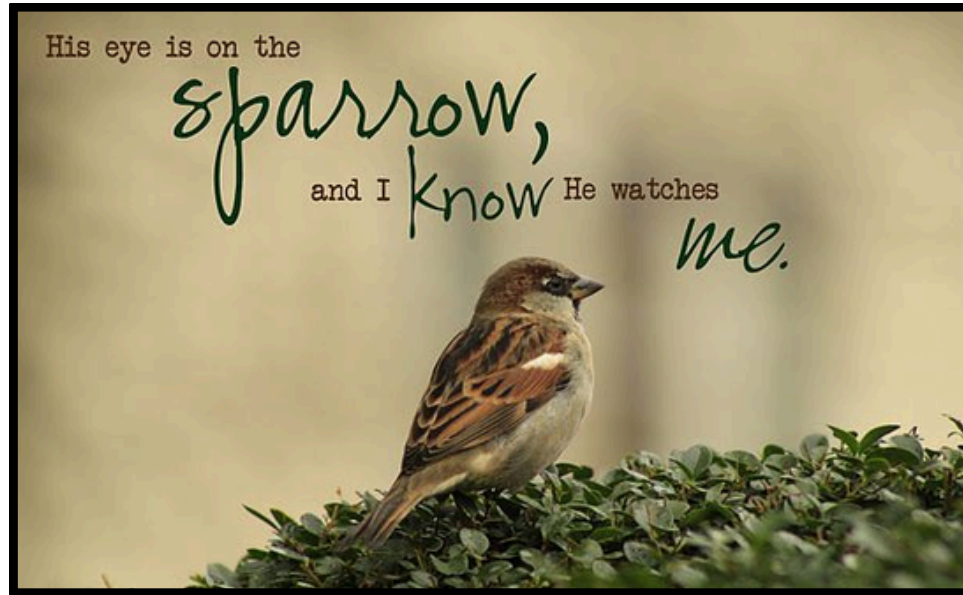




St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

Iglesia Católica San Juan Bautista

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time



June 21, 2026

Mass Times

Saturdays 5:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m. (*Español*)
Sundays 9:00 a.m.
11:30 a.m.
Weekdays *See schedule on page 6.*

Office Hours

Tuesday-Thursday
10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Friday
9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Sundays 10:15-11:00 a.m.

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The Sacraments

Los Sacramentos

Baptism

Bautismo

Please contact the office to arrange a pre-baptismal class.

Por favor comuníquese con la oficina para programar una clase pre-bautismo.

First Reconciliation &

First Eucharist

Primera Reconciliación y

Primera Eucaristía

All children must be in 2nd grade or older and attend Faith Formation classes.

Todos los niños deben estar en segundo grado o un grado superior y asistir a clases de formación en la fe.

Confirmation

Confirmación

Confirmation preparation occurs as part of youth ministry and begins in 8th grade.

La preparación para la Confirmación ocurre como parte del ministerio juvenil y comienza en el 8^o grado.

Reconciliation

Reconciliación

Saturdays 3:30-4:30 p.m., Sundays 10:15-11:00 a.m., and by appointment.

Los sábados de 3:30 a 4:30, los domingos de 10:15 a 11:00, y por cita.

Anointing of the Sick

Unción de los Enfermos

Please contact the pastor before surgery, when seriously ill, in the hospital, or homebound.

Por favor comuníquese con el párroco antes de cirugía, en caso de enfermedad grave, o si está hospitalizado o en la casa.

Matrimony

Matrimonio

Please contact the pastor at least six months prior to the intended marriage to begin sacramental preparations.

Por favor comuníquese con el pastor por lo menos seis meses antes de la boda para comenzar la preparación sacramental.

Holy Orders

Orden Sacerdotal

Single Catholic men, ages 16-49, please contact the pastor.

Hombres solteros Católicos, 16-49, por favor comuníquese con el párroco.

Contact Information

Información de Contacto

Parish Office: 252-537-4667
stjohnbaptist@hotmail.com

Emergencies: 252-308-8771

Fr. John: fr.john.deguzman@raldioc.org

Welcome to St. John the Baptist Catholic Church! *¡Bienvenidos a la Iglesia Católica San Juan Bautista!*

*We are a vibrant Catholic parish encountering Jesus Christ
through Liturgy, Sacraments, Fellowship, and Service.*

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Please contact the office or emergency line when you or a loved one has been admitted to the hospital or a nursing facility.
Por favor, comuníquese con la oficina cuando usted o un miembro de su familia sea ingresado en un hospital o en un centro de cuidado.

Parishioner Registration

If you are new to St. John's, or if you have a new phone number, email address, home address, or other information, please contact the office at 252-537-4667 or stjohnbaptist@hotmail.com to register or update your information.

Interested in Becoming Catholic?

Please reach out to Father John at fr.john.deguzman@raldioc.org, or to Ceil Tuders (OCIA) at 252-308-8544 or tuderscecelia@gmail.com.

Become Involved

There are many ways to get involved at St. John's! To find out more, please reach out the coordinators of each ministry:

Altar Servers - Fr. John De Guzman, fr.john.deguzman@raldioc.org

Cantors/Choir - Katie Ammann, stjohnbaptist@hotmail.com

Food Distribution - Ceil Tuders, tuderscecelia@gmail.com

Spanish Mass Choir - Luz Rodriguez, luzrodri74@gmail.com

Lectors - Daphne Browne, dbbrowne68@gmail.com

Ushers - John & Elice Schaech, toolguyjas@hotmail.com

Youth Ministry - Fr. John De Guzman, fr.john.deguzman@raldioc.org



A Note from Our Administrator

Dear St. John's Parishioners,

Happy Father's Day to all the fathers, grandfathers, godfathers, and father figures in our parish family! On this special day, we give thanks for the gift of fatherhood and for the many men who reflect God's faithful love through their sacrifice, guidance, and care. As Catholics, we recognize that earthly fathers are called to mirror the heart of our Heavenly Father: a heart that loves unconditionally, forgives generously, and leads with humility. May St. Joseph, the earthly father of Jesus, continue to inspire all fathers in their vocation to holiness.

Congratulations to St. John's parishioners Peyton and Harley Jackson on the celebration of their marriage this past weekend in Buxton. We pray that the Lord richly bless their new life together and that their love may continue to grow as a visible sign of Christ's love for His Church.

I also want to thank you for your understanding as I will again be away from our Saturday evening Masses due to wedding commitments. This weekend, I have the privilege of presiding over the wedding of Ally Rhode, who was my co-teacher during my first parish assignment at St. Michael's in Cary. Some parishioners may remember Ally's family, as her father was joyfully welcomed into the Catholic Church at St. John's last year. It is a blessing to share in this important moment in their family's life, and I appreciate your prayers for the couple as they prepare to begin their married life together.

May God bless all our fathers, newlyweds, and families this week.

In Christ,

Fr. John



Una Nota de Nuestro Administrador

Queridos feligreses de San Juan:

Feliz Día del Padre a todos los papás, abuelos, padrinos y figuras paternas de nuestra familia parroquial! En este día tan especial, damos gracias a Dios por el don de la paternidad y por tantos hombres que reflejan el amor fiel de Dios a través de su sacrificio, guía y cuidado. Como católicos, reconocemos que los padres están llamados a reflejar el corazón de nuestro Padre Celestial: un Padre que ama sin condiciones, perdona con generosidad y guía con humildad. Que San José, padre adoptivo de Jesús, siga inspirando a todos los papás en su vocación a la santidad.

Felicitemos a nuestros feligreses Peyton y Harley por la celebración de su matrimonio el fin de semana pasado en Buxton. Pedimos al Señor que bendiga abundantemente esta nueva etapa de su vida juntos y que su amor siga creciendo cada día, siendo un signo visible del amor de Cristo por su Iglesia.

También quiero agradecerles su comprensión, ya que nuevamente estaré fuera de las Misas del sábado por la tarde debido a compromisos relacionados con bodas. Este fin de semana tendré la alegría de asistir a la boda de Ally Rhode, quien fue mi compañera de trabajo durante mi primera asignación parroquial. Algunos de ustedes quizá recuerden a la familia de Ally, ya que el año pasado tuvimos la alegría de recibir a su papá en la Iglesia Católica aquí en San Juan. Es una bendición poder acompañarlos en este momento tan importante de sus vidas, y les agradezco sus oraciones por esta pareja mientras se preparan para comenzar su vida matrimonial.

Que Dios bendiga esta semana a todos nuestros padres de familia, a los recién casados y a todas nuestras familias.

En Cristo,

P. Juan



Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 20

5:00 p.m. † Pete DiPrima by Nancy Lenz

6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass

Sunday, June 21

9:00 a.m. † Marianne Van Scoyoc by Barry Van Scoyoc & Family

11:30 a.m. 🙏 Parishioners of St. John the Baptist

Tuesday, June 23

9:30 a.m. † Deceased Members of the O'Brien Family

Wednesday, June 24

Solemnity of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist

9:30 a.m. 🙏 Aisa & J.M. Nones by the Nones Family

Thursday, June 25

9:30 a.m. 🙏 Aisa & J.M. Nones by the Nones Family

Friday, June 26

9:30 a.m. 🙏 Jane Hanudel by Joan Haselman

Saturday, June 27

5:00 p.m. † MaryAnn O'Grady by Geri Gainey

6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass

Sunday, June 28

9:00 a.m. † Chester & Stasia Shemanski by Paul & Sandy Shemanski

11:30 a.m. 🙏 Parishioners of St. John the Baptist

Altar Flowers

The beautiful altar flowers have been given in memory of

Joe Huss, Sr.
by the Huss Family.



Sanctuary Candle

The sanctuary lamp will shine in memory of

Marianne Van Scoyoc
from June 21 to 27.

Requested by
Barry Van Scoyoc & Family



In Need of Prayer...

Caitlin Edge
Jennifer Brantley
Kathy Butler
Phyllis Doban
Tom Mason
Ellen Boyd
Tommy Wrenn
Stephanie Murch
Elsie Boone
Leah Everette
Lynn Wray
Joyce Moore
Suzanne Bosse
Heather Hayes
Kileigh Cusimano
Wilson Youngblood
Sarah Carpenter

Mary Boulineau
Deborah Scott
Jesse Whitby
Geri Gainey
Mary Noble
Linda Perry
Mattea Fraenza
Jacob Brantley
Marie Baricko
Kathleen Colbert
Mary Beth Baricko
Mercedes De Jesus Aviles
Stan & Geraldine Ferguson
Pamela Huntington
Barry Van Scoyoc
Wanda Jenkins

Shelly Hatcher
Jeanette Butler
Madison Warner
Kathy Ricket
Jacqueline Jares
Reesie Moore
Barbara Hemm
Kathy Radford
Jerris Peavey
Phuong Nguyen
Angel Frankine
JoAnn Frankine
Joseph Frankine
Martinez Family
Tommy Daughtry
Alfred Leonetti, III

Jerry Schill
Paula Peavey
Stachowski Family
Bonnie Zilhaver
Wilbur Katt
Kathy Mitchell
Deborah Elkins
Ella Garris
Jennifer Brainerd
Patricia Cassidy
Ellen Kyser
Sylvia Labriola
Robert Portwood
Billy Mueller
Rod Howell
Bob & Debbie Baker

To add someone to the prayer list, or to update us on the condition of a loved one, please contact the parish office.

Parish Financial Stewardship

Operational Budget Needs for 2025-2026

\$226,765.00

Weekly Budgeted Need

\$4,361.00

Weekly In-Pew Offering - June 14

\$2,719.00

Online Offertory - June 8 through 14

\$228.94

Offering Fiscal Year to Date

\$221,913.58

There is one envelope this weekend for Regular Offertory.

ONLINE giving



Donate online to St. John the Baptist

Our parish online giving link allows one-time and recurring gifts, and donors can choose from a drop-down menu in order to give toward the following funds and ministries:

Offertory

Regular church operations, including supplies, liturgical needs, utilities, and salaries.

Building Maintenance Fund

Maintenance and upkeep of church properties and grounds, including HVAC, roofing, and improvements.

Youth Ministry

Supplies and experiences for the parish youth group, consisting of young people in grades 8-12.

General Donations

Unrestricted funds for clergy to determine where it is needed most.

Social Concerns

Local ministry to those in immediate need, often covering a utility bill for families in crisis situations.

Bishop's Annual Appeal

We surpassed our Bishop's Annual Appeal goal, thanks to your generous donations and prayerful support! Gifts to this campaign are still welcome, as the BAA supports seminarians, Catholic education, Catholic Charities within our Diocese, and many more ministries. Our parish also receives back a portion of any gifts made beyond our goal amount.

SCAN HERE
to make an online gift



SJBYM - Youth Ministry

Ready for summer fun and fellowship?

The youth group and their families are invited to be part of the **Fairwood Lanes** afternoon of bowling, as well as the **Kings Dominion** trip. Please see the WhatsApp group for more information!



SJB Youth Ministry Public
WhatsApp group



We will have our next **car wash fundraiser** in July! Thank you to everyone who has volunteered for and supported these fundraisers. The youth are excited for upcoming trips and experiences!

The youth group is open to all youth in grades 8-12. For more information, or to sign up, please contact Father John at **fr.john.deguzman@raldioc.org**.



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The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic fraternal and service organization dedicated to charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism. The general meeting is held the First Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Dues are \$30 per year.

Starting July 1, the incoming Grand Knight will be Armon Pfeifer. As a longtime parishioner, parish volunteer, and Knight, Armon is looking forward to serving the community in this role.

Thank you to outgoing Grand Knight Troy Allen for his dedication, service, and leadership! We know you'll still be an integral part of KC Council 7232 and this parish community.

Knights of Columbus coffee and donut socials are paused for the summer and will resume in the fall. More information on upcoming donut socials and dinner socials will be available soon.

Parish Happenings

This is the final weekend to turn in your reply card for the parish's 95th anniversary celebration. If you don't have a reply card but would like to attend, please contact the office at stjohnbaptist@hotmail.com or 252-537-4667. Cards may be dropped off at the office during office hours, or in the mail slot, by Tuesday.



There will be a special blessing for 2026 graduates next Sunday, June 28 at the 11:30 Mass, with a drop-in reception to follow. If someone in your family has recently graduated from middle school, high school, or college, please attend if you are able. Congratulations to the Class of 2026!

Congratulations!

We wish all fathers, grandfathers, godfathers, and father-figures a Happy Father's Day, and we pray for the repose of the souls of fathers who have passed on.

We hope all of the fathers enjoy the parish Father's Day gift - a small tire pressure gauge and St. Joseph prayer card.

May all fathers know the love of Christ and reflect it in their lives!

happy
Father's
Day

Parish Happenings

June is traditionally the month dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and the bishops have consecrated our nation to the Sacred Heart as of June 11. Our parish Sacred Heart statue will remain in front of the altar for the remainder of the month, as we pray to always be close to Him.

Prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

O Most Sacred Heart of Jesus:

You know the longings of our hearts, and you desire that we enjoy friendship with you.

From your pierced side, you have poured out the wellspring of life, for which we thirst.

Your heart burns with a love for all people to return to a right relationship with you.

We celebrate the abundant gifts you have given this nation, founded on the self-evident truths that our Creator has endowed all people with the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.

We make reparation for the offenses against you and against human dignity that have taken place in this nation.

May our hearts be united to yours, so that our families and communities enjoy peace and happiness; may broken relationships be reconciled, injustices repaired, and the wounds of our land be healed.

May your holy Catholic Church serve as a sign, pointing all people to your infinite love.

O Desire of Nations and Center of History, we ask you to bless these United States of America.

Who live and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us!

Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us!

Oración al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús

Sagrado Corazón de Jesús:

Tú conoces los anhelos de nuestro corazón y deseas que disfrutemos de tu amistad.

De tu costado traspasado has derramado el manantial de vida, del que tenemos sed.

Tu corazón arde de amor para que todas las personas vuelvan a tener una relación correcta contigo.

Celebramos los abundantes dones que has brindado a esta nación, fundada en las verdades evidentes que nuestro Creador ha dotado a todas las personas del derecho a la vida, a la libertad y a la búsqueda de la felicidad.

Ofrecemos reparación por las ofensas contra ti y contra la dignidad humana ocurridas en esta nación.

Que nuestros corazones se unan al tuyo, para que nuestras familias y comunidades gocen de paz y felicidad; que las relaciones dañadas se reconcilien, las injusticias se reparen y las heridas de nuestra tierra se sanen.

Que tu santa Iglesia católica sirva de signo, mostrando a todos tu amor infinito.

A ti, que eres el Deseo de las Naciones y el Centro de la Historia, te pedimos que bendigas a estos Estados Unidos de América.

Tú que vives y reinas con Dios Padre en la unidad del Espíritu Santo, Dios, por los siglos de los siglos.

Amén.

Sagrado Corazón de Jesús, ¡ten piedad de nosotros!

Inmaculado Corazón de María, ¡ruega por nosotros!



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