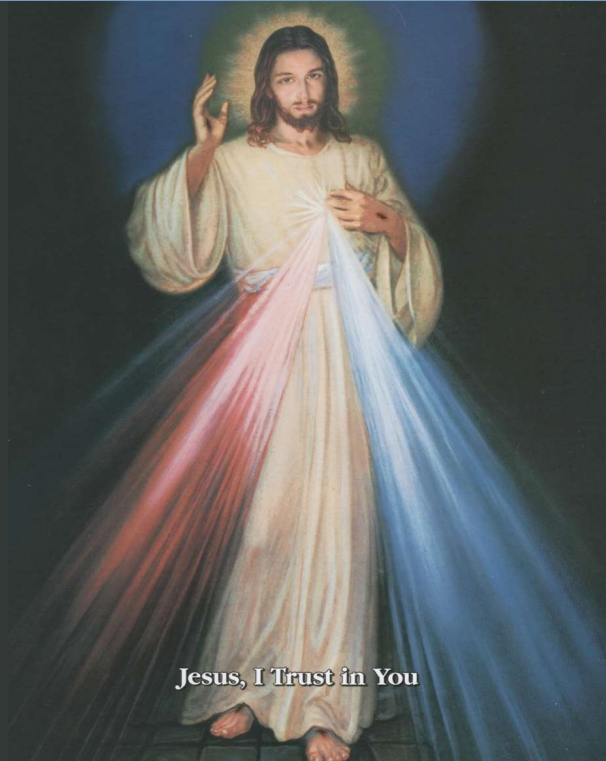


# ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Second Sunday of Easter / Sunday of Divine Mercy

April 7, 2024



## Divine Mercy Sunday

- 2:30pm Chaplet Sung  
2:55pm Mass entrance procession  
3:00pm Mass  
3:55pm Flower procession and  
veneration of the image  
and a first-class relic of  
St. Faustina

Please join us immediately after the 3:00pm Mass  
in the Ballroom for a reception, followed by a presentation  
on Divine Mercy by Sister Teresa de la Fuente, OLM  
(St Faustina's Congregation)



### The Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled  
to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I  
come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise  
not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

### A Prayer for World Peace

Dear God, thank You for all creation. In the Spirit of Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Prince of  
Peace, help me and all the people of the world learn how to replace hate, war,  
oppression, and division with love, peace, freedom, and reconciliation. Help me to  
embody Your love in my relationships with my family, friends, strangers - even my  
enemies. I commit myself to this sacred task throughout my life. So let it be. Amen.

## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

the first Sunday after Easter

### THE HISTORY

Jesus began appearing to St. Faustina Kowalska, a Polish nun, in 1931. The message and devotion to Jesus as The Divine Mercy is based on her published diary recording the revelations she received from Jesus. St. Faustina died in 1938, at 33 years old, and was canonized by St. John Paul II in 2000.

### THE PROMISE

Our Lord Jesus said, "The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day all the divine floodgates throughout which graces flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet... Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy."

— Saint Faustina, Diary, 699

### WHY IS THIS PROMISE FROM JESUS SO WONDERFUL AND MERCIFUL?

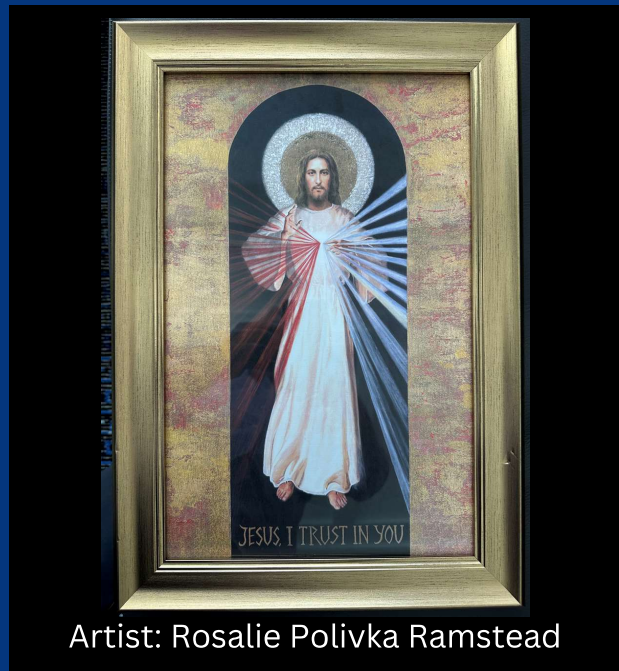
#### TEMPORAL PUNISHMENT AND SUFFERING:

The Catholic Church teaches that sin has two consequences, or punishments. (CCC 1472). The first is eternal punishment in which the soul loses heaven and is confined to an eternity in Hell. This punishment is remitted through the forgiveness of sins. The second is temporal punishment, in which a person must expiate, or make reparation for his sins. This temporal punishment remains even after sin is forgiven. This temporal punishment is known as Purgatory.

So, Jesus's amazing promise to St. Faustina amounts to offering all mankind the graces of a COMPLETE PARDON; an opportunity to have all temporal punishment, time in Purgatory, that which would be necessary before entrance into Heaven, completely removed!

#### TO OBSERVE DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Sincerely repent of all of your sins. Place your complete trust in Jesus. Go to Confession, the Church permits up to 20 days before the Feast. Receive Holy Communion on Divine Mercy Sunday. Venerate the image, such as a prayer before it, "Merciful Jesus, I trust in You!" Be merciful to others, through our actions, words, and prayers.



Artist: Rosalie Polivka Ramstead

### THE IMAGE

"I desire that this image be venerated throughout the world. I promise that the soul that will venerate this image will not perish. I promise victory over its enemies, already here on earth, and especially at the hour of death...I Myself will defend it as My own glory."

### THE CHAPLET

"Pray unceasingly the Chaplet that I have taught you. Whoever will recite it will receive great mercy at the hour of death. Priests will recommend it to sinners as their last hope of salvation."

### THE CONVERSION PRAYER

"If you say this prayer, with a contrite heart and with faith, on behalf of some sinner, I will give that soul the grace of conversion:

*'O Blood and Water that gushed forth from the heart of Jesus, as a fount of mercy for us, I trust in You.'*

— Diary 186, 187

Know, My daughter, that this prayer is always heard and answered."

— Diary 1397

### SPREAD OF THE DEVOTION

"Do whatever is within your power to spread devotion to my mercy. I will make up for what you lack."

# JESUS I TRUST IN YOU



## Our Lord's promises attached to the praying of the Chaplet of Divine Mercy as revealed to Saint Faustina Kowalska

1. "I promise that the soul that will venerate this image (of Divine Mercy) will not perish. I also promise victory over (its) enemies already here on earth, especially at the hour of death. I Myself will defend it as My own glory."
2. "The two rays denote Blood and Water...These two rays issued from the very depths of My tender mercy when My agonized Heart was opened by a lance on the Cross. These rays shield souls from the wrath of My Father...I desire that the first Sunday after Easter be the Feast of Mercy...whoever approaches the Fount of Life on this day will be granted complete remission of sins and punishment. Mankind will not have peace until it turns with trust to My mercy."
3. "I desire that the Feast of Mercy...be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter...The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion (in a state of grace on this day) shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment."
4. "Whoever will recite it will receive great mercy at the hour of death."
5. "Priests will recommend it to sinners as their last hope of salvation. Even if there were a sinner most hardened, if he were to recite this chaplet only once, he would receive grace from My infinite mercy...I desire to grant unimaginable graces to those souls who trust in My mercy."
6. "The souls that say this chaplet will be embraced by My mercy during their lifetime and especially at the hour of their death."
7. "Souls who spread the honor of My mercy...at the hour of death I will not be a Judge for them, but the Merciful Savior."
8. "The prayer most pleasing to Me is prayer for the conversion for sinners. Know, my daughter, that this prayer is always heard and answered."
9. "My mercy is greater than your sins and those of the entire world."
10. "To priests who proclaim and extol My mercy, I will give wondrous power; I will anoint their words and touch the hearts of those to whom they will speak."
11. "Through this chaplet you will obtain everything, if what you ask for is compatible with My will."
12. "When hardened sinners say it, I will fill their souls with peace, and the hour of their death will be a happy one."
13. "When they say this chaplet in the presence of the dying, I will stand between My Father and the dying person, not as a just Judge but as a merciful Savior."
14. "At three o'clock, implore My mercy, especially for sinners; and, if only for a brief moment, immerse yourself in My Passion, particularly in My abandonment at the moment of agony...I will refuse nothing to the soul that makes a request of Me in virtue of My Passion."

## How to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet using the Rosary

1. Begin with the Sign of the Cross, 1 Our Father, 1 Hail Mary and The Apostles' Creed.
2. Then, on the Our Father beads, say the following: Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.
3. On the 10 Hail Mary beads say the following: For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world. (Repeat step 2 and 3 for all five decades).
4. Conclude with (three times): Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.





# Parish Information

## Mass Times

Monday-Friday: 8:30am (livestreamed)

Saturday: 8:00am, 3:00pm (livestreamed), 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00am, 9:00am (livestreamed), 11:00am (livestreamed), 1:00pm, and 5:00pm (Contemporary Mass)

## Reconciliation Times

Monday and Wednesday after morning

Mass Saturday: 8:30am and 2:00-2:45pm

## OFFICE INFORMATION

### Mailing Address & Contact Information

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church  
625 111th Avenue North, Naples, FL 34108

Phone: 239.566.8740

Email: [info@sjecc.com](mailto:info@sjecc.com)

### Office Hours of Operation

Monday - Friday: 8:30am - 4:00pm

### Religious Gift Shop Hours

Saturday: 2:30pm - 6:15pm

Sunday: 8:30am - 1:00pm

## Clergy

Fr. Tom Zalewski, Pastor

Fr. Mark Harris, Associate

Fr. Nick Thompson, Associate

Fr. Len Gioeli, Retired

Deacon Jim Walworth

Deacon Hal Brenner, Senior Status

Deacon Frank Paniccia, Senior Status

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Carol Chorba: [carol@sjecc.com](mailto:carol@sjecc.com)

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[marypat@sjecc.com](mailto:marypat@sjecc.com)

### Lectors Ministry:

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Youth Lectors: Call the Office, 239.566.8740

### Greeters & Ushers:

Bill Fuller: [wfuller1@comcast.net](mailto:wfuller1@comcast.net)

### Altar Servers:

Briana Billanti : [servers@sjecc.com](mailto:servers@sjecc.com)

### Arts & Liturgical Environment:

Kay Sanfelippo: [ksanfelippo@comcast.net](mailto:ksanfelippo@comcast.net)

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# Calendar and Weekly Readings

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### Sunday, April 7 - Divine Mercy Sunday

7:00am	Mass (Church)
9:00am	Mass (Church)
9:30am	K-8 Faith Formation (PAC & Claussen)
11:00am	Mass (Church)
1:00pm	Mass (Church)
3:00pm	Divine Mercy Mass (Church)
3:45pm	Confirmation (PAC & Claussen)
4:00pm	Divine Mercy Reception & Presentation (Ballroom)
5:00pm	Mass (Church)
6:00pm	Youth Adoration (Church)

### Monday, April 8

8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
6:00pm	OCIA (Claussen)
6:00pm	Trivia (Pulte Cafe)

### Tuesday, April 9

8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
10:00am	Knitting & Crocheting (PLC)
12:00pm	Ephesians, Session 7 (Nazareth)
1:00pm	Bingo (Pulte Cafe)

### Wednesday, April 10

8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
9:00am	Parish Breakfast (Cafe)
9:30am	The Chosen (Nazareth)
10:00am	Quilting Ministry (PLC)
12:30pm	Sewing Ministry (PLC)
5:00pm	K-8 Faith Formation (PAC & Claussen)

### Thursday, April 11

8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
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### Friday, April 12

8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
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### Saturday, April 13

8:00am	Daily Mass (Church)
3:00pm	Vigil Mass (Church)
5:00pm	Vigil Mass (Church)



## WEEKLY READINGS

### Readings for the week of April 7, 2024

Sunday:	Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31
Monday:	Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
Tuesday:	Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday:	Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21
Thursday:	Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36
Friday:	Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15
Saturday:	Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21

## DIOCESE OF VENICE

### SAFE ENVIRONMENT POLICY

The Diocese of Venice states that, "all employees, covered volunteers and religious brothers and sisters must be electronically fingerprinted. Eligibility for employment/volunteer work/ministry will be contingent and conditioned upon a satisfactory background investigation. A reasonable effort shall be made to update the criminal history background information every five (5) years". The Diocese classifies a covered volunteer as "any unpaid adult person engaged or involved in a Diocesan activity in which he/she is entrusted with the care and supervision of children or allowed unsupervised access to children or vulnerable adults" (e.g. when screened personnel not present).

St. John the Evangelist also requires the following volunteers to go through the background screening process (through fingerprints):

- Volunteers who handle cash, credit cards, and other financial transactions
- Volunteers who are entrusted with confidential information, such as donor records and parish registration forms
- Volunteers who serve, distribute, and administer the Holy Eucharist

Report any abuse against minors to the Florida Department of Children and Families at 800-962-2873. If Diocesan personnel or volunteers are involved, also notify the Diocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator, Susan Benton, at 941-416-6114.



# ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

## DONATE THE EASY WAY WITH ONLINE GIVING



Your weekly contributions to St. John the Evangelist help us in our continued efforts to bring Christ to our parishioners and the community and to make a difference in the lives of so many. Scan below to get started. If you need assistance, have questions, or need to make changes to an existing reoccurring donation, please call Karen Beebe 239.566.8740.



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## DONATION REMINDERS

Please review the guidelines below to help streamline the counting process for our volunteers.

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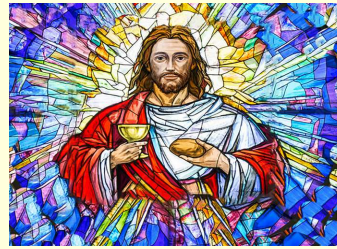
Our collections are taken at the end of Mass at all exits of the Church. We ask that you use your weekly envelope OT write your envelope number on the memo line of your check. Make the check payable to **St. John the Evangelist**. We cannot accept checks made payable to CASH.

### St. Vincent De Paul

Make check payable to **St. Vincent de Paul**

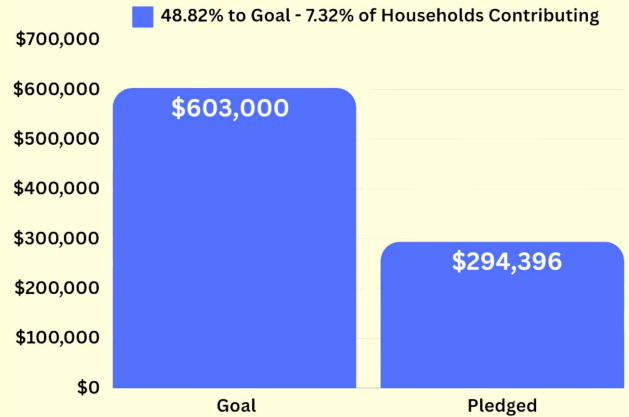
### Jamaica Outreach Program

Make check payable to **JOP**



## 2024 CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL

St. John the Evangelist's 2024 CFA goal is \$603,000. Please prayerfully consider making a contribution.



## TO DONATE TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL:

- Use a contribution envelope from the CFA table in the Narthex
- Give directly on the Diocese of Venice website at [dioceseofvenice.org/ways-to-give/cfa](http://dioceseofvenice.org/ways-to-give/cfa)
- Scan the QR code to be directed to the Diocese of Venice CFA page



## OFFERTORY

**3/13/24-3/19/24**  
\$70,930.54

**3/20/24-3/26/24**  
\$63,739.39

**Total Households**  
3458



# CFA Supports

The **Office of Religious Education** oversees the faith formation of children and administering adult faith formation programs such as the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults. Sacramental preparation ensures that individuals gain a solid understanding of the Church's teaching and liturgy, allowing them to fully participate in the mission and life of the Church.

On-going formation and support for catechetical leaders are offered through retreats, conferences, and workshops.

The **Catholic Schools Department** serves more than 6,200 students, a record breaking number, at 15 Catholic schools.

**STREAM** (Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Arts and Math) is integrated as the learning

model in all classrooms. At the same time, the Diocesan curriculum called,

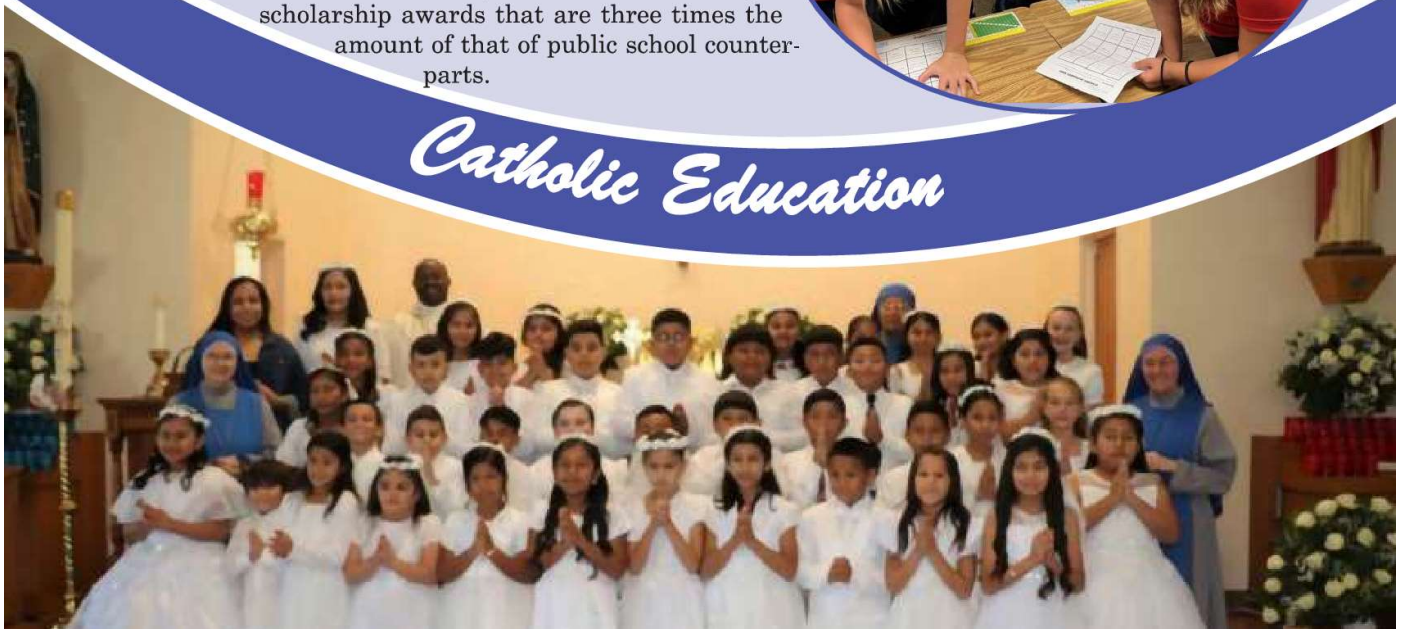
“The Gifts of Christ: Truth, Beauty, Goodness, Affability, Fortitude, Humility, and Prudence is the norm. This approach enables students to develop cognitive thought processes and gain skills such as leadership, communication, complex problem solving, teamwork, and creativity.

Catholic virtues are infused in every subject as well as promoted and practiced throughout the school environment.

The result is a 97% graduation rate with the remaining 3% of students entering the military or work force. In addition, students receive college scholarship awards that are three times the amount of that of public school counterparts.



## *Catholic Education*





# Sacraments

## SACRAMENTS OF THE CHURCH

**Baptism:** The Diocese requires that parents seeking baptism for their child attend a baptism preparation class. To schedule a baptism class, please call the office at (239) 566-8740.

**Matrimony:** Those who wish to be married in our parish must complete the Marriage Preparation Program. The Diocese requires a six month notice. Tricia Hoffman: [tricia@sjecc.com](mailto:tricia@sjecc.com).

**Anointing of the Sick/Funeral Arrangements:** Call the parish office. If the office is closed the answering machine will provide an emergency phone number for you to reach a priest.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St. John the Evangelist offers the healing sacrament of Reconciliation in the Church confessionals on Monday and Wednesday after morning Mass and Saturday at 8:30 a.m. and 2:00-2:45 p.m.

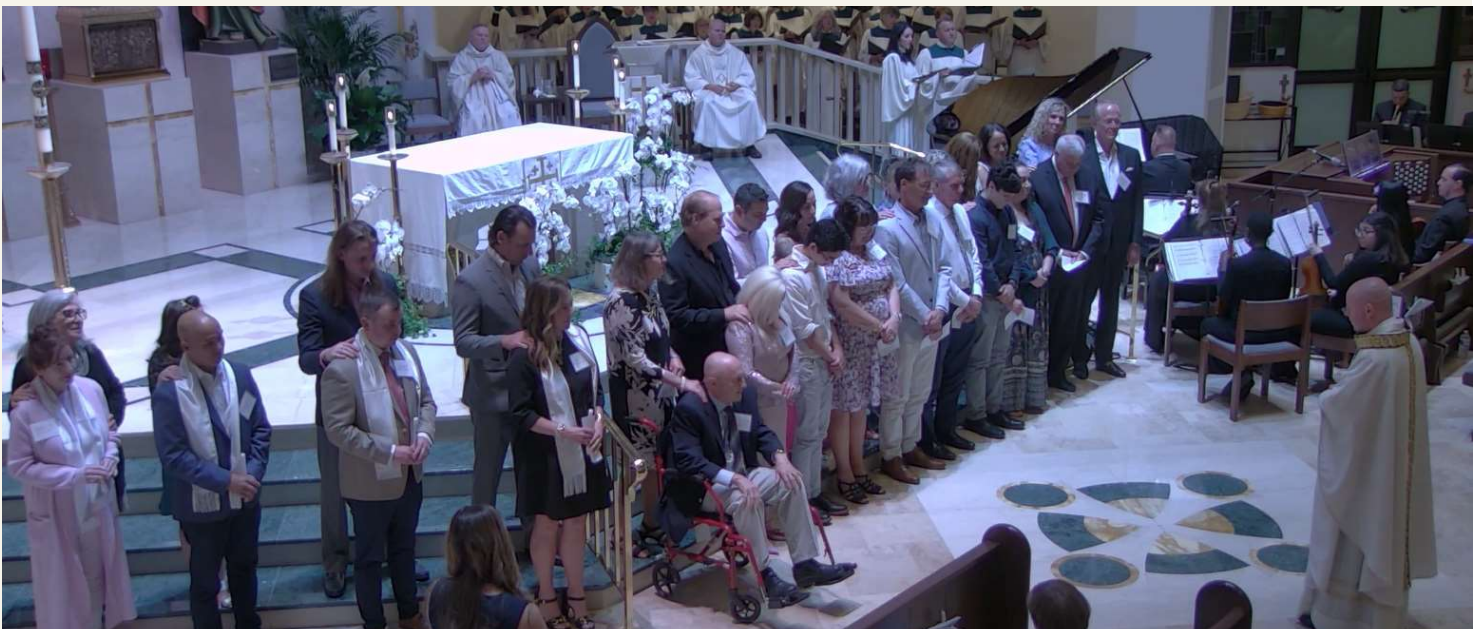
## WELCOME TO THE CATHOLIC CHURCH AND YOUR FAMILY AT SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST

The Easter Vigil on March 30 was a beautiful celebration of welcome for fourteen candidates who were initiated into the Catholic faith. This year we had four catechumens to be baptized and ten candidates who received Confirmation and Eucharist to complete their Sacraments of Initiation. They have been in formation both catechetically and spiritually since last September. Please welcome into the Catholic Church:

Susan Bello  
Javier Campo  
Michelle Fallon  
Bruce Fenske  
Hank Ferris

Jonathan Harrison  
Dana Millang  
Jason Ollanove  
Kristen Robles  
Mark Roh

Johnny Tran  
Danielle Zadlo  
Len Zaiser  
Lauren Davis



# Ministries and Groups

**Arimatheans.** Arimatheans attend funeral Masses and memorial services to provide support and compassion. Please contact the Main Office 239.566.8740

**Cenacle of Life Prayer Group** – Every Wednesday from 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm. Rosemary Erickson: 239.250.0432

**Centering Prayer/Lectio Divina** – Mondays at 5:00 p.m. via Zoom. Kathleen Dunne: kadunne61@aol.com, 901.574.2947

**Faith Chat** - Faith Chat will resume meeting March 21st at 9:30. We will be discussing the Book of Tobias in the Old Testament. We will enjoy coffee and snacks and discuss what we will study in upcoming weeks. Bring some ideas! For more information contact Lee Pinto at Leepinto2924@aol.com.

**Grief Support** - St. John the Evangelist provides both group and individual grief support services. Sessions are held on Tuesdays at 9:30am in the Antioch room of the Claussen Center. There is no fee, and all materials are provided free of charge. To register, send your name and telephone number to Deacon Hal: Hal@sjecc.com. Individual sessions may be scheduled by calling the Parish Office: 239.566.8740.

**Jamaica Outreach Program.** JOP provides goods, food, medical-vision-dental services, education, and basic support to improve the lives of the poor in Jamaica. We welcome new volunteers. For information, contact Jeanne Pittman: 239.248.3248 or info@jamaicaoutreach.org

**Knights of Columbus.** Knights serve parish ministries, sponsor parish events and help with special projects. They support our clergy, fund parish equipment, assist in events for our youth and help the less fortunate. Contact Grand Knight, Jack Kindsvater at jack@sjecc.com.

**Knights of Columbus - Wheelchair Program.** If you or someone you know are in need of a wheelchair, please contact Bill Fuller at 239-280-8870 or wfuller1@comcast.net

**Knitting & Crocheting.** Meets on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. – Noon in the Parish Activity Center, classrooms 3 & 4. No experience necessary. Donations, both monetary and yarn, are welcome. Contact: Sharon Campbell 239.438.7867 or sharoncampbellnaples@gmail.com

**Ladies of Charity.** Our motto is to serve rather than to be served in humility, simplicity, and charity. We serve the poor, sick, and marginalized in our community. Membership is open to any Catholic woman. For more information, please contact Karen Kaspar at kcmk77@aol.com or 216.496.7414.

**Pray the Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Novena -** Every Saturday at 7:50 a.m. before Mass on the 1st Saturday and immediately after Mass on the other Saturdays of the month. Allan Degnan:, 239-919-4465

**Pray the Rosary & the Chaplet of Divine Mercy** – Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy are recited 50 minutes before daily Mass begins. Summer Schedule at 7:40 a.m., Winter Schedule at 7:10 a.m. Barbara Hardebeck: 765-714-6589

**Quilting Ministry** - Meets on Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. – Noon in the Parish Activity Center, classrooms 3 & 4. Everyone is welcome regardless of skill level. Donations, both monetary and fabric, are welcome. Contact: Sharon Campbell 239.438.7867 or sharoncampbellnaples@gmail.com

**Sewing Ministry.** Sewing Ministry meets to sew for needy children on Wednesdays from 12:30 to 3:30 in the Parish Activity Center, rooms 1 and 2. Donations, both monetary and of fabrics and supplies are welcome. If you like to sew we encourage you to come and see what we are all about. Please contact Marianne Swan 305.965.5980, email swan11@bellsouth.net or Phyllis Crivelli 973.710.6347, email jandpcrivelli@gmail.com before coming to make sure we are meeting that day.

**The Society of St. Vincent DePaul.** We give glory to God by offering direct/in-home help to anyone in need within the boundaries of our parish. Our work spans fighting food insecurity, keeping families in their homes, and a wide variety of special projects and programs focused on helping our neighbors address difficult challenges. We meet the FIRST and THIRD Tuesdays of every month at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be in classroom 1, in the Parish Life Center. Contact Bob Westenberg: bwstjohn@SVDPNaples.org.

**AA** Brian R. 732-735-7037

**AI-Anon** For meeting locations and times, call 239.263.5907 or visit [www.NaplesAI-Anon.org](http://www.NaplesAI-Anon.org)

## Children & Youth Ministries

**Altar Servers** - Open to Youth who have been Baptized and have made their First Holy Communion. Youth altar servers assist at weekend masses, at weddings, and other special liturgies. Training is conducted several times each year. Email servers@sjecc.com for more information.

**Middle School Youth Group:** Every Friday, excluding the second Friday of each month, from 6 PM to 7:30 PM. The first day is Friday, September 22nd in classrooms 7 & 8.

**High School Youth Group:** Every Sunday from 6 PM to 7:30 PM after 5 PM mass. Classrooms 7 & 8.

**Boy Scout Troop 226** – St. John the Evangelist. Prepare boys to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law. Meets on Mondays at 6:45 p.m. in the Alexandria Room. scoutmaster@troop-226.com

**Cub Scout Pack 226** – Chartered at St. John the Evangelist. Provide families with an opportunity to raise their young boys in the way of Jesus and through the formative values of Scouting. Meets on Mondays at 6:00 p.m. Contact Melissa Wychocki: mwychocki@gmail.com



# Prayer List



## We pray that those on our prayer list find hope, healing, and health

Mary A.	Sam and Ian Greenberg	Wyatt Olenn
Nicholas Acquaviva	Gary Gwizdala	Peg Palen
Declan Aigner	Makayla Hall	Eric Parker
Hugh Andrews	Gabriel Hanley	Wiesia Petroske
Barbara Barber	Elaine Hill	Tom Petroske
Agatha Barczynski	Marie Houston	Amy Pine
Jennifer Basile	Kathy Hower	Anna Polley
Elizabeth Bennett	Baby Bayli Rose Kaufman	Jose Ignacio Ramirez
Denise Bennett	Yvonne Keenan	Trisha Reed
Sara Boettcher	Dennis Killian	John Repice
Frank and Therese Brennan	Tracey Kirk	Romilda Bryden
Charlotte Byron	Richard Kruger	Peggy O'Neil Saba
Candice	Mary Langdon	Lisa Sanfelippo
Bob Capicchioni	Alicia Laplant	Steve Savory
Al and Lorraine Ciano	Myles Levy	Catherine Schmach
Kathy Davidson	Lisa Marie Turner	Marie Sestito
George Deauchan	Nancy Loftus	Norma J. Spiggle
Donna DiMare	Teresa Lozano	Jeanne Stoll
Megan Ebert	Bob Lutz	Christopher Suki
John Eddy	Steve Machacek	Kathleen Sullivan
John and Monica Ellis	Karen Madigan	Susan and Thomas Sweeny
Tiffany Fellenz	Ruth Martin	Kelli Jo Tenreiro
Ashlynn Fielder	Barbara McDonald	Kathleen Trotter
Darlene Follese	Thomas Joseph McLoughlin	Raymond Vanasse
Ron Fongemie	Wendy Mercer	Maria Elena Vassalotti
Peter and Phyllis Foti	Orville Middendorf	Jimmy Warren
Lester Fuller	Tom Middlemiss	Callie Grace Watson
Barbara Fuller	Eileen Miner	Natalie Williams
Kathy Gallucci	Joyce Morrissey	Jimmy Wise
Mary Jane Gibley	Tom Nell	Jessica Zacholl
Fr. Len Gioeli	Barbara O'Leary	



## RECENTLY DECEASED

**We remember those who have died recently.  
May they rest in eternal peace.**

Dolores DeMiglio, Jerry Healy



## NEW MASS BOOK

The Mass Book for 2025 is now open. If you would like to request a Mass, please visit our Main Office during regular business hours:  
Monday-Friday 8:30-4:00

If you would like to add a name to either of our prayer lists or delete a name, please contact our Main Office 239.566.8740. Names will stay on our prayer list for a period of six months.

# Military Prayer List

## MILITARY PRAYER LIST

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. We also give our sincere appreciation to all veterans who have served their country. Amen.

Captain Jesse Adamson: US Army, Kuwait  
Captain Will Adamson: US Army, Anchorage AK  
Cadet Samantha Bocis, West Point  
Sam Bradley, Marines  
Mark Burger, US Army  
Stephen Burger, US Army  
Lieutenant Carson Brial – US Navy  
Private 1st Class Joseph Albert Cary  
Gavin Cooper, Navy, EMN3  
Adam Decker  
Alexander Denha 2nd lieutenant ARMY, Ft Bragg N.C.  
Major Derek-Army National Guard  
Nick Detloff  
LT Andrew Douglas, United States Navy  
SGT Ashlyn Ducharme Us Army  
Capt. Stephen English – US Army  
Brendan C. Finnegan-USAF  
SFC Lon Giancola  
SSG Douglas Hennessy  
2nd Lieutenant Daniel Huber, US Marines  
Drew Kendall – Petty Officer U.S. Navy  
Sophie Koeppel - First Lieutenant, US Army  
Sgt. Nicholas LaManna  
Sgt. William McKinney  
PV2 Alexander McMickle – Ft. Eustis, VA  
Connor Miller: US Navy search and rescue  
Col. Brian Murphy  
Lt. Col. Jill Murphy  
Hugh O'Donnell, SPEC 4, 75th Ranger Regiment

Sgt. Larry Oldenburg – US Army  
1st Lieutenant Deanna Ogrinc, US Army  
Cpl. Derek Perez - US Marine Corps  
Daniel Petito – US Army  
Matthew Popielec, PFC-Germany  
Captain Anthony James Raguso, US Marines  
1st Lieutenant Robert W. Raleigh IV - US Marine Corps  
Lt. Jill Rice, Commander in the US Navy  
Lt. Joseph Rice, Commander in the US Navy  
Clayton Rutz, US Army  
Capt. Gregory Sacenti - US Army  
Hunter Scalzo – Army Ranger with 1st Division & 75th Infantry  
Lt. Michaela Scudato, US Navy  
Luke Sekutera, First Lieutenant, US Army  
Ben Sekutera, First Lieutenant, US Army  
Austin Spagnola  
First Lieutenant Matthew Stevenson, USMC  
LTJG Tanis K. Taylor – US Navy, USS Sullivans  
Lt. Brendan Tourek – USN  
Lance Cpl. Sisi Tyrrell US Marine Corps  
Captain Grant Ullrich, US Army in Kuwait  
Andrew Wieland US Air Force  
Kaden Winckel, Airman 1st Class, USAF  
Staff Sgt. Andrew Zecchino – USAF, Turkey  
Austin Zicht – USAF





# Mass Intentions

## **Saturday, April 6, 2024**

8:00 AM + David Giometti

*Vigil Masses for Sunday*

3:00 PM + Michael Cataldo

5:00 PM + Janet and Jerome Paul VanderHorst

## **Sunday, April 7, 2024**

7:00 AM + The Deceased Members of the Giuseppe Nardulli Family

9:00 AM SI For Our Parishioners

11:00 AM + John Kindsvater, Sr.

1:00 PM + Tricia Kelliher

5:00 PM + Rita and Marco Marino

## **Monday, April 8, 2024**

8:30 AM + Sarah Jane Suter

## **Tuesday, April 9, 2024**

8:30 AM + Katie Tucker

## **Wednesday, April 10, 2024**

8:30 AM + Giuse Nguyen Phong

## **Thursday, April 11, 2024**

8:30 AM + Ann Macaulay

## **Friday, April 12, 2024**

8:30 AM + William Haggerty

## **Saturday, April 13, 2024**

8:00 AM + Lopez Family

*(Vigil Masses for Sunday)*

3:00 PM + Ozzie D'Addario

8:00 PM + Mary Badalamemti

## **Sunday, April 14, 2024**

7:00 AM + Jim Sottnick

9:00 AM + Sheila Callahan

11:00 AM SI For Our Parishioners

1:00 PM + Juliana Phillips

5:00 PM + Fred A. Lourenso

## **Requested By**

Barry and Noreen Seliger

Pauline Cataldo

Vicki VanderHorst

## **Requested By**

Anna Nardulli and Family

Connie and Jack Kindsvater

Kathy and Michael Costello

Kathy Marino and Karen Hays

## **Requested By**

Nancy Newell

## **Requested By**

Carol Ardivino

## **Requested By**

Huong Tran

## **Requested By**

Robert Macaulay

## **Requested By**

Paul Haggerty

## **Requested By**

Henry DeGenova

Janet D'Addario

Family and Friends

## **Requested By**

Tim and Donna Becker

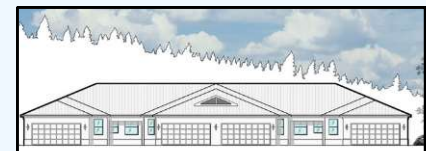
Susan Handy Greer

The Mangan Family

Joanne Lourenso

## **Rectory Campaign Update**

Thank you for your prayers, support, and generosity toward our Rectory Campaign. We are pleased to announce that we have reached our goal! We will still welcome donations toward furnishings, maintenance, and other unforeseen expenses. Thank you again. We are truly blessed.



# Prayers

## Penitential Act

I confess to almighty God  
and to you, my brothers and sisters,  
that I have greatly sinned,  
in my thoughts and in my words,  
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,

through my fault, through my fault,  
through my most grievous fault;

therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,  
all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and  
sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

## Gloria (Glory to God in the Highest)

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to  
people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we  
adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your  
great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb  
of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the  
world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the  
world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right  
hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy  
Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy  
name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on  
earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily  
bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive  
those who trespass against us; and lead us not  
into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

## Communion Prayer

Lord, I am not worthy  
that you should enter under my roof,  
but only say the word  
and my soul shall be healed.

## Ukraine Prayer

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine, for all  
those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to  
them and protect them. We pray for world leaders,  
for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their  
choices. We pray for the world that in this moment of  
crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers  
and sisters in need. Amen

## The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of  
heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son  
of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God,  
Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not  
made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all  
things were made. For us men and for our salvation he  
came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was  
incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our  
sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered  
death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in  
accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will  
come again in glory to judge the living, and the dead and  
his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with  
the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has  
spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I  
confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins, and I  
look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life  
of the world to come. Amen.

## Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle;  
be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the  
devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;  
and do you, O prince of the heavenly host,  
by the power of God,  
thrust into hell Satan and the other evil spirits  
who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls.  
Amen.

## The Prayer of Divine Mercy

Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and  
Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly  
beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in  
atonement for our sins  
and those of the whole world.

For the sake of His Sorrowful Passion,  
have mercy on us and on the whole  
world.

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy  
Immortal One, have mercy on us  
and on the whole world.





# THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER / SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

## Reading 1

### Acts 4:32-35

The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own, but they had everything in common. With great power the apostles bore witness to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great favor was accorded them all. There was no needy person among them, for those who owned property or houses would sell them, bring the proceeds of the sale, and put them at the feet of the apostles, and they were distributed to each according to need.

## Responsorial Psalm

### Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24

**R. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, his love is everlasting or: R. Alleluia**

Let the house of Israel say,  
"His mercy endures forever."

Let the house of Aaron say,  
"His mercy endures forever."

Let those who fear the LORD say,  
"His mercy endures forever."

**R. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, his love is everlasting or: R. Alleluia**

I was hard pressed and was falling,  
but the LORD helped me.  
My strength and my courage is the LORD,  
and he has been my savior.

The joyful shout of victory  
in the tents of the just:

**R. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, his love is everlasting or: R. Alleluia**

The stone which the builders rejected  
has become the cornerstone.

By the LORD has this been done;  
it is wonderful in our eyes.

This is the day the LORD has made;  
let us be glad and rejoice in it.

**R. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, his love is everlasting or: R. Alleluia**

## Reading 2

### 1 Jn 5:1-6

Beloved: Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ is begotten by God, and everyone who loves the Father loves also the one begotten by him. In this way we know that we love the children of God when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whoever is begotten by God conquers the world. And the victory that conquers the world is our faith.

Who indeed is the victor over the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

This is the one who came through water and blood, Jesus Christ, not by water alone, but by water and blood. The Spirit is the one that testifies, and the Spirit is truth.

## Alleluia

### Jn 20:29

R. Alleluia, alleluia

You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me, says the Lord; Blessed are those who have not seen me, but still believe!

R. Alleluia, alleluia

## Gospel

### Jn 20:19-31

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."

Thomas, called Didymus, one of the Twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples said to him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger into the nailmarks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe."

Now a week later his disciples were again inside and Thomas was with them. Jesus came, although the doors were locked, and stood in their midst and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." Thomas answered and said to him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples that are not written in this book. But these are written that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that through this belief you may have life in his name.

# Music

Entrance Hymn: Christ The Lord Is Risen Today

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 118 - Give Thanks to the Lord

Gifts: We Walk By Faith

Communion Hymns: Eye Has Not Seen, O Lord I Am Not Worthy

Closing Hymn: The Strife is O'er

## Christ, The Lord, Is Risen Today

LLANFAIR



1. Christ, the Lord, is ris'n to - day,  
2. Lives a - gain our glo - rious King;  
3. Love's re - deem - ing work is done,  
4. Soar we now where Christ has led, } Al - le - lu - ia!



1. All on earth with an - gels say.  
2. Where, O death, is now thy sting?  
3. Fought the fight, the bat - tle won.  
4. Fol - l'wing our ex - alt - ed head; } Al - le - lu - ia!



1. Raise your joys and tri - umphs high,  
2. Once he died our souls to save,  
3. Death in vain for - bids him rise;  
4. Made like him, like him we rise, } Al - le - lu - ia!



1. Sing ye heav'ns and earth re - ply,  
2. Where thy vic - to - ry, O grave?  
3. Christ has o - pen'd par - a - dise.  
4. Ours the cross, the grave, the skies. } Al - le - lu - ia!

Text: 77 77 with alleluias; Charles Wesley, 1707-1788, alt.  
Music: Robert Williams, 1781-1821.

## Give Thanks to the Lord

(Psalm 118)

(Psalm 118: 2-4, 13-15, 22-24)

Francesca LaRosa



Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is ev - er - las - ting.  
Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

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# Music

## We Walk By Faith

Marty Haugen

1, 5. We walk by faith, and not by sight: No  
2. We may not touch his hands and side, Nor  
3. Help then, O Lord, our un - be - lief, And  
4. That when our life of faith is done In

1, 5. gra-cious words we hear Of him who spoke as  
2. fol - low where he trod; Yet in his prom - ise  
3. may our faith a - bound; To call on you when  
4. realms of clear - er light We may be - hold you

1, 5. none e'er spoke, But we be - lieve him near.  
2. we re - joice And cry "My Lord and God!"  
3. you are near, And seek where you are found:  
4. as you are In full and end - less sight.

Text: CM; based on John 20:24-29; Henry Alford, 1810-1871, alt.  
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## Eye Has Not Seen

Marty Haugen

Refrain  
Eye has not seen, ear has not heard what God has read-y for  
those who love him; Spir-it of love, come, give us the mind of  
Je - sus, teach us the wis-dom of God.

Verses 1-3  
1. When pain and sor - row weigh us down, be near to us, O  
2. Our lives are but a sin - gle breath, we flow-er and we  
3. To those who see with eyes of faith, the Lord is ev - er

1. Lord, for-give the weak-ness of our faith, and bear us up with-  
2. fade, yet all our days are in your hands, so we re-turn in  
3. near, re - flect-ed in the fac - es of all the poor and

to Refrain  
1. in your peace - ful word.  
2. love what love has made.  
3. low - ly of the world.

# Music

Verse 4

4. We sing a mys - t'ry from the past, in halls where saints have  
4. trod, yet ev - er new the mu - sic rings to Je - sus, Liv - ing  
4. Song of God.

Refrain text based on I Corinthians 2:9-10. Text and music © 1982, G.I.A. Publications, Inc.  
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## O Lord I Am Not Worthy

NON DIGNUS

1. O Lord, I am not wor - thy That thou should'st come to me;  
2. And hum - bly I'll re - ceive thee, The Bride - groom - of my soul,  
3. E - ter - nal Ho - ly Spir - it, Un - wor - thy though I be,  
4. In - crease my faith, dear Je - sus, In thy real pres - ence here,  
1. But speak the word of com - fort, My spir - it healed shall be.  
2. No more by sin to grieve thee Or fly thy sweet con - trol.  
3. Pre - pare me to re - ceive him And trust the Word to me.  
4. And make me feel most deep - ly That thou to me art near.

Text: 76 76; based on Matthew 8:8; *O Herr, ich bin nicht würdig*; *Landshuter Gesangbuch*, 1777; tr. Anon.  
Music Anon. in *Catholic Youth Hymnal*, 1871.

## The Strife is O'er

VICTORY

Refrain

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Verses

1. The strife is o'er, the bat - tle done; Now is the Vic - tor's  
2. On the third morn he rose a - gain, Glo - rious in maj - es -  
3. O Ris - en Lord, all praise to thee, Who from our sin has

to Refrain

1. tri - umph won; O let the song of praise be sung: Al - le - lu - ia!  
2. ty to reign; O let us swell the joy - ful strain: Al - le - lu - ia!  
3. set us free, That we may live e - ter - nal - ly! Al - le - lu - ia!

Text: 888 with alleluias; *Finita iam sunt praelia*; Latin, 12th cent; tr. by Francis Pott, 1832-1909, alt. Music:  
Giovanni da Palestrina, 1525-1594; adapt. by Willam H. Monk, 1823-1889.



# Additional Music for the Divine Mercy Mass at 3:00pm

2:30 pm - The Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Entrance Hymn: Hymn for the Holy Year of Mercy

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 118 - Give Thanks to the Lord

Gifts: We Walk By Faith

Communion Hymns: O Lord I Am Not Worthy, How Beautiful - solo

Closing Hymns: Alleluia Sing to Jesus, Hymn for the Holy Year of Mercy

## Hymn for the Holy Year of Mercy

Refrain: Misericordes sicut Pater! Misericordes sicut Pater!

### Alleluia Sing to Jesus

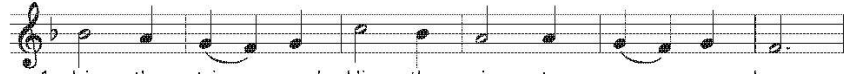
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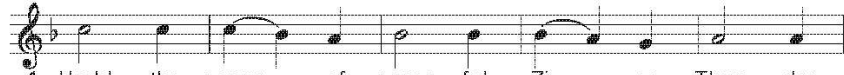
1. Al - le - lu - ia! sing to Je - sus! His the
2. Al - le - lu - ia! not as or - phans Are we
3. Al - le - lu - ia! Bread of An - gels, Here on
4. Al - le - lu - ia! King e - ter - nal, You the
5. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Glo - ry



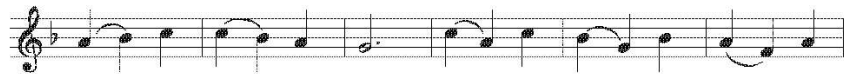
1. scep - ter, his the throne; Al - le - lu - ia!
2. left in sor - row now; Al - le - lu - ia!
3. earth our food, our stay! Al - le - lu - ia!
4. Lord of lords we own; Al - le - lu - ia!
5. be to God on high; Al - le - lu - ia



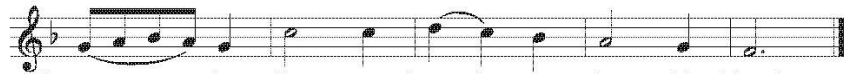
1. his the tri - umph, His the vic - to - ry a - lone;
2. he is near us, Faith be - lieves, nor ques - tions how:
3. here the sin - ful Flee to you from day to day:
4. born of Ma - ry, Earth your foot - stool, heav'n your throne:
5. to the Sav - ior Who has won the vic - to - ry;



1. Hark! the songs of peace - ful Zi - on Thun - der
2. Though the cloud from sight re - ceived him, When the
3. In - ter - ces - sor, friend of sin - ners, Earth's re -
4. You with - in the veil have en - tered, Robed in
5. Al - le - lu - ia to the Spir - it, Font of



1. like a might - y flood; Je - sus out of ev - 'ry
2. for - ty days were o'er, Shall our hearts for - get his
3. deem - er, plead for me, Where the songs of all the
4. flesh, our great high priest; Here on earth both priest and
5. love and sanc - ti - ty; Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -



1. na - tion Has re - deemed us by his blood.
2. prom - ise? "I am with you ev - er - more!"
3. sin - less Sweep a - cross the crys - tal sea.
4. vic - tim In the Eu - cha - ris - tic feast.
5. lu - ia! To the tri - une maj - es - ty.

Text: 87 87 D; based on Revelation 5:9-14; William C. Dix, 1837-1898, and Compilers.  
Music: Rowland H. Prichard, 1811-1887.

# Music for the Sunday Mass at 5:00pm

## Opening Song: Three Days

THAXTED

1. Three days our world was bro - ken; the  
2. Three days— and on the third day, the  
3. Three days our world was bro - ken and

1. Lord of life lay dead. "Take up your cross," he  
2. wom - en came at dawn. His tomb, they said, was  
3. in an in - stant healed, God's cov - e - nant of

1. told us who fol - lowed where he led. Would  
2. emp - ty, his bro - ken bod - y gone. Who  
3. mer - cy in mys - ter - y re - vealed. Two

1. we now hang in tor - ment with thieves on ev - 'ry side,  
2. could be - lieve their sto - ry? The dead do not a - rise,  
3. thou - sand years are one day in God's e - ter - nal sight,

1. our Pass - o - ver shat - tered, our hope cru - ci - fied?  
2. yet he walks a - mong us, and with our own eyes  
3. and yes - ter - day's sor - rows are this day's de - light.

1. Three days we hid in si - lence, in  
2. we've seen him at this ta - ble; we've  
3. Though still Christ's bod - y suf - fers, pierced

1. bit - ter fear and grief. Three days we clung to -  
2. shared his bread and wine. Hearts burn - ing bright with -  
3. dai - ly by the sword, yet death has no do -

1. geth - er where he had washed our feet.  
2. in us, we've seen his glo - ry shine.  
3. min - ion: the ris - en Christ is Lord!

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Music: Gustav Holst, 1874-1934, alt.

# Music for the Sunday Mass at 5:00pm

## Preparation Song: Christ is Risen

V1: Let no one caught in sin remain  
Inside the lie of inward shame  
We fix our eyes upon the cross  
And run to Him who showed great  
love And bled for us  
Freely You bled, for us

Chorus: Christ is risen from the dead  
Trampling over death by death  
Come awake, come awake  
Come and rise up from the grave

V2: Beneath the weight of all our  
sin. You bow to none but  
heaven's will. No scheme of hell,  
no scoffer's crown. No burden  
great can hold You down. In  
strength You reign  
Forever let Your church proclaim

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## Communion Song: The Supper of the Lord

Precious body precious blood  
Here in bread and wine  
Here the Lord prepares the feast divine  
Bread of love is broken now  
Cup of life is poured  
Come share the supper of the lord

1: This is the bread  
of God  
Coming down from  
heaven  
Giving life to us, to  
all the world

2: I am the living  
spring of eternal  
life. You that drink  
from me shall not  
thirst again

3: All those who  
feed on me  
Have their life in me  
As I have my life in  
the living God

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## Closing Song: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Hearts to heav'n and voices raise:  
sing to God a hymn of gladness,  
sing to God a hymn of praise.  
He, who on the cross as Savior  
for the world's salvation bled,  
Jesus Christ, the King of glory,  
now is risen from the dead.

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Glory be to God on high!  
Alleluia! to the Savior  
who has won the victory!  
Alleluia! to the Spirit,  
font of love and sanctity!  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
to the Triune Majesty.

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## St. John's Gift Shop

We are pleased to offer Sacramental gifts, rosaries, statues, crucifixes, homemade gifts, home decor, children's gifts, and more! We also stock the renowned Trappist preserves made by the Roman Catholic priests and brothers of St. Joseph's Abbey in Spencer, Massachusetts.

Located just inside the Church entrance, the Gift Shop is open Saturdays 2:30-6:15PM and Sundays 8:30AM-1:00PM



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Aromatherapy Spritzers

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Medals



## Faith Formation

# CAMPERS! Ages 4-5th Grade ~ Register today! Come join us as we Dive Into Friendship with God!



VBS Dates:

Monday, June 3rd -Friday, June 7th – 9AM-12PM

With Family Breakfast and Song Showcase on Friday, June 7th at 8AM-8:45AM right before VBS

\$55.00 Camp Fee includes T-shirt and VBS snack each day. Camp is filling up fast!



### This Week in Faith Formation

#### Sunday , April 7th

9:30-11:00AM K-8 Faith Formation

\*PARENTS: Dr. Mariette Danilo's talk on Forgiveness and Boundaries will take place in the Nazareth Room from 9:30-10:45AM. All adults welcome.

#### Sunday, April 7th

Confirmation Session 3:45PM-6:00PM

\*Parent Session in the Alexandria Room 3:45-4:45PM

#### Wednesday, April 10th

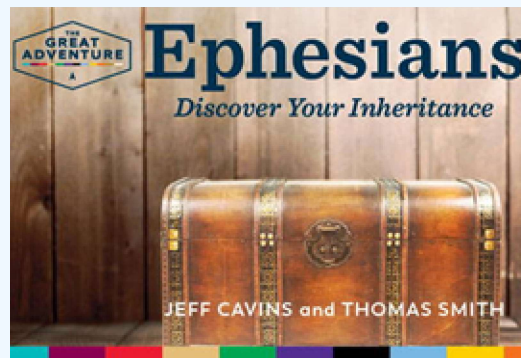
12:30-2:30PM- PreK-Atrium Faith Formation

5:00-6:15PM – K-8 Faith Formation

## Adult Faith Formation

### **EPHESIANS: DISCOVER YOUR INHERITANCE 8-WEEK BIBLE STUDY WITH SUE HAMILTON CONTINUES— APRIL 10TH – 12:00-1:30PM**

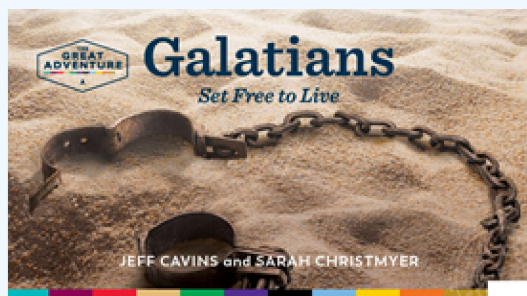
Ephesians was one of the most widely circulated of St. Paul's writings because of its powerful, practical instructions for disciples of Christ. In fact, its six short chapters contain some of the most discussed passages in the New Testament. Ephesians: Discover Your Inheritance examines many important themes that are still relevant in today's Christian culture and society—the nature of marriage, the purpose and role of the Church, the preeminence of grace in God's plan, and the reality of spiritual warfare. Presenter Jeff Cavins explores what Paul's letter to the Ephesians tells us about the nature of the Church—as a body, a household, a mystery, a communion, a bride, and an army. Ephesians: Discover Your Inheritance shows the treasures that await us as adopted sons and daughters in the family of God.



Optional Study Guide available for \$30.00 for sale in the Parish Office.

This group meets on Tuesdays from 12:00-1:30PM in the Nazareth Room of the Pulte Family Cetner. Walk-Ins welcome at any point in the study.

### **GALATIANS: SET FREE TO LIVE 8-WEEK BIBLE STUDY FACILITATED BY SUE HAMILTON TUESDAYS 12:00-1:30PM BEGINNING, APRIL 23RD**



Paul's letter to the Galatians speaks directly to the heart of Christians and addresses the most important question we can ask: "What must we do to be saved?" It speaks of the extraordinary gift of salvation that Jesus has won for us, and how we can unite ourselves to Christ's redeeming sacrifice. In Galatians, we learn what it means to have this filial relationship with God the Father, how he honors us as his children, and how we must honor him as our loving Father.

St. John the Evangelist will begin the eight-week Bible study Galatians: Set Free to Live on Tuesdays at 12:00-1:30PM. Participants will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship.

Please register in advance for this study at [AFF@sjecc.com](mailto:AFF@sjecc.com). Optional Study Guide available for \$30.00 for sale in the Parish Office. This group meets on Tuesdays from 12:00-1:30PM in the Nazareth Room of the Pulte Family Cetner. Walk-Ins welcome at any point in the study.



# Adult Faith Formation



This is a four- season series that is true to the gospel, but includes terrific dialogue and character portraits of the men and women that Jesus chose. We get a real sense of the daily life of the apostles, their struggles, and how their relationship with Jesus begins and blossoms. You will grow and appreciate their personalities. We will meet important characters like Mary Magdalene and Nicodemus as well as Roman administrators. You will understand the motivations and feelings of those men and women that Jesus cured by his miracles.

The Chosen will be presented every Wednesday morning, beginning January 17 in the Nazareth Room of the Pulte Center. Start with attending Mass at 8:30am, walk to the Pulte Center right after Mass, and enjoy a wonderful hot breakfast, compliments of the parish. Somewhere around 9:30am, you can walk to the classroom with beverage in hand, if you wish, and watch the movie.

You may be interested to know that the actors in this movie are deeply religious. The actor who plays Jesus is a devout Catholic and daily communicant.

Each episode will last about one hour. Deacon John Sebastian will be your moderator and host. He will briefly introduce each episode and answer any questions you may have about the content.

This is a "do not miss" attraction. What a wonderful morning you will have! Mass, breakfast, and a great series. You do not need a reservation. Feel free to bring a friend.

**We resume this week with Season, 2, Episode 3**

## This Week in Adult Faith Formation

### Monday, April 8th

OCIA- 6:00PM – Room 11 & 12 of the Claussen Center

### Tuesday, April 9th

Ephesians- Session 7– Nazareth Room of the Pulte Center – 12:00-1:30PM

### Wednesday, April 10th

THE CHOSEN – 9:30-10:45AM Nazareth Room – Season 2, Episode 3





# Eucharistic Revival

Bishop DeWane says of the Year of Parish Revival *"It is in a precise way, in the Eucharist, the Lord is given to us, and we receive Him. We must also have the strength to spend time in front of the Eucharist. Let the strength that Jesus Christ is; let His presence in the Eucharist, fill your heart, fill your mind, fill your soul."*

The four pillars for St. John the Evangelist Year of Parish Revival are: Reinvigorate Worship, Personal Encounter, Robust Faith Formation, and Missionary Sending.

## Reinvigorate Worship

Attentiveness to full preparation, reverent celebration, and offering many opportunities for parishioners to experience the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist more profoundly.

## Personal Encounter

Active encouragement and facilitation for increased participation in Eucharistic Adoration by our parishioners.

## Robust Faith Formation

Providing opportunities in our Faith Formation and Youth Ministry for instruction about the Eucharist; and personal engagement for our children, young adults, and their families. Providing parishioners resources to learn more about the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.

## Missionary Sending

Welcoming our parishioners and their families when they are drawn to the Church for sacraments. Proactive outreach and welcome to non-Catholics to join our Church. Attentiveness to our Eucharistic Ministry to encourage ongoing learning and to engage more volunteers for Eucharistic Ministers who bring Christ to all in our Parish, both at Mass and to those who are not able to attend Mass.

## Prayer asking for Canonization of Blessed Carlo Acutis

Oh Father, who has given us the ardent testimony, of the young Blessed Carlo Acutis, who made the Eucharist the core of his life and the strength of his daily commitments so that everybody may love You above all else, let him soon be counted among the Blessed and the Saints in Your Church.

Confirm my faith, nurture my hope, strengthen my charity, in the image of young Carlo who, growing in these virtues, now lives with You. Grant me the grace that I need...

I trust in You, Father, and your Beloved Son Jesus, in the Virgin Mary, our Dearest Mother, and in the intervention of Your Blessed Carlo Acutis. Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be

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## Find Carlo!

Join us in praying for the Canonization of Blessed Carlo Acutis. Each week this year, we will hide a cartoon of Carlo somewhere in the bulletin. When you find him, say a prayer asking for his Canonization.



## Adoration at St. John the Evangelist

Join us for adoration with benediction on the First Friday of every month at 6:00pm and on the First Saturday of every month after the 8:00am Mass in the Church.

Visit our Adoration Chapel on the left side of the Church. For more information, please contact our Main Office.



ONE HOUR + ONCE A WEEK = *Life Changing.*

*"The Eucharist is the heart of the Church. Where Eucharist life flourishes, there the life of the church will blossom. "*

-Saint John Paul II

# Respect Life

## Join our Respect Life Team Prayer Vigil

The St. John's Respect Life team will participate in a prayer vigil at Planned Parenthood in Naples each 1st Friday of every month 9am - 12. For info on our Prayer Vigil or to join our Respect Life team, please call Rosemary @ 239-250-0432.

## What We Believe

We believe that every person is precious, that people are more important than things, and that the measure of every institution is whether it threatens or enhances the life and dignity of the human person.



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Saturday  
April 20, 2024**

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Venice, FL 34285  
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*Join us!*

**The Cenacle of Life**

The Cenacle is an opportunity to participate with St. John's Respect Life Ministry to spiritually support the protection of human life in all phases.

We do this through Adoration of the most blessed sacrament & Recitation of the most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

*The Cenacle meets Wednesdays from 5:30 – 6:30 in the Adoration Chapel.*

For additional information contact us at 239.250.0432 or relife@aol.com



PLEASE JOIN US  
for  
MOTHER-DAUGHTER TEA

SATURDAY,  
APRIL 20TH  
9 A.M. - 12 P.M.  
BALLROOM



10 PER PERSON  
-PAY AT THE DOOR-  
• Brunch  
• Variety of Tea  
• Raffle Prizes

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 **LIFE TEEN**  
SUNDAY 5 P.M. MASS



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**Youth**  
HOLY HOUR & CONFESSION



**MAY 5**  
**AFTER 5PM MASS**

Adore  
Jesus  
in the  
Eucharist

Praise & Worship Music  
LED BY *George de los Reyes*







# EASTER

## Egg Hunt



ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST  
YOUTH MINISTRY



### Golden Egg Winners







# Summer Theatre Camp

**JUNE 10 - JUNE 21**

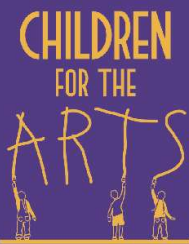
**MON - FRI 1PM - 4PM**

**AGES 7 - 16 TUITION \$375**

## THE BOOK OF SPELLS



Step into a world of magic and join King Nikolas on his enchanting adventure as he discovers "The Book of Spells." But watch out! Spells go awry, turning his wife into a chicken and his son into... well, it's a surprise! With crazy characters and non-stop fun, this delightful tale will captivate young actors! Don't miss out on the magic this summer at our theatre camp!



**Pulte Family Life Center**  
**St. John The Evangelist Catholic Church**  
**625 11th Avenue North, Naples**  
**Information: [www.childrenforthearts.com](http://www.childrenforthearts.com)**

**239-571-3305**

# DOMINE CLEMONS

A SACRED MUSIC CONCERT



19

APRIL  
7PM

**WHERE:** ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST  
CHURCH

**TIME:** 7 PM - 8 PM

**COST:** FREE ADMISSION  
(DONATIONS ACCEPTED TO HELP  
MAKE THIS EVENT POSSIBLE)

Domine Clemons, a cantor at St. John the Evangelist, embarks on a mission to revive sacred music. Since her youth, Domine has held the hymns of Catholic tradition close to her heart. She seeks to uplift souls through songs such as the Ave Maria, Panis Angelicus, and more!

Accompanied by Edward Persin, St. John the Evangelist Music Director, and Ming Gao, Associate Concertmaster of the Naples Philharmonic, prepare for an evening of heavenly music as Domine pours her heart and soul into each piece.

**SCAN TO REGISTER:**







# Naples Ukulele Fest HUGE



International Ukulele Stars  
**The Birdwatchers**



**Kirk Jones**  
With Vinny & Norine Mungo

## Concert - Sunday, April 14, 2024 at 6:30 PM

The Ballroom on the Campus of St. John the Evangelist Church • 625 111th Street • Naples FL



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# Kentucky Derby Party

Big Hats



Bourbon



Bowties



Saturday, May 4

4:30pm - 7:30pm



Pulte Family Life Center



\$10 per person, *includes one drink ticket & light refreshments*



For tickets: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/big-hats-bourbon-and-bowties-kentucky-derby-party-tickets-868023300057>

“Bet” on your favorite horse

Smart Derby Attire  
Best Hat/Outfit Competition

Mint Juleps  
Bourbon Slush

**BINGO**

Tuesday, April 9  
and  
Tuesday, April 23

Pulte Family Life Center Cafe  
1:00pm

**Trivia Night**

Monday Nights  
6:00pm  
Pulte Family Life Center Cafe



# Events & Programs



## PULTE CENTER Fitness

**FREE FOR MEMBERS  
\$10/CLASS FOR GUESTS**

**JOIN AT ANY TIME!**  
*February - April*

### ZUMBA

**MONDAY'S AT 10 A.M.**  
LATIN-INSPIRED DANCE AEROBIC CLASS THAT WILL BURN CALORIES AND HAVE A BLAST!

### B.B.B.

**BURN.BUILD.BLAST.**  
**WEDNESDAY'S AT 10 A.M.**  
BURN CALORIES, BUILD MUSCLE, HAVE A BLAST WITH DUMBBELLS, BANDS, WITH FUN ALONG THE WAY!

### CARDIO & CORE

**FRIDAY'S AT 10 A.M.**  
LIGHT CARDIO AND CORE MOVEMENTS MIXED IN WITH CORE AND MOBILITY EXERCISES!

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT JAMIE AT**  
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Our panelists are highly qualified experts in their field and they look forward to bringing you an interactive seminar to help give you the tools and resources you need when it comes to being smart with your time and money!

**April 25, 2024**  
**12:00pm - 1:30pm**

**Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church**  
**Pulte Family Life Center**  
**625 111th Ave N**  
**Naples, FL 34108**

*Knowledge is power...*  
educate yourself today for the resources you, or someone that you love may need tomorrow.

**Event is FREE but RSVP is required, Call 239-776-7353 to reserve your spot!**

# FITNESS MEMBERSHIP

**ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST**  
PULTE FAMILY LIFE CENTER

## FAMILY MEMBERSHIPS\*:

**\$250** PER FAMILY PARISHIONER

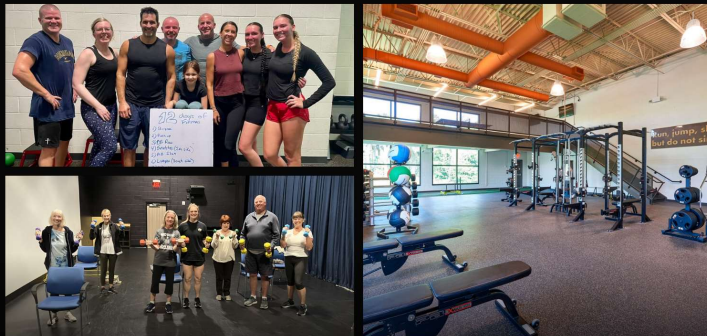
**\$500** PER FAMILY NON-PARISHIONER

*\*UP TO 6 PEOPLE LIVING IN THE SAME HOUSEHOLD.  
\$25 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL FAMILY MEMBER.*

## INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIPS:

**\$150** PER PERSON PARISHIONER

**\$300** PER PERSON NON-PARISHIONER



GUESTS ARE WELCOME. EACH GUEST MUST COMPLETE A WAIVER FORM. \$10/GUEST PER VISIT

INDIVIDUALS PARTICIPATING IN TRAININGS OR CLASSES MUST REGISTER AS A PULTE FAMILY LIFE CENTER MEMBER

TO BECOME A MEMBER, OR FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT OUR PULTE FAMILY LIFE CENTER OR CONTACT JAMIE OJALA AT JAMIE@SJECC.COM



# St. John Council 11281 Knights of Columbus



*Member Reminder*

Monthly Meeting  
Tuesday  
April 9th at 6pm

## 2nd Annual Catholic Education Tuition Assistance **Golf Scramble** May 4, 2024 Cypress Woods Country Club



7:30 am - Registration, 8:30 am - Shotgun Start  
\$150 per golfer - includes golf, cart, luncheon  
Not a golfer? Join us just for lunch - \$40

Registration  
open through  
April 24th

Sponsorships available from \$300

**TITLE SPONSOR \$5000**

Two Foursomes Included  
Hole signage and Business on all Player Placards  
Start on First and Tenth Holes

**LUNCH SPONSOR \$3000**

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Presentation sign at lunch

**CART SPONSOR \$2500**

Your business will be on every event score card  
placed in the golf carts  
Hole Signage  
One Foursome Included

**GOLF BALL SPONSOR \$2000 Plus 25 dozen golf balls**

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Dedicated hole to Network with all the golfers  
Hole Signage  
Banner at hole (provided by your company)  
Presentation of Winner at lunch

**PUTTING CONTEST \$2000**

Run or help run the contest  
Signage at Putting Green  
One Foursomes Included  
Presentation of Winner at lunch

**LONGEST DRIVE - (2 Available) \$1000**

Dedicated hole to Network with all the golfers  
Hole Signage  
Banner at hole (provided by your company)  
Presentation of Winner at lunch

**CLOSEST TO THE PIN (3 Available) \$750**

Dedicated hole to Network with all the golfers  
Hole Signage  
Banner at hole (provided by your company)  
Presentation of Winner at lunch

**HOLE SPONSOR \$300**

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**Father Glackin Sponsorship  
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Two Foursomes  
Hole Sign  
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Father Glackin Scholarship is awarded. You will have  
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Acknowledgement at lunch.

**Salesians of St. John Boco Sponsorship  
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Two Foursomes  
Hole Sign  
Recognition at the SJN Awards Night when the  
Father Glackin Scholarship is awarded. You will have  
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Acknowledgement at lunch.

**Deacon Panaccia Sponsorship  
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Two Foursomes  
Hole Sign  
Recognition at the awarding of the Panacci Scholarship  
at our local Catholic Schools. You will have the honor of  
presenting the scholarships. Acknowledgement at lunch.

For more details contact

Troy Costain at 239.825.9279 or [troy@dgarettconstruction.com](mailto:troy@dgarettconstruction.com)



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