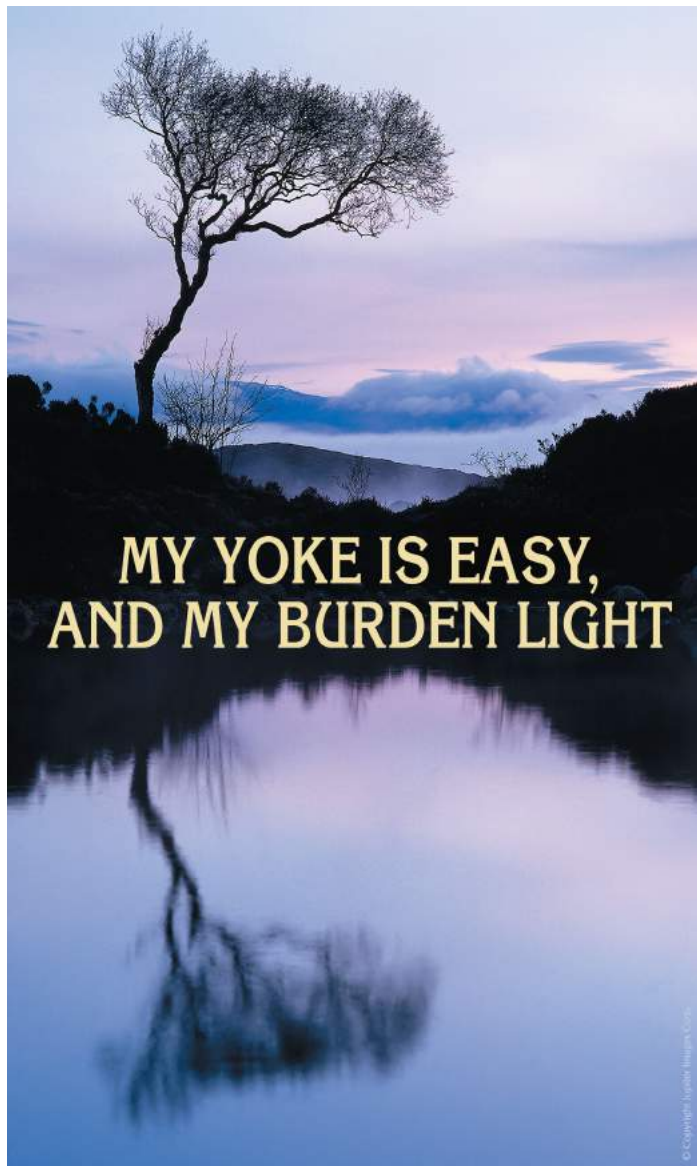


# Saint John the Baptist Catholic Church

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## July 9, 2017 - Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



### All For You

By Mikeschair

This time, this place is set apart  
I stand amazed at who You are  
I'm overcome by what You've done

I'm here right now, I need You now  
I lift Your name above the doubt  
This is my offering for You

'Cause it's all for You  
Every heart will proclaim  
Every tongue will shout Your praise

I leave my burden at Your feet  
In You I find my victory  
There is nothing You can't do

I'll live my life in Your renown  
I'll give it all and lay it down  
'Cause I owe everything to You

All will hear, all will see  
Love came down and we are free

### Parish Clergy

Rev. Monsignor Vincent T. Kelly, Pastor

Reverend William H. Bowles

Reverend John Callan, Sch.P.

**Office Hours:** Monday 12pm – 4:00pm,  
Tuesday – Friday 8:30am – 4:00pm

**Confession:** Saturdays from 4-5pm



To hear "All For You"  
By Mikeschair  
Scan with your QR Reader App

### † Mass Schedule †

**Weekend Masses:** Saturday Vigil 5:00pm  
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00, 10:30, Noon & 5:00pm

### **Daily Mass**

Monday - Saturday: 8:45am



**OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of St. John the Baptist Parish is to nurture a community of faith in Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior. By means of worship, study, service, and community, each individual is invited to participate in the life of the parish family. Every person has a benefit to receive and gifts to share for the overall good of souls in this location of the Kingdom of God.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**Saturday, July 8**

8:45am ✠ John Lowry and **Int.** Sr. Joan Angermaier

5:00pm ✠ Mary & Syd Impal and Ed BiMonte

**Sunday, July 9**

7:30am ✠ Lois Brown and Patty Bailey

9:00am ✠ Mary & Anthony Sorrentino and Catherine & Dan Redmond

10:30am **Int.** Parishioners of St. John the Baptist and ✠ Mary Jane Lang

12:00pm ✠ Steven Leonardelli and Tom Bulfin

5:00pm ✠ Rose Doran and Andrew Kochie

**Monday, July 10**

8:45am ✠ John Constable and Carmen Salotti

**Tuesday, July 11**

8:45am ✠ Mary Sullivan and Olson Jean

**Wednesday, July 12**

8:45am ✠ Leopoldo Totera and Dan McGee

**Thursday, July 13**

8:45am ✠ Myrna E. Afek and Carlos Heny

**Friday, July 14**

8:45am ✠ James Michael Casey and Joan Marie Lescher

**Saturday, July 15**

8:45am **Int.** Meredith Lennox and ✠ Ken O’Gorman

5:00pm ✠ Joan & Brad Winningham and Fred Bastone

**Sunday, July 16**

7:30am **Int.** Kristian Longo Family and

✠ John Custer

9:00am ✠ William & Michelina Williams and Dennis J. Stacer, Sr.

10:30am **Int.** Parishioners of St. John the Baptist and ✠ Chris “Bubba” Walker

12:00pm ✠ Tom Bulfin and **Int.** Jared Walker

5:00pm **Int.** to Our Lady of Perpetual Help and ✠ Paolo Elia

July 15 & 16	Celebrant	Lector	Extra-ordinary Ministers
Sat. 5:00pm	Fr. Callan	Richard Spinogatti	Mary Ellen Spinogatti Daniel Toomey Susan Toomey
Sun. 7:30am	Fr. Pedro Lleo	Gordon James	Virginia Guadagno Leah Finlon
Sun. 9:00am	Fr. Callan	Ed Merrigan	Bev Green Felipe Echarte Patty Echarte
Sun. 10:30am	Fr. Bowles	Albert Rode	Karen Niles Lyn Fazioli Tom McCracken
Sun. 12 Noon	Fr. Callan	Herbert Moriarty	Pete Manfredi Danielle Manfredi
Sun. 5:00pm	Fr. Bowles	Denis Merz	Cathleen Mascarenhas

**Baptism:** Registered parishioners please contact the Parish office at least one month in advance. Baptisms are held on the second Sunday of the month after the 12pm Mass.

**Marriage:** Arrangements are made for previously registered and participating parishioners with six months of preparation.

**Legacy Circle:** Kindly remember your Parish in your will. Your goodness will continue.

**Homebound:** Please contact the Rectory to register for home visits for those unable to attend Mass.

**Religious Ed Classes:** Religious education begins with the 9am Sunday Mass, concluding at 11am, September- May.

**Rite of Christian Formation (RCIA):** Registration will begin in September for personal instruction available on Wednesdays from 7:15pm to 8:30pm from October - May.

**Women’s Guild:** Monthly meetings are held from Oct - May, 2nd Wednesday at 9:30am. Boutique workshops are Wednesdays at 9:30am.

**Men’s Club:** Meetings on the 4th Tuesday, Sept - May. Breakfast is hosted after First Friday 8:45am Mass.

**Bible Study: Queen of Heaven:** Classes are on Thursdays at 9:30am or 7:00pm from September through April. Please contact Jo-Ann Tabry at joanntabry@gmail.com.

**Divine Will Group** meets Wednesday evenings from 6- 9pm and Saturday from 2-4pm in the Parish Hall. Monthly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on the 3rd Sunday, 1-3pm.

**Our Novena and Benediction Service and Rosary:**  
Please join us Monday-Saturday at 8:20am for the Rosary and on Mondays for our Novena and Benediction service immediately following the 8:45am Mass .

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK (AUTHOR UNKNOWN)

**THE CENTRAL ROLE OF THE MASS IN OUR CATHOLIC CULTURE**

• ***How to explain the Mass to others? Why do we have Mass?***

The Mass is our central form of worship because it unites us to Jesus Christ in his saving death and by the grace of the Holy Spirit draws all of us into deeper communion with him and with one another.

We celebrate the Mass because Jesus asked us to do this when he instituted the Eucharist at the Last Supper. St. Paul tells us that Jesus took bread, gave thanks, broke the bread, and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." Then he took a cup of wine and said, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me" (see Cor. 11:23-27). The Acts of the Apostles tells us that the early Christians would gather for the breaking of the bread in remembrance of Jesus' death and resurrection (2:42). They believed, as we believe today, that the bread and wine is transformed into the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ.

• ***How does the bread and wine change into the Body and Blood of Christ? What does the word "Eucharist" mean?***

During the Eucharistic Prayer, the priest asks God to send the Holy Spirit and transform the bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ. This is called transubstantiation. It is the conversion of the substance of the Eucharistic elements into the Body and Blood of Christ at consecration, with only the appearances of bread and wine still remaining.

The word "Eucharist" is from a Greek word that means "thanksgiving." For us, it is another term used in conjunction with Mass and Holy Communion. When we celebrate the Eucharist, we give thanks to God for the life, death and resurrection of Jesus.

• ***How to receive Holy Communion with reverence:***

During the celebration of the Mass please reflect on your privilege of receiving the gift of the Holy Eucharist. As you approach the priest or minister who is distributing Holy Communion, bow your head and shoulders slightly as a sign of reverence toward our Lord in the Eucharist. You may receive the Sacred Host either in your hand or on your tongue. When receiving in the hand, "place your left hand as a throne beneath your right, as befits one who is about to receive the King." The priest or minister will hold the Sacred Host in front of you and say, "The Body of Christ." Please respond by gently saying, "Amen." That is because the act of Communion is also an act of faith. The communicant's "Amen" is a profession in the presence of the saving Christ, body and blood, soul and divinity, who now gives life to the believer. The minister will then place the Host on your open palm. Once the Host has been placed in your hand, immediately consume the Host as you stand facing toward the altar. After receiving Holy Communion, return reverently to your pew and either sit or kneel for your thanksgiving prayer.

Blessings,  
Fr. Vincent Kelly

**Collections Next Weekend, July 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>**

**Community Food Drive**

The food pantry often is sparse in the summer months when we are far from the holidays giving spirit and many people are vacationing. Your generous donations



help the St. Vincent de Paul out of Blessed Sacrament Church continue to serve the needy of our community. Please bring your non-perishable food items to church next weekend.

Special Second Collection:

**Black & Indian Mission Collection**

The Black and Indian Mission Collection exists to help diocesan communities to build the Church and preach the Gospel of Jesus among the African American, Native American and Alaska Native people of God.

