St. John the Baptist Parish Year A

October 7 & 8, 2017 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Thank you God, for all the blessings you have sent us! May everyone have a Happy Thanksgiving!



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Mass Schedule

Saturday Liturgy: 7:00PM Sunday Liturgy: 10:00AM

Weekday Liturgy: Please check the back of a current

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Reconciliation: Tuesdays 6:00pm-6:45pm

Thursdays & Fridays 8:00am-8:45am

Or by appointment

Sacrament of Anointing: contact the pastor

The Archdiocesan Cuernavaca Project has been helping families in Mexico become self-sufficient for over 20 years. One of our villages suffered greatly because of the earthquake. 70 houses of our friends in Hueyapan have collapsed. The rainy season is now. The priority is roofs. The Cuernavaca Project is committed to helping them rebuild. We ask that all parishes request a collection be taken up this weekend to send to the Centre for Encounters and Dialogues to purchase tin to rebuild roofs and to quickly train young people in building roofs. Please donate for the relief of our family in Mexico. Any and all donations are welcome. Please help!

October: Month of Mary

2017 marks the 100th Anniversary of Fatima. Let us join all the world praying for peace during the month of October, which is the Month Mary. We will be praying the rosary before the Saturday and Sunday Masses. Please come pray with us.





Ministers: Please contact Lorraine Schlamp if you are available for the Christmas Season. Ministers are needed for Dec.23—January 1, 2018. You may contact her at 306-461-8672, 306-634-8672, or by email llschlamp@hotmail.com.

The First Reconciliation Enrolment Mass is on Saturday, October 14 at the 7pm Mass. All Ichildren preparing for the sacrament of reconciliation are required to attend this Mass.





It is not always easy for us to live as generously as Jesus did. It often requires difficult choices. As vines in the vineyard require significant pruning to bear abundant, sweet fruit, we too are called to take stock of where our own lives might be in need of pruning so that we might grow in generosity and selfless love. Your financial support of the Archbishop's Appeal will enable our Church as a whole to reach out to our friends and neighbors in need and share the good fruit of the Kingdom just as Christ has done for us.



Ministries for October 14 & October 15, 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cup Ministers

7:00pm (Ann)Eden Pacunayen, Clara Weinrauch, Virginia Wheeler, Connie Wheeler, Joan Fingler 10:00am (Ann)Theresa Fernandez, Gloria Chicoine, Beckey Franke, Brenda Keating, Jo Ann Schopf

Lectors

7:00pm Gwen Van De Woestyne & Dawn Hengen

10:00am Guy Chicoine & Hanna Keating

Hospitality Host

7:00pm Colleen Harkins & Clayton Harkins 10:00am Eleanor Mack & Genevieve Fichter

Ushers

7:00pm Greg Walliser 10:00am Ian Fernadez

Altar Servers

7:00pm Logan Dalziel, Lucas Dzeryk

10:00am Garrett Schwab

First Reading Isaiah 25.6-10a

Second Reading Philippians 4.12-14,19-20

<u>Collection Counters</u> Elaine Walton, Darla Wilhelm, Ron Wilhelm,

Theresa Fernandez

Gospel
Matthew 22.1-14



Would you like to be an altar server?

If you have received the sacrament of Holy Eucharist, altar serving is a wonderful way to serve God and his Church. Please seriously consider serving in this important ministry. New servers as well as previous servers who attend a **public school** and wish to continue serving should contact Connie at the Parish Office or by email (youthstj@sasktel.net). If you are a server and **do not** wish to continue, please let Connie know at the

Parish Office at 306-634-2190. You can also call or text Connie anytime at 306-421-8447 for more information.

> **Registration forms will be sent out through the Catholic schools.**

We are having an <u>Altar Server Workshop on Saturday,</u>
<u>October 28.</u> *All altar servers are required to attend.*



Upcoming Events at St. John the Baptist Parish

Saturday, October 7 5pm Holy Mass (Torquay)

6:30pm Praying the Rosary

7pm Holy Mass

Sunday, October 8 8am Holy Mass (Bienfait)

9:30am Praying the Rosary

10am Holy Mass

Monday, October 9 7:30pm Knights of Columbus Meeting

Tuesday, October 10 7pm **†**Gene Prokop; Brent & Mary Ellen Barreth

7:30pm Finance Meeting Parish Auditorium

Wednesday, October 11 11am Mass (Hospital) †Lawrence Fichter; Vernon McClement & Family

Thursday, October 12 9am Mass **†**Lorne **†**Curtis McClement; Evelyn & Family

9:30am Coffee After Mass Parish Auditorium

10:15am Staff Meeting7pm SJB Choir Practce

Friday, October 13 9am Mass **†**Larry McClement; A Parishioner

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6:30pm Praying the Rosary

7pm Holy Mass

Sunday, October 15 8am Holy Mass (Bienfait)

9:30am Praying the Rosary

10am Holy Mass

The Confirmation/First Eucharist Enrolment Mass is on Saturday, October 21 at the 7pm Mass. All children preparing to receive the sacraments of confirmation and first eucharist are required to attend this Mass.



Parish Office is closed on Monday, October 9. Happy Thanksgiving!!!



If you are new to the parish and would like to register, or would like parish envelopes, please contact the Parish Office at 306-634-2190, we would be happy to help. Also, please advise the Parish office if you have a change of laddress. Thank you!