

*Saint Joan of Arc
Catholic Church*

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SCHEDULE

Mass: Sat. Vigil 4:00 pm, Sun. 8:30 am
Confessions: 3:30-3:55 pm Saturday and by appointment.
Baptisms & Marriages: Please call the office at 251-432-3505.

Saturday April 29, 2023 – 4:00pm
Vigil of the Fourth Sunday of Easter
Intention: Frank Pavone (L)

Sunday April 30, 2023 – 8:30am
The Fourth Sunday of Easter
Intention: Harry Saad (D)

Saturday May 6, 2023 – 4:00pm
Vigil of the Fifth Sunday of Easter
Intention: Souls in Purgatory

Sunday May 7, 2023 – 8:30am
The Fifth Sunday of Easter
Intention: Jerry Radka (D)

Stewardship Report for Last Week

Offertory	\$1,538.00
Holy Land	\$ 10.00

**OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY,
WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM**

PARISH STAFF

Pastor: The Very Reverend Stephen Vrazel
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Cecil Spotswood
Deacon: Douglas McEnery
Organists: Richard Jones, MaryAnne Cieutat
Parish Secretary: Lynn Anderson
Finance Council: Chairman: Jim Robertson; Brian Blanchette
Parish Council: Mike Kersten, Michael Provost, Elizabeth Blanchette, Stan Anderson, Helena Smith; Ex-officio member: Jim Robertson

Fr. Vrazel can be reached by calling
251-432-8678 (no calls after 9:00 p.m.)

PURGATORIAL SOCIETY

To sign up or add names of deceased loved ones to the book:
catholicinmobile@gmail.com

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

Sign up at: mjbsjacop@gmail.com

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Fr. Frank Sofie, Lori Provost, Jean Rathle

PRIEST SCHEDULE:

Sat. 4/29 @ 4:00pm Fr. Spotswood
Sun. 4/30 @ 8:30am Fr. Spotswood
Sat. 5/6 @ 4:00pm Fr. Vrazel
Sun. 5/7 @ 8:30am Fr. Vrazel

SUNDAY BRUNCH SOCIAL

Please join us following the 8:30 Sunday Mass for a light brunch and fellowship. Thank you to all who make this social possible. If you are interested in joining the rotation, please call the parish office.

Schedule:

4/30: Mary Jane Blanchette, Elizabeth Blanchette, Stephanie Gapud

5/7: Gayle Conner, Ann Olsen, Cynthia Parham

WELCOME!

You are warmly welcomed to our Church and we love to see you here. We want you to know the love of God and feel His presence near, for you are so special to the Lord and special to us too! If you are interested in joining St. Joan of Arc Parish, please call Lynn in the office Monday, Wednesday or Friday 9-noon, fill out a welcome envelope, or visit our website stjoanofarcmobile.com

ST. MARY MARRIAGE NIGHT

Sharing the Fruits of the Spirit

Self-Control & Chastity

Wednesday, May 17th

(Previously scheduled May 3rd)

6:00pm-8:00pm

Dinner, Dessert & Dialogue!

\$30/couple (suggested minimum donation)

Bring a Bottle of Wine to Share

* Must make reservations to attend -

Free childcare available with reservation

RSVP no later than Monday, May 15th

lwallace@stmarymobile.org

WE NEED LAY MINISTERS

If you are interested in being a lector or usher please call the office. We are in need of lectors, especially at the 4:00 vigil Mass. If you would like to become an Extraordinary Minister of the Holy Eucharist, call the office to get on the list for the next training.

HOLY WATER

Holy Water is water blessed by a priest with solemn prayer to beg God's blessing on those who use it, and protection from the powers of darkness. With this sacramental we are reminded of our baptism and union with Christ in his death and resurrection, and we pray to be cleansed and forgiven of any venial sins that have stained us on our journey through the world. When you enter a Catholic Church, you will usually find a Holy Water or Baptismal font as you enter, so that all who enter can dip their fingers in and bless themselves with the sign of the cross, remembering their own baptism. We use Holy Water before Mass as a symbolic gesture of washing one's self before the sacrifice of the Mass such as the High Priests did before entering into the temples to offer sacrifices to God.

ADORATION

St. Mary is in need of an adorer in the Chapel to fill the 9:00am – 10:00am time slot each Friday. Please contact Laurel if you can spend this hour with our Lord. lwallace@stmarymobile.org