



Saint John the Baptist Catholic Church Saint Terence Mission

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Masses

Anticipated Mass: Saturday, 4:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM (@ St. Terence)
10:00 AM (with Children's Liturgy)
Tuesdays: 5:00 PM
Wednesday—Friday: 8:00 AM
First Saturdays: 8AM

Las Lecturas de Hoy

23 Diciembre

Miqueas 5: 1-4a

Salmo 80

Hebreos 10: 5-10

San Lucas 1: 39-45

Misa en espanol el primer domingo de cada mes a las 5PM

*I wish all of you Joy, Peace
and God's Blessings this
Christmas Season.
Sincerely, Fr. Francis*



Our Gift to You

As a special gift to our parishioners, St John the Baptist and St Terence would like to give each family a copy of the book **Signs of Life** by Scott Hahn. Please be sure to pick up your copy in the back of the church. We wish all of our parishioners a very Blessed Christmas.



 **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** is held at St. John's on Wednesdays from **8:30AM to 7PM**. Recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction begin at **6:30PM**. **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** and recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet are held at St. Terence each Friday at **3PM**



The Sanctuary Candle is burning this week at St. John the Baptist in loving memory of Lynde, Aidan & Grace Foust and at Saint Terence in loving memory of Raymond Remedies

Parish Support

*(Thank you for your generosity!)
Weekend of December 15-16, 2018*

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| St John | \$ 3484.01 | Attendance: 235 |
| St Terence | \$ 1136.51 | Attendance 74 |

Mass Notes

No Mass: December 26th and 27th.

Contribution Envelopes 2019

Contribution envelopes for 2019 are available for pick-up in the back of the church. If you are currently not receiving church contribution envelopes and would like to, please contact the church office. If you would like a statement for income tax purposes, please use the contribution envelopes. There is no charge for these.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, 12/22/2018

- 4:00PM
1. Living & Deceased Members of the Blake, Byrd, Pederson & Wimer Families
 2. +Eunice & Chris Ebarb
 3. *Ronnie Chamberlin (SI)*
 4. +Lynde, Aidan & Grace Foust
 5. +Raymond Remedies

Sunday, 12/23/2018

- 8:00AM
1. The Parish Family
 2. +Jim Moran
 3. +Loyce and Marguerite Little
- 10:00AM
1. + Deceased Members of the Thomas and Sandy Nguyen Family
 2. +Edith Bayer
 3. +Jessie Miller Blake
 4. +Philip Frlot
 5. *Glenda Rogers (SI)*
 6. *Ronnie Chamberlin (SI)*
 7. +Missy Rivers
 8. *Joy & Ernest Rodrigues (SI)*
 9. +Billy Ezernack

Monday, 12/24/2018

- 4:00PM
1. + Raymond Remedies
 2. +Robert & Elzado Rivers
 3. +Charles Ezernack
 4. +Missy Rivers
 5. +Logan Brant
- 12 Midnight
1. +Faye Mathews
 2. +Darlene Credeur
 3. + Henry & Elvie Parrie
 4. Deceased Members of the Abadie Fly
 5. +Billy & Charles Ezernack
 6. +Elzado Rivers

Tuesday, 12/25/2018

- 8:00AM
1. The Parish Family
 2. +Dickie Matin
 3. +Faye Mathews
 4. +Darlene Credeur
- 10:00AM
1. +Shirley Rodrigues
 2. June & Floyd Lopez
 3. +Jimmie Small
 4. + Deceased Members of the Thomas and Sandy Nguyen Family
 5. +Jerry Stallings
 6. +Elzado Rivers

Friday, 12/28/2018

- 8:00AM
1. +Mirian Landry

Remember in Prayer

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Edith Bayer, mother of James Bayer**. *“Eternal Rest grant unto her O’ Lord and Let the Perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in Peace.” Amen.*

Special Christmas Music

The choir will be singing a variety of Christmas carols and special music 30 minutes before the **4PM Christmas Vigil Mass on December 24th** and 30 minutes before the **8AM Christmas Mass at Saint Terence on December 25th**.

We appreciate our choir and the beautiful music they provide our church parish.



Living Nativity

The children will present “A Living Nativity” prior to the **4PM Christmas Vigil Mass**.

Please join us.

| Date | Lectors | Eucharistic Ministers | Altar Servers | Ushers |
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| Christmas Vigil, Monday, December 24th, 4PM (St John) | Rose Gatti | Clauriste Byles James Murphy Paul McCormic | Masen Starks Kent Rains | Johnny Mowad Marty Starks Terry DeLatin Michael Springer |
| Midnight Mass, Monday, December 24th, (St John) | JJ Blake | Angelique Mitchell Gwen Koss Ashley Koss | Reese Koss Braxton Koss Kaley Koss | Marion Koss George Koss Jerry Mitchell Peter Koss |
| Tuesday, December 25th, 8AM (St Terence) | Jeanette Polson | Buddy Polson David Nichols | | Tom Gatti Jimmy Martin |
| Tuesday, December 25th, 10AM (St John) | Greg Yokell | Louise Thompson Amy Ebarb | Robert Lombardino | Thomas Rosales Wayne Adams Billy Alford Larry Hataway |
| Saturday Vigil, December 29th, 4PM (St John) | Shirley Veuleman | Paul McCormic James Murphy Dale Porche | Marion Koss | Terry DeLatin Johnny Mowad Dakota Rivers Michael Springer |
| Sunday, Dec. 30th, 8AM (St Terence) | David Nichols | Tina Nichols Rufus Shuff Buddy Polson | | Tom Gatti Joe Zammit |
| Sunday, Dec. 30th, 10AM (Saint John) | Greg Yokell | Karen Sepulvado McKenna McElwee | Maggie Ryan Emma Dickson | George Koss Michael Beasley Jerry Mitchell Thomas Rosales |

Second Collection: December 24/25:Diocesan Infirm Priests’ Fund

The Diocesan Infirm Priests’ Fund blesses us with the opportunity to show generous mercy in the care of the priests in our diocese who have so lovingly served us. Please be give generously to this cause.

Office Schedule

The church office will be closed on **December 24th through January 1st** to concur with the Catholic Center closings for the Christmas holidays. The office will reopen at 8AM on **Wednesday, January 2nd**.

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

Jesus was born during the night of the year when darkness is the longest. The Savior of the World comes for the people in dark places. *Through your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, “light” has shown, bringing real, lasting and deep joy to the hearts of the poor who live in dark places in our neighborhoods and communities.* Thank you for your donations this time of year and always.

Adoration Notes

~There will be no Adoration on **December 26th** nor **January 2nd**. Adoration will resume on **Wednesday, January 9th**.

Christmas Mass Schedule



December 24th, Vigil Mass, 4PM

Midnight Mass

December 25th St Terence, 8AM

St John, 10AM

*At the **4PM Vigil Mass**, the children will present the “Living Nativity.”

Feast of Mary, Mother of God (Holy Day of Obligation)

On January 1st each year, the church celebrates *Mary, Mother of God*, and her motherhood of Jesus Christ. This is a Holy Day of Obligation. The Mass schedule is:

December 31st, Vigil Mass, 6PM

January 1st, St Terence, 12 Noon