

# St. John the Baptist and Holy Trinity

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October 24, 2021

## Mass Schedule:

M,T,W,TH,F - 12:00 Noon  
Saturday 9:00 am & Vigil - 5:30 pm  
Sunday - 9:00 am  
Reconciliation OLP/SP Wednesday 4:00-5:00pm  
SJB/HT Thursday 4:00-5:00pm

## Office Hours for SJB/HT

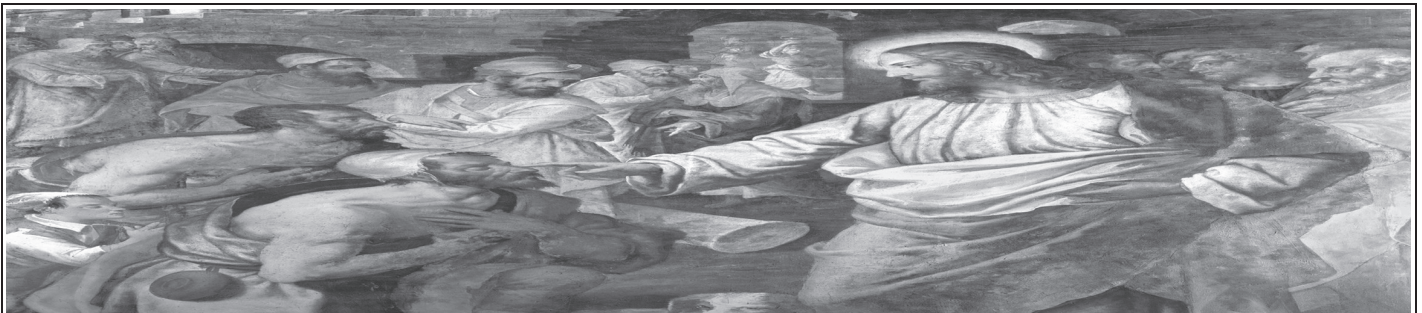
Mon.-Thurs. 9:00am-4:30pm  
Friday 9:00am-2:30pm  
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## St. John The Baptist/Holy Trinity

Saturday, 9:00am & Saturday Vigil 5:30pm  
Sunday, 9:00am  
Monday –Friday Noon in Church

## Our Lady of Pompei/St.Peter Church

Saturday, 4:00pm ~~~~~ Saturday, 6:00pm Vietnamese  
Sunday, 7:30am, 11:30am & 5:00pm  
Sunday, 9:30am Vietnamese  
Monday –Friday 9:00am in Church



## 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to him in reply, "What do you want me to do for you?"  
The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told  
him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he  
received his sight and followed him on the way. - Mk 10:51-52

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

## Gospel Meditation

### October 24, 2021 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

When we see God with true sincerity of heart and God passes us along our way, it is only then that we will be able to cry out, "Jesus, son of David, have pity on me!" We have to truly want to be healed by, and in union with, God in order for us to reach out to him. If God is only an abstract idea, theory, or someone found in the pages of a book, there is no motivation for a relationship and no desire to seek him. God needs to be real in order for faith to be real. It's all about the journey.

St. Augustine reminds us that "to fall in love with God is the greatest romance; to seek Him the greatest adventure; to find Him the greatest human achievement." We strive after many things and mercy is not always one of them. We think that we can find fulfillment and healing in other things only to discover that we are still short and empty. From the moment human beings were created, God has been calling us and seeking us. He has been walking right beside the human story from the minute He first breathed life into the first human soul. Are we able to recognize God as He walks with us? At some point we have to realize that there is only one way to satisfy the deepest longings of the human heart and that is in relationship with our Creator. We are called to this. However, we make the huge error of thinking that what we are hearing is coming from somewhere else. We become confused. Every human being would certainly profit with wisdom if they realized Who calls them and to Whom they belong.

Then and only then will we realize that it is only our Divine Master who can give us true vision and heal us. Once we recognize and reach out for the merciful presence of our loving Maker, we will be able to see with our soul, understanding the true nature and depth of all things. God's mercy is always available. It doesn't matter how far we have strayed or how blind we become, God patiently waits to console us, guide us and heal us. All we need to do is desire Him. Once we reach out, we also realize that there is no greater love to be found than God's, no human adventure that comes even close to the thrill of a spiritual search, and no human achievement even remotely as satisfying as union with Him. This is where we belong. This is salvation.

## SJB/HT Office & Church Staff

**Pastor** Father Daniel Caruso  
**Secretary/Bulletin** Nancy Bergeson  
**Office Assistant** Mary Olmsted

**Senior Priest in Residence** Fr. Lester Smith  
**Music Director/Organist** James Stanley  
**Religious Education** Betty Warren

**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.



### 2022 Mass Book

The 2022 Mass Book is now open. Please call 315-478-0916 or stop by the rectory during office hours to request your intentions. The Masses available starting in January 2022 are Mon. Thurs. & Fri. Noon, Saturday Vigil 5:30pm (requests for Saturday Vigil will only be taken through June 25, 2020, at this time) and Sunday 9:00am. Masses are \$10.00. As well you may request to have the Sanctuary Lamp burn in memory of your loved one(s) for \$10.00. The Lamp will burn from Sunday through Saturday of the requested week.

### HOPE Appeal 2021

If you haven't already received your HOPE Appeal 2021 envelope in the mail, you may find one in the pews of the Church. **All checks should be made out to "The HOPE Appeal"**. You are encouraged to mail directly your donation to the address on the envelope. Please Do Not add your HOPE Appeal donation to your weekly Church envelope. We thank you for your thoughtful and prayerful donations. 2021 HOPE Appeal will run through Dec. 31, 2021. To date our HOPE Appeal pledges are \$10,020.00.00. The assessment for St. John the Baptist/Holy Trinity is \$22,000.00.



### A Family Perspective Family Life Education

When Jesus asked the blind man, "What do you want from me?" he asked for sight. If Jesus asked you the same question, what would you say? Okay, that is your prayer.

### From St. Daniel's Parish

St. Daniel's annual Harvest Festival will be held on Saturday, Nov. 6 from 3:00-7:00pm in St. Daniel Gym 3004 Court St. Free Admission. Wheelchair accessible. \$15,000 GIVEAWAY. Raffle tickets are available for \$20.00 at the festival or call the rectory at 315-454-4946. 1st prize \$10,000; 2nd prize \$2,000; 3rd prize \$1,000; 4th & 5th prize \$500 each; 6th through 10th prize \$200 each. Need not be present to win.



### All Faiths Food Pantry Donations

Your non perishable food donations can still be brought and left in the Food Wagon in the front vestibule of the Church.

If you would like to make a monetary donation please make checks payable to  
\*\*\*"All Faiths Food Pantry"\*\*\*



30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### Time To Fall Behind

Daylight savings time ends at midnight on Sunday November 7th. Set your clocks back the night before and also this is a good time to change the batteries in your smoke and carbon monoxide detectors.

### Lector Schedule - Oct. 30th & Oct. 31st

4:00pm OLP/SP: Rene Fabrizi  
5:30pm SJB/HT: Annette Marchbanks  
7:30am OLP/SP: Maryann Iannottone  
9:00am SJB/HT: Lisa Primerano  
11:30am OLP/SP: J. Taft  
5:00pm OLP/SP: Fr. Caruso



### Religious Education News

This week will be our Safe Environment Class. There are no classes next week, Oct. 31 due to Halloween, enjoy and be safe. We offer classes from Pre K (4 years old) to Confirmation II. If you wish to have your child participate please call me at 315-420-6357.

Be assured that all CDC Covid 19 requirements will be strictly enforced to maintain the safety of all the students and teachers. Masks will be required, students and teachers will be socially distanced 3 - 6 feet apart and each student will have their own supplies. If you have any concerns for your child's safety, please call me so we can discuss your concerns.

I am confident if we all work together (parents, students, teachers and staff) we can provide a healthy and successful Religious Education program for your children. I would like to thank everyone in advance for their anticipated cooperation during this "new normal" process.

Betty Warren, DRE

### OLP/SP Spaghetti Supper

Tuesday, Nov. 2 from 11:00am-6:00pm Spaghetti dinners are available as "To Go's" and "Delivery". Limited dinners are available. Please call OLP/SP office at 315-422-7163 to place orders or for further information. Full tray - \$100.00 feeds at least 15, Half tray - \$50.00 feeds at least 6, Individual - \$10.00 feeds at least 1 (LOL). Limited seats under the tent in outdoor seating during the following time slot: 11:30-12:15, 12:30-1:15 & 1:30-2:30.



### Mask Wearing

In response to the Delta variant of the coronavirus and the CDC Guidelines that recommend a return to mask wearing indoors in our seven counties, Bishop Lucia is **highly recommending mask wearing** during Masses and during any indoor church related event. All Eucharistic ministers are asked to wear a mask during the distribution of the Eucharist and to use hand sanitizer prior to the distribution.

**Mass Schedule for SJB/HT & OLP/SP**

**Saturday, Oct. 23, 2021**

**9:00am SJB/HT** - No intention  
**4:00pm OLP/SP** - Rosita Simiele - The DiCaprios  
Benny & Terry Cimino - Son, Joseph  
Anne & Larry DeSantis - Sandy, Dan & Danny  
**5:30pm SJB/HT** - Maria DeMichele - Gloria Mastriano  
Colomba Corasaniti - Tony & Fran Brigandi

**Sunday, Oct. 24, 2021**

**7:30am OLP/SP** - The Merola Family - Angela & John  
**9:00am SJB/HT** - Grazia Mucci - Husband & Family  
Barbara Varre - Mr. & Mrs. R. Warren  
Sandra Camardella - Norm & Pat Jaquin  
**11:30am OLP/SP** - Pierre & Stalia Papoux - Sister, Gilda  
Phil & Sharon Catalino - Pam & Gary  
Mary & Anthony Catalino - The Family  
Doris Spinoso - Antoinette & Tony Grasso  
Mary Ellen Sunser - Children & Grandchildren  
Guy DeMascole - Rita Southwick, Winefred Greenberg,  
Marilyn Lerman & Marilyn Manheim  
**5:30pm OLP/SP** - Joe & Judy Baver - Henry & Ester Pagano

**Monday, Oct. 25, 2021**

**9:00am OLP/SP** - Mr. & Mrs. Rafaille Solimini -  
Daughter-in-law, Marie  
**12:00pm SJB/HT** - For the people

**Tuesday, Oct. 26, 2021**

**9:00am OLP/SP** - Robert Kalska - Son, Paul  
**12:00pm SJB/HT** - Antonio & David McLaughlin -  
Uncle Rocco & Virginia Cannata

**Wednesday, Oct. 27, 2021**

**9:00am OLP/SP** - Annette DelGiorno - Debbie Massey  
**12:00pm SJB/HT** - Shirley Fornito - The Family  
**4:00pm-5:00pm OLP/SP Confession**

**Thursday, Oct. 28, 2021**

**9:00am OLP/SP** - James R. Papaianni - The Family  
**12:00pm SJB/HT** - No intention  
**4:00pm-5:00pm SJB/HT Confession**

**Friday, Oct. 29, 2021**

**9:00am OLP/SP** - William M. Merriett - Paul  
**12:00pm SJB/HT** - No intention

**Saturday, Oct. 30, 2021**

**9:00am SJB/HT** - No intention  
**4:00pm OLP/SP** - Lucy Licitra - Daughter, Joanne  
Benny & Terry Cimino - Son, Joseph  
Richard A. Tortora, Sr. - Rita & Family  
Dorothy Uaizzo - Angela & Jim Albanese  
**5:30pm SJB/HT** - Dale Rinker - Wife, Maryann  
Jeanne Viggiano - Dan Viggiano & Family  
Thomas Napolitano - Marie Felice & Mary Ann Hoverter

**Sunday, Oct. 31, 2021**

**7:30am OLP/SP** - Luke, Joseph & Rose Oscuro - Estate  
**9:00am SJB/HT** - For the people



**Our Health Care Workers:** Please pray for all health care workers of our parish serving in this crisis of COVID 19. That God helps to guide their decisions and to keep them safe as well. **Dr. Patrick Abt, Alisa Albanese, PA., Christopher Jacques, EMS, Lynda Keller, Nurse, Ross Mathewson, Joseph & Rita Nicoletti, Nurses, Robert C. Palucci, Nurse, Dr. Alyssa Toia, Stacy Toia, Nurse and Lauren Townley, Nurse.**

**Serving Our Country:** Always keep in prayer all servicemen and women. From our parish: **Anthony Cangemi, Richard L. Cooper, Kristen Fekete, Jack McAndrew, Matthew McAndrew, Bryan M. Oakes & Rob Smith.**



**Remember:** Christopher Aldrich, Larry Argiro, Shawn Babcock, Nancy Bailey, David Bertrand, Marge Brigandi, Rosaria Campolo, Robert Capria, Cheryle Cacchione, Catherine Cushman, Grayce Costantini, Linda Deapo, Joni Uva DelGiorno, Gen DiMento, Ginny & Erin Donovan, Aaron Doty, Marilyn Ferretti, Beverly Frey, Ellen Gangemi, Gladys Graham, Robert Greenwood, Joseph Guinto, Jeanne Hammond, Keith Horton, Jim Ianuzi, Josephine Indelicato, Mary Isgar, Dory Jones, Shirley Kerr, Jane Kwasigroch, Rosemary Lane, Kay Ledermann, Jackie Limeri, Maria Luisi, Diane Mackey, Norm MacKenzie, Madge Maffei, Peggy Miccinelli, Michael Morga, Jean Padden, The Pavia Children, Sandy Pisani, Cathy Galutz Sacco, Faith Setzer, Marion Sherwood, Anthony "Tony" Sobon, John Sobon, Timothy K. Suppes, Carmen Surface, Barbara Traino, Shelly Visco, Patrick Vassalo, Mary Vigliotti and Matthew Watkins.

**Sacrificial Giving**

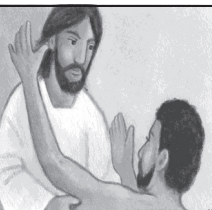
Please contact Fr. Dan if you have any questions about our parish finances.

Week Oct. 16th & Oct. 17th  
SJB/HT Collection: \$3,375.00 OLP/SP Collection: \$6,887.00

Thank you to all those parishioners who have faithfully been mailing their envelopes because they still cannot attend Mass. If you have been away or have been unable to attend Mass, please remember to send your donation to the Parish Office. We appreciate whatever you can do to help with expenses.

**Mass schedule cont.**

**11:30am OLP/SP** - Pasquale Sisera - Wife & Children  
Santa Savoca - Daughter, Gina & Family  
Carmen Emmi, Sr. - Rosemarie & Children  
**5:00pm OLP/SP** - Angela Tarnacki - Husband, Frank  
Mary Ann Scarfino - Frank Tarnacki



"Son of David, have pity on me." Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." So they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take courage; get up, Jesus is calling you." Jesus said to him in reply, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see."

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