



# 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



**Fourth Sunday of Advent**

**December 19, 2021**

“Blessed are you among women,  
and blessed is the fruit of your womb” -Luke 1:42



# CHRISTMAS @ SJE

# Christmas

## Mass Schedule



## Christmas 2021

Friday/Saturday, December 24/25, 2021

### Christmas Eve

4 p.m. - Church: Fr. Felix  
Deacon Louis Preaching  
4 p.m. - Auditorium: Fr. John  
6 p.m. - Church: Fr. John  
9:30 p.m. - Spanish - Church: Fr. Jaime  
12 Midnight: Fr. John

### Christmas Day

8:00 a.m. - Church: Fr. Ron Richardson  
10 a.m. - Church - Fr. Felix  
10:30 a.m. - Aud. Spanish: Fr. Jaime  
12 Noon - Church - Fr. John

## Feast of the Holy Family

Sunday, December 26, 2021

8 a.m. + 10 a.m. + 12 Noon + 6 p.m.

## Solemnity of Mary - New Year's Day

Friday, December 31st - 5 p.m. + 7:30 p.m. (Spanish)

Saturday, January 1st - 8 a.m. + 12 Noon





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Advent Day  
of Confession

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MONDAY

**DECEMBER 20, 2021**

3 p.m. to 8 p.m.

– Church



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Confessions for  
Christmas

The season of Advent is a wonderful way to prepare our hearts for the Lord! The sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated at SJE on the following days and times in Our Lady's Chapel.

**Monday—Friday after the 7 a.m.  
and 12 Noon Masses**

**Saturdays—After the 8 a.m. Mass, 4—4:45 p.m. and  
7—7:15 p.m. (Spanish)**

**Sundays—5:30—5:45 p.m**

We hope this will provide enough of an opportunity for everyone while also respecting people's needs for safe distance and their comfort level with crowds. Please note the following:

**Saturday, December 18, 2021 —Confessions begin at 3:30 p.m.**

**Sunday, December 19, 2021 —Confessions begin at 5 p.m.**

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## ADVENT 2021



**Advent Giving Tree**

This year, Parish Social Ministry will continue our annual "Advent Giving 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 of the church. Please take one or more paper ornaments from them, which list a needed item. You can return these items, UNWRAPPED to the fellowship area of the church or the rectory office.

We will be running the Giving Tree until the 4th Sunday of Advent. Call 631-878-0009 ext.119 for more info.



### 2021 Christmas Collection

This week a mailing went home in the spirit of St. Francis Xavier requesting your support of the 2021 Christmas Collection. You can return the envelope or go to [www.sjecm.com](http://www.sjecm.com) and click on Giving. You may also use the QR code below. We rely on the Christmas Collection to continue the many good works that happen here at SJE.

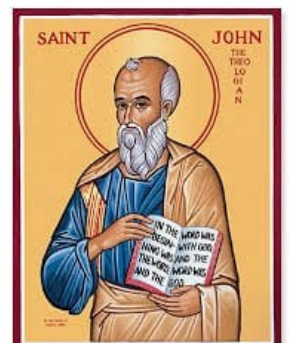


### Rectory Holiday Hours

**The Parish Office is closed**

- Friday, December 24th,
- Saturday, December 25th
- Monday, December 27th—Office closes at 12 Noon

We will reopen Tuesday at 9 a.m.





## ADVENT 2021

### Christmas Decorating

# Church Christmas Decoration Set Up

Thursday, December 23, 2021 @ 4PM

Meet in the Church!

Thanks to our Christmas Decorating Crew for helping us get ready for the celebration of Christmas on the outside of our buildings. We'll need help on January 10th taking everything down.

More information to follow. ! Many great hands make light work.



## PRAYER AND WORSHIP



**Looking for  
Daily Inspiration?**

**Call 631-878-0009  
Ext. 185**

Call each day for a prayer, spiritual reflection, or  
scripture reading from Fr. John or Sr. Ann

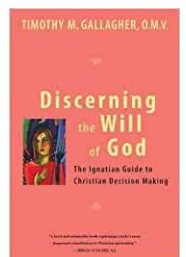
Share it with those who might need a lift - anyone  
can call from anywhere!

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## Women's Group

### The Will of God

God has a plan for every person, a plan that goes far beyond doing good and avoiding evil. God's plan can be rightly discerned by paying attention to one's spiritual experiences.

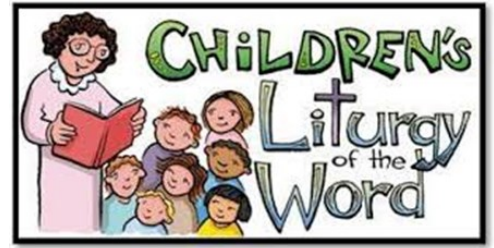


St. Ignatius has much to teach us about following God's lead in daily decisions and especially in the major decisions of life. Fr. Gallagher's Discerning the Will of God is an excellent resource for those seeking God's will for their lives

**We meet every other Mon;** Dec 20, Jan 10, 2022, Jan 24, Feb 7, Feb 21, Mar 7, Mar 21, Apr 18, May 2, May 16, May 30, June 13, June 27, Meetings are held in the Convent (White House) at 10am Books will be provided For info & to register, contact Anita Luccari-631-878-0009.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE

### Children's Liturgy of the Word



Do you know how to send a text message?

Can you cross a street safely?

Are you a good reader?

Do you enjoy being with children?

If you answered YES to one or more of these questions then you've got what it takes to join **Children's Liturgy of the Word**.

If you want to marvel at the insight of our parish children and have a whole lot of fun in the process, this joyful ministry might be a good fit for you!

If you're interested in finding out more about this ministry please contact us at [CLTW@SJECM.org](mailto:CLTW@SJECM.org). or complete the form below and drop it in the basket as you exit the church.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade (if middle school/high school student): \_\_\_\_\_

## PRAYER AND WORSHIP EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

**Monday - Friday**  
**3PM - 7PM @ Seton Chapel**

- Consider offering one hour per week before the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

If you can be present for a specific hour, fill out this form:

<https://forms.gle/qrC4P6nyDRrJ4xpu5>, email Fr. John at [jsureau@sjecm.org](mailto:jsureau@sjecm.org) or call the Parish Office at 631.878.0009.

- Parishioners are always welcome to come and pray before the Blessed Sacrament even if they cannot make the regular hour commitment.



*"In the Blessed Sacrament God loves us so tenderly, He empties Himself completely.*

*O, who could believe it? Withholding nothing, He gives his all.*

*He gives his flesh for us to eat. He gives his blood for us to drink. He gives his soul, his infinite being. To transform us into Himself. Praised be the Blessed Sacrament!"*

*- St. Louis de Montfort (Hymn No. 30, 3rd Stanza)*



## LITURGICAL PRACTICES, GOOD HEALTH AND COMMON SENSE

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.

- **MASKS ARE NOW REQUIRED IN ALL BUILDINGS, INCLUDING THE CHURCH.** I have requested this over the past few weeks and it is now mandatory. This week, we were advised by the Diocese of Rockville Centre that as we do not check for vaccination status, all who enter the church building and other buildings must wear a mask.

As I wrote last week, I respect and honor that there are many opinions about this. I do not wish to get into any debates or stoke anyone's ire. For me, particularly, I hear more of our parishioners becoming more anxious about the risk of sickness to themselves and others, I believe it offers another layer of protection and another layer of care and concern for the other. If it is going to even offer the tiniest amount of protection or comfort for another, is there a reason I would not do it? (I do understand there are medical reasons that some cannot wear a mask. If this is the case, please do your best to keep a safe social distance from others.)

Thank you for wearing a mask at Sunday Mass and at other parish liturgies and events.

- **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 if you are not well; 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. Please sanitize your hands, take a worship aid and enter the church. Remember, you may leave your gifts for the offertory as you enter and as you leave.
- **Holy Communion:** 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 remains suspended at this time.
- **Greeting of Peace:** The greeting of peace has been reinstituted. You do NOT need to shake hands to exchange the sign of peace if you are not comfortable.

## Family Life Ministry

### Our Next Sandwich Sunday is December 19th

*\*Bring Volunteer sheets if you are collecting Volunteer hours\**

Please make sandwiches with gloves and masks worn. Drop them off 9-11 am and again 5-6 pm outside the auditorium of the school. (Behind the church).

Watch our YouTube video for tips and tricks.

<https://youtu.be/6bn7qsQW8Nw>



## PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

### IF YOU ARE IN NEED, PLEASE REACH OUT

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

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

**Please call 631-878-0009 ext. 120 to make an appointment.**

**Ernie's Place (Food Pantry)** -Monday 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m., Thursdays 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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

### CONTACT PSM MINISTERS PHONE # 631.878.0009 + RECTORY @SJECM.ORG

Katie Spellman + *Coordinator of Parish Social Ministry*  
Christian Diconsiglio *Case Manager*

Sister Ann Berendes + *Director of Senior Ministry*

Ernie's Place—Food Pantry Ministry  
Ministry of Consolation: Eve O'Brien

Communion to the Homebound: Kevin Both

Respect Life Group: Maria Sikora

Society of St. Vincent de Paul



### Street Ministry— serving the homeless in our area each week

*Donations Needed:* MEN'S UNDERWEAR (36-38 & 40-42 & 44-48) + Adult sweatshirts (L & XL) + Women's Leggings and sweatpants (M & L) + Men's Sweatpants (M & L—waist sizes 36+), + Men's Winter Socks 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.

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](mailto:rectory@sjecm.org).

*Donations Needed:* Small Bags of Rice + Small Ketchup + Small Vegetable Oil + Boxed Pasta + Mayo + Bags of Red Beans or Black Beans



### 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 at [rectory@sjecm.org](mailto:rectory@sjecm.org) *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 **in the green bins**. Anything left outside is discarded. *Donations for all parish social ministries may be left in Fellowship Area of the Church or Rectory.*





## PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY



### Fourth Sunday of Advent

#### Weekly Scripture Reflection

Jesus was born during the night of the year when darkness is the longest. The Savior of the world comes for the people in dark places. The real, lasting, and deep joy is that the Light shines there. Through your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, "Light" has shown, bringing real, lasting and deep joy to the hearts of the poor who live in dark places in our streets and neighborhood.

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/>. **SJE DOES NOT ACCEPT FURNITURE ON CAMPUS.**

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 [rectory@sjecm.org](mailto:rectory@sjecm.org) and your information will be shared with the leaders of the conference.



To sign up for the COVID-19 Vaccine, visit <https://www.vaccines.gov>

"It's an ethical choice, because you are playing with health, life, but you are also playing with the lives of others...I've signed up..."  
-Pope Francis



## Community Meal

***Join us Monday, December 27, 2021 in the auditorium at St. John the Evangelist Church in Center Moriches.***

The Meal will consist of a home-made dinner from **6:00PM-7:30PM.** If you are in need of toiletries or clothes, please let a volunteer know!



## HELPFUL PHONE NUMBERS

**L.I. Women's Coalition:** 631-666-8833  
**Victims Information Bureau of Suffolk:** 631-360-3606  
**Child Abuse:** 631-439-0480  
**Brighter Tomorrow:** 631-395-1800  
**The Retreat (Hotline for Domestic Violence):** 631-329-2200  
**Birthright:** 631-821-9727 or 1-800-550-4900  
**Catholic Charities (Food Stamp Info):** 631-789-9546  
**Fidelis (Family Health Plus):** 1-888-343-3547  
**Good Shepherd Hospice:** 631-376-3758  
**Hope House Ministries:** 631-473-6030  
**Alcoholics Anonymous 24-Hour Hotline:** 631-669-1124  
**Suicide Prevention:** 1-800-SUICIDE  
**Women's Help Line:** 631-698-2074  
**Narcotics Anonymous:** 631-689-6262  
**RESPONSE:** 631-751-7500  
**Gambler's Anonymous Hotline:** 1-855-222-5542  
**American Red Cross L.I.:** (516) 747-3500

## WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE

**-The Knights of Columbus  
Present-**

# BINGO NIGHT

## Friday Evenings

### @OLQA Auditorium

**Doors open  
at 6:30 p.m.  
(First game  
7:30 p.m.)**



**\$2000 IN PRIZES!**  
\*\*\*MAXIMUM ATTENDANCE IS  
100 PLAYERS\*\*\*

**MASKS ARE  
ENCOURAGED BUT  
NOT REQUIRED**



## Low Gluten Hosts Available

Low Gluten Hosts (less than .01% gluten content) are available for those with Celiac Disease who cannot receive Holy Communion using the usual bread. If you need to receive Holy Communion using a low-gluten host, please stop in the sacristy before Mass to discuss this with the priest and see if this will be acceptable for you and/or your child. If you cannot receive the low-gluten host, we can offer a separate chalice for you. We will be happy to accommodate you if we can. Please let us know.



## PRAYER AND WORSHIP

### NEXT WEEK'S READINGS – The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

**Reading I:** Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14 or 1 Samuel 1:20-22, 24-28

*Kindness and respect for parents is urged.*

**Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or PS 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10

**Second Reading:** Colossians 3:12-21 or 12-17 or 1 John 3:1-2, 21-24

*What is expected of the chosen of God.*

**Gospel:** Luke 2:41-52

*Jesus is found in the Temple.*



## Discussion Questions

1. If you were expecting a majestic ruler how would you have felt about the stable and manger? When you experience poverty in your life, do you accept it as a meeting place with God or do you run from it?
2. What does “once and for all” mean? Could it mean that Jesus’ coming to do his Father’s will completes the New Covenant and sanctifies us all?
3. The infant “leaped for joy” in Elizabeth’s womb at the recognition of the soon-to-be-born savior. Discuss this moment as humankind’s welcome to the savior. How close do you come to “leaping for joy” when you recognize God’s presence in your life?

SJE+125

**WHERE DO WE WANT TO BE IN 2023?**



## 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 Español 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 y 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 hacerla en linea usando la pagina de <http://www.stjohntheevangelist.com>.

\*Hacer click en el cuadro 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, debes 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.

## Permítanos ayudarlo!

### DESPENSA DE COMIDA DE ERNIE

Abierto - Lunes 6:30 p.m. a las 7:30 p.m.  
Jueves 3 p.m. a las 4 p.m.

### TIENDA DE SEGUNDA MANO

Miércoles - Red Barn  
Miércoles de 9 a.m. a 12 p.m.

### COMIDA COMUNITARIA

Último lunes del mes 6 p.m.  
Auditorio de la escuela  
Diciembre- 27 de diciembre de 2021

### MINISTERIO DE LA CALLE

Jueves - Estación de tren Mastic-Shirley  
7:15 p.m. (aproximadamente)  
Comidas sencillas y ropa disponible.

También necesitamos voluntarios para ayudar a traducir para aquellos que lo necesiten



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## PRAYING FOR AND WITH ONE ANOTHER

### We Remember

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine up on them.*

**-Entrance Antiphon, Funeral Mass**

**Anthony Ricci, Frank Strelecki, Myrtha Laurent**

### We Pray

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

**Transito Sanchez. Mary Peterson**

*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](mailto: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, PFC Jack Dyer, PVT Michael Garcia Jr.,  
SPC Daniel Sisco, SGT. Sean Casey

#### US Air Force

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

#### 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

## PRAYER AND WORSHIP

### Holy Hour for Priests

We are a group that has been coming together for about 20 years, praying for the sanctification, protection, strength, and purification of our priests, religious and clergy, and for an increase in vocations.



We presently have been meeting in Seton Chapel every Monday night from 7 p.m.—8 p.m. All are welcome to join us.

If you have any questions, contact Barbara Gargiullo at 631-878-0009.

## STEWARDSHIP

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## 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 December has been donated: In memory of Agnes McKeon.*

*This week, the altar candles have been lit in memory of Kevin O'Brien Jr, the Blessed Mother candle has been lit in memory of Kathleen Igoe, and the St. Theresa Candle has been lit in memory of Owen Igoe.*



## PREPARING FOR THE WEEK

### MASS SCHEDULE

**Monday, December 20, 2021 + Late Advent Weekday**

7:00 a.m.	John Immel
12 Noon	Diana Guercio

**Tuesday, December 21, 2021 + Late Advent Weekday**

7:00 a.m.	Ellen Delucie
12 Noon	Joseph A. Gallagher
7:30 p.m.	Intention Still Available

**Wednesday, December 22, 2021 + Late Advent Weekday**

7:00 a.m.	Jeanette LaRock
12 Noon	Peter Montalbano

**Thursday, December 23, 2021 + Late Advent Weekday**

7:00 a.m.	David Scharf
10:30 a.m.	OLQA School Mass
12 Noon	Jerome J. O'Brien

**Friday, December 24, 2021 + Late Advent Weekday**

7:00 a.m.	Peter Nizza
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### NO NOON MASS

4PM- church	Francesca Ponce
4PM- aud	Intention Still Available
6:00 p.m.	Rose Acuri
9:30 p.m.	Steve Uzzi

**Saturday, December 25, 2021 + The Nativity of the Lord**

Midnight	Rudy Giacaglia
8:00 a.m.	Kathleen Anduze
10AM- church	Walter & Ruth Bradshaw
10:30AM- aud	Intention Still Available
12 Noon	Rose & Mario Vigliotta

### The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

8:00 a.m.	Cristan Duffy
10:00 a.m.	Katy Dyer
12:00 p.m.	Timothy John Fox
6:00 p.m.	Diana Guercio

## Weekly Calendar

BMR—Barn 1st Floor Mtg. Room/BUR—Upper Room SC—Seton Chapel

**Monday, December 20, 2021**

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous—BMR  
 10:00 a.m. | Women's Group—SC  
 1:00 p.m. | Advent Day of Reconciliation—Church  
 3-7 p.m. | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament—SC  
 6:30 p.m. | Food Pantry Open—Ernie's Place  
 7:00 p.m. | Holy Hour for Priests—SC  
 7:25 p.m. | Narcotics Anonymous—Cafeteria  
 7:30 p.m. | Spanish RCIA—BUR

**Tuesday, December 21, 2021**

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous—BMR  
 3-7 p.m. | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament—SC  
 7:00 p.m. | Lessons and Carols—Church  
 7:00 p.m. | Divine Will Prayer Group—BUR  
 7:30 p.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous—BMR

**Wednesday, December 22, 2021**

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous—BMR  
 9:00 a.m. | Thrift Shop Open—Thrift Shop  
 3-7 p.m. | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament—SC  
 6:00 p.m. | Choirs—Church  
 6:00 p.m. | CYO Girls—Auditorium  
 7:25 p.m. | Narcotics Anonymous—Cafeteria

**Thursday, December 23, 2021**

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous—BMR  
 3:00 p.m. | Food Pantry Open—Ernie's Place  
 3-7 p.m. | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament—SC  
 4:00 p.m. | Legion of Mary—BMR  
 7:00 p.m. | Street Ministry—Convent  
 7:30 p.m. | Alanon—BMR

**Friday, December 24, 2021**

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous—BMR  
 3-7 p.m. | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament—SC  
 7:00 p.m. | Narcotics Anonymous—BMR

**Saturday, December 25, 2021**

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous—BMR  
 7:00 p.m. | Narcotics Anonymous—BMR

**Sunday, December 26, 2021**

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous—BMR  
 10:30 a.m. | RCIA—Cafeteria



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## Pastoral Team

**Reverend John Sureau**

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**Reverend Felix Akpabio**

*Parochial Vicar*

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**Michelle Pirraglia**

*Director of Faith Formation*

**Katie Spellman**

*Coordinator of Parish Social Ministry*

**Katie Waller**

*Director of Operations*

## Mass Schedule

**Come and pray with us!**

### 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.

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.

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## The Sacraments

**Come and know God's Mercy!**

We celebrate the **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

**Monday—Friday:** After the 7 a.m. + 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.*

## Office Hours

**In the Blue House**

**Monday—Thursday:**

9 a.m.—8 p.m.

**Friday—Saturday**

9 a.m.—2 p.m.

*We ask that you call before visiting any parish offices.*

**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.