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Week of July 5, 2020

Today is the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m. **Sunday**: 7:00 a.m. & 8:30 a.m.
Weekday Mass: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 7:00 a.m.
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday: 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. or by appointment.

~ Pastoral Care Information ~

Sacrament of Baptism: If you are in need of a Baptism, please contact the Parish Office at (979) 543-6985.

Sacrament of Marriage: Couples planning marriage should contact the Parish Office six months prior to the desired date at (979) 543-6985.

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound: If a family member is sick and would like to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office at (979) 543-6985.

New Parishioners: Welcome to St. John's Church. Please fill out our census form located at the main entrance and return to the Parish Office.

Mass Intentions for this Week:

Monday, 07/06	No Mass	
Tuesday, 07/07	7:00 a.m.	Father Ralph Baidoo †
Wednesday, 07/08	7:00 a.m.	Mary Jane Lezak †
Thursday, 07/09	7:00 a.m.	Edwin, Donald & Phillip Fiala †
Friday, 07/10	7:00 a.m.	A.J. Fucik †
Saturday, 07/11	4:00 p.m.	Dorothy Baros †
		Annie Dolezal †
Sunday, 07/12	7:00 a.m.	Gary Cerny †
	8:30 a.m.	Parish Family
		Donald Nohavitza †

Saturday, 4:00 p.m.
Altar Servers: Andrew Kresta, Lauren Kresta, Emily Kresta
Lector: Cassie Clark
Ushers: Lawrence Labay, Jr., Volunteer
Extraordinary Ministers: Tommy Drapela, Volunteer
Rosary prayed before Mass.

Sunday, 8:30 a.m.
Altar Servers: Trey Clark, Haley Tupa
Lector: Keith Kresta
Ushers: Brad Tupa, Volunteer
Extraordinary Ministers: Keith Kresta, Lori Tupa
Rosary prayed before Mass.

Offertory Collection
Loose: $1284.00
Envelopes: $1419.00
$2703.00

Bulletin Sponsors this week are Leroy & Karen Kaspar.

Sanctuary Light this week is for the Intentions of Leroy & Karen Kaspar.

Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be in the home of Karen Zapalac for the months of July & August.

Crucifix and Prayer for Vocations will be in the home of Ben & Lena Tupa for the months of July & August. Please pray for vocations.

Prayer this Week: Vocations grew out of the family. The family is the place where God dwells in a special way. It is a place of support and challenge, a place of love and acceptance. Within our family, we learn right relationship with our God, with others and with ourselves. Please pray for vocations encouraged by family members. Father Jesse Cox, OP

July Altar Decorators: Donna Merta, Mindy Merta, Paula Clark, Cassie Clark, Becky Koudela, Brenda Tompkins, Cindy Priesmeyer, Sherry Pietsch, Frances McKeon, Debbie Krpec, Shelia Kuenstler and Lisa Sabrsula. Your offering is due.

Flowers for Monsignor Petru's Grave: Andy & Diann Srubar

2021 Parish Calendars: If you would like to be a sponsor for our 2021 Parish Calendars please call the Parish Office at 543-6985. Sponsorship is $55.

The Air Condition in the Parish Hall needs to be replaced at the cost of $19,873.00. Anyone wishing to make a donation towards it can do so. Any amount is greatly appreciated.

Nativity Set Donors: Inserted in the Bulletin is a list of donors for the new Nativity Set purchased back in 2019.

Bulletins are available at the main entrance of the Church. Those coming to Mass can leave their Weekly Church support in the basket at the main entrance. Those that cannot attend can drop it off at the Parish Office, drop in the Drop Box at the Parish Office or mail to the Church. Thank you and God Bless.

Meditation for the Week

"Jesus addresses us with comforting words today: 'Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest.' Let those words wash over us and all the responsibilities we have, all the stresses we're under, and all the failures that haunt us. 'My yoke is easy,' Jesus assures us, 'my burden light.' As we gather together on this holiday weekend, let us rejoice in the freedom Jesus offers us from our heavy burdens." (Pastoral Patterns)

Zechariah 9:9–10 Our Savior is a peacemaker, who rules to the ends of the earth.

Psalm 145 "I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God."

Romans 8:9, 11–13 "Whoever does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him."

Matthew 11:25–30 "Take my yoke upon you and learn from me."

"The demands of discipleship are great, but with God's grace they do not become burdensome. After all, our role model, Jesus Christ, is himself meek and humble of heart. Zechariah prophesies that he will come not on a warhorse with force and weapons, but on a beast of burden, offering peace and justice. Paul assures us that God's Spirit dwells in us. Therefore, we can sing in the psalm, "I will praise your name for ever." God will lighten our burden." (Pastoral Patterns)

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★ The Parish Office will be ★
★ Closed on Monday, July 6th in ★
★ Observance of the Fourth of July. ★
★ Have a Safe Holiday weekend. ★
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