



# 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

### The Three Days



**Sunday of Divine Mercy**  
April 11, 2021

“Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.” -John 20:29

**WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE**

**DIVINE MERCY MASS  
and AFTERNOON OF PRAYER  
TODAY— April 11th**

**12 Noon Mass** – Bilingual with Solemn Blessing of the Image of Divine Mercy

**1-4 p.m.** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church

(The Chaplet of the Divine Mercy will be prayed at 3 p.m. in the Church.)

**4 p.m.** Benediction



The Divine Mercy Novena begins on Good Friday, April 2, 2021 and concludes Sunday, April 11, 2021 – the Second Sunday of Easter – the Sunday of Divine Mercy. This novena is another way for us to reach out – or better yet – allow Jesus to reach out to us with the hand of mercy and compassion.

In her Diary, Jesus told St. Faustina, “I desire that during these nine days you bring souls to the fountain of My mercy, that from there they may draw strength and refreshment and whatever grace they need in the hardships of life, and especially at the hour of death” (Diary, 1209). While the Chaplet can be said anytime, the Lord specifically asked that it be recited as a novena, promising that “By this Novena (of Chaplets), I will grant every possible grace to souls” (Diary 796).

Pamphlets are available as you leave the Church for those who are interested in praying the Divine Mercy Novena.

*Let us ask Christ for the gift of mercy. Let it engulf us and penetrate us. Let us have the courage to come back to Jesus to meet His love and mercy in the sacraments....let us feel His closeness and tenderness, and then we will also be more capable of mercy, patience, forgiveness, and love.”*

-Pope Francis



## WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE



# HOLY GROUND GARDEN PROJECT

As we move into the Easter season, we want your help in beautifying our parish grounds, particularly in these days. This way, when we are ready to be open and in full operation, our grounds will look even more beautiful than they do already!



Here's how you and your family or group of friends or ministry can help! We are asking each family, ministry, individual or group of friends to begin taking care of a part of our parish's grounds by planting and maintaining that area for our parish and school!

**It's as easy as 1...2...3...4...5...**

1. Talk to your family or group of friends!
2. Decide where you would ideally like to have a piece of the land (Church, School, The Barn, Rectory, Convent, Thrift Shop, Stations of the Cross behind the school). Please understand we may not be able to meet everyone's request for a space!
3. Consider if there is someone you would like to plant in honor of—perhaps a member of your family or a parishioner or member of the school community—living or deceased.
4. Turn in this form or email (even better) your response to Sarah Dern at [sdern11@gmail.com](mailto:sdern11@gmail.com) no later than May 2, 2021.
5. Look for directions and a specific spot assignment in the weeks ahead. With precautions in place for safety and security, we are uncertain of the exact date families will be able to come on the grounds. For now, we want to get as many set up as possible. Once we receive an all clear or permission for limited planting to happen, we will contact you via phone or email.

Yes! We are looking to plant some seeds (and plants and flowers) of hope in the Easter season!

Name (Individual/Group/Ministry) \_\_\_\_\_

Best Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Best E-mail \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_

We want to take care God's good and holy ground at SJE and OLQA in honor of

\_\_\_\_\_

(We're hoping to make small signs for this—if you know how to do this, let Fr. John know!)

We are open but would love to plant and maintain near the...

\_\_\_\_ Church \_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_ Red Barn \_\_\_\_ Convent Building \_\_\_\_ Rectory \_\_\_\_ Thrift Shop \_\_\_\_ Stations

## WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE

### Family Life Ministry

#### Family Life Ministry-"Sandwich Sundays" - 3rd Sunday of every Month

Next One: April 18, 2021

Drop-Off Times: 9am-11am & 5pm-6pm @ School Auditorium (Main Entrance)

A special thank you to all our families that participated in Sandwich Sundays. Last month we made a total of 1,558 sandwiches!



Quick instructional video: <https://youtu.be/6bn7qsQW8Nw> If you need supplies, we will be leaving baggies and gloves with the Parish Office (Rectory - blue house) starting the Monday before Sandwich Sunday. Please try to make sandwiches as close to Sunday as possible, as they will be delivered to Light House Mission in Bellport on Monday morning. We will also be accepting supply donations, such as, peanut butter, jelly, or bread.

#### Family Life Ministry Mercy Sunday Returns!

April 18, 2021—9am-11am and 5-6pm Outside the School Auditorium (Main Entrance)

Come paint terra cotta pots and plant flowers for the homebound in our Parish!

Taking Donations of Acrylic Paint, Flats and Soil Please contact Linda Filosa at [lfilosa@sjecmff.org](mailto:lfilosa@sjecmff.org)

*Volunteer Hours Given*

**THE COVID-19 VACCINE  
HELPS PROTECT YOU**

**& YOUR FAMILY.**

A safe and effective vaccine to protect against COVID-19 is now available.

[www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov)



To sign up for the COVID-19 Vaccine, visit

<https://covid19vaccine.health.ny.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



### Did you receive our Easter Mailing?

*If so, please consider supporting the ongoing work of SJE! Return your envelope or make your offering at [www.sjecm.org](http://www.sjecm.org). If you did not receive a mailing, please let us know.*



## PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

PHONE # 631.878.0009 + RECTORY @SJECM.ORG

Sister Ann Berendes + *Director of Senior Ministry*

Christian Diconsiglio *Case Manger*

Ernie's Place—Food Pantry Ministry: Katie Spellman

Ministry of Consolation: Eve O'Brien

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 than 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.

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

Alternative office hours can be given upon request of appointment.

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!



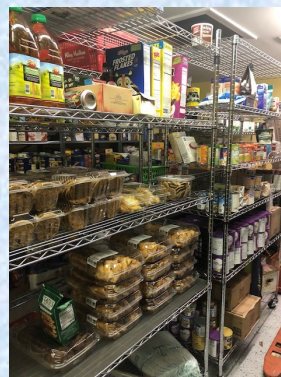
**Street Ministry** — serving the homeless in our area each week.

**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:** Small rice bags + Bags of dry black beans + 2 qt. juices + Small bags of sugar + Med/Small cans of tomato paste + Tuna fish



**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. Lynnwalshlcs@yaho.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 **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



### Sunday of Divine Mercy

*Weekly Scripture Reflection*

In the Gospel today, Jesus stands in the midst of us and says:

"Peace be with you!"

During Mass we turn to each other and say "Peace be with you!" As you put your gift into the St. Vincent de Paul box you say "Peace be with you!" to those who are poor and hungry

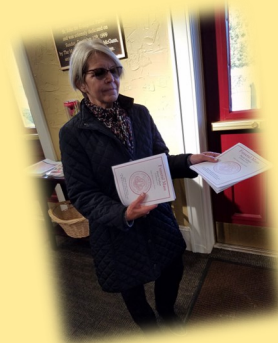
To arrange for a large furniture pick up, click here: <https://www.svdpli.org/get-involved/donate/schedule-pickup/schedule-a-pick-up-suffolk-county/>. **SJE DOES NOT ACCEPT FURNITURE ON CAMPUS.**

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.

### THE MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION NEEDS YOU!

The Ministry of Consolation currently has no members who speak Spanish. We are severely hampered in our efforts to assist the Hispanic community in planning the funerals for their loved ones. Families appreciate our assistance and we strive to offer EVERYONE our best service with understanding and compassion. In this ministry, you would work with our companions as a translator and/or assist as a companion yourself. There's plenty of support and a real team player is needed! (It's also possible to not join the ministry full time but just assist on an as-needed basis!)

If you are bilingual and are willing to consider joining us, please reach out to us by contacting the Rectory at [rectory@sjecm.org](mailto:rectory@sjecm.org) or 631.878.0009. We would love to have you.



Diocese of Rockville Centre

### Healing after Abortion



Project Rachel retreats offer the opportunity to experience the loving mercy of God in a safe and sacred space. The retreats are directed by specially trained compassionate caregivers, including counselors and clergy, who have a sensitivity and a heart for those who suffer.

Day of Prayer and Healing for Women—

Saturday, May 15, 2021

Register by: May 10, 2021

For more information and to register please visit

[www.drvc.org/projectrachel](http://www.drvc.org/projectrachel)

or contact Project Rachel at 1(888) 456-HOPE (4673), 1(516) 766-2538 or [projectrachel@drvc.org](mailto:projectrachel@drvc.org). All information will remain confidential.

COVID 19 Protocols will be observed

## YOUNG AT HEART



During this year there have been so very many deaths in the parish as well as in the area but I did not think it advisable to gather for our Bereavement Support group. However, now that the weather has begun to improve, I think we can begin to meet again. If you are having a difficult time accepting and dealing with the loss of a loved one, you may find it comforting to join us. Please give me, S. Ann, a call at 631-878-0009 ext 129 if you think this group will be right for you. What we say or share should remain in the group. This is something that I stress.

I use a workbook so I would appreciate knowing who will be coming to be sure I have a sufficient number of books. I would like to begin April 14, at 10:30 in the 1<sup>st</sup> floor Convent meeting room called the IHM room. If the weather is warm enough we can sit on the porch.

Perhaps we can return to Sophia's Circle April 22<sup>nd</sup> also at 10:30. Please call to let me know who will be returning or joining for the first time.



## PSM RESOURCES

Each week, we will work to share referrals and information in the parish bulletin (and eventually on the parish website). Please consider sharing this information with someone else you know who may be in need.



alzheimer's  association®

### **10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's**

7-8 p.m. Monday, April 26

Learn about 10 common warning signs and what to watch for in yourself and others.

### **10 señales de advertencia de la enfermedad de Alzheimer**

7-8 p.m. Lunes 19 de Abril

Detección temprana de la enfermedad de Alzheimer les da la oportunidad para empezar terapias, registrarse en estudios clínicos y planificar para el futuro.

### **Dementia Conversations**

6:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 21

Get helpful tips to assist families with difficult conversations related to dementia, including going to the doctor, deciding when to stop driving and making legal and financial plans

### **Effective Communication Strategies**

Noon to 1 p.m. Monday, April 12 or 7-8 p.m. Tuesday, April 13

Get tips to decode verbal and behavioral messages and how to connect at every stage of dementia.

### **Healthy Living for your Brain and Body: Tips from the Latest Research**

1-2 p.m. Monday, April 19

Get information on diet, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement and hands-on tools to develop a plan for healthy aging. .

### **Living with Alzheimer's: For Early Stage Caregivers**

Noon to 1:30 p.m. Friday, April 30

Join us for a free virtual educational program by the Alzheimer's Association with practical answers to the questions that arise in the early stage.

### **Planificación Legal y Financiera**

11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Jueves 22 de Abril

La planificación legal y financiera de la enfermedad de Alzheimer es un taller, patrocinado por la Alzheimer's Association, destinado a cualquier persona que desee recibir más información sobre los aspectos legales y financieros que se deben tener en cuenta e implementar

### **Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia**

7-8 p.m. Monday, April 12 or 11 a.m. to noon, Thursday, April 15

Learn about the impact of Alzheimer's, the difference between dementia and Alzheimer's, stages and risk factors, research, treatments and Alzheimer's Association resources

### **Understanding and Responding to Dementia-Related Behavior**

Noon to 1 p.m. Monday, April 19

People with dementia communicate their needs and feelings through behavior once the ability to lose language is lost. Learn to decode common behaviors so you can connect at all stages.

To register for any of these programs, call 800.272.3900.

## PRAYER AND WORSHIP

### Remembering Loved Ones

SJE offers a number of ways to remember loved ones, or honor someone living.

### Altar Bread and Wine

Offerings for bread and wine are \$150 per month. Names will be listed in each bulletin during the course of that month.

### Votive Candles/Altar Candles

A number of votive candles enlighten the beautiful statues in our church. You may have a particular devotion to one of these saints. These candles have been re-installed next to the statues of the Blessed Mother, St. Joseph, St. Teresa, St. Gerard Majella and the Sacred Heart of Jesus. They bring a certain light to the statues and, hopefully, inspire some deeper times of prayer and reflection.

Votive candles, including sanctuary lamps, are \$15 per week. The altar candles are \$25 per week. Names will be listed in the bulletin the weekend the candle is lit.

To make an offering, visit or contact the Parish Office.



### COME JOIN OUR LADY'S ARMY- THE LEGION OF MARY

One of the wonderful ways to become more involved in parish life here at St. John the Evangelist is through The Legion of Mary. The Legion meets regularly and welcomes you to join in praying the rosary, spiritual readings, and discussing service to our neighbors in need.



Membership is open to men and women of all ages. The Legion is a great opportunity to join a community of faith-in-action, grow closer to Jesus and Mary, and support our Pastor and our church. Active Member activities include evangelization work, visits to the sick and aged, outreach to our neighbors, religious education, prison and hospital ministry, and escorting the Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima to homes in the parish. We also lead our parish's First Saturday Program, sponsor St. John's annual May Crowning of our Lady, and promote special events, pilgrimages, and retreats with other Legions on Long Island.

The Legion of Mary meets every Thursday at 4:00 PM in our Red Barn. Individuals unable to commit to active membership can support us in prayer through auxiliary membership. Please call the rectory at 631/878/0009 for more information. Come spread the love of Jesus with our Lady's help.

## LOOKING FOR DAILY INSPIRATION?

Call Extension 185 (631-878-0009)



Call each day for a prayer, spiritual reflection, or Scripture reading from Fr. John or Seminarian Louis.



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





April 11, 2021

**2021**  
**CATHOLIC**  
**MINISTRIES**  
**APPEAL**  
DIOCESE OF  
ROCKVILLE CENTRE



*One Family in Mission*  
Creating Pathways to Faith

Dear Friends:  
He is Risen! Alleluia!

Last year, during the Easter Vigil, Pope Francis commented on the beauty of Christian almsgiving when he said, *"How beautiful it is to be Christians who offer consolation, who bear the burdens of others and who offer encouragement: messengers of life in a time of death!"* In the early stages of the pandemic and lockdown, these words meant so much to a hurting world and yet, they still mean so much today. When you give to the Catholic Ministries Appeal, you are offering encouragement and helping bear the burdens of our struggling brothers and sisters across Long Island. The Catholic Ministries Appeal is that message of life that you are offering to so many people.

Your gift to the Catholic Ministries Appeal will *create pathways of faith* for our brothers and sisters who come to the Diocese or local parishes for assistance with basic necessities such as food and clothing. Your gift can help assist a young pregnant mother receive the help she deserves; provide housing for seniors, individuals with developmental disabilities, and veterans; spread the Gospel to youth and young adults through our Diocesan ministries, and support Catholic Charities and Catholic Education. Your gift can also allow a seminarian the peace of mind to pursue his vocation without worrying about education debts.

Please also know that 100% of every dollar raised is restricted to serve the objectives, programs, and mission supported by the Catholic Ministries Appeal.

Thank you for your gift to this year's Catholic Ministries Appeal, and for *creating pathways of faith* across Long Island. Know that you and your family are in my heart and in my prayers as we celebrate the Easter Season.

Sincerely in Christ

**SJE Catholic Ministries**  
**Appeal Goal \$107,300**

Most Reverend John O. Barres, Bishop of Rockville Centre

Pledge: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Down Payment: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Balance: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Parish: St. John the Evangelist Center Moriches  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_  
Donor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
*Place in weekly collection basket, drop off at the Parish Office make your donation or use the donation options listed above. Make Checks Payable to: Catholic Ministries Appeal*

**2021**  
CAMPAÑA DE  
APOYO A LOS  
MINISTERIOS  
CATÓLICOS  
DIÓCESIS DE  
ROCKVILLE CENTRE



*Una Familia con Una Misión*  
Creando Caminos de Fe

Queridos hermanos y hermanas:  
¡El Señor Ha Resucitado! ¡Aleluya!

El año pasado, en la Vigilia Pascual, el Papa Francisco nos recordó la belleza de las prácticas cristianas, exclamó “¡Qué hermoso es ser cristianos que consuelan, que llevan las cargas de los demás, que animan, que son mensajeros de vida en tiempos de muerte!”. Pronunció estas palabras cuando recién comenzaba la pandemia y el cierre de actividades. En ese momento las palabras del Papa significaron mucho para un mundo que estaba sufriendo; e incluso ahora ese mismo mensaje continúa teniendo una gran importancia. Con su donativo a favor de la Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos usted está reanimando y ayudando a nuestros hermanos y hermanas más desfavorecidos aquí en Long Island. La Campaña de Apoyo a Los Ministerios Católicos es ese mensaje vida que usted ofrece a nuestra comunidad.

Su ofrenda o donativo a favor de la Campaña creará caminos de fe para nuestros hermanos y hermanas que acuden a la diócesis o a las parroquias en busca de alimentos o ropa. Con su donativo podremos asistir a una joven embarazada para que reciba la ayuda que necesita, proveer albergue a ancianos, personas discapacitadas y veteranos; podremos difundir el evangelio a adolescentes y adultos jóvenes a través de los ministerios diocesanos, y sostener Caridades Católicas y la Educación Católica. Su donativo también ayuda a que un seminarista pueda concentrarse en su vocación, aliviándole la preocupación de los pagos por su educación.

Sepa usted que el 100% de lo que recolectamos se usa exclusivamente para sostener los objetivos, programas y misión de la Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos.

Gracias por su donativo a favor de la Campaña de este año. Gracias por crear caminos de fe en todo Long Island. En este tiempo de Pascua de Resurrección, sepa que lo tengo presente a usted y a su familia en mi corazón y en mis oraciones.

Sinceramente en Cristo,

**SJE Catholic Ministries**  
**Appeal Goal \$107,300**

*+ Jph O. Barres*

Muy Reverendo John O. Barres Obispo de Rockville Centre

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 Parish: St. John the Evangelist Center Moriches  
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 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_  
 Donor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## PRAYER AND WORSHIP

### NEXT WEEK'S READINGS — Third Sunday of Easter

**Reading I:** Acts 3:13-15, 17-19

*Peter calls the people to reform.*

**Responsorial Psalm:** PS 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9

**Second Reading:** 1 John 2:1-5a

*To know Jesus, keep his commandments.*

**Gospel:** Luke 24:35-48

*Jesus appears to the disciples gathered together,*



### Discussion Questions

1. The early Church's response to Christ's life, death, and resurrection was their treatment of possessions. Compare your attitude toward possessions with theirs.
2. Does what you have done make you a Christian, or what Christ has done? Which is more important, belief in Jesus or performance of good deeds? If you believe deeply and personally in Jesus will good deeds spring from that belief and love?
3. Pope Francis reminds us that Thomas arrived late but that the Lord did not abandon him. He came back the next week. Will God abandon us in our slow recovery from the pandemic? Can we forget those left behind?

### LISTENING DEVICES AVAILABLE

For some, the sound and the acoustics in the Church make it hard to hear. For others of us, it's just hard to hear! We have small listening devices that are available for parishioner use. They work if you have hearing aids and if you do not.

See one of our sacristans -usually wearing a Cana Care Crew shirt- and they will get you set up. If you do not see the sacristan when setting up for Mass, please go to the sacristy located behind the sanctuary.



### SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS

Many have commented positively about some of the new features of our parish bulletin.

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!**

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.**



## 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

### EL MINISTERIO DE CONSOLACIÓN TE NECESITA

El Ministerio de Consolación actualmente no tiene miembros que hablen español. Nos vemos seriamente obstaculizados en nuestros esfuerzos por ayudar a la comunidad hispana a planificar los funerales de sus seres queridos. Las familias aprecian nuestra ayuda y nos esforzamos por ofrecer a TODOS nuestro mejor servicio con comprensión y compasión. En este ministerio, trabajaría con nuestros compañeros como traductor y / o ayudaría usted mismo como acompañante. Se necesita mucho apoyo y un verdadero jugador de equipo! (También no es necesario unirse al ministerio a tiempo completo, sino ayudar según sea necesario!)

Si es bilingüe y está dispuesto a considerar unirse a nosotros, comuníquese con nosotros comunicándose con la Rectoría en [rectory@sjecm.org](mailto:rectory@sjecm.org) o 631.878.0009. Nos encantaría tenerle.

## 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 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, 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 1 p.m. a las 2 p.m.

### TIENDA DE SEGUNDA MANO

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

### MINISTERIO DE LA CALLE

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

### COMIDA COMUNITARIA

Último lunes del mes 6 p.m.  
Auditorio de la escuela  
ABRIL- 26 de abril de 2021

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



## 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  
Ruth Merker-Christie, Reilly Ramsbotham,  
Palma Marie D'Amara, Barbara Ann Petrignani

### We Pray...

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

Grace Cox, Kathleen Williams, Connie Baez  
Jeannie Montemarano, Jennifer Jankesh, Steve Chmela  
*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, SPC Jarrad Saturnino, 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

## STEWARDSHIP

### March 2021

March 2020 Collection Total (5 Sundays)  \$54,889.03	Envelopes: \$45,382.00 WeShare: \$9,507.03
March 2021 Collection Total (4 Sundays)  \$81,328.50	Envelopes: \$58,385.36 WeShare: \$22,943.14

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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 April has been donated: In memory of Philip Kennedy.*



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## PREPARING FOR THE WEEK

### MASS SCHEDULE

**Monday, April 12, 2021 + Easter Weekday**

7:00 a.m. Joseph Chambel

12 Noon Ronald Paulsen

**Tuesday, April 13, 2021 + Easter Weekday**

7:00 a.m. Rev. Simon Palliparambil

12 Noon Kristen Bigora

7:30 p.m. Intention Still Available

**Wednesday, April 14, 2021 + Easter Weekday**

7:00 a.m. Russ Gangi

12 Noon Christopher Bowman

**Thursday, April 15, 2021 + Easter Weekday**

7:00 a.m. Robert & Christina Greenseich

12 Noon Anna & Stephan Bonventre

**Friday, April 16, 2021 + Easter Weekday**

7:00 a.m. John O'Rourke

12 Noon Salvatore J. Geraci

**Saturday, April 17, 2021 + Easter Weekday**

8:00 a.m. Frank Kollmann

### Third Sunday Of Easter

#### Mass of Anticipation

5:00 p.m. Gerald DiPierro

7:30 p.m. Intention Still Available

#### Sunday

8:00 a.m. Irene Wagner

10:00 a.m.. Anthony & Gloria Profeta

12:00 p.m. Joseph & Peter Musumeci

6:00 p.m. Katy Dyer

## MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

RBMR—Red Barn—1st Floor Mtg. Room/RBUR—Upper Room SC—Seton Chapel

**Monday, April 12, 2021**

6:45 a.m. Alcoholics Anonymous RB

3—7 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament SC

7:00 p.m. Holy Hour for Priest Prayer Group SC

7:25 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous Cafeteria

**Tuesday, April 13, 2021**

6:45 a.m. Alcoholics Anonymous RB

3—7 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament SC

5:00 p.m. First Reconciliations Church

7:00 p.m. Divine Will Prayer Group Auditorium

**Wednesday, April 14, 2021**

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

7:00 p.m. Baptism Rehearsal Church

7:00 p.m. Imagine NA Cafeteria

**Thursday, April 15, 2021**

6:45 a.m. Alcoholics Anonymous RB

3—7 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament SC

4:00 p.m. Legion of Mary RBMR

5:00 p.m. First Reconciliations Church

7:00 p.m. Street Ministry Convent

7:30 p.m. First Reconciliation Church

**Friday, April 16, 2021**

6:45 a.m. Alcoholics Anonymous RB

3—7 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament SC

7:00 p.m. Spanish Prayer Group SC

7:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous RBMR

**Saturday, April 17, 2021**

6:45 a.m. Alcoholics Anonymous RB

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

9:00 a.m. First Reconciliation Practice Church

7:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous Cafeteria

**Sunday, April 18, 2021**

6:45 a.m. Alcoholics Anonymous RB





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### PARISH 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 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.

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.

**April 11, 2021**

## **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?>

Meeting ID: 817 2947 1841

Passcode: 560995

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 [here](#)— or click here and pray online—[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VtJM\\_V8scoo](https://www.youtube.com/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.

## **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 [univiersalis.com](http://univiersalis.com) or you can click [here](#) for Ibreviary. 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



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 [catholicfaithnetwork.org](http://catholicfaithnetwork.org)