

St. John the Baptist Parish



December 16 & 17, 2017
3rd Sunday of Advent

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Liturgy: 7:00PM

Sunday Liturgy: 10:00AM

Weekday Liturgy: Please check the back of a current bulletin

Reconciliation: Tuesdays 6:00pm-6:45pm
Thursdays & Fridays 8:00am-8:45am
Or by appointment

Sacrament of Anointing: contact the pastor

Angel Tree/Toy Store

Our Parish is working the Angel Tree at Walmart from Sunday, December 10 to Tuesday, December 12 from 10am to 8pm. We will work the Toy Store at Estevan Fire Hall on December 20 from 10am to 1:30pm and December 21 from 10am to 1:30pm. If you would like to volunteer your time please contact Katie Dunville at 306-634-7150

Salvation Army Christmas Kettle

Anyone interested in working the Salvation Army Christmas Kettle

Please call the Salvation Army @ 306-634-2074. Volunteers are greatly appreciated. Kettle runs from December 1st until December 24th.



Movie and A Lunch will be on Monday, December 18th in the Church Auditorium at 10am. Everyone is welcome to attend. We will be watching a Christmas movie and the students from SHSC Grade 6/7E class will be joining us. Following the movie, we will play some games with the students and share lunch together.

Please join us for a morning of faith and fellowship with our young parishioners!!



"O Come Let Us Adore Him!!"



**Adoration will be suspended
During the Christmas Season**
from December 25- January 5 Inclusive.

The last day of Adoration will be Friday December 22, 2017
and it will resume January 8, 2018.

Merry Christmas!

Have a Blessed & Joyous Christmas Season.

Stewardship Bulletin Bit December 17, 2017 - 3rd Sunday of Advent

"Rejoice always, pray constantly, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you" - 1 Thessalonians 5:16 -18

This scripture reading sums up Stewardship. "Rejoice always" means place your trust in God; He will provide all that you need. "Pray constantly" means prayer should be a running conversation with God throughout the whole day, every day. "Give thanks in all circumstances" means even in bad situations, thank God. Suffering a little bit helps build empathy for others in similar situations.



Ministries for December 23 & 24, Fourth Sunday of Advent

Cup Ministers

7:00pm (Ann) Theresa Fernandez, Connie Wheeler, Brenda Keating, Gordon Schwab, Bev Jenish

10:00am (Ann) Jo Ann Schopf, Theresa Beck, Janice Johner, Beckey Franke, Bev Hickie

Lectors

7:00pm Virginia Wheeler & Joan Fingler

10:00am Treena Hirsch & Darla Wilhelm

Hospitality Host

7:00pm Connie Wheeler & Virginia Wheeler

10:00am Eleanor Mack & Genevieve Fichter

Ushers

7:00pm Greg Walliser

10:00am Ian Fernandez

Altar Servers

7:00pm Christian Quin, John Aaron Elorde, Luke Sliva, Quintin Sliva,
Jayden Keating

10:00am Arvin Baluyut, Doods Derain

First Reading
2 Samuel 7.1-5,8b-
12,14a-16

Second Reading
Romans 16.25-27

Gospel
Luke 1.26-38

Collection Counters Elaine Walton, Darla Wilhelm, Ron Wilhelm, Theresa Fernandez

Ministries for December 24 & 25, Christmas

Cup Ministers

7:00pm (Ann) Amanda Hagel, Deborah Augey, Hanna Keating, Brenda Keating, Peter Melle, Jo Ann Schopf,
Virginia Wheeler

10:00pm (Ann) Bill Mann, Joyce Wagner-Bonokoski, Theresa Fernandez, Eden Pacunayen, Gordon Schwab

10:00am (Ann) Gil Sotto, Margaret Mack, Janice Johner, Darla Wilhelm, Amanda Hagel

Lectors

7:00pm Dawn Hengen & Joan Fingler

10:00pm Beckey Franke & Jackie Phillips

10:00am Treena Hirsch & Jo Ann Schopf

Hospitality Host

7:00pm Jim Carriere & Elaine Carriere

10:00pm Lorna Moreau & Ed Moreau

10:00am Aimee Haralson & Bruce Haralson

Ushers

7:00pm Brian Miiler

10:00pm Al Wempe

10:00am Ron Wilhelm

Altar Servers

7:00pm Lucas Dzeryk, Logan Dalziel, Joshua Heleta, Trinity Heleta, Hailey Hack
Jacob Dietz

10:00pm Garrett Schwab, Justin Hertes, Lyle Guino, Luke Sliva, Quintin Sliva

10:00am Christian Quin

First Reading
Isaiah 9.2-4,6-7

Second Reading
Titus 2.11-14

Gospel
Luke 2.1-16

Collection Counters Elaine Walton, Darla Wilhelm, Ron Wilhelm, Theresa Fernandez

Upcoming Events at St. John the Baptist Parish

Saturday, December 16	5pm Holy Mass (Torquay) 7pm Holy Mass
Sunday, December 17	8am Holy Mass (Bienfait) 10am Holy Mass 10am Movie and a Lunch
Monday, December 18	7:30pm RCIA 7:30pm Knights of Columbus Meeting
Tuesday, December 19	1pm Finance Meeting parish auditorium 7pm Mass †John Mack; Shirley Petterson 7:30pm Bible Study Leader Meeting
Wednesday, December 20	11am Mass (Hospital) †Allan Fichter; Norma Kuntz
Thursday, December 21 <i>Saint Peter Canisius</i>	9am Mass †Ray Nicol; Louis & Otilia 9:30am Coffee after Mass Parish Auditorium 10:15am Staff Meeting 7pm SJB Choir Practice
Friday, December 22	9am Mass †George McGillicky; The Audet's
Saturday, December 23 <i>Saint John Kanty</i>	5pm Holy Mass (Torquay) 7pm Holy Mass
Sunday, December 24	8am Holy Mass (Bienfait) 10am Holy Mass

Christmas & New Years Celebrations

Holy Mass Times

Sunday, December 24 5pm Holy Mass Sacred Heart, Torquay

Sunday, December 24 7pm and 10pm Holy Mass St. John the Baptist, Estevan

Monday, December 25 10am Holy Mass St. John the Baptist, Estevan

Sunday, December 31 7pm Holy Mass St. John the Baptist, Estevan

Monday, January 1 10am Holy Mass St. John the Baptist, Estevan

The Parish Office will be closed from December 22, 2017 - December 27, 2017. The Parish office hours for December 28 & 29, 2017 are 1pm-4pm. Regular office hours will resume January 3, 2018.

