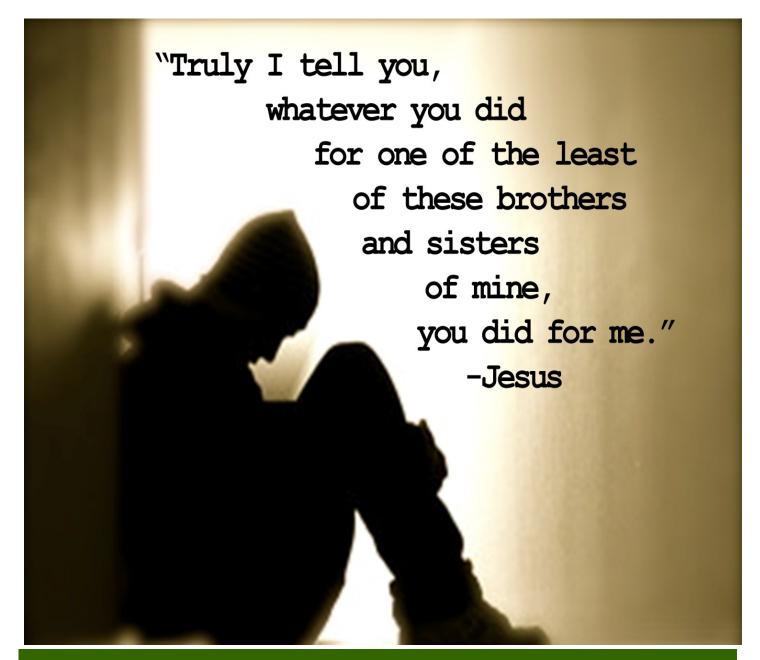


## St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church

Inspired by our Patron, St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church in Center Moriches seeks to bring the light of Christ to a world in need, so that as Christ has done, we may also do. From the celebration of the Eucharist, we are sent forth to serve God and neighbor through ministries of formation, education and outreach.

—Mission Statement



## Jesus Christ, King of the Universe November 22, 2020

"For just as in Adam all die, so too in Christ shall all be brought to life," -1 Corinthians 15:22

#### **PRAYER AND WORSHIP**

# Thanksgiving Mass

Wednesday, November 25, 2020 – 5:00 p.m. Mass Thursday, November 26, 2020 - 9:00 a.m. Mass

To keep everyone as safe as possible, we will offer two Masses for Thanksgiving. \*The 9 a.m. Mass will be the ONLY Mass offered on Thanksgiving Day.

Our entire parish family joins together to give thanks to God for the many blessings in our lives. At these liturgies, we will

- give thanks to God for his many blessings in our lives
- † invite parishioners to bring non-perishable food items for Ernie's Place or the Street Minsitry that can be left in the Fellowship Area.
- distribute bread for all to share at their Thanksgiving table at home
- seek God's blessing upon the food we will use for our Thanksgiving meals. (Please bring something from your Thanksgiving table to be blessed.)



All parish offices will be closed Thursday, 11/26 and Friday, 11/27.

## St. John the Evangelist R.C. Church

Will host a full course meal just for you!



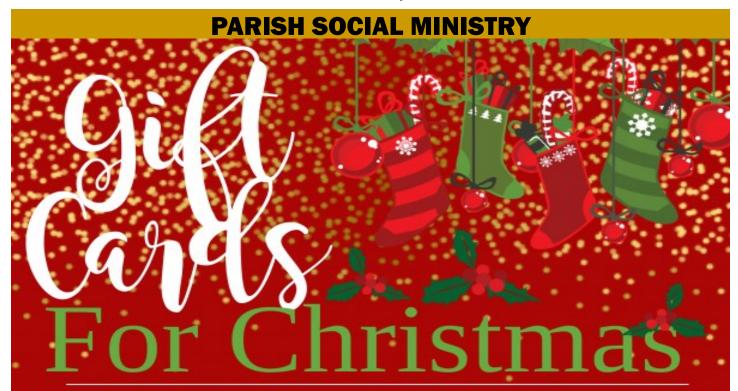
Community Meal
Monday, November 23, 2020
6 p.m.—7:30 p.m. @ School Auditorium



Come and join us for a Pre-Thanksgiving Feast! All are welcome! Bring a friend or family member or come on your own for an afternoon of good food and fellowship! For more information, contact us at 631.878.0009.

## How can I help?

If you look in Webster's dictionary (anyone still have those around?) you'll find Thanksgiving defined as the expression of gratitude, especially to God. You have the opportunity to express your gratitude to God in a way that can make a difference, this Monday, Nov 23. Each month, individuals come to St. John's table and receive a home-cooked meal served to them. Thanksgiving is a great opportunity to be a part of the St. John's Community Meal. We are asking you to consider making a half tray of your favorite Thanksgiving item or dessert and bring it (hot) to the gymnasium on Nov 23 at 5:30 pm. If you are interested in working with the Community Meal- whether monthly, quarterly or once a year- please contact Aimee Mattiolo at healthful4ever@gmail.com and we can add you to the email. We can use chefs, servers and waitstaff.



THIS YEAR, TO BETTER EMPOWER PARENTS AND TO ADDRESS PRACTICAL CONCERNS RELATED TO THE PANDEMIC, WE WILL BE PROVIDING GIFT CARDS ONLY FOR FAMILIES IN NEED.

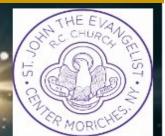
We are requesting \$10.00 or \$25.00 gift cards to Amazon, Kohl's, Walmart or Target

Please be as generous as your means allow but please keep the cards in the requested amounts of \$10.00 or \$25.00.

GIFT CARDS NEED TO BE RETURNED BY SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2020. YOU MAY GIVE THEM TO A CANA CARE CREW MEMBER (RED SHIRTS) WHEN YOU ENTER THE CHURCH AT MASS OR BRING THEM TO THE RECTORY DURING OFFICE HOURS. DO NOT LEAVE THEM IN THE BASKETS BY THE EXIT DOORS OF THE CHURCH.

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## Advent Giving Tree



This year, Parish Social Ministry will continue our annual "Advent Civing Tree" that will benefit our Street Ministry and Ernie's Place -SJE's food pantry ministry- Your donations at Christmas help us to manage the upcoming winter months.

We will have two trees this year, one at each exit in the Church. The Christmas trees will have paper ornaments with an item needed. Please take a tag or two or three or four and return these items in the fellowship area the next time you come to mass or drop them off in the rectory office.

Please return the donated items UNWRAPPED. We will be running the Advent Civing Tree until the 4th Sunday of Advent. If you have any questions, please reach out to the Parish Social Ministry office at 631-878-0009 ext. 119.

#### **Christmas Dinners**

This year, we would like to provide a meal for families in need so they may have a Christmas or Christmas Eve dinner. We ask you and your family to consider sponsoring a family (page 3) or dropping in your regular food donations the makings for a delicious

Christmas Meal. Our Christmas volunteers will then organize the baskets.



## **Sponsor-A-Family**

As we started this Thanksgiving, we are asking families to SPONSOR A FAMILY for Christmas. (SEE FORM ON PAGE 3) If you are able, we ask you consider sponsoring a family by providing the gift cards they need for Christmas and/or the Christmas Meal. If you can assist with this, please email christmas@sjecm.org or call the Rectory Office at 631.878.0009 for more information.

We anticipate supporting nearly 100 families this Christmas.

## **WE NEED YOUR HELP!!**

## Don't say there's nothing for me to do!

Here are ways you can get involved in our parish social ministry work at SJE! Email rectory@sjecm.org or call 631.878.0009 and you will be directed to best contacts!

- **1) Street Ministry:** Can you and your family help prepare small individual meals for the homeless we serve? You pick up your tins early in the week and return them on Thursday. Totally contactless and independent! Can you help to sort our amazing amounts of donations? We gather at the Red Barn on Wednesdays at 6:45 p.m.
- **2) Community Meal:** can you assist with our next Community Meal this Monday? We are in need of ½ trays (disposable) of the parts of a great Thanksgiving Meal! Drop off at the gymnasium at 5:30 pm with hot food hot please- we put it right on the sternos for service! Desserts are welcome too!
- **3) Ernie's Place:** Food Pantry: can you become of the Ernie's Place staff by working in the pantry on Monday evenings or Thursday afternoons (not every week).
- **4) Thrift Shop:** can you help us to "empty the bins" on Saturday or Sunday afternoons or early on Monday mornings? (Great family activity and can work on your schedule!)

## **DRIVING AND DELIVERIES**

## **SJE DRIVERS**

We are finding in these days we can use some help with the picking up donations and/or making deliveries to families in need. If you are able to help with this, please email rectory@sjecm.org or call 631.878.0009. When we are in need, we would contact all drivers and if you are able to help, great!

If you can't, no problem.

We'll ask you next time!



## ERNIE'S PLACE EXPRESS DROP-OFF

Many have asked if they can have their food donations shipped to St. John's for Ernie's Place, SJE's Food Pantry Ministry. The answer is YES! Please have them sent to the Rectory at 25 Ocean Avenue, Center Moriches, NY 11934 and we will get them to Ernie's Place.



## WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE

## **WELCOME BACK, Deacon Joe!**

This past Sunday, SJE welcomed back newly ordained Deacon Joe Catafago, who preached at our parish and greeted parishioners. We were blessed to have Deacon Joe spend his pastoral year with us, and continue to pray for him as he prepares for ordination to the priesthood in June.

Deacon Joe has left us some prayer cards so we can pray with and for him in the Rectory. If you email rectory@sjecm.org or call the Rectory, we would be happy to mail one to





## **Calling All Men!** Saint John the Evangelist's Totus Tuus Men's Group **Annual Men's Day Retreat is Here!**



Come grow in your faith with us during SJE's annual men's day retreat, from 11am to 5:30pm on December 5th with our keynote speaker & homilist Father Michael Plona! We will have a day of inspiring talks, panel discussions, Eucharistic Adoration and Confession.

**WHAT:** Men's Day Retreat "Into the Breach!"

WHEN: December 5th 11am to 5:30pm

**WHO:** Catholic Men (YOU!)

Lunch will be provided. A free will offering of \$15 is respectfully requested. To sign up or for more information, please contact Brian Leavy, 585-474-9625 or brianleavy84@gmail.com.

#### PHONE # 631.878.0009 + RECTORY @SJECM.ORG

Sister Ann Berendes + aberendes@sjecm.org + Director of Senior Ministry
Christian Diconsiglio Case Manger
Ernie's Place—Food Pantry Ministry: Katie Spellman
Ministry of Consolation: Eve O'Brien—eveobrien@optonline.net
Communion to the Homebound: Kevin Both
Respect Life Group: Maria Sikora
Society of St. Vincent de Paul

## IF YOU ARE IN NEED, PLEASE REACH OUT

If we are unable to assist you directly, we will be more then happy to connect you to resources that can help.

#### Our office hours in the Red Barn are:

During these days, please call to make an appointment. Our staff is here to serve you but not on campus at all times.

<u>Please call 631-878-0009 ext. 120 to make an appointment.</u> <u>Alternative office hours can be given upon request of appointment.</u>

**Ernie's Place (Food Pantry)** -Monday 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m., Thursdays 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**Thrift Shop -** Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

## Help out those in need!



**Street Ministry** — serving the homeless in our area each week.

Donations Needed: Adult Tee shirts + Adult Sweat Shirts + Adult Coats + Blankets you can put them in a bag-just remember to label it street ministry- and drop off in the green bins. Thank you!

Ernie's Place Food Pantry - serving those in need on Mon. and Thurs.

Ernie's Place, SJE's Food Pantry Ministry, is beginning to manage with regular volunteers. We are looking for men and women age 18 and above to assist on Monday evenings and/or Thursday afternoons. While limited in the number of volunteers we can have in the pantry at one time, we would like have more available volunteers. If you're interested or would like some more information, please call the Parish Office or email to rectory@sjecm.org.

Donations Needed: Canned Red Kidney Beans + Pancake Mix + Canned Corn + Canned Veggies (not green beans) + Mac and Cheese + Jelly

**Chicken Ministry** — taking care of God's creatures to provide for the poor! **Chicken Tenders Wanted**— We are looking for volunteers to help care for the chickens and their coop. Morning shift is before 8:00 am and evening shift is at dusk. Please contact Lynn and Mike Walsh for details. Lynnwalshlcsw@yahoo.com *Note: We are not taking any more egg crates.* 





**Thrift Shop** — provide garments, gems and great items for the local community Donations may only be left <u>in the green bins</u>. Anything left outside is discarded Donations for all parish social ministries may be left in the Fellowship Area of the Church or the Rectory. **PLEASE NOTE: THE THRIFT SHOP WILL BE CLOSED THIS WEDNESDAY** 

## Christ the King



Weekly Scripture Reflection

Today as we celebrate Christ the King, we hear Jesus say: "...whatever you did for one of the least brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me."

Knowing that we find the face of Christ in the poor, this month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to serve families in the community, providing food, utility and rent bills, etc. Thank You!

To arrange for a large furniture pick up, click here: https://www.svdpli.org/get-involved/donate/schedule-pickup/schedule-a-pick-up-suffolk-county/. <u>SJE DOES NOT ACCEPT FURNITURE ON CAMPUS.</u>

SJE is proud to have a St. Vincent de Paul Conference. We are always looking for new members. For more information, call 631.878.0009 or e-mail to <u>rectory@sjecm.org</u> and your information will be shared with the leaders of the conference.

## **ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE**

During the month of November we make a special effort to pray for and remember our dearly departed. On Monday, November 2, we remembered and to celebrated those who have gone home to the Lord over the past year whose names are listed below. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them!

Robert F. Pelosi Jr Anthony Quagliariello

Ethel Sally Lenz

Catherine B. DeVivo

Helen M. Smith

Patricia Townsend

Frances Brereton

Anthony Corteselli Matilda M. Sanita

David Peter Schiulaz

Dorothy Sullivan

Margaret Meehan

John Branciforte

Phyllis Caldera

Joseph Randazzo

Leonard M. Fig

Nicholas A. Rutigliano Theresa Ellen Lehrmann

Frances DeTommaso

Michael Vettek

Maurice Herman Alberts

Donald Shockley

Anthony J. Mirabella

Daniel DeRienzis

Senja Mazzola

Louis H. Leon

Eileen Ruvolo

June Potter

Henry G. Schandel

Peter A. Gencarelli

Edith F. Gerdik

Patrick J. McGaw

Pierre L. Vaillant

Jordan Hubbard

Ellen Roddy

Anna Lambert

Anthony M. Lombardo

Stephen Brooks

Mary C. Bruno

Beverly Ann Barrett

Olga Irene Kiefer

Mabel Evelyn Prebish

## **ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE**

Patricia Curcio Lubomir "Louis" Kochanzyj

Rita West Craig Borsetti

Gelsomina DiPreta John Joseph O'Brien Rita Parrinello Anna Marie Catanzaro

Frances Schultz Richard Eimers

Carmine Monaco Joseph Harvey Morais

Kenneth P. Schultz Helen Morais Dora Peterson Nancy Fariello Elsa Scotti Elena Gallo Catherine Gogel Connie Cange Catherine Monaco Ralph J. Leone June O'Neill Gabriella Sperduto Janet Herbert Loretta Martinez John R. Dunn Marialisa Ventrella

Marie Leo Rosaria C. Stoia

Vera Breutsh Joseph Peter Rametta III

Joan A. Tortorice Donald Lyon Nicholas Sarubbi Kristen Marie Bigora

Marie E. Gordon Mary Murphy

Peter Conrad Armieri George Hayes

Michael Frederick Botta Ronald Maldonado Robert Pelosi John Paul Petito

James Johnson Catherine Elizabeth Kurdt

Katherine J. Fleischer Nancy Duarte Pietro E. Cumbo

Lorraine A. LaClair Teresa A. Del Pozzo Ellen Roddy

Gail Smith Katy Dyer Patricia Nielson Frank Panzarino Sarah Nolan Gail Ann Degen

Pauline A. Richter Margaret Ann Wiebalck

Juan Villegas Salvatore A. Lettieri

Geraldine A. Bauer John J. O'Leary Agnes McKeon Salvatore Romagnolo John J. Cartisano Marie Minutillo Heriberto Rosado

Anthony Peruzzi Antonina Eimers Domenico Mastronardi

Antoinette M. Stewart Anna Mascia Anne Marie Minelli Maureen McGraw

Helen Pasciutti Michael O'Hare Vincent J. Steffen Marcelino Bueno Anthony Mucaria **David Cherkes** 

Alex Daniel Cisneros Grzegorczyk Christine J. Schulze

**Margaret Peters** Susan Seeger June A. Tufano

Joan B. Huey

## **WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE**



## DAILY ROSARY WITH SR. ANN

10:00 AM ON ZOOM

Sr. Ann will be praying the Rosary daily at 10 AM via Zoom online. There also is a phone call-in option. All information is below. If you can, please pray with us.

Zoom Online Link:

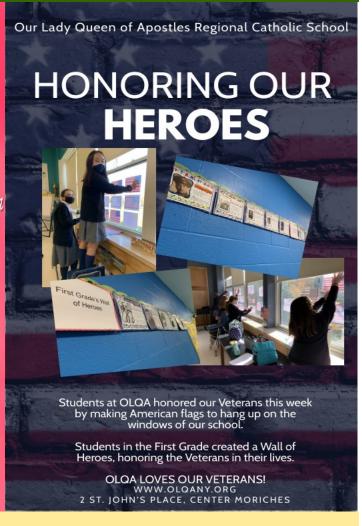
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Meeting ID: 817 2947 1841

Passcode: 560695

Dial by your location
+1 929 205 6099 US (New York)

NEW LINK AND PASSCODE



## **Family Life Ministry Sandwich Sunday**

Last Sunday, our Family Life Ministry collected nearly 1200 sandwiches from families and individuals in our parish. By Monday, they were in the hands of those in need and those who work with them. Thank you for "feeding the hungry" in a beautiful way. Look for more news from our Family Life Ministry soon! To join our Family Life Ministry, please contact the Rectory office at 631.878.0009 or email rectory@sjecm.org.







www.sjecm.org

#### **FAITH FORMATION**

Phone: 631-878-0009, ext. 5 + Website: sjecm.org + Facebook: StJohn FaithFormation Email: faithformation@sjecm.org / mpirraglia@sjecm.org

Office Hours: Monday-By Appointment Only (Monday-Thursday) (RED BARN, Upstairs)



## WHAT WE'VE BEEN UP TO!

"Family of Faith" (Grades 1-6): We are blessed to have nearly

750 students in Grades 1-6 enrolled in our new "Family of Faith" program. At our monthly parent meetings, we break open the topic of the month featured in the "Family of Faith" workbooks, and on our website we offer resources, weekly guides and grade-level content to help families work with their children at home. The



program is an experiential model, featuring various engaging activities, saints of the month and more! Our parent meetings are live streamed on our parish Facebook page — <a href="https://siecmf.blogspot.com/">https://siecmf.blogspot.com/</a> — and later posted on our new Faith Formation website — <a href="https://siecmff.blogspot.com/">https://siecmff.blogspot.com/</a>

Don't forget to fill out the Google Form Family Reflection for October!

<u>Confirmation Prep—(Grades 7-8):</u> Following our opening prayer services in October, our nearly 300 students in our Confirmation program are using their Breakthrough Youth Bibles to dive into topics over the next two months. In November and December, video presentations, along with a Google Form reflection, will be posted on our Faith Formation Website: <a href="https://sjecmff.blogspot.com/">https://sjecmff.blogspot.com/</a>. (November content is up now and the reflection is due December 7). We hope to kick off Google Classroom for our Confirmation prep program in January 2021.







<u>Always Gratitude!</u> A big thank you to our Faith Formation staff and volunteers who helped distribute workbooks, greet those who came in person to attend our parent meetings or to pray with us at the opening prayer services for Levels 7 & 8! We also thank our grade-level catechists in our "Family of Faith" program who are putting together grade-level specific content each month to help families better enter into this new model of Faith Formation.







## **KEEPING SAFE IN THESE DAYS!**

### **LITURGICAL PRACTICES, GOOD HEALTH AND COMMON SENSE!**

Since 2017, we have published updates regarding good health, particularly in the winter months. My former Pastor, Msgr. Joseph DeGrocco, a former professor of liturgy at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, prepared a brief article for my former parish's bulletin. As we are approaching the winter season in a time of pandemic, there are some good things to consider in our celebration of the Eucharist and some things we have been encouraging for many years!

As we come to celebrate Mass together each week during these winter days, it's a good time to review some common-sense liturgical practices and issues, to help everyone stay healthy and to care for one another.

- Not feeling great, STAY HOME! Please do not take any chances for your sake or anyone else's! Join us via social media or watch Mass on the Catholic Faith Network. The risks are too great for you and for others in these days. There is no obligation to attend Mass in this time; it is not a sin to miss Mass for this reason. (Also, there is no need to go to Confession if you miss Mass because you are sick.)
- Entering the Church: You must enter through the main fellowship doors with your mask on. NO MASK = NO ENTRANCE into the Church. Sanitize your hands, take a worship aid and enter the church. For Masses in the Auditorium, you may enter through the north or south entrances. Specific doors are marked for entrance and exit.
- <u>Seating:</u> Please sit as close to the front as possible. It works best for groups of one and two can sit closer to the front and/or fill the seats along the perimeter of the church. This allows us to make the maximum, safe use of our available seating. Please keep a safe distance from those on either side of you and/or your family.
- <u>Holy Communion:</u> Priests, deacons and extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion wash and sanitize their hands before Mass begins and immediately before distribution of Holy Communion. When Extraordinary Ministers go to their station, they place the vessel on the small table near that station and sanitize their hands before distributing Holy Communion.
- Communion from the Chalice: The distribution of the Precious Blood is suspended at this time.
- Reception of Holy Communion: Remember to bow as the person before you receives Holy Communion (this is not new). While you do this, please take down your mask. Please hold your hands out as flat as possible to receive Holy Communion. After placing the host in your mouth, put your mask back up and return to your seat.
- Greeting of Peace: The greeting of peace by shaking hands is suspended at this time.
- <u>Help!</u>: We are always looking for more volunteers to assist with the Cana Care Crew, particularly after Masses with the wipe down of the pews. If you and/or your family are willing to help, please see one of the volunteers in the orange shirts. We provide the gloves, t-shirt, towels and cleaning solution. You provide the arm strength and the positive spirit!

## SAFE ENVIRONMENT UPDATES



This is an important reminder for SJE employees and volunteers. You must stay up to date on your VIRTUS update bulletins, even if your ministry is not presently as active as it normally is in these times. If you have any questions about your VIRTUS account or how to complete the bulletins, please contact our safe environment coordinators – Michael Walsh or Elizabeth Dellaratta at 631,878,0009 or email to <a href="mailto:mwalsh@sjecm.org">mwalsh@sjecm.org</a> or edellaratta@sjecm.org.

### Comunidad Hispano de San Juan Evangelista, Center Moriches

La Comunidad Hispana de nuestra Parroquia en Centro Moriches, te invita a celebrar la Santa Misa en Espanol los Sabados a las 7:30 p.m. en la Iglesia, y los Martes a las 7:30 p.m en La Capilla del Convento.

Te invitamos a compartir la Palabra de Dios en el Grupo de Oracion, todos los Viernes a las 7:30 p.m. en la Capilla del Convento de la Parroquia. Ven a enriquecer tu vida espiritual orando

#### MINISTERIOS Y SERVICIOS

Bautismos: Segundo Domingo a las 2p.m. en la Iglesia. Clases pre-bautismos es el tercer miércoles de cada mes. Favor de traer el certificado de nacimiento del niño dos meses antes del bautismo.

#### **Requisitos:**

- 1. Certificado de nacimiento del niño o/de la niña.
- 2. Certificado de inscripción de su Parroquia (padres v padrinos)
- 3. Los padres deben traer estos documentos a la oficina de San Juan para fijar las fechas de charla pre-bautismal (OBLIGATORIA para padres y padrinos) y la fecha del Bautismo.

#### **Matrimonios:**

Parejas que planean su matrimonio, deben hacer una cita con uno de los sacerdotes antes de su boda. De este modo tendrán suficiente tiempo para recibir las instrucciones prematrimoniales y obtener los documentos necesarios. Para más información llame al oficina.

R.I.C.A: Padre Jaime- 1-631.878.0009

Templos del Espiritu Santo (Grupo de Jovenes) cada sabado a las 5PM en el Red Barn

## Feligreses de la comunidad Hispana de St. Juan Evangelista en **Centro Moriches**

- \*La subscripcion deben haceria en linea usando la pagina de http::// www.stjohntheevangelist.com.
- \*Hacer click en el cuadrito que dice "Baptisms."
- \*Usted puede ver el video que sigue en la pagina siguiente, o puede ir en la parte superior al texto que dice: "click here to continue with the process".
- \*Si no estas registrado como parroquiano de San Juan, deves hacer este paso primero, para que obtengas tu numero de parish ID.
- \*Si ya estas registrado, usa tu numero de Parish ID, para que llenes el registrado con los datos de tu bebe.



#### PRAYER AND WORSHIP

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Act of Dedication to Christ the King

Loving Jesus, Redeemer of the world we are yours, and yours we wish to be.
To bind ourselves to you even more closely we kneel before you today and offer ourselves to your most Sacred Heart

R. Praise to you, our Savior and our King.

Have mercy on all who reject you and refuse to obey you: gentle Lord, draw them to yourself.

R. Praise to you, our Savior and our King.

Reign over the faithful who have never left you, reign over those who have squandered their inheritance, the prodigal children who now are starving: bring them back to their Father's house.

R. Praise to you, our Savior and our King.

Reign over those who are misled by error or divided by discord Hasten the day when we shall be one in faith and truth, one flock with you, the one Shepherd. Give to your Church freedom and peace, and to all nations justice and order.

Make the earth resound from pole to pole with a single cry:
Praise to the Divine Heart that gained our salvation; glory and honor be his for ever and ever. Amen.

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## **NEXT WEEK'S READINGS — First Sunday of Advent**

**Reading I:** Isaiah 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7 May the Lord come when we are doing good. **Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19

**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 1:3-9 The Lord will strengthen us to the end.

**Gospel:** Mark 13:33-37

We know not the hour the Lord will come.



### **Discussion Questions**

- 1. According to this reading, what kind of shepherd is the Lord God? If this reading has a message for people in Church leadership positions, what is it? What can you do to "bind up the injured and heal the sick"?
- 2. What are some of the many forms of violence in the world today? How can you help Christ challenge them?
- 3. We have a king who heals and binds up wounds. What does he ask us to do? "For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink." Christ uses our generosity as a criterion for salvation. How is it also a standard for happiness? What happens to you when you give?

#### **PRAYING FOR AND WITH ONE ANOTHER**

#### We Remember...

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

-Entrance Antiphon, Funeral Mass John Karaban, Dolores Degeso, Catherine E. Powers We Pray...

"In this you rejoice, although now for a little while you may have to suffer through various trials..." -1 Peter 1:6

Mary Iapalucci, Dolores Santiago, Joseph Maldonado, Glenn Probeyan, Kelly-Jo McCarthy, John Carbone, Joi Nobisso, Waleria Olivera de Souza

Names will be announced at Mass the first week they are submitted and will remain on this list for approximately four weeks. If you would like a loved one's name placed under Prayers for the Sick, please call the rectory at 631.878.0009 or e-mail to rectory@sjecm.org

## **Praying for Our Military**

#### **US Army**

Sgt. Justin Sikorski, PVT Bailey Meyer, PVT Sean Casey, SGT Daniel Smith, PVT Joseph Cestare, PFC David Smith, PVT Jack Dyer, SPC Jarrad Satornino, PVT Michael Garcia Jr., SPC Daniel Sisco

#### **US Air Force**

SSgt. Jason M. Hermes, SSgt Ryan Kerstiens, SSgt Timothy Kerstiens, PFC Kyle Kerstiens, MAJ Salvatore Sferrazza

#### **US Marine Corps**

Pfc Sean Brady, Patrick Kimes, Lt. Col. Robert K. Maldonado, CPL Andrew Schlosberg PVT Charles O'Connor, SGT Quentin Montemarano, Recruit Evan Berkemeyer

#### **US Navy**

STGCS Brian Holzmacher, ET3 Jeremiah Nolan, Jr., MMN3 Christopher J. Esposito Jr.

#### **US Coast Guard**

SR Brendan J. Bernath, Capt. Keith Donohue

## **Remembering our Loved Ones**

Helping our Parish

**Altar Bread and Wine**—for the month an offering of \$150 is requested **Altar Candles**—\$25.00 per week

Altar bread and wine for the month of November has been donated: In memory of William P. LaVallee Jr.



This week, the altar candles have been lit in memory of Kevin O'Brien Jr.

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## 2021 Mass Book NOW OPEN

To reserve a Mass, come to the Parish office or visit our web site.

Available Masses in the upcoming weeks:

7 a.m. Masses: Dec. 24, 28

**Spanish Evening Masses (7:30 p.m.):** Dec. 5, 8, 12, 15, 22, 26, 29

#### Christmas/New Years Masses:

Christmas Eve– 4PM, overflow Christmas Day– 8AM, 12 Noon Solemnity of Mary Vigil: 12/31 5PM

## PREPARING FOR THE WEEK

MASS SCHEDULE			
Monday, November 23, 2020 + Weekday			
7:00 a.m.	Joseph Gyomory		
12 Noon	Irene Heldman		
Tuesday, November 24, 2020 + Memorial of St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs			
7:00 a.m.	Raphael Luna		
12 Noon	Mildred Geiger		
7:30 p.m.	All Souls Novena		
Wednesday, November 25, 2020 + Weekday			
7:00 a.m.	All Souls Novena		
10:30 a.m.	OLQA School Mass		
12 Noon	Maria & Sebastiano Zapparrata		
Thursday, November 26, 2020 + Thanksgiving Day			
9:00 a.m.	The People of the Parish		
Friday, November 27, 2020 + Weekday			
7:00 a.m.	Taylor Rose Clarke		
12 Noon	Special Intention– Doris Borrelli		
Saturday, November 28, 2020 + Weekday			
8:00 a.m.	All Souls Novena		
First Sunday of Advent			
Mass of Anticipation			
5:00 p.m.	Ana Maria Garraputa		
7:30 p.m.	The People of the Parish		
Sunday			
8:00 a.m.	Clark Potvin		
10:00 a.m	Margaret Peters		
12:00 p.m.	Gregory Hammond		
6:00 p.m.	Michele Siemion		

## **MEETINGS OF THE WEEK**

RBMR—Red Barn—1st Floor Mtg. Room/RBUR—Upper Room SC –Seton Chapel			
Monday, November 23, 2020			
6:45 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RB	
3—7 p.m.	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	SC	
5:00 p.m.	Community Meal	Auditorium	
6:45 p.m.	PSM Distribution	Auditorium	
7:00 p.m.	Holy Hour for Priest Prayer Group	SC	
7:30 p.m.	Narcotics Anonymous	TBA	
7:30 p.m.	RCIA (Spanish Community)	RBLR	
Tuesday, November 24, 2020			
6:45 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RB	
3—7 p.m.	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	SC	
7:00 p.m.	Divine Will Prayer Group	Auditorium	
7:00 p.m.	Adult Confirmation	Faculty Rm.	
Wednesday, November 25, 2020			
6:45 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RB	
9:00 a.m.	Thrift Shop Open	Thrift Shop	
3—7 p.m.	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	SC	
Thursday, November 26, 2020			
6:45 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RB	
12:30 p.m.	St. Zita Society– Church Cleaners	Church	
7:00 p.m.	Street Ministry	Convent	
Friday, November 27, 2020			
6:45 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RB	
3—7 p.m.	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	SC	
7:00 p.m.	Spanish Prayer Group	Seton Chapel	
7:30 p.m.	Narcotics Anonymous	TBA	
Saturday,	November 28, 2020		
6:45 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RB	
9:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group	Seton Chapel	
Sunday, November 29, 2020			
6:45 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RB	
10:00 a.m.	RCIA (English)	Aud/Cafe	











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### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

(in the Blue House)

Monday — Thursday: 9 a.m. — 8 p.m. Friday – Saturday

9 a.m. – 2p.m. We ask that you call before visiting any parish offices.

## Come and pray with us! **SUNDAY MASS**

## **Saturday Evening**



5 p.m. + 7:30 p.m. (Spanish Mass) (Saturday Evening 5 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Masses will be livestreamed.

Videos remain on Facebook after the live broadcast.)

## Sunday

**Church:** 8:00 a.m. + 10:00 a.m. + 12 Noon + 6:00 p.m.

**Auditorium:** 10:00 a.m.

Please call the Rectory or check SJE Social Media for latest updates.

## **WEEKDAY MASS**

Monday—Friday: 7:00 a.m. + 12 Noon Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. (Spanish—Seton Chapel) Saturday Morning: 8:00 a.m. (The 7 a.m. Daily Mass will be livestreamed. Videos remain on Facebook after the live broadcast.)

## Come and know God's Mercy!

We celebrate the **Sacrament of Reconciliation**:

Monday—Friday: After the 7 a.m. and 12 Noon Masses Saturday: After the 8 a.m. Mass

**Saturday:** 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. + 7:00—7:15 p.m. (Spanish) **Sunday:** 5:30—5:45 p.m.

Confessions will now take place in Our Lady's Chapel in the Church.

## Come and know God's healing of the sick!

Please contact the Rectory (631.878.0009, x. 9) for a priest to celebrate the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick with the seriously ill or those preparing for surgery.

## Give us a call!

A daily spiritual message is recorded each day for you to hear. Call 631.878.0009, x. 185.

Share this with family members and friends who are homebound.

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## Come to know Mary, Our Lady Queen of Apostles

All are invited to pray the Rosary after Daily Mass in the Church. In addition we pray the Rosary via Zoom each morning at 10 a.m.

Zoom Online Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81729471841?

pwd=Y0FxQVNhVVcyaGp3eGxHNTVVSzJXUT09

Meeting ID: 817 2947 1841

Passcode: 560695

Zoom Phone #: +1 929 205 6099 US (New York)

Extra Rosary beads are available at the doors of the Church and Seton Chapel. Not sure how to pray the Rosary? Click <a href="here">here</a>— or click here and pray online—<a href="https://www.youtube.com/">https://www.youtube.com/</a>

watch?v=VtJM V8scoo

## Come to know Mary, Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal

The Miraculous Medal Novena is prayed on Mondays after the 7 a.m. and 12 Noon Masses. Booklets are provided. We ask that you take the booklet and keep it, bringing it back each Monday. You can also view it online here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zfrp55orahg.

## Come to the quiet!

The church building and Seton Chapel (located in the white convent building) are open from Monday - Friday from 6:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Saturday: 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. + Sunday: 7:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

All who visit must sign in, wash their hands in the bathroom or use sanitizer before entering the worship space, and keep a safe social distance from others.

## Come and spend some time with the Lord!

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place in Seton Chapel Mondays —Fridays from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. All are invited to quiet times of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament when the Church and Seton Chapel are open.

Liturgy of the Hours



## Come pray the Liturgy of the Hours!

The communal celebration of the Liturgy of the Hours is postponed until further notice. Those who wish to pray may visit unviersalis.com or you can click <a href="here">here</a> for Ibreviary or scan the QR code to the left. You may also download the app for your iphone or android device. Those who wish to pray may pick up a *Christian Prayer* book from the lobby of Seton Chapel to keep in these days.

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All are encouraged to stay connected with our local and global church through the Catholic Faith Network (CFN).

**CFN** is available on Optimum channel 29/137, Verizon FiOS TV channel 296, and Charter Spectrum channel 162/471 and can be accessed via catholic faithnetwork.org