

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

A Diocese of Venice Jubilee Pilgrimage Site



April 27, 2025 - Second Sunday of Easter | Sunday of Divine Mercy



MAY THE
SOULS *of the*
FAITHFUL
DEPARTED,

THROUGH *the*
MERCY *of* GOD,
REST IN PEACE.



1936 - 2025

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.

The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. 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

Parish Information

Mass Times

Monday-Friday: 8:30am (livestreamed)

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

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

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Monday and Wednesday after morning

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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.**

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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.

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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 Second Sunday of Easter / Divine Mercy

Reading I

Acts 5:12-16

Many signs and wonders were done among the people at the hands of the apostles. They were all together in Solomon's portico. None of the others dared to join them, but the people esteemed them. Yet more than ever, believers in the Lord, great numbers of men and women, were added to them. Thus they even carried the sick out into the streets and laid them on cots and mats so that when Peter came by, at least his shadow might fall on one or another of them. A large number of people from the towns in the vicinity of Jerusalem also gathered, bringing the sick and those disturbed by unclean spirits, and they were all cured.

Responsorial Psalm

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

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

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

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

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

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

I was hard pressed and was falling,
but the LORD helped me.

My strength and my courage is the LORD,
and he has been my savior.

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

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

The stone which the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone.

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

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

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

Reading II

Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19

I, John, your brother, who share with you the distress, the kingdom, and the endurance we have in Jesus, found myself on the island called Patmos

because I proclaimed God's word and gave testimony to Jesus. I was caught up in spirit on the Lord's day and heard behind me a voice as loud as a trumpet, which said,

"Write on a scroll what you see."

Then I turned to see whose voice it was that spoke to me, and when I turned, I saw seven gold lampstands and in the midst of the lampstands one like a son of man, wearing an ankle-length robe, with a gold sash around his chest. When I caught sight of him, I fell down at his feet as though dead. He touched me with his right hand and said,

"Do not be afraid. I am the first and the last, the one who lives. Once I was dead, but now I am alive forever and ever. I hold the keys to death and the netherworld. Write down, therefore, what you have seen, and what is happening, and what will happen afterwards."

Alleluia

John 20:29

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

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

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

John 20:19-31

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you."

When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you."

And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them,

"Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."

Thomas, called Didymus, one of the Twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples said to him, "We have seen the Lord."

But he said to them,

"Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger into the nailmarks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe."

Now a week later his disciples were again inside and Thomas was with them. Jesus came, although

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the doors were locked, and stood in their midst and said, "Peace be with you."

Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe."

Thomas answered and said to him, "My Lord and my God!"

Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe

because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."

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

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Christ, The Lord, is Risen Today

LLANFAIR

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

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

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

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

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

Give Thanks to The Lord (for He is Good)

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

(Psalm 118)

Francesca LaRosa

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

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We Walk by Faith

Marty Haugen

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

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

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

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

Marty Haugen

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

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

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

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

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Verse 4



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

to Refrain

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O Lord, I Am Not Worthy

NON DIGNUS



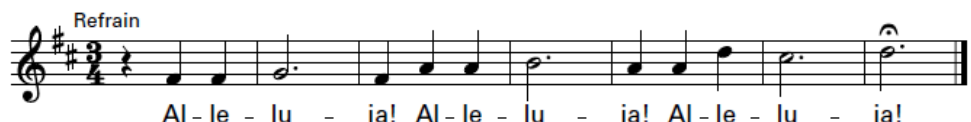
1. O Lord, I am not wor - thy That thou should'st come to me;
2. And hum - bly I'll re - ceive thee, The Bride - groom of my soul,
3. E - ter - nal Ho - ly Spir - it, Un - wor - thy though I be,
4. In - crease my faith, dear Je - sus, In thy real pres - ence here,
1. But speak the word of com - fort,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

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

The Strife is O'er

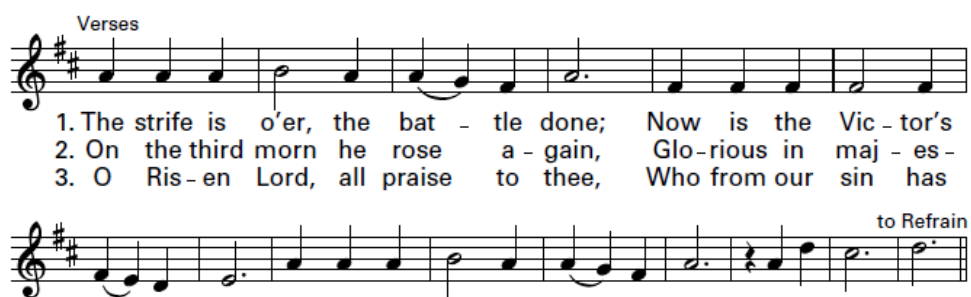
VICTORY

Refrain



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

Verses



1. The strife is o'er, the bat - tle done; Now is the Vic - tor's
2. On the third morn he rose a - gain, Glo - rious in maj - es -
3. O Ris - en Lord, all praise to thee, Who from our sin has
1. tri - umph won; O let the song of praise be sung: Al - le - lu - ia!
2. ty to reign; O let us swell the joy - ful strain: Al - le - lu - ia!
3. set us free, That we may live e - ter - nal - ly! Al - le - lu - ia!

to Refrain

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

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Hymn for the Holy Year of Mercy

Refrain: Misericordes sicut Pater! Misericordes sicut Pater!

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

HYFRYDOL

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

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

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

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

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

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

Text: 87 87 D; based on Revelation 5:9-14; William C. Dix, 1837-1898, and Compilers.

Music: Rowland H. Prichard, 1811-1887.

Remembering Pope Francis

Upon the news from the Holy See announcing the passing of Pope Francis on April 21, Archbishop Timothy P. Broglio, president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, issued the following statement in remembrance:

Pope Francis will long be remembered for his outreach to those on the margins of the Church and of society. He renewed for us the mission to bring the Gospel out to the ends of the earth and offer divine mercy to all. He has also taken advantage of the present Jubilee to call us to a profound hope: one that is not an empty or naïve hope, but one grounded in the promise of Almighty God to be with us always.

Even with his roots in the Piedmont region of Italy, the first Pope from our American Continent was marked by his experience as a Jesuit and a shepherd in Buenos Aires. He brought that experience and vision with him to his ministry for the universal Church.

Recently, he expressed anew prayerful hope in his letter of support to the Bishops of this country in our attempts to respond to the face of Christ in the migrant, poor, and unborn. In fact, he has always used the strongest and clearest expressions in the defense of the dignity of the human person from conception to natural death.

I last saw him at the Jubilee Mass for the Armed Forces, Police, and Security Personnel. Despite the challenges of his health, he was with us and even used a slight gesture to salute the group of bishops who concelebrated the Mass before he boarded the vehicle to return to Santa Marta.

The passage from this life of the Bishop of Rome calls us to pray for his eternal rest and to continue on our path to a deeper union with the Lord Jesus. We remember his leadership in inspiring nations, organizations, and individuals to a renewed commitment to care for each other and our common home.

The Bishops of the United States unite in prayer with Catholics here and around the world and all people of good will in gratitude for the life of our revered shepherd. We mourn the passing of our Holy Father and beg Saint Joseph to accompany him. Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord.



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April 21, 2025

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The Catholic Church and, indeed, the whole world mourns the death of Pope Francis, who died today, April 21, 2025, at 7:35 am Rome time. The loss of this dedicated and caring Shepherd is keenly felt, and there is profound sadness at his passing.

All Catholics in the Diocese of Venice are asked to offer prayers for the repose of the soul of Pope Francis, including the Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be; recitation of the Rosary for the intention of the soul of Pope Francis is also recommended. On Thursday, April 24, 2025 at 1 pm, I will celebrate a Mass for Pope Francis at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish in Venice, and all are welcome to attend. Further, Parishes throughout the Diocese will be offering Masses and prayers for the repose of the soul of Pope Francis.

Pope Francis served as Bishop of Rome from March 13, 2013, until his death. In possession of a true pastor's heart, his concern for the poor and those on the peripheries, as well as his devotion to the Blessed Mother, were among the hallmarks of his Papacy.

Having been blessed to meet with Pope Francis and speak with him on a number of occasions, I was particularly touched by his humility, sense of humor, and profound concern for "the other." Truly, Pope Francis was always so warm and encouraging to all.

In his final address on Easter Sunday, Pope Francis reminded us, "The resurrection of Jesus is indeed the basis of our hope. For in the light of this event, hope is no longer an illusion. Thanks to Christ – crucified and risen from the dead – hope does not disappoint!" As we continue to mourn the death of our great pastor and with hope in the resurrection, kindly join me in prayer for Pope Francis: "Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace."

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

the first Sunday after Easter

THE HISTORY

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

THE PROMISE

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

— Saint Faustina, Diary, 699

WHY IS THIS PROMISE FROM JESUS SO WONDERFUL AND MERCIFUL?

TEMPORAL PUNISHMENT AND SUFFERING:

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

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

TO OBSERVE DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

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



Artist: Rosalie Polivka Ramstead

THE IMAGE

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

THE CHAPLET

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

THE CONVERSION PRAYER

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

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

— Diary 186, 187

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

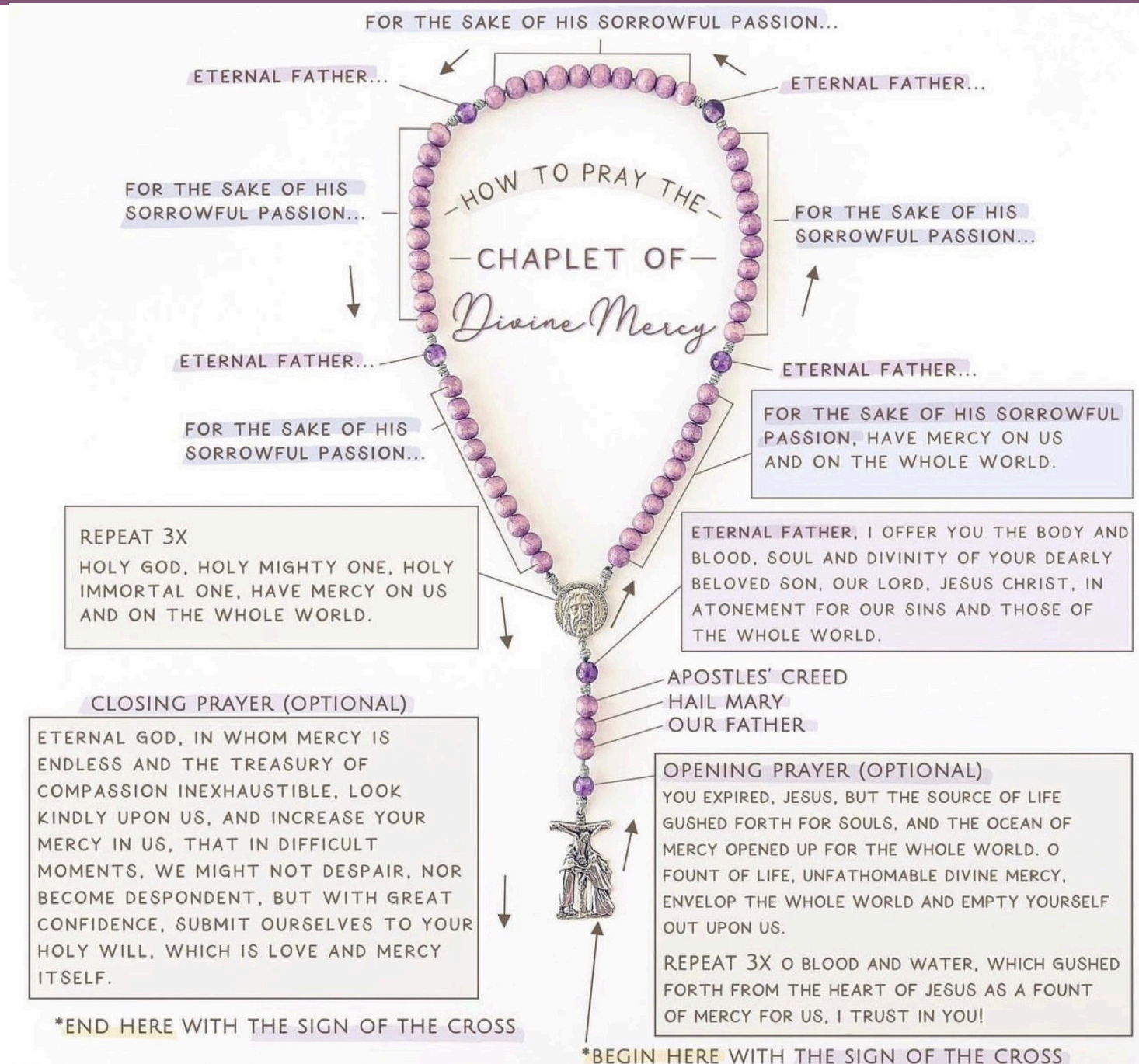
— Diary 1397

SPREAD OF THE DEVOTION

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

JESUS I TRUST IN YOU

Divine Mercy Sunday



Divine Mercy Sunday - April 27, 2025

2:30pm	Entrance procession
2:45pm	Chaplet sung
3:00pm	Mass
4:00pm	Procession and veneration of image and a first-class relic of St. Faustina

Divine Mercy Sunday

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

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

Weekly Divine Mercy Reflection

"Reflections on Divine Mercy" provides an awakening to the abundant Mercy of God. It offers reflections and prayers to assist us understand the Mercy poured forth from the Heart of Jesus as it is revealed in the writings of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska. These gems are selected from the book titled *"Daily Reflections on Divine Mercy, 365 Days with Saint Faustina"* John Paul Thomas (Stockbridge, MA)

Reflection 13: True Satisfaction Only Through Mercy

So often in life we seek satisfaction from the passing things of the world. Be it riches, fleshly pleasure, prestige, or anything else, we must come to discover that one thing and one thing alone satisfies. The Divine Mercy of God is what we seek. Everything else is an illusion of satisfaction. If we try to satisfy our souls with other things, we will be left in interior sadness, anguish and disillusion. The Mercy of God keeps calling out and inflicts a sweet pain until we respond (See Diary #8).

Reflect upon the "sweet pain" inflicted upon your soul every time you try to find satisfaction in something other than God's Mercy. It's "sweet" because it's a rebuke of love from God calling us to trust only in His Mercy. It's "painful" in that we should allow ourselves to see clearly that attachment to anything not of God does not sit well in our soul. Every attachment to things outside of God's Mercy will ultimately be experienced as a burden.

Lord, may I allow myself to feel and experience Your Mercy calling me to turn from all that is not of You. Help me to run to Your Mercy in all things and to turn from those things that ultimately weigh me down and are painful and burdensome. Jesus, I trust in You.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

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Our collections are taken at the end of Mass at all exits of the Church. We ask that you use your weekly envelope 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

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Jamaica Outreach Program

Make check payable to **JOP**

**Only donations by St. John the Evangelist registered parishioners will be tracked. Additionally, if you are not an SJECC registered parishioner, you will not receive a year-end tax statement.*

OFFERTORY

4/2/25 - 4/8/25

\$67,682.56

4/9/25 - 4/15/25

\$55,835.30

Total Households

3546



MEMORIAL GARDEN

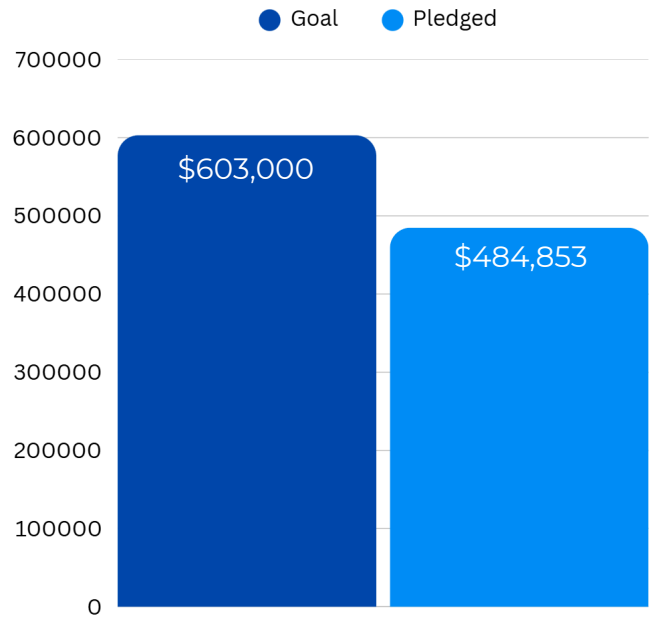
To maintain the dignity of our Memorial Garden, permanent plants, artificial flowers, statues, balloons, pinwheels, vigil lights, breakable objects, rocks, food, and alcohol are not permitted on the memorial markers. Additionally, we do not permit adornments that are considered hazardous to personnel caring for the area. We welcome fresh-cut flowers throughout the year. Once flowers have withered, we will remove them. Flowers may also be removed for routine mowing or maintenance, if needed. Thank you for helping to maintain the dignity of our Memorial Garden.

2025 Catholic Faith Appeal



TO DONATE TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL:

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



80.41% to Goal; **9.17%** of Households Contributing

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

Celebrating
40
YEARS

The Catholic Center is staffed with dedicated employees who provide specialized skills and guidance to support the activities of the Diocese. This is complemented by countless volunteers who use their skills to assist Parishes and other entities within the Diocese of Venice. As partners in the Body of Christ, these professionals and volunteers seek to advance the Mission of the Local Church.



Calendar & Weekly Readings

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, April 27

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

Monday, April 28

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

Tuesday, April 29

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)
9:00am Grief Ministry Group (Claussen)
12:00pm Study of James (Alexandria)
6:30pm 30s to 50s Group (Antioch)

Wednesday, April 30

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)
9:00am Parish Breakfast (Pulte Cafe)
9:30am Mary's Mantle (Library)
5:00pm K-8 Faith Formation (PAC & Claussen)
6:30pm Legion of Mary (Nazareth)
6:30pm Well Read Mom (Alexandria)

Thursday, May 1

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)
9:00am Faith Chat (Antioch)
6:00pm Mary's Mantle (Library)
6:30pm Young Adult Group (Alexandria)
7:00pm Men's Bible Study (Rooms 1 & 2-PAC)

Friday, May 2

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)
9:00am Novena to our Sorrowful Mother (Church)
6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration (Church)

Saturday, May 3

8:30am Morning Mass (Church)
9:00am Eucharistic Adoration (Church)
10:00am First Holy Communion (Church)
3:00pm Vigil Mass (Church)
4:30pm Kentucky Derby Party (Ballroom)
5:00pm Vigil Mass (Church)

WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the week of April 27, 2025

Sunday: Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31
Monday: Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9/Jn 3:1-8
Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15
Wed: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21
Thurs: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36
Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15
Saturday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Jn 14:6-14

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: 941-416-6114.



Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 26, 2025

8:30 AM + Thomas O. Flood
Vigil Masses for Sunday
 3:00 PM + Margaret Mudra
 5:00 PM + Roselyn and Matty Piccillo and Anthony Piccillo

Requested By

Anne M. Flood
 Daughters
 Marie and Bob Harris

Sunday, April 27, 2025

7:00 AM + Nancy Caprio
 9:00 AM + Glenn Avanzato
 11:00 AM SI For Our Parishioners
 1:00 PM + Michael and Rose White
 3:00 PM SI Domine Clemons
 5:00 PM + John Passidomo

Requested By

Roxann Painter
 Chris Avanzato

 Ann White
 St. John's
 Tom Garlick

Monday, April 28, 2025

8:30 AM + Angelina Compagnone

Requested By

Phyllis Silva

Tuesday, April 29, 2025

8:30 AM + Mary Conley

Requested By

Conley Family

Wednesday, April 30, 2025

8:30 AM SI Ramirez Foster Families

Requested By

Jose and Judith Ramirez

Thursday, May 1, 2025

8:30 AM + Terence Downer

Requested By

The Downer Family

Friday, May 2, 2025

8:30 AM + Theresa and Donald Gilroy

Requested By

Linda and Bob Magrann

Saturday, May 3, 2025

8:30 AM SI Vince and Cathy Stucko

Requested By

Stan and Julie Kunkle
 Daughter-in-law, Marilyn

(Vigil Masses for Sunday)

3:00 PM + Claude and Margaret Host
 5:00 PM + Lucy and Rocco DiEnno

Sunday, May 4, 2025

7:00 AM + Deborah Wilton McLoughlin
 9:00 AM SI Patricia and Harry Witt on their Anniversary
 11:00 AM + Donald Hopko
 1:00 PM SI For Our Parishioners
 5:00 PM + Nicholas Senatore

Bernard Ryan McLoughlin
 Harry and Patricia Witt
 Janis Bolbrock

 Daughters, Deborah and Jodie

FIND CHIARA

This year, our Faith Formation Students are learning about Blessed 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. 31 in the Basketball Camp ad



Prayer List

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

Robert A'Hearn	Joan Exner	Hannah K & Kathleen Kotscher	Taylor Short
Michele Amato	Tiffany Fellenz	Clayton Kunkle	Elaine Slipko
Rory Anderson	Henry Ferris	Frank Landi	Joanne Smyth
Michael Angelillo	Diane Fischer	Richard Landwehr	Brian Smyth
Dominica Annesse	Ken FitzGerald	Jeana Lang	Josephine Sparno
John Anthony	Anna Focht	Charlotte LaPlaca	Ellen Spiezio
James B.	Ronald Forbis II	Laytona (Yolandas Niece)	Ila Stienly
Angelo Babbo	Cheryl Foster	Myles Levy-Vixler	Laura Stokes
John (Ben) Bailey	Lester & Barbara Fuller	Denise Lindheim	Jeanne Stoll
Sharon (Sherry) Bailey	Ann Marie Fuller	Nancy Loftus	Sally Stookey
Mandy Bailey	Hugh Gallagher	Dan Loggi	Mary Surmont
Nancy Barragan	Catherine Gallagher	Drew Loggi	Jack Suter
Jennifer Basile	Bennett Gilbert	Michele Loggi	Sunshine Taliento
Andrea Becker	Fr. Len Gioeli	Baby Hudson Matthew Lopez	Dan Tesson
David Behle	Norma Golia	Bob Lutz	Michael Thomas
Gerry Beronja	Aya Goltseker	Carole Mancini	Lucas Ticola
Marjorie Blazevic	Patty Grafstron	Mary A.	Anna Tran
Patty Bleicher	Nancy Graves	Jim Matiach	John and Annie Tucker
Bill Braunius	Sam Greenberg	Zachary Mazzola	Nicholas Uncao
Alex Brown	Peter Greenberg	Lana McBride	Raymond Vanasse
Emmett Burns	Frank Grzesk	Tom McCarron	Julie Ventura
Charlotte Byron	Denise Guido	Elaine and Doug McCracken	Evan Vider
Rodrigo Cadena	Thomas Gunn	Dorothy Michalowski	Ken Villone
Candace	Gary Gwizdala	Dawn Miller	Rande W.
Gary Cantagallo	Mark Hafner	Edward Miller	Terry Wagner
Frank Carillo	Paul Hagerty	Andy Murphy	Adam Wais
Linda Carini	Nikki Haley	Griffin Myers	Callie Grace Watson
Chris Carnillia	Fred Handler	Gaspar Oliveri	Dana Wells
Harmon Chapman III	Terry Hansberry	Marylee Olsen	Geneva Wells
Jennifer Michelle Chirichella	Rebecca Hansberry	Paula Pacicco	Griegh Wells
Mr. and Mrs. Ciano	Dana Harrell	Eric Parker	Anne White
Domine Clemons	Jody Oliver Heard	Janina Pasadyn	Nancy Whiteman
Monsignor Coll	Keri Hemrick	Deanne Hutchinson Pinto	Harry Witt
Norma & Tom Collins	Elaine Hill	Sheila Pittman	Michael Wolfe
Kenneth Coloma, Sr	Kelly Honsberger	Ken Rapp	Carolyn Zorn
Merlyn Comeriato	Andrew & Lisa Humphrey	Kenny Rapp	
Julia Conifrey	Fia Hutt	Bill Redmond	
Francine Crawford	Cici Hutt	John Repice	
Edie Joan Daker	Pam Jensen	Bennett Richards	
Raphael DeAza	Deacon John	Dave Roberts	
Sue Delaney	Ana Lee Johnson	Susie Romanovich	
Maxwell Deluca	Marcia Johnson	Rick Rondinelli	
George Deuchar	Rick Jones	Theresa Rowe	
Julie Dieter	Rita Jones	Lisa Sanfelippo	
Donna Dimare	James Kadavy	Tom Scelfo	
Bob Distler	Baby Bayli Kaufman	Lee Schilling	
Dawn Donald	Lynne Keegan	Catherine Schmach	
John Doyle	Joan Kegel	Christopher Schreiner	
Tom Duncan	Carol Kelley	John Sebastian	
Megan Ebert	Ann Kerrigan	Albert Senatore	
Baby Bennett Edington	Fran King	John T. Shea	
Tom Endres	Lorren Knapp	Christopher Shea	

RECENTLY DECEASED

"Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen."

John Wooldridge
Barbara Cooney
Henry Ferris
Maria Elena Vassalotti
Cathy Thomas
Ann Reed-Berry



Military Prayer List

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 the list for 6 months.

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. 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. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.



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 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
First Lieutenant: Dante Dalmaso- US Army
Captain Quentin Danyov, US Army
Adam Decker
Alexander Denha 1st Lt. Army Ranger, Ft. Bragg N.C.
Major Derek-Army National Guard
Nick Detloff
LCDR Andrew Douglas, United States Navy, Japan
SGT Ashlyn Ducharme Us Army
Sean Duffin- US Army
Capt. Stephen English – US Army
Jude Fanton USMC
Brendan C. Finnegan-USAF
SFC Lon Giancola
Matthew Gordon, US Navy
SSG Douglas Hennessy
1st Lieutenant Brock Hinkle- US Army, Germany
Zachary Horwitch, GSM US Navy.
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
Col. Brian Murphy
Lt. Col. Jill Murphy
2nd Lieutenant, Samantha Naples, US Marine Corps
1st Sargent Jake Nowicki

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
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
Duke Roach- US Navy
Steven Robinson, US Army
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
Commander Adam Shields- US Navy
Charlie Sjostrom-Martinez
Austin Spagnola
Captain Fox Stevens- US Army, South Korea
First Lieutenant Matthew Stevenson, USMC
LTJG Tanis K. Taylor – US Navy, USS Sullivans
Corporal Sisi Tyrrell US Marine Corps
Captain Grant Ullrich, US Army in Kuwait
Lance Corporal, Christopher Vandyck- US Marine Corps
1st Lieutenant Mackenzie Warren- Space Force
1st Lieutenant Hollis Webster- Space Force
Petty Officer 3rd Class, Logan Wehrheim- US Navy
Andrew Wieland US Air Force
SFC Eugene Williams-US Army in Poland
Kaden Winckel, Airman 1st Class, USAF
Michael Wolfe- US Marines
Master Sgt. Andrew Zecchino – USAF, Turkey
Tech. Sgt. Kaitlin Zecchino
Austin Zicht – USAF

Sacraments

SACRAMENTS OF THE CHURCH

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

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

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.



Seeking Adult Confirmation

If you are baptized and have received the Sacrament of First Holy Communion in the Catholic Church, are over the age of 18 and have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation, the Parish of Saint John the Evangelist invites you to join our Adult Confirmation program. Our sacramental preparation begins the week after Easter and leads to the Sacrament of Confirmation on Pentecost Sunday, June 8th, 2025.

Requirements to participate in the Preparation for Confirmation:

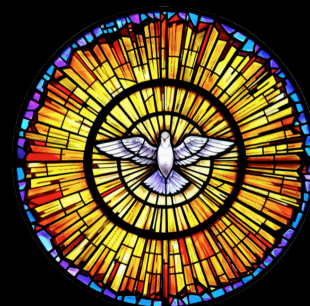
- Have Received Baptism & First Holy Communion
- An active and registered member of St John the Evangelist Parish
- Regular Mass Attendance
- A desire to complete initiation into the Catholic Church

About the Preparation:

- The program will begin on April 28, 2025
- The schedule will be posted on the St John's website with 8 Classes in total over 6 weeks
- The Sacrament of Confirmation will be administered by our Bishop on June 8, 2025

For more information & to register, please contact:

DeChelle Summers: dechellesummers@gmail.com or (305) 803-7753



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.***



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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

Jubilee 2025 - Pilgrims of Hope



The 2025 Jubilee Year, as established by Pope Francis, has begun. Five locations in the Diocese of Venice have been designated as Jubilee pilgrimage sites by Bishop Frank J. Dewane: Epiphany Cathedral in Venice, St. John XXIII Parish in Fort Myers, St. John the Evangelist Parish in Naples, St. Paul Parish in Arcadia, and Our Lady of Perpetual Health Retreat & Spirituality Center in Venice. These five locations, located in each of the geographical regions (Deaneries) of the Diocese, were selected for the convenience of the faithful, so that they may take advantage of the grace of the Jubilee Year.

Jubilee 2025 Bull of Indiction: "Spes Non Confundit"

On Thursday, May 9, 2024, the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, Pope Francis officially proclaimed the Ordinary Jubilee of 2025 with the public reading and delivery of *Spes Non Confundit*, the Bull of Indiction for the Jubilee Holy Year 2025, in Saint Peter's Basilica at the Vatican. This papal document lays out the foundation for the 2025 Jubilee and its theme, "Pilgrims of Hope." Below is paragraph 12 from this document.

Signs of hope

12. Signs of hope are also needed by those who are the very embodiment of hope, namely, the young. Sadly, they often see their dreams and aspirations frustrated. We must not disappoint them, for the future depends on their enthusiasm. It is gratifying to see the energy they demonstrate, for example, by rolling up their sleeves and volunteering to help when disasters strike and people are in need. Yet it is sad to see young people who are without hope, who face an uncertain and unpromising future, who lack employment or job security, or realistic prospects after finishing school. Without the hope that their dreams can come true, they will inevitably grow discouraged and listless. Escaping into drugs, risk-taking and the pursuit of momentary pleasure does greater harm to them in particular, since it closes them to life's beauty and richness, and can lead to depression and even self-destructive actions. For this reason, the Jubilee should inspire the Church to make greater efforts to reach out to them. With renewed passion, let us demonstrate care and concern for adolescents, students and young couples, the rising generation. Let us draw close to the young, for they are the joy and hope of the Church and of the world!

8 WAYS TO CELEBRATE JUBILEE 2025 WITHOUT LEAVING THE DIOCESE OF VENICE

1. Go to reconciliation
2. Read the jubilee document. Issued in May, "Spes Non Confundit" is the papal bull of indiction Pope Francis promulgated for the 2025 Jubilee Year
3. Make a pilgrimage to one of the Diocese of Venice pilgrimage sites
4. Visit your Cathedral
5. Pray the Jubilee prayer
6. Perform works of mercy - The Holy Year should inspire Catholics to increase their exercise of the corporal works of mercy — feeding the hungry, giving water to the thirsty, clothing the naked, sheltering the homeless, visiting the sick, visiting the imprisoned and burying the dead
7. Review the resources - The Vatican, the USCCB and many dioceses have online resources with information about the church's global and local celebrations of the Jubilee. They include information about the Jewish roots of jubilee years, their history in the Catholic Church, and how to spiritually prepare to receive the Jubilee Indulgence
8. Practice hope - Christians deepen their hope through prayer, the sacraments and growing in virtue

Ministries & 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

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

Faith Chat. Faith Chat bible study meets on Thursdays at 9:30am in the Antioch Room of the Claussen Center. All are welcome to join us for this study. Coffee and snacks will be provided. For more information, please contact Janis Bolbrock: janis_bolbrock@msn.com

Grief Support - St. John the Evangelist provides 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, 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.

Legion of Mary. The Legion of Mary is a worldwide organization of lay people, priests, and religious under the patronage of our Blessed Mother; One with Mary's love and Mary's will, dedicated to bring Christ to the world and to the souls who need Him, through corporal and spiritual works of mercy. Wednesdays at 6:30pm in the Pulte Center. sjeccadoration@gmail.com

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.
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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.

Streaming Ministry. Our streaming ministry provides the homebound and parishioners who are away from Naples the opportunity to view our Masses. We stream weekday Masses and three weekend Masses. Contact colleen@sjecc.com.

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 1st and 3rd 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@SVDNnaples.org.

AA Brian R. 732-735-7037

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

Ministries & Groups

Join us for the **Legion of Mary**

St. John The Evangelist

Wed | 6:30 p.m | Pulte Center

For more details:
sjeccadoration@gmail.com



respect life ministry

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.

GRIEF MINISTRY

Tuesdays at 9:30am in the Antioch room of the Claussen Center. No fee, and all materials are provided free of charge.

**Are you grieving the loss of a loved one?
Are you a widow or widower?
Are you grieving any other type of loss?
Are you looking for support and healing?**

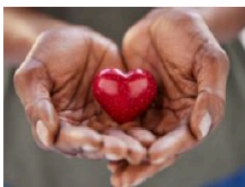
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Our Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

at Saint John the Evangelist Church



Phoebee and her son Zion are striving for independence. We are helping them.

She is a 37-year-old, recent college graduate, now looking for another job related to her degree. With rent assistance and other resources given, she should be able to become independent in a new career. Sometimes she needs help to make ends meet.

Through each year, our Case Workers help Neighbors like Phoebee and her son. We help them remain in their homes, keep the lights on and avoid hunger.

We extend spiritual and financial support to ensure they and others can continue to live with dignity.

Please help us help them in spirit and assistance
Your Support stays here in Naples and is deeply valued



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Ministries & Groups

Jamaica Outreach Program



In the St Pius X Church community in Kingston, Jamaica, 6-year-old Tyrone (not his real name) sat nervously outside the dental clinic set up by the Jamaica Outreach Program. His fingers fidgeted with his shirt, and his wide eyes darted toward the doorway. Inside, the hums and whistles of dental equipment filled the air. Tyrone had heard stories from his friends that dental fillings were unbearably painful, and the fear was hard to shake. Tyrone underwent the oral hygiene education program during the last mission and was screened for dental disease. He was encouraged to attend the clinic to have the dentist examine him and have a couple of fillings placed. Tyrone reluctantly agreed, but now that he was here, he felt his courage slipping away. "Tyrone?" called a cheerful voice. Dr. Adam, the pediatric dentist, stepped outside with a warm smile that immediately eased some of his tension. Tyrone hesitated but shuffled inside, his heart pounding. Dr. Adam knelt to his eye

level and said gently, "I know you might feel nervous, but my job is to make sure you're comfortable and your tooth feels better." His calm tone reassured him. He spent a few minutes chatting about Tyrone's favorite football (US soccer) team and his love for mangoes, gradually helping him relax. Dr. Adam explained every step in simple terms and even let him hold a mirror to watch. "If anything feels uncomfortable, just slowly raise your hand," he said. To his surprise, the filling was quick and painless. Dr. Adam showed him his newly restored tooth in the mirror. Tyrone beamed. "It didn't hurt at all!" he exclaimed, feeling a wave of relief and pride. The next day, Tyrone returned without hesitation. "I'm ready for the other side now," he announced. With Dr. Adam's gentle care, the second filling went just as smoothly. By the end of the mission, Tyrone's fear had transformed into confidence. His bright smile and bravery became an inspiration to his classmates, proving that even the most daunting challenges can be overcome with the right support. Tyrone even vowed to take better care of his teeth and eat healthy foods. Stories like this are made possible during every mission, thanks to the dedication of caring dental professionals who volunteer their time and expertise, and the generosity of donors who support the Jamaica Outreach Program.

JOP 2nd Collection May 3-4, 2025

- Cash or checks payable to Jamaica Outreach can be dropped in the JOP volunteer's basket outside the church on May 3-4, or anytime in regular collection baskets OR,
 - Donate online at www.JamaicaOutreach.org/give , OR,
 - Mail a check payable to Jamaica Outreach, PO Box 110581, Naples, FL, 34108
- The poor served by this St. John's ministry are eternally grateful for your support. Thank You!*

Knights of Columbus Paniccia Family Education Assistance Fund

Will your children (or grandchildren or great grandchildren) attend a Diocesan K-12 Catholic school for the 2024/2025 school year? **Would you like to receive a \$500 education assistance award?** Do you know of others – perhaps family members or friends – who would benefit from this program? **Open to all Parishioners**

How can my family receive an award?

- Contact Troy Costain at troy@dgarrettconstruction.com for more information, to receive an application form, or to ask questions.
- Complete and submit the Education Assistance Application Form.
- The submission deadline is May 31,, 2025.
- Financial need is not part of the decision criteria.



Sponsored by the
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3rd Annual Catholic Education Tuition Assistance Scramble

Saturday, May 10, 2025

Arrowhead Country Club

7:15am Registration

8:15am Shotgun Start



SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE

Father Glackin Sponsorship

\$15,000

Two Foursomes

Hole Sign

Recognition at the SJN Awards Night when the Father Glackin Scholarship is awarded. You will have the honor of presenting the scholarship. Acknowledgement at lunch.

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Deacon Panaccia Sponsorship

\$7,500

Two Foursomes

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Recognition at the awarding of the Panacci Scholarship at our local Catholic Schools. You will have the honor of presenting the scholarships. Acknowledgement at lunch.

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Two Foursome Included & play together

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GOLF BALL SPONSOR

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Run or help run the contest

Signage at Putting Green

LONGEST DRIVE - (2 Available)

\$1000

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Hole Signage

CLOSEST TO THE PIN (3 Available)

\$500

Dedicated hole to Network with all the golfers

HOLE SPONSOR

\$300

Your business name displayed on a hole sign on the course

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE

CONTACT:

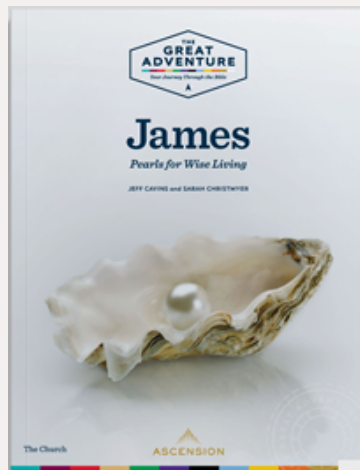
Troy Costain

Phone: 239.825.9279

GOLFERS: \$150 per player
includes golf, cart, and lunch

Adult Faith Formation

BIBLE STUDY WITH SUE HAMILTON: James: Pearls for Wise Living: Practical Solutions for Sanctifying Everyday Circumstances



Looking for an anchor to hold you steady through the storms of life? Want the secret to finding joy in the midst of trials? Interested in learning to recognize the source of discord and the way to peace? James, one of the most practical books of the Bible, is a collection of teachings on issues faced by ordinary Christians in everyday life. In James: Pearls for Wise Living, Jeff Cavins shows how the teachings of James speak to those of us who feel torn between the competing demands of this world and our faith. Meant to help a fledgling Church live out its faith in the face of persecution and a worldview opposed to the gospel, the book of James will help you discover wisdom you can apply to the present. Tuesdays:

Tuesdays: 12:00-1:30PM Beginning April 29th for 11 Weeks

Alexandria Room of the Claussen Center

Study Guide available NOW in the Gift Shop \$30.00 while supplies last

Send Email to Register at aff@sjecc.com

This Week in Adult Faith Formation

Monday, April 28th - Adult Confirmation Preparation – Library -6:00PM

Tuesday, April 29th - James Bible Study – 12:00-1:30PM

Thursday, May 1st - Faith Chat 9:30AM-11:00AM

Thursday, May 1st - Men's Bible Study- 7:00-8:00PM- Rooms 1 & 2 of the Parish Activity Center

Men's Bible Study



Have you ever wanted to read the Bible but never actually done so? Then consider joining this Men's Bible Study, **Thursday evenings, 7 p.m. – 8 p.m. in Rooms 1&2 of the Parish Activity Center.**

This Bible Study will give you the big picture view of salvation history by reading only 14 books of the bible! (12 Old Testament books & 2 New Testament). You will read at the pace of only 1 chapter a day. Reading and understanding the Bible has never been easier. 2025 could be the year you finally make it through the Bible.

contact Kevin Murphy:

kmurphy@cardinalnewmansociety.org

Bible Study



Faith Chat meets on **Thursdays at 9:30am in the Antioch Room of the Claussen**

Center. All are welcome to join us for this study. Coffee and snacks will be provided. We are currently reading the Book of Luke. For more information, please contact Janis Bolbrock: janis_bolbrock@msn.com

FORMED

FREE Sign Up for FORMED Subscription for the Parish Family

We are blessed to be able to provide this resource for our Parish Family. Formed, a program from the Augustine Institute, provides movies, online classes, and youth programming to delve into the Catholic Church and Faith.

Registering for FORMED is easier than ever:

1. Go to formed.org/signup
2. Select your St. John the Evangelist by entering our name or our zip code (34108)
3. Register with your name and email address
4. Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

SIGN UP FOR A FREE SUBSCRIPTION

Faith Formation

ST. JOHN VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL – JUNE 9TH-13TH

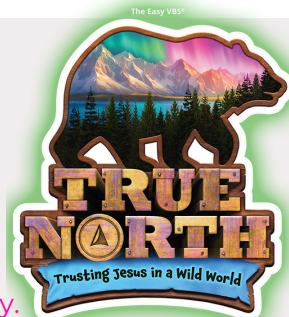
Camper registration now open!



With over 150 volunteers signed up to serve and 160 campers already registered, we are excited for a WILD WEEK~ Trusting Jesus in a Wild World! Don't delay, register today! Space is limited! Campers are ages 4 through 5th grade.

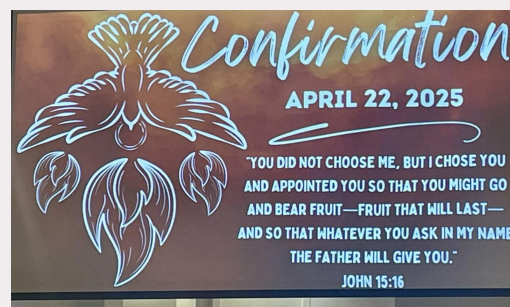
VBS will take place June 9th – 13th from 9:00AM to 12:00 Noon each day.

Each day your camper will learn a Bible Story, Bible Point, Catholic ID and Saint of the Day. This year our Bible Stories come from the Gospel of Matthew. Campers will be in crews of 5 with a High School Crew Leader and Middle school Junior Crew Leader. 8 crews will travel together with an Adult Herd leader to Games, Imagination Station, Snacks, Sticky Scripture and Wild Bible Adventures all around our beautiful campus! Children that have not yet entered kindergarten, will be part of our Puppy Playhouse Preschool and will be in smaller groups and rotations with a special preschool group. Children will each receive a t-shirt to wear each day, along with snacks, Bible Buddies and so much more each day! VBS is open to anyone in our community, so please encourage your friends and cousins visiting to sign up! We have a herd of youth ready to serve and make it the best VBS ever! Please use the QR code to register – Registration is \$55.00 per youth for the week. For more information, please contact Natalie at Natalie@sjecc.com See you soon!



54 Students receive the Sacrament of Confirmation

Congratulations to our high schoolers who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on April 22. Please continue to keep these students in your prayers!



Next Week in Faith Formation

K-8th Grade - Divine Mercy Sunday

Sunday, April 27th – Sunday Session - 9:30-10:45am

Wednesday, April 30th – Wednesday Session 5:00-6:15PM

Wednesday, April 30th - Catholic School 1st Communion Preparation Session 4 of 4- 5:00-6:15PM – Nazareth Room

High School Confirmation- Divine Mercy Sunday

Sunday, April 27th - Year 1 & 2 Class Session – 3:45-6:00PM

Sunday, April 27th - High School Senior Blessing During 5:00PM Mass

Save the Dates

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JUNE 9-13 - Volunteer Registration
OPEN NOW

COVECREST CAMP IN GEORGIA

AUGUST 4TH-9TH –Contact

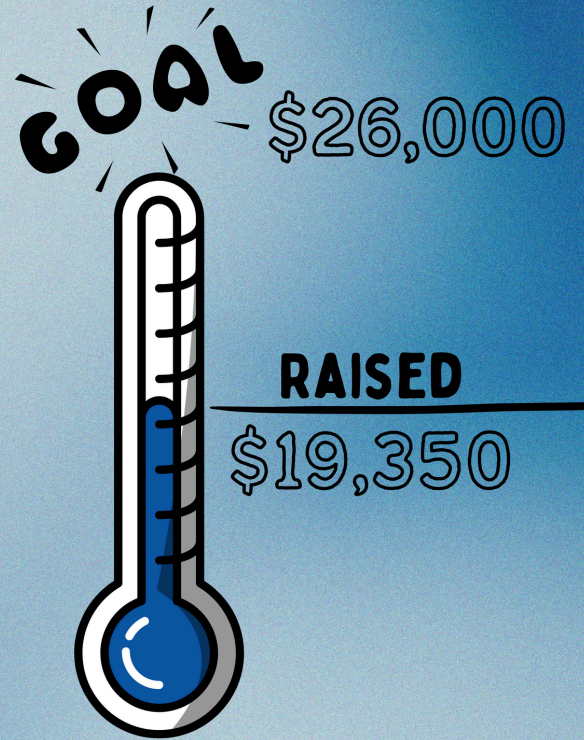
Juliana@sjecc.com to register-
High School Youth

CAMP COVECREST FUNDRAISER



ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST
YOUTH MINISTRY

WE EXTEND OUR HEARTFELT GRATITUDE TO EVERYONE WHO CONTRIBUTED TO MAKING IT POSSIBLE FOR OUR HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH TO ATTEND THIS YEAR'S CATHOLIC CAMP COVECREST. YOUR GENEROSITY, PRAYERS, AND ENCOURAGEMENT ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED. OUR TEENS ARE INCREDIBLY GRATEFUL FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO GROW IN THEIR FAITH, AND IT WOULDN'T BE POSSIBLE WITHOUT YOUR LOVING AND CONTINUED SUPPORT!



JULIANA D'AGOSTINO
DIRECTOR OF YOUTH MINISTRY
JULIANA@SJECC.COM

HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR GRADUATE

Class of 2025
Blessing ON SUNDAY, APRIL 27
AT THE 5 P.M. MASS

TO ENSURE WE HAVE AN ACCURATE LIST OF THOSE ATTENDING, PLEASE REGISTER AHEAD OF TIME. THIS WILL HELP US MAKE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS. FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER, PLEASE EMAIL OUR YOUTH MINISTER, JULIANA D'AGOSTINO, AT JULIANA@SJECC.COM. THANK YOU, AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO CELEBRATING THIS SPECIAL MOMENT WITH YOU!

Youth Ministry & Young Adults

PICKLEBALL CAMP

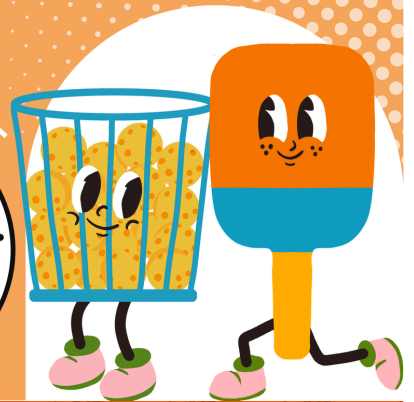
\$20

JUNE 16 – JUNE 19
10:00 a.m. – Noon

AGES 7 – 18
Pulte Center Gym

FOUR-DAY
PICKLEBALL TRAINING
WITH PICKLEBALL
JIMMY ON INDOOR
COURTS. PLEASE
DON'T FORGET TO
BRING YOUR OWN
PADDLE!

REGISTER HERE



BASKETBALL CAMP

\$50

JUNE 23 – JUNE 27
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

GRADES 3–8
Pulte Center Gym

CAMP HIGHLIGHTS

- THUNDER TEAM DRAFT
- LEAGUE PLAY W/ PLAYOFFS
- 3 X 3 TOURNAMENT
- SKILL CHALLENGES
- PIZZA PARTY AND AWARD CEREMONY ON FRIDAY

REGISTER HERE



YOUNG ADULT GROUP

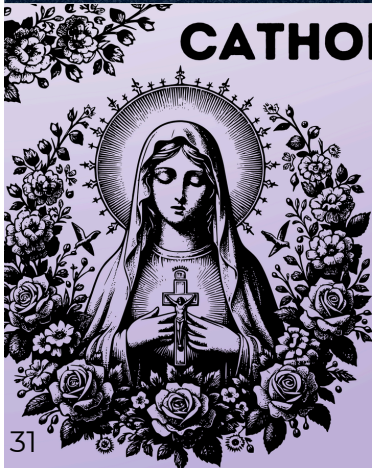
- WEEKLY GATHERINGS
- SOCIAL EVENTS
- SERVICE PROJECTS

- ADORATION
- DISCUSSIONS
- PRAYER

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CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT WOMEN'S GROUP



UPCOMING DATES

CLAUSSEN CENTER - LIBRARY - 10AM

APRIL 26

MAY 10

MAY 31

JOIN US AT ANY TIME.
MOMS WITH CHILDREN
ARE WELCOME!

JOIN OUR SIGNAL GROUP TO STAY UP TO DATE
WITH ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS!



JULIANA D'AGOSTINO - DIRECTOR OF YOUTH MINISTRY - JULIANA@SJECC.COM

Events & Programs

A NIGHT OF **SACRED MUSIC**

A BENEFIT CONCERT FOR
DOMINE CLEMONS

FEATURING THE
ADULT CHOIR,
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FRIDAY, MAY 16
7:00PM
IN THE CHURCH

FREE WILL
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ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH
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Derby Party

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Saturday, May 3
4:30-7:30pm | Ballroom

Mint Juleps & Bourbon Slush - Cash Bar
Smart Derby Attire - Prizes for Best Dressed
"Bet" on Your Favorite Horse
Derby Games
Food from Mission BBQ



<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/big-hats-bourbon-and-bowties-kentucky-derby-party-tickets-1317418346739?aff=oddtcreator>



FRIDAY, MAY 9 - 6:00 P.M.
TUESDAY, MAY 20 - 1:00 P.M.
\$20 - 10 GAMES - CASH PRIZES

PULTE FAMILY LIFE CENTER

**TRIVIA
NIGHT**

Mondays
at 6:00pm
Pulte Cafe

Light food & drinks
Donations Appreciated

KARAOKE

FRIDAY, MAY 30
6-8 P.M.
PULTE FAMILY LIFE CENTER



Alice in Wonderland

SUMMER THEATRE CAMP
JULY 7TH-JULY 25TH
MON-FRI 1PM-4PM
AGES 7-16

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PANCAKE BREAKFAST

This weekend!

Sunday, April 27

AFTER THE 7AM, 9AM & 11AM MASSES
IN THE BALLROOM

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