

# Saint John the Baptist

## Latin Mass Community

### ***An Apostolate of the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter***

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**Sunday: 7am and 11am**

**Mon. & Tues.: 7:15am**

**Wed., Thur., Fri.: 6pm**

**Saturday: 8am**

**Holy Days of Obligation:**

**7:15am & 6pm**

*Confession offered 30 min. before  
all Masses or by appointment*

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**Weddings:** Please inquire 6 months  
prior to intended date.

**Schola:** Thursdays after 6 PM Mass

**Choir:** Sundays after 11AM Mass

# BULLETIN WEEK 20

2016

## Liturgical Calendar and Mass Intentions

<b>Sun. May 15</b>	<b>Pentecost Sunday (1<sup>st</sup> cl.)</b>
7:00 am 11:00 am	Rosie Elsinger Pro Populo
<b>Mon. May 16</b>	<b>Pentecost Monday (1<sup>st</sup> cl.)</b>
7:15 am	Peggy Johnson+
<b>Tues. May 17</b>	<b>Pentecost Tuesday (1<sup>st</sup> cl.)</b>
7:15 am	L. Emerson
<b>Wed. May 18</b>	<b>Pentecost Wednesday (1<sup>st</sup> cl.)</b>
6:00 pm	Julia Gilligan+
<b>Thurs. May 19</b>	<b>Pentecost Thursday (1<sup>st</sup> cl.)</b>
6:00 pm	Patrick Kehoe+
<b>Fri. May 20</b>	<b>Pentecost Friday (1<sup>st</sup> cl.)</b>
6:00 pm	David & Carol Craigmile
<b>Sat. May 21</b>	<b>Pentecost Saturday (1<sup>st</sup> cl.)</b>
8:00 am	Fr. F. John Ringley
<b>Sun. May 22</b>	<b>Trinity Sunday (1<sup>st</sup> cl.)</b>
7:00 am 11:00 am	Karen Winkle Pro Populo

***WELCOME visitors!** St. Edmund Campion missals/hymnals are available in the back of the church. At the traditional Mass, Holy Communion is received on the tongue, and kneeling, if possible. There no need to respond 'Amen'. Chapel veils to borrow are available in the foyer of the church. If you would like to register to join the community, fill out a census form, found on the table in the back of the church, and turn in to Fr. Magiera.*

**By the Numbers** For the Week of May 1, 2016

Sunday Mass Attendance: 7:00 am: 39 11:00 am: 123 Total: 162

Collections: Regular: \$3,433.00

Total Deposit: \$3,433.00

Daily Mass attendance for week: 112 Confessions for week: 32

**Proprs for Today's Mass:** Page 295 of the Campion Missal/Hymnal.

**Calendar:** There is a detailed community liturgical calendar on our bulletin board in the vestibule for May through August. Please take a look at what's coming up.

**Second Collection to be taken up today, May 15,** for the Catholic Communication Campaign. Half of the collection stays in the Diocese to support the communication ministries, including the newspaper and Internet. Your donation provides free Arkansas Catholic subscriptions to churches, schools, prisons and to those who cannot afford it.

**Farewell Reception for Melvin Siebenmorgen** to be held today after the 11:00 am Mass on Pentecost Sunday, May 15. Weather permitting cake and punch to be served on the lawn in front of the rectory.

**Reminder:** Father Magiera will be away from **May 18 through May 24**. Father Orłowski will cover the Mass schedule.

**First Communion Mass and Reception on May 29,** External Solemnity of Corpus Christi. Seven children will be receiving their First Communion on this day. Reception will follow Mass. Volunteers are needed to bring food and help with meal. The menu is posted on the bulletin board in the vestibule.

**FSSP Seminary Camp:** A camp for boys ages 13-15 organized and operated by FSSP Seminary. Camps will be held in two sessions: Camp St. Isaac Jogues July 12 – 22 at FSSP headquarters, Elmhurst, PA and Camp St. Peter August 12 – 24 Custer State Park, SD. For more information and to apply visit: [SeminaryCamps.WORDPRESS.COM](http://SeminaryCamps.WORDPRESS.COM) (See April issue District Newsletter)

**Bible Institute:** Celebrate the Year of Mercy at the annual Bible Institute June 17-19 at St. John Center in Little Rock. Father Garrett Gavin OFM, will address “The Message of Mercy: The Biblical Roots of Pope Francis’ Teachings” throughout the weekend. Registration is \$100 due by Friday, June 3. Call 664-6102.

**Pilgrimage to France in September with Fr. Greg Hart:** Deadline for reservations has been extended. See brochure posted on bulletin board in vestibule.

**Please Remember these Prayer Intentions:**

**For the living:** June Gardner (health), Gary Crouch (health), Members of the Kozłowski families, Jolanta Widuch, Diane Wolfe (health), Linda Barry (health), Crawford Family, Peter Orłowski Family, Penny Witter (health), Gail Demerest (health), Eric Couron Family (Special Intention), Gerald Spencer (health).

**And for the dead:** John Andrew Makovec, Sue Whitehead, Janet Sorrels, David Crockett, Shawn Trusty, Donald Greer, Gail Brooks, Patrick W. Kordsmeier, Scott Shiplett, James Steven Moore, Vergie Crimmins, Bill Barry, John Tully, Ron Prince, Lenora Price, Dorothy Lochner, Myrtle Powers, Gregory Backus, Billy-Joe Campbell, James Honeycutt, Sandra Friedl, Isadore L. Sonnier, John Farrel, Jean Murry, Bonnie McDonald, Marie Honeycutt, Catherine Sparks, Carolyn Bruich, Earl Bradberry, Fr. Venantius Preske, Joseph Max Bulmanski, Justice Antonin Scalia, Rachel Taylor.

Dear Community Members,

As I write this, we are in the Ascensiontide homestretch. This coming Sunday is Pentecost Sunday. It is the second greatest feast in the Church. It is considered “The Birthday of the Church,” so, Happy Birthday. Like the feast of Easter, Pentecost is followed by a first class octave. Every day in Pentecost week is a first class day – including Friday. So, Friday in the octave of Pentecost is NOT a day of abstinence. This is a bit odd considering that, within the Octave of Pentecost, we have the “summer” Ember Days (Wednesday, Friday and Saturday), days that ordinarily stress a bit of an increase in penitential practices. But, again, by virtue of the solemnity of the Feast of Pentecost, normal Friday abstinence and the additional Ember Days mortification are completely dispensed with. So do we experience the love of Christ and the power of the Holy Ghost.

Ember Days have also been the traditional time for ordinations in the church. On Ember Wednesday, the “scrutinies” would take place. Friday would normally be a day of recollection and preparation and ordinations would follow on Saturday. In fact, I was ordained to the priesthood on the Ember Saturday of Pentecost. Such ordinations were “marathon” times. It was not unusual, in the past, to have – in the same Mass: The Tonsure; Ordination to Porter and Lector; Ordination to Exorcist and Acolyte; Ordination to the Subdiaconate, Diaconate, and finally, Priesthood. This is one of the reasons why there are so many readings in the Ember Saturday Masses. Ordination to each order would take place between the readings. Ember Saturdays, in the “old days” were certainly the days when the bishop earned his salary.

At any rate, Pentecost is a most splendid day. For us here, however, it will be quite a bitter-sweet day. This is the day when we give our official, heartfelt “Addio” to our own Melvin Siebenmorgen. I, for one, will miss Melvin more than I can say. I have never seen him without a smile or mischievous glint in his eye. Yet he was always the one with very strong shoulders who could bear every burden I gave him – not that I gave him many. He was always very “even-keel” and handled problems with a calm determination. All of these are very good qualities in a man, especially a man who has chosen such a challenging path. I’m sure Melvin will have his share of crosses – except for the wonderful weather in San Diego. I hope we all have fond words of farewell for him at the reception after Mass, my children and my friends.

Father Magiera