

# St. John the Baptist Parish

April 27 & 28, 2019

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## St. John the Baptist Parish Office

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### Mass Schedule

**Saturday Liturgy:** 7:00PM

**Sunday Liturgy:** 10:00AM

**Weekday Liturgy:** Please check a current  
bulletin

**Sacrament of Anointing:** contact the Parish Office

**Office hours:** Monday to Friday

9:00am -12:00pm & 1:00pm - 4:00pm

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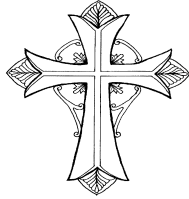
**Caretaker:** Sigfredo Gonzalez



The annual St. John the Baptist CWL Service Awards and Potluck Supper is scheduled for Tuesday, May 7 in the Parish Hall, immediately following Holy Mass at 5pm. All members are invited to attend.



Adoration will resume  
Monday, April 29.



Thank you to all of the members of the parish community that helped, plan and prepare the social following the Easter Vigil! We are so appreciative of you sharing your gifts and talents!

Connie St. Onge, Colleen and Clayton Harkins, Breanne Van De Woestyne, Gwen Van De Woestyne, Dana Skjonsby, Maureen Daoust, and the members of the CWL that donated delicious baking!

A special thank you to Anita Kjersem for her countless hours and incredible thoughtfulness and talent in creating such a great event!

Thank you to the members of our parish community that came to welcome our new members of our church, and celebrated the Resurrected King! Happy Easter!

Megan Vanstone, Fellowship Committee

## May is the Month of Mary



The month of May is the "month which the piety of the faithful has especially dedicated to Our Blessed Lady, and it is the occasion for a moving tribute of faith and love which Catholics in every part of the world [pay] to the Queen of Heaven. During this month Catholics, both in church and in the privacy of the home, offer up to Mary from their hearts an especially fervent and loving homage of prayer and veneration. In this month, too, the benefits of God's mercy come down to us from her throne in greater abundance" (Paul VI: Encyclical on the [Month of May](#), no. 1).

*The Blessed Virgin Mary is the Mother of the Church and therefore the example, as well as the guide and inspiration, of everyone who, in and through the Church, seeks to be the servant of God and man and the obedient agent of the promptings of the Holy Spirit.*

*The Holy Spirit, as Pope Leo XIII reminded us, is the soul of the Church: All the activity and service of the members of the Church, beginning with the supreme participation of the Blessed Mother in the work of the Church, is vivified by the Holy Spirit as the body, in all its activities, is vivified by its soul. The Holy Spirit is the Paraclete, Advocate, and Comforter which Christ Himself sent to be our consolation in the sorrowful mysteries of life, our source of moderation in the joyful mysteries of life, our added principle of exaltation in the glorious mysteries of life.*

*So He was for the Blessed Mother; so also He is for the least of us; so also He is for the rest of the Church, even for those who are its unconscious but conscientious members.*

*Wherever there is faith there is the example of Mary, because she lived by faith as the Scriptures remind us....*

*If, then, piety is the virtue which binds us to the sources of all life, to God, to our parents, to the Church, to Christ, certainly Christian piety binds us, in grateful love, to Mary — or our acceptance of Christ and of the mystery of our kinship with Him is imperfect, partial, and unfulfilled.*

— Cardinal John Wright

## Upcoming Events at St. John the Baptist Parish

Saturday, April 27	5pm (Torquay) Holy Mass 7pm Holy Mass
Sunday, April 28 <i>St. Peter Chanel</i>	8am (Bienfait) Holy Mass 10am Holy Mass
Monday, April 29	7pm RCIA held in the Parish Hall
Tuesday, April 30 <i>St. Marie of the Incarnation</i>	4pm CWL Executive Meeting held in the Meeting Room
Wednesday, May 1 <i>St. Joseph the Worker</i> <i>St. Pius V</i>	9am Confirmation Retreat held in the Parish Hall
Thursday, May 2 <i>St. Athanasius</i>	7pm SJB Choir Practice
Saturday, May 4 <i>Blessed Marie-Leonie Paradis</i>	1:30pm Confirmation Rehearsal 4pm Knights of Columbus Installation 5pm (Torquay) Holy Mass 6:30 Holy Rosary 7pm Holy Mass
Sunday, May 5	8am (Bienfait) Holy Mass 9:30am Holy Rosary 10am Holy Mass 2pm Confirmation Celebration

*For the month of May,  
the Rosary will be said a  
half hour before Holy  
Mass.*



**St. Joseph's Health Care Auxiliary Spring Tea, Bake Sale and Raffle** will be held on May 1 at 1pm to 3pm at St. Joseph's Hospital Auditorium. Tickets are \$4 per person at the door. The money we raise will go towards getting new beds for long term care at St. Josephs Hospital. The cost of this is about \$100,000 for our auxiliary to help out St. Joseph's Hospital. Everyone is welcome to come. Thank you for your support!

### Spring Raffle

1st Prize \$500 cash

2nd Prize \$300 Cash

3rd Prize \$200 cash

Draw Date May 1, 2019

Spring Tea & Bake Sale \$2 each or 3/\$5 or \$20 per book

## Easter Flowers

As we continue through the Easter season, we are gratefully accepting donations of any amount for the flowers that will be in the Church throughout the Easter season. You may donate in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving for your family in the envelopes available in the main entrance of the Church or by stopping by the Parish Office. Your loved one's name will be published in the bulletin for special prayers. Your support will bless our Parish Family during this season. Thank you so much!!



# St. John the Baptist Parish May 2019



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>May Devotions to the Blessed Virgin Mary refer to special Marian devotions held in the Catholic Church during the month of May honoring the Virgin Mary as "the Queen of May".</i></p>						
<p>5 Holy Mass 8am - Bienfait Holy Mass (All Schools Youth Mass) 10am Confirmation/First Eucharist Celebration 2pm 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER</p>	<p>6 RCIA 7pm</p>	<p>7 CWL Mass and Long Term Member Appreciation Supper 5pm</p>	<p>8 Holy Mass 10am - Hillview Manor Holy Mass 11am - Hospital Baptism Prep 7pm</p>	<p>9 All Schools Alleluia Mass 10am Choir Practice 7pm</p>	<p>10 Holy Mass 9am Holy Mass 10am - Creighton Lodge</p>	<p>11 Holy Mass 5pm - Torquay Holy Mass 7pm Presentation of the Parents 7pm</p>
<p>12 MOTHER'S DAY Holy Mass 8am - Bienfait Holy Mass 10am (CWL Ministry) 4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER</p>	<p>13 <b>Our Lady of Fatima</b> RCIA 7pm K of C Meeting 7:30pm</p>	<p>14 <b>St. Matthias</b> Finance Committee Meeting 1pm Holy Mass 7pm</p>	<p>15 Holy Mass 11am - Hospital Baptism Prep 7pm</p>	<p>16 Holy Mass 9am Coffee After Mass 9:30am Choir Practice 7pm</p>	<p>17 Holy Mass 9am</p>	<p>18 <b>St. John I</b> Holy Mass 5pm - Torquay Holy Mass 7pm</p>
<p>19 Holy Mass 8am - Bienfait Holy Mass 10am 5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER</p>	<p>20 <b>St. Bernadine of Siena</b> VICTORIA DAY Office Closed</p>	<p>21 <b>St. Christopher</b> Magallanes and Companions Holy Mass 7pm Pastoral Council 7:30pm</p>	<p>22 Holy Mass 11am - Hospital Baptism Prep 7pm</p>	<p>23 Holy Mass 9am Coffee After Mass 9:30pm Choir Practice 7pm</p>	<p>24 Holy Mass 9am Holy Mass 10am - Nursing Home</p>	<p>25 <b>St. Bede the Venerable; St. Gregory VII</b> Holy Mass 5pm - Torquay Holy Mass 7pm</p>
<p>26 Holy Mass 8am - Bienfait Holy Mass 10am Baptism 11:30am 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER</p>	<p>27 <b>St. Augustine of Canterbury</b></p>	<p>28 Holy Mass 7pm Liturgy Committee Meeting 7:30pm</p>	<p>29 Holy Mass 11am - Hospital</p>	<p>30 Holy Mass 9am Coffee After Mass 9:30am Choir Practice 7pm</p>	<p>31 <b>The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b> Holy Mass 9am</p>	