St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church 🦂 A Diocese of Venice Jubilee Pilgrimage Site

July 13, 2025 - The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



The Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

The Jubilee Prayer

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

Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

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

Parish Information

Mass Times

Monday-Friday: 8:30am (livestreamed)

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

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

Reconciliation Times

Monday and Wednesday after morning Mass Saturday: 9:00am and 2:00-2:45pm

OFFICE INFORMATION

Mailing Address & Contact Information

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Office Hours of Operation

Monday - Friday: 8:30am - 4:00pm

Religious Gift Shop Hours

Wednesday: 9:00am-1:00pm; Friday: 9:00am-1:00pm Saturday: 2:00pm - 6:15pm; Sunday: 8:30am - 1:00pm

CLERGY & STAFF

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Calendar and Mass Readings

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, July 13

7:00amMass (Church)9:00amMass (Church)11:00amMass (Church)1:00pmMass (Church)5:00pmMass (Church)

Monday, July 14

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)

Tuesday, July 15

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)6:30pm Legion of Mary (Library)

Wednesday, July 16

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)9:00am Parish Breakfast (Pulte Cafe)

Thursday, July 17

8:30am	Daily Mass (Church)
6:00pm	Young Adult Group (Alexandria)
7:00pm	Men's Bible Study (Rooms 1&2)

Friday, July 18

8:30am Daily Mass (Church)

Saturday, July 19

8:30am Morning Mass (Church)3:00pm Vigil Mass (Church)5:00pm Vigil Mass (Church)

FIND CHIARA

This year, our Faith Formation Students learned about Blessed Chiara. Each week in the bulletin, the illustrated version of Blessed Chiara is



hidden. When you locate her, say a prayer for her canonization. Learn more about her selfless life; she is an amazing example for all of us. n last week's bulletin, Chiara was on page 16 in the Endowment ad.

Prayer for Safety during this Hurricane Season

O almighty and eternal God, who sees us surrounded by so many dangers and challenges, grant in your infinite goodness your protection over us during this hurricane season. Give continued healing to those still suffering from past storms, wisdom to those who lead our communities, and a spirit of generosity toward neighbor where sacrifice is needed. We ask this through Christ our Lord, who is our constant help and protector, now and forevermore. Amen

WEEKLY READINGS

Sunday: Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 (see 33)/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

Monday: Ex 1:8-14, 22/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8/Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday: Ex 2:1-15a/Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34/Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7/Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Ex 3:13-20/Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27/Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Ex 11:10—12:14/Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc, 17-18/Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Ex 12:37-42/Ps 136:1 and 23-24, 10-12, 13-15/Mt 12:14-21

Next Sunday: Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 (1a)/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

SAFE ENVIRONMENT POLICY

The Diocese of Venice states that, "all employees, covered volunteers and religious brothers and sisters must be electronically fingerprinted. Eligibility for employment/ volunteer work/ministry will be contingent and conditioned upon a satisfactory background investigation. A reasonable effort shall be made to update the criminal history background information every five (5) years". The Diocese classifies a covered volunteer as "any unpaid adult person engaged or involved in a Diocesan activity in which he/she is entrusted with the care and supervision of children or allowed unsupervised access to children or vulnerable adults" (e.g. when screened personnel not present).

St. John the Evangelist also requires the following volunteers to go through the background screening process (through fingerprints):

- Volunteers who handle cash, credit cards, and other financial transactions
- Volunteers who are entrusted with confidential information, such as donor records and parish registration forms
- Volunteers who serve, distribute, and administer the Holy Eucharist

Report any abuse against minors to the Florida Department of Children and Families at 800-962-2873. If Diocesan personnel or volunteers are involved, also notify the Diocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator, Susan Benton: 941-416-6114.

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Greeting:

Priest: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.People: Amen.Priest: The Lord be with you. (*or another greeting*)People: And with your spirit.

Penitential Act (Confiteor and/or Kyrie):

A) All: I confess to almighty God, and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

B)	Priest:	Lord, have mercy.	People:	Lord, have mercy.
	Priest:	Christ, have mercy.	People:	Christ, have mercy.
	Priest:	Lord, have mercy.	People:	Lord, have mercy.

Gloria (an ancient hymn of praise):

All: Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Response after the First and Second 1	Readings:
Lector: The Word of the Lord.	People: Thanks be to God.
Dialogue before the Gospel Proclama	ation:
Cantor: Alleluia! (sung)	People: Alleluia!
Priest: The Lord be with you.	People: And with your spirit.
Priest: A reading from the Holy C	Gospel according to
soloomietoopieos – tei nalaeleto na adaleto 🗢 e cene ladaleto 🖉 e – te	People: Glory to you, O Lord.
After the Gospel Proclamation:	o boot internation in the second in the second s
Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.	People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Mass Responses and Prayers

Profession of Faith (Nicene Creed; or the Apostles Creed may also be recited): I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Universal Prayer / Prayer of the Faithful:

Lector: ...let us pray to the Lord. People: Lord, hear our prayer.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Table / Presentation of the Gifts (first part may be done silently):
Priest: Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, through your goodness... (2x)
People: Blessed be God for ever.
Priest: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.
People: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.

Acclamations during the Eucharistic Prayer:

Preface Dialogue:Priest: The Lord be with you.People: And with your spirit.Priest: Lift up your hearts.People: We lift them up to the Lord.Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.People: It is right and just.

Sanctus:

All: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
 Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
 Hosanna in the highest.
 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
 Hosanna in the highest.

Mass Responses and Prayers

Mystery of Faith:

Priest: The mystery of faith:

People: A - We proclaim your death, O Lord,

and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

B – When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,

we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again.

C - Save us, Savior of the world,

for by your Cross and Resurrection, you have set us free.

Great Amen:

Priest: Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, for ever and ever.

People: Amen. (may be sung more than once)

COMMUNION RITE

Lord's Prayer:

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

All: For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and for ever.

Sign of Peace:

Priest: The Peace of the Lord be with you always. All: And with your spirit.

Breaking of the Bread:

All: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

Preparation for Communion:

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

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

Reception of Communion:

Minister:	The Body of Christ.	Communicant:	Amen.
Minister:	The Blood of Christ.	Communicant:	Amen.

CONCLUDING RITE

Blessing & Dismissal:
Priest: The Lord be with you.
People: And with your spirit.
Priest: May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, + and the Holy Spirit.
People: Amen.
Priest: Go in peace. (or another longer formulation)
People: Thanks be to God!

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Reading 1 Deuteronomy 30:10-14

Moses said to the people:

"If only you would heed the voice of the LORD, your God, and keep his commandments and statutes that are written in this book of the law, when you return to the LORD, your God, with all your heart and all your soul.

"For this command that I enjoin on you today is not too mysterious and remote for you. It is not up in the sky, that you should say,

'Who will go up in the sky to get it for us and tell us of it, that we may carry it out?' Nor is it across the sea, that you should say, 'Who will cross the sea to get it for us and tell us of it, that we may carry it out?' No, it is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out."

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37

R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live I pray to you, O LORD, for the time of your favor, O God! In your great kindness answer me with your constant help. Answer me, O LORD, for bounteous is your kindness: in your great mercy turn toward me. R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live I am afflicted and in pain; let your saving help, O God, protect me. I will praise the name of God in song, and I will glorify him with thanksgiving. R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live "See, you lowly ones, and be glad; you who seek God, may your hearts revive! For the LORD hears the poor, and his own who are in bonds he spurns not." R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live For God will save Zion and rebuild the cities of Judah.

The descendants of his servants shall inherit it, and those who love his name shall inhabit it. R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

Reading 2 Colossians 1:15-20

Christ Jesus is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers; all things were created through him and for him. He is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things he himself might be preeminent. For in him all the fullness was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile all things for him, making peace by the blood of his cross through him, whether those on earth or those in heaven.

Alleluia Cf. John 6:63c, 68c

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life; you have the words of everlasting life. R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel Luke 10:25-37

There was a scholar of the law who stood up to test Jesus and said,

"Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus said to him, "What is written in the law? How do you read it?"

He said in reply,

"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself."

He replied to him, "You have answered correctly; do this and you will live."

But because he wished to justify himself, he said to Jesus,

"And who is my neighbor?"

Jesus replied, "A man fell victim to robbers as he went down from Jerusalem to Jericho. They stripped and beat him and went off leaving him half-dead. A priest happened to be going down that road, but when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. Likewise a Levite came to the place, and when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight. He approached the victim, poured oil and wine over his wounds and bandaged them. Then he lifted him up on his own animal, took him to an inn, and cared for him. The next day he took out two silver coins and gave them to the innkeeper

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with the instruction,

'Take care of him. If you spend more than what I have given you, I shall repay you on my way back.' Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?"

He answered, "The one who treated him with mercy."

Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

Music for The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time







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Servant Song

Donna Marie McGargill, OSM Verses O 1. What do want of me, Lord? Where do you you 2. I hear you call my name, and I Lord, am 3. A-bove, be - low, and a - round me, be - fore, be -4. You are the light in my dark ness. You are my am your song sing-ing your and ser -5. vant, O 0 1 6 1. serve you? Where can sing want me to your 2. Your Spir - it moved with - in me. stirs my 3. all through me, your Spir - it burns deep withhind, and You give me sight when I'm 4. strength when I'm wea ry. 5. praise like Ma -Sur - ren-dered ry. to your 6 0 O 1. prais es? am_ your song. 2. deep - est self. Sing ____ your songs_ in me. 3. in me. Fire __ my life with your love. 4. blind ed. Come, see for me. it be "Let me." 5. Spir it, done_ to Refrain 0 e O Je -1. Je sus, sus, you_ are the Lord. 2. Je - sus, Je 125 sus, you _ are_ my Lord. 3. Je - sus, _ the warmth of my heart. Je sus, be_ 4. Je - sus, Je 3120 sus, you _ are_ my Light. "Let it be 5. Je - sus, Je sus, done_ to me." 0 1-5. Je sus, sus, you are the way. 170 Je

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Holy, Holy, Holy Ho - ly, Ho Ho - ly, ly Lord God of hosts. _ full of your glo Heav-en and earth are Ho - san - na in the ry. high -Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the est. in the high Lord. Ho - san - na 14 est. Text © 2010, ICEL Music © 1970, 2010, WLP Jan M. Vermulst, 1925-1994

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Great Amen



Lamb of God





Laurence Rosania





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Lead Me, Lord



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Special Second Collection

Special Second Collection for Those Impacted by the Flooding in Texas

Next weekend, **July 19 & 20**, there will be a second collection for those impacted by the July 4th flooding of the Guadalupe River throughout Kerr County in Texas. Checks should be written out to "St. John the Evangelist Church" with "Kerr County Flood Relief" on the memo line. Donations can also be made online at:

https://notredamechurch.cc/kerr-county-flood-relief (or scan the QR code)

Let us join in prayer for those affected by the devastating flooding. May those lost to the raging waters rest in peace, through the mercy of God, and may their families know God's presence during this time of sorrow and uncertainty. We also pray for the first responders and volunteers who are helping with recovery efforts. Invoking the watchful intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, under her title of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, patroness of people seeking protection during natural disasters and strong storms, we pray God will bring to a calm the rushing rivers and protect those working to recover the lost. Amen.







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St. John the Evangelist help us in our continued efforts to bring Christ to our parishioners and the community and to make a difference in the lives of so many. Scan below to get started. If you need assistance, have questions, or need to make changes to an existing reoccurring donation, please call Karen Beebe 239.566.8740.

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DONATION REMINDERS

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

Offertory

Our collections are taken at the end of Mass at all exits of the Church. We ask that you use your weekly envelope and write your envelope number on the memo line of your check. Make the check payable to **St. John the Evangelist.** We cannot accept checks made payable to CASH.

St. Vincent de Paul Make check payable to **St. Vincent de Paul**

Jamaica Outreach Program

Make check payable to **JOP**

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

OFFERTORY

6/18/25 - 6/24/25 \$59,651.31

6/25/25 - 7/1/25 \$37,664.14

Total Households



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

2025 Catholic Faith Appeal





TO DONATE TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL:

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



110.45% to Goal; 12.01% of Households Contributing

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In our Catholic Schools, families and students experience a superb education infused with Catholic values, teachings and traditions to prepare students for college and a life of purpose. Students are educated for excellence, formed in faith and sent to serve. Each one of our schools is at capacity and has a waiting list.



SCHOOLS

GRADUATION RATE

6,474 STUDENTS ENROLLED

15

100%







Sacraments

SACRAMENTS OF THE CHURCH

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

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

Anointing of the Sick/Funeral Arrangements:

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

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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



Weekly Divine Mercy Reflection

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

Reflection 24: The Purification of Your Soul

The greatest suffering we can endure is a spiritual longing for God. Those in Purgatory suffer greatly because they long for God and do not yet fully possess Him. We must enter into the same purification here and now. We must let ourselves long for God. We must see Him and realize we do not yet fully possess Him and that He does not yet fully possess us because of our sin. This will be painful but is necessary if we are to be purified of all that keeps us from His perfect Mercy (See Diary #20-21). Reflect upon the fact that the spiritual purification of your soul is necessary. Ideally, we will all embrace this purification here and now. Why wait? Do you seek to grow in this purification? Are you willing to let your soul long for God and have Him as your one desire? If so, all else in life will fall into place as you seek Him and as you discover the Divine Mercy that awaits.



Lord, please do purify my soul in every way. Allow me to enter into my purgatory here and now. Let my soul become consumed with a longing for You and let that desire overshadow every other desire in my life. Jesus, I trust in You.

June Baptisms



Evie Casasola



Jackson Burkard



Piper Smith





Juliet and Leroy Zumstein



Lana Millican



Sebastian Rubinelli



Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 12, 2025			Requested By
8:30 AM	+	Donna Jannasch	Mike and Maureen Reed
Vigil Masses for Sunday			
3:00 PM	+	Roman Wieland	Janice Wieland
5:00 PM	+	Jody and John Porco	Nannette Porco
Sunday, July 13, 2	025		Requested By
7:00 AM	+	Kay Lain	Jack Lain
9:00 AM	+	Marilyn D Noyes	Linda Bellinder
11:00 AM	+	Edward Acker	Janice Acker
1:00 PM	SI	Janina Pasadyn	Pasadyn and Grisafi Families
5:00 PM	+	Constance Hunter	John and Maureen Wurtz
Monday, July 14, 2	2025		Requested By
8:30 AM	+	Sandra Geffert	Tony Maglione
Tuesday, July 15, 2	2025		Requested By
8:30 AM	+	Paul Broughton	Jane Broughton
Wednesday, July 1	16, 20	<u>25</u>	Requested By
8:30 AM	+	Barbara Butler	Kelly Swan
Thursday, July 17,	2025		Requested By
8:30 AM	+	Jim Foley	Carol Roettele
Friday, July 18, 20	25		Requested By
8:30 AM	+	Joseph Fisch	Thomas and Robert Fisch
Saturday, July 19,	2025		Requested By
8:30 AM	+	Joan Reardon	Mike and Marueen Reed
(Vigil Masses for Sundo	ay)		
3:00 PM	+	Ed and Jeannette Malling	Janice Wieland
5:00 PM	+	Andy Sanfelippo	Kay Sanfelippo
Sunday, July 20, 2	025		
7:00 AM	+	Jody and John Porco	Nannette Porco
9:00 AM	+	Maureen McLeron Babon	Her Husband
11:00 AM	+	Bob Donnelly	The Donnelly's
1:00 PM	+	Chester Kedzior	Ganina Kedzior
5:00 PM	+	Cecilia and William Schultz	The Schultz Family

A Message from Fr. Mark Harris

Dear St. John's family: I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your prayers, thoughts, Mass cards, gifts, and letters. Your love and support have been truly overwhelming. I wish that I could thank everyone individually in written form...but you know me...that won't happen, especially since I still haven't finished my Christmas cards from 2024! haha. But honestly, please know that your kind words have meant so much and helped me tremendously in my recovery. I have greatly improved, and I hope to see you all in person soon.

With love and appreciation,

Fr. Mark

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

Robert A'Hearn Michele Amato Rory Anderson Michael Angelillo Dominica Annesse John Anthony James B. Angelo Babbo Mandy Bailey Barbara Barber Nancy Barragan Jennifer Basile Scott Bjornson Marjorie Blazevic Patty Bleicher **Bill Braunius** Kathy Brode **Emmett Burns** Frank Carillo Linda Carini Chris Carnillia Michael Cerankowski John Chandnoit Jennifer Michelle Chirichella Mr. and Mrs. Ciano Darlene Clark Domine Clemons Monsignor Coll Kenneth Coloma, Sr Enrique Coloma Merlyn Comeriato Julia Conifrey Francine Crawford Rich Davidson Raphael DeAza Sue Delaney Maxwell Deluca George Deuchar Julie Dieter Donna Dimare Dawn Donald Tom Duncan Megan Ebert Baby Bennett Edington Tom Endres Elkin Escobar Elkin Escobar **Evans Family** Joan Exner Tim Faust Pattie Fawcett Diane Fischer Denise Fisher Moss

Ken FitzGerald Raymond Foley Darlene Follese **Ronald Fongemie** Ronald Forbis II **Cheryl Foster** Ann Marie Fuller Barbara and Lester Fuller Hugh Gallagher Catherine Gallagher Bennett Gilbert Fr. Len Gioeli Aya Goltseker Nancy Graves Sam Greenberg Peter Greenberg Denise Guido Gary Gwizdala Mark Hafner Paul Hagerty Nikki Haley Eric Handler Terry Hansberry Rebecca Hansberry Saralane Harrer Fr. Mark Harris Fr. George Hazler Jody Oliver Heard Hearson Family Elaine Hill Evzen Hlavacek Fia Hutt Cici Hutt Ana Lee Johnson Marcia Johnson **Rick Jones Rita Jones** H. K. Baby Bayli Kaufman Tim Keating Yvonne Keenan Lynne Keevan Ann Kerrigan Lorren Knapp Hannah K & Kathleen Kotscher **Richard Kruger Clayton Kunkle** Frank Landi Jeana Lang Charlotte LaPlaca Laytona (Yolandas Niece) Myles Levy-Vixler Denise Lindheim

Nancy Loftus Dan Loggi Drew Loggi Michele Loggi Baby Hudson Matthew Lopez Bob Lutz Carole Mancini Patricia Mapre Deb Marsh Lonnie Martin Mary A. Jim Matiach Patricia Matre Zachary Mazzola Lana McBride Elaine & Doug McCracken Dorothy Michalowski Edward Miller Salvatore Minardi Eileen Miner Maryann Mondragom Giuliana Morse-Ballachino Mark Moss Griffin Myers Ibeth Noelia Gaspar Oliveri Marylee Olsen Cindy Orlando Paula Pacicco Eric Parker Judith Ann Patterson Frank Pawlowski Ludmila Pridalova Ken Rapp Kenny Rapp Bill Redmond Bennett Richards Susie Romanovich **Rick Rondinelli** Theresa Rowe Peggy O'Neil Saba Steve Salinas Lisa Sanfelippo Lee Schilling Catherine Schmacht Thomas Scudero Albert Senatore Wendy Sequeira Katheryn Shapiro John T. Shea Christopher Shea Bernard & Martina Sherman Taylor Short

Bob Sims Jimmy Sissman Elaine Slipko Peter & Phyllis Soti Josephine Sparno Ellen Spiezio Ila Stienly Laura Stokes Jeanne Stoll Sally Stookey Christopher Suki Mary Surmont Jack Suter Catherine Szczerbaniuk Sunshine Taliento Dan Tessoni Michael Thomas Lucas Ticola Anna Tran Lisa Marie Turner Nicholas Uncao Diane VanderHorst Julie Ventura Evan Vider Ken Villone Gina Vitale Rande W. Adam Wais Carol Watchmaker Callie Grace Watson Dana Wells Geneva Wells Grieah Wells Anne White Nancy Whiteman Mary Lou Widloski Eugene D. Williams II Harry Witt Dave Zogbaum Carolyn Zorn

If you would like to add a name to either of our prayer lists or delete a name, please contact our Main Office 239.566.8740. Names will stay on the prayer list for six months.

Military Prayer List



Let Us Pray For Those Who Serve... Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Praying for Our Men and Women in Service – We give our sincere thanks and appreciation to all veterans who have served their country. We continue to pray for our loved ones who are currently serving in the armed forces, whether they are stationed overseas or in the United States. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Captain Will Adamson: US Army, Anchorage AK Cadet Samantha Bocis, West Point Sam Bradley, Marines Mark Burger, US Army Stephen Burger, US Army Lieutenant Carson Brial – US Navy Private 1st Class Joseph Albert Cary Private David Clark Gavin Cooper, Navy, EMN3 First Lieutenant: Dante Dalmaso- US Army Captain Quentin Danyov, US Army Adam Decker Alexander Denha 1st Lt. Army Ranger, Ft. Bragg N.C. Major Derek-Army National Guard Nick Detloff LCDR Andrew Douglas, United States Navy, Japan SGT Ashlyn Ducharme Us Army Sean Duffin-US Army Capt. Stephen English – US Army Jude Fanton USMC Brendan C. Finnegan-USAF 1st Lieutenant Dwight Fritz III, Marines SFC Lon Giancola Matthew Gordon, US Navy SFC Douglas Hennessy 1st Lieutenant Brock Hinkle- US Army, Germany Zachary Horwitch, GSM US Navy. 2nd Lieutenant Daniel Huber, US Marines Cadet Sloane Janopoulos, USAF Academy Drew Kendall – Petty Officer U.S. Navy Capt. Ashlyn M. Kennedy, USMC Quantico Senior Airman Jack Kirk, US Airforce Max Koeppl- Plebe Candidate at the US Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point NY Sqt. Nicholas LaManna Captain William E. McDonnell-US Marine Corps Sqt. William McKinney PV2 Alexander McMickle – Ft. Eustis, VA Lieutenant Joseph Moses, Naval Aviator Col. Brian Murphy Lt. Col. Jill Murphy

2nd Lieutenant, Samantha Naples, US Marine Corps 1st Sargent Jake Nowicki Hugh O'Donnell, SPEC 4, 75th Ranger Regiment Sgt. Larry Oldenburg – US Army 1st Lieutenant Deanna Ogrinc, US Army Finley Donald Patterson- US Army Cpl. Derek Perez - US Marine Corps Daniel Petito – US Army Captain Anthony James Raguso, US Marines 1st Lieutenant Robert W. Raleigh IV - US Marine Corps Lt. Jill Rice, Commander in the US Navy Lt. Joseph Rice, Commander in the US Navy Duke Roach- US Navy Steven Robinson, US Army Clayton Rutz, US Army Capt. Gregory Sacenti - US Army Hunter Scalzo – Army Ranger with 1st Division & 75th Infantry Ben Sekutera, First Lieutenant, US Army Luke Sekutera, First Lieutenant, US Army Sophie Sekutera (Koeppl) – First Lieutenant, US Army Lieutenant Jane Shelley- US Navy Commander Adam Shields- US Navy Charlie Sjostrom-Martinez Austin Spagnola Captain Fox Stevens- US Army, South Korea First Lieutenant Matthew Stevenson, USMC LTJG Tanis K. Taylor – US Navy, USS Sullivans Corporal Sisi Tyrrell US Marine Corps Captain Grant Ullrich, US Army in Kuwait Lance Corporal, Christopher Vandyck- US Marine Corps 1st Lieutenant Mackenzie Warren- Space Force 1st Lieutenant Hollis Webster- Space Force Petty Officer 3rd Class, Logan Wehrheim- US Navy Andrew Wieland US Air Force SFC Eugene Williams-US Army in Poland Kaden Winckel, Airman 1st Class, USAF Michael Wolfe- US Marines Master Sgt. Andrew Zecchino – USAF, Turkey Tech. Sgt. Kaitlin Zecchino Austin Zicht – USAF

Recently Deceased

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

Ferencne Bur, Ronald Finer

Jubilee 2025 - Pilgrims of Hope



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

Jubilee 2025 Bull of Indiction: "Spes Non Confundit"

On Thursday, May 9, 2024, the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, Pope Francis officially proclaimed the Ordinary Jubilee of 2025 with the public reading and delivery of Spes Non Confundit, t<u>he Bull of Indicition</u> for the Jubilee Holy Year 2025, in Saint Peter's Basilica at the Vatican. This papal document lays out the foundation for the 2025 Jubilee and its theme, "Pilgrims of Hope."

Anchored in hope

23. Indeed, the indulgence is a way of discovering the unlimited nature of God's mercy. Not by chance, for the ancients, the terms "mercy" and "indulgence" were interchangeable, as expressions of the fullness of God's forgiveness, which knows no bounds.

The sacrament of Penance assures us that God wipes away our sins. We experience those powerful and comforting words of the Psalm: "It is he who forgives all your guilt, who heals every one of your ills, who redeems your life from the grave, who crowns you with love and compassion... The Lord is compassion and love, slow to anger and rich in mercy... He does not treat us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our faults. For as the heavens are high above the earth, so strong is his love for those who fear him. As far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our sins" (Ps 103:3-4.8.10-12). The sacrament of Reconciliation is not only a magnificent spiritual gift, but also a decisive, essential and fundamental step on our journey of faith. There, we allow the Lord to erase our sins, to heal our hearts, to raise us up, to embrace us and to reveal to us his tender and compassionate countenance. There is no better way to know God than to let him reconcile us to himself (cf. 2 Cor 5:20) and savour his forgiveness. Let us not neglect Confession, but rediscover the beauty of this sacrament of healing and joy, the beauty of God's forgiveness of our sins! Still, as we know from personal experience, every sin "leaves its mark." Sin has consequences, not only outwardly in the effects of the wrong we do, but also inwardly, inasmuch as "every sin, even venial, entails an unhealthy attachment to creatures, which must be purified either here on earth, or after death, in the state called Purgatory." In our humanity, weak and attracted by evil, certain residual effects of sin remain. These are removed by the indulgence, always by the grace of Christ, who, as Saint Paul VI wrote, "is himself our 'indulgence." The Apostolic Penitentiary will issue norms for obtaining and rendering spiritually fruitful the practice of the Jubilee indulgence.

This experience of full forgiveness cannot fail to open our hearts and minds to the need to forgive others in turn. Forgiveness does not change the past; it cannot change what happened in the past, yet it can allow us to change the future and to live different lives, free of anger, animosity and vindictiveness. Forgiveness makes possible a brighter future, which enables us to look at the past with different eyes, now more serene, albeit still bearing the trace of past tears.

For the last Extraordinary Jubilee, I commissioned Missionaries of Mercy, and these continue to carry out an important mission. During the coming Jubilee, may they exercise their ministry by reviving hope and offering forgiveness whenever a sinner comes to them with an open heart and a penitent spirit. May they remain a source of reconciliation and an encouragement to look to the future with heartfelt hope inspired by the Father's mercy. I encourage bishops to take advantage of their precious ministry, especially by sending them wherever hope is sorely tested: to prisons, hospitals, and places where people's dignity is violated, poverty abounds and social decay is prevalent. In this Jubilee Year, may no one be deprived of the opportunity to receive God's forgiveness and consolation.

Ministries & Groups

AA Brian R. 732-735-7037 **Al-Anon** For meeting locations and times, call 239.263.5907 or visit www.NaplesAl-Anon.org

Arimatheans. Arimatheans attend funeral Masses and memorial services to provide support and compassion. Please contact the Main Office 239.566.8740

Cenacle of Life Prayer Group – The Cenacle is an opportunity to pray for the conversion of our American family in support of protecting the human rights of Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness. We do this as a community in the presence of our Lord, present in the Tabernacle, with the recitation of the Most Holy Rosary and other traditional Catholic prayers. The Cenacle meets Tuesdays from 5:30-6:30pm in the Main Sanctuary. For additional information, contact us at 239.250.0432 or relife@aol.com

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

Faith Chat. Thursdays at 9:30am in the Antioch Room of the Claussen Center. All are welcome to join us for this study. Coffee & snacks will be provided. On June 26th we began reading a new book, "The Fourth Cup" by Scott Hahn. For more information, please contact Janis Bolbrock: janis_bolbrock@msn.com

Grief Support - Are you grieving the loss of a loved one? Are you a widow or widower? Are you grieving any other type of loss? Are you looking for support and healing? St. John the Evangelist provides group and individual grief support services. Sessions are held on Tuesdays at 9:30am in the Antioch room of the Claussen Center. There is no fee, and all materials are provided free of charge. To register, send your name and telephone number to Deacon Hal: Hal@sjecc.com or Maria Chappe: maria@sjecc.com. Individual sessions may be scheduled by calling the Parish Office: 239.566.8740.

Jamaica Outreach Program. JOP provides goods, food, medical-vision-dental services, education, and basic support to improve the lives of the poor in Jamaica. We welcome new volunteers. For information, contact Jeanne Pittman: 239.248.3248 or info@jamaicaoutreach.org

Knights of Columbus. The Knights of Columbus serve parish ministries, sponsor parish events and help with special projects. They support our clergy, fund parish equipment, assist in events for our youth and help the less fortunate. Contact Grand Knight, Jack Kindsvater at jack@sjecc.com.

Knights of Columbus - Wheelchair Program. If you or someone you know are in need of a wheelchair, contact Bill Fuller at 239-280-8870 or wfuller1@comcast.net

Knitting & Crocheting. Meets on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. – Noon in the Parish Activity Center, classrooms 3 & 4. No experience necessary. Donations, both monetary and yarn, are welcome. Contact: Sharon Campbell 239.438.7867 or sharoncampbellnaples@gmail.com.

https://stjohnknittersandcrocheters.wordpress.com/ 21 Ladies of Charity. Our motto is to serve rather than to be served in humility, simplicity, and charity. We serve the poor, sick, and marginalized in our community. Membership is open to any Catholic woman. For more information, please contact Lauren Pavlovich at: ilove2sing@icloud.com.

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

Pray the Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Novena -Every Saturday at 8:20 a.m. before Mass on the 1st Saturday and immediately after Mass on the other Saturdays of the month. Allan Degnan:, 239-919-4465

Pray the Rosary & the Chaplet of Divine Mercy – Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy are recited 50 minutes before daily Mass begins, at 7:40 a.m. Contact Barbara Hardebeck: 765-714-6589

Quilting Ministry - Meets on Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. – Noon in the Parish Activity Center, classrooms 3 & 4. Everyone is welcome regardless of skill level. Donations, both monetary and fabric, welcome. Sharon Campbell 239.438.7867, sharoncampbellnaples@gmail.com. https://stjohnquilting.wordpress.com

Respect Life - We believe that every person is precious, that people are more important than things, and that the measure of every institution is whether it threatens or enhances the life and dignity of the human person. The team participates in a prayer vigil at Planned Parenthood in Naples each 1st Friday of every month 9am-12pm. For more info, please call Rosemary @ 239-250-0432.

Sewing Ministry. Sewing Ministry meets to sew for needy children on Wednesdays from 12:30 to 3:30 in the Parish Activity Center, rooms 1 and 2. Donations, both monetary and of washable, child friendly fabrics are welcome. No supplies PLEASE. If you like to sew, we encourage you to come and see what we are about. Please contact Marianne Swan 305.965.5980, email swan11@bellsouth.net or Phyllis Crivelli 973.710.6347, email jandpcrivelli@gmail.com before coming to make sure we are meeting that day.

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

Ministries & Groups

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul. We give glory to God by offering direct/in-home help to anyone in need within the boundaries of our parish. Our work spans fighting food insecurity, keeping families in their homes, and a wide variety of special projects and programs focused on helping our neighbors address difficult challenges. We meet the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be in classroom 1, in the Parish Life Center. For more information, contact Bob Westenberg: bwstjohn@SVDPnaples.org. **Well-Read Mom.** The St. John chapter of the national organization Well-Read Mom meets from October through July, with an evening kickoff and informational meeting for both sessions on September 3rd, 2025, at 6:30PM. Evening sessions meet the first Wednesdays of each month from 6:30 to 8:00PM. Morning sessions meet the first Thursday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30AM. For more information, email <u>aff@sjecc.com</u> and register at wellreadmom.com. The \$50 annual enrollment fee includes a Study Guide for all books for the year.



Our Society of Saint Vincent de Paul at Saint John the Evangelist Church

Elkin, his Wife and Family are working to lead a normal life. We are helping them.

He was an Architect in Colombia. Here he worked in construction as a Superintendent until he caught

long COVID and lost his job. All their savings were used to pay rent. We helped them keep their apartment.

He has recovered and is looking for new job that he can do, given medical limitations. Their daughter is 14 and their son is 7.

Our Case Workers help Neighbors remain in their homes, keep the lights on and avoid hunger. We extend spiritual and financial support to ensure they can continue to live with dignity.

Please help us help them in spirit and assistance



Your Support stays here in Naples and is deeply valued



someone you know struggling because of a past abortion? You are not alone! Healing retreats and support are available for anyone who has experienced an abortion, including mothers, fathers and other family members who have been hurt. To learn more, call or text 941-412-5860 or email

Support After Abortion - Are you or

project.rachel@dioceseofvenice.org, in either English or Spanish. All contacts are confidential.

SunlightHome.org
 (239) 352-0251

For 30 years, we have provided a safe haven and support system for abused, impoverished, and trafficked pregnant women and single mothers. Deeply rooted in God's love, our life-affirming ministry provides long-term outcomes that save, empower, and enhance the lives of women and babies.

Eucharistic Revival

The four pillars for St. John the Evangelist Year of Parish Revival are: Reinvigorate Worship, Personal Encounter, Robust Faith Formation, and Missionary Sending.

Reinvigorate Worship

Attentiveness to full preparation, reverent celebration, and offering many opportunities for parishioners to experience the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist more profoundly.

Personal Encounter

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

Robust Faith Formation

Providing opportunities in our Faith Formation and Youth Ministry for instruction about the Eucharist; and personal engagement for our children, young adults, and their families. Providing parishioners resources to learn more about the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.

Missionary Sending

Welcoming our parishioners and their families when they are drawn to the Church for sacraments. Proactive outreach and welcome to non-Catholics to join our Church. Attentiveness to our Eucharistic Ministry to encourage ongoing learning and to engage more volunteers for Eucharistic Ministers who bring Christ to all in our Parish, both at Mass and to those who are not able to attend Mass.

please join us for

24 HOUR ADORATION

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



TO SIGN UP GO TO www.adorationpro.org/SJECC



Jesus has made Himself the Bread of Life to give us life. Night and day, He is there. If you really want to grow in love, come back to the Eucharist, come back to that Adoration.

~Mother Teresa

Adult Faith Formation

The Bible Timeline: Old Testament Study – Tuesdays Beginning August 12th



Join Us Tuesdays beginning August 12th from 12:00-1:30PM as Sue Hamiliton Facilitates the Study of the Old Testament Using the Bible Timeline. This study will run through December 2025. Study Materials available soon in the Gift Shop for \$40.00. The Study will take place in the Alexandria Room of the Claussen Center. Please Register at <u>AFF@sjecc.com</u> to join.



The Study Set Includes:

- The Full-Color Bible Timeline Workbook -Provides session overviews, home reading assignments, engaging study questions, responses, and talk notes for the video presentations.
- The Bible Timeline Chart A fascinating, colorcoded overview of the twelve Bible Timeline periods, the historical context for each book of the Bible, and the family tree of Jesus Christ.
- The Bible Timeline Bookmark A handy colorcoded bookmark with a summary of the twelve Bible Timeline periods and a list of the scriptural books that tell the stories of each period.

The Bible Timeline study Program takes you on a guided journey through salvation history. Presenter Jeff Cavins shows you how fourteen of the Bible's narrative books tell the biblical story from beginning to end and gives you the keys to understanding the amazing story woven through Scripture. Using a unique color-coded chart, you will learn the major people, places, and events of the Bible and discover how they all come together to reveal the remarkable story of our Faith.

This Week in Adult Faith Formation

Thursday, July 17th

Men's Bible Study / 7:00-8:00PM / Rooms 1 & 2 / Parish Activity Center

Coming this Fall!

Season 5 of the CHOSEN

Wednesdays - additional information on page 27 Hebrews Bible Study by Ascension Press with Dee Schwartz

Foundations for Faith Study of the Catechism with Sue Hamility

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Pope's Prayer Intention for July: For Formation in Discernment

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

Adult Faith Formation

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?



We welcome you to inquire about our Catholic Faith and the many blessings it has to offer you

A Journey of Faith

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults is a process designed for you:

- To ask questions about the Catholic Faith
- To explore the beauty of Sacred Scripture and Catholic Tradition
- To journey toward full initiation into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil

The OCIA journey is for those:

- Never Baptised
- Baptized in another Christian tradition
- Baptized Catholic as an infant, but not raised as a Catholic or received additional Sacraments
- Catholics who do not practice their faith, and want to connect with the Sacramental way of life
- Catholics who have left the Church, and want to return to their Sacramental roots

For more information, please contact DeChelle Summers: dechelle.summers@gmail.com



This Week on Formed Week of July 13, 2025



St. Kateri Tekakwitha | God's Princesses

Follow along with Sister Imelda as she tells of the inspiring journey of Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, a young Mohawk girl who comes to know the Gospel with the help of pioneering priests. Choosing to follow Jesus, Kateri is faced with great challenges as she does her best to bring God's love to her own people! A fun and inspiring example of not giving up!



St. Bonaventure | Catholic Saints

A Franciscan cardinal-bishop and contemporary of St. Thomas Aquinas, St. Bonaventure is an excellent example of saintly humility. Known as the "Seraphic Doctor," St. Bonaventure loved God above all else. Join Dr. Chris Mooney and Mary McGeehan as they explore the life of this great saint.



Carmelite Spirituality

On July 16, we celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Learn more about Carmelite Spirituality and how you can live it in this incredible series on Formed

Our parish has a Formed subscription. Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.



Coming this Fall **The Chosen Season 5** Wednesdays from 9:30-11:00AM **October 1st through November 19th** Nazareth Room of the Pulte Family Life Center

Many of you have asked for us to show the long-awaited Season 5 of THE CHOSEN series. We enjoyed our time together watching Seasons 1-4 each week and often discussing. This Fall, beginning October 1st we will show one episode a week of the CHOSEN Season 5. After Mass and getting your FREE breakfast in the Pulte Café, bring your breakfast into our Nazareth to enjoy watching THE CHOSEN. We hope to see you there! No pre-registration required. All are welcome!

As a reminder, our FORMED.org platform has commentaries on THE CHOSEN adding a Catholic lens and discussion of each episode. Seasons 1-5 are currently streaming on Amazon Prime or at watch.thechosen.tv.

The Chosen: Last Supper- Season 5

The table is set. The people of Israel welcome Jesus as king while his disciples anticipate his crowning. But—instead of confronting Rome—he turns the tables on the Jewish religious festival. Their power threatened, the country's religious and political leaders will go to any length to ensure this Passover meal is Jesus' last.

Adult Faith Formation

TAKE CARE OF YOUR HEART THROUGH READING AND FRIENDSHIP



YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN OUR Well-Read Mom SMALL GROUP!

Well-Read Mom accompanies women in the reading of great books and spiritual classics to encourage personal growth, friendship, and meaningful conversations in order to explore the human condition and reorient ourselves to what is good, beautiful, and true.

Well-Read Mom groups read one book per month and meet to discuss once a month. Book selections for each year correspond to the themes of a woman's life. This year we are excited to dive into the theme of "teacher" KICK OFF MEETING!

Come and learn more about our Well-Read Mom group at St. John. Please let us know you are coming by emailing us at AFF@sjecc.com.

DATE/TIME

Wednesday, September 3rd, 2025 6:30-8:00PM

Year of the Jeacher

"Without confidence and love, there can be no true education." - Saint John Bosco

\$49.95 a year per member To register today, or for more information: WellReadMom.com.

PLACE

St. John the Evangelist 625 111th Ave North Naples, FL 34108

HOST

Francie Mourad & Lisa Brochu *Morning & Evening Groups

CONTACT

AFF@sjecc.com





Faith Formation



FATIH FORMATION REGISTRATION OPEN NOW!



ONLINE REGISTRATION NOW through AUGUST 15th, 2025

K-8 – Meets Wednesdays 5:00-6:15PM or Sundays 9:30-10:45AM High School Confirmation – Select Sundays 3:30-6:00PM

Pre-K through 8th Faith Formation 2025-2026 Calendar Online Now! REGISTRATION OPEN NOW ONLINE

Opening Session Days: Sunday, September 14th & Wednesday, September 17th

High School Confirmation 2025-2026 Calendar Online NOW! REGISTRATION OPEN NOW ONLINE

OPENING SESSIONS DAY: Sunday, September 21st 3:30PM-6:00PM *Includes 5:00PM Mass Celebrated all together. *Parent Session In Nazareth 3:304:30PM

PREK- Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Registration OPEN NOW- Sessions meet Wednesdays – 12:30-2:30PM

The Saint John the Evangelist pre-school catechism class, based on the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, Level 1 program meets on Wednesday afternoons between 12:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. The program is under the direction of Charlotte A. Williams. The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is an approach to the religious formation of children. Level 1 is given to children from the ages of 3 years old up to 6 years old. The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd's (CGS) formation of the child is rooted in the Bible and Liturgy and is founded on the educational principles of Maria Montessori.

The children gather in the "atrium", which is a room prepared for them containing simple yet beautiful materials that they use to help them absorb the most essential proclamations of our Catholic faith.

SAVE THE DATE A Night in Bethlehem

Wednesday, December 10th 5-7PM Volunteer Registration Open NOW! Family Tickets available September 1st :) vbspro.events/p/5b5bda











Faith Formation



FREE FREE : Summer Jesus and Friends Sticker Craft

Available in the Children's Area outside the St. John's Gift Shop Easy to assemble. Enjoy!



Faith Formation Catechists Travel to Franciscan University for St. John Bosco Conference

NEW



Please keep our catechists in your prayers as six of them travel to Steubenville, Ohio for the St. John Bosco Conference for Catechists in Steubenville, Ohio at Franciscan University. We are so blessed for their continued love, support and dedication to the youth in our parish and look forward to all they have to share with us when they return!

A Summer Prayer for Catholic Families

May we make our homes places of relaxation, joy, love, peace and safety.



May we be generous and considerate, not thinking only about ourselves,

but helping others enjoy the blessings of the summertime. Lord God, Creator of all things,

guide our steps and strengthen our hearts

during these months of summer and vacation days.

Grant us refreshment of mind and body.

May we constantly strive to make a meaningful difference in the lives of our loved ones and in the world around us as we enjoy the warm days of summertime. Amen.



SAVE THE DATE for next year!

June 8th -12th Camper Registration Opens March 1st, 2026

> Youth Registration Opens to Parishioners January 1st, 2026

Volunteer Team Information Coming Soon!





Youth Ministry & Young Adults



SJECC YOUTH MINISTRY UPCOMING DATES 2025 - 2026 MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL



YOUTH MINISTRY AT ST. JOHN'S IS WHERE FAITH FORMATION COMES TO LIFE BEYOND THE CLASSROOM! IT'S THE IDEAL PLACE FOR MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS TO EXPRESS THEIR FAITH IN FUN, MEANINGFUL, AND ENGAGING WAYS. WHETHER IT'S VOLUNTEERING IN THE PARISH, ENJOYING COMMUNITY NIGHTS FILLED WITH GAMES AND LAUGHTER, OR SPENDING TIME IN PRAYER THROUGH THE ROSARY, ADORATION, OR SMALL GROUP DISCUSSIONS, THERE'S SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE. OUR AIM IS TO GROW IN FAITH TOGETHER. YOUTH MINISTRY IS MORE THAN JUST A PROGRAM-IT'S A COMMUNITY. ALL YOUTH ARE WELCOME AND ENCOURAGED TO JOIN US FOR ANY OF THE SCHEDULED EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. COME AS YOU ARE, BRING A FRIEND, AND GET READY TO ENCOUNTER CHRIST IN NEW AND EXCITING WAYS!

SEPTEMBER

SUN. 9/21

- 11 A.M. MASS (CONTACT MAX IF ATTENDING) • SIT TOGETHER
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OCTOBER

FRI. 10/03

- VERSO L'ALTO YOUTH GROUP IN THE CLAUSSEN CENTER - ALEXANDRIA ROOM FROM 6 P.M. TO 8 P.M.
 - ADORATION, GAMES, GYM, FELLOWSHIP, AND PIZZA

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Youth Ministry & Young Adults



Around the Diocese



OCTOBER 18, 2025 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM ST. JOHN XXIII CATHOLIC CHURCH FORT MYERS, FL

Couple \$64 Childcare \$5/child

Register by September 8 to grab an Early Bird discount!

For more information or to register, visit: TOGETHERINHOLINESS.ORG/VENICE

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"Teens, Tech, and the Tabernacle: Building Faith Today."

Robert Massey Youth and Young Adult Coordinator, St. Agnes Parish

7PM-

9PM

Oak & Stone 5405 University Pkwy, University Park dioceseofvenice.org

Jewish Federation of Greater Naples Presents THE ISRAEL FRIENDSHIP PERFORMANCE



WEDNESDAY, JULY 23 1:00 PM at Saint William Catholic Church, Church Hall, 601 Seagate Dr.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 23 7:00 PM at New Hope Ministries, Sanctuary, 7675 Davis Blvd.

THURSDAY, JULY 24 5:30 PM at Jewish Federation of Greater Naples, 4720 Pine Ridge Rd.

Register for one or all performances here: https://jfgn.regfox.com/ israeli-performers

THE ISRAEL FRIENDSHIP group is made up of five girls, five boys and two leaders from all over Israel. In order to be in the group, these teenagers (16 and 17 years old) went through a highly competitive selection process and were chosen based on their maturity, fluency in English and performance skills.

Israel Friendship is big in Israel, with over **60,000** members. Those chosen to participate here are selected for their ability to best represent the State of Israel. As Israeli delegates, these bright, dynamic and high energy teens have a love for Israel and a desire to share that with North Americans. They spend the 10 weeks of summer performing in synagogues and churches, schools and summer camps, even nursing homes – wherever people want to share their love for Israel.

They will have you singing and dancing!





Volunteers Needed for Prison Outreach - Join the team of Diocesan volunteers who enter county jails and state prisons within the 10-county Diocese of Venice to do pastoral outreach, distribute the Eucharist and facilitate programs. Priests, Deacons, and lay volunteers are encouraged to assist in this ministry. Volunteers will first participate in an orientation program before entering the facility and will shadow experienced volunteers until they feel comfortable. Times and days vary by facility. Please contact Joe Mallof at 224-217-7139 or Bob Hiniker 863-558-0407 to learn where you can fit into this joyful opportunity.

Events & Programs



Beauty and the Beast is the story of a brave young woman named Belle who is imprisoned by a beast in his castle. Despite her initial fears, she befriends the enchanted staff of the castle and learns to see beyond the beast's hideous exterior, discovering the kind heart and the true prince within. Young performers will love participating in this Disney classic!

> Open to Ages 6-16 The Pulte Family Center St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church Tish Poorman, Producing Artistic Director ishpoorman@gmail.com or tpoorman@childrenforthearts.com

239-571-3305 For more information: www.childrenforthearts.com

> CHILDREN FOR THE ARTS





What to Do After... A DIAGNOSIS OF DEMENTIA



Receiving a dementia diagnosis can feel overwhelming but you are not alone. Join us for an informative and compassionate event, where we'll explore the next steps, available resources, and how to plan for the future. Whether you're newly diagnosed, a caregiver, or a loved one, this event will provide guidance, support, and hope for the journey ahead.

Knowledge is power... educate yourself today for the resources you, or someone that you love may need tomorrow.

Event is **FREE** but **RSVP** is required, Call 239-776-7353 to reserve your spot!

July 15, 2025 12:00pm - 1:30pm

Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church 625 111th Ave N, Naples, FL 34108

JOIN US ON OUR ANNUAL FUNDRAISING CRUISE

Holland America Line | 12-Night Panama Discovery Roundtrip Ft. Lauderdale | Jan. 18-30, 2026

DATE	PORT OF CALL	TIME
Jan. 18	Ft. Lauderdale, FL	4pm
Jan. 19	Half Moon Cay, Bahamas	9am-5pm
Jan. 20/21	Days at Sea	
Jan. 22	Willemstad, Curacao	7am - 4pm
Jan. 23	Day at Sea	
Jan. 24	Enter & Cruise Panama Canal	6am
Jan. 24	Cruise Gatun Lake	11am
Jan. 24	Exit Panama Canal	2pm-3pm
Jan. 24	Colon, Costa Rica	5pm - 9pm
Jan. 25	Limon, Costa Rica	7:30am-4:30
Jan. 26	Day at Sea	
Jan. 27	Falmouth, Jamaica	7am-4pm
Jan. 28	Georgetown, Cayman Islands	7am-4pm
Jan. 29	Day at Sea	
Jan. 30	Ft. Lauderdale, FL	7am

Contact April Williams at 800.940.2394

or awilliams@cruiseandtravelexperts.com

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\$3,539 per person category B Vista Suite, mid-ship deck 8
\$2,889 per person category V Veranda, most mid-ship deck 5
\$2,839 per person category VA Veranda, most mid-ship deck 8 and 6

\$2,499 per person VE Veranda Deck 8 and 7, fore and aft

\$805 additional per person taxes and fees *More categories and pricing available upon request

INCLUDED: (with 25 passengers)

- Pre-cruise Meeting at St John's
- Bus round trip St Johns with 25 passengers (Burger King Pine Ridge Rd if not)
- Cocktail Party onboard the Rotterdam
- Deduct \$50 per person if paying balance with check for everyone.

Holland America Line's "Have it All" Package: Available for purchase for \$60 per person per day.

*Price is per person, cruise only, based on double occupancy. Deposit is due at reservation and about 10% of final fare. Insurance highly recommended. Please see terms and conditions on flyer for financial details, responsibilities, cancellation fees and other information. Fla. Seller of Travel Ref. No. ST40081 Fla. Seller of Travel Ref. No. ST40081 06/23/2025.

Events & Programs / Catholic Schools

FREE. Donations appreciated.

Parish



breakfast Wednesdays after Morning Mass Pulte Family Life Center



Pulte Cafe Mondays 6:00pm

Light food & drinks *We will not have Trivia on July 14

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