



The Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is his name. His mercy is from age to age to those who fear him.

St. John the Evangelist Church

13 December 2020 3rd Sunday of Advent

stjohnsfortpierre.org website has parish bulletins and audio at 'click to listen to daily reflections from Fr. Ron'

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 4pm or by calling 223 2176 for Fr. Ron Garry. Office email: main.stjohns@midconetwork.com
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Eucharistic Adoration 1:00pm Sunday 13 December.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Tuesdays 6:00-7pm Dec 15,22.

Wednesdays 5:15-6:45pm Dec 16,23

and on **Thursday December 17**, with 3 priests, 5:30-7pm.

Forgive my sins, O my God, forgive my sins - the sins of youth, the sins of age, the sins of my soul and the sins of my body, the sins which, through frailty, I have committed, my deliberate and grievous sins, the sins I know and the sins I do not know, the sins I have laboured so long to hide from others that now they are hidden from my own memory - let me be absolved from all these iniquities and delivered from the bond of all these evils, by the Life, Passion and Death of my Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Christmas Mass schedule: Thursday 24th 2pm, 5pm, 8pm
Friday 10am

We will still be in limited seating for Christmas. Preferred seating for St. John parishioners and Stanley County residents

Mass schedule all Central Time

Saturday 5:30pm Sunday 7:30am, 10:00am

Monday – 5:30pm Tuesday – 5:30pm Wed 7am & 10am

Thursday 7:00am No mass Friday 18th

- Sat 12/12 +Mavis Oreshoski (mom of Fr. Gary of Philip)
- Sun 12/13 +David Hand & For parishioners
- Mon 12/14 +Jerry Anderson, by Lihs family
- Tue 12/15 + Kristi Magee by Kara Hughes
- Wed 12/16 welfare Betty Zolnowsky & welfare of David Burts
- Thu 12/17 +Burton Weaver, by Lihs family
- Fri 12/18 Reparation for clergy abuse

Bible Study, Monday 6pm in Padre Hall: read Luke 2

- Students in grades 1-8, come to Padre Hall or the church, with worksheets & Bibles, Sunday 3 January 9:00am- 9:30am
- Students in grades 9-12 next meet in January



Thanks to moms and high schoolers who decorated for Christmas on Wednesday

Bp. Peter Muhich: With possible increased attendance for Christmas Masses, continued high infection rates, the complication of other active viruses and the clear data that masking makes a difference in the spread of the infection, I strongly encourage the use of face masks in our churches and offices. Please do your best to protect those most vulnerable to this disease.

Catholic Daughters Advent Baby Shower: Help families through Birthright, with your generous gift of new items: put your gifts in the basket in church entry

St Joseph School will not be holding an in-person Carnival. Please generously donate: 210 E Broadway Ave.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, mystical rose, make intercession for the Holy Church, protect the Sovereign Pontiff, help all those who invoke you in their necessities, and since you are the ever Virgin Mary and Mother of the true God, obtain for us from your most Holy Son the grace of keeping our faith, sweet hope in the midst of bitterness of life, burning charity and the precious gift of final perseverance. Amen.



Pope Francis announced a **Year of St. Joseph**, in honor of the 150th anniversary of the saint's proclamation as patron of the Universal Church. The devotion began Tuesday & concludes 8 Dec 2021. He prays that "every member of the faithful, following Joseph's example, may strengthen their life of faith daily in the complete fulfillment of God's will."

Apostolic Letter *Patris Corde: With A Father's Heart: That Is How Joseph Loved Jesus* (Vatican.va)



- O Antiphons** *Inspired by God, we can give to one another*
- Dec 17 O come, O Wisdom from on high
... truth rather than lies
 - Dec 18 O come, O come, thou Lord of might,
... acting rightly to free us from the pain of sin
 - Dec 19 O come, O flower of Jesse stem
... love that grows beautifully in silence
 - Dec 20 O come, thou Key of David,
... playing and working fairly
 - Dec 21 O come, Thou Dayspring,
... the delight of being alive
 - Dec 22 O come, Desire of nations, bind *... forgiveness*
 - Dec 23 O Come, O Come, Emmanuel
... encouragement to keep on hoping
 - Dec 24 The King comes when morning dawns
... singing Christmas carols