

August 3, 2014  
*Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

the  
**EVANGELIST**  
SAINT JOHN *the* EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

## ***After 17 Years Scott Schlossberg Will Say Good-bye to St. John***

July 30, 2014

Dear Friends of Saint John the Evangelist,

A couple of weeks ago our General Manager, Scott Schlossberg, came to share some good news and some bad news with me. The good news was that his wife Shelley has been given a wonderful opportunity with a new company. The bad news was that means that their family will need to relocate to Scottsdale, Arizona. Obviously, this came as a great shock to me, as I am sure it is to our entire parish family.



Scott is a gifted individual who has served Saint John the Evangelist parish for over 17 years. He has managed the parish well over this time and was instrumental in helping organizing the campaigns for the Claussen Center and the construction of St. Agnes. Over the past six years, he has assisted me in the financial management and regular operations of the parish. Scott has fully collaborated with the various committees and councils that help run our parish on a daily basis. He has overseen the recent improvements to the physical plant as well as many community fundraisers and events, notably the St. Patrick's Day celebration, the Parish Picnic, the Reverse Raffle, and the Super Bowl party. With his column in the bulletin every week, Scott has kept you informed about the life and the finances of the parish. Needless to say, his gifts and talents have been very much appreciated and will be missed. On a personal note, I will certainly miss working with him.

So where do we go from here? I have asked Scott to assist with this transition. Both Scott and his wife Shelley have agreed that he would stay with us through October to help educate and offer insights to the person who will replace him. I am happy to announce that Jean-Paul Boucher, the Director of Family Mission, will replace Scott as the General Manager. Jean-Paul will continue to direct the Family Mission as well as oversee the operations and management of the parish. The parish will be conducting a search for a bookkeeper to take care of the parish finances and payroll.

It is never easy to say goodbye to people who have served you well. Let us pray for Scott and his family as they move to Scottsdale, Arizona, and let us send our warm wishes for their future.

Sincerely in Christ,



Fr. John



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**Mass for Deceased (+) and Special Intentions Requested by**

August 2, 2014	Saturday			
8:00 AM	+	Nancy McKowen	Calder Family	
		<b>Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday</b>		
3:00 PM	+	Pearse Mullally	Ann Mullally	
5:00 PM	+	Patricia Curcio	Husband & Family	
<b>August 3, 2014</b>	<b>Sunday</b>			
7:00 AM	+	Ruth Dingley	Bill Frazer	
9:00 AM	+	Al & Joan Moser	Children	
11:00 AM		For Our Parishioners		
1:00 PM		Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Dennin (50th Anniversary)		
5:00 PM	+	Henry Hines	Alice Eichhorst	
<b>August 4, 2014</b>	<b>Monday</b>			
8:30 AM	+	Rose Marie McGovern	Mike & Nancy McGovern	
<b>August 5, 2014</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>			
8:30 AM	+	Cecilia & William Schultz	Schultz Family	
<b>August 6, 2014</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>			
8:30 AM	+	Mark Garbinsky	Jim & Barb Braccio	
<b>August 7, 2014</b>	<b>Thursday</b>			
8:30 AM	+	Shirley Heet	Joan Lee	
<b>August 8, 2014</b>	<b>Friday</b>			
8:30 AM	+	Dennis Stark	Arthur & Nancy Goldstein	
<b>August 9, 2014</b>	<b>Saturday</b>			
8:00 AM	+	Genevieve Ardito	Anthony & Valerie Bruno	
		<b>Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday</b>		
3:00 PM	+	Allie Van Der Bech	Ann Mullally	
5:00 PM	+	John Sterni	Ginny & Tony Aquino	
<b>August 10, 2014</b>	<b>Sunday</b>			
7:00 AM	+	Leo Mulvey & Family	Friends of Family	
9:00 AM	+	William & Mary Malley	Anthony & Edna D'Antuono	
11:00 AM		For Our Parishioners		
1:00 PM	+	John Murphy	Family	
5:00 PM	+	Genevieve Ardito	Jean & Manny Balliro	

*Flowers in Memory of Jean Thompson ~ requested by daughter Nan Mooney*

**SPECIAL OBSERVANCES AND READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Saturday, August 2, 2014**  
St. Eusebius of Vercelli; St. Peter Julian Eymard;  
Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday  
Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 14:1-12

**Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday**  
Is 55:1-3; Ps 145:8-9, 15-18; Rom 8:35, 37-39; Mt 14:13-21

**Sunday, August 3, 2014**  
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Is 55:1-3; Ps 145:8-9, 15-18; Rom 8:35, 37-39; Mt 14:13-21

**Monday, August 4, 2014**  
St. John Vianney  
Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102;  
Mt 14:22-36

**Tuesday, August 5, 2014**  
*Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major*  
Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23;  
Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

**Wednesday, August 6, 2014**  
The Transfiguration of the Lord;  
*Hiroshima Memorial Day*  
Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9

**Thursday, August 7, 2014**  
St. Sixtus II and Companions; St. Cajetan  
Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23

**Friday, August 8, 2014**  
St. Dominic  
Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab,  
39abcd, 41; Mt 16:24-28

**Saturday, August 9, 2014**  
St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross; Blessed Virgin Mary; *Nagasaki Memorial Day*  
Hb 1:12 – 2:4; Ps 9:8-13; Mt 17:14-20

**Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday**  
1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Ps 85:9-14; Rom 9:1-5; Mt 14:22-33

**Sunday, August 10, 2014**  
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Ps 85:9-14; Rom 9:1-5; Mt 14:22-33

**Holy Communion Available for the Hospitalized and Homebound**

Any parishioner who would like to receive Holy Communion while he/she is in the hospital or unable to get to Mass from his/her home may do so by calling the parish office, 566.8740, or emailing [emministry@sjecc.com](mailto:emministry@sjecc.com). An Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist will bring Holy Communion at a mutually agreed upon time. Please note that the Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist bring Holy Communion to North Naples NCH on Monday through Friday.



**MASS INTENTIONS...**

# Ten Youth Attend Boy Scout Camp

It's summer and that means Boy Scout summer camp! Ten boys and two adult leaders from Saint John the Evangelist traveled on an Amtrak train for 17 hours to Camp Boddie, located on the eastern coast of North Carolina. The older boys spent their week on wave runners, tubing, motor boating, paddle boarding, kayaking, and deep sea fishing on Pamlico Sound. The younger boys worked on rank advancements, merit badges and learning more about Scouting. We are so pleased that our troop was recognized by the camp leaders for their camaraderie and spirit of friendly good-fellowship and were awarded the "Spirit Award".

The weekend before they left for summer camp, the boys of Troop 226 had the privilege of presenting the colors at the Saint John the Evangelist Independence Day party. The party honored several veterans and celebrated Independence Day. The boys were invited to the dinner and showed their gratitude by helping with the meal clean-up. It was a wonderful evening for both the boys and the parents who attended this great event.

The boys will be starting the planning process for the coming year and are geared up for fun with weekend camping, merit badges, and community service. We are excited by our troop and would like to share our experiences with all the boys of Saint John the Evangelist. August is the perfect time for any boys interested in scouting to join Troop 226. You can visit the troop during one of the weekly meetings held on Thursday evenings from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. in the Claussen Center. You

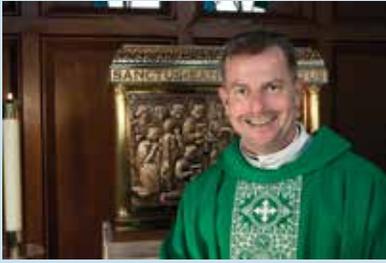


can also view the troop website at [troop-226.com](http://troop-226.com) where you will see photos of all of the troop activities showing how much fun and fellowship the boys are having. After you do, we hope you'll want to join our troop!

*article and photos submitted by Carolyn McNichols,  
Boys Scout Troop 226*



## PARISH CLERGY



**Fr. John J. Ludden, Pastor**

Fr. Len Gioeli	Associate
Fr. Jim Simko	Associate
Deacon Hal Brenner	
Deacon Frank Paniccia	
Deacon Forrest Wallace	
Deacon Al Groh	Senior Status

## 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, parents must be registered practicing members of St. John's for a minimum of two months. Classes are offered once a month and baptisms are celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month after the 1:00 p.m. Mass. Please call the parish office to register for a class. Upon completion of the class and fulfillment of the godparent requirements, parents may schedule a baptism date.

### *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.

### **Anointing of the Sick/Funeral Arrangements**

Call the parish office 566.8740. If the office is closed the answering machine will provide an emergency phone number for you to reach a priest.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

*Business Office is located in the PLC (behind the Church)*

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## PARISH REGISTRATION

Parish Registration Forms are available on the tables in the church narthex, in the parish office and on the website: [saintjohntheevangelist.com](http://saintjohntheevangelist.com) When on the website, click on the **Forms** tab at the top of the home page and select New Parishioner Form. Download the form, complete it and return the completed form to the parish office or drop in the collection basket.

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### **Administrative Office Hours are:**

Monday - Friday

8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

*(Office closed Noon - 1 p.m.)*

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 8:30 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.  
(until all are heard)

## MASS SCHEDULE

### **Daily Mass:**

*Monday-Friday*

8:30 a.m.

*Saturday* - 8:00 a.m.

### **Saturday Vigil Masses:**

3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.

### **Sunday Masses:**

7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m.,

11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m. Contemporary Mass

## 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@saintjohntheevangelist.com](mailto:info@saintjohntheevangelist.com)  
Thank you!

## BULLETIN SUBMISSION

Please submit all ordinary time submission requests by Thursday at 10:00 a.m. **10 days prior** to the Sunday publication you are requesting. You can **e-mail:** [kathys@saintjohntheevangelist.com](mailto:kathys@saintjohntheevangelist.com) or drop your submission off in the parish office.

### **Mass Cards**

Selections of cards are available in the parish office.

### **Mass Intentions**

We are currently accepting intentions for 2015.

### **Altar Flowers and/or Host & Wine**

We have 2015 Mass availability and 2014 wine and host and flowers availability. Stop by the parish office to offer the wine and host and/or the altar flowers in memory or in honor of your loved ones.

## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*To Know, To Love, and To Serve God  
in his church and our community.*

## PARISH INFORMATION...

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# Hymns for the 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 2 & 3

Readings:	<b>732</b>
Entrance Hymn:	<b>223</b> At That First Eucharist <i>*please sing asterisked first verse</i>
Preparation Hymn:	<b>364</b> Come To the Water
Communion Hymn:	<b>227</b> This Is Jesus
	<b>257</b> Panis Angelicus
Closing Hymn:	<b>581</b> Sent Forth By God's Blessing

## Choral Anthems at 11 AM Mass

Prelude	<b>I Will Sing Praises</b> <i>Theola Booker</i>
Communion	<b>Taste and See</b> <i>Thomas Oram</i>

## ANTIPHONS for WEEKDAY MASS

**Monday, August 4: Memorial of Saint John Vianney, Priest**

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON** *Ps 70 (69): 2, 6*

O God, come to my assistance;  
O Lord, make haste to help me!  
You are my rescuer, my help; O Lord, do not delay.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

R. Lord, teach me your statutes.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON** *Wis 16: 20*

You have given us, O Lord, bread from heaven,  
endowed with all delights and sweetness in every taste.

**Tuesday, August 5: Tuesday of the Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time**

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON** *Ps 70 (69): 2, 6*

O God, come to my assistance;  
O Lord, make haste to help me!  
You are my rescuer, my help; O Lord, do not delay.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

R. The Lord will build up Zion again, and appear in all his glory.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON** *Jn 6: 35*

I am the bread of life, says the Lord;  
whoever comes to me will not hunger  
and whoever believes in me will not thirst.

**Wednesday, August 6: Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord**

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON** *Cf. Mt 17: 5*

In a resplendent cloud the Holy Spirit appeared.  
The Father's voice was heard:  
This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.  
Listen to him.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

R. The Lord is king, the Most High over all the earth.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON** *Cf. 1 Jn 3: 2*

When Christ appears, we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is.

**Thursday, August 7: Thursday of the Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time**

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON** *Ps 70 (69): 2, 6*

O God, come to my assistance;  
O Lord, make haste to help me!  
You are my rescuer, my help; O Lord, do not delay.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

R. Create a clean heart in me, O God.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON** *Wis 16: 20*

You have given us, O Lord, bread from heaven,  
endowed with all delights and sweetness in every taste.

**Friday, August 8: Memorial of Saint Dominic, Priest**

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON** *Cf. Sir 15: 5*

In the midst of the Church he opened his mouth,  
and the Lord filled him with the spirit of wisdom and understanding  
and clothed him in a robe of glory.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

R. It is I who deal death and give life.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON** *Lk 12: 42*

This is the steward, faithful and prudent,  
whom the Lord set over his household  
to give them their allowance of food at the proper time.

**Saturday, August 9: Saturday of the Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time**

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON** *Ps 70 (69): 2, 6*

O God, come to my assistance;  
O Lord, make haste to help me!  
You are my rescuer, my help; O Lord, do not delay.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

R. You forsake not those who seek you, O Lord.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON** *Jn 6: 35*

I am the bread of life, says the Lord;  
whoever comes to me will not hunger  
and whoever believes in me will not thirst.

by Jean-Paul Boucher  
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### #ToKnow – Pope Francis’ Top 10 Secrets to Happiness

In an interview this week, Our Holy Father provided the tidbits of how he lives his life, trying to be loving and joyous to all around him. Some of his insights are simple, but they are so true for all Catholics, Christians, and all of humanity. If people could live by these tenants, the world would be a happier, engaged place.

1. *“Live and let live.” Everyone should be guided by this principle, he said, which has a similar expression in Rome with the saying, “Move forward and let others do the same.”*
2. *“Be giving of yourself to others.” People need to be open and generous toward others, he said, because “if you withdraw into yourself, you run the risk of becoming egocentric. And stagnant water becomes putrid.”*
3. *“Proceed calmly” in life. The pope, who used to teach high school literature, used an image from an Argentine novel by Ricardo Guiraldes, in which the protagonist -- gaucho Don Segundo Sombra -- looks back on how he lived his life.*
4. *“A healthy sense of leisure.” The pleasures of art, literature and playing together with children have been lost, he said.*
5. *Sundays should be holidays. Workers should have Sundays off because “Sunday is for family,” he said.*
6. *Find innovative ways to create dignified jobs for young people. “We need to be creative with young people. If they have no opportunities they will get into drugs” and be more vulnerable to suicide, he said. “It’s not enough to give them food,” he said. “Dignity is given to you when you can bring food home” from one’s own labor.*

7. *Respect and take care of nature. Environmental degradation “is one of the biggest challenges we have,” he said. “I think a question that we’re not asking ourselves is: ‘Isn’t humanity committing suicide with this indiscriminate and tyrannical use of nature?’”*
8. *Stop being negative. “Needing to talk badly about others indicates low self-esteem. That means, ‘I feel so low that instead of picking myself up I have to cut others down,’” the pope said. “Letting go of negative things quickly is healthy.”*
9. *Don’t proselytize; respect others’ beliefs. “We can inspire others through witness so that one grows together in communicating. But the worst thing of all is religious proselytism, which paralyzes: ‘I am talking with you in order to persuade you,’ No. Each person dialogues, starting with his and her own identity. The church grows by attraction, not proselytizing,” the pope said.*
10. *Work for peace. “We are living in a time of many wars,” he said, and “the call for peace must be shouted. Peace sometimes gives the impression of being quiet, but it is never quiet, peace is always proactive” and dynamic. — Pope Francis 7/27/2014 (<http://www.catholicnews.com/data/stories/cns/1403144.htm>)*

### #ToLove – Families in Christ: New Format and Exciting Events

One of the special events we have here at St. John is Families in Christ. This monthly activity has been established to let all the families of the parish meet, mingle, and learn a little bit

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Families in Christ

## #ToKnow #ToLove #ToServe

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about their faith. The timing and format of Families in Christ has changed over the years and based on all of your feedback, I am happy to announce the new structure of Families in Christ. In conjunction with Faith Formation, Families in Christ will move its time back to Sunday morning, before the 11:00 a.m. Mass, on the first Sunday of each month, providing for consistency. It will also be invigorated in the fashion of our Mission, with quarterly themes that will allow for:

- #ToKnow: Educational events, with age-appropriate breakouts for the youth and parent-focused discussions.
- #ToLove: Social events, where the youth and families will be able to enjoy a special treat like a movie or activity
- #ToServe: Service events, where we will provide support and service to the community

If you are interested in joining in our Families in Christ Leadership Team, please contact me.

## #ToServe – New Frontier: Supporting an Amazing Parish

As you may have read in other parts of the bulletin this week, I have been blessed with the opportunity to continue to support this parish with some additional duties and responsibilities. It is my honor to serve you in achieving our Parish Mission and to assist you in engaging our faith. I want to thank Fr. John for trusting me with these efforts. Most importantly, I want to thank Scott for his mentorship, friendship, and support these past months. I will miss him tremendously and I can only hope to fill half of his shoes. Please join me in wishing Scott and his family the best of luck on their new adventure. If you have any questions at all, my door is always open and I would love to hear from you.



Scott Schlossberg, General Manager, at 2014 St. Pat's Day party.

## ASSUMPTION of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated Friday, August 15. Mass times for this holy day of obligation are:

8:00 and 10:00 a.m.

Noon

5:00 and 7:00 p.m.

*Today the virgin Mother of God was taken up into heaven to be the beginning and pattern of the Church in its perfection and a sign of hope and comfort for your people on their pilgrim way.*

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**Adult Faith Enrichment Ministry.**

Offers adult education programming for continued growth in our faith through such activities as retreats, Bible & Catechism studies, lectures, seminars, social action opportunities and workshops. Margie Lynch: 228.3909; margie@saintjohntheevangelist.com

**AGA (Alienated Grandparents**

**Anonymous).** Provides information and support to grandparents who feel alienated or estranged from access to their grandchildren. Third Thursdays at 7 p.m. in the PLC ballroom.

**AA.** Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. PLC.

**Al-Anon.** Monday 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.; Tuesday, 7 p.m.; Wednesday - beginners, 11:30 a.m.; and noon - discussion; all in PLC. Wednesday evenings 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. St. Leo Catholic Church, Juan Diego Building. Carol: 804.306.5323

**Ala-Teen.** Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. PLC.

**Arimatheans.** A group of caring parishioners who support parishioners by attending funerals as representation of our faith community. Elaine: 566-8160

**Bible Teaching.** Lectors and friends convene Saturdays, 10 a.m. in the Claussen Center for relevant Bible teaching and retelling of the Scriptures. Join us in acquiring greater understanding of the weekly readings and growing in faith with us. Victor: 290.9090

**Choirs:****Adult Choir of St. John the Evangelist.**

Rehearsals Wednesdays, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Residents and seasonals welcome. Tom Oram: 566.8740

**Children's Choir of St. John the Evangelist.**

Rehearsals Wednesdays, 5:00 to 5:25 p.m. Grades 1-5. Tom Oram: 566.8740

**Contemporary Choir of St. John the Evangelist.**

Rehearsals Sundays, 3:30 to 5 p.m. Grades 6-12 especially welcome. Tom Oram: 566.8740

**Circle of Comfort.** If you have cancer, or are taking care of someone who does, you may be facing challenges that may leave you feeling overwhelmed, frightened, alone and in need of comfort. Let us share our experience of faith, strength and prayer with you. We help each other live one day at a time through encouragement, prayer, laughter or whatever it takes to bring comfort to each other. Jim or Darlene 566.8740

**Cursillistas.** Third Tuesday monthly at 7:30 p.m.

The Naples area Ultreya meets at St. William's Ministry Center, Seagate Drive. All Cursillistas and visitors welcome. Robyn DeVille: 253.6275 or robyndeville@earthlink.net

**Divine Gift Boutique** (located across from the ladies restroom). **Summer Hours:** Saturday from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m., Sunday from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Closed during the week. If interested in volunteering in the gift shop contact Jackie Gibson: 228.3921

**Faith Chat.** Wednesdays at 5:45 - 7:30 p.m. in Library. Maggie Miller: 239.687.0687

**Grief Support.** Sessions will run for seven weeks beginning February 18 at 10 a.m. in room 1 of the Claussen Center. Dee: 594.7193

**Job Search Skills & Support.** Mondays 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the library. Free. Carol Marlow: 948.0050 (on hiatus until September)

**Knights of Columbus St. John Council 11281.**

Meets first Monday of the month. Officers at 6 p.m.; business meeting at 7 p.m. Social meeting last Monday of the month. Visiting Knights are welcome. Scott Schwarz, Grand Knight: 514.4663

**Knights of Columbus Arthur J. Corr Assembly**

**3308.** Meeting are third Tuesday of every month at Noon in the Seminar Room of the Claussen Center. Visiting Knights are invited. S/K Gary Ray: 596.4976

**Knitting & Crocheting.** Tuesdays from 10 - Noon: Want to learn? We are a service group that knits & crochets to benefit those in need: blankets for soldiers, hats for cancer patients, baby hats & booties & prayer shawls. Call the office: 566.8740

**Ladies of Charity.** Meets the second Friday of every month, volunteers in Immokalee schools, the Guadalupe soup kitchen and clothing bank and visits local nursing homes to assist residents who want to attend Mass. For friendly visits and simple errands for the homebound, call Diane Pesce at 630.571.0707. If interested in joining, call MarieElaina Mullin: 273.1702.

**Mah Jong.** Wednesday, Noon - 3 p.m. Beginners welcome. Joan Scariotti: 594.0994

**Men's Club.** Group of dedicated men (with the superb assistance from their ladies) who assist the Pastor and the parish. Meetings are the second Thursday of the month, 2-3 p.m. New members welcome. Joe Lichwalla: 248.877.3332 or Richard Bergeron: 593.6092

**Gospel Forum.** Group of men who join together to discuss the following Sunday's gospel and its application to everyday life. Prayer and casual discussion of various spiritual writings follows. Pizza and soft drinks offered. Meets Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8 p.m. in PLC. Scott Baier: 877.9784 or Chet Lucarelli: 289.2807

**Narcotics Anonymous.** Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, 8 p.m. PLC.

**Philothea.** Women ages 20-45 meet to support and encourage one another through the joys and struggles of life, work and motherhood in Christian environment. Alternate Wednesdays, 7 - 9 p.m. Martha Oram: 407.615.9017 or mjr.oram@gmail.com

**Pinochle.** Tuesday, 1-4 p.m. Joseph DeJesus: 598.9865

**Respect Life.** A group of parishioners committed to protecting the sanctity of life in all of its stages. They coordinate all respect life activities within the parish as well as outreach to the community. Meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Claussen Center. Rosemary Erickson: 597.3941

**Sewing Group.** Meets to sew for needy children on Wednesdays 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. in room 1 of the PLC. New members are invited.

**St. Vincent de Paul.** Meets first and third Tuesdays in the PLC after 8:00 a.m. Mass. SVdP Office: 775.1667

**Sing-A-Long.** Jayne Potter: 597.5483

**Third Order of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Lay Carmelites.**

Phyllis Gryskiewicz, 566.7307

**Women's Bible Study.** Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m. in the Library and Monday evenings in Room 3 and 4 in the PLC. Maggie Miller: 239.687.0687 or maggnana@comcast.net or Linda Reilly, 821.8982

## PRAYER GROUPS

### Pray The Rosary & The Chaplet of Divine Mercy

We pray in the Church every morning except Sunday. We begin 45 minutes before Mass. Please join us. *(We have printed guides with the prayers.)*

### Cenacle of Life Prayer Group

Blessed John Paul II said "a great prayer for Life is urgently needed!" Cenacle participants pray for an end to the Culture of Death every Tuesday evening, 6:00 to 6:45 p.m., in the Adoration Chapel. In the powerful presence of the Blessed Sacrament, we offer 10 mysteries of the rosary and related prayers and we fast one day a week on our own. All are welcome! Please call the parish office for the Chapel code.

### THROUGH THE DARKNESS BRING US TO THE LIGHT

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

<b>Lcpl. Francisco Alvarenga</b> U.S. Marines	<b>Specialist Douglas Hennessy</b> U.S. Army
<b>CSM Paul Bianco</b> U.S. Army, (Afghanistan)	<b>Marine Lt. Colonel Brian Howlett</b> U.S. Marine Corp
<b>Sp. Petrus Botha</b> U.S. Army	<b>AT3 Corinne MacFarlane</b> U.S. Navy
<b>S. Isaiah Brutus</b> U.S. Air Force	<b>Lt. John Meyers</b> U.S. Army
<b>Ensign Stuart Campbell</b> U.S. Navy	<b>LCpl. Randy A. Novak (USMC)</b>
<b>BM2 Charley Davidson</b> U.S. Navy (USS Samuel B. Roberts)	<b>LCpl. Ryan D. Novak (USMC)</b>
<b>Adam Decker</b> U.S. Air Force	<b>Ryan D. Novak (USMC)</b>
<b>Nicholas Detloff</b> U.S. Air Force	<b>Cpt. Daniel Palmer</b> U.S. Army
<b>Sgt. Anthony J. Diamante</b> U.S. Army	<b>Cpt. John Palmer</b> U.S. Army
<b>Joshua Emmons</b> U.S. Air Force	<b>Cpt. Martin Palmer</b> U.S. Army
<b>Lt. Colin Flood</b> U.S. Army, Special Forces	<b>1Lt. Robert Pedrigo</b> U.S. Army
<b>Lt. Bernardo Garcia</b> U.S. Marines	<b>Lt. Joseph Schafer</b> U.S. Army
<b>Lt. Joseph Gilig</b> 1st Marine Division * LAV Recon	<b>Lt. Gregory Spencer</b> U.S. Army, (Afghanistan)
<b>Cpl. Dylan Granza</b> U.S. Army Ranger	<b>Lt. Kelly Spencer</b> U.S. Air Force
<b>Specialist Shelby Granza</b> U.S. Army	<b>Houng Tran</b> U.S. Army
<b>S. Sgt. Patrick H. Hammer</b> U.S. Marine Corp * LAV Recon (Afghanistan)	<b>IT2 Jason E. Tydingco</b> (USN)
	<b>SSGT. Matthew Watson</b> U.S. Air Force (Afghanistan)

### Divine Will Prayer Group

Are you hungering and thirsting for the Lord. Come. Grow in the knowledge of his most adorable will where you will be filled to overflowing with his love. The group meets on Fridays at 9:45 a.m. in the Claussen Center, room 15. Linda Reilly: 821.8982

### Centering Prayer /Lectio Divina

Forty-five minutes of peaceful, silent and beautiful prayer and contemplation. Only your quiet presence is needed. Mondays: 5:30 p.m. in Room 15 Claussen Center. Following the morning Mass, every

Wednesday, Wednesday Centering Prayer will meet in the Parish Library.

### Liturgy of the Hours

Members of the third order of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Lay Carmelites pray the Morning Prayer after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

### St. John Charismatic Prayer Group "Blazing Hearts"

Prayer group meets Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in cry room. Linda Reilly: 821.8982

## PRAYER LIST

*We remember those who have died recently, especially:*

Marilynn Cass, Eugene Hay and Barbara Ann Fitzgerald Mermin

*May they rest in eternal peace.*

Deacon Al	Jim Diamante	Ann Maniuszko	Claire Scott
Jacob Andrew	Julie Dieter	Pat Martell	Douglas Scott
Rich Annunziata	Alexandria Dolkas	Zoey Mazzanti	Jane & Bob Shengulet
Fernando Ardila	Leon Doughty	Barbara McCabe	Teresa Shengulet
Thomas Ardila	Ann Marie Esposito	Sharon McCarthy	Bill Shepherd
Michael Arnold	T.F.	Carolyn McDonald	Bruce Sherman
Lana August	Marie Fabiano	John McGuire	Karen Shin
Robyn Baldwin	Dottie Farrell	Reggie McGuire	Barbara Silva
Frank Balletta	Donna Flynn	McKee Family	Marianna Smith
Kristen and Lila Barson	Edward Gaynor	Carolyn McNichols	Winnie Smith
Jimmy Bee	Gomez Family	Paul Michael	Frank Squartino
Margie Benefico	Helen Graff	John Minahan	Kathy & David Struble
Barbara Berg	M.A.H.	Ed Moriarity	Dot Sullivan
Josephine Berlin	Reg Hart	Elsie & Ken Moskal	Pat Sutter
Grayson Berry	Eugene Hay	Ned	Joanmarie Switalski
Linda Berry	Richard Hennings	Donna Negralle	Brooke Sytsma
Mary Bessner	Gerard Heyen	Peter Nicoletta	Tara & Family
Gregory Bitondo	Karen Hohne	Emma O'Rourke	Rita Taranto
Dawn & Braylin	Charlotte Hollohan	Edmund Ostos	Candace Taylor
Pat Brody	Jeff Horkey	Maryla Panagos	Zack Thoma
Lawrence Burdiss	Colton Horvatt	Piccirelli Family	Rick and Elaine Thompson
Julie Butler	Donald Howe	Albert Pellegrino	Margaret Tomaszewski
Frank Caccavo, Jr.	Michael Hutchins	Megan Peterson	Patricia Trapnell
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	Mary Jo Magner		

**LET US PRAY...**

To submit a two-week prayer request call 566.8740, or email: [info@saintjohntheevangelist.com](mailto:info@saintjohntheevangelist.com)

AUGUST 3, 2014 ~ EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES



Believe it or not, August of 2014 marks the 10th anniversary of Scott's Corner. What began as a suggestion from one of our volunteers turned into my open line of communication with the parish community. If my math is correct, I have written over 500 editions of Scott's Corner at Saint John the Evangelist and another 150 or so at St. Agnes.

In writing my weekly column, I have done my very best to be candid and extremely transparent in communicating my thoughts. I have discussed many points of interest in the past 10 years ranging from finance to solicitation for special projects and even sharing personal tidbits, such as the birth of my triplets with you.

This particular edition was the one that I wasn't sure I would ever write or how it would be written, but eventually all good things ultimately come to an end.

My wife (Shelley) was an employee of a very large Naples based company for 10 years. That company has since been acquired by another company located out of state and subsequently, Shelley was out of job. In contemplating what we would do with the loss of her position, she was approached by a team from Arizona and offered an opportunity which was too good to pass up. This is literally a dream job for Shelley, and I have chosen to support her in her endeavors by moving our family out west.

I must say that notifying Fr. John of my plans was one of the toughest things I have had to do in my life. I have grown to respect and trust Fr. John on a personal, professional and spiritual level. He has been very good to me, and I believe we made a very good team working together.

When I informed Fr. John that I will be moving to Arizona with my family, he asked me to stay on until the end of October so that I may successfully download my 17 years of knowledge and expertise to my replacement(s). Jean-Paul (JP) Boucher will be my primary replacement and will be responsible for the day to day management of the parish. As you can attest, JP is quite qualified and very capable to step in. We will be working very closely in the near term to ensure a very smooth transition.

I will miss Saint John the Evangelist greatly and especially the relationships created over a span of 17 years. I was often asked why I didn't choose to do something different over the years and my answer was always that "I love

my job and I love this parish." This is certainly the truth, although there were many times during the height of season that I wondered what in the world I was doing.

We have had our share of ups and downs over the years especially with the transition from our founding Pastor, Fr. Glackin, to Fr. John, however, we always weathered the storm and emerged stronger than ever. Fr. John asked me what I was most proud of during my tenure and my answer was keeping the parish fully engaged during the aforementioned transitional period. People do not like change and that was a big change. I spent many months meeting with parish families one on one explaining the TRUTH about what happened and setting the record straight. Although we lost some parish families during that time period, the majority of those who met with me chose to stay and are definitely glad they did.

Many professional athletes always claim to want to retire at the pinnacle rather than dragging out their careers and retiring as a backup. I can honestly say that I am leaving you with a great team of clergy and staff. As I alluded to several weeks ago, this is the best compilation of clergy and staff that have been assembled in my 17 years here.

Although my heart is broken to be leaving all of you, I know that this is a great move for my family and their well-being. Since I am a self-proclaimed "straight shooter," allow me to once again set the record straight. I am making this decision on my own and not under any type of coercion.

This is not the final Scott's Corner as there will be plenty to discuss for the next three months. This is, however, the end of an era and I am thankful to all of you for the love you have shown over the years.

As an aside, I have a business opportunity setup for myself in Arizona which looks to be a great opportunity as well. I have also located a great Catholic Community where I plan to enroll my children in school and attend Mass.

Thank you again for your support, patience and love during my tenure here at Saint John the Evangelist.

In His work together,

Scott Schlossberg, MBA  
General Manager

# St. John and Knights to Host First Oktoberfest Here

Oktoberfest is the world's largest funfair held annually in Munich, Bavaria, Germany. It is a 16-day festival running from late September to the first weekend in October with more than 6 million people from around the world attending the event every year. To the locals, it is often simply called Wiesn, after the colloquial name of the fairgrounds (*Theresienwiese*) themselves. The Oktoberfest is an important part of Bavarian culture, having been held since 1810. Other cities across the world also hold yearly Oktoberfest celebrations, modeled after the original Munich event.

The Saint John the Evangelist Knights of Columbus Council #11281 will follow in their footsteps sponsoring the first Oktoberfest at St. John on Saturday, October 4, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Planned are rides, exhibits, German food and drink, all of which are part of the traditional celebration of Oktoberfest. In addition, Bavarian style musical entertainment will be on hand to ensure a lively celebration. Bavarian dress will be worn and local event sponsors will be recognized for their support of the Oktoberfest and exhibits.

Proceeds from the Oktoberfest event will help those in need in the Immokalee areas. The Knights of Columbus have been

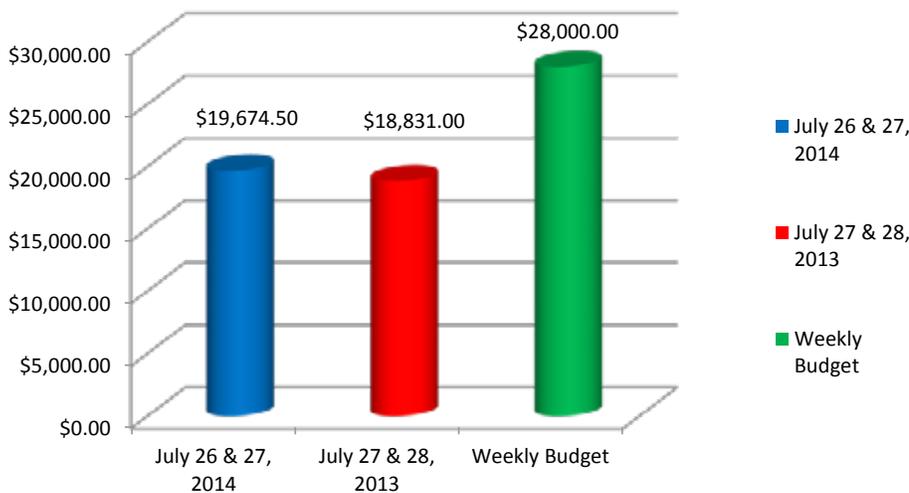
supporting the food pantries, health clinics, Habitat for Humanity, and people of the area for years (see April 27 Saint John the Evangelist bulletin article). The proceeds will help the Knights and Saint John the Evangelist continue to provide the support for the neediest in our community.

Please check the bulletin each week for more details about this event and for information on obtaining tickets for this celebration and the start of a traditional Oktoberfest annual event.

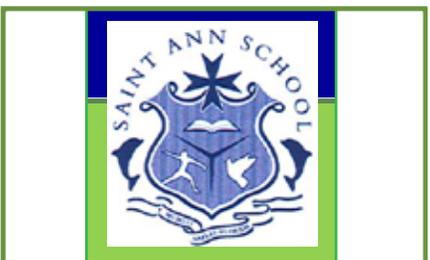
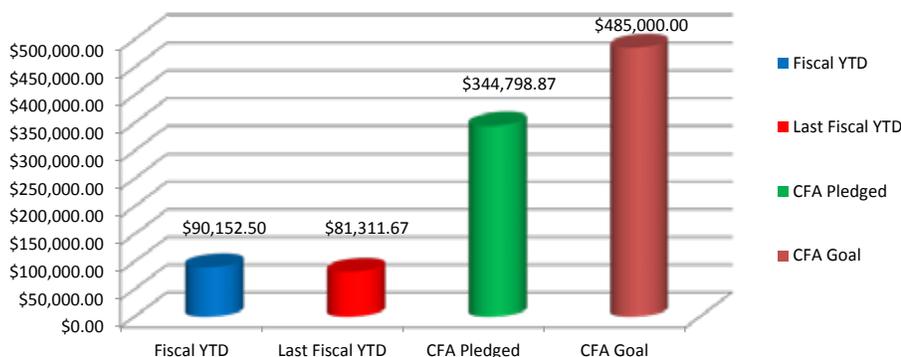


*A donation check was presented to the Guadalupe House food kitchen and pantry of Immokalee this past spring to help them with their outreach programs to the needy, including their Food Pantry, Kitchen, and Meals for those needing assistance. The St. John Council regularly assists at Guadalupe House and raises funds to assist them throughout the year. Pictured are (left to right) PGK Bill Warvel, Grand Knight Paul Barrus, Financial Secretary Gary Ray, and Guadalupe Program Director Tricia Yeggy.*

## Collection Summary



## Fiscal YTD (7/1/2014-6/30/2015) & CFA Summary



## Job Openings at Saint Ann Catholic School:

**Technology Coordinator/IT Specialist ~ Full Time**

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*Isaiah 55:1-3*

*Psalm 145:8-9, 15-16, 17-18*

*Romans 8:35, 37-39*

*Matthew 14:13-21*

# The Word & Life

## *Blessed, Broken and Shared*

In our readings today, we encounter a vast range of emotions. In the gospel message, Jesus had just learned of the death of John the Baptist. Traditional interpretation of the scriptural texts indicates that John was Jesus' second cousin. Since family bonds are very important, this loss must have been difficult to deal with for Jesus. Moreover, John the Baptist was the herald of Jesus' coming and the last of the great prophets — Jesus must have known how important John's witness was to salvation history. Jesus seeks solitude in the midst of his sorrow. However, he is soon confronted with a need much greater than his own. When he returns from the deserted place, he experiences a hunger and thirst beyond words. His heart is moved with pity at the sight of the crowds and he heals their illness, suffering, and pain.

The crowds are blessed by Jesus' healing presence.

These people had obviously heard about the miraculous events that surrounded Jesus and his ministry. The gospel account suggests that the people were not only hungry for food but for Jesus' presence as well. He provides for the people on two different levels: the physical level and the spiritual one. Jesus nourishes both the body and the soul. As he looks out at the crowd, he takes the bread, blesses it, breaks it, and shares it with the hungry souls. In this divine moment, the crowd experiences God sharing a meal with them. The miracle was brought about with merely five loaves and two fish. Yet, five thousand were satisfied. There was obviously something divine at work!

Every time we gather for the Mass, we come together to be nourished by the Word of God and to be fed by His body and blood. As we gather for prayer and worship we know that some people are carrying tremendous burdens. Illness, financial concerns, or family problems often plague some of the vulnerable souls who occupy the seats of our church. Others come to give thanks for the many blessings that life

### Reflection Questions

1. How does Jesus deal with the death of John the Baptist?
2. How can you learn from Christ's example in your own experience?
3. Why do you think people sought Jesus' company?
4. Why was Jesus' heart moved with pity for the crowds?
5. Name the ways in which you hunger for God's presence in your life?
6. How does God provide for you?
7. What are the signs of a hungry will and how does God respond to such hunger?
8. Do you feel filled with God's Word and nourished by His body during the celebration of the Eucharist?
9. How does the nourishment given to you at Mass flow out into the world?

brings them. No matter who we are and what we are experiencing, whether we are blessed or broken, we nonetheless gather as one. Both the body and the soul are given strength in our Eucharistic encounters. The priest blesses, breaks, and shares the Sacred Bread just as Jesus did all those years ago. Hopefully, we come to Mass in the same way that the people of Jesus' day did, i.e., hungry for the food from heaven. As we collect our thoughts in those quiet moments before the Mass begins, we recognize the blessings of having a hunger within our souls that only God can satisfy. Without God we are nothing — our eternal life depends on Him. It is imperative that we hunger for God in this world in order to taste the delights of the world to come.

**Reflecting  
on the Sunday Readings  
with Fr. John J. Ludden, Pastor**



**Prayer**

*Lord Jesus, may we come to you with hungry hearts. May we know that the blessing of emptiness within us can ultimately fill us with your life. Come to us and dwell with us — celebrate with us, cry with us, and fill us with your love. Amen.*

**Voices of Faith**

***A Sacred Feeding***

Over seas, mountains, and grassy plains  
They sought Him out  
People like you and I  
With a hunger not only of body,  
But of soul.

Hungering souls behold their God  
Who is ready to feed,  
Willing to heal,  
And prepared to satisfy  
An insatiable appetite for Love and Truth

Five barley loaves and two fish  
Are man's humble gifts  
Placed into Sacred Hands  
They are Blessed, Broken, and Shared,  
In thanksgiving they are offered to hungry  
souls

Reclining on still meadows  
Thousands receive the gift  
Hungers are taken away  
And the sign of God revealed  
No longer will they hunger, no longer they  
need healed

For in that very moment  
Is the very presence of God made known



*Gregorio Guglielmi's "The Multiplication of the Loaves and Fishes"*  
(Catholic News Service photo/Max Rossi, Reuters)

A Sacred Feeding takes place  
That satisfies both heart and soul  
And so God whispers, "I love you. I nourish you, for you are mine."

Thousands rise up from grassy plains  
Changed by their encounter, nothing goes to waste  
They are given food for their journey  
Bread for their soul  
And make a return home, touched by the gift

And so God returns to mountain's grandeur  
Where eagles soar  
And angels fly  
He waits in Sacred Silence  
To provide once again for broken spirits and hungry souls

— "Peaceful Moments" by Fr. John J. Ludden

# 5 PM Mass Music Worship Aid

## Sunday, August 3, 2014

# the 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Opening Song Blessed Be Your Name

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Verses 1 & 2) Blessed be your name in the land that is plentiful,  
Where your streams of abundance flow, blessed be your name.  
Blessed be your name, when I'm found in the desert place,  
Though I walk through the wilderness, blessed be your name. *(chorus, below)*

Verses 3 & 4) Blessed be your name when the sun's shining down on me  
When the world's all as it should be, blessed be your name  
Blessed be your name on the road marked with suffering  
Though there's pain in the offering, blessed be your name. *(to chorus, below)*

Bridge) You give and take away; you give and take away  
My heart will choose to say, "Lord, blessed be your name!" *(to chorus, below)*



Ev - 'ry bless - ing You pour out I'll turn back to praise.

When the dark - ness clos - es in, Lord, still I will say. "Bless - ed be the

name of the Lord, bless - ed be Your name. Bless - ed be the

name of the Lord, bless - ed be Your glo - ri - ous name."

Kyrie • *spoken*      Gloria • *The Mass of St. John the Evangelist* (please see worship aid in pew)

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Response (cf. Ps 145:16)

The hand of the Lord feeds us; he an - swers all our needs. The

5 hand of the Lord feeds us; he an - swers all our needs.

Memorial Acclamation (C) • Great Amen • *Agnus Dei* •  
*The Mass of St. John the Evangelist* (please see worship aid in pew)

**Spirit of the Living God**

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Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall fresh on me.  
Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall fresh on me.  
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.  
Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall fresh on me.

### Cub Scout Night!

Thursday, August 21, 2014 at 6:30 p.m.

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Please contact Nicole with any questions! 239-595-3360

**Undy Sunday Is Weekends  
of August 10 and August 17**

Catholic Charities of Collier County is once again sponsoring its annual Undy Sunday the weekends of August 10 and August 17. Catholic Charities asks for our assistance in bringing new and unused underwear and socks sizes 4 through 12 (small sizes preferred.) Donations may be dropped off in the boxes provided in the narthex the weekends of August 10 and August 17.

Cash donations will also be accepted to purchase additional underwear and socks or to meet other needs of low income children. For cash donations, please make checks payable to Catholic Charities of Collier County and mark it "For Undy Sunday."

## Adult Choir Fundraiser;

### Last CPK Event

And one that requires no extra money out of your pocket.

Friday, August 15 we are hosting a day for our parish to eat at **California Pizza Kitchen** between **11 AM & 9 PM**. Which one, you ask? **EITHER Waterside Shops in Naples, or Coconut Point in Bonita.**

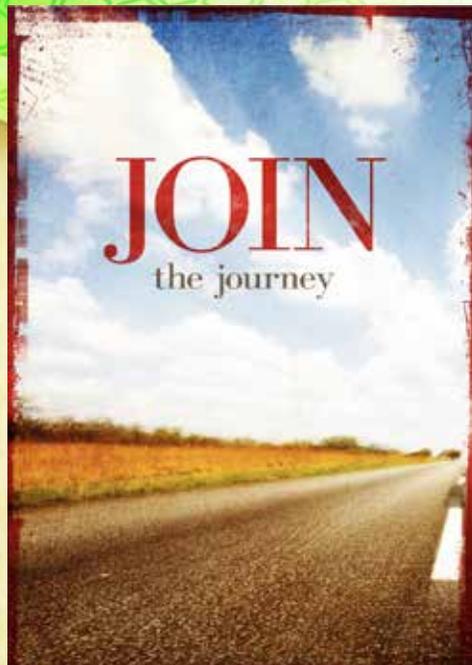
When you ask the server or manager for a St. John flyer to go with your tab, 20% from your bill will be donated to the Adult Choir.

So you can come out and have a good time, run into fellow parishioners, and help send us to Ireland!



# Faith Formation

## HAPPY SUMMER



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- Are you returning to the church?
- Are you seeking the Sacraments of Initiation?
- Do you know your faith?

**CLASSES START OCTOBER 2, 2014**

For more information contact:

Margie Lynch at 239-228-3909 or email at [RCIA@saintjohntheevangelist.com](mailto:RCIA@saintjohntheevangelist.com)

### YOU ARE CALLED TO GET INVOLVED

Faith Formation needs catechists and teacher aides for the 2014-2015 school year. Our program has expanded to include grade levels Pre-K through Tenth Grade. Please contact Margie Lynch, Director of Religious Education if you desire to become more involved in your church.

*Then I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for Us?" Then I said, "Here am I. Send me!"*

Isaiah 6:8

### Director of Religious Education

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Questions? Call Renate Ferrante at 239-272-5092. Free and open to the public.

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