

Proclaimers please speak in a louder than normal voice! Thank you!!!

The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist Year B

- 5:00 pm Saturday, June 23, 2012
- 9:00 am Sunday June 24, 2012
- 11:00 am Sunday, June 24, 2012

- 1) Isaiah 49:1-6 2) Acts 13:22-26 3) Luke 1:57-66, 80

“Welcome To Our Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

Today we celebrate the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist.

(Please introduce those who will be serving at the Mass - say first and last names for all. Thank you.)

“My name is _____,

_____ and I will be serving as Proclaimers for this Mass.

The Eucharistic Ministers are:	
1)	5)
2)	6)
3)	7)
4)	It is assumed that the main celebrant is serving the Eucharist – he need not be included here.

The Altar Servers are:

_____ and

The Cantor (song leader) is: _____ (One who leads responsorial psalm and Alleluia verse)

- 5:00 p.m. The Celebrant for today’s Mass is Father Raul Ranola
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The focus for today’s Mass is that, John the Baptist's birth helped prepare us for the birth of Jesus.

In Today’s Liturgy of the Word,

We hear of one who is called, while still in his mother's womb, to be a special servant of God. In the second reading, Paul speaks of John the Baptist as a herald, calling for repentance at the coming of the Messiah. The Gospel tells of the birth of John the Baptist.

The intention for this Mass is for:

- 5:00 p.m. the repose of the soul of Michelline Monette
- 9:00 a.m. the repose of the soul of Pro Popolo
- 11:00 a.m. the special intentions of Ed & Shirley Grantham

“Please stand and pray with me the **Prayer for our Parish**

“Let us all join in singing our gathering song.”

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GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

PRIEST:

God is always faithful to His promises, so let us bring before Him in prayer our needs and those of the world.

For the Church, that she may continue to be a light in the darkness, leading all to Jesus and the salvation He offers,

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

For all the faithful, that we, following the example of John the Baptist, may be courageous and faithful in bearing witness to Christ,

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

For the sick,

Especially: Matt Heck,

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

For all our beloved dead;

Especially: Alexander Phee,

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

For each one of us here, that we may continue to put our trust in our loving God,

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

For our own personal intentions, (long pause),

We Pray to the Lord. People sing: Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

PRIEST:

Almighty God, your answer to the prayers of Elizabeth and Zechariah gives us the confidence to ask that you answer our prayers, offered through Christ our Lord.

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