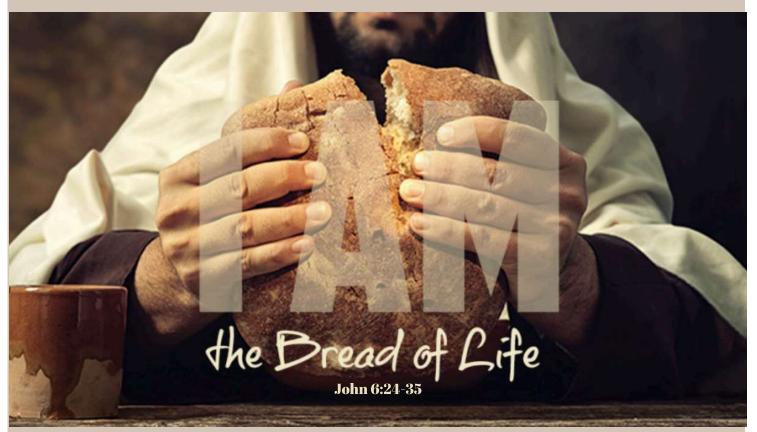


St. John The Evangelist Catholic Church

The Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 4, 2024



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.

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.

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Greeting:

Priest: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Priest: The Lord be with you. (or another greeting)

People: And with your spirit.

Penitential Act (Confiteor and/or Kyrie):

A) All: 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.

B) Priest: Lord, have mercy.
Priest: Christ, have mercy.
Priest: Lord, have mercy.
Priest: Lord, have mercy.
People: Lord, have mercy.
People: Lord, have mercy.

Gloria (an ancient hymn of praise):

All: 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.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Response after the First and Second Readings:

Lector: The Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God.

Dialogue before the Gospel Proclamation:

Cantor: Alleluia! (sung) People: Alleluia!

Priest: The Lord be with you. People: **And with your spirit.**

Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to . .

People: Glory to you, O Lord.

After the Gospel Proclamation:

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord. People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Profession of Faith (Nicene Creed; or the Apostles Creed may also be recited):

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.

Universal Prayer / Prayer of the Faithful:

Lector: ...let us pray to the Lord. People: Lord, hear our prayer.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Table / Presentation of the Gifts (first part may be done silently):

Priest: Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, through your goodness... (2x)

People: Blessed be God for ever.

Priest: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours

may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

People: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands,

for the praise and glory of his name,

for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.

Acclamations during the Eucharistic Prayer:

Preface Dialogue:

Priest: The Lord be with you. People: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts. People: We lift them up to the Lord. Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God. People: It is right and just.

Sanctus:

A11: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Mystery of Faith:

Priest: The mystery of faith:

People: A – We proclaim your death, O Lord,

and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

B – When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,

we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again.

C – Save us, Savior of the world,

for by your Cross and Resurrection, you have set us free.

Great Amen:

Priest: Through him, with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

all glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever.

People: **Amen.** (may be sung more than once)

COMMUNION RITE

Lord's Prayer:

All: 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.

Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil,...

All: For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and for ever.

Sign of Peace:

Priest: The Peace of the Lord be with you always. All: And with your spirit.

Breaking of the Bread:

All: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

Preparation for Communion:

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

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

Reception of Communion:

Minister: The Body of Christ. Communicant: **Amen.** Minister: The Blood of Christ. Communicant: **Amen.**

CONCLUDING RITE

Blessing & Dismissal:

Priest: The Lord be with you. People: **And with your spirit.**

Priest: May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, + and the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Priest: Go in peace. (or another longer formulation)

People: Thanks be to God!

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Readings for The Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 1 Ex 16:2-4, 12-15

The whole Israelite community grumbled against Moses and Aaron. The Israelites said to them,

"Would that we had died at the LORD's hand in the land of Egypt, as we sat by our fleshpots and ate our fill of bread! But you had to lead us into this desert to make the whole community die of famine!"

Then the LORD said to Moses,

"I will now rain down bread from heaven for you. Each day the people are to go out and gather their daily portion; thus will I test them, to see whether they follow my instructions or not.

"I have heard the grumbling of the Israelites. Tell them: In the evening twilight you shall eat flesh, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread, so that you may know that I, the LORD, am your God."

In the evening quail came up and covered the camp. In the morning a dew lay all about the camp, and when the dew evaporated, there on the surface of the desert were fine flakes like hoarfrost on the ground. On seeing it, the Israelites asked one another, "What is this?" for they did not know what it was. But Moses told them,

"This is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat."

Responsorial Psalm Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

What we have heard and know, and what our fathers have declared to us, We will declare to the generation to come the glorious deeds of the LORD and his strength and the wonders that he wrought.

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

He commanded the skies above and opened the doors of heaven; he rained manna upon them for food and gave them heavenly bread.

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

Man ate the bread of angels, food he sent them in abundance. And he brought them to his holy land, to the mountains his right hand had won.

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

Reading 2 Eph 4:17, 20-24

Brothers and sisters: I declare and testify in the Lord that you must no longer live as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their minds; that is not how you learned Christ, assuming that you have heard of him and were taught in him, as truth is in Jesus, that you should put away the old self of your former way of life, corrupted through deceitful desires, and be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new self, created in God's way in righteousness and holiness of truth.

Alleluia

Mt 4:4b

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

One does not live on bread alone, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

Jn 6:24-35

When the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into boats and came to Capernaum looking for Jesus. And when they found him across the sea they said to him,

"Rabbi, when did you get here?"

Jesus answered them and said,

"Amen, amen, I say to you, you are looking for me not because you saw signs but because you ate the loaves and were filled. Do not work for food that perishes but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For on him the Father, God, has set his seal." So they said to him,

"What can we do to accomplish the works of God?" Jesus answered and said to them,

"This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent."

So they said to him,

"What sign can you do, that we may see and believe in you? What can you do? Our ancestors ate manna in the desert, as it is written: He gave them bread from heaven to eat."

So Jesus said to them,

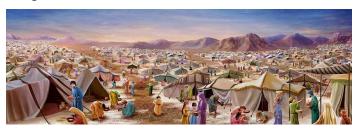
"Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

So they said to him,

"Sir, give us this bread always."

Jesus said to them,

"I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst."



Entrance Hymn: I am the Bread of Life

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 78 - The Lord gave them bread from heaven

Gifts: Seek Ye First

Communion Hymns: Bread of Angels, Bread for the World

Closing Hymn: God, We Praise You

I Am the Bread of Life



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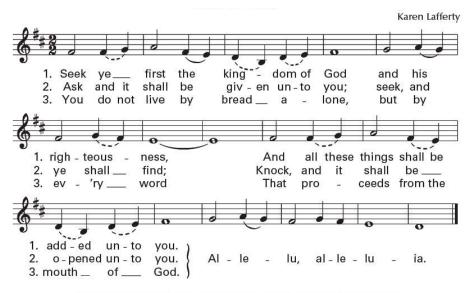


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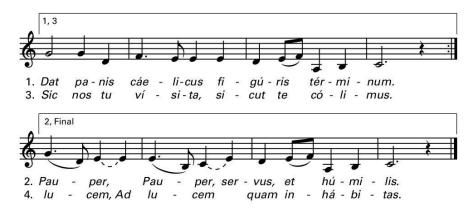
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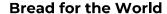
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Bread of Angels





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God, We Praise You



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Music: J. Wyeth's Repository of Sacred Music, Part II, 1813.

Music for the Sunday Mass at 5:00pm

All Creatures of Our God & King

All creatures of our God and King Lift up your voice and with us sing. O praise Him alleluia. Thou burning sun with golden beam, Thou silver moon with softer gleam, O praise Him O praise Him. Alleluia alleluia alleluia.

Let all things their Creator bless And worship Him in humbleness. O praise Him alleluia. Praise praise the Father praise the Son, And praise the Spirit three in One. O praise Him O praise Him. Alleluia alleluia alleluia.

Music for the Sunday Mass at 5:00pm

Bread of Heaven

This bread is daily delivered You provide at the dawn of morning light Your word is sweeter than honey on my lips Let it drip down to my heart

Chorus: Oh Father You have delivered Your word to me I come and sit at this table For two and I feast I come and eat The bread of heaven

This book is the lamp before me Illuminating the pathway to life Food alone it won't sustain me I must live on ev'ry word you speak

I Am the Bread of Life

Chorus: I am the Bread of Life. All who eat this Bread will never die I am God's love revealed. I am broken that you might be healed

Verse 1 All who eat of this heavenly Bread All who drink this cup of the covenant You will live forever For I will raise you up

Verse 2

No one who comes to Me shall ever hunger again No one who believes shall ever thirst All that the Father draws shall come to Me And I will give them rest

Let it Rise

Let the glory of the Lord Rise among us Let the glory of the Lord Rise among us Let the praises of the King Rise among us Let it rise

Let the songs of the Lord Rise among us Let the songs of the Lord Rise among us Let the joy of the King Rise among us let it rise

Chorus: O let it rise O let it rise

Prayer for Safety in Hurricane Season

O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed Your order and returned to its former quietude.

You are still the Master of land and sea.
We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control:
the Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant,
can awake from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries,
invade our land, and spread chaos and disaster.

During this hurricane season we turn to You, O loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with passing of time.

O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son on our behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your Divine Son to reach the heavenly Jerusalem, where a stormless eternity awaits us. Amen.

Fr. Tom's Reflection

Imagine starving and grumbling because you can't find anything to eat despite promises that you'd be cared for. That would likely be a fierce grumble. Poor Moses was probably in fear. Caught in the middle of a bad situation, Moses and the Israelites were saved by God's miraculous bread from heaven. Sometimes, however, we have short memories.

Jesus worked some awesome miracles. Multiplying the loaves and fishes is one example. After that the people wanted more miracles and followed Jesus to Capernaum. That's not a bad thing. Wouldn't we wonder what else Jesus could do if we had eaten that amazing bread? But Jesus uses this opportunity to begin to teach the people about a special bread. The manna in the desert saved the lives of the Israelites, but this bread is a far better bread. It is the bread of life-the bread that is Jesus himself.

We all spend time walking in the desert that life sometimes is. We experience fatigue, hunger, and thirst. There are many kinds of hunger and thirst. We might hunger for love, or happiness, or truth, or security, or a real sense of being alive and worthwhile. We might hunger but not know what it is that we hunger for or we might hunger for what is worthless but not realize it. Jesus invites us to seek what is lasting, what will endure into eternal life, and not to seek what satisfies us today but leaves us hungry and thirsty again tomorrow. When we are growing up we are taught to recognize human qualities that are good for us to develop and that satisfy a kind of hunger. Good health is one; job training is another. Economic security or success in sports or the arts or in education or in a profession are others. These are goods to work for. But there are other goods--or "bread"--that satisfy us, giving us a feeling of a good and full life. Such goods are faith in Christ, living according to the gospel, actively participating in the life of our community, and looking out for the good of others. You can add many more values that Jesus would teach and that in the long run satisfy our deepest hungers.

Jesus said, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst." He meant it when he said it and he means it today. But do we understand what he is saying? When we take Jesus as our bread we are being called to be our best selves, to be like him. He suffered with the leper and the sick child and the blind man. He did what he could to help their suffering. Of course we can't work miracles like Jesus did. But what we can do is be there for others. We can be there for our child who needs help with homework or with sports or with music. We can be there for our spouse who needs our act of helping love. We can do our part for peace in our neighborhood or our parish or our place of work. We can give a supportive word, a cup of coffee, a smile, a word of praise. These might sound like small petty actions when we think of the troubles around the world. But we can also pray for those larger troubles. We can care for others in small ways if we can't afford larger ways. The point is that Jesus said we should come to him because he is the bread of life, and that means being that bread with him. If we begin doing that intentionally even in small ways, Jesus will be bread for us and bread for others.



Pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy daily at 3:00pm on the Global Catholic Television Newtwork, EWTN

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

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Saturday: 2:30pm - 6:15pm Sunday: 8:30am - 1:00pm

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Sacraments, Memorial Garden, Gift Shop

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.

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.

MEMORIAL GARDEN UPDATE



We appreciate your continued understanding as we further our improvements in the Memorial Garden. Over the next couple of months, we will begin a project to clean, paint, and seal markers. We will also replace the fountain, which is not able to be repaired.

As a reminder, please refrain from placing rocks, artificial flowers, and other non-natural items in the Garden. When the landscapers are there, these items can become projectiles and/or damage equipment. We will routinely remove items left in the Garden that are not natural.

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





Calendar and Weekly Readings

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, August 4

7:00am Mass (Church)
9:00am Mass (Church)
11:00am Mass (Church)
1:00pm Mass (Church)
5:00pm Mass (Church)

Monday, August 5

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

Tuesday, August 6

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)

6:30pm Young Adult Group (Pulte Cafe)

ages 35-55

Wednesday, August 7

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)

9:00am Parish Breakfast (Pulte Cafe)

9:30am The Chosen (Nazareth)

Thursday, August 8

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)

6:30pm Young Adult Group (Pulte Cafe)

ages 21-39

Friday, August 9

8:30am Daily Mass (Church) 6:00pm Happy Hour (Pulte Cafe)

Saturday, August 10

8:00am Daily Mass (Church)

12:00pm Ice Cream Social (Pulte Cafe)

3:00pm Vigil Mass (Church) 5:00pm Vigil Mass (Church)



WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the week of August 4, 2024

Sunday: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54

(24b)/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

Monday: Jer 28:1-17/Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102/Mt

14:13-21

Tuesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-

19/Mk 9:2-10

Wed: Jer 31:1-7/Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13/Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7/Dt 32:35cd-36ab,

39abcd, 41/Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: 2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9/Jn 12:24-26

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

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If you currently give online and would like to STOP receiving offertory envelopes, please contact Rachael Jensen in the Main Office: 239.566.8740 or rachael@sjecc.com

DONATION REMINDERS

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

Offertory

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

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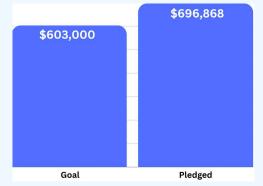


2024 CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL

Thank You Thank you to everyone who has generously donated to our CFA goal, which we reached this week! For those who have not yet donated, please prayerfully

consider giving. Money raised for CFA supports many important programs in our community, such as Catholic Charities, Catholic Education, and Vocations. And any amount over our goal (up to 125%) is returned to the Parish (unassessed) to help us with programs and operations.

115.57% to Goal - 13.03% of Households Contributing



TO DONATE TO CFA:

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

OFFERTORY

7/3/24-7/9/24 \$74,205.47

7/10/24-7/16/24 \$35.602.04

Total Households 3491



Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 3, 2024

8:00 AM + Daven Atwell Mother, Marguerite Atwell

Vigil Masses for Sunday

3:00 PM Dolores Kernochan Janet D'Addario 5:00 PM William Matre Patricia Matre

Sunday, August 4, 2024

7:00 AM + Robert Curran Andreina Panion 9:00 AM + Howard and Rose Zimmerman John and Julie English

11:00 AM + Patricia Witt

1:00 PM SI For Our Parishioners

5:00 PM + George Naples

Monday, August 5, 2024

8:30 AM + Molly Anton Family

Tuesday, August 6, 2024

8:30 AM + George Dublino Lan Tran Requested By

Wednesday, August 7, 2024

8:30 AM + Donna McCabe Tom and Ginny Tette

Thursday, August 8, 2024

8:30 AM Bob Donnelly and Rita Bailey Suzanne Donnelly

Friday, August 9, 2024

+ Dr. James Rankin 8:30 AM

Saturday, August 10, 2024

+ Michael Zewalk 8:00 AM

(Vigil Masses for Sunday)

+ Janet and Jerome Paul VanderHorst Vicki VanderHorst 3:00 PM 5:00 PM + Leah McFadden Kathleen Shea

Sunday, August 11, 2024

+ Louise Souders 7:00 AM **English Family** 9:00 AM + Larry Carr Sharon Carr 11:00 AM + Robert Naples Frances Naples 1:00 PM + Edward Kane Bechant and Crotty

5:00 PM SI For Our Parishioners



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Harry Witt

Frances Naples

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Les and Barbara Fuller

Carol and Jerry Lowe

Prayer List

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

Mary A. Nicholas Acquaviva Sandy Ahlquist Declan Aigner Mohammed Alnawaflah

Hugh Andrews Josie Arpaia Jordan Ball Barbara Barber Agatha Barczynski Jennifer Basile Stephen Benisch

Elizabeth Bennett Denise Bennett Michael Bertsch Edwin Betancourt Patricia Bleicher Sara Boettcher Frank & Therese Brennan Lisa Granger

Romilda Bryden

Charlotte Byron Bill Campbell Candace Bob Capicchioni Frank Carillo Joseph D. Cellitti Richard Chibbaro Al and Lorraine Ciano Norma and Tom Collins

Lisa Commery Frank Corselli Nicholas Costanza John Cullen

Merlyn Comeriato

Matthew Cummings Ellie Daniels Rich Davidson George Deuchar

Julie Dieter Jack Dilorio Theresa DiLella Donna DiMare

Jennifer Douglas-Joseph Sarah Dovi

Mary Ann Dowd Megan Ebert John Eddy Steven Edgerton John and Monica Ellis

Tiffany Fellenz Henry Ferris Ashlynn Fieldler Denise Fisher Darlene Follese Ron Fongemie Peter and Phyllis Foti

Barbara Fuller Bruce Gaker Terry Gallagher Fr. Len Gioeli Julian Gomez

Lester Fuller

Sam and Ian Greenberg

Maria Grisafi Frank Grzesk Gary Gwizdala Makayla Hall **Gabriel Hanley** Elaine Hill Evzen Hlavalcek Kelly Honsberger Marie Houston Kathy Hower Murray Hunkin

Deacon John

Deanne Hutchinson-Pinto

Cvnthia Johnson **Brad Johnson** Carolyn Kasischke Baby Bayli Rose Kaufman Robyne Keane Yvonne Keenan Dennis Killian Tracey Kirk Hannah Kirk

Gottfried & Kathleen Kotscher John Repice Richard Kruger

Elaine Kurland Mary Langdon

Allan & Ramona Langman

Alicia Laplant Myles Levy Nancy Loftus Danny Loggi Maryetta Loggi Michelle Loggi Drew Loggi **Bob Lutz**

Steve Machacek Karen Madigan Ruth Martin

Barbara McDonald Wendy Mercer Orville Middendorf Eileen Miner

Anthony & Donna Masse

Tom Nell

Barbara O'Leary

Joyce Morrissey

Wyatt Olenn Kathy O'Loughlin Michael O'Neill Peg Palen Eric Parker Janina Pasadyn Carol Petrone Wiesia Petroske Tom Petroske Ray Pierce

Anthony Piermani

Amy Pine Sheila Pittman Anna Polley Ludmila Pridalova Marge Purcell Paul Quirk

Jose Ignacio Ramirez Trisha Reed Maureen Reed Susie Romanovich

Julie Rownd Martha Ryder Peggy O'Neil Saba Steve Salinas Lisa Sanfelippo Steve Savory

Catherine Schmacht Makenzie Schutt

Bernard & Martina Sherman

Joe Sherman Kathleen Sievert **Bob Sims** Rosalie Slevin Joanne Smyth **Bob Snowdon** Antonio Sorrentino Norma J. Spiggle Jeanne Stoll Christopher Suki Kathleen Sullivan

Kate Sutton

Susan and Thomas Sweeny

Kelli Jo Tenreiro Anna Tran **David Trott** Kathleen Trotter Elaine Tryjankowski Lisa Marie Turner Raymond Vanasse Maria Elena Vassalotti

Juile Ventura Jimmy Warren Callie Grace Watson Chelsea Watson

Dana, Geneva & Greigh Wells

Robert Wilde, Jr. Gabrielle Williams Jimmy Wise Harry Witt Jessica Zacholl Joyce Zimmer

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.



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

Helen Lackey, Jonathan Dowling, Anne Medici, Luke Downs, John Porco, Stephen and Helen Parisi, Rodger Oberg, Tom Middlemiss

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

Private David Clark

Gavin Cooper, Navy, EMN3

Adam Decker

Alexander Denha 1st Lt. Army Ranger, 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

Matthew Gordon, US Navy

SSG Douglas Hennessy

1st Lieutenant Brock Hinkle- US Army, Germany

2nd Lieutenant Daniel Huber, US Marines

Drew Kendall - Petty Officer U.S. Navy

Senior Airman Jack Kirk, US Airforce

Sophie Koeppl - 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

Luke Sekutera, First Lieutenant, US Army Ben Sekutera, First Lieutenant, US Army

Lieutenant Jane Shelley- US Navy

Austin Spagnola

Captain Fox Stevens- US Army, South Korea

First Lieutenant Matthew Stevenson, USMC

LTJG Tanis K. Taylor – US Navy, USS Sullivans

Lt. Brendan Tourek - USN

Corporal Sisi Tyrrell US Marine Corps

Captain Grant Ullrich, US Army in Kuwait

Lance Corporal, Christopher Vandyck- US Marine

Corps

Andrew Wieland US Air Force

SFC Eugene Williams-US Army in Poland

Kaden Winckel, Airman 1st Class, USAF

Staff Sgt. Andrew Zecchino – USAF, Turkey

Austin Zicht – USAF



Eucharistic Revival

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

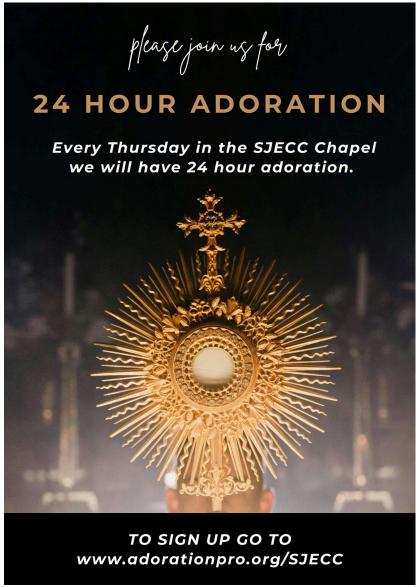
Active encouragement and facilitation for increased participation in Eucharistic Adoration by our parishioners.

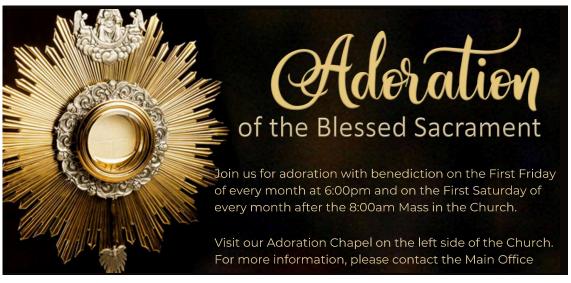
Robust Faith Formation

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.





Jesus has made
Himself the Bread
of Life to give us
life. Night and day,
He is there. If you
really want to grow
in love, come back
to the Eucharist,
come back to that
Adoration.

~Mother Teresa

Respect Life



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, please call Rosemary @ 239-250-0432. Join our Respect Life team at our next monthly meeting, the 1st Monday of the month at 10:30 am in the Pulte Center.

KNOW THE FACTS!





AMMENDMENT 4 IS DECEPTIVE

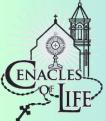
LEARN THE TRUTH

Information Sessions August 29, 2024 9am & 6pm

The Pulte Center







Join us in prayer

The Cenacle is an opportunity to pray for the conversion of our American family in support of protecting the human rights of Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness.

We do this as a community in the presence of our Lord, present in the Tabernacle, with the recitation of the Most Holy Rosary and other traditional Catholic prayers.

The Cenacle meets Tuesdays from 5:30-6:30pm in the Main Sanctuary For additional information, contact us at 239.250.0432 or relife@aol.com

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 Tuesday from 5:30 pm - 6:30pm n the Church. For more information, contact Rosemary Erickson: 239.250.0432 or visit our ad on the Respect Life page of this bulletin.

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

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. The Knights of Columbus 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 wfullerl@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. https://stjohnknittersandcrocheters.wordpress.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, welcome. Sharon Campbell 239.438.7867, sharoncampbellnaples@gmail.com. https://stjohnquilting.wordpress.com

Respect Life - 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. The team participates in a prayer vigil at Planned Parenthood in Naples each 1st Friday of every month 9am-12pm. For more info, please call Rosemary @ 239-250-0432.

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 **Al-Anon** For meeting locations and times, call 239.263.5907 or visit www.NaplesAl-Anon.org

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.



Ministries and Groups

Altar Service



THE CLOSEST PLACE TO SERVE CHRIST IS

AT HIS TABLE

JOIN US THERE - SERVE WITH US - THE ALTAR MINISTRY CONTACT LOU@SJECC.COM - NEW TRAINING IN SEPTEMBER



MUSIC MINISTRY sign ups

August 17, 18, 24, 25

CHILDREN'S CHOIR grades 3-6

YOUTH CHOIR grades 7-12

ADULT CHOIR

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTALIST

For more information, or to see how your child's musical gifts can be shared with our parish, please contact Mr. Edward Persin, Director of Music: Edward@sjecc or 239.566.8740

Our Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

at Saint John the Evangelist Church



Hungry People Need Our Help...NOW, please.

As this is written, the number of our Neighbors who use the SVdP Food Bank is rising, while many people who donate are away for the summer.

Right now the shelves are spotty, open holes where food is needed.

In June **1,033** Neighbors came to the SVdP Food Bank. **3,157** Individuals and Families were provided for.

The number always goes up in the summer.

If you are here, please consider helping with some of these:

Canned Vegetables Canned Fruit Canned Meat Boxed Potatoes
Pasta Flour Sugar Vegetable Oil

Olive Oil Juice Paper products

Drop your help in the SVdP Bin in the St John Church Office.

Neighbors in Need have not left for the summer. Please help, thank you.



generous; To give without counting the cost; To return good for evil; To serve without expecting some reward; To draw closer to those whom we find repulsive; To do good to those who cannot reciprocate; To love generously; To work without being concerned about rest; To be solely concerned about giving; To give our whole self; To give to those who need us, Hoping to receive only You, Lord, as our reward. Amen."

"Lord, teach us to be

SAVE THE DATE

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

BLUE MASS

"No one can have greater love

than to lay down his life for his friends."



SATURDAY SEPT. 14 5:00 P.M.

RECEPTION
FOLLOWING
IN THE BALLROOM

Honoring First Responders of All Faiths



Catholic Schools





A Prayer for Back to School

Father, we are so thankful for another academic year that is before us. We pray for Your blessing and guidance as we embark on this journey of learning and growth.

Refresh our hearts and minds with a spirit of enthusiasm and excitement for all the new knowledge and experiences that will come our way.

Grant us the <u>wisdom</u> to recognize and take advantage of every opportunity You give us and the strength to overcome any challenge we may face.

Protect us from harmful influences and help us stay focused on our studies. Help us find the resources we need along the way.

We turn to You in prayer, trusting that You will be with us each day as we go back to school. Amen.

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You can make a difference in the life of a child ~ call 239-455-2262 or visit:

SaintElizabethSeton.com/Giving



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 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.

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. We resume this week with Season, 4, Episode 3

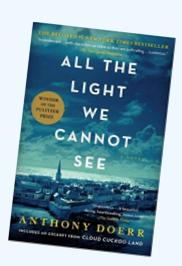
WELL READ MOM UPDATE

Special Thanks for Lena Costain and Lisa Brochu for leading us in a full Year of the Seeker through our Well-Read Mom Book Club groups. Over 35 women enjoyed being part of this nationally organized Catholic Book Club, that met monthly here at St. John the Evangelist in the morning as well as the evening. As we take a break this summer, one of WRM's suggested summer reads for all to enjoy is All the Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doeer. Our End-of Summer discussion of this book, with a get-together open to all, will take place on Wednesday, August 28th from 6:30-8:00PM in the Alexandria Room of the Claussen Family Center.

For more information about Well Read Mom and how to become a member please visit wellreadmom.com. This summer book may be purchased at the Well Read Mom website. If you are interested in leading a group at St. John's or joining our Well Read Mom group this year, please contact Natalie at natalie@sjecc.com. We will have a morning group as well as an evening group that will run from September through June. More details soon!

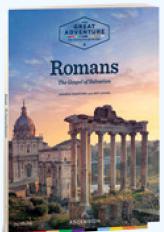
https://wellreadmom.com/





Adult Faith Formation

ROMANS: THE GOSPEL OF SALVATION DISCOVER WHAT IT MEANS TO "BE SAVED"



Paul's letter to the Romans has been at the center of reflection, conversion, and controversy from the time it was written. Presented by Andrew Swafford and Jeff Cavins, Romans: The Gospel of Salvation provides an authentically Catholic, comprehensive, and simple way to understand the overarching theme of Romans—salvation. This fascinating book reveals that salvation is not merely the removal of a guilty verdict; it is about entering into Christ's life, death, and resurrection and sharing in his divine life.

In Jesus Christ, all the hopes and expectations of Israel are fulfilled, leading to the universal ("catholic") family of God. Romans: The Gospel of Salvation will help you to make sense of the difficult passages regarding faith, works of the law, and justification. Above all, it will help you to enter into a more meaningful relationship with Christ.

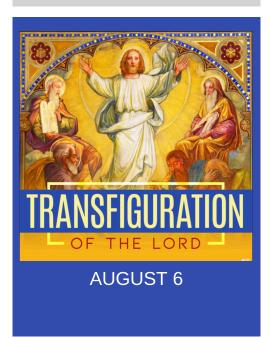
You are invited to join Sue Hamilton as she facilitates this 8 -Week Bible Study with Videos and Study Guides from Ascension Press. The study will begin on Tuesday, August 13th from 12:00 Noon-1:30PM and continue for 8 weeks. Study guides are optional and may be purchased for \$30.00. Please email aff@sjecc.com to register for the course and reserve your study guide.

This Week in Adult Faith Formation

Wednesday, August 7:

THE CHOSEN 9:30-10:45AM Nazareth Room

Season, 4, Episode 3





Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

The Parish of Saint John the Evangelist invites you to inquire about the Catholic Faith and the many blessings it has to offer.

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is a process designed for you:

- To ask your questions about the Catholic Faith
- To explore the beauty of Sacred Scripture and Catholic Tradition
- To journey toward full initiation into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil

The OCIA Journey is for those:

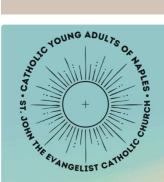
- Never Baptized
- Baptized in another Christian Tradition
- Baptized Catholic as an infant but not raised Catholic or receiving additional Sacraments
- Catholics who have been away from the faith and want to return

For more information, please contact:

DeChelle Summers – OCIA Coordinator

<u>dechellesummers@gmail.com</u> or (305) 803-7753

CYO, Youth Ministry, Young Adults







READY TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR FAITH FORMATION AND SJECC YOUTH PROGRAMS?

OUR FAITH FORMATION TEAM WILL BE OUTSIDE OF THE 9 A.M. MASS AND 11 A.M. MASS ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 4TH AND SUNDAY, AUGUST 11TH WITH DONUTS,

REGISTRATION, AND MORE INFORMATION.

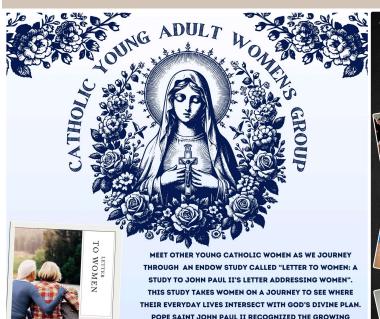
WE LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING YOU SOON!

DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:
NATALIE CAMPBELL: NATALIE@SJECC.COM

CYO & YOUTH MINISTRY DIRECTOR:
JULIANA LOGIUDICE: JULIANA@SJECC.COM



CYO, Youth Ministry, Young Adults





17-30 FOR THE STUDY

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE

CONFUSION SURROUNDING QUESTIONS OF HUMAN DIGNITY

AND SEXUALITY. THIS STUDY AND GROUP, HELPS YOUNG WOMEN LAY A STRONG FOUNDATION TO FIND THEIR TRUE

IDENTITY AS RELOVED DAUGHTERS OF GOD, IT IS FOLLOWED







Faith Formation

2024-2025 Faith Formation & Confirmation Preparation Registration Open Now!

new and online for your convenience



Our NEW Online Faith Formation registration for the 2024-2025 School Year is now open at our website www.sjecc.org. We have registration available for Pre-K- 8th Grade. We also have a separate section to register for Year 1 and Year 2 Confirmation. Our Faith Formation team is working hard to prepare for an amazing year!

Sessions begin in August/September and run through May. A calendar of class sessions is available at our website. Please allow yourself about 20 minutes to complete this application process. You will need your child's Baptism Certificate and First Communion certificate if applicable. If you are NEW, and we do NOT have your baptism certificate on file, you will have an opportunity to upload the certificate during the process. You will also need a credit card to complete payment at the end of the process. Your Registration is not complete until payment is made. Thank you for your patience and please feel free to reach out to Natalie at natalie@sjecc.com if you have any questions.

Upcoming Faith Formation Important Dates

August 15th - Last Day to Register

August 25th – Confirmation Sessions begin

September 4th - First Communion Parent Meeting

September 8th - Sunday K-8 Faith Formation Sessions Begin

September 11th - Wednesday PreK-8 Faith Formation Sessions Begin

September 18th – 11:00AM Mass Catechetical Sunday – Catechists Commissioned

Chiara was just an average teenage girl who lived from 1971-1990. The exceptional thing about her was her deep love for God and how massively it transformed her. She is a wonderful example of how even though faith and relationship with God doesn't stop suffering, it does bring joy into all aspects of life, even those which we hope never to have to experience.

FIND CHIARA

Each week in the bulletin, the illustrated version of Blessed Chiara Luce Badano will be hidden. When you locate her, say a prayer for her canonization. Learn more about her selfless life. She truly is an amazing example for all of us.



PRAYER FOR THE CANONIZATION OF BLESSED CHIARA LUCE BADANO

O Father, fount of every good, we give You thanks for the wonderful testimony of Blessed Chiara Badano. Filled with the Holy Spirit, and guided by the radiant light of Jesus, she believed firmly in Your infinite love and wished to return it with all her strength, surrendering herself in complete trust to Your paternal will. We humbly beseech You that You may also grant us the gift to live with You and for You, and ask You, if it be Your will, for the grace... through Our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Announcing....Girls on the Run Programming

Girls on the Run provides

POWER, PURPOSE AND POTENTIAL

Girls on the Run (3rd-5th grade) Heart&Sole (6th-8th grade) Fridays 5:30PM - 7:00PM,

Wednesdays 6:30PM - 8:30PM,

Starts: Week of September 9th **Ends: November 17th**

Sign up before 9/8/2024 Registration Fee: \$150



REGISTER TODAY!

www.gotrswfl.org/programs







Contact: Jamie Ojala jamie@sjecc.com

QUESTIONS?



(239) 566-8740



JOIN GIRLS ON THE RUN!

Hello, MOUNTAIN MOVER!

Girls on the Run features lessons focused on what matters most to your girl. This season, she will build the confidence to do hard things. How? By developing powerful tools to help her believe in herself, then applying these tools to take on challenges alongside her team.





GIRLS LEARN HOW TO ..



Discover their I Can! Power the power to do hard things



Manage and move through difficult emotions



Use stick-with-it strategies to help them overcome obstacles



Proudly breathe. believe, and achieve their goals

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church 3rd - 5th Grade Friday 5:30PM - 7:00PM & Saturday 10:30AM - 12:00PM

Season starts: Week of September 9th Season ends: November 17th Registration deadline: September 8th

For more information and to register, visit gotrswfl.org/registertoday



Jamie Ojala iamie@sjecc.com (239) 566-8740





LEAD A GIRLS ON THE RUN TEAM!

Hello, COACH!



Girls have the power and potential to move mountains, but they may not know it ... yet. As a coach this season, you can help them build the confidence to do hard things. And you will experience many meaningful moments. In a recent survey, 99% of coaches agreed that their coaching experience was valuable!

YOU'LL TEACH GIRLS HOW TO ...

 $\mathbf{Girls}_{ ext{on}}$



Discover their I Can! Power the power to do hard things

SCAN ME!



Manage and move through difficult emotions



Use stick-with-it strategies to help them overcome obstacles



Proudly breathe, believe, and achieve their goals

QUESTIONS?

For more information and to sign up, visit

www.gotrswfl.org



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HEART & SOLE IS DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS.

GIRLS CAN EXPECT TO:

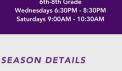
- Make connections and meet new friends
- Get outside, set goals, and move · Learn how to make independent choices, resolve conflicts, and
- manage stress
 Have fun!



Why it matters It's fun. It's effectiv



6th-8th Grade Vednesdays 6:30PM - 8:30PM Saturdays 9:00AM - 10:30AM





Registration Opens: August 16, 2024

Program Starts: Week of September 9th

Program Fee: \$150

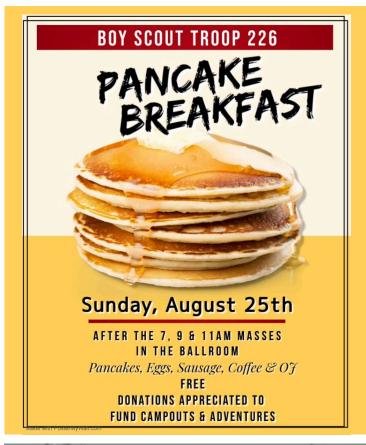
Financial Assistance is available

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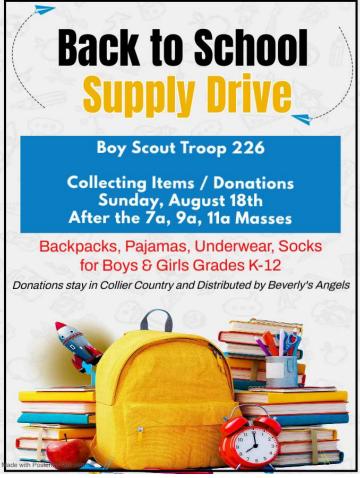
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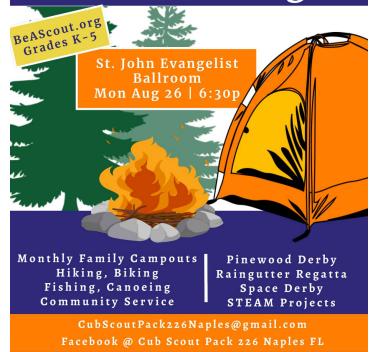
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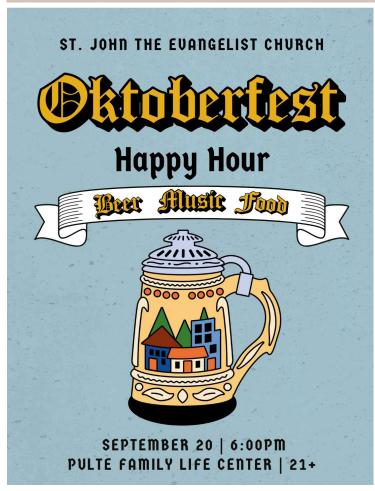








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