

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24TH, 2025

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Liturgical Schedule

Tuesday (8/26): 8:30AM at St. John Wednesday (8/27): 8:30AM at Cathedral Thursday (8/28): 8:30AM at St. John Friday (8/29): 8:30AM at Cathedral

Saturday(8/30): 4:00PM at Cathedral Sunday (8/31): 9:00AM at Cathedral 10:30AM at St. John

Confession

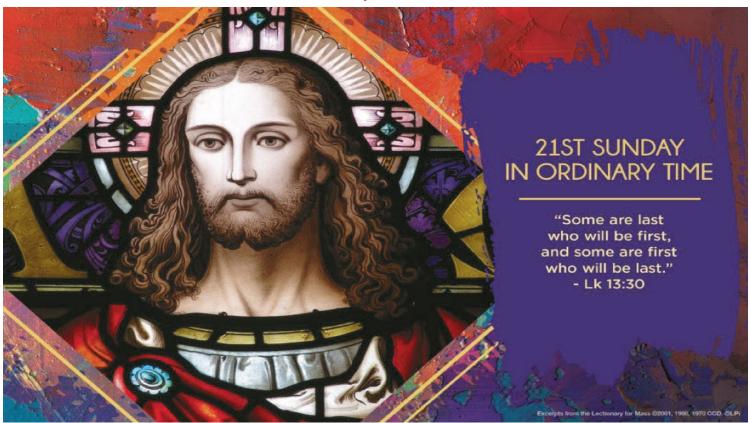
Wednesday (8/27): 6:00-7:30PM at Cathedral Saturday (8/30): 8:00-9:00AM at Cathedral

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday (8/27) 3:00-8:00PM at Cathedral Solemn Benediction to follow at 8:00PM

The 9:00AM Sunday Mass at the Cathedral is livestreamed at <u>sfxcathedralgb.com</u> and on Relevant Radio 1050AM. Mass with Bishop Ricken airs on WFRV-TV-Channel 5 Sunday at 10:30AM

Starting September 7th, 2025—Mass with Bishop Ricken will air at 7:30AM on WFRV TV-Channel 5 on Sundays for the 2025-2026 NFL season



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(1-920-432-4348)

Monday: By Appointment Only Tuesday: 12:30PM - 4:00PM

Wednesday & Thursday: 9:30AM - 4:00PM

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MASS INTENTIONS | Saint Francis Xavier Cathedral

Saturday	August 23rd	4:00 PM	† Bonnie Burks
Sunday	August 24th	9:00 AM	† Jeanne Johnson
Wednesday	August 27th	8:30 AM	Living & Deceased Members of the Soman & Schwingle Families
Friday	August 29th	8:30 AM	† Clifford De Beck
Saturday	August 30th	4:00 PM	† Eileen Schwingle
Sunday	August 31st	9:00 AM	Living and Deceased Members of the St. Francis Xavier Cathedral



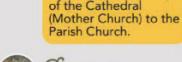






Please RSVP by Sept. 12 to Office of Divine Worship & Sacraments, at worship@gbdioc.org.





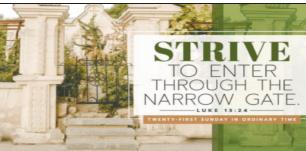
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SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading:

I know their works and their thoughts, and I come to gather nations of every language; they shall come and see my glory. (Is 66:18)

Psalm:

Go out to all the world and tell the Good News. (Ps 117)

Second Reading:

So strengthen your drooping hands and your weak knees. Make straight paths for your feet, that what is lame may not be disjointed but healed. (Heb 12:12 -13)

Gospel:

For behold, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last." (Lk 13:30)

Readings for the week of August 24, 2025

Sunday: Is 66:18-21/Ps 117:1, 2 (Mk 16:15)/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/Lk 13:22-30

Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:1-8/Ps 139:1-3, 4-6/Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13/Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab/Mt 23:27-32

Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13/Ps 128:1 -2, 4-5/Mt 24:42-51

Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8 (429)/Ps 97:1

and 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12/Mk 6:17-

Saturday: 1 Thes 4:9-11/Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9/Mt 25:14-30

Next Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 (1a)/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14

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Missionary Co-Op Appeal



Fr. John Tigatiga was ordained in Tanzania East Africa in 2015. Fr. Tigatiga took the role of Mission Office Director for the Salvatorian USA Province. He previously served as a Vicar Procurator and Associate Pastor in Tanzania at the

Blessed Virgin Mary Parish in the Diocese of Tunduru, Masasi before coming to the USA in June 2018. His vision is to be a mediator, a bridge that connects, and thereby brings human beings to God.

2025-26 Youth Faith Formation Classes Start Date

Classes for grades 1-11 and Catechesis of the Good Shepherd atrium session begin next week, September 3rd. If you have not registered for classes (this includes sacramental preparation), you need to register immediately. Please call the faith formation office at 920-393-3773 to register.

Note: Our Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level 1 Session is full. If you desire for your child to attend CGS, you can register and be placed on our wait list. You will be notified should an opening become available.



Pope Leo's August Intention

For mutual coexistence Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious, or ideological reasons.

Diocesan Youth Choir

2025-26 Season | Wendy Miller, Director

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MASS INTENTIONS | Saint John the Evangelist

Sunday	August 24th	10:30 AM 🎉	† Patsy Ann Gervais
Tuesday	August 26th	8:30 AM	Brad Z.
Thursday	August 28th	8:30 AM	Love Life Ministry
Sunday	August 31st	10:30 AM 🍠	† Maria Amelida Vincent

Upcoming Liturgical Roles

Sunday, August 31st, 10:30 AM Jim S.

Happy Birthday!

Ronald Duquaine, Ann Recka, Elizabeth Sinclair, Susan Brey, Sue Badeau, Jeff Dugan, Annette Kimble, Wayne Carter, Joseph Harris, Amber Zellner, Luke Doxator, Henry Lepak, & Serenity Neerdaels-Bennett

Weekly Collection Weekly Collection 8/10/2025 Over/Short **Budgeted** Parish Envelopes \$ 1,215.00 \$ 1,827.00 \$ (612.00) \$ 419.40 \$ 317.30 \$ 102.10 Loose Total \$ 1,634.40 \$ 2,144.30 \$ (509.90)

Please welcome Fr. John Tigatiga who will say Mass at St. John's this week. Fr. Tigatiga is a Salvatorian priest from Tanzania, East Africa and was ordained in 2015. He represents the USA community, sharing appeals for the international missions. Please give generously to the Missionary Co-Op Appeal.



Parish Council Meets Tuesday, September 2nd 4:00 - 6:00 PM



Pray Like King David

Thursday, September 4 | 12-1 p.m. or 7-8 p.m.

The Book of Psalms has traditionally been attributed to King David. The Psalms echo the human heart in all of the joys, struggles, betrayals, heartbreaks, and celebrations that come with a life well-lived. In our time with Fr. Brad Vanden Branden, O. Praem. we will pray like King David and utilize a few Psalms that showcase the range of human experience and how the psalmist, King David, used all of it to turn to God in praise, thanks, petition, lament, and prayer. *Cost: freewill offering*.

Mass Intentions

There are many weekday and Sunday Masses available at SJE Please call (920)436-6380. Suggest Donation is \$20 per Mass

SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST

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On Our Journey

Being a Communications instructor, my faith message includes daily taking that "silent" time Fr. Ryan encourages. Reflect and write as everyone has a faith journey message and your words, big or small, can touch someone's life.

In 1999 - 2004, I lived and worked in Saudi Arabia, a Muslim country. The Christians on the compound gathered on Friday nights (which was equivalent to our Sundays --- their weekends are Thursday and Friday). We often prayed together, shared joys and struggles, and read and studied scripture.

One year, I worked in an Arab women high school where I was required to stand in the auditorium every morning at 7 AM with all students and teachers, and "listen" to the Koran prayers recited for twenty-five minutes. Believe it or not, it was at that time that I grew very close to Our Lord Jesus Christ. Not knowing more than a few phrases in Arabic, that time allowed me to speak and listen to God and share all my heart.

Silent times, like Fr. Ryan says, it is hard to find in today's world. Consider that even while I was hearing a foreign tongue over a loudspeaker, Our God heard my fever and love for Him. He hears us through all the "noise" anytime we decide to focus on Him.

Our world is rampant with activity. Even in the hustle and bustle of our days, we can create those silent spaces. Selective hearing is God's creation, the whisper of the birds in the morning instead of the hum of the road traffic. Or using earbuds listening to Sacred Music for five minutes on the Relevant Radio app -- the Glory of God is here, close to each of us.

I thank my parents for baptizing me in the Catholic Church and our regular Sunday attendance which certainly planted enough seeds for me to choose to grow in my faith and love of Lord Jesus Christ. I share my Mass attendance at St. Peter and Paul, and slowly getting to know more parishioners at St. John's and St. Francis Cathedral. Praying for all of you too.

Sincerely,

Christine L. Tipps

Jeremiah 29:13-14



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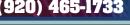
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