

SAINT JOAN OF ARC  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**SCHEUDLE**

**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 9/4/21 –Vigil of the Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
4:00 pm – Patricia Hyland (D)  
Sunday 9/5/21 –The Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
9:00 am – Parishioners

Saturday 9/11/21-Vigil of the Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
4:00 pm – Patricia Hyland (D)  
Sunday 9/12/21 –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	\$7,934.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 452.00

**PARISH STAFF**

**Pastor:** Rev. Stephen Vrazel  
**Parochial Vicar:** Rev. Cecil Spotswood  
**Deacon:** Douglas McEnery  
**OFFICE HOURS: MON, WED, FRI., 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM**  
**Organists:** Richard Jones, MaryAnne Cieutat  
**Parish Secretary:** Lynn Anderson  
**Finance Council:** Chairman: Jim Robertson; Brian Blanchette, Steve Guerin  
**Parish Council:** Mike Kersten, Carolyn Provost, 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.)

**PURGATORIAL SOCIETY**

Call or email Carolyn Provost to sign up or add names to the book. 251-382-0508  
[red.shuz33@gmail.com](mailto:red.shuz33@gmail.com)

**CIRCLE OF PRAYER**

Sign up at: [mjbsjacop@gmail.com](mailto:mjbsjacop@gmail.com)  
Or call 251-445-2670

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:**

Rebekah Kersten, Jack Faggard, Daniel Lawrence, Infant Graham Steadman, Brother Celestine Algero, David Delmas, Raymond Zoghby, Fr. Frank Sofie, Dani Stafford, Janine Stebbins, Fr. Dan Good, Fr. Cecil Spotswood

**PRIEST SCHEDULE**

Sat 9/4 @ 4:00pm Fr. Vrazel  
Sun 9/5 @ 9:00am Fr. Norbert  
Sat 9/11 @ 4:00pm Fr. Vrazel  
Sun 9/12 @ 9:00am Fr. Vrazel

**HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER**

We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this.

**BURSE CLUB SUNDAY**

Burse Sunday is September 12. Each parish family should have received an envelope and letter from Archbishop Rodi last week. Please send in your support for our seminarians or bring to Mass next week.

**SUNDAY SOCIAL**

**There will be no brunch this week due to the Labor Day weekend holiday.** Next week's brunch will be provided by Margaret Ann Davis, Ann Olson, Susan McEnery & Sandra Teel. Thank you to all who work hard to make this possible. If you are interested in joining the rotation, please call or email the office.

**RCIA CLASSES AT ST. MARY**

RCIA Classes began Thursday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Sisters of Mercy Building. If you or someone you know is interested in joining the Catholic Faith, contact Laurel Wallace in the St. Mary parish office at 251/432-8678 or [Lwallace@stmarymobile.org](mailto:Lwallace@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.

**BIRTHDAY OF OUR BLESSED MOTHER**

September 8<sup>th</sup> is the Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, occurring exactly nine months after the celebration of Mary's Immaculate Conception in the womb of her mother, Saint Anne. How are you going to celebrate your Heavenly Mother's birthday? One of the best ways you can talk to your Blessed Mother is by praying the Holy Rosary. You could also read and reflect on her role in Holy Scripture, or sing some of the beautiful Marian hymns. Lovely flowers for Our Lady is a great way to honor her on the celebration of her birthday. Place the flowers near a statue or image of the Mother of God in your home, or bring them to place near her statues here at St. Joan of Arc. Celebrate this feast day with your family by sharing a special meal together, and finish it off with a birthday cake!

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

9/10/21 Blue Mass, Cathedral  
9/12/21 Burse Club Appeal Weekend  
9/12/21 St. Joan of Arc Parish Council Meeting (following 9:00am Mass)  
9/12/21 CCD classes begin at St. Mary  
9/14/21 Married Couples Night at St. Mary  
9/18/21 National Day of Remembrance for aborted children  
9/19/21 Catholic University Collection  
9/24/21 Red Mass, Cathedral  
9/26/21 Life Teen Night at St. Mary following 6:00pm Mass