The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 10, 2021



National Catholic Youth Conference: An Experience of a Lifetime!



Our CYO high schoolers will be joining other Catholic teens from across the country in prayer, praise, excitement and expression this coming November. If you are a teen, this event serves as an affirmation of who you are, not just who you appear to be.

The goal of the National Catholic Youth Conference is much more than a "trip" to Indiana. It is more than a "gathering" of young people. It goes beyond a single weekend experience. NCYC is best described as a pilgrimage, with its preparation, journey,



experience, and return all important aspects.



Our CYO pilgrims will be accepting your financial help this weekend outside after Masses. Your donation will help the high

school youth of our parish and their chaperones travel to Indianapolis this November to experience this impactful Catholic retreat. Please stop and talk with them more about what they hope to experience on their journey. Or you can give online at: sjecc.com under Ways to Give/Giving Opportunities. Thank you for your prayers and financial assistance!



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A Prayer for World Peace

Dear God, thank You for all creation. In the spirit of Jesus of Nazareth and all teachers of peace who inspire the many faith traditions, 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.

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Mass Intentions

Saturday. October 9. 2021

Richard Wernes 8:00 a.m. + (Vigil Masses for Sunday) 3:00 p.m. SI For Our Parishioners 5:00 p.m. Jerome Paul and Janet Vanderhorst Vicki Vanderhorst +

Sunday. October 10, 2021

7:00 a.m. Monica Martin + 9:00 a.m. + Leo and Catherine Horey 11:00 a.m. Colby Dunavan + + Rolin Rodriguez 1:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. SI Jerry Detloff

Monday, October 11, 2021 8:30 a.m. + Loretta and Frank Guilbert

Tuesday, October 12, 2021 8:30 a.m. + Charlie Curti

Wednesday, October 13, 2021 8:30 a.m. Stephen Conger +

Thursday, October 14, 2021 8:30 a.m. + Donna Turner-Dunn

Friday, October 15, 2021 8:30 a.m. Teddy Sickler +

Saturday, October 16, 2021 Dr. Ioanne Planek 8:00 a.m. + (Vigil Masses for Sunday) 3:00 p.m. + Hildegard McAveney 5:00 p.m. SI For Our Parishioners

Sunday. October 17, 2021

7:00 a.m.	+	Eileen Warburton
9:00 a.m.	+	Sally Detloff
11:00 a.m.	+	Tom Bowles
1:00 p.m.	+	Denise J. Burke
5:00 p.m.	+	Edward and Loretta Wesolek

Requested By Gail Wernes

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- John Martin Iris Horey Randy and Kathleen Dunavan Millie Rodriguez Joann and Phil Vullo

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Requested By Nancy and Paul Curti

Requested By Claire Conger

Requested By The Turner Family

Requested By Louis Perry

Requested By Vincent J. Lasprogata

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Arthur Warburton The Detloff Family Julianne Hughes John F. Burke Jeff and Carol Chorba

Readings for the Week

Saturday, October 9, 2021 [Saint Denis and Companions; Saint John Leonardi; BVM] Jl 4:12-21/Lk 11:27-28 (466)

Sunday, October 10, 2021 The Twenty-Eighth Day in **Ordinary Time** Wis 7:7-11/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27 (143) Pss IV

Monday, October 11, 2021 [Saint John XXIII] Rom 1:1-7/Lk 11:29-32 (467)

Tuesday, October 12, 2021 Rom 1:16-25/Lk 11:37-41 (468)

Wednesday, October 13, 2021 Rom 2:1-11/Lk 11:42-46 (469)

Thursday, October 14, 2021 [Saint Callistus I] Rom 3:21-30/Lk 11:47-54 (470)

Friday, October 15, 2021 [Saint Teresa of Jesus] Memorial Rom 4:1-8/Lk 12:1-7 (471)

Saturday, October 16, 2021 [Saint Hedwig; Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque; BVM] Rom 4:13, 16-18/Lk 12:8-12 (472)

SACRAMENTS OF THE CHURCH

Sacrament of 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.

Sacrament of Matrimony. Those who wish to be married in our parish must complete the Marriage Preparation Program. The Diocese requires a six month notice. Tricia Schwarz: 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.

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Gospel Reflections

Gospel Reflections with Father Tom

The young man asked Jesus, "Master, what have I to do to inherit eternal life?" It's obvious that he had already asked another question, if not of Jesus, then of someone else. That question was: What is the purpose of life? The answer to which is: to gain eternal life.

These are the two most important questions in life. Most of us asked the same sort of questions when we were young. Perhaps we don't ask them any longer? Here we are, on the train of life, being carried forward inexorably, and it seems at an ever increasing speed, but where the train is bound for is no longer a burning issue with us.

Why is this? Could it be that we are so preoccupied with the baggage, or with amusements and distractions, that we simply have no time for such matters? Or could it be that, like the young man who came to Jesus, we have found that it is dangerous to ask such questions?

The climate we live in doesn't encourage this kind of questioning and reflection. Spiritual questions are seldom a topic of conversation at dinner tables, or even in intimate talks among friends. People focus more on work, family problems, and the political and economic issues of the day. Discussions about moral values and spiritual beliefs seldom happen. In fact, they are more or less taboo.

We are practical people. We want answers, not problems. Moral and spiritual matters are difficult issues. An American psychiatrist has said: To a large extent, our lives are spent in avoiding a confrontation with ourselves. Most of our daily activities facilitate this. They distract us from ourselves and from reflection. We are tranquilized by the trivial. Jesus answered the young man's question thus: "Keep the commandments." And the young man said, "I have kept the commandments."

For Jesus, keeping the commandments was just the bare minimum. He saw that this young man was capable of more. In fact, he was capable of greatness. So he said to him, "If you want to be perfect, sell what you have, give the money to the poor, and then come and follow me." The young man stood on the brink of a new and exciting world. However, he realized at once that he could not enter this new world without saying good-bye to his old world. He hesitated. He thought about it. He looked back at that old world, and began to weigh up the things he was leaving. Suddenly he realized he couldn't do it. There was too much in that old world which he loved and wanted. So he refused the invitation of Jesus. Some people are unwilling to let go of a single one of their old values in order to acquire a new one. If we fear to lose the pleasures of the old world, we will never taste the joys of the new.

Jesus demands the best of us as he did of the young man. He will not allow us to settle for anything less.



The challenge – "if you wish to be perfect" – is issued to us, too. However, the thing we might be called upon to sacrifice in order to take up that challenge could vary for each of us. We have to look into our own hearts to see what it is that we would have to give up in order to respond to it. Our presence here every Sunday brings us face to face with these great questions. We are reminded that life is a pilgrimage to God's eternal kingdom. We listen to the Word of God, and receive the Eucharist. But we must remember that salvation is always God's achievement. Those who trust in themselves and their possessions can never be saved. Those who trust in the saving power and redeeming love of God can enter freely into salvation.

Catholic Faith Appeal

Help Us Reach 40% Participation in Serving the Community Through the CFA

The Catholic Faith Appeal, or CFA, is the collaboration of 61 Catholic Parishes in Southwest Florida to serve and protect the poor, neglected, forgotten, and outcast in our region by assisting with the Mission of the Diocese of Venice, including Catholic Charities. Our generosity supports Catholic Education and Seminarians, as well as to feed, clothe, and provide shelter to the marginalized, the aged, and the unborn.



While we have met our goal in years past, it has been through the efforts of a small minority of our Parish Family. We have set a goal for our Parish to double our previous level of participation and have over 40% of our Families contribute this year. Please prayerfully consider how you can

give to increase our participation for these worthy efforts. If we exceed our goal, those funds would be returned to the Parish, so every dollar counts.

We ask that you prayerfully consider giving to the CFA to help us meet or exceed our goal! Checks should be made out to: The Catholic Faith Appeal with the memo line "Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church." You can also give online directly on the Diocese website: <u>dioceseofvenice.org/ways-to-give/cfa/</u>. Please remember to choose "St. John the Evangelist Parish in Naples" in the Designation choice. Contact Colleen Donnelly, our Operations Manager, if you need assistance with a CFA gift.

The Divine Gift Boutique Celebrates Fall!



Bring in the Fall season with gifts from the Divine Gift Boutique that act as daily reminders of God's blessings. We are pleased to offer unique Fall hand-made gifts, angels, religious holiday items, lighted gifts, pumpkins, wall signs, and much more! Our boutique is filled with festive seasonal home decorations and host gifts.

Our Divine Gift Boutique regularly offers unique religious and sacramental gifts, such as crucifixes, rosaries, statues, holy cards, Celtic gifts, and medals. We stock the renowned Trappist preserves made by the Roman Catholic priests and brothers of St. Joseph's Abbey in Spencer, Massachusetts. Additionally, we are proud to provide beautiful hand-made gifts crafted by one of

our very own sewing ministry members.

Located just inside the church entrance, The Divine Gift Boutique is open Saturdays 2:30-6:15 p.m. and Sundays 8:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. We are looking forward to serving you!



Meet the Pro-Life Generation!

Hosted by Students for Life of America



Come enjoy an authentic paella dinner with the Naples community and hear about the exciting launch of the National Campaign for Abortion Free Cities featuring presentations from local Pro-Life leaders.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH

6:30-8:30 pm The Ballroom at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Naples.

(Optional Mass to be held at 5:30 pm at SJECC)

\$25 per ticket Please R.S.V.P. online by visiting: www.StudentsforLife.org/FloridaDinner

QUESTIONS? Email: gmowrey@StudentsforLife.org

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Faith Formation

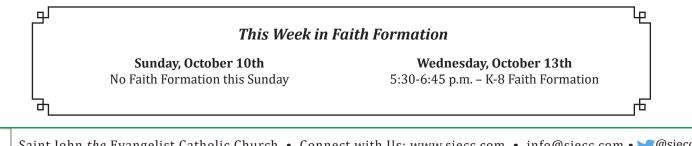
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Catechists Attend Diocesan Catechetical Day!

We are so blessed at St. John the have over 50 wonderful volunteer Catechists that so faithfully serve our parish community. On Saturday, September 25th, a group from our parish drove up to Bishop Verrot High School to attend this day together. The theme for the day was "Encountering Christ in the Classroom." Together they were able to attend Mass, hear outstanding speakers, and participate in engaging workshops! Here are just a few of the many ideas from the day they brought back to share. These ideas, while directed to our catechists, may also be helpful to parents and families as they support learning and daily prayer at home.

- As catechists, our focus in teaching should be to lead the students to an encounter with Christ. Use a balance of catechesis and encounter.
- Share your personal faith stories/experiences with your students. It has a powerful impact on them.
- Help students engage in prayer. Consider setting the tone of the classroom environment to help the children transition from their busy day into prayer.
- Ask yourself at the end of each class, "Did I give my students the opportunity to have an encounter with Christ?"
- As a Catechist, remember to nourish your prayer life. Consider praying the Catechists prayer or other prayer before you begin to teach each week.





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PICK OF THE WEEK

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WATCH JOHN XXIII: THE POPE OF PEACE

This movie tells the whole life story of John XXIII from his youth through his young priesthood, episcopacy, life as cardinal, and eventually his life as Pope. Elected supposedly as an "interim Pope" who would just keep the status quo and listen to the advisers around him, John XXIII proved to be his own man when he surprised the Church and world by calling for the Second Vatican Council.



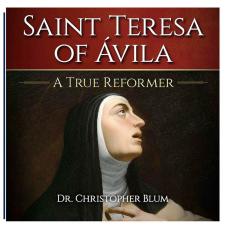
LEARN DIVINE MERCY WITH FATHER MICHAEL GAITLEY EPISODE 6: FATIMA



Renowned speaker and author Fr. Michael Gaitley tells the dramatic history of God's love and mercy in this 10-part series. Against the backdrop of a world engulfed in war, the prophetic drama surrounding a small town in Portugal captures the minds and hearts of believers and unbelievers alike. In this episode of learn about Pope Benedict XV and the apparitions at Fatima.

LISTEN SAINT TERESA OF ÁVILA: A TRUE REFORMER BY CHRISTOPHER BLUM

Dr. Christopher Blum unfolds the inspiring life of St. Teresa and her important role in the Catholic Reformation. After having already been a nun for twenty years, she had a radical transformation in her own life and then became one of the most powerful forces for bringing about conversion and positive change in the history of the Church. Listen and learn about this Mystic, Doctor of the Church, and True Reformer.



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Only 79 Days Until Christmas!

Keep Christ in Christmas cards will be displayed before and after the 3:00 p.m. Saturday; 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., and 1:00 p.m. Sunday Masses, beginning next weekend, October 16 and 17.

You can choose from ten beautiful designs this season. Shop early for the best selection.



The Nativity (16 Cards) \$8.50 Style #9018



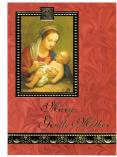
Mary, Mother of Jesus (16 Cards) \$11.50 Gold-Embossed Style #2018



Holy Family (16 Cards) \$8.00 Style #3018



Christmas Traditions (15 Cards - 5 Designs) \$8.00 Style #1961



Mary, Gentle Mother (18 Cards) \$12.50 Style #2004



St. Francis Prayer for Peace (16 Cards) \$10.00 Style #4012



Jesus, Light of the World (15 Cards) \$10.50 Style #6013



Angelic Gifts (16 Cards) Gold Embossed \$11.50 Style #7017



Come to Bethlehem (16 Cards) \$9.50 Style #9017



Peace on Earth (12 Cards - 4 Designs) Gold Foil \$9.00 Style #1856CC



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Send any questions to jack@sjecc.com or leave a message at (239) 228-3938. A project of the Knights of Columbus St. John Council for the benefit of the Jamaica Outreach Program.

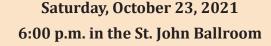
Vocations Dinner Returns

Called to Serve

an evening of dinner and entertainment to honor our clergy and seminarians.

Proceeds go to the St. John Knights of Columbus Vocations Fund to support the seminarians of the Diocese of Venice.





Entertainment will be by long-time St. John favorites,

Paul Todd and Paul Todd, Jr.

You are Called to Support our seminarians by your attendance.

Tickets are \$60 each, there will be tables of 8.

You can request seating with your friends.

It's easy to buy your tickets:

Buy tickets on-line at <u>sjecc.com</u> then click on "Ways to Give."

For more information about this event, visit our website <u>https://11281.knights.church</u> or call Bill Warvel (732) 672-4109.

For more information about the Knights, send a message to kocinfo@koccouncil11281.org, or call (239) 228-3938 and leave a message. We'll respond promptly.

Bishop Robert Barron's Newest Study Program THE CREED Begins October 12th at 7:00 p.m.



Have you ever been asked; what do Catholics believe? And struggled to know where to begin? We shouldn't find it difficult to answer, because **the Creed** summarizes the essence of our belief.

In **The Creed**, a new film series blending both documentary footage and dynamic talks, Bishop Robert Barron will guide you into the depths of the Nicene Creed which, following intense theological debates, was born at

the first ecumenical council in 325 A.D. This formal statement of faith that we proclaim at every Mass has profoundly influenced both Eastern and Western spirituality, theology, and liturgy.

This six-session program will meet weekly beginning on Tuesday, October 12th, from 7:00-8:30 p.m. in the Claussen Family Center and conclude on November 16th. Jack Kindsvater will facilitate. Please email aff@sjecc.com to register or call Natalie Campbell at (239) 566-8740 for more information.

Prayers

Penitential Act

Mass Worship Aid

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.

The Nicene Creed

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

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

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

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

Gloria (Glory to God in the Highest)

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

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

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

The Lord's Prayer

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

Communion Prayer

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





Reading I Wis 7:7-11

Mass Worship Aid

I prayed, and prudence was given me; I pleaded, and the spirit of wisdom came to me. I preferred her to scepter and throne, and deemed riches nothing in comparison with her, nor did I liken any priceless gem to her; because all gold, in view of her, is a little sand, and before her, silver is to be accounted mire. Beyond health and comeliness I loved her, and I chose to have her rather than the light, because the splendor of her never yields to sleep. Yet all good things together came to me in her company, and countless riches at her hands.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17

R. (14) Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Teach us to number our days aright, that we may gain wisdom of heart. Return, O LORD! How long? Have pity on your servants!

R. Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Fill us at daybreak with your kindness, that we may shout for joy and gladness all our days. Make us glad, for the days when you afflicted us, for the years when we saw evil.

R. Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Let your work be seen by your servants and your glory by their children; and may the gracious care of the LORD our God be ours; prosper the work of our hands for us! Prosper the work of our hands!

R. Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Reading II Heb 4:12-13

Brothers and sisters: Indeed the word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edged sword, penetrating even between soul and spirit, joints and marrow, and able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart. No creature is concealed from him, but everything is naked and exposed to the eyes of him to whom we must render an account. Alleluia 1 Jn 4:12

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

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

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

As Jesus was setting out on a journey, a man ran up, knelt down before him, and asked him, "Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus answered him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: You shall not kill; you shall not commit adultery; you shall not steal; you shall not bear false witness; you shall not defraud; honor your father and your mother." He replied and said to him, "Teacher, all of these I have observed from my youth." Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said to him, "You are lacking in one thing. Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." At that statement his face fell, and he went away sad, for he had many possessions.

Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it is for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" The disciples were amazed at his words. So Jesus again said to them in reply, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to pass through the eve of a needle than for one who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." Peter began to say to him, "We have given up everything and followed you." Jesus said. "Amen. I say to you, there is no one who has given up house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or lands for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not receive a hundred times more now in this present age: houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions, and eternal life in the age to come."

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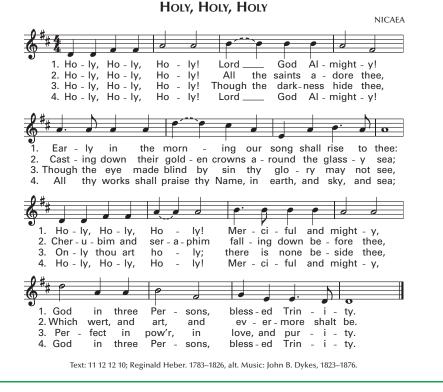
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Hymns for the Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 9-10, 2021

Entrance Hymn: Preparation Hymn: Communion Hymn: Closing Hymn: Holy Holy Holy Lord You Have Come Taste and See (Joncas) Sent Forth By God's Blessing

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PESCADOR DE HOMBRES/LORD, YOU HAVE COME

Mass Worship Aid



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Help Needed: Homebound Ministry



WE NEED YOU!!!! The Homebound Ministry is in need of additional Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to bring Holy Communion to our parishioners who are unable to attend Mass. Interested persons must be vaccinated. Volunteer application packets are available in the Parish Office. If you have questions or would like further information, please feel free to email Lisa Godlasky at Lisa@sjecc.com. Thank you and God bless you!

Mass Worship Aid

TASTE AND SEE James E. Moore, Jr. Refrain: 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All 6 taste and see the good-ness of Taste and see, the Lord. 0 Le. 6 P٠ P 0. 0 0 . 0 0 taste and see, taste and see the good-ness of the Lord, of the Lord. Verses: Cantor Ì 0 will bless the Lord 1 1 at all times His 2. Glo - ri - fy the Lord with me. То 3. Wor-ship. the Lord, all you peo-ple. Ż 0 0 6 -0 shall al-ways praise be on my lips; my . geth₋er ___ let us all_ praise his name. 2 I You'll 3. want for noth-ing if you ask. 9 . 1. soul shall glo-ry in the Lord for 2. 3. called the Lord _ and he an-swered me; from Taste and see that God is good; in to Refrain 0. so good to 1. he has been me. 2. all my trou-bles he set me free. 3. him we need put all our trust.

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SENT FORTH BY GOD'S BLESSING ASH GROVE 1. Sent forth by God's fess-ing, The bless-ing, our true faith con -0 tend - ed The God's sac - ri - fice end - ed, now be ex 2. With praise and thanks giv - ing, to God who is liv - ing, The shar-ing, in love car-ing, We Our faith ev er ev er God from his dwell - ing take leave. of peo-ple fruits of this Mass in all hearts who be - lieve. The seed of his 2. tasks of ev - 'ry-day life we em-brace. our neigh-bor all those of each race. One bread that has claim as our 1. teach-ing our in - ner souls reach-ing, Shall blos-som in ac-tion for 2. fed us, one light that has led us U - nite us as one in his 10 • 1. God and for all. His grace shall in - cite us, his love shall u 2. life that we share. Then may all the liv-ing with praise and thanks king - dom and nite us Τo fur-ther God's an - swer his call. 2. giv - ing Give hon - or to Christ and his name that we bear. Text: 12 11 12 11 D; Omer Westendorf, 1916–1997, alt., © 1964, World Library Publications, a division of GIA Publications, Inc. All rights reserved. Used with permission. Music: Trad. Welsh.

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5:00 p.m. Mass Music Worship Aid – Sunday, Oct. 10, 2021 The Twenty-Eighth Day in Ordinary Time

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Mass Worship Aid

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Verse 1) Will you let me be your servant, Let me be as Christ to you; Pray that I may have the grace to Let you be my servant, too.

Richard Gillard

Verse 2) We are pilgrims on a journey, We are trav'lers on the road; We are here to help each other Walk the mile and bear the load.

Verse 3) I will hold the Christ-light for you In the night-time of your fear; I will hold my hand out to you, Speak the peace you long to hear.

Verse 4) I will weep when you are weeping; When you laugh I'll laugh with you. I will share your joy and sorrow 'Til we've seen this journey through.

Verse 5) When we sing to God in heaven We shall find such harmony, Born of all we've known together Of Christ's love and agony.



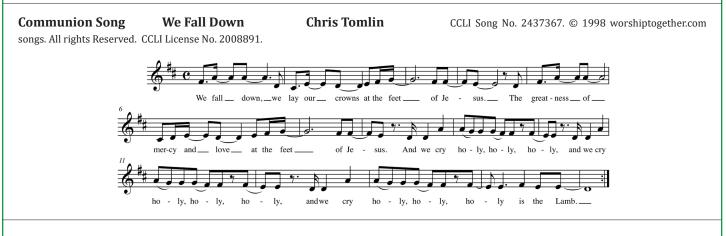
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Verse 1) Oh, how could it be That my God would welcome me into this mystery? Say, 'take this bread, take this wine': Now the simple, made Divine—for any to receive. By your mercy we come to your Table, By your grace you are making us faithful.

Chorus) Lord, we remember you, And remembrance leads us to worship. And as we worship you, Our worship leads to Communion. We respond to your invitation, we remember you.

Verse 2) See his Body, his Blood: Know that he has overcome ev'ry trial we will face. And none too lost to be saved, None too broken or ashamed, All are welcome in this place. By your mercy we come to your Table, By your grace you are making us faithful

Bridge) Dying you destroyed our death, Rising you restored our life, Lord Jesus come in glory (repeat line)



Closing Song Mighty To Save Morgan / Fielding

Verse 1) Ev'ryone needs compassion, Love that's never failing. Let mercy fall on me. Ev'ryone needs forgiveness, The kindness of a Saviour, The hope of nations.

Chorus) Saviour, He can move the mountains. My God is mighty to save. He is mighty to save. Forever, Author of salvation, He rose and conquered the grave. Jesus conquered the grave.

Verse 2) So take me as You find me, All my fears and failures. Fill my life again. I give my life to follow, Ev'rything I believe in. Now I surrender.

Bridge) Shine your light and let the whole world see We're singing For the glory of the risen King, Jesus. Shine your light and let the whole world see We're singing For the glory of the risen King.

Join us for First Friday Adoration at our monthly Encounter on the Mountain: A Holy Hour of Praise and Adoration on Friday, November 5, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. in the church or watch online at sjecc.com.

The theme of the night is "Thy Will Be Done." This night will be filled with praise and worship music, reflection and meditation, and more! This is a beautiful way to spend some time with the Lord and allow Him to speak to your heart. Rest in His loving presence.

Upcoming Events



SAVE THE DATE Join us for a Night of Miracles!

Empowering women to break the cycle of poverty and abuse.

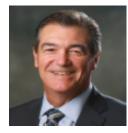
Annual Benefit Dinner

Saturday, October 23, 2021

The Naples Sailing & Yacht Club 896 River Point Drive, Naples, FL 34102

Sunlight of Collier County, Inc. 2903 Tropicana Blvd., Naples, FL 34116 For information contact Carmen Cisneros at Carmen@sunlighthome.org 239-352-0251

Keynote Speaker: Arthur P. Boyle



Author, Pro Life Advocate, Husband and Father of 13, Artie was diagnosed with terminal cancer in 1999. The doctors gave him 6 months to live. As a devout Catholic and man of great faith, Artie experienced the miracle of total healing, and is still cancer free today. Join us as he shares his extraordinary journey from death to life.



Saint John the Evangelist Concert Series Dan Miller - Dan Heck Quartet





October 22, 2021 (Friday)

Dan Miller is bringing together a wonderful group of musicians for an evening of hard swinging acoustic jazz music at Saint John the Evangelist Church in Naples including guitarist Dan Heck, bassist Brandon Robertson, and drummer Paul Gavin.

They played concerts at SJECC in 2018 and 2019 and look forward to returning to perform once again for this great audience. They will play a program of music that celebrates the Great American Songbook (George Gershwin, Jerome Kern, Cole Porter) as well as jazz music's greatest composers (Duke Ellington, Charlie Parker, Dizzy Gillespie).

This is a group of musicians who play with passion and fire and whose goal is to swing with authority. Join them for a night of standards, ballads and blues.

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Reserve your tickets online at https://saintjohntheevangelist.com/concerts

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ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH PRESENTS: MOVE OF CHURCH PRESENTS:



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17 @ 6:30PM - Pulte Center, Nazareth Room-

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"THE R-RATED MOVIE EVERY CATHOLIC SHOULD SEE" Contains some adult material. Parents are urged to learn more about the movie before taking children to see it.

LIGHT SNACKS & BEVERAGES PROVIDED

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Ave Maria Catholic Church Respect Life Conference

SAVE THE DATE

October 23, 2021 – 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Ave Maria University Campus Free Event! All Are Welcome!

Featured Speakers

Pam Stenzel, MA, MFT, Community Pregnancy Clinics, Inc. (CPCI) S.H.A.R.E ~ Sexual Health and Relationship Education Special sessions for parents and students grades 7th - 12th

Dr. Brent Boles, Medical Director, CPCI The Abortion Pill RU486 and the Abortion Pill Reversal Q & A with Dr. Boles, Scott Baier, Pam Stenzel

Steven Mosher, Renown Author and Speaker, Ave Maria Resident Evening Reception and Presentation ~ Wine and Refreshments Served ~ Limited seating ~ Best to reserve your spot!

Walk-ins are welcome to conference based on seating availability.

Scott Baier CEO, Community Pregnancy Clinics, Inc (CPCI)

For more details and a pre-registration form contact: Sharon Levesque, Respect Life President, Ave Maria Catholic Church AMPRespectLifeMinistry@gmail.com

Sponsored by: Community Pregnancy Clinics, Inc, Ave Maria Catholic Church Respect Life Ministry and Ave Maria University

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Meet Our Ministries

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 more information, contact *Jeanne Stamant Pittman:* 239.248.3248 or info@jamaicaoutreach.org

Knitting & Crocheting. Meets year-round on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. in classrooms 3&4 in the Parish Activity Center. No experience necessary. Make baby and children's items, prayer shawls, nursing home and elderly blankets. *Contact Sharon Camp: 239.438.7867 or sharon@naples.net*

Sewing Ministry. Sewing Ministry meets to sew for needy children on Mondays from 12:30 to 3:30 in the Parish Activity Center, rooms 1 and 2. Starting in October we will meet on Wednesdays from 12:30 to 3:30 in the same location. Donations, both monetary and of fabrics and supplies are welcome. If you like to sew we encourage you to come and see what we are all about. Please call either *Barbara Arthur at 239-250-4162, email Bka1678@hotmail.com or Phyllis Crivelli 973-710-6347, email jandpcrivelli@gmail.com* before coming to make sure we are meeting that day.

St. Vincent de Paul. Helps the poor, specifically people in zip codes 34108, 34109, and 34110. Members work in teams making home visits to those in need. Meets the first and third Tuesdays after 8:00 a.m. Mass. *Contact Carl Monticelli: (SVdP Office): 239.775.1667*

Women of the Word (WoW). We welcome any woman of any age to study our faith using the Bible and other Catholic writings in a non-judgmental, supportive community. Thursday 9:30 a.m. *Contact Nancy Bouchard:* 443.498.8452 or wow@ sjecc.com

Picklers For Christ W/ PBJ (Pickleball Jimmy)

Adult Pick-up Games Every Friday 10am - 12pm

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH 625 111TH AVE N. NAPLES, FL 34108 Contact: <u>kyle@sjecc.com</u>

PickleBall Jimmy IPTPA Certified Pickleball Teaching Professional

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SOCIAL GROUPS

- Boy Scout Troop 226 St. John the Evangelist. Prepare boys to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law. Meets on Mondays at 6:45 p.m. in the Alexandria Room. scoutmaster@troop-226.com
- Cub Scout Pack 226 Chartered at St. John the Evangelist. Provide families with an opportunity to raise their young boys in the way of Jesus and through the formative values of Scouting. Meets on Mondays at 6:00 p.m. Contact Melissa Wychocki: mwychocki@gmail.com.
- Saint John the Evangelist Knights of Columbus Council 11281 and Assembly 3308: kocinfo@koccouncil11281.org or 239.228.3938
- Ladies of Charity: Our motto is to serve rather than to be served in humility, simplicity, and charity. We strive to 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.

PRAYER GROUPS

- Pray the Rosary & the Chaplet of Divine Mercy Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy are recited every day starting 50 minutes before Mass begins, Monday through Saturday. Summer Schedule at 7:40 a.m., Winter Schedule at 7:10 a.m. Maria Desa: 239-529-7611
- Cenacle of Life Praver Group 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
- Liturgy of the Hours: Call the Office: 239.566.8740

Declan Aigner

Jennifer Basile

Ralph Belmore

Linda Berry

Larry Biela

Therese Braiz

Isabella Bucca

Connie Cahill

Camp Family

Paula Cantoni

Ann Curran

Mark Davey

Janet D'Addario

Elisa D.

Leonora Coleman

Anne Cunningham

Brad Cunningham

Dick and Betsy Canny

Hortencia Victoria Arbocco Carrillo

Mary Brown

Boxer

Josephine Apricena

Michael Arsenault

Pray the Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Novena: Every Saturday immediately after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Allan Degnan : 239-919-4465

SUPPORT GROUPS

- AA Robert: 239.287.2442
- Adult Children of Alcoholics Tom Mooney, 239.287.0195
- Al-Anon For meeting locations and times, call 239.263.5907 or visit www.NaplesAl-Anon.org
- Food Addiction Support Group Maryann Scandiffio, 239.784.2682
- Sunset Coast NA 239.451.3275
- Gambler's Anonymous 855.222.5542
- Recovering Couples Anonymous Britta: 239.348.5031 or Roger: 239.250.6888

PRAYER FOR THE **M**ILITARY

Please pray for our loved ones who are serving in the military:

- Adam Decker
- Nick Detloff
- SSG Douglas Hennessy
- **Marine Colonel Brian Howlett**
- Lt. Col. Scott Huber USAF
- PV2 Alexander McMickle Ft. Eustis, VA
- Hunter Scalzo Army Ranger with 1st Division & 75th Infantry
- Col. Brian Murphy
- Lt. Col. Jill Murphy
- Sgt. Larry Oldenburg US Army
- Cpl. Derek Perez US Marine Corps
- Austin Spagnola

- Staff Sgt. Andrew Zecchino -USAF, Turkey
- Lt. Stephen English US Army, Alaska
- Capt. Connor Tourek USMC
- Lt. Brendan Tourek USN
- Capt. Gregory Sacenti US Army
- Daniel Petito US Army PFC John Dyer - US Army Germany
- Drew Kendall Seamen US Navy
- ENS Tanis K. Taylor US Navy. USS Sullivans
- Sophie Koeppl

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

PRAYER LIST

Ophelia Joy

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MASS SCHEDULE AND INFORMATION

Mass times are:

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m., 3:00 p.m., and 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., and 5:00 p.m.

Administrative Office Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Divine Gift Boutique Hours: Saturdays 2:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.

Sundays 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saint John the Evangelist offers the healing sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) in the church confessionals on Monday and Wednesday at 9:00 a.m. after 8:30 a.m. Mass, and Saturday at 8:30 a.m. and 2:00-2:45 p.m.

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