

SAINT JOAN OF ARC  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**SCHEDULE**

**Mass:** Vigil 4:00 pm, Sunday 9:00 am

**Confessions:** 3:00-3:45 pm before Saturday Vigil Mass, and any time by appointment.

**Baptisms & Marriages:** Please call the office at 251-432-3505.

Saturday 9/5/20 –Vigil of Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm – Gary Elmore (D)

Sunday 9/6/20 –Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00 am – Parishioners

Saturday 9/12/20-Vigil of Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm – Stephen Lauten (D)

Sunday 9/13/20 –Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00am – Parishioners

**Headphones for the hearing impaired are located in the vestibule.**

(No Daily Mass until further notice.)

**Stewardship Report For Last Week**

Offertory	\$ 3,532.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 182.00
Home Missions	\$ 55.00

**PARISH STAFF**

**Pastor:** Rev. Stephen Vrazel

**Parochial Vicar:** Rev. Cecil Spotswood

**Deacon:** Douglas McEnery

**OFFICE HOURS: MON, WED, FRI., 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM**

**Organists:** Richard Jones, MaryAnne Cieutat

**Parish Secretary:** Lynn Anderson

**Finance Council:** Chairman: Jim Robertson; Brian Blanchette, Steve Guerin

**Parish Council:** Peter Dempsey, Mike Kersten, Carolyn Provost, Nathalie Faggard, Elizabeth Blanchette, Clay Rucker; Ex-officio member: Jim Robertson

Fr. Vrazel can be reached by calling 251-432-8678 (no calls after 9:00 p.m.)

**CIRCLE OF PRAYER**

Sign up at: [mjbsjacop@gmail.com](mailto:mjbsjacop@gmail.com)

Or call 251-445-2670

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:**

Claudia Williams, Rebekah Kersten, Jack Faggard, Daniel Lawrence, Infant Graham Steadman, William Pugh, Sandi Clark, Beverly Jones

**PRIEST SCHEDULE**

Saturday 9/5 @ 4:00pm: Fr. Jurek

Sunday 9/6 @ 9:00am: Fr. Spotswood

**HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER**

We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner.

**100<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY INFORMATION**

Mark your calendar for the following events:

**September 12<sup>th</sup>** 8:00am to 1:00pm – Rummage Sale/Bake Sale

**October 16<sup>th</sup>** 6:00pm to 9:00pm - Cocktail Party at Blacksher Hall.

**October 17<sup>th</sup>** 5:00pm to 9:00pm – Family Day at Hall of Angels.

**October 18<sup>th</sup>** – 9:00am Mass celebrated by Archbishop Rodi. Reception will follow at Hall of Angels.

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Please consider volunteering to help with some of these events. We still have ornaments of the church, note cards and T-Shirts available to sell. Proceeds will benefit anniversary celebration. Please call the office or Nathalie Faggard (251-459-0640) for more information or to volunteer.

**RCIA CLASS SCHEDULE**

RCIA begins Wednesday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm (and each week following until Easter) in the Sisters of Mercy Building at St. Mary. If you or someone you know is interested in joining the Catholic Faith, contact Laurel Wallace in the St. Mary parish office at [llwallace@stmarymobile.org](mailto:llwallace@stmarymobile.org) or call our office to sign up for weekly classes. All

Catholics are invited to classes as well for a deepening of their Catholic Faith.

**ST. MICHAEL'S LENT**

For those who would like to observe, St. Michael's Lent is 40 days of fasting, penance and alms giving from August 15<sup>th</sup> through September 29<sup>th</sup>. There are also daily prayers to pray which can be found on-line or you may get a copy from Deacon McEnery. During this time, we will have Stations of the Cross every Friday at 5:30pm. We will also offer confessions each Tuesday and Thursday from 5:00pm – 6:00pm. During confessions we will have exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

**SECOND COLLECTIONS**

We will have a second collection this week for the Holy Land (originally scheduled for Good Friday). We will no longer take up a second collection for improvements and repairs to parish buildings. Please consider adding this to your normal tithe as the need is still present.

**CENSUS SUNDAY**

September 13<sup>th</sup> is Census Sunday. Every household is encouraged to complete the Census, either paper form or by telephone at 844-330-2020 or online at [my2020census.gov](http://my2020census.gov). No forms will be counted after September 30<sup>th</sup>. An accurate census is important for programs like healthcare, educations, roads and bridges, jobs, congressional representation and more.