

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST
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Mass Times:

Saturday Anticipatory 5:30 pm
Sunday 8:30 am
Wednesday – Friday 8:00 am
First Fri. Adoration-Mass 7-8:30 am

Confessions: Sunday 8:00 am
OR by appointment - Call 847-848-2854

SS John & Catherine - 815-244-1835

Saturday Mass: 4:00pm Sunday Mass: 10:30am
Tuesday Mass: 5:00pm

Web Site: Mass schedules for travelers —
World Wide Mass at www.masstimes.org

New Parishioners...Welcome!

Please stop by or call the office during office hours to register.

Baptisms

Parents, please call the office a few months in advance to make arrangements for your child's Baptism. Parents are to attend a "Pre-Baptismal Preparation" session. Both sponsors should be adults, and one an active practicing Catholic.

Marriage

The bride or groom must be a registered, active parishioner for a minimum of six months before scheduling a wedding date. Arrangements are to be made with the priest at least six months before the wedding. A Marriage Preparation Program is a requirement of the Diocese.

In order to maintain an atmosphere of reverence, please turn off all cell phones and pagers during Mass.

**St. John the Baptist
Catholic Church
Savanna, IL**

**16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 22, 2018**

Weekly Mass Intentions

Sat	21	5:30pm	Parishioners of St. John the Baptist
Sun	22	8:30am	Shannon Clark by Rudy & Denise
Wed	25	8:00am	+Billy Engaldo by Carl Engaldo Fam +Betty Popp
Thur	26	8:00am	+Merle & Ruby Heitz
Fri	27	8:00am	+Scott Ottaway by Mom +Connie Ginie Miles by Fam.
Sat	28	5:30pm	+Patsy Lehnhardt by Joe & Christine
Sun	29	8:30am	Shannon Clark by Rudy & Denise Living & Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus

Liturgical Schedule

Saturday, July 28, 2018 5:30PM

Lector: Christine Brown
Eucharist: Ubaldo Rucobo
Altar Servers:
Music: Gayle Hidalgo & Russ/Cathy Gies
Greeters: Christine Brown

Sunday, July 29, 2018 8:30AM

Lector: Russ Gies
Eucharist: Larry Stebbins
Homebound: Larry/Mary Stebbins
Altar Servers: Dru McIntyre
Music: Juliene McCormick & Mary Jo Kelley
Counters: John & Beth Ritchie, Beth Phillips
Greeters: Jeremy & Megan Nolte & Family

Calendar of Events

July 25	Prayer Shawl Ministry
July 26	Parish Council/Finance Council Meeting
Aug 12	Parish Anniversary Mass
Sept 30	Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser

LORD HEAR OUR PRAYERS...for the sick of our parish and for those not listed and in need of our prayers:

John Letcher, Joe Brown, Arlie & Diane Dahلمان, Lisa Stoddard Hubble, Lena Hernandez, Lucy Wells, Mona Bradshaw, Rita Gilman, Ruth Soppe, Kathryn Broderick, Paula Kelsey, Dee Evan, Betty Anderson, Diane Mayhall, Agnes Weigand, Marge Martin, Ken & Rose Friederich, Big Meadows & Good Samaritan residents and members of the Armed Forces.

Birthdays - July

- (13) Ron Charneski, Jacqueline Gutierrez, Ed McDermott, Wrigley Seymour
- (16) Bryan Kamper (17) Larry Atherton
- (19) Joel Ritchie (20) Don Nolte, John Ritchie
- (21) Jane Anderson (22) Dan Soppe
- (23) Dee Evan, Adelle Wilkinson
- (24) Clarence Skonieczny (25) Elizabeth Kirst, Pat Seymour (26) Bob Haffey Marjorie Martin, Joyce Porter, Emilia Saenz (27) Bobbie Schoenhard
- (29) Sally Brown (30) Karen Nolte

July Anniversaries

- July 11th Russ & Cathy Gies 54 years
- July 13th Dave & Kay Engaldo 5 years
- July 22nd John & Chrissy McIntyre 13 years
- July 27th Dan & Darlene Behnke 33 years

May God bless you all on your special day!

Parish Anniversary Mass...will take place on Sunday, **August 12th** at the 8:30am Mass. Couples who have been married 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 and 50+ years are invited to participate in this Anniversary Mass. Invitations have been mailed.

Parish Council and Finance Council...will have a joint meeting on **Thursday, July 26th at 6:30pm.**

Silver & Gold Wedding Anniversary Mass...Diocese of Rockford. Sunday, August 19th at St. Mary's in Huntley. Mass will begin at 2:30pm followed by cake and punch reception. This is for couples married 25, 50, 55, 60, 65 or more years in 2018. Register at www.rockforddiocese.org/anniversary by August 3rd.

Sunday Collection

Date:	2017	2018
07/01	\$2904.00	\$2624.00
07/08	\$1814.00	\$1674.00
07/15	\$2115.00	\$2078.00
07/22	\$1534.00	
07/29	\$1736.00	

Diocese of Rockford Stewardship Appeal...

Goal: \$11,345.00

Pledged as of 7/15/18 -\$9215.00

Families in St. John the Baptist - 135

Families that pledged - 45

Balance: \$2130.00

Please consider pledging to the Stewardship Appeal.

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Mark your calendars...September 30th

Pancake Breakfast 7:30am - 11:30am!

St. John the Baptist Pancake Breakfast...is on its way! In preparation for another successful fundraiser, the Catholic Women of St. John the Baptist and the Knights of Columbus have been working behind the scenes in preparation for this event.

- . On the Weekends of **August 25 & 26** and **September 1 & 2**, we will be distributing tickets to parishioners at the Church entrances.
- . On the Weekend of **August 25 & 26** we will have a reverse collection for non-perishable items to help defray the costs. **(If you are unable to purchase any item, please do not draw an item as we count on it being provided through this drawing.)**
- . On the above Weekends we will also be signing up for perishable items (such as milk, eggs, and \$\$ toward the cost of the sausage).
- . Lastly, we will be asking for workers to sign up and help on this day. **If you would like to work and have a preference of time and duties, contact Karen Nolte ASAP to get your choice time - 273-3284.**

St. Stanislaus Parish Polish Fest...will be held on Sunday, August 19th from 11:30am-8:00pm. Mass at 10:00am. Traditional Polish Dinner, Polish specialty foods, bingo, kids games, raffles, music and dancing all day. Free admission.

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