

# St. John the Evangelist

Roman Catholic Church

June 16, 2024

*Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*

"Lord, it is good to give thanks to you, to give thanks to you"

*Psalm 92: 2-3, 13-14, 15-16*





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## OUR PARISH MISSION

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

## Church Hours

Monday through Friday 6:30 AM - 2:45 PM  
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in Seton Chapel  
(Convent) - Monday through Friday  
3:00 - 7:00 PM

## Next Weekend's Schedule

### Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>

5:00 PM - Fr. Felix

7:30 PM (Spanish) - Fr. Peter

(Saturday Evening 5 PM and 7:30 PM Masses will be livestreamed. Videos remain on Facebook after the live broadcast.)

### Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>

8:00 AM - Fr. Felix

10:00 AM - Fr. Patrick

12 noon - Fr. Jerry

6:00 PM - Fr. Patrick

\*Presider subject to change. Please call the Rectory or check SJE Social Media for latest updates.

## We celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Monday - Friday: After the 7 AM & 12 Noon Masses

Saturday: After the 8 AM Mass

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45 PM &

7:00 - 7:15 PM (Spanish)

Sunday: 5:30 - 5:45 PM

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

## Pastoral Team

**Reverend Patrick M. Riegger**

Pastor

**Reverend Felix Akpabio**

Parochial Vicar

**Reverend Monsignor Ellsworth R. Walden**

Retired, In Residence

**Reverend Jerry DiSpigno**

Parish Assistant

**Reverend Peter D'Abele**

Parish Assistant

**John Pettorino**

Deacon

**Michael Hoonhout**

Deacon

**Carolyn Lapham**

Director of Family Ministries

**Michelle Pirraglia**

Director of Faith Formation

**Katie Spellman**

Coordinator of Parish Social Ministry

**Katie Waller**

Director of Operations

## OLQA

**Our Lady Queen of Apostles  
Regional Catholic School**

(on the campus of SJE)

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**Dawn Waller**

Principal

[dwaller@olqany.org](mailto:dwaller@olqany.org) (ext. 201)

## Office Hours

**Parish Office - Blue House**

**Monday - Thursday:**

**9 AM - 8 PM**

Tuesdays: 6-8 PM Spanish-speaking support.

**Friday - Saturday**

**9 AM - 2 PM**

We ask that you call before visiting any parish offices.

## Mass Schedule

## Confession Schedule



# Fatima comes to St. John the Evangelist



## Our Lady of *Fatima* Wednesday June 19th

12:00 PM HOLY MASS - STATUE PROCESSION  
12:45 PM PRESENTATION AND MESSAGE OF FATIMA  
1:15 PM ROSARY  
1:45 PM VENERATION AND BLESSING OF SACRAMENTALS  
**3:00 PM EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**  
3:45 PM PRESENTATION AND MESSAGE OF FATIMA  
4:00 PM VENERATION AND BLESSING OF SACRAMENTALS  
**6:30 PM ROSARY**  
7:00 PM HOLY MASS  
7:45 PM PRESENTATION AND MESSAGE OF FATIMA  
8:45 PM CLOSING CEREMONY  
LITANY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

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The world-famous INTERNATIONAL PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA will be on tour throughout our Diocese during the month of June 2024. On June 19th, The World Apostolate of Fatima-USA will bring the statue to our parish. This historic statue began its travels from Fatima, Portugal, on October 13, 1947, and has been around the world many times. Sculpted by Jose' Thedim, based on the description of Sister Lucia, one of the three seers, it was blessed by the Bishop of Fatima and commissioned to serve the Pilgrim Virgin, who would carry the blessings of Fatima throughout the world. The Bishop prayed that Mary herself accompany the statue wherever it goes. The statue has visited more than 100 countries bringing Mary's powerful message of salvation and hope to millions of people. Countless favors and graces have been reported wherever the Virgin Statue has traveled. This is a special opportunity to pray with Our Lady, learn Our Lady's messages and requests at Fatima, and present any special intentions you may have for yourself or others.

# Masses for the Week...

Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup> Weekday

5:00 PM Father's Day Novenas

7:30 PM (Spanish) People of the Parish

Sunday, June 16<sup>th</sup> Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Father's Day Novenas

10:00 AM Father's Day Novenas

12:00 Noon Father's Day Novenas

6:00 PM Father's Day Novenas

Monday, June 17<sup>th</sup> Weekday

7:00 AM Liz DellaRatta

12:00 Noon Father's Day Novenas

Tuesday, June 18<sup>th</sup> Weekday

7:00 AM Rosemary and Pat Curtin

12:00 Noon Christopher Bowman

Wednesday, June 19<sup>th</sup> Weekday

7:00 AM Father's Day Novenas

12:00 PM Anne Mintel  
(Int'l Visitation Pilgrim Virgin Statue)

Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup> Weekday

7:00 AM Father's Day Novenas

12:00 Noon Jared McGuinness

Friday, June 21<sup>st</sup> Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

7:00 AM Father's Day Novenas

12:00 Noon Maryann Blaszyk

Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> Weekday

8:00 AM Trudi Norton

5:00 PM Alfred Augustus Mitchell

7:30 PM (Spanish) Father's Day Novena's

Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Thomas Spellman

10:00 AM Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney

12:00 Noon Jimmy Corbin

6:00 PM Father's Day Novenas

# Father's Day Novena...

Enroll your loved ones in our **2024 Father's Day Novena of Masses**



Envelopes will be available at the doors of the church. Those names that are included on the envelopes will be remembered during the Father's Day Novena Masses that begin on

Father's Day, June 16<sup>th</sup>. Envelopes can be placed in the collection basket or dropped at the rectory office by June 17<sup>th</sup>.

## PARISH WEEKLY DONATIONS

Average Weekly from January 1, 2024 to present.

Year	Total	# of Weeks	Average Weekly
2024	\$417,892	23	\$18,169
2023	\$382,995	23	\$16,652

**2024**  
CATHOLIC  
MINISTRIES  
APPEAL  
DIOCESE OF ROCKFORD CENTRE

*Revitalizing our Faith -  
Renewed by the Eucharist*



As of 5/7/2024	2024	2023
Parish Goal	\$115,100	\$115,100
Number of Donors	158	200
Total Pledged to date	\$67,700	\$74,000
Avg. Gift	\$428	\$370
Percent of Goal	59%	64%

Supporting the CMA helps to support SJE! We receive back 20% of whatever is raised below the goal. If we go above the goal, we also receive 80% of all monies that are raised above the goal! Please help us go above the goal!







There is no change necessary for your fulfillment and perfection that you are not capable of achieving with the assistance of the Divine. The answer to this problem is to replace the old activity with a new activity. A person experiencing a problem in purity can respond in several ways. For example, if he is constantly glaring lustfully at women as they walk down the street, his response can be twofold. First, he can learn to admire the pavement instead of scanning everything as he walks down the street, thus limiting the input to his imagination. Then, with his imagination and attention now his slaves, he can use them to begin a conversation with Christ, and he can try to sustain this conversation always and everywhere," praying constantly" throughout the day. Thus, far from focusing on the negative and the "sacrifice" being made, he moves forward by replacing the activity being removed with one much more positive, beautiful, and fruitful to his development. I have this to say focus on the good, the noble and the just. Also try to focus on the positive not negative and always hope in God. It is the replacement of one activity with another of greater meaning and value that makes attempts to change successful. If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above (Colossians 3:1).

**Surrendering your life to God** is about making yourself available for Him. God works many wonders in the lives of those who make themselves available to Him. There is no advance in spiritual life without humility. As we enter deeper into relationship with God, we come to know ourselves better and better. This self-knowledge is often humiliating. These humiliations give birth to the virtue of humility in a soul. Prayer humbles us and opens our eyes to the person we really are and the person we can be. When you come to a realization like this, you are at a crossroads in your life. You would notice to your left lies the road of pride. The road of pride is an easy one. There are no mountains to climb on this path; it is downhill all the way. It is a smooth path and gentle on your feet. The road that leads to happiness or fulfillment are hard and difficult to reach. It is not an easy road at all.

**I thank God always** for placing me with very devoted and prayerful priests for the past thirteen years at St. John the Evangelist. It has been an absolute honor to work with the staff that are very professional and worked as a team. My thanks and prayers go to all the parishioners at St. John the Evangelist. You motivated me through your prayers and devotion. Thank you for being a great inspiration in my spiritual life. I am very grateful for the successful thanksgiving mass on June 9th, 2024. It was an absolutely beautiful celebration with a joyful heart. Thank you. I am grateful for all the support, prayers, most importantly your love for God and one another. You have qualities within you that many people would love to have, and those who really and truly know you... are so glad that they do. You have a big heart and a good and sensitive soul. You are gifted with thoughts and ways of seeing things that only special people know. May we continue to pray for one another.

Thank you, I love you all. Rev. Fr. Felix Akpabio.









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**Happy Father's Day**



...The Church, our mother, is committed to supporting with all her strength the good and generous presence of fathers in families, for they are the irreplaceable guardians and mediators of faith in goodness, of faith in justice and in God's protection, like St. Joseph."

– Pope Francis

**Thanks to your support we are able to help dads in need!**

*Every day, people in our community are helped because of support from funds raised through the Catholic Ministries Appeal.*

Today, consider a dad like Paul. Paul saw information about the Catholic Ministries Appeal at his local parish, and he knew he had to turn to the Church for help since he had nowhere else to go. Paul had been gainfully employed for more than 10 years when he began to fall ill. Soon his medical issues made it impossible for him to keep working and he was forced to go out on disability.

After paying the co-pays on his medications, his family's rent and utilities bills, Paul had very little left to purchase food and other necessities for his family.

It was hard for him to ask for help, but with nowhere else to turn, he did. Catholic Charities found him a specialist who assessed the family's needs and directed them to appropriate resources in their community. He went to his Parish Outreach,

where his family received food that allowed them to make it through the month. Paul and his family received the help they so desperately needed.

Today, Paul is back to work and the family is doing well. "I am so thankful that I know there is somewhere I can turn, where there are people that care, people I can talk to, if I am ever in such a situation again," shared Paul.





June 16, 2024



# Blood Drive

# Blood Emergency



## St. John the Evangelist

*2 ST. JOHN'S PLACE, CENTER MORICHES*  
SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

**SATURDAY – JUNE 22, 2024**  
**9:00AM – 3:00PM**



**WALK-INS ARE WELCOME!**

**TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT:**



- SCAN QR CODE
- CONTACT MELISSA AT (917) 566-8537 OR [MGATTO@NYBC.ORG](mailto:MGATTO@NYBC.ORG)

For medical eligibility questions, please call 800.688.0900 or visit [nybc/can-i-donate](https://nybc.org/can-i-donate)

Please remember to eat, drink, and bring your ID with your name and photo. Appointments are preferred however walk-ins will be welcomed if space permits. Visit [nybc.org/coronavirus](https://nybc.org/coronavirus) for COVID-19 safety protocols.

#nybloodcenter

800.933.BLOOD • [nybc.org](https://nybc.org)

# Praying For and With One Another

## Remember

The Deceased of the Parish

*"For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again,  
even so, through Jesus, God will bring  
with him those who have died."* -1 Thessalonians 4:14

## Pray for the Sick

Roy Cloughen, Luca Cerullo,  
Barbara Lefkowitz, Florence Tubiolo,  
Kathleen Fontaine, Frank Macchia,  
Christopher DeStefano, Ted Martz

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

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).

## Our Military

### US Marine Corps

LC Michael Abbatiello  
CPL Evan Berkemeyer  
PFC Sean Brady  
SGT Quentin Montemarano  
PVT Charles O'Connor  
E-1 Christian Raeihle  
2<sup>nd</sup> LT Christopher Walther  
PAC Kevin W. Deshler II

### US Army

SGT Sean Casey  
PVT Joseph Cestare  
SPC Michael Garcia Jr  
PVT Anthony Koch  
CPL Aidan O'Neill  
PFC David Smith  
Steven Valentin

### US Navy

E43CPO Jason Abbatiello  
STGCS Brian Holzmacher  
MMN2 Christopher J Esposito Jr  
ETVSN Angel Gabriel Montoya Rivera  
ET3 Jeremiah Nolan, Jr  
ENS Ralph J. Ruggiero

### US Coast Guard

BM3 Brendan J. Bernath  
CPT Keith Donohue

### US Air Force

SrA Anthony Auciello  
SSGT David Giese  
SSGT Jason M Hermes  
PFC Kyle Kerstiens  
SSGT Ryan Kerstiens  
SSGT Timothy Kerstiens  
A1C Jared T. Rosato  
MAJ Salvatore Sferrazza

If you wish to place someone on the Military prayer list,  
please call the rectory at 631.878.0009 or  
e-mail to [rectory@sjecm.org](mailto:rectory@sjecm.org).

# Remembering Our Loved Ones

Altar Bread & Wine for the month of June has been  
donated in honor of:

*James Harold Meinken*

This week, the Blessed Mother Candle will be  
lit in memory of:

*Joann Celano*

### Mass Intentions

Remembering one who has passed away at Mass is a  
most noble practice calling us to pray for one who  
has died at the most powerful prayer we know -  
the celebration of the Eucharist.

### Altar Bread and Wine

Names will be listed in each bulletin during the  
course of that month. An offering of \$150 is requested.

### 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 are 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.

Altar Candles - \$25.00 per week.

SJE offers a number of ways to remember loved ones, or honor someone living.  
To make an offering, visit or contact the Parish Office at 631.878.0009 or email to [rectory@sjecm.org](mailto:rectory@sjecm.org)





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## "Finding Nemo, Jr."

Bravo to our drama students who put on an amazing performance of Finding Nemo, Jr. this past weekend! They also held a special performance for individuals from AHRC Suffolk. We are incredibly proud of their hard work and talents they shared! Huge thanks to Ms. Schmidt, Mrs. Sandolo, and Mrs. Halversen for everything you did to make the show possible. We are so grateful to all who attended!



St. Joseph's Prayer Center Presents...

## *Come Let Jesus Heal You*

A retreat Day for Healing Trauma and PTSD

We Invite all men and women to  
join this Healing Retreat Day!

**Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup>**

**9 AM - 4:30 PM**

Suggested donation \$45  
Includes lunch and all activities.

To register or for more information  
call 631-730-6210 or  
email [stjoepc7@gmail.com](mailto:stjoepc7@gmail.com)

## Special Collection...

The will be a Special Collection after  
communion during  
all masses on the weekend of  
**June 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>**

to support Hope House Ministries.  
The Mission of Hope House Ministries is  
founded in the spirit of St. Louis de  
Montfort, who had a commitment to the  
poor and the courage to do what no one else  
had the courage to do.

Thank you for your generous support!



# A Message from Msgr. Walden...



In a spiritual book I use in my daily prayers, I was struck by this quote from St. Francis of Assisi: "Where there is patience and humility, there is neither anger nor worry." Living in such a fast-paced world with all kinds of messages, information, and products available, literally at our finger tips on our electronic devices, it is hard to be patient as we track our orders and continue to go on sites that fuel our concern, anger, or pleasure. Can this saying from St. Francis of Assisi, who lived 1181-1226 - over 800 years ago - be an inspiration and source of strength, hope, and guidance today? We can say life had to be simpler then but, through the centuries, people who took St. Francis of Assisi to heart have found the peace, hope, inspiration, and life-giving guidance that only Jesus can bring and give to us. That does not mean we all have to join the Franciscan order as priests, brothers, sisters or the third order. In reality, what that simple thought captures is how Jesus Christ lived, preached, taught, and healed. Jesus faced doubt and skepticism as we saw in last Sunday's Gospel (Mark 3:20-35) where His relatives thought He was out of His mind and the religious leaders accused Him of being possessed by the devil. The account of His passion and death shows so very clearly how even in the midst of rejection, abandonment, and injustice Jesus had the inner patience and humility St. Francis speaks about. Was Jesus worried and angry? Certainly not! In His final words at the Last Supper

(John, chapters 13-17), Jesus so hopefully said, "No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends." The passion and death of Jesus clearly reveal His patience and humility. He did not come to impose God's will upon us but to reveal God's love for us and invite us to experience it and share it with Him and one another. He surely had enough during His passion and death to drain all patience and humility out of Him. But He was not angry nor did He worry that He had died in vain. He patiently and humbly did what we all need to see, know, and experience in our lives to find purpose, hope, meaning, trust, and inspiration. He found the peace we all seek from the very depth of our minds, hearts, and souls. Not only has He showed us the depth of divine love and mercy, He invites us to experience it and share it with Him and one another.

*Let us pray.*

*In your goodness O Lord, pour out on us the fruits of your Spirit: patience, kindness, and gentleness. May we love you and possess you, for you are love. May every action of our lives praise you. May we seek those things which are beneficial to our brothers and sisters to help them on the way to salvation.*

*"Where there is patience and humility there is neither anger nor worry." There is only God and His love through us, with us, and in us.*



# Faith Formation

## REGISTRATION FOR 2024-2025: NOW THRU AUGUST 23

St. John the Evangelist's Religious Education program serves our parish youth, beginning in First Grade, and their families as they grow in faith and prepare for the Sacraments.

Registration has begun for NEW and RETURNING students for the 2024-25 academic year!

A new online registration form for the 2024-25 Academic has been posted. Please visit [sjecm.org](http://sjecm.org) and click on the "Faith Formation" tab for instructions on how to register your new or returning students!



### Giving Thanks! - Catechist Dinner

We are so grateful for our many volunteers who dedicate their time and talent to serve in our Faith Formation! In appreciation for all they do, we held a special Catechist Dinner last month. Pictured are some of our many dedicated leaders - a big thank you to all of our volunteers who give witness to the faith and enrich the lives of our young people and families!



### "Family of Faith" (Grades 1-6)

Thank you to all who attended our "Family of Faith" closing prayer services last month! Let's stay connected in prayer through our Parish Family Prayer Jar, located in the corner of the main lobby!



# The Office of Family Ministry

Here at St. John's, there are so many opportunities to grow in faith, to serve others and to build up the Body of Christ.  
Take a look at what's coming up!

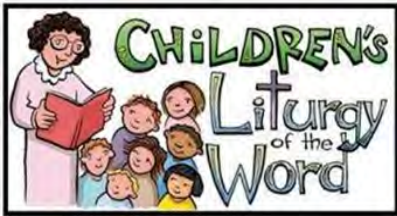
## Sandwich Sunday is this Sunday on 6/16.

We will meet at 11:00 AM in the school cafeteria. Come make sandwiches to feed the hungry! Sponsored by our Family Life Ministry! Community service hours can be earned through these events.



## Moms on the Journey will meet on Wednesday, 6/19 at 7:00 PM in

the Upper Room of the Barn. Come enjoy an evening of fun, friendship and fun with other busy moms. Step away from the busyness of life and spend the evening with Jesus and your sisters in faith! Moms of ALL ages are most welcome!



## 6/23, 6/30 and almost every Sunday during the 10:00

Mass, our Children's Liturgy of the Word Program breaks open the readings of the day for children in grades Pre-k-Grade 5. High school students and adults are desperately needed to help our program continue. There are many different roles depending upon how you would like to help – from serving as a door holder or crossing guard, to reading

the scriptures, to being “another pair of hands” during the program, to preparing a fun interactive “homily” based on the readings. There's truly something for everyone! And the best part is you do it whenever you can! On Sunday 6/16, the children will remain in the church and experience a special children's homily with Fr. Jerry!

**Family Life Ministry:** Our Family Life Ministry provides various opportunities for families of all ages to come together to pray, to serve others and to share in some good clean family fun. Our team meets on the first Wednesday of the month, at 7:00 PM in the Upper meeting room of the barn. We pray, brainstorm, share ideas and plan family activities, events and service projects. **Our next meeting is Wednesday, 7/3 @ 7:00 PM in the Upper Room of the Barn.** All are welcome!

## EUCCHARISTIC Adoration

at St. John the Evangelist

Monday - Friday from 3:00 - 7:00 PM  
in Seton Chapel, in the Convent

On Mondays following Adoration, there is a Holy Hour to Pray for Priests from 7 - 8 PM. All are invited to pray for our Shepherds. Please consider offering one hour per week before the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

If you can be present for a specific hour, email [rectory@sjecm.org](mailto:rectory@sjecm.org) or call the Parish Office at 631.878.0009.



# Parish Social Ministry

## Street Ministry

Are you a great cook? Or perhaps a social butterfly who enjoys engaging with others in the community? Maybe you prefer to work behind the scenes? Do you love to fold clothes and organize things? ***Come use the awesome gifts that God gave you to serve those in need in our local community!***

Our Street Ministry is an amazing community of volunteers who provide hot meals and clothing to individuals and families every Thursday night, many of whom are homeless or unable to receive other supporting services. Whether you are interested in working in our donation room, cooking hot meals, making PB&J sandwiches, or participating in our van runs, Street Ministry has a place and a job for everyone! To get started or for more information contact Victoria Papatatto at [streetministry@sjecm.org](mailto:streetministry@sjecm.org)

### Street Ministry Shopping List

- ♦ Men's/Women's light weight coats, medium, large and extra large
- ♦ Men's/Women's t- shirts, all sizes
- ♦ Men's/Women's sweatshirts, medium, large and extra large
- ♦ Men's/Women's sweatpants, small, medium and extra large.
- ♦ Men's Jeans size 32, 34 and 36.



## Ernie's Place

Here is a list of items needed for our pantry. These items can be left at the doors of the church or at the bin, outside of Ernie's Place.

### Pantry Shopping List

- Red Beans (can or bags)
- Potatoes (can or box)
- Salad Dressing
- Jelly
- Mayo
- Mustard
- Ketchup



## SJE Thrift Shop

**Wednesdays  
9 AM - 12 Noon**

When you visit our Shop, you'll see lots of new and gently used clothes, pocketbooks, shoes, jewelry, housewares, and lots of great toys, all at great prices. The proceeds from the weekly sales at the shop are returned to our Parish Outreach programs and used to assist our neighbors in need in our parish and the local community.

The success of our Thrift Shop relies on the generous donations from our community that are left in the \*green bins in the school parking lot.

If you are looking for a great way to give back to our Parish community, consider donating your new or gently used clothes, or those toys your children have outgrown.

*\*We strongly encourage donations be dropped at the Thrift Shop Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday Mornings between 9 AM and 11:30 AM when volunteers are present.*

# Comunidad Hispano De San Juan Evangelista

La Comunidad Hispana de nuestra Parroquia en Centro Moriches te invita a celebrar la Santa Misa en español los sábados a las 7:30 PM en la Iglesia.

Te invitamos a compartir la Palabra de Dios en el Grupo de Oración, todos los viernes a las 7:30 PM en la Capilla del Convento Parroquial. Ven a enriquecer tu vida espiritual orando

## MINISTERIOS Y SERVICIOS

### BAUTISMO:

Por favor traiga el certificado de nacimiento del niño dos meses antes del bautismo.

#### Requisitos:

1. Acta de nacimiento del niño o niña.
2. Certificado de registro de su Parroquia (padres y padrinos)
3. Los padres deben traer estos documentos a la oficina de San Juan para fijar las fechas de la charla prebautismal (OBLIGATORIO para padres y padrinos) y la fecha del Bautismo. Segundo domingo a las 14 horas en la Iglesia. Las clases de prebautismo son el tercer miércoles de cada mes.

### CASAMIENTO:

Las parejas que planean casarse deben concertar una cita con uno de los sacerdotes antes de la boda. Esto les dará tiempo suficiente para recibir las instrucciones prematrimoniales y obtener los documentos necesarios. Para más información llame a la oficina

El personal de la oficina estará disponible para hablar en español de 6 a 8 p.m. los martes.

Asegúrese de llamar antes de venir a visitarnos.

[espanol@sjecm.org](mailto:espanol@sjecm.org)

Office staff will be available to speak in Spanish from 6 to 8 PM on Tuesdays. Be sure to call before you come and visit.

### ¡Dejanos ayudarte!

#### DESPENSA DE ALIMENTOS DE ERNIE

Abierto - Lunes 6:30 PM a las 7:30 PM

Jueves 3:00 PM a las 4:00 PM.

#### TIENDA DE SEGUNDA MANO

Miércoles - Granero

Miércoles de 9:00 AM a las 12:00 PM.

#### COMIDA COMUNITARIA

Último lunes del mes 6:00 PM  
auditorio de la escuela

#### MINISTERIO DE CALLE

Jueves - Estación de tren Mastic-Shirley  
7:15 PM (aproximadamente)

Se encuentran disponibles comidas y ropa sencillas.

También necesitamos voluntarios para ayudar a traducir para quienes lo necesiten. Necesitamos voluntarios bilingües para nuestra despensa de comida. ¡Avísanos si puedes ayudar!

## Proyecto Jardín de Tierra Santa

¡Necesitamos usted y su ayuda para plantar! Al entrar en la temporada de primavera, ¿puede ayudarnos a cuidar un área de la enorme propiedad de nuestra parroquia?

Una vez más, pedimos a cada uno familia, ministerio, individuo o grupo de amigos para comenzar a cuidar una parte de nuestros terrenos plantando y manteniendo esa área para nuestra parroquia y escuela.

Si tiene un lugar del año pasado o está buscando un lugar este año... envíe un correo electrónico a

[Garden@sjecm.org](mailto:Garden@sjecm.org)

o llame a la rectoría.  
Oficina 631-878-0009



¿Estás enfrentando un embarazo difícil?

Di "Si" al

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Que se cumpla

## Asistencia para el Embarazo



### Aquí hay esperanza.

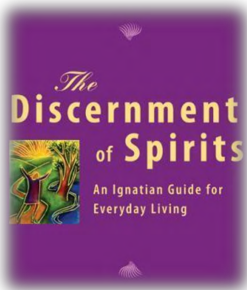
Si usted o alguien que conoce necesita ayuda con un embarazo inesperado o difícil, hay ayuda disponible:

Llame al 631-476-LOVE (5683)  
Cualquier día, en cualquier momento (24/7).

Todas las conversaciones son confidenciales.



## Women's Group...



We meet **every other Monday** from 10:00 - 11:30 AM in the IHM room, white house (convent) between school & rectory.

Dates:

June 24 (then summer break)

Facilitators:

*Carol Ketcham, Anita Luccari.*

*For additional information, please call the rectory office at 631-878-0009.*

*Or... just show up!*

## Men's Prayer Group...



### CALLING ALL MEN!

Come join the Totus Tuus Men's Prayer Group on **Saturday mornings at 9 AM** in the Convent. Join as us as we learn to follow the example of St. Joseph and grow in our faith, reflect on the Gospel and have coffee. For more information, call the rectory office at 631-878-0009.

Knights of Columbus  
Queen of All Hearts Council #4126

## FRIDAY NIGHT'S

Doors Open at 6:30 PM  
Games Begin at 7:30 PM

## \$3000 IN PRIZES

For more information  
[kofc4126.com](http://kofc4126.com)



### Important DRVC Information...

Information regarding a new deadline to file proofs of claim for victims of sexual abuse who were over 18 or older when the alleged conduct occurred and the forms to use can be found by clicking on the following link to the Diocese's bankruptcy website and scrolling down the page:

<https://dm.epiq11.com/drvc>

### SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS

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 families in the area with information about your business.

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

# Weekly Calendar

## Monday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024

- 6:45 AM Alcoholics Anonymous - BMR
- 6:30-7:30 PM Food Pantry Open - Ernie's Place
- 7 PM Narcotics Anonymous (Men only) - BMR

## Tuesday, June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024

- 6:45 AM Alcoholics Anonymous - BMR
- 3-7 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - SC
- 7:30 PM Alcoholics Anonymous - BMR
- 7 PM Divine Will - Front Mtg Rm - Auditorium

## Wednesday, June 19<sup>th</sup> 2024 (Parish Offices Closed)

- 6:45 AM Alcoholics Anonymous - BMR
- 9 AM-12 Noon Thrift Shop Open - Thrift Shop
- 3-7 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - SC

## Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024

- 6:45 AM Alcoholics Anonymous - BMR
- 3-4 PM Food Pantry Open - Ernie's Place
- 3-7 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - SC
- 4 PM Legion of Mary - BMR
- 7:30 PM Al-Anon - BMR

## Friday, June 21<sup>st</sup> 2024

- 6:45 AM Alcoholics Anonymous - BMR
- 3-7 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - SC
- 7:30 PM Knights of Columbus - Bingo - Auditorium
- 7 PM Narcotics Anonymous - BMR
- 7 PM Spanish Prayer Group - SC

## Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024

- 6:45 AM Alcoholics Anonymous - BMR
- 9 AM Men's Prayer Group - SC
- 10:30 AM Bereavement Group - BMR

## Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024

- 6:45 AM Alcoholics Anonymous - BMR

BMR - Barn 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Mtg. Room  
BUR - Barn Upper Room  
SC - Seton Chapel