

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



5th Sunday in Ordinary Time February 6, 2022

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time + February 6, 2022



February 2, 2022 Feast of the Presentation

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

During this week, from Sunday, January 30, 2022 through February 5, 2022, our 35 Catholic elementary schools in the Diocese of Rockville Centre are participating in Catholic Schools Week, the annual national celebration of Catholic education.

The theme for National Catholic Schools Week 2022 is "Catholic Schools: Faith, Excellence, Service." Schools typically observe the week with Masses, open houses and other activities for students, families, parishioners and community members. Through these events, schools focus on the importance, value and contributions of Catholic education to our young people, our Church, our communities and the world at large.

As we celebrate Catholic education this year, I am most appreciative of those who make it possible: the administrators, faculties, and staffs of our Catholic elementary schools. Their Good Samaritan charity, dedication and perseverance radiate Christ, form our students and make our schools thrive. Indeed, from maintaining the continuity of instruction during periods of remote learning due to the COVID pandemic, to providing safe school environments for on-site learning, they have ensured that our school communities have continued to address the academic, social and spiritual needs of our students.

Notwithstanding this pandemic, we continue to make significant progress transforming our schools through our on-going Morning Star Initiative ("MSI"). Many elements of the MSI are already in place, such as key improvements in mathematics, reading and religious studies, which are helping students reach new potential. I am so very grateful for the tireless dedication of our MSI team.

Please join with me in asking Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, the patron saint of Catholic schools, and Mary, Star of Evangelization, to intercede for our Morning Star and Department of Education teams, for our principals, teachers and staff, and especially for our students.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Host Reverend John O. Barres Bishop of Rockville Centre



THE CATHOLIC SCHOOL IN CENTER MORICHES

Phone: 631-878-1033 + Website: olqany.org Mrs. Dawn Waller, Principal dwaller@olqany.org

AFTERCARE POSITION

We have an opening for an aftercare position. The hours would be from 2:30-5 two to three afternoons a week. It would consist of homework help, giving the kids a snack, and supervision and playtime with them. Students in grades pre-K-8 (mostly younger grades attend). For more information, contact Mrs. Dawn Waller at 631.878.1033 or e-mail to dwaller@sjecm.org.

R.E.A.C.H. Project

For a student to graduate from OLQA, he or she must complete the two-year REACH (Research + Excellence + Academics + Catholicism +Hope) project that requires students to conduct significant academic research and then carry out an action research project. This year's seventh graders have now successfully presented their proposals before their peers and a panel of experts who provided feedback and direction. 2023 REACH Topics include: The Impact of Social Anxiety, The Reputation of Sharks, ADHD and the Saints, Climate Change, Prevention of Ankle Injuries, Equine Therapy and more. Below are some pictures of their research presentations. Students in the Class of 2022 have completed their methodology sections and will begin their own action research projects in February and March.

The REACH project requires good mentors, those with experience in the fields of study for each student. If you might be interested in serving as a mentor to an incredible seventh graders, please contact Fr. John at 631.878.1033 or email to jsureau@olqany.org







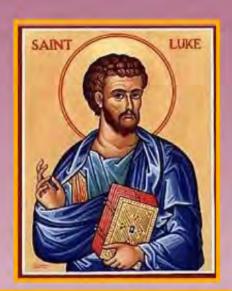
ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASSES BEGINNING SOON!

Are you an adult interested in receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation? If you are a baptized Catholic, but have not been fully initiated, we offer a process for those who desire to receive the sacrament of Confirmation. Meeting will begin taking place at the start of Lent and continue through Pentecost.

If you would like to sign up for more information, contact the Rectory at 631.878.0009 or email to rectory@sjecm.org or fill out this form: https://forms.gle/hSzTfgZdMtF1Qh398

For teenagers and their families who desire ore information, contact the Faith Formation Office at 631-878-0009 ext. 5 or email to faithformation@sjecm.org.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION



THURSDAYS February 10 February 17 February 24

4 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. OR 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

FEELING LOST WITH LUKE PART II

Sometimes called the Gospel of Mercy, Luke allows us to come to know the Jesus of compassion in some beautiful ways.

Led by Fr. John - and perhaps a friend or two - join us for afternoons or evenings of prayer, learning and discussion about parts of the Gospel of Luke. In Part II, we will look at the public ministry of Jesus as presented in Luke's Gospel. This is a great opportunity to prepare for Lent.

Having participated in Part I in November and December is NOT a requirement or prerequisite for this course.

Email rectory@sjecm.org or call the rectory at 631-878-0009 to sign up. A \$20.00 free will offering is requested but not required for this program.

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LITURGY AND LIFE

Bringing up the Gifts

At each Mass at St. John the Evangelist we bring forward the gifts of bread and wine and offerings for those who are poor and in need. This procession of gifts is symbolic of the gifts we bring to the table of the Lord and the gifts the Lord has given us—fruit of the earth, fruit of the vine— to become the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ.

If you would like to bring forward the gifts of bread and wine at Sunday Mass, please see a member of the Cana Care Crew.

If you would like to bring forward the gifts of bread and wine at daily Mass, please sit in the back of the center sections of the Church near the offertory table.

At this time, all who are part of the procession with gifts must wear a mask.

Preparing for Ash Wednesday

Lent is less than a month away! As has been our tradition at SJE, we will collect palm from previous years to burn for ashes to be distributed on Ash Wednesday. Baskets will be placed at the Fellowship Area doors and in lobby of Seton Chapel for you to place your palm. Palms will be burned before Ash Wednesday and used at this year's services.



HOLY WATER BOTTLES

Holy water bottles are available in Our Lady's Chapel in the Church and in the vestibule of Seton Chapel. Wanting to take every precaution in these days, we will not have holy water at the doors of the church for the foreseeable future. The bottles can be taken and kept.

If you need more holy water, you may fill them up from the silver holy water containers. When it has run out, please let the sacristan know (if it a weekend or a weekday morning) or call the Rectory so we can fill up the containers.

There is no fee for the holy water bottles. If you wish, consider leaving an offering in the Poor Box as you leave church.



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Pray for us!

We have new prayer cards available in the Church seeking the intercession of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Founder of the Sisters of Charity and the first American born saint, she is close to our parish. The Sisters of Charity were key to establishing our parish school and many of our parish's ministries. The prayer cards are located by the Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton window in the Church.

Please feel free to take an extra card or to share one with someone else.





Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time + February 6, 2022

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 STILL REQUIRED IN ALL BUILDINGS, INCLUDING THE CHURCH.

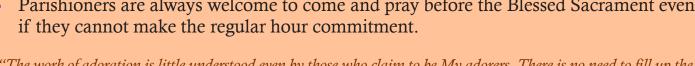
Thank you for wearing a mask at Sunday Mass and at other parish liturgies and events.

- 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 ex-

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 or call the Parish Office at 631.878.0009.
- We are once again need of parishioners to commit to Friday afternoons and evenings—most especially from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.
- Parishioners are always welcome to come and pray before the Blessed Sacrament even if they cannot make the regular hour commitment.



"The work of adoration is little understood even by those who claim to be My adorers. There is no need to fill up the time of adoration with thoughts and words, as if all depended on your doing something. It is sufficient to speak to Me as the Holy Spirit gives you to speak, to listen to Me with the ear of your heart, and to abide in the light of My face for those who languish in the darkness of sin and in the refusal of My love, My truth and My life" (In Sinu Jesu, Sept. 5, 2011, Imprimatur).

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY AND OUTREACH

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.

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 Manger

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

SIRIER

Donations Needed: men's underwear sizes (40-42 & 44-48), Sweatshirts (Size L & XL), Sweatpants for men and women, men's winter socks, blankets (gently used or new please) Blankets and Coats in sizes L & XL. You can put them in a bag-just remember to label it street ministry- and drop off in the green bins or leave them in the Fellowship Area

of the Church. 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.

Donations Needed: Maple syrup, bags of dry black beans, bags of dry red beans,

small bags flour, small bags sugar, cooking oil, and mayo

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 *Note: We are not taking any more egg crates.*





Thrift Shop Ministry

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 Fellowship Area of the Church or Rectory.*

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY AND OUTREACH

COATS NEED!



Our Street Ministry is in desperate need of coats for our regular Thursday evening distribution. As we minister to many each Thursday night, many come looking for a jacket or coat—some each week. You may ask why do they need one every week. For some, a week in one jacket facing the elements outside all day and night produce much wear and tear that requires a new jacket or coat.

PLEASE HELP!

You may leave jackets and coats in the big box in the Fellowship Area, the Parish Office, or in the green bins.

THANK YOU!!

REACH OUT

In addition to seeking to serve those who come to us, SJE Parish Social Ministry also attempt to "REACH OUT" to local organizations and charities that seek to care for those who may not be able to come to us. We are only able to do this because of YOU and your generosity and support.

Here is one note we received from a local men's shelter....THANK YOU!!!

"...I can't thank you along with all of your helpers and everyone that donated to our shelter. The gentleman are so very thankful for all that you do for us. You all are so very amazing and I am thankful for all of your hard work and dedication to help as many people as possible. You are always there for us all. You are the best along with your helpers and everyone that donates the world needs more people like all of you."

"For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed me, naked and you clothed me, ill and you cared for me, in prison and you visited me." Matthew 25:35-36

Prison Families Anonymous welcomes anyone who now has, or ever had, a loved one involved in the juvenile or criminal justice system. At meetings, we share our experience, strength and hope. Here we offer information and assistance in navigating the criminal justice system. We encourage members to exchange phone numbers and when possible to carpool to upstate prisons.

The Prison Families Anonymous Support Group, in these times of working to keep everyone safe by meeting on line. Email— Pfa.longisland@gmail.com for more meeting information.

FAITH FORMATION

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

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

"FAMILY OF FAITH"

Level 2: FIRST RECONCILIAION 2022—Online Lesson Is Up!

For parents of students scheduled to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion in the Spring of this year (2022), our First Reconciliation online preparation lesson is up on our Faith Formation website: https://sjecmff.blogspot.com/

The lesson & Google Form are due March 1. The direct link to the lesson is below:

https://sjecmff.blogspot.com/2022/01/first-reconciliation-prep-2022.html

CONFIRMATION PREP (GRADES 7, 8 & UP)

During our last Level 8 session, we tackled the challenging topic of suffering in light of our faith. We welcomed back Joe Conklin, who

served as a social worker at OLQA and

SJE, and now serves at Sachem High School. Joe shared his own powerful witness and encouraged students to seek God in suffering, and to remember "where comfort ends, growth begins." Our small group leaders helped students break open the topic in light of John 16. Students considered and wrote down issues of suffering that seemed overwhelming to them, and then brainstormed some ways to see someone through those situations.

Their writings were placed at the altar in the Church, where

Fr. John closed in prayer with a Litany of Healing.





NEXT SESSIONS:

Level 7—Monday, February 7 @ 7:15PM, Church Level 8—Tuesday, February 8 @ 7:15PM, Church

*REMINDER: All Adults & Students must wear a mask at all Faith Formation events.

SJE HAPPENINGS



Family Life Ministry

Sandwich Sunday is every third Sunday at SJE
Thanks to our SJE community we made 793
sandwiches in January that were delivered to
the lighthouse mission!
Our next Sandwich Sunday
is February 19th

Bring Volunteer sheets if you are collecting Volunteer hours
Please make sandwiches with gloves and masks worn. Drop them off from 9-11 am and from 5-6 pm at the school auditorium. Watch our YouTube video for tips.

WOMENS PRAYER GROUP—PLEASE NOTE

Our Women's Group will not have in person meetings because of the cold and covid. Instead we'll keep our schedule by using conference call . We'll resume in person meetings again in March. We're still studying the book by Fr Timothy Gallagher on Discernment. We welcome new members.

The conference call phone number is 701-802-5410. When prompted put in the Access Code number 1309766# then announce yourself. For more information, contact the Parish Office.

SUPPORT OUR BULLETIN!

Please take some time look through the back pages of the bulletin! It features many local businesses (and often the work of parishioners) and the good work they do in our community. We have parishioners who do everything from car detailing to car mechanics to lacrosse training to taking care of pets. Take a look and learn more!

Did you know that St. John the Evangelist bulletin is printed free of charge each week? Not only that, our parish receives a part of the advertising commission. So please frequent the fine establishments that advertise in our bulletin!

Also, if your business could use a shot in the arm, consider advertising in the bulletin. Each weekend, the nearly 1,400 people who attend Mass at St. John the Evangelist—most of whom live and shop in the Moriches, Mastic, Shirley, Eastport, Speonk and

Remsenberg area—receive or view our bulletin online. It's an easy way to reach thousands of area families with information about your business.

For more information on how to advertise in our bulletin, call The Church Bulletin Company at 631-249-4994.





THE WORD OF GOD

On the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time, the Sunday of the Word of God, Pope Francis called us to a deeper appreciation of the Word of God—the Scriptures—in our daily lives. Each year, we try to incorporate a new emphasis on the Word of God. We have blessed our readers, instituted the Book of the Gospels and more. In 2022, we will begin an expanded bulletin page that will help us to focus on the Scriptures, particularly how they relate to our Sunday and daily worship. Please make use of the resources on this page each week.



The <u>Second Vatican Council</u> gave great impulse to the rediscovery of the word of God, thanks to its Dogmatic Constitution Dei Verbum, a document that deserves to be read and appropriated ever anew. The Constitution clearly expounds the nature of sacred Scripture, its transmission from generation to generation (Chapter II), its divine inspiration (Chapter III) embracing the Old and New Testaments (Chapters IV and V), and the importance of Scripture for the life of the Church (Chapter VI). To advance this teaching, Pope Benedict XVI convoked an Assembly of the Synod of Bishops in 2008 on "The Word of God in the Life and Mission of the Church", and then issued the Apostolic Exhortation *Verbum Domini*, whose teaching remains fundamental for our communities.[1] That document emphasizes in particular the performative character of the Word of God, especially in the context of the liturgy, in which its distinctively sacramental character comes to the fore.[2]

Pope Francis
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Readings for Next Sunday6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Please look over these readings and consider these reflection questions before coming to Mass next Sunday.

First Reading + Jeremiah 17:5-8

- 1. Compare and contrast the tree planted beside the water with the barren bush. Do you identity completely with the tree or do you have some of the barren bush in you? Where does choice come into this picture?
- 2. Are there any areas of your life in which you place your trust in human beings? Why? In which areas of your life do you place your trust in God?

Second Reading + 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20

- 1. "Resurrection" was a new idea for the early Christians and hard for some to believe. How do you handle new ideas? Is it an automatic rejection, automatic acceptance or do you collect information and study the ideas carefully?
- 2. Do you think every truth was present at the foundation of the Church or do you think some truths evolve with time and circumstances? How does the idea of resurrection impact your life now? What would your life be like now if you had no hope of resurrection?

Gospel + <u>Luke 6:17, 20-26</u>

1. Although it is inevitable that disciples suffer, these directives don't require you to be constantly poor or hungry, but that you realize your need for God, whatever your situation. They demand a choice. Is this a choice you can make once or do you have to make it repeatedly?

SYNOD: Walking Together



Pope Francis is calling the Church to a time of synod—of discerning the Spirit in the Church in our times. This is an exciting time for the Church and one that we will each called to be part of in the months and years ahead. To prepare our hearts and minds for this, we will be printing information about what a synod is, the vision of a synod as well as information from our diocesan efforts when this becomes available. Let us pray

that we may each be open to the Holy Spirit!

Prayer for the Synod on Synodality

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name. With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

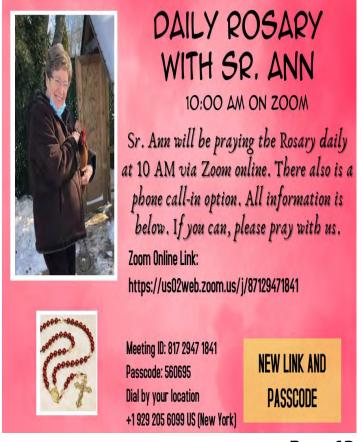
I like to see the beginning of ecclesial synodality in the early Church when the apostles gathered to wrestle with a question that divided them: Should non-Jewish people be bound by Jewish laws and customs such as circumcision when they become Christian? After discussion and prayer and some bitter disagreement, they pondered the way that God had worked signs and wonders among them through the Gentiles, for God is recognized in the experience of real life. They declared that "it has seemed good to the Holy Spirit and to us" (Acts 15:28) not to impose on non-Jewish Christians the regulations of Jewish law.

-Pope Francis, Let Us Dream: A Time to Choose, p. 82.

For more information about the work of the synod in our diocese, visit: https://drvcsynod.com/

For more information about the work of the Synod throughout the Church, visit: https://www.synod.va/en.html





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 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



Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento

Lunes - Viernes

Considere ofrecer una hora por semana ante el Señor en el Santísimo Sacramento. Si puede estar presente durante una hora específica, complete este formulario: https://forms.gle/qrC4P6nyDRrJ4xpu5

enviar un correo electrónico al p. John en <u>jsureau@sjecm.org</u> o llame a la Oficina Parroquial al 631.878.0009.

· Los feligreses siempre son bienvenidos a venir y orar ante el Santísimo Sacramento, incluso si no pueden cumplir con el compromiso de horario regular.

En el Santísimo Sacramento Dios nos ama con tanta ternura que se vacía por complete!

Permitanos 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 Enero– 28 de febrero de 2022

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

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

St. John the Evangelist R.C. Church

Bulletin Editor: This position requires the use of graphic design skills to assist with publishing the weekly bulletin and weekly email communications. Microsoft Publisher experience preferred but not required. Flexible hours and possibility of working from home with room for growth.

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For more information about these positions, contact Mrs. Katie Waller and Fr. John at kwaller@sjecm.org and jsureau@sjecm.org or call the Rectory at 631.878.0009. All applicants must be at least 18 years of age.

Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church located in Westhampton Beach is seeking a Parish Secretary for their parish office. This Part-time position is 20 hours per week, Monday through Friday, 9am-2pm.. Individual will report to the Pastor.

Duties & responsibilities include but not limited to:

Record sacramental celebrations

Coordinate Baptism, Wedding and Funeral arrangements

Maintain and update parish calendar, records and files

Clerical duties to include sort, distribute, and process parish mailings; data entry, word processing, typing, answering phones and greeting visitors

Job Qualifications:

Proficient in Microsoft Office, and possess excellent typing skills

Detail oriented and able to prioritize and multi task

Able to work with various staff members as a team

Please email your cover letter and resume, in word format, and indicate in the subject line: Part-Time Parish Secretary; to: Fr. Michael Bartholomew, Pastor, mbartholomew@drvc.org.

Part-Time Musician/Organist/ Music Director

Church of Immaculate Conception in Westhampton Beach is seeking a Part-Time Liturgical Musician/Organist. This position requires Saturday 5pm and Sunday 9:30am, and 11am with possible additional hours for Holy Days of Obligation, and other parish liturgical celebrations; as well as on-call for weddings and funerals. Will report to the Pastor.

Duties

- * Leading and/or accompanying the assembly for the musical component of weekend liturgies and other services
- * Guide the selection of music, supervision of volunteer and paid musicians/cantors, and work to implement the parish's vision of worship with participation of the congregation.
- * Co-ordination with the Spanish Music Ministry for the occasional Bi-Lingual Liturgies.
- * Meet with the Pastor regularly to discuss the musical matters in the parish.

Position Requirements

Must possess instrumental skills for the Organ as well as vocal skills, and knowledge of the Roman Catholic Liturgy. Availability for Funerals and Weddings as needed during the week and on weekends.

Please email resume with cover letter, in Word format, as an email attachment, to: Fr. Michael Bartholomew, Pastor, mbartholomew@drvc.org

Please indicate 'Parish Liturgical Organist' in the email subject line.

End of Year Tax Statements

Tax statements will be provided for those who request them.

Simply call the Rectory at 631.878.0009 or e-mail to bulle-tin@sjecm.org for your 2021 statement. Statements will be available towards the end of January 2022. You can have your form mailed to you, emailed to you or you may pick it up at the Rectory.



The Local Church....WALKING TOGETHER

The Sisters of St. Dominic of Amityville Celebrate Irish Night



Last year continued to test us all in so many ways - our patience, our resolve, our resilience. Yet, what proved constant and true was the strength of our Sisters, our Dominican family, and the need for flexibility and connectedness. This year we will again host our Irish Night virtually and hope that you will join us in celebrating this time honored tradition. For some of you this may be your first time while others join us once again. No matter, we are thrilled that you chose to celebrate with us!

For almost 50 years, Irish Night has raised crucial funds needed to care for our senior Sisters living at our Motherhouse in Amityville. These dedicated women religious have

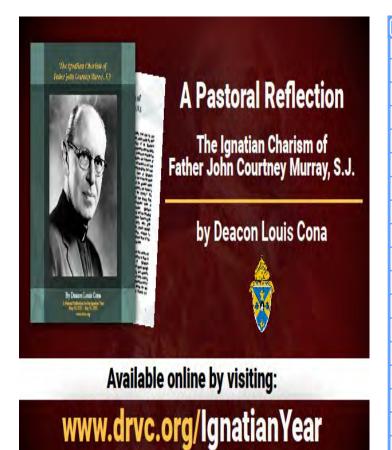
spent their lives being signs of joy and hope while serving the people of God. We are honored to care for them as they come home to live their next stage of life.

This year's celebration will take place virtually on Saturday, March 5, 2022. We are so happy to be joined once again by our program Emcee, CBS news anchor, Dick Brennan. Dick will guide us through the event which will feature traditional songs, dance, and plenty of Irish spirit!

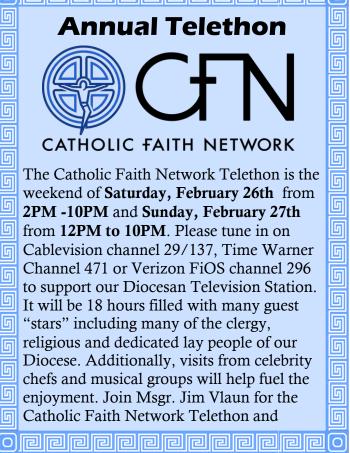
Please consider supporting our efforts by purchasing one or more of the following:

- An event ticket for \$40, which includes 1 entry into our door prize raffle, and an entry into the Irish Sweep-stakes.
- A ticket for our Irish Sweepstakes Raffle. You could win one of three cash prizes: \$2,500, \$1,000 or \$500! Tickets are \$10 each, or 6 for \$50. Extra tickets are available on our website or by contacting the Advancement Office at 631-842-6000 ext. 246.

As always, thank you for your continued support of the Sisters. We hope you will join us on March 5th!



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PRAYING FOR AND WITH ONE ANOTHER

We Remember

Thomas Hart, Sr. + Katherine Serra + Adrienne Eastman + Evelyn F. Freese + Barbara Sapanaro

We Pray

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

Michael Marinelli, Saba Melendez, Judith Boris, Kenneth Roseman, Maria Michelini, Brittany Evans, Rosemary Curtain

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, 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

Sunday Collection

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 February has been donated:

In memory of Theresa M. Brayton

To remember a loved one through an offering to support altar candles and candles by the statues of the saints, please contact the Rectory at 631.878.0009 or email to rectory@sjecm.org.



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20,323.00



TOTAL

\$68,546.00

January 2022 Collection Totals Number of Sundays Sunday Collection Cash/ Check Online Giving

Sunday Collection \$46,485.00 23,273.00 \$69,758.00

\$48,223.00

Christmas 2022 Collection

2021 CHRISTMAS COLLECTION	86,592	10,855	\$97,447
2020 CHRISTMAS COLLECTION	\$85,620	\$12,760	\$98,380

2022

2021

PREPARING FOR THE WEEK
MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, February	7, 2022 + 1	Weekday
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7:00 a.m.	All Holy Souls
12 Noon	Annie and Thomas DeMaggio
Tuesday Feb	ruary 8 2022 + Weekday

Tuesday, February 8, 2022 + Weekday

7:00 a.m.	Special Intention –Peggy and Pete Formisano
12 Noon	Annie and Thomas DeMaggio
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Wednesday, February 9, 2022 + Weekday

7:00 a.m.	Stephen Babinski
12 Noon	Diana Guercio

Thursday, February 10, 2022 + Saint Scholastica, Virgin

7:00 a.m.	Martin and Itola Picinich
12 Noon	Thomas Eicher

Friday, February 11, 2022 + Weekday

7:00 a.m.	Angelina Vigliotta
12 Noon	Special Intention—Eve O'Brien

Saturday, February 12, 2022 + Weekday

Mass of Anticipation

8:00 a.m.	Special Intention—Marcelle Wong
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6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

wass of Anticipation	
5:00 p.m.	Bertha Ballerano
7:30 p.m.	Rosa Garcia and Herman Castillo
Sunday	
8:00 a.m.	Mildred Label
10:00 a.m	Glenn Probeyahn
12:00 p.m.	Robert Tonietto
6:00 p.m.	Susie Coyne

Weekly Calendar

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

Monday, February 7, 2022

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous– BMR

10:00 a.m. | Women's Group – SC

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—BUR

7:30 p.m. | Spanish RCIA—RBUR

Tuesday, February 8, 2022

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous – BMR

3-7 p.m. | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament– SC

7:00 p.m. | Divine Will Prayer Group–BUR **7:30 p.m.** | Alcoholics Anonymous–BMR

Wednesday, February 9, 2022

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. | CYO Girls- Auditorium

6:00 p.m. | Choirs- Church

7:25 p.m. | Narcotics Anonymous—Cafeteria

Thursday, February 10, 2022

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 6:00 p.m. | CYO Boys– Auditorium 7:00 p.m. | Street Ministry– Convent

7:30 p.m. | Alanon– BMR

Friday, February 11, 2022

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous – BMR

3-7 p.m. | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament– SC

5:00 p.m. | Bingo Night– Auditorium *7:00 p.m.* | Narcotics Anonymous– BMR

7:00 p.m. | Spanish Prayer Group-SC

Saturday, February 12, 2022

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous–BMR

9:00 a.m. | Men's Prayer Group-SC

7:00 p.m. | Narcotics Anonymous – BMR

Sunday, February 13, 2022

6:45 a.m. | Alcoholics Anonymous – BMR

10:30 a.m. | RCIA- Cafeteria

12:15 p.m. | CYO Games – Auditorium









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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.

Mass Schedule

The Sacraments

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. 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. + 12 Noon Masses

Saturday: After the 8 a.m. Mass

<u>Saturday:</u> 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.

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