SAINT JOHN the EVANGELIST WORSHIP CATHOLIC CHURCH

To Know, To Kove, and To Serve God in My Charch and Our Community.



Respect Life



St. Joseph was appointed by God to be the guardian and protector of Our Lord Jesus Christ. He is also our model of fatherhood and faithfulness. Joseph of Nazareth is a particular revelation of the dignity of human fatherhood.

"The family rests on the dignity of human fatherhood – on the responsibility of the man, husband and father, as also on his work. Joseph of Nazareth bears witness to this for us."

- Pope Saint John Paul II

During Saint John's Respect Life Weekend, we embrace life knowing that all lives are a gift. A gift that deserves to be cherished, loved, and most importantly, lived. Together, we pray and work to save the lives of the unborn, and for all those who have been affected and hurt from this all too frequent tragedy. We pray for and seek to aid in life choosing situations like adoptive services, and for the challenges that are faced with infertility. Similarly, we pray and seek the protection of life in its later stages, including ending euthanasia, physician assisted suicide, and capital punishment. We pray for and support the gift of life in people that are living with special needs, as well as for the less fortunate. May almighty God supply us all His abundant

grace to aid as we build a Culture of Life in both our parish and throughout our community, especially as we honor the role of Fatherhood in this, the Year of Saint Joseph.

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 2, 2021

8:00 a.m. Don Hopko

(Vigil Masses for Sunday)

3:00 p.m. Ozzie D'Addario 5:00 p.m. Michael James Merlo

Sunday, October 3, 2021

7:00 a.m. Annaleigh Grilo 9:00 a.m. Bill Buckley 11:00 a.m. + John L. Eichman 1:00 p.m. + Antonio Faga

SI For Our Parishioners 5:00 p.m.

Monday, October 4, 2021

8:30 a.m. + Jean Martel

Tuesday, October 5, 2021

8:30 a.m. SI Ulanski and Ostrowski Family

Wednesday, October 6, 2021

Thomas Erbland 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, October 7, 2021

8:30 a.m. + Willie Delgado

Friday, October 8, 2021

8:30 a.m. Mary Lou McGonigle

Saturday, October 9, 2021

8:00 a.m. Richard Wernes

(Vigil Masses for Sunday)

3:00 p.m. SI For Our Parishioners 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 10, 2021

7:00 a.m. + Monica Martin

9:00 a.m. Leo and Catherine Horey

11:00 a.m. + Colby Dunavan

1:00 p.m. + Rolin Rodriguez 5:00 p.m. SI Jerry Detloff

Requested By

Janis

Janet D'Addario Geraldine Merlo

Requested By

Anna and Giuseppe Nardulli Tom and Sharon Buckley

Pam Mitchell Jennifer Sadallah

Requested By

Maria and David Joyce

Requested By

Ulanski Family

Requested By

Carol Erbland

Requested By

Mireya Delgado

Requested By

Linda Sherman

Requested By

Gail Wernes

Ianet D'Addario

Jerome Paul and Janet Vanderhorst Vicki Vanderhorst

Requested By

John Martin Iris Horey

Randy and Kathleen Dunavan

Millie Rodriguez Joann and Phil Vullo Readings for the Week

Saturday, October 2, 2021

[The Holy Guardian Angels]

Memorial

Bar 4:5-12, 27-29 (460)/Mt 18:1-

5, 10 (650) Pss Prop

Sunday, October 3, 2021

The Twenty-Seventh Day in

Ordinary Time

Gn 2:18-24/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-

16 or 10:2-12 (140) Pss III

Monday, October 4, 2021

[Saint Francis of Assisi]

Memorial

Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Lk 10:25-37

(461)

Tuesday, October 5, 2021

[Saint Faustina Kowalska; Blessed

Francis Xavier Seelos

Jon 3:1-10/Lk 10:38-42 (462)

Wednesday, October 6, 2021

[Saint Bruno; Blessed Marie Rose

Durocherl

Jon 4:1-11/Lk 11:1-4 (463)

Thursday, October 7, 2021 Our Lady of the Rosary

Memorial

Mal 3:13-20b/Lk 11:5-13 (464)

Pss Prop

Friday, October 8, 2021

Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Lk 11:15-26

(465)

Saturday, October 9, 2021

[Saint Denis and Companions;

Saint John Leonardi; BVM]

Jl 4:12-21/Lk 11:27-28 (466)

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.

Gospel Reflections

Gospel Reflections with Father Tom

In the beginning of life, when we were infants, we needed others if we were to survive. And at the end of life, we will again need others so that we can survive. Now here's a secret: in between, we need others as well.

The Bible says, "It's not good for a human being to be alone." Sometimes it is a good and necessary thing for us to be alone – but not as a permanent condition. Human beings are social animals. Of ourselves, we are incomplete. Humanity can never be acquired in solitude. We need others. To feel this need is not a sign of sickness but of health. Insanity has been defined as a condition in which people are no longer able to connect with other people.

The most dangerous lion is not the gregarious one or the one that roars the loudest, but the silent one that walks alone. Serial killers nearly always turn out to be lonely, angry individuals. People who commit suicide are often people who have slipped into total isolation.

Isolation is the most painful condition of all. It causes people to turn in on themselves, and can lead to violence and/or alcoholism. Fear, shame, and guilt make people want to stay in their isolation.

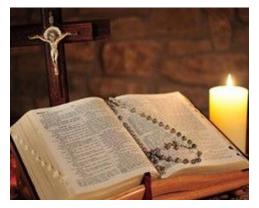
God first gave Adam the animals. But Adam was unable to find a suitable partner among them. A survey was carried out among elderly people in America. When asked who was closest to them? Two out of three said it was their pet dog or cat. I'm not sure if it's funny or not, probably sad.

Then God gave Adam a woman, Eve. And as soon as Adam saw Eve, he recognized in her a fitting companion and partner. She was made of the same material as himself, possessed the same dignity as himself, and therefore was his equal. True community can be created only among equals.

In marriage, God answered the human need for friendship, companionship, closeness, and warmth – all those things we pine for but find so difficult. These needs can also be met by belonging to a community. And those who have a close relationship with God are never alone.

When people get married, they bring to it not only their strengths but also their weaknesses. We all are wounded by sin and selfishness. To enter marriage is to enter a school of love, a school in which all are slow learners. The bond which two people seal on their wedding day is not made of unbreakable material, but of human, and therefore breakable, material. The only bond that is unbreakable is the

bond which God formed with us in Christ.



What are the things which weaken the marriage bond? Lack of respect, poor communication, selfishness, and infidelity. Respect, good communication, unselfishness, and fidelity strengthen the bond.

Relationships have to be worked on. They suffer from neglect just as surely as a garden does. People should not be afraid to seek help if they experience difficulties in their marriage. Relationships which have weathered some storms are the deepest.

Farewell Letter

Farewell Letter from St. John's Music Director

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,



As I prepare for my retirement, I wanted to take this opportunity to thank our Lord and to all of you for the privilege to serve this wonderful parish of St. John the Evangelist! This has truly been five of the very best years of my life, and I am most grateful for the volumes of wonderful memories, friendships, liturgies, and overall experiences. My mind is flooded with so many wonderful things to share that I could fill the pages. Some of my fondest memories are the incredible liturgies during Advent, Christmas, Holy Week, Easter, and Veteran's/Memorial Day! Our Christmas concerts were always of the highest quality! I know that I am 'preaching to the choir' when I say St. John's is an exceptional and extraordinary parish! Our clergy, staff, choir,

cantors, and ministries are among the finest that I have ever served with. I hope that you let them all know how much they are appreciated for their vocation and dedication for the highest quality of service to this parish and community!

It has been such a pleasure to play for a 'singing' parish. Throughout scripture, we are invited (if not commanded) to sing to the Lord. To hear your voices ring through our beautiful church is truly inspiring and will always be remembered! St John's has been very blessed by our Lord with top-notch music ministries and gifted musicians. I can only hope that I have been an instrument in leading you all deeper into our sacred liturgies and been a lamp shining the light of Christ. I am certain that your new music director will continue in the excellence that is the tradition of St. John's and her motto "to know, to serve, & to love." Please extend to this lucky person your generous support and prayers that you have poured over me.

In conclusion, there are so many that I would like to thank, but I must acknowledge our clergy, our staff, our cantors, and our incredible choir for their support, kindness, their love for this parish, and their guidance in increasing my faith!!! How very fortunate I am that God has made it possible for me to serve His Church for 40+ years. I am so very blessed to have had the opportunity to serve all of you, as well as for the wonderful parishioners who are now in the company of the saints in heaven!

I am looking forward to joining my wife and family in Tennessee. We have a beautiful home on the border of the Smokey Mountains overlooking the Master's artistry, with amazing wildlife including deer and wild turkeys! I pray that our Lord guides me to places where I can continue to lead His people deeper into His Word with joyful song!!! Please keep my family and I in your prayers. I will certainly continue to pray for all of you!

Most sincerely with overflowing gratefulness, Gary Prettyman

Please join us in peaceful prayer for the unborn and their troubled moms and dads



Friday, October 8, 9:00a.m. – 4:00p.m. & Friday, October 22, 9:00a.m. – 4:00p.m.

Planned Parenthood
6418 Commerce Park Drive
Fort Myers, FL
(off Daniels Parkway, near Whole Foods & Tile Outlets)

*Bring a chair, umbrella, and water

Please contact Rosemary Erickson with any questions 239-250-0432 or relife@aol.com

The Rosary for Life will be said in the Church on Sunday, October 3, after the 9:00a.m. Mass

The Life Chain will take place on October 3, 12:30p.m. - 1:30p.m. in Bonita Springs, on US 41 near St Leo's Church and Shikany's Funeral Home

"Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you. Before you were born, I set you apart. I appointed you as a prophet to the nations."

Faith Formation

First Graders Tour the Church with Fr. Mark

Fr. Mark gave the Wednesday First Grade Faith Formation Class a "behind the scenes" tour of our beautiful church. The children also got to explore the confessional, sacristy, and the Gift Boutique! Fr. Mark talked to the children about the various vestments the priests wear on different occasions and the different sacramentals the priests use. After an "after hours" look in the gift shop, the tour ended with a special treat and a Divine Mercy Holy Card from Fr. Mark. It was a wonderful learning experience for our children! Thank you, Fr. Mark!









Remembering Margie Lynch, Director of Religious Education



It is with a heavy heart that we learned that Margaret "Margie" Lynch went to be with our Lord on September 16th, 2021. Margie served St. John the Evangelist as the Director of Religious Education at St. John the Evangelist from 2009-2015. Margie will be remembered for her strong leadership and dedication to our Faith Formation ministry. Margie developed great content for many of the religious programs that we still use today. Margie dearly loved her catechists and made them her top priority. Whenever it seemed like the volunteer workload was too heavy or the commitment too much, she would say, "Hang in there and remember that God will always give you the grace you need!" She reminded us that God is always with His servants and just when we think the tank is empty, He will

provide just what we need at just the right moment to carry on His work. May she rest in peace. Our hearts and prayers are with her husband, George, at this difficult time. A funeral will be held at St. John the Evangelist on Friday, October 8th, at 12:00 p.m.

This Week in Faith Formation

Sunday, October 3rd

9:30-10:45 a.m. – K-8 Faith Formation 4:00-6:00 p.m. – High School Confirmation Wednesday, October 6th

5:30-6:45 p.m. - K-8 Faith Formation

Adult Faith Formation

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.

Divine Mercy

Saint Faustina's Diary and Divine Mercy



October 5: The memorial date of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska, who recorded our Lord's Divine Mercy Message in her diary.

"I thirst. I thirst for the salvation of souls. Help me, My daughter, to save souls." (Diary entry 1032)

Pope John Paul II declared the sanctity of Maria Faustina Kowalska on April 30, 2000. In May of 2020, Pope Francis established a date for her memorial in response to petitions from pastors, religious men and women, and associations of the faithful. She has become a catalyst for a movement dedicated to proclaiming God's Divine Mercy throughout the world.

The Rosary and Chaplet of Mercy are recited before our morning Masses (Mon. - Sat.) Saint Faustina's Diary and Divine Mercy items are available in the Divine Gift Boutique.

Major proponents of the Divine Mercy message in the U.S. are the Marian Fathers at the National Shrine to Divine Mercy located in Stockbridge, Mass., the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy (St. Faustina's congregation) with convents in Boston and Washington D.C., and the Knights of Columbus.

Daily at 3:00, the Chaplet of Mercy is recited on television over EWTN and is "Streamed" from:

The National Shrine to Divine Mercy - https://www.thedivinemercy.org/DailyChaplet

John Paul II National Shrine. - https://www.jp2shrine.org/jps/en/worship/live-stream.html

"The Face of Mercy" - a 57-minute documentary on St. Faustina and the Divine Mercy movement is available at the following website: www.kofc.org > news-room > face-of-mercy



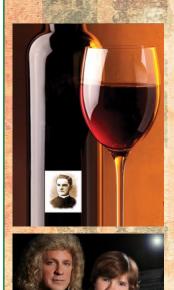
Our CYO Youth Group is headed to the National Catholic Youth Conference in Indianapolis in November. Can you help fund their trip? Students will be speaking at all Masses next week and accepting donations after Masses. Thank you for your prayers and financial assistance!

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.



Saturday, October 23, 2021 6:00 p.m. in the St. John Ballroom

Enjoy a three-course served dinner of Beef Rib-eye or Chicken Piccata.

Cash bar open throughout the evening.

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 sjecc.com then click on "Ways to Give."

For more information about this event, visit our website https://11281.knights.church 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.

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



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: dioceseofvenice.org/ways-to-give/cfa/. 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.

Prayers

Penitential Act

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

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

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

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.



Scripture Readings

Reading I Gn 2:18-24

The LORD God said: "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a suitable partner for him." So the LORD God formed out of the ground various wild animals and various birds of the air, and he brought them to the man to see what he would call them; whatever the man called each of them would be its name. The man gave names to all the cattle, all the birds of the air, and all wild animals; but none proved to be the suitable partner for the man.

So the LORD God cast a deep sleep on the man, and while he was asleep, he took out one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. The LORD God then built up into a woman the rib that he had taken from the man. When he brought her to the man, the man said: "This one, at last, is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called 'woman,' for out of 'her man' this one has been taken." That is why a man leaves his father and mother and clings to his wife, and the two of them become one flesh.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6

R. (cf. 5) May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives. Blessed are you who fear the LORD, who walk in his ways! For you shall eat the fruit of your handiwork; blessed shall you be, and favored.

R. May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.

Your wife shall be like a fruitful vine in the recesses of your home; your children like olive plants around your table.

R. May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.

Behold, thus is the man blessed who fears the LORD. The LORD bless you from Zion: may you see the prosperity of Jerusalem all the days of your life.

R. May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.

May you see your children's children. Peace be upon Israel! R. May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.

Reading II Heb 2:9-11

Brothers and sisters: He "for a little while" was made "lower than the angels," that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone. For it was fitting that he, for whom and through whom all things exist, in bringing

many children to glory, should make the leader to their salvation perfect through suffering. He who consecrates and those who are being consecrated all have one origin. Therefore, he is not ashamed to call them "brothers."

Alleluia 1 Jn 4:12

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

If we love one another, God remains in us and his love is brought to perfection in us.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

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

The Pharisees approached Jesus and asked, "Is it lawful for a husband to divorce his wife?" They were testing him. He said to them in reply, "What did Moses command you?" They replied, "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce and dismiss her." But Jesus told them, "Because of the hardness of your hearts he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning of creation, God made them male and female. For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. So they are no longer two but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, no human being must separate." In the house the disciples again questioned Jesus about this. He said to them, "Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her; and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery."

And people were bringing children to him that he might touch them, but the disciples rebuked them. When Jesus saw this he became indignant and said to them, "Let the children come to me; do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Amen, I say to you, whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child will not enter it." Then he embraced them and blessed them, placing his hands on them.

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Hymns for the Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time October 2-3, 2021

Entrance Hymn: O God Beyond All Praising

Preparation Hymns: Isaiah 49

I Have Loved You

Communion Hymns: Be Thou My Vision

One Bread One Body

Closing Hymns: Holy God We Praise Thy Name

Soon and Very Soon

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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.

Furthermore, we wish to commemorate St. Faustina's Memorial on October 5th by offering Divine Mercy gifts in her honor, such as novenas, her diary, medals, and statues.

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 handmade gifts crafted by one of our very own sewing ministry members.

Our current featured gifts at a special discount are a variety of hanging ornaments, with optional stands available. The Divine Gift Boutique is located just inside the church entrance, 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!











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ONE BREAD, ONE BODY



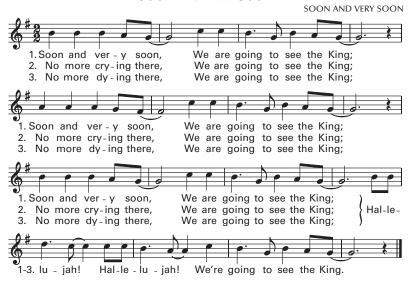
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standards, ballads and blues.

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5:00 p.m. Mass Music Worship Aid – Sunday, October 3, 2021 The Twenty-Seventh Day in Ordinary Time

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Verse 1) You dance over me While I am unaware. You sing all around But I never hear the sound.

Chorus) Lord I'm amazed by You. Lord I'm amazed by You. Lord I'm amazed by You. How You love me.

Verse 2) You paint the morning sky With miracles in mind. My hope will always stand. You hold me in Your hand.

Bridge) How wide how deep How great is Your love for me (oh).

One Bread, One Body John Foley, S.J. **Communion Song**

Chorus) One bread, one body, one Lord of all. One cup of blessing which we bless And we, though many, throughout the Earth. We are one body in this one Lord.

Verse 1) Gentile or Jew. Servant or free. Woman or man. No more. (to Chorus)

Verse 2) Many the gifts, many the works. One in the Lord Of all. (to Chorus)

Darrell Evans Communion Song Your Love Is Extravagant Hosanna!

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Verse 1) Your love is extravagant. Your friendship, intimate. I find I'm moving to the rhythms of your grace. Your fragrance is intoxicating in our secret place. Your love is extravagant.

Chorus) Spread wide in the arms of Christ is the love that conquers sin. No greater love have I ever known. You consider me a friend. Capture my heart again (repeat)

Great Things Myrin/Wickham **Closing Song** CCLI Song # 7111321 Jonas Myrin | Phil Wickham © 2018 Capitol CMG Paragon (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Son of the Lion (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Phil Wickham Music (Fair Trade Music Publishing [c/o Essential Music Publishing LLC]) Simply Global Songs (Fair Trade Music Publishing [c/o Essential Music Publishing LLC]) Sing My Songs (Fair Trade Music Publishing [c/o Essential Music Publishing LLC]) For use solely with the SongSelect® Terms of Use. All rights reserved. www.ccli. com CCLI License # 2008891

Verse 1) Come let us worship our King. Come let us bow at His feet. He has done great things. See what our Savior has done. See how His love overcomes. He has done great things. He has done great things.

Chorus) O Hero of Heaven You conquered the grave. You free every captive and break every chain. O God You have done great things. We dance in Your freedom awake and alive. O Jesus our Savior Your name lifted high. O God You have done great things.

Verse 2) You've been faithful through every storm. You'll be faithful forevermore. You have done great things. And I know You will do it again. For Your promise is yes and amen. You will do great things. God You do great things.

Bridge) Hallelujah God above it all. Hallelujah God unshakable. Hallelujah You have done great things. (REPEAT) You've done great things.

Ending) You have done great things. O God You do great things.

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.

Respect Life

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 \sim 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

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

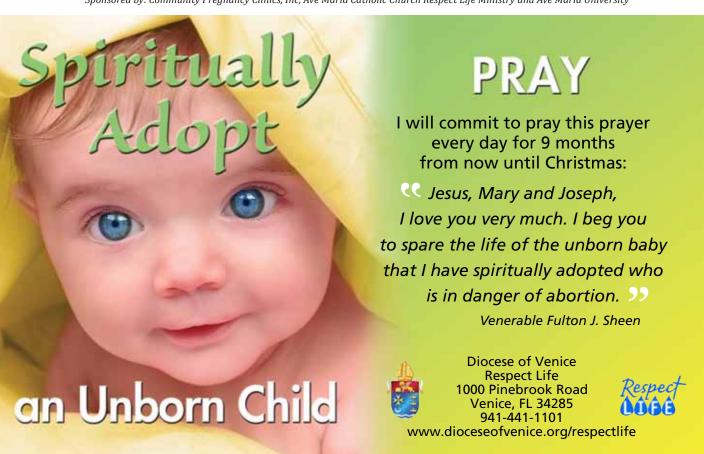
Q & A with Dr. Boles, Scott Baier, Pam Stenzel

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.

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



Ministries and Prayer

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: 239.248.3248 or infor@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@



Ministries and Prayer

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 Prayer 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
- 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 MILITARY

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,
- 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

We remember those who have died recently. May they rest in eternal peace. Gerri Bittle, Mildred Morrison, William Sisca Jr., and Lelan Wheeler

PRAYER LIST

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Parish Information

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.

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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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FOR OUR RECORDS

We need your help to keep our records current. If there are any births, deaths, marriages, moves, etc. in your family, please notify the front office at 239.566.8740 or email: *info@sjecc.com*.

Thank you!

PARISH REGISTRATION

Parish Registration Forms are available on the tables in the church narthex, in the parish office and on the website: **www.sjecc.com**.



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