
**St. John the Evangelist Parish
First Friday Memorial Fund**

It's time to **join** or **renew** your membership in the First Friday Memorial Fund. The term of the New Year is November 3, 2008 to November 2, 2009. *Please complete the entire form.* You may join or renew in the following ways, as listed below:

PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. I wish to **renew** my membership in the First Friday Memorial Fund for 2008/2009 with the intention listed as: *(please clearly print the intention as you wish it to appear -see instructions on other side of form).*

Intention:

2. I wish to **join** the First Friday Memorial Fund for 2008/2009 with the intention listed as: *(please clearly print the intention as you wish it to appear – see instructions on other side of form).*

Intention:

3. If you do not wish to **renew** or **join**, you do not need to return this form.

INSTRUCTIONS: Please *complete and return this entire form* with your donation of \$60.00 made payable to **St. John Church no later than Friday, October 24, 2008.** You may mail or drop off this form to the parish business office (404 N. Dayton, Davison, MI 48423, Monday - Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.) or drop it in the Sunday collection basket clearly marked **FIRST FRIDAY MEMORIAL FUND 2008/2009.** (See reverse side for more details)

Please print

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

I will make every effort to attend these monthly Masses myself.

DEADLINE DATE FOR 2008/2009 MEMBERSHIP IS FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2008.

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- ◆ ***WHAT IS THE FIRST FRIDAY MEMORIAL FUND?***
The First Friday Memorial Fund is comprised of parishioners and friends of St. John the Evangelist through which their intentions are remembered at a Mass to be celebrated each First Friday, throughout the entire year.
- ◆ ***WHY START/CONTINUE SUCH A FUND?***
For several reasons: as a large and long established parish, it is becoming more difficult to supply individual Masses for the many requests for intentions received. This **Memorial Fund** fulfills many of the requests for monthly prayer for your intentions. Your intentions will be printed each week of the year in a special location in our parish bulletin; and your offering helps provide support for the parish.
- ◆ ***WHAT IS THE REQUESTED OFFERING?***
St. John the Evangelist requests a yearly offering of **\$60.00** for the intentions to be remembered at this monthly Mass. You are all welcome to attend this Mass.
- ◆ ***HOW DO I LIST MY INTENTIONS?***
You may list your intentions as one individual name: Mary Jones; you may list family groupings: The Jones Family *or* The Jones and Smith Families; you may not submit a litany of individual names, space will not permit. Also indicate if it is for Deceased and/or Living Members.
- ◆ ***WHEN WILL THESE MASSES BEGIN?***
We will begin the Masses for the new year in November. The “intention year” will be from November 3, 2008 to November 2, 2009. And then we begin again. If you wish to continue having your intentions remembered at these Masses, you will be asked to renew with your donation each year. The time of Mass is rotated between the 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Masses.
- ◆ ***HOW DO I BECOME PART OF THE “FIRST FRIDAY MEMORIAL FUN?”***
Just fill out the application on the back of this form, return it to the parish business office (404 N. Dayton, Davison, MI 48423, Monday – Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.) or drop it in the Sunday collection basket clearly marked **FIRST FRIDAY MEMORIAL FUND 2008/2009**, with your offering of \$60.00. Checks are made payable to St. John Church. **Deadline is Friday, October 24, 2008.**
- ◆ ***WHAT IF I HAVE FURTHER QUESTIONS?***
Feel free to call the parish office at 653-2377, Monday – Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. We will be happy to answer your questions concerning the fund.

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