

# St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

The Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
November 10, 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**

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

# Mass Responses and Prayers

## 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. People: **Lord, have mercy.**

Priest: Christ, have mercy. People: **Christ, have mercy.**

Priest: 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.**

# Mass Responses and Prayers

*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:*

All: **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.**

# Mass Responses and Prayers

## *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!**

# Readings for The Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Reading I

### 1 Kgs 17:10-16

In those days, Elijah the prophet went to Zarephath.

As he arrived at the entrance of the city, a widow was gathering sticks there; he called out to her, "Please bring me a small cupful of water to drink." She left to get it, and he called out after her, "Please bring along a bit of bread."

She answered, "As the LORD, your God, lives, I have nothing baked; there is only a handful of flour in my jar and a little oil in my jug. Just now I was collecting a couple of sticks, to go in and prepare something for myself and my son; when we have eaten it, we shall die."

Elijah said to her, "Do not be afraid. Go and do as you propose. But first make me a little cake and bring it to me. Then you can prepare something for yourself and your son. For the LORD, the God of Israel, says, 'The jar of flour shall not go empty, nor the jug of oil run dry, until the day when the LORD sends rain upon the earth.'"

She left and did as Elijah had said. She was able to eat for a year, and he and her son as well; the jar of flour did not go empty, nor the jug of oil run dry, as the LORD had foretold through Elijah.

## Responsorial Psalm

### Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10

**R. Praise the Lord, my soul! or: R. Alleluia.**

The LORD keeps faith forever,  
secures justice for the oppressed,  
gives food to the hungry.  
The LORD sets captives free.

**R. Praise the Lord, my soul! or: R. Alleluia.**

The LORD gives sight to the blind.  
The LORD raises up those who were bowed down;  
the LORD loves the just.  
The LORD protects strangers.

**R. Praise the Lord, my soul! or: R. Alleluia.**

The fatherless and the widow he sustains,  
but the way of the wicked he thwarts.  
The LORD shall reign forever;  
your God, O Zion, through all generations. Alleluia.

**R. Praise the Lord, my soul! or: R. Alleluia.**

## Reading II

### Heb 9:24-28

Christ did not enter into a sanctuary made by hands, a copy of the true one, but heaven itself, that he might now appear before God on our behalf. Not that he might offer himself repeatedly, as the high priest enters each year into the sanctuary with blood that is not his own; if that were so, he would have had to suffer repeatedly from the foundation of the world. But now once for all he has appeared at the end of the ages to take away sin by his sacrifice. Just as it is appointed that human beings die once, and after this the judgment, so also Christ, offered once to take away the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to take away sin but to bring salvation to those who eagerly await him.

## Alleluia

### Mt 5:3

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

## Gospel

### Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

In the course of his teaching Jesus said to the crowds,

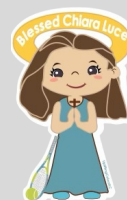
"Beware of the scribes, who like to go around in long robes and accept greetings in the marketplaces, seats of honor in synagogues, and places of honor at banquets. They devour the houses of widows and, as a pretext recite lengthy prayers. They will receive a very severe condemnation."

He sat down opposite the treasury and observed how the crowd put money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents. Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they have all contributed from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood."

## FIND CHIARA

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

*In last week's bulletin, she was on pg. 17 in the Novena ad*



# Music for The Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

1. Come, ye thank - ful peo - ple, come, Raise the song of  
2. All the world is God's own field, Fruit un - to his  
3. For the Lord our God shall come, And shall take his  
4. E - ven so, Lord, quick - ly come To your fi - nal

1. har - vest - home: All is safe - ly gath - ered in, Ere the  
2. praise to yield; Wheat and tares to - geth - er sown, Un - to  
3. har - vest home; From his field shall in that day All of -  
4. har - vest - home; Gath - er all your peo - ple in, Free from

1. win - ter storms be - gin; God, our Mak - er, does pro - vide  
2. joy or sor - row grown; First the blade, and then the ear,  
3. fens - es purge a - way; Give his an - gels charge at last  
4. sor - row, free from sin; There, for ev - er pu - ri - fied,

1. For our wants to be sup - plied; Come to God's own  
2. Then the full corn shall ap - pear: Grant, O har - vest  
3. In the fire the tares to cast, But the fruit - ful  
4. In your pres - ence to a - bide: Come, with all your

1. tem - ple, come, Raise the song of har - vest - home.  
2. Lord, that we Whole - some grain and pure may be.  
3. ears to store In his gar - ner ev - er - more.  
4. an - gels, come, Raise the glo - rious har - vest - home.

Text: 77 77 D; Henry Alford, 1810-1871, alt. Music: George J. Elvey, 1816-1893.

## Praise the Lord, My Soul

(Psalm 146)

(Psalm 146: 6-7, 8-9, 9-10)

Francesca LaRosa

Praise the Lord, my soul! Praise the Lord, my soul!  
Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

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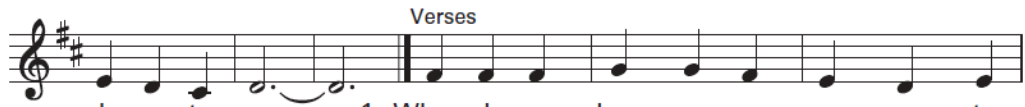
## Whatever You Do

Willard F. Jabusch

Refrain  
What - so - ev - er you do to the least of my peo - ple, that you

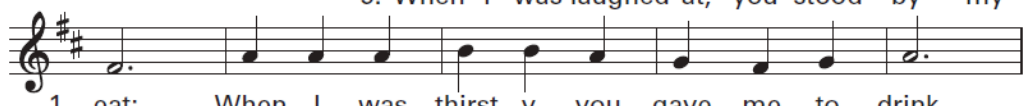
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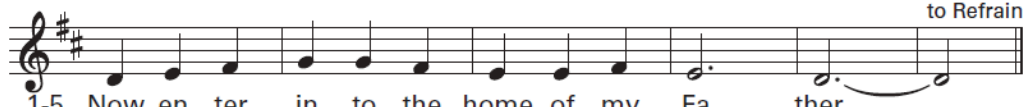
do un-to me.

1. When I was hun - gry, you gave me to
2. When I was home-less, you o - pened your
3. When I was wea - ry, you helped me find
4. When in a pris - on, you came to my
5. When I was laughed at, you stood by my



1. eat; When I was thirst - y, you gave me to drink.
2. door; When I was na - ked, you gave me your coat.
3. rest; When I was anx - ious, you calmed all my fears.
4. cell; When on a sick - bed, you cared for my needs.
5. side; When I was hap - py, you shared in my joy.

to Refrain




1-5. Now en - ter in - to the home of my Fa - ther.

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## Shepherd Me, O God

Marty Haugen

Refrain

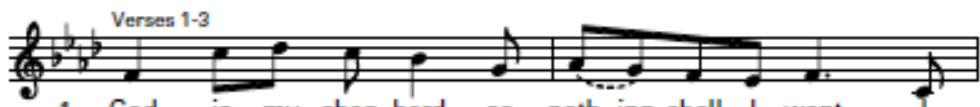


Shep-herd me, O God, be-yond my wants, be-yond my fears, from

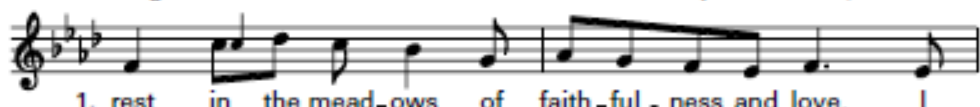


death in - to life. life.

Verses 1-3

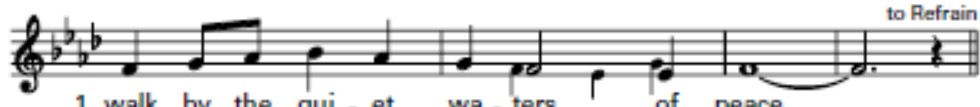


1. God is my shep-herd, so noth-ing shall I want, I
2. Gen - tly you raise me and heal my wea - ry soul, you
3. Though I should wan - der the val - ley of death, I



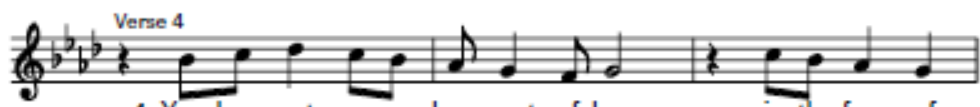
1. rest in the mead-ows of faith - ful - ness and love, I
2. lead me by path-ways of righ-teous-ness and truth, my
3. fear no e - vil, for you are at my side, your

to Refrain



1. walk by the qui - et wa - ters of peace.
2. spir - it shall sing the mu - sic of your Name.
3. rod and your staff, my com-fort and my hope.

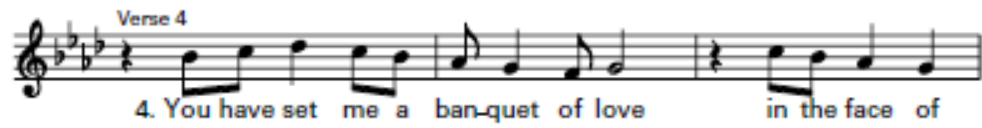
Verse 4



4. You have set me a ban-quet of love in the face of

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Verse 4

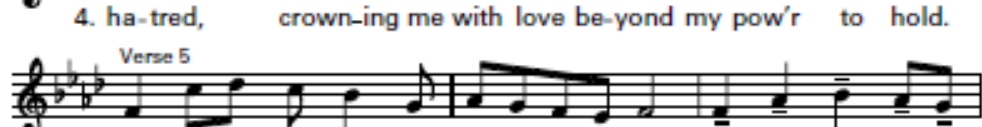


4. You have set me a ban-quet of love in the face of



4. ha-tred, crown-ing me with love be-yond my pow'r to hold. to Refrain

Verse 5



5. Sure-ly your kind-ness and mer-cy fol-low me all the days of my



5. life; I will dwell in the house of my God for-ev-er-more. to Refrain

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## Go Make of All Disciples

ELLACOMBE



1. "Go make of all dis - ci - ples:" We hear the  
2. "Go make of all dis - ci - ples:" Bap - tiz - ing  
3. "Go make of all dis - ci - ples:" We at your  
4. "Go make of all dis - ci - ples:" We wel - come



1. call, O Lord, That comes from you, our Fa - ther, In  
2. in the name Of Fa - ther, Son, and Spir - it— From  
3. feet would stay Un - til each life's vo - ca - tion Ac -  
4. your com-mand; "Lo, I am with you al - ways:" We



1. your e - ter - nal Word. In - spire our ways of  
2. age to age the same. We call each new dis -  
3. cents your ho - ly way. We cul - ti - vate the  
4. take your guid - ing hand. The task looms large be -



1. learn - ing Through earn - est, fer - vent prayer, And let our  
2. ci - ple To fol - low you, O Lord, Re - deem - ing  
3. na - ture God plants in ev - 'ry heart, Re - veal - ing  
4. fore us— We fol - low with - out fear. In heav'n and



1. dai - ly liv - ing Re - veal you ev - 'ry - where.  
2. soul and bod - y By wa - ter and the Word.  
3. in our wit - ness The Mas - ter Teach - er's art.  
4. earth your pow - er Shall bring God's king - dom here.

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# Music for The Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

## City of God

Dan Schutte

Verses 1, 2

1. A-wake from your slum-ber! A - rise from your  
2. We are sons of the morn-ing; we are daugh-ters of

1. sleep! A new day is dawn-ing for all those who weep.  
2. day. The One who has loved us has bright-ened our way.

1. The peo-ple in dark-ness have seen a great light. The  
2. The Lord of all kind-ness has called us to be a

to Refrain

1. Lord of our long-ing has con-quer-ed the night.  
2. light for his peo-ple to set their hearts free.

Refrain

Let us build the cit-y of God. May our tears be  
turned in - to danc - ing! For the Lord, our light and our  
love, has turned the night in - to day!

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Verses 3

3. God is light; in him there is no dark-ness.  
3. Let us walk in his light, his chil-dren,  
3. one and all. O com-fort my

Text: Based on Isaiah 9:40:1-9; 1 John 1.  
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## Fr. Tom's Gospel Reflection

On one level the story in the First Reading makes no sense. Indeed, it seems ridiculous and impossible. That is, if we take it in a literal sense. We could, of course, take it in a literal sense - in the sense of a miracle. But it can be taken in another sense. Then it becomes very true, and opens up whole horizons of meaning and application.

The widow was down to the last of her food. All she had left was a handful of meal in a jar and a little oil in a jug. Yet, by sharing what she had with the prophet, it never ran out. The point being made here is: It's possible to give without losing. In fact, to give can be a way of gaining.

Not to give can be a sure way of losing what we have.

Take the example of a grain of wheat. If it is left in the barn, it remains just a grain of wheat, which in time will become moldy and decay, and then there is nothing left at all. But if it is taken out and planted, it will die, but in doing so it is multiplied many times over.

Another example. If you light a candle, you can light a hundred candles from that original candle without it being diminished. It is able to share its light without losing its own.

So there is a sense in which we can share what we have without being impoverished. In fact, we are more likely to be enriched in so doing. Of course, here we are not talking about material things. A teacher loses nothing of his knowledge by sharing it with his pupils. A mother loses nothing of her love by sharing it with her children.

We can share such things as knowledge, love and peace with others without our own supply of these being in any way diminished. Giving liberates the soul of the giver. The giver is as enriched as the recipient. We see this in the case of the widow in the First Reading. When we give cheerfully, and accept gratefully, everyone is blessed.

"Love is like a basket of loaves and fishes: you never have enough until you start to give it away." (Anon.)

**Please Share Our Bounty**

**Thanksgiving Food Drive**  
**Society of Saint Vincent de Paul**

**November 23 & 24**

**Please contribute needed food and items**  
**The truck will be here for all Masses**

Soup Canned Beans Boxed Potatoes Canned Fruit  
Canned Meat (Spam, Chicken, Tuna) Cereal Flour Sugar  
Vegetable Oil Canola Oil Diapers (All Sizes) Baby Wipes

**These are difficult times for many of our Neighbors**  
**They can use your help and donations, please**  
**Your Support stays here in Naples**  
**and is deeply valued**

# THANK YOU

TO ALL VOLUNTEERS, PARISHIONERS, CLERGY,  
AND STAFF FOR MAKING THIS YEAR'S  
PARISH PICNIC SO WONDERFUL



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Saturday: 8:30am, 3:00pm (livestreamed), 5:00 pm

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Monday and Wednesday after morning

Mass Saturday: 9:00am and 2:00-2:45pm

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# Sacraments / Memorial Garden

## 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

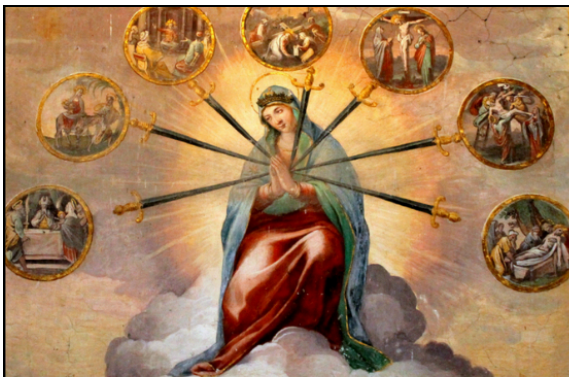
St. John the Evangelist offers the healing sacrament of Reconciliation in the Church confessionals on Monday and Wednesday after morning Mass and Saturday at 9:00 a.m. and 2:00-2:45 p.m.

## 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.



**This perpetual Novena in Honor of Our Sorrowful Mother will bring people closer to Christ and His Sorrowful Mother.**

### Upcoming Novena Dates

(mark your calendar)

December 6, 2024  
January 3, 2025  
February 7, 2025

### The Seven Sorrows of Our Lady

1. The prophecy of Simeon (St. Luke 2:34, 35).
2. The flight into Egypt (St. Matthew 2:14, 14).
3. The loss of the Child Jesus in the temple (St. Luke 2:43-45).
4. Mary meets Jesus on the Way to Calvary.
5. Jesus dies on the Cross.
6. Mary receives the dead Body of Jesus in her arms.
7. Jesus is placed in the tomb.

## NOVENA IN HONOR OF OUR SORROWFUL MOTHER

### NOVENA TIME

The first Friday of every month\* after the morning Mass at St. John the Evangelist Church, 625 111th Ave N, Naples, FL 34108

### WHY CHOOSE A NOVENA DEDICATED TO MARY?

Mary plays an important role in our salvation and we plea for her intercession so that we may follow her example in following Christ her Son. Our church is dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. People are looking for someone who cares for them and the Sorrowful Mother has her arms open to welcome and listen.

### WHY A NOVENA SPECIFICALLY TO HONOR OUR SORROWFUL MOTHER?

Mary has promised to grant seven graces to the souls who honor her by meditating on her tears and sorrows.

### MARY'S SEVEN PROMISES:

1. I will grant peace to their families.
2. They will be enlightened about the divine mysteries.
3. I will console them in their pains and I will accompany them in their work.
4. I will give them as much as they ask for as long as it does not oppose the adorable will of my Divine Son or the sanctification of their souls.
5. I will defend them in their spiritual battles with the infernal enemy and I will protect them at every instant of their lives.
6. I will visibly help them at the moment of their death, they will see the face of their Mother.
7. I have obtained from my Divine Son that those who propagate this devotion to my tears and dolors, will be taken directly from this earthly life to eternal happiness since all their sins will be forgiven and my Son and I will be their eternal consolation and joy.

**Books for this Novena will be available in our Gift Shop**

# 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.



Scan Here

**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 and 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

Thank  
You

Thank you to everyone who donated to help us reach our CFA goal. 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.

**124.89% to Goal**

**13.99% 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-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

**10/16/24-10/22/24**  
\$59,598.83

**10/23/24-10/29/24**  
\$56,643.27

**Total Households**  
3489





## — DIOCESE OF VENICE IN FLORIDA — OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

October 30, 2024

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

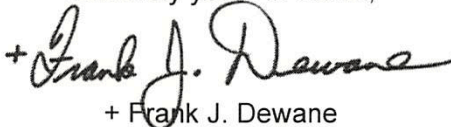
As the Thanksgiving Holiday approaches, all are no doubt grateful for the blessings the Lord has bestowed. At the same time, we are cognizant that, for many, challenges and difficulties are faced in the aftermath of Hurricanes Helene and Milton, and for them, Thanksgiving may look quite different this year.

Throughout the Diocese of Venice, the devastation caused by these Hurricanes is visible. Families in coastal areas were impacted by flooding, while others inland also suffered wind damage or were struck by tornadoes. Homes have been damaged, some severely, and lives have been disrupted. Parishes have also had facilities damaged by the storms. Catholic Charities, among others, has been working to provide assistance at designated sites, distributing water, food, tarps, cleaning supplies, and other basic necessities.

In response to these recent hurricanes, Parishes in the Diocese of Venice will take up a special collection on the weekend of November 16 and 17, 2024. This collection will help provide for continuing needs, as well as the efforts of Catholic Charities in providing both immediate and long-term assistance to the impacted. It is asked that those who are able, consider donating to help our brothers and sisters in their time of need. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) Collection, which had been scheduled for that weekend, will be replaced with the Hurricane Relief Collection.

Thank you for your kindness and profound generosity towards all those affected. Your compassion towards those in need fulfills the Lord's command to "love your neighbor as yourself." Please know of my prayers for all throughout the Diocese as hurricane recovery continues.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ 

+ Frank J. Dewane  
Bishop of the Diocese of  
Venice in Florida

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# Calendar and Weekly Readings

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### Sunday, November 10



The Scouts are hosting a Pancake Breakfast in the Ballroom after the 7:00am, 9:00am, and 11:00am Masses today, 11/10/24

7:00am	Mass (Church)
9:00am	Mass (Church)
9:30am	K-8 Faith Formation (PAC & Claussen)
11:00am	Mass (Church)
1:00pm	Mass (Church)
3:45pm	Confirmation (PAC & Claussen)
3:45pm	Confirmation Parents Session (Nazareth)
5:00pm	Mass (Church)

### Monday, November 11 - Veteran's Day

8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
<i>Due to an extended Veteran's Day Service, there will not be confessions after Mass today (11/11/24)</i>	
9:00am	Veteran's Day Breakfast (Ballroom)
6:00pm	OCIA (Library)
6:00pm	Triva (Pulte Cafe)

### Tuesday, November 12

8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
9:30am	Bereavement Group (Claussen Center)
1:00pm	Bingo (Pulte Cafe)
6:30pm	Catholic Adults - ages 35-55 (Antioch)

### Wednesday, November 13

8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
9:00am	Parish Breakfast (Pulte Cafe)
9:30am	Rejoice! Advent Scripture Series (Nazareth)
5:00pm	K-8 Faith Formation (PAC & Claussen)

### Thursday, November 14

8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
9:00am	Faith Chat (Alexandria)
12:00pm	ACTS Bible Study (Nazareth)
6:00pm	Mary's Mantle (Library)
6:00pm	Catholic Young Adults - ages 21-39

### Friday, November 15

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

### Saturday, November 16

7:00am	TMIY (Pulte Cafe)
8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
3:00pm	Vigil Mass (Church)
5:00pm	Vigil Mass (Church)

## WEEKLY READINGS

### Readings for the week of November 3, 2024

Sunday:	1 Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 (1b)/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44
Monday:	Ti 1:1-9/Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday:	Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Ps 37:3-4, 18 and 23, 27 and 29/Lk 17:7-10
Wed:	Ti 3:1-7/Ps 23:1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5, 6/Lk 17:11-19
Thursday:	Phlm 7-20/Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Lk 17:20-25
Friday:	2 Jn 4-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18/Lk 17:26-37
Saturday:	3 Jn 5-8/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 18:1-8

## 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.



# Mass Intentions

## **Saturday, November 9, 2024**

8:30 AM + Nancy Bossidy

*Vigil Masses for Sunday*

3:00 PM + Terry VanderHorst

5:00 PM + Mary and Joseph Montello

## **Requested By**

Paul and Peg Marrkard

Vicki VanderHorst

Kathryn and Vincent Corbino

## **Sunday, November 10, 2024**

7:00 AM + Florence Parry Deatherage

9:00 AM + Elizabeth Lane

11:00 AM + Melinda Shannon

1:00 PM SI For Our Parishioners

5:00 PM + Rita and Marco Marino

## **Requested By**

Constance Parry and Richard Kruger

Carol Ardivino

Paul Shannon

Kathy Marino and Karen Hays

## **Monday, November 11, 2024**

8:30 AM + Bill Buckley

## **Requested By**

Tom and Sharon Buckley

## **Tuesday, November 12, 2024**

8:30 AM + Rodney Mailhot

## **Requested By**

Ray and Diane Mailhot

## **Wednesday, November 13, 2024**

8:30 AM + Carol Pope and Joe Giomblanco

## **Requested By**

Mark and Geraldine Giomblanco

## **Thursday, November 14, 2024**

8:30 AM + Eileen and Harold Beach

## **Requested By**

Kevin and Patrice Beach

## **Friday, November 15, 2024**

8:30 AM + Thomas Tully

## **Requested By**

Florence Donohue

## **Saturday, November 16, 2024**

8:30 AM + Shirley and Walter Conway

## **Requested By**

Family

*(Vigil Masses for Sunday)*

3:00 PM + Claire D'Angelo

5:00 PM + Martha and Howard Capek

Pollyanna Vierling

Mr. and Mrs. P. Monachino

## **Sunday, November 17, 2024**

7:00 AM + Matta Tran, Anthony and Peter Nguyen

9:00 AM + Betty O'Rourke

11:00 AM + Robert Naples

1:00 PM + Marie T. Parry

5:00 PM SI For Our Parishioners

## **Requested By**

Nhi Nguyen

Matt

Frances Naples

Constance Parry and Richard Kruger



# Prayer List

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

Mary A.	Linda Donaldson	Jean Kowalski	Catherine Schmach
Antoinette Acquaviva	Thomas Donlan	Valeri Landi	Makenzie Schutt
Mohammed Alnawafrah	Jennifer Douglas-Joseph	Allan and Ramona Langman	Bernard and Martina Sherman
Angelo Babbo	Mary Ann Dowd	Alicia LaPlant	Joe Sherman
John (Ben) Bailey	Megan Ebert	Danny Loggi	Kathleen Sievert
Barbara Barber	Henry Ferris	Maryetta Loggi	Joanne Smyth
Anthony Barzyz	Denise Fisher	Michelle Loggi	Bob Snowdon
Jennifer Basile	Raymond Foley	Drew Loggi	Antonio Sorrentino
Richard & Elaine Beebe	Ronald Fongemie	Baby Hudson Matthew Lopes	Norma June Spriggle
Stephen Benisch	Phyllis and Peter Foti	Charles Lucas	Jeanne Stoll
Michael Bertsch	Bruce Gaker	Ruth Martin	Christopher Suki
Edwin Betancourt	Terry Gallagher	Mary A.	Joan Marie Switalski
Patty Bleicher	Steven Gillis	Anthony Masse	David Tague
Sara Boettcher	William Gilmartin	Pat Matre	John Thyen
Torey Botti	Fr. Len Gioeli	Eileen Miner	Anna Tran
Al Brown	Julian Gomez	Kathy O'Loughlin	David Trott
Bill Campbell	Lisa Granger	Margo O'Malley	Ronald Trybus
Candace	Frank Grzesk	Michael O'Neill	Elaine Tryjankowski
Al and Lorraine Clano	Thomas Gunn	John and Michelina Oteri	Josephine Mable Tucker
Norma and Tom Collins	Gary Gwizdala	Eric Parker	Lisa Turner
Frank Corselli	Terry Hansberry	Ann Petrillo	Maria Elena Vassolotti
Nicholas Costanza	Becky Hansberry	Carol Petrone	Juile Ventura
John Cullen	Dana Harrell	Sebastian Pica	Gina Vitale
Matthew Cummings	Elizabeth Hetnarski	Sheila Pittman	Adam Wais
Ellie Daniels	Elaine Hill	Ludmila Pridalova	Chelsea Watson
Rich Davidson	Evzen Hlavalcek	Marge Purcell	John Wholihan
Kyle DeMartino	Deacon John	Paul Quirk	Gabrielle Williams
George Deauchan	Cynthia Johnson	Maureen Reed	Harry Witt
Julie Dieter	Brad Johnson	John Repice	Carl Yasharian
Jack Dilorio	Joseph Julian	Susie Romanovich	
Theresa DiLella	Baby Bayli Rose Kaufman	Peggy O'Neil Saba	
Donna DiMare	Robyne Keane	Lisa Sanfelippo	
Jodi Divjak	Hannah K & Kathleen Kotscher	John Schloendorn	

## ADD A NAME TO OUR PRAYER LIST

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.



## RECENTLY DECEASED

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

Deania Miles, Jeanne Harmon



## 2025 MASS INTENTION BOOK IS NOW CLOSED

The Mass Intention Book for 2025 is now full as all the Masses have an Intention. The Book for 2026 will open in March of 2025.

**Please come to the office if you would like to secure the Wine and Host in Memory of your loved ones for 2025.**

# Military Prayer List

Let Us Pray For Those Who Serve... 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. Amen.

Praying for Our Men and Women in Service – We give our sincere thanks and appreciation to all veterans who have served their country. We continue to pray for our loved ones who are currently serving in the armed forces, whether they are stationed overseas or in the United States.

To submit a name to add to our Military Prayer List, please contact our Main Office at 239.566.8740. Please inform us when a loved one has been discharged in order for us to keep our list current.

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  
Captain Quentin Danyov, US Army  
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  
Cadet Sloane Janopoulos, USAF Academy  
Drew Kendall – Petty Officer U.S. Navy  
Capt. Ashlyn M. Kennedy, USMC Quantico  
Senior Airman Jack Kirk, US Airforce  
Max Koepl- Plebe Candidate at the US Merchant  
Marine Academy, Kings Point NY  
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  
2nd Lieutenant, Samantha Naples, US Marine Corps  
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  
Ben Sekutera, First Lieutenant, US Army  
Luke Sekutera, First Lieutenant, US Army  
Sophie Sekutera (Koepl) – 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  
Master Sgt. Andrew Zecchino – USAF, Turkey  
Tech. Sgt. Kaitlin Zecchino  
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

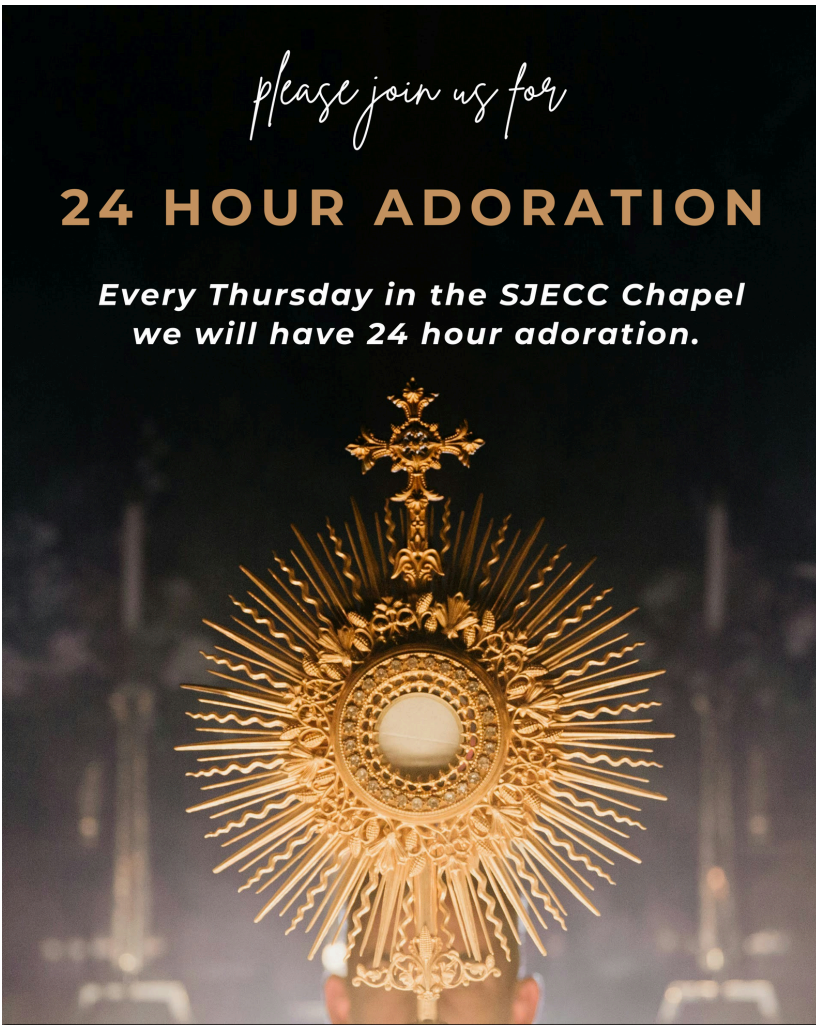
Active encouragement and facilitation for increased participation in Eucharistic Adoration by our parishioners.

## 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.



*please join us for*

## 24 HOUR ADORATION

***Every Thursday in the SJECC Chapel we will have 24 hour adoration.***

**TO SIGN UP GO TO**  
**[www.adorationpro.org/SJECC](http://www.adorationpro.org/SJECC)**



# Adoration

## of the Blessed Sacrament

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 8:30am Mass in the Church.

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

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*

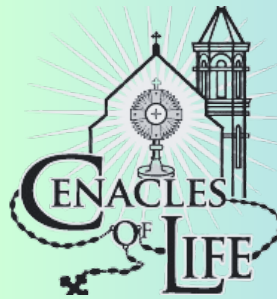
# Respect Life

## 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, please call Rosemary @ 239-250-0432.

Join our Respect Life team at our next meeting, the 1st Monday of the month at 10:30am in 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](mailto:relife@aol.com)



# LIFE WINS IN FLORIDA

*Thank you for your prayers and votes*

*God bless the people of Florida.*



## **Statement on the Defeat of Florida's Pro-Abortion Amendment 4 by the Florida Conference of Catholic Bishops**

We are profoundly relieved at the defeat of Florida's pro-abortion Amendment 4. This is a positive outcome for Florida and all efforts to promote the flourishing of our state.

Though Amendment 4 failed to reach the 60% threshold required to pass, a majority of Floridians voting in the general election supported it. While significant gains to protect women and preborn children in recent years will remain in place, abortion in Florida will continue at a very high rate under our current laws.

Much work remains to open hearts and minds to the dignity and goodness of life in the womb and at every stage. We will continue to proclaim in our churches and in the public square the value of every human life and to highlight that there is a better way forward for women, families and society than abortion. Through our many ministries, we will continue to support, encourage and assist pregnant women and young families. For those who regret their abortion or abortions, or their cooperation in one, we reiterate that the Lord is eager to forgive, and the Church is ready to facilitate healing.

We express our gratitude to all those who worked against Amendment 4, giving of their time, talent and resources. Those efforts were clearly fruitful in this election and will reverberate to the good for generations to come.

# 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 in 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 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. <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 8:20 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, at 7:40 a.m. Contact 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 washable, child friendly fabrics are welcome. No supplies PLEASE. If you like to sew, we encourage you to come and see what we are 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. For more information, 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](http://www.NaplesAl-Anon.org)

## Children & Youth Ministries

**Middle School Youth Group:** Fridays from 6 PM to 7:30 PM in the Claussen Center Alexandria room. Please visit our website for our youth group schedule. For more information, please contact Juliana D'Agostino at juliana@sjecc.com.

**High School Small Group:** Wednesdays from 6:30 PM to 8 PM in the Claussen Center Alexandria room. Please visit our website for our youth group schedule. For more information, please contact Juliana D'Agostino at juliana@sjecc.com.

**YOUTH GROUP**



# 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

## ST. JOHN'S gift Shop



### Featuring:

Tiny Saints  
Shining Light Dolls  
Immaculate Waters Lotion  
Medals, Jewelry, & Rosaries  
Statues  
Books & Bibles  
Trappist Preserves  
Sacramental Gifts  
Catholic Art  
Cards - Art by Maria Rose



### Hours:

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

### Location:

Just inside the Church  
Entrance

Being a Sacristan is very  
rewarding. Please  
contact Polly:  
pollyanna@sjecc.com for  
more information



## The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

### WE ARE ALL CALLED TO LOVE OUR NEIGHBORS.

When you give to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, of Saint John the Evangelist parish, you are sharing help and hope with neighbors in need, along with material aid like food and clothing, housing, rent and utility assistance, and more.

### PLEASE DONATE TODAY



Saint John the Evangelist Members of the Society are inspired by Gospel values to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to neighbors in need.

### CONSIDER JOINING US



### TAKE ACTION TODAY - WE HELP PEOPLE IN NEED

Contact Bob Westenberg, President of SVdP-St John the Evangelist Conference.  
Email [bwstjohn@svdpneples.org](mailto:bwstjohn@svdpneples.org)

## FAITH CHAT

### Bible Study



Faith Chat is studying The Acts Of The Apostles on Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 in the Claussen Center. All are welcome to join us for this study of Luke's presentation of Biblical History. Coffee and snacks are provided. For more information contact: Janis Bolbrock: [janis\\_bolbrock@msn.com](mailto:janis_bolbrock@msn.com)

# VOLUNTEER

appreciation happy hour





# Adult Faith Formation

## An Introduction to Prayer – Bishop Robert Barron

**On Sale now in the Gift Boutique - \$5.00 While Supplies Last**

Pope Francis has designated 2024 a Year of Prayer to rediscover and deepen your prayer life. Bishop Barron's new book, *An Introduction to Prayer*, is the perfect guide.

Prayer fascinates us. Studies even show that atheists and agnostics sometimes pray. But what precisely is prayer? How does it “work”? And what are some of the time-tested ways to practice it?

*An Introduction to Prayer* offers a collection of rich yet brief reflections on prayer in the Catholic spiritual tradition from acclaimed author, speaker, and Theologian Bishop Robert Barron. This book explores the answers to questions like:

- Why should I pray?
- What should I say or do when I'm praying?
- Who exactly am I praying to?
- What do the spiritual masters say about prayer?
- How can I establish a solid routine of prayer?
- Are there different types of prayer?

Perfect for beginners but filled with profound insights for those looking to further their spiritual life, *An Introduction to Prayer* will inspire you to seek out more frequent conversation—and a deeper communion—with God.



## THE STATIONS OF THE NATIVITY

The Infancy Narratives - According To Luke

Start your Advent with an indepth reflection on the events leading up to and after the birth of Christ. Join us in this spiritual journey to revitalize your faith in preparation for Christmas.

Zechariah and Elizabeth	The Birth of Jesus
The Annunciation	The Angels/Shepherds
The Visitation	Presentation in the Temple
The Birth of John the Baptist	The Magi (from Matthew)

**When:** Tuesday, December 3  
**Where:** Nazareth Room  
**Time:** 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.  
**Facilitator:** Jean Kechejian

To register email the Office of Faith Formation: [aff@sjecc.com](mailto:aff@sjecc.com)



## A 5-Week Scripture Study with Sue Hamilton

Advent is a special season for the Church. It is the time when the world prepares to celebrate the coming of Christ. We often lose sight of the point of this season because we get so caught up in our preparations, and we find ourselves no more transformed on Christmas Day than we were at the start of Advent.

One way our parish is seeking to prepare for Jesus' birth and experience true transformation in this powerful season is by engaging in a new program from Ascension. This program is *Rejoice! An Advent Pilgrimage into the Heart of Scripture, Year C*. This year, we will explore the Sunday Mass readings through daily reflections, prayer, and journaling, with weekly prayer videos presented by Fr. Mark Toups and his friends Rebecca Abboud and Fr. Patrick Riviere.

We have the opportunity to walk together as a parish this Advent, opening our hearts to hear what God is saying to us in this hectic but blessed season. On five **Wednesdays** beginning on November 13<sup>th</sup> in the Nazareth Room of the Pulte Family Life Center, join Sue Hamilton as she facilitates this study from 9:30-10:45AM. Feel free to grab some breakfast and bring into the session with you! Each participant will have the opportunity to purchase a Rejoice Journal for \$10. Journals are available while supplies last in the Gift Boutique and the Parish Office. *Rejoice!* is filled with beautiful art and meaningful meditations, to use throughout the Advent season.

*Rejoice!* is an opportunity for our whole community to enter the season of Advent intentionally and receive the grace God is waiting to give us in this holy season. Kindly let us know you are participating with an email to [AFF@sjecc.com](mailto:AFF@sjecc.com).

**5 Rejoice Wednesdays Session Dates: November 13<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> AND December 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>**

**9:30-10:45AM- Nazareth Room of the Pulte Family Life Center**

**Rejoice Study Journals on Sale in the Gift Boutique OR at the 1<sup>st</sup> Session - \$10**

## This Week in Adult Faith Formation

### Monday, November 11th

OCIA – 6:00-7:30PM -Room 11 & 12 of the Claussen Center

### Thursday, November 14th

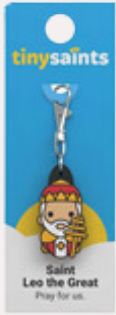
Faith Chat – 9:30-11:00AM- Alexandria Room of the Claussen Center

### Thursday, November 14th

Acts of the Apostles Bible Study- 12:00-1:30PM – Alexandria Room of the Claussen Center

# Faith Formation

## November Saints-November 10th-St. Leo the Great



As a fifth-century pope, Saint Leo the Great reigned during a time of heresy and division in the church and the world. Leo faced these challenges with strong leadership and deep love for his people. When Attila the Hun's army marched on Rome, Pope Leo personally met him and persuaded him to turn back. Saint Leo's profound sermons and writings, which still encourage us today, led him to be named a Doctor of the Church. His Feast Day is November 10.

– Taken from *The Tiny Saints Collection*- On Sale now in our Gift Boutique while supplies last! *St. Leo the Great, Pray for Us!*

## Faith Formation Celebrates Respect Life Month Supporting Teen Moms

A HUGE thank you to our parishioners for all of your generous donations for our 20 Teen Moms! Baskets are being put together this week and will be delivered to the moms before Thanksgiving! We are happy to support the young girls who have chosen life for their babies!

Thank you

## Wednesday Faith Formation Children Prepare for the Sacrament of Reconciliation with a Visit to Our Church



## Upcoming Important Dates

### PreK3 & PreK4

November 13th – 12:30-2:30PM- PreK Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

### K-8th Grade

November 10th – 9:30-10:45AM- Sunday K-8 Faith Formation Sessions

November 13th – 5:00-6:15PM - Wednesday K-8 Faith Formation Sessions

### High School Confirmation

November 10th – 3:45-6:00PM – Confirmation Session

November 10th -3:45PM-4:45PM - Confirmation Parent Meeting Nazareth Room – All Parents welcome - Year 1 & 2

**IGNITE YOUTH RALLY:** Saturday, November 16th – Contact Juliana D'Agostino at [juliana@sjecc.com](mailto:juliana@sjecc.com)



# Youth Ministry and Young Adults

• **ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH** •  
**WEDNESDAYS 6:30P.M.-7:30P.M.**  
**PULTE CENTER - NAZARETH ROOM**

## Praise AND Worship

LED BY GEORGE DE LOS REYES

• **UPCOMING DATES** •  
**NOVEMBER 13TH**  
**DECEMBER 18TH**  
**JANUARY 15TH**



### NAPLES CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT EVENTS

EST. 2024

GAMES | POTLUCK | BYOB

FOR AGES  
18+



PIZZA IS PROVIDED!  
 PLEASE BRING WHAT  
 YOU CAN - FOOD,  
 DRINKS, OR  
 A FRIEND!



**SATURDAY,**  
**NOVEMBER 23 AT 5 P.M.**

📍 **ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 PULTE FAMILY LIFE CENTER  
 625 111TH AVE. N., NAPLES, FL

CONTACT JULIANA AT [JULIANA@SJECC.COM](mailto:juliana@sjecc.com) FOR MORE INFORMATION



**\$30**  
FOR THE STUDY

LETTER TO WOMEN



**AGES 17-30**

MEET OTHER YOUNG CATHOLIC WOMEN AS WE JOURNEY THROUGH AN ENDOW STUDY CALLED "LETTER TO WOMEN: A STUDY TO JOHN PAUL II'S LETTER ADDRESSING WOMEN". THIS STUDY TAKES WOMEN ON A JOURNEY TO SEE WHERE THEIR EVERYDAY LIVES INTERSECT WITH GOD'S DIVINE PLAN. POPE SAINT JOHN PAUL II RECOGNIZED THE GROWING 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 BELOVED DAUGHTERS OF GOD. IT IS FOLLOWED BY GROUP REFLECTION, DISCUSSION, AND PRAYER.

**UPCOMING DATES**  
 CLAUSSEN CENTER - LIBRARY - 10AM  
**OCTOBER 26 NOVEMBER 23 DECEMBER 7**

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE  
 CONTACT: [JULIANA LOGIUDICE AT JULIANA@SJECC.COM](mailto:juliana.logiudice@juliana@sjecc.com)

**Ignite High School Small Group**  
**2024 - 2025 Calendar**  
 Wednesdays 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
 Alexandria Room - Claussen Center

WELCOME TO SJECC IGNITE HIGH SCHOOL SMALL GROUP! YOUR YOUTH MINISTERS ARE JULIANA D'AGOSTINO AND MAX BERMAN. YOUTH GROUP IS A TIME FOR YOUTH TO DEEPEN THEIR FAITH, BUILD RELATIONSHIPS, BECOME MORE INVOLVED IN THE PARISH, AND HAVE FUN! IT IS A RICHARDIST-CENTERED CATHOLIC MINISTRY OPEN TO ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS. BY SHARING THE TEACHINGS OF OUR CHURCH AND FACILITATING POWERFUL ENCOUNTERS WITH CHRIST, WE HELP TEENAGERS GROW IN KNOWLEDGE OF OUR FAITH WHILE TRANSFORMING HEARTS TO HELP THEM PASSIONATELY LIVE OUT THE GOSPEL BY SERVING AND LOVING ONE ANOTHER. COME WHEN YOU CAN! ALL ARE WELCOME!

\*YOUTH GROUP IS A FREE YOUTH PROGRAM. YOUTH ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND, BUT ATTENDANCE ISNT OBLIGATORY.

**November**

- 11/06 - KICKOFF EVENT
- 11/13 - PRAISE & WORSHIP
- 11/20 FRIENDSGIVING

**December**

- 12/06 - FEAST OF ST. NICK CELEBRATION & CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING
- 12/18 - PRAISE & WORSHIP
- MERRY CHRISTMAS!

**January**

- 01/15 - PRAISE & WORSHIP
- 01/22 - IGNITE NIGHT
- 01/29 - IGNITE NIGHT

**What we do...**

- PRAY THE ROSARY
- GO TO ADORATION
- VOLUNTEER AT PARISH ACTIVITIES
- PRAISE AND WORSHIP (WEDNESDAY NIGHTS)
- TRIPS - CONFERENCES, MISSION TRIP, HAVE FUN, AND SO MUCH MORE!

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST YOUTH MINISTRY

\*DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE CONTACT JULIANA AT [JULIANA@SJECC.COM](mailto:juliana@sjecc.com) FOR MORE INFORMATION!

**Edge Middle School Youth Group**  
**2024 - 2025 Calendar**  
 Fridays 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.  
 Alexandria Room - Claussen Center

WELCOME TO SJECC EDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP! YOUR YOUTH MINISTERS ARE JULIANA D'AGOSTINO AND MAX BERMAN. WE HAVE A PASSION FOR LEADING THE YOUTH TO CHRIST, AND PROVIDING OUR YOUTH WITH THE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET OTHER CATHOLICS THEIR AGE WHO ARE SEEKING TO BUILD A DEEPER RELATIONSHIP WITH CHRIST. YOUTH GROUP IS A TIME FOR YOUTH TO DEEPEN THEIR FAITH, BUILD RELATIONSHIPS, BECOME MORE INVOLVED IN THE PARISH, AND HAVE FUN! COME WHEN YOU CAN - ALL ARE WELCOME!

\*YOUTH GROUP IS A FREE YOUTH PROGRAM. YOUTH ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND, BUT ATTENDANCE ISNT OBLIGATORY.

**October**

- 10/25 - KICKOFF EVENT

**November**

- 11/01 - ADORATION
- 11/08 - EDGE NIGHT
- 11/22 FRIENDSGIVING

**December**

- 12/06 - FEAST OF ST. NICK CELEBRATION & CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING
- MERRY CHRISTMAS!

**January**

- 01/10 - EDGE NIGHT
- 01/17 - EDGE NIGHT
- 01/24 - EDGE NIGHT

**What we do...**

- PRAY THE ROSARY
- GO TO ADORATION
- VOLUNTEER AT PARISH ACTIVITIES
- PRAISE AND WORSHIP (WEDNESDAY NIGHTS)
- PLAY GAMES AND HAVE FUN! AND SO MUCH MORE!

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST YOUTH MINISTRY

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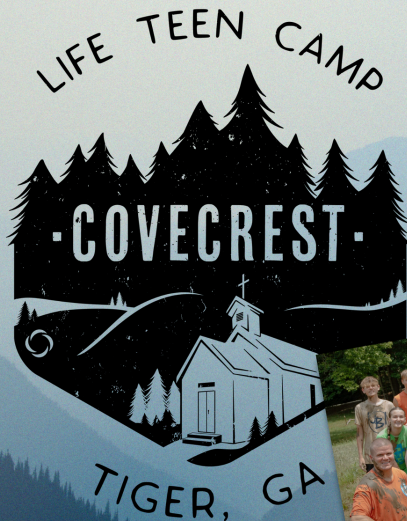
## REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

### AUGUST 4 - 9, 2025

FOR RISING FRESHMAN TO SENIORS



ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST  
YOUTH MINISTRY



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JULIANA D'AGOSTINO - YOUTH MINISTER

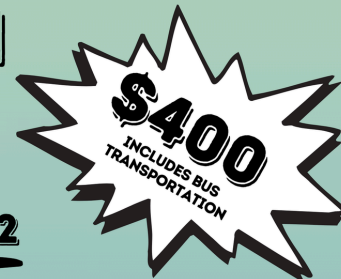
# Rock the UNIVERSE

UNIVERSAL ORLANDO RESORT

## JANUARY 24TH

### AGES 13 TO 18

### REGISTER BY NOVEMBER 22



FLORIDA'S BIGGEST  
CHRISTIAN MUSIC FESTIVAL

BRANDON LAKE

MATTHEW KELLY  
KATY NICHOLE & MORE!



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JULIANA D'AGOSTINO - YOUTH MINISTER

## FEAST OF ST. NICHOLAS CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

### December 6 at 6 p.m.

### Pulte Center



- Crafts
- Raffles
- Hot cocoa bar
- Christmas pajamas
- Christmas tree lighting
- Gingerbread house competition



ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST  
YOUTH MINISTRY



Youth Ministry and Young Adults

# SAVE THE NEW DATE A NIGHT AT MONTE-CRISTO MASQUERADE BALL



JANUARY 11TH AT 7 P.M.  
ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST BALLROOM

A YOUNG ADULT EVENT 21+

## CATHOLIC ADULTS OF NAPLES SMALL GROUP

### FOR AGES 35-55

EVERY TUESDAY AT 6:30 P.M.

ALL CATHOLIC ADULTS, AGES 35 TO 55, ARE  
WELCOME TO JOIN US! COME TO STRENGTHEN  
YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD,  
AND BUILD COMMUNITY WITH EACH OTHER!

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH  
CLAUSSEN CENTER - ANTIOCH ROOM  
625 111th Ave. N., Naples, FL

- FORMED VIDEOS
- DISCUSSIONS
- PRAYER
- ADORATION
- SOCIAL EVENTS
- SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

NO RSVP NEEDED. ALL ARE WELCOME!  
FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE EMAIL US AT  
CATHOLICYOUNGADULTSOFNAPLES@GMAIL.COM

## SMALL GROUPS

### EVERY THURSDAY AT 6:30 P.M.

### FOR AGES 21-39

ALL CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US!  
COME TO STRENGTHEN YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD,  
AND BUILD COMMUNITY WITH EACH OTHER!

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH  
CLAUSSEN CENTER - ALEXANDRIA ROOM



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- FORMED VIDEOS
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# Knights of Columbus



St. John Council 11281

## Could Joining the Knights Be Right for YOU?

*For more information and an answer to that question*

Talk to a Knight between the Masses this weekend, November 9 & 10, ask a Knight you know, or contact membership director Jim Zizzi (239.273.7648 or [jvzizzi@icloud.com](mailto:jvzizzi@icloud.com)).

Alternatively, scan this code which takes you to the Knight's headquarters website to learn more and, if you choose, to join on-line.



Rewards are many

*Requirements are few*

## 86th Anniversary of KRISTALLNACHT

The Catholic-Jewish Dialogue of Collier County invites the community to this commemorative service.

*Kristallnacht is recognized by most historians as "the night the Holocaust began."*

FREE EVENT FOR THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY

**Sunday, Nov. 17 at 2:30 PM**

Ballroom at St. John the Evangelist  
625 111th Ave., North Naples  
(111th Ave is the westward extension of Immokalee Road)

Please register at: [www.jewishnaples.org](http://www.jewishnaples.org)  
so we know how many people will attend.

GUEST SPEAKER: John Koenigsberg

*In the spring of 1943, 5-year-old John Koenigsberg was brought to the home of Johannes "Thei" and Anna "Bertha" Snijckers by members of the Dutch Resistance. This Catholic family hid him from Nazis between 1943 and 1945. Come hear his story.*



*Experiences of a Young Boy  
During the Holocaust*

### Sponsored by:

Catholic-Jewish Dialogue of Collier County  
Jewish Community Relations Council • Jewish Federation of Greater Naples • Diocese of Venice in Florida  
GenShoah of SWFL • Holocaust Museum & Janet G. and Harvey D. Cohen Education Center



# Gulfshore Ballet



ARTISTIC DIRECTORS  
ILIANA LOPEZ & FRANKLIN GAMERO  
**presents**

## The Nutcracker



**Saturday, December 7**  
**12:00pm and 6:30pm**



St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church - Pulte Family Life Center  
625 111th Ave N, Naples



**\$50 General Admission ticket**

VIP tickets also available

For tickets: scan the QR code or visit:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/gulfshore-ballet-presents-the-nutcracker-tickets-989259310227>

# Events & Programs



**Community BloodCenter**  
Affiliate of NCH

## Give Blood

**TUES., DEC. 3 | 8:00 am - 12:30 pm**  
**St. John The Evangelist Church**  
625 111th Ave. Naples FL 34108

Sign-up for an arrival time:  
Bernie McLoughlin  
203-213-1580  
bernardmc1248@aol.com

- Photo ID is required
- Eat & hydrate before donating
- Minimum weight is 110 pounds
- Must be at least age 16 with parent consent
- No age maximum
- Cholesterol & mini health screening

**239.624.4120**



**THE MOMCO NAPLES**

RAISING UP MOMS TO NEW HEIGHTS

**MomCoNaples**  
<http://www.themom.co/groups/saintjohntheevangelist>  
MomCoNaples@gmail.com  
625 111th Ave N Pulte Family Life Center  
772.971.3637

### WHERE MOM FRIENDS MEET

**WHO WE ARE:**  
THE MOMCO NAPLES AT ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST IS WHERE ALL MOMS WITH KIDS FROM AGES 0 TO 18+ MEET FOR ENCOURAGING, FUN DISTRACTION FREE TIME TOGETHER TO FOSTER FRIENDSHIPS IN A SUPPORTIVE COMMUNITY!

WE BELIEVE WE MOTHER BETTER WHEN WE MOTHER TOGETHER!

**HOW TO REGISTER:**  
THEMOM.CO/JOIN GROUP CODE ZT80

### WE OFFER:

- THURSDAY MORNING MEETINGS ONCE A MONTH FROM 9:00 TO 11:00 FROM SEPTEMBER TO MAY WITH CHILDCARE AVAILABLE
- COFFEE & SNACKS
- SPEAKERS & CONVERSATION
- CREATIVE ACTIVITIES
- PLAY DATES & MOM OUTINGS

NEXT MEET UPS NOV 21ST  
DEC 12TH JAN 16TH FEB 13

**SCAN WITH YOUR PHONE:**



**WE BUILD CIRCLES OF FRIENDS FOR WOMEN IN ALL AGES & STAGES OF MOTHERHOOD, FROM PREGNANCY THROUGH ADULTHOOD!**

St John the Evangelist Catholic Church benefiting families of St. Vincent De Paul

## FOOD 4 FAMILIES!

CHILDREN HELPING CHILDREN



CHILDREN ARE INVITED TO BRING FORWARD DRY PANTRY ITEMS TO PLACE IN BASKETS AT THE ALTAR TO HELP FAMILIES IN OUR COMMUNITY YEAR ROUND AT ALL WEEKEND MASS TIMES!

PLEASE JOIN OUR PARISH FAMILY IN ANSWERING THE CALL TO SUPPORT OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST!



## Adult Paint & Wine

Tuesday, November 19, 2024  
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM  
Pulte Family Life Center



<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/adult-paint-night-fall-birch-tree-tickets-1073303542789>



# LET THERE BE CHRISTMAS

A CANTATA BY  
JOSEPH M. MARTIN

**Presented by the St. John the Evangelist  
Church Adult Choir, Soloists & Orchestra**

**Friday, December 20, 2024**

7:00pm

St. John the Evangelist

Catholic Church

625 111th Ave N

Naples, FL 34108

**Christmas Eve**

**Tuesday, December 24, 2024**

11:00pm

*Concert w/Readings*

St. John the Evangelist

Catholic Church

625 111th Ave N

Naples, FL 34108

*A joyous celebration of hope and peace for the  
Christmas season*

# Events & Programs




**KARAOKE**  
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15  
6-8 P.M.  
PULTE FAMILY LIFE CENTER



**BINGO**  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12  
1:00 P.M.  
PULTE FAMILY LIFE CENTER

Pulte Family Life Center



**TRIVIA**

Monday Nights @ 6pm

**SAVE THE DATE**  
Fabulous 50s  
Casino Night



**TICKETS ON SALE**  
November 18

**TMIY**  
THAT MAN IS YOU!  
BECOMING A MAN AFTER GOD'S OWN HEART

Saturdays @7:00am  
in the Pulte Cafe



**SAVE THE DATE**



*Polish Dinner Dance*  
*February 22, 2025*