

May 22, 2016

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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**MASS SCHEDULE**

**St. John the Baptist Church**

Saturday ..... 6:00 p.m.  
(on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>)  
Sunday.....9:30 a.m.  
(on 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup>)  
First Friday..... 8:00 a.m. followed by Holy Hour

**Ascension of Our Lord Church**

Saturday ..... 6:00 p.m.  
(on 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup>)  
Sunday.....9:30 a.m.  
(on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>)

**MARRIAGES**

Consult the Pastor six (6) months in advance before making any plans or decisions.

**NEW PARISHIONERS**

Welcome to our parish family. Please stop by the rectory or call to register.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Please call the rectory.

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE**

Saturday Evening—5:30 p.m.

**GENERATIONS OF FAITH (RELIGIOUS EDUCATION)**

Dana Daughtry 713-822-3019-cell or 979-562-2381  
EWTN ..... Cable Channel 71 or Dish Channel 261

**WEBSITES**

Cemetery: [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org)  
(Click on “Catholic Cemeteries”)  
Safe Environment: [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org)  
(Click on “Safe Environment Program,” then on “eAppsDB”)

**PARISH CONTACTS**

**St. John the Baptist Church**

Elsie Farek..... 979-562-2159

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**St. John the Baptist Church**

Dorothy Berger ..... 979-562-2187

**Ascension of Our Lord Church**

Kathy Guenther ..... 979-562-2124

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## MASS SCHEDULE

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### The Most Holy Trinity

Saturday	May 21	6:00 p.m.	Matt Vanek	Moravia
Sunday	May 22	9:30 a.m.	Julius Krause	Moravia

### The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

Saturday	May 28	6:00 p.m.	Bill Gertner	St. John
Sunday	May 29	9:30 a.m.	Agnes Krohovjak	St. John

### Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	June 4	6:00 p.m.	Charlene Krupala	Moravia
Sunday	June 5	9:30 a.m.	Liz Mendel	St. John

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## THE WORD OF GOD

### May 22, The Most Holy Trinity

Readings: 166: Prv 8:22-31; Ps 8:4-9; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15

We are at peace with God our Father through our Lord Jesus Christ. God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit. This Spirit, who is Wisdom itself, will lead us into all truth. How wonderful the name of our triune God in all the earth.

### May 29, 2016, The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

Readings: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1-4; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

Melchizedek, priest of God Most High, offers bread and wine as a blessing upon Abram. Jesus fulfills this offer, giving us his own body and blood under the forms of bread and wine. Thus is our hunger satisfied in abundance, as we make our pilgrim way to the heavenly banquet.

### June 5, 2016, Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: 1 Kgs 17:17-24; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-13; Gal 1:11-19, Lk 7:11-17

Elijah heals the son of a widow. She praises the Lord that her son had been healed. Jesus raises from the dead the son of a widow of Nain. All are amazed and glorify God. It is this God who revealed his son to St. Paul that he might proclaim him to the Gentiles.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### *From the Desk of Msgr. John*

Congratulations to the following who received their First Holy Communion on Mother's Day!: Ella Lynn Demel, Alaina Lynn Halata, Grace Ann Halata, Brice Adrian Mills, Carter Lane Pustka, and Drake Scott Steffek.

Congratulations to the following who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on the Feast of Pentecost: April Brossmann, Aimee Fojtik, James Lofland and Kyle Pettus.

Congratulations also to those who are graduating in the various levels of education at this time of year.

Our Parish Picnics are coming soon! St. John, Monday, July 4, and Ascension, Sunday, July 17. Please help wherever you can.

On Saturday, June 4, there will be two Priesthood Ordinations—Peter Oscar Kofi-Amo and Max Landman, and two Deacon Ordinations—Jacob Mendoza and Stephen Vacek—at Our Lady of Victory Cathedral in Victoria, at 10:00 a.m.

As a Deacon, Stephen Vacek will be with us part of the summer and two weekends a month until he is ordained a priest next year.

**THE EMMAUS CENTER**—*Counseling in the Catholic Tradition*—Sponsored by the Diocese of Victoria—1908 N. Laurent Street, Suite 140, Victoria, Texas 77901. For an appointment, go to [www.emmauscounselingcenter.com](http://www.emmauscounselingcenter.com) or call 361-212-0830. *Extending a Listening Heart to Those in Need.*

We are desperately in need of a Hall Manager for Moravia Hall. Please contact the Sacred Heart Rectory (798-5888) if you are interested in this position.

### **ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE**

Saturday, May 21 – 6:00 p.m. – Moravia – Caleb Krischke, Dylan Goldberg, Caitlin Deem

Sunday, May 22 – 9:30 a.m. – Moravia – James Lofland, Kenna Kubenka

Saturday, May 28 – 6:00 p.m. – St. John – Alex Lozano

Sunday, May 29 – 9:30 a.m. – St. John – Dylan Goldberg, Rylie Lux, & Regan Lux

Saturday, June 4 – 6:00 p.m. – Moravia – Caleb Krischke, Dylan Goldberg, Caitlin Deem

Sunday, June 5 – 9:30 a.m. – St. John – Alex Lozano, Dylan Goldberg

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**ASCENSION CHURCH CLEANERS FOR MAY:** Mary Ann Pratka and Jeanette Chudej

**ASCENSION CHURCH USHERS FOR MAY:** Daniel Steffek and Dale Janak

**ST. JOHN CHURCH CLEANERS FOR MAY:** Lorine Kubenka and Adele Kubos & Diane Roeder

**ST. JOHN CHURCH USHERS FOR MAY:** Harvey Hermis and Ralph Besetzny

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**Moravia KJZT Society #44 will meet on Sunday, June 12, 2016, after the 9:30 Mass.**

### **PRO-LIFE CORNER**

Pope Francis and Russian Orthodox Patriarch Kirill of Moscow and All Russia met in Havana, Cuba on Friday, February 12, and signed a historic joint declaration. In that declaration they stated the following about the unborn:

“21. We call on all to respect the inalienable right to life. Millions are denied the very right to be born into the world. The blood of the unborn cries out to God (cf. Gen 4:10).”

**Quo Vadis Vocation Camp for Young Men:** The Office of Vocations for the Diocese of Victoria is sponsoring a camp for young men who have completed 8th grade to 21 years of age. The camp will take place on July 3-6 at Cooper’s Farm near La Grange, TX. The days will include many outdoor camp activities as well as discussions on discerning God’s will in life. Priests and seminarians of the Diocese will facilitate the camp. Registration forms are available at the parish rectory.

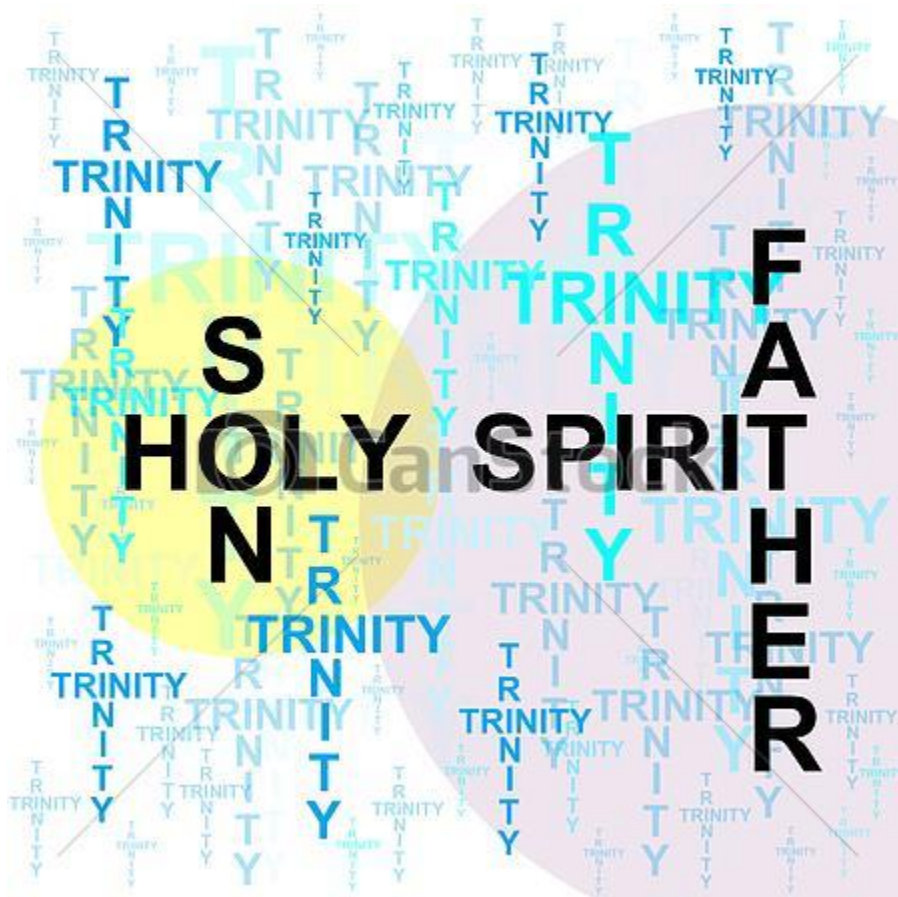
**Fullness of Truth—Catholic Evangelization Ministries--** “*The Gospel of Divine Mercy*”, *Fullness of Truth Conference, Friday, June 24, 5-9 p.m. & Saturday, June 25, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Prince of Peace Catholic Community, 19222 Tomball Pkwy, Houston, TX 77070—Dr. Scott Hahn*, and his colleagues will enliven your experience of the Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy at the Fullness of Truth “Gospel of Divine Mercy” Conference on Friday night, June 24<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, June 25 at Prince of Peace Parish, 19222 Tomball Pkwy., Houston, TX 77070! Limited Child care is available at [childcare@pophouston.org](mailto:childcare@pophouston.org) Explore our VIP “Seraphim” package. **Register Now!** <http://www.flnessoftruth.org> or call 1-877-21TRUTH.

## Area Events

***Sacred Heart Catholic Church 2016 Spring Picnic, Hallettsville, Texas, Sunday, May 29, 2016 at the KC Hall. Dinner Serving 10:30 a.m-1:30 p.m. Country Fried Chicken, Stew, Homemade Cornbread Dressing with all the trimmings. – Adults - \$9.00; Children \$4.50. Auction, Bingo, Cake Walk, Country Store, Religious Articles Booth, Kiddie Games & Rides, Water Slide, Music on the Pavilion, Washer Pitching Tournament, Delicious Hamburgers and so much more.***

***St. Mary's Parish Picnic, Sunday, June 12, 2016 – Held Annually 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in June) St. Mary's Parish Hall, Hallettsville, Texas. Adult Plates: \$9.00—St. Mary's Stew & Sausage (Dine-in or Drive-Thru). Games, Country Store, Auction, Live Music and so much more!***

***St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church Annual Parish Picnic, Schulenburg, Texas, Sunday, June 12 at the KC Hall, 405 South St. Meal—Fried Chicken, Sausage and all the trimmings served 11:00 a.m.; Adult plates \$9, Children under 12--\$4.50. Food, Music and Auction, Country Store and more.***



**Next Bulletin: Sunday, June 5, 2016**

**All announcements can be sent by email to the Rectory at [rectory@shcatholicchurch.org](mailto:rectory@shcatholicchurch.org)**

**Or can be called in to the Rectory to 361-798-5888.**

**Any announcements after the due date and time, will be published in the next bulletin, if applicable.**

**Bulletin Deadline: 12:00 p.m. on Monday, May 30, 2016**