

# St. John the Baptist Parish



**February 10 & 11, 2018  
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Year B**

**Office hours:** Monday to Friday  
9:00am -12:00pm & 1:00pm -5:00pm

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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

## ***You Are Invited***

*For the Installation of Father Antony and the blessing of the new facility by Archbishop Donald Bolen, on Sunday February 25 at the 10am Mass. A complimentary celebration meal will follow. Everyone is welcome!!*



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH IS ASH WEDNESDAY, THE DAY THAT MARKS THE BEGINNING OF LENT, A TIME OF REFLECTION AND PENITENCE LEADING UP TO EASTER SUNDAY. AS THE MINISTERS "IMPOSE" OR

"DISPENSE" THE ASHES, THE PASTOR OR PRIEST REMINDS EACH OF THE FAITHFUL OF GENESIS 3:19: "*FOR DUST YOU ARE AND TO DUST YOU SHALL RETURN.*"

## **FASTING FOR LENT**

**Here is Pope Francis' recommendation for Lent**

*Fast from hurting words and say kind words.  
Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude.  
Fast from anger and be filled with patience.  
Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope.  
Fast from worries and trust in God.  
Fast from complaints and contemplate simplicity.  
Fast from pressures and be prayerful.  
Fast from bitterness and fill your heart with joy.  
Fast from selfishness and be compassionate to others.  
Fast from grudges and be reconciled.  
Fast from words and be silent so you can listen.*

## **St. John the Baptist Parish Lent and Easter Holy Mass Schedule**

Wednesday, February 14 at 10am - All Schools' Ash Wednesday Holy Mass  
Wednesday, February 14 at 7pm - Ash Wednesday Holy Mass  
Saturday, March 24 at 7pm - Palm Sunday Holy Mass  
Sunday, March 25 at 10am - Palm Sunday Holy Mass  
Thursday, March 29 at 7:30pm - Holy Thursday Holy Mass  
Friday, March 30 at 12pm - Good Friday Liturgy  
Friday, March 30 at 3pm - Good Friday Liturgy  
Saturday, March 31 at 3pm - Easter Basket Blessing  
Saturday, March 31 at 8pm - Easter Vigil  
Sunday, April 1 at 10am - Easter Sunday Holy Mass



### **Lenten Reconciliation Services**

Tuesday, March 13 at 7:30pm  
Sunday, March 18 at 7pm

**Please note that during Lent the Thursday Holy Masses will be at 12pm. Also, every Friday during Lent there will be Adoration at 6:30pm and Stations of the Cross and Holy Mass at 7pm. There will not be a Holy Mass at 9am on Fridays during Lent.**

## Ministries for February 17 & 18, 1st Sunday of Lent

### Cup Ministers

7:00pm (Ann) Maureen Daoust, Gwen Van De Woestyne, Bev Hickie, Eden Pacunayen, Theresa Fernandez  
10:00am (Ann) Darla Wilhelm, Joyce Wagner-Bonokoski, Guy Chicoine, Karen Melle, Jo Ann Shopf

### Lectors

7:00pm Virginia Wheeler & Deborah Augey  
10:00am Jackie Phillips & Beckey Franke

### Hospitality Host

7:00pm Margaret Daoust & Elaine Gedak  
10:00am Jim Carriere & Elaine Carriere

### Ushers

7:00pm Greg Walliser  
10:00am Ron Wilhelm

### Altar Servers

7:00pm Christian Quin, John Aaron Elorde, Luke Sliva, Quinton Sliva  
10:00am Arvin Baluyut, Doods Derain, Jayden Keating

### Collection Counters

Lil Wanner, June Fieber, Genevieve Fichter,  
Caroline Salaway, Lorraine Pho, Joanne Weisgerber

**First Reading**  
Genesis 9.8-15

**Second Reading**  
1 Peter 3.18-22

**Gospel**  
Mark 1.12-15

## *St. John the Baptist Parish Marriage Prep* *April 21 and 22, 2018*

*If you are newly engaged and starting to plan your wedding, please contact the Parish Office at 306-634-2190 to set up an appointment to meet with Father Antony at least six months before your proposed wedding date.*

*Once you meet with Father, we are looking forward to registering you for our Marriage Prep weekend on April 21 and 22.*

*We will begin on Saturday, April 21 at 9am. The day will be filled with video presentations and dynamic speakers on a variety of topics including "Marriage, A Covenant", "Financial Aspects", "The Five Love Languages", and "Legal Aspects". We also have a romantic, candle light four course dinner planned.*

*On Sunday, April 22, we will have one presentation and then we will all attend Holy Mass together.*

*Please contact Connie at the Parish Office for more information.*

*Congratulations on your engagement and we can't wait to help you prepare for a marriage filled with faith and love.*



## Upcoming Events at St. John the Baptist Parish

Saturday, February 10	5pm Holy Mass (Torquay)
<i>St. Scholastica</i>	7pm Holy Mass
Sunday, February 11	8am Holy Mass (Bienfait)
<i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i>	10am Holy Mass
	3pm Deanery Pastoral Council Meeting Parish Auditorium
Monday, February 12	7:00pm RCIA
	7:30pm Knights of Columbus Meeting
Tuesday, February 13	1pm Finance Meeting Parish Auditorium
	7pm Mass †Richard Weisgerber; Joanne & Family
Wednesday, February 14	10am Mass All Schools Ash Wednesday Mass
<i>St. Cyril &amp; St. Methodius</i>	7pm Ash Wednesday Holy Mass
Thursday, February 15	12pm Mass † Rob Cyr; The Family
	1:30pm Bible Study Parish Auditorium
	7pm SJB Choir Practice
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Friday, February 16	6:30pm pm Adoration
	7pm Stations of the Cross and Holy Mass
	†Sharon Fichter; Bob Fichter & Family
Saturday, February 17	5pm Holy Mass (Torquay)
<i>Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order</i>	7pm Holy Mass
Sunday, February 18	8am Holy Mass (Bienfait)
	10am Holy Mass

## Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes February 11, 2018

### *A Prayer for World Day of the Sick*

Mary, our Mother,

In Christ you welcome each of us as a son or daughter.

Sustain the trusting expectation of our hearts,

Succour us in our infirmities and sufferings,

And guide us to Christ, your Son and our brother.

Help us to entrust ourselves to the Father who accomplishes great things.

Amen