private lives of public figures are never really private.

The Gospel this weekend tackles the closest of human relationships: the marriage of a man and a woman. In Mark's story, Jesus quotes the Book of Genesis, pushing together verses from the first and second chapters. In the first chapter of Genesis, humankind is created male and female in the divine image. In the second story of creation in chapter 2, the creation of woman is described as coming out of man, which is why the man now clings to his wife and the two become one.

In reflecting this biblical understanding of marriage, the church expects that a sacramental marriage between a man and a woman is permanent, a sign of the union between Christ and his people. At the same time, for a variety of reasons, the church recognizes that not every marriage may be a full and complete sacramental union. Sometimes the love that was professed on the wedding day was not a full and freely given consent to be joined together as one. That is why after a divorce, one or the other party may seek an annulment through the church, recognizing that the first union was not the full and complete sign of unity that is an example of Christ's complete love for us. If you, or someone you know, are divorced, please be a part of Sunday worship with the community of faith. As the Gospel suggests, Christ wants to embrace all his children.

SJB/HT Office & Church Staff

Temporary Administrator Father Daniel Caruso

Secretary/Bulletin Nancy Bergeson

Religious Education Catherine Mackey

Office Assistant Mary Olmsted

Organist Melissa Berthelot

Cantor Jonathan Howell

Call the Rectory to arrange for Marriages, arrangements made six months prior to date. Contact our organist and cantor directly. Baptisms and hospital/home visits.

Chicken And Biscuits Dinner

Saturday, October 17 4:00-7:00PM

SJB/HT Parish Center.

Famous Chicken and Biscuit Dinner with potato and tossed salad, dessert, coffee and tea \$8.00 for adults, children 5-12 \$4.00 under 5 free. Soda \$1.00.

Join
The Fun!



Saturday, Oct. 10th and Sunday, Oct. 11th

LECTORS:

4:00PM ~ Pat Campagna

9:00AM ~ Marian Crinnin

11:00AM ~ Ed Thater

ALTAR SERVERS:

4:00PM ~ Mary Elizabeth Cusano

9:00AM ~ Luis & Aleda Guerrero and Grace Piazza

11:00AM ~ Ben Chouinard, Mary Elizabeth Cusano

EUCCHARIST:

4:00PM ~ J. LaVergne, M.E. Cusano, T. Bartorillo,

G. Mastriano, R. Bartorillo

9:00AM ~ J. Barraco, R. Elderbroom, M.E. Cusano, L. Argiro,

K. Argiro

11:00AM ~ R. Flores, M. Flores, L. Sanzone, F. Sanzone



Religious Education News

Classes begin next week, October 11, after the 9:00AM Mass. Drop off and pick up will continue to be in the front foyer. I will be there ushering each student to their new teacher and their new class. If anyone is interested in registering for the program, it is not to late! Also, we now have a special Pre-K class for just 3&4 year olds. Register your little one or grandchild for this fun beginner class. Contact Catherine Mackey at 478-0916 or email at catmac@verizon.net.



Sharing The Gospel

In the beginning, when God created Adam and Eve, he created marriage to be good and holy. God wanted husbands and wives to love God and to help one another. Because of sin, some marriages started to fall apart. Divorce is difficult for everyone. God always wants marriage to be good and holy.

Prayer

Dear God, help people who are married to love you and care for each other.

Something to Draw

Draw a picture of Adam and Eve helping each other in the Garden of Eden.

Mission for the Week

Pray for kids you know who have been hurt because their parents are not living with each other. Ask God to heal their broken hearts.

A Family Perspective

Family Life Education

In today's Gospel, Jesus encourages married couples to throw away the marriage rule book. Rules are for those with "hardened hearts." Married couples are called to be a sacramental reflection of God's faithful and selfless love - a place where people live and love beyond rules and formulas.



2016 Mass Book

The Mass Book for 2016 is now open.

PLEASE DO NOT MAIL IN REQUESTS. Intentions will be taken during office hours or we will take requests over the phone. Thank You.



Our Lady of the Rosary


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The Battle of Lepanto was a five-hour naval battle between the main fleet of the Ottoman Empire and the fleet of the Holy League, a group of maritime states of southern European Catholic countries. It was fought on October 7, 1571, in the northern waters off the coast of Greece. The Ottoman Empire fleet was defeated by the Holy League.

Pope Pius V knew that the forces of the Holy League were much smaller than the fleet of the Ottoman Empire. Consequently, the pope called on all of Christian Europe to pray the rosary for success against the Ottomans. He led a rosary procession in Rome for this success. After the defeat of the Ottomans at Lepanto on October 7, he called for a feast day in honor of the defeat and called the day Our Lady of Victory. In 1573, Pope Gregory XIII changed the title of the feast to Our Lady of the Holy Rosary. Then two centuries later Pope Clement XI extended the feast to all the Latin Rite, laid it in the Roman Catholic Calendar of Saints in 1716, and placed it on the first Sunday in October.

When we celebrate Our Lady of the Holy Rosary this fall, remember all the fallen soldiers of all the wars. Pray for peace and for the reign of Christ to bring all people into right relationships.

At Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peters

... **Shut-In Masses** - The next taping for the shut -in Masses will be Monday, October 19 and Tuesday, October 20. The Masses will be at 5:30PM and 6:15PM each evening. Your attendance at these Masses is an important Ministry to those who are unable to come to church. Please make every effort to attend.

... **Winter Coat Sale** - October 24 at Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter under the canopy of CAP. We are collecting ONLY coats, scarves, gloves, boots, socks and sweaters to be dropped off at the Parish Offices (Convent) during our regular office hours 8:30AM-3:00PM, starting this week. Coats with hangers would be greatly appreciated. Thank You for your donations.



Bishop Grimes News

Bishop Grimes will be hosting their annual "A Night Under The Stars" dinner/auction on Saturday, October 24 at 6:00PM. The evening will consist of a reception with celebrity bar tenders, dinner, live entertainment, a live and silent auction, and honorees. The school will be recognizing Barb Pfefferle with the Alumni Faculty Award; General Thomas Kane with the Alumni Achievement Award, and Danielle Cummings with the Distinguished Citizen of the Year Award. Reservations may be made by calling 315-314-7157. Bishop Grimes Scholarship and Placement Exam is Saturday, October 31 from 7:45-11:30AM and Saturday, November 14, from 7:45-11:30AM. Fall Open House is Saturday, November 14, from 11:30AM-1:30PM.

Mass Schedule for

St. John the Baptist/Holy Trinity

Sat. - Oct. 3, 2015 - 27th Sunday In Ordinary Time

4:00 pm - Donald Bill - The Palucci Family
Robert Nicholas - Wife, Celine

Sun. - Oct. 4, 2015 - 27th Sunday In Ordinary Time

9:00 am - Robert Schotthoefler - The Family
Robert Greenfield - The Family

11:00 am - For The People

Mon. - Oct. 5, 2015

12:00 Noon - Agnes Ewald - The Estate
Tommasina Carfagno - The twin Brothers

**Tues. - Oct. 6, 2015 - St. Bruno, priest,
Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher, virgin**

12:00 Noon - Ken & Fay Scott - The Scott Family

Wed. - Oct. 7, 2015 - Our Lady of the Rosary

Thurs. - Oct. 8, 2015

**Fri. - Oct. 9, 2015 - Sts. Denis, bishop, companions
& martyrs and John Leonardi, priest**

11:30 am - No Confessions Today
12:00 Noon - Linda Vengelist - The Sisters
Lena Alexander - The Nieces

Sat. - Oct. 10, 2015 - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm - For The People

Sun. - Oct. 11, 2015 - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am - Maria Nacca - Sister, Maddalena
Daniel Piacquadio - Wife, Rosemary
11:00 am - George Spoto, Sr. - The Patnode & Spoto Family
Larry Olmsted - Rose Mary Connors



The Sanctuary Lamp

Will burn in memory of

Raffaele DeMichel requested by Wife and Family
And George Tibbitts requested by Family

2nd Banns of Marriage
Shannon Jones and Brian Malay



Serving Our Country Always keep in prayer all servicemen and women. From our parish: **Ben Saucier, Rob Smith and Bryan M. Oakes.**

Remember: Christopher Aldrick, Judy Banky, Antonietta Briggs, Albert Bleskoski, Lorna Dodge Burton, Rosaria Campolo, Mike Cannavino, Robert Capria, Ken Castle, Grayce Costantini, Linda Deapo, Peter DiBello, Anthony Dizenzo, Joan Dominic, Norma Foody, Beverly Frey, David Galvagno, Gladys Graham, June Greene, Jeanne Hammond, Alan "Butch" Hierholzer, Mary Isgar, Dory Jones, Shirley Kerr, Jane Kwasigroch, Rosemary Lane, Kay Ledermann, Carolyn Longo, Joanne Loughney, Diane Mackey, Bernice McClelland, Carol McGuire, Peggy Miccinelli, Helen Mnich, Darlene Noyes, Shelby Ohstrom, Jean Padden, Nancy Pompo, Patty Schramm, Faith Setzer, Marion Sherwood, Timothy K. Suppes, Reita Suppes, Sister Theresa Thayer IHM, Barbara Traino, Richard Ventrone, Shelly Visco and Pat Wall.



The month of September we laid to rest from our Parish Family; Daniel Calkins & Peter Schioppa, Joan Dominic.

We welcomed Michael John Varre and Lucas Meyerhoefer into our Parish Family through baptism.

Congratulations to Collin and Shaina (Daley) Dempsey who were married September 26.



- Fri. Oct. 2** Group 2 Altar Cleaning
- Fri. Oct. 9** Group 3 Altar Cleaning
- Fri. Oct. 16** Group 4 Altar Cleaning
- Fri. Oct. 23** Group 1 Altar Cleaning
- Fri. Oct. 30** Group 2 Altar Cleaning

- Sun. Oct. 4** Group 2 Money Counters
- Sun. Oct 11** Group 3 Money Counters
- Sun. Oct. 18** Group 4 Money Counters
- Sun. Oct. 25** Group 1 Money Counters

- Thurs. Oct. 8** Parish Life Meeting 7:00PM
SJB/HT Parish Center
- Sun. Oct. 11** Religious Education Classes Begin
Following the 9:00AM Mass
- Wed. Oct. 14** Parish Council Meeting 7:00Pm
SJB/HT Rectory Office
- Thurs. Oct. 15** TNT Neighborhood Watch Meeting
7:00PM SJB/HT Parish Center
- Sat. Oct. 17** Chicken & Biscuit Dinner 4:00-7:00PM
SJB/HT Parish Center
- Wed. Oct. 28** Catholic Golden Agers Meeting 7:00PM
SJB/HT Parish Center

Sunday Collection Sept. 26th & 27th

Regular Envelope collection	\$3,334.25
Loose collection	\$587.82
Restoration collection	\$366.00
Poor collection	\$63.00



International Food Festival

**Saturday, November 7
12:00-6:00PM**

SJB/HT Parish Center

Our great Parish Chefs are called upon, once again, to prepare and share your family's favorite traditional dishes for the International Food Festival.

International Cooks

Any cooking interests contact Patty Schramm at 454-5511 or the rectory.

Bakers

Baked Goods for sale can be donated on Friday night, Nov. 6, as we set up the parish center or the day of. All baked goods are welcomed.

Themed Basket Raffle

Basket can be donated anytime to the rectory prior to the event or dropped off the day of the event.

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