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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday

9 a.m. – 9 p.m.

Friday

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Saturday and Sunday

By appointment only

(A Spanish translator is available on Tuesday evenings.)

St. John the Evangelist

Roman Catholic Church

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Facebook: Welcome Home-St. John the Evangelist



Office of Faith Formation (Located in Red Barn): 631-878-4141

Office of Youth Ministry (Located in School Auditorium Lobby): TBA

Parish Outreach (Located in Red Barn): 631-874-3617

Our Lady Queen of Apostles Regional School: 631-878-1033



“Observe what is right, do what is just;
for my salvation is about to come.”

Isaiah 56:1

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 20, 2017

Come to the quiet!

The Convent Chapel is open most days from 6:30 a.m. to approximately 7 p.m., if not later. Take some time to open your heart to the voice of God.

Come and pray with us!

SUNDAY MASS (Now held in School Auditorium)

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m. + 7:30 p.m. (Spanish Mass) Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m. (Children), 10:30 a.m., 12 Noon, 5:30 p.m. (Life Teen)

WEEKDAY MASSES (Now held in Convent Chapel)

Monday - Friday: 7:00 a.m. and 12 Noon

Saturday Morning: 8:00 a.m.

Come and know God's mercy!

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated every day after Daily Mass, on Saturdays from 4 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.; 7:00 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. (Spanish) and on Sundays from 4:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Come and know God's healing of the sick!

Please contact the Rectory (631.878.0009) for a priest to celebrate the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick with the seriously ill or those preparing for surgery. Please also let us know if a loved one is sick so we can pray for them at Mass and list their name in the bulletin.

Come and spend some time with the Lord!

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place immediately after the 12 Noon Mass in the Convent and concludes at 5 p.m. on most Thursdays.

Come to know Mary, Our Lady Queen of the Apostles

ROSARY: We pray the Rosary every day after Daily Mass in the Convent and on Sundays before the 7:30 a.m. Mass and after the Noon Mass in the Auditorium..

MONDAYS + We pray the Miraculous Medal Novena after the 7 a.m. Mass at 7:30 p.m. in the Convent on most Mondays,

with the exception of holidays and whenever the parish is closed.

The Holy Hour for Priests follows after the Novena on Monday evenings.

WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE

Summer Evening Prayer

NEXT MONDAY

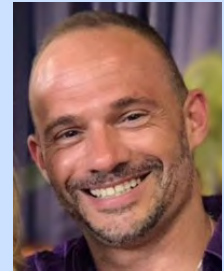
August 28 + 7:00 p.m.

An evening of music and praise by the music group,

The “HIMS”

A music group led by one of SJE's own cantors, —Jay Mauro.

*(A Free Will Offering will be taken up for Hope House Ministries
at this evening's prayer.)*



On the evenings of Summer Evening Prayer, the Miraculous Medal Novena and the Holy Hour for Priests will not be held.

REBUILD + REPAIR + RESTORE

Your people shall rebuild the ancient ruins; the foundations from ages past you shall raise up; “Repairer of the breach,” they shall call you, “Restorer of ruined dwellings.”

-Isaiah 58:11-12

Each week, we will try to provide updates about the rebuilding of the Church, the renovations in the Convent and the updates to the Auditorium as we continue to rebuild, repair and restore our Church community.

THE CHAPEL OF ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

I hope, I hope, I hope that this week we will begin using the Chapel of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton for Daily Mass. As of this writing (8/15), we are on schedule for this. Seton Chapel will become the place where we celebrate Daily Mass, have Eucharistic Exposition on Thursdays and pray our Monday devotions (when we do not have Summer Evening Prayer) until we return to the Church building. Over the past few weeks, we have made some minor renovations that will make the space more comfortable, expanded the Chapel space and improved the floors by restoring them. In the next few weeks, we will paint Seton Chapel but this will be able to happen while we are using the space.

In the weeks ahead, new chairs will arrive and we will make some other adjustments that will enhance the space.

I cannot thank everyone enough for their patience in these weeks. We did not anticipate this project taking as long as it has taken. As I wrote a few weeks ago, we learned about some different issues that needed to be addressed in the convent building. While the timing has been a little frustrating, this process has helped us to improve the convent on many levels for the future.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

OF RELIGION AND RACE HEARING VOICES

**END
RACISM**

Dear Parish Family:

I do not know about you, but I have been pretty overwhelmed (and exhausted) from hearing about all that has happened in our country since the incidents in Charlottesville, Virginia last week. There are a lot of voices—political, racial, social - from a lot of places speaking loudly. I've tried to take some time this week to listen to the voices of some of the teachers of the Church, the bishops (in italics below).

We all must raise our voices in condemning the vile acts that have taken place, and also standing in solidarity and union with those who are speaking out in their communities.... -Archbishop Wilton Gregory, Archdiocese of Atlanta

As Catholics, there should be a deep wrenching in our hearts whenever we hear of acts related to racism and discrimination. For the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* states: "The equality of men rests essentially on their dignity as persons and the rights that flow from it: 'Every form of social or cultural discrimination in fundamental personal rights on the grounds of sex, race, color, social conditions, language, or religion must be curbed and eradicated as incompatible with God's design'" (1935). If we really believe the Church's teaching in the dignity of every human being—and it's not just a slogan or a pious statement we make—then we should be filled with a holy anger of sorts that inspires us to pray for justice and to do what we can to curb and eradicate racism. There is no option to look the other way here.

"If our anger today is just another mental virus displaced tomorrow by the next distraction or outrage we find in the media, nothing will change. Charlottesville matters. It's a snapshot of our public unraveling into real hatreds brutally expressed; a collapse of restraint and mutual respect now taking place across the country... If we want a different kind of country in the future, we need to start today with a conversion in our own hearts, and an insistence on the same in others. That may sound simple. But the history of our nation and its tortured attitudes toward race proves exactly the opposite."

-Archbishop Charles J. Chaput, Archbishop of Philadelphia

It is pretty easy for me to look at Charlottesville from not only a physical distance but an emotionally safe one that says to me, "Well, that's their problem...glad it's not an issue for me." And, if I say that, I am a liar. Because the reality of racism, like any sin, is that it is often insidious. How often do I look down on people with a different skin color or different way of life than mine? At times, can I avoid being with certain "kinds" of people, even categorizing them by their race or religion or orientation or gender and failing to see the other as a child of God too? Or do I share a joke based on a certain skin color or ethnicity or even pass it on to my children? How quickly do I rush in my heart to say things like "It's my country" or even to have the audacity to call other humans—with the same dignity as me—by their immigration or legal statuses? Maybe you do the same some times? Maybe you justify it like I do and convince myself that I do other good things. This just might be a blind spot. Well, last Saturday reminds me that I have a lot of work to do in these areas, a lot of work. Maybe we all have some work to do. If we do not start from within, we have no ground to stand on when it comes to insisting on the conversion of others.

"The violence in Charlottesville did not develop in that moment or in one day. Rather the seeds of Saturday's tragedy had been planted long before, going back far in the history of our nation. We can look upon last Saturday's tragedy with a sense of great sadness and defeat. Or we can look at these events with the vision the Paschal Mystery brings us - a vision of healing, a vision of new life." - Bishop John O. Barres, Diocese of Rockville Centre.

The events of Charlottesville and the reactions of so many have weighed on me this week. I find myself defeated and saddened for our country and fearful for what might come next. Yet, if I am a disciple of Jesus and belong to the Church, I have to see with the vision of the Paschal Mystery—moving from places of death to new life even in what has been so dark and despairing. Let's pray that as we gather as Church, as we hear readings this week that remind of us our God who is here for all nations that we might listen to His voice and "observe what is right and do what is just" (Isaiah 56:1).



SJE SPIRIT DAY + September 16, 2017

SJE SPIRIT DAY

Saturday, September 16, 2017

1:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

A great day of fun, entertainment and community building for all in our area! There will be great rides for the kids, live music throughout the afternoon and wonderful food! Spirit Day concludes with the 5:00 p.m. Mass on the Spirit Day fairgrounds.

It's going to be a great day for our parish....and for you!

Thanks to our Spirit Day Sponsors (as of 8/13/17)!

Pinto Pools + Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith + Lund Valve Testing + REP Electric + Moriches Bay Deli + Seatuck Cove Ltd. + Swezey Fuel Company + Orchard Creek Marina + Mrs. Margaret Sureau + East End Sign Design + Dun Rite Appliance Company + The Parks Family + DJ Custom Homes Corp. + Queen of All Hearts K of C + Blue Ribbon Beverage + Angelo and Lillian Rollo + Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith + Law Office of Elizabeth Harrington + Turley, Redmond, Rosasco and Rosasco, LLP + Paul and Barbara Donahue + Wheatley Farms Perennials + Bay Nursery Corp + Paul's Lawn and Landscape and Christmas Tree Farm + ProFlame Inc. + Friends of St. John the Evangelist Church + Out East Therapy of NY + Desi Masonry Products + The Church Bulletin Company + Colliers International/Gus Nuzzolese, Esq. Dammayer Construction Company + Wesche Funeral Home, Inc. + RJ Beverage + Sign Design

+ SJE SPIRIT DAY +

Saturday, September 16, 2017

Volunteers Needed!

Please help us make this a great day for our parish and community!

Please indicate where you are able to help on Spirit Day:

____ Set-Up ____ Raffle sales ____ Food Table

____ First Aid Tent ____ Security/Traffic Safety ____ Clean-Up

Contact Information:

Name _____ Phone _____

Email _____ T-Shirt Size- ____ Small ____ Large ____ Medium ____ XL

Please return form to the Rectory OR drop in collection basket OR Email contact information to spiritvolunteer@gmail.com

+Thank you for your spirit of helping+



TOTAL CONSECRATION TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Beginning Sunday, September 10, 2017

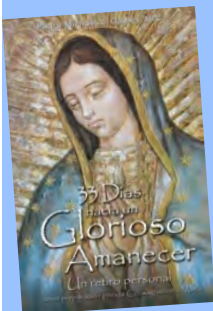
Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary is the *quickest, easiest, surest, most perfect way* to become a saint according to St. Louis de Montfort, author of the spiritual classic, *True Devotion to Mary*. Pope St. John Paul II made the consecration at the age of 18 and described it as *the decisive turning point of his life*. Don't you want *that*?

Join the parish community of St. John the Evangelist in making the total consecration to Jesus through Mary. The program will start on September 10th and conclude on October 13th. Why October 13th? October 13th is the 100th anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun during the centenary year of Our Lady's apparitions in Fatima, Portugal. At Fatima, Our Lady promised that, "*In the end, My Heart will triumph.*" I don't know about you, but with the world as crazy as it is, that promise of Our Lady is pretty comforting and reassuring! Why not let Her triumph in your heart and your life? That's where it has to start!

We will be using the book, *33 Days to Morning Glory*, by Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC. It only takes an open heart to the Lord and a few minutes each day to make your spiritual life never be the same again. The consecration consists of 33 days of preparation leading up to the consecration day itself. You can either do this self-guided retreat alone, with your family in your house or with others from the parish who are making the consecration after the 12pm Mass every weekday and Sunday and the 8am Mass on Saturday morning. There will be a special Mass on October 13th, in which those who are making the consecration may do so together as a parish community.



The parish will provide the book, *33 Days to Morning Glory*, for free to those who are interested in participating. (A free will offering may be made but there is no expectation.) You can email Father Michael, stop by the Rectory or see Fr. John, Fr. Michael or one of our sacristans after Sunday Mass.



La Consagración total a Jesús a través de su madre, la Virgen María, es la manera más rápida, fácil, segura y perfecta para ser santo, según San Louis de Montfort, el autor de la obra clásica, *El Tratado de la Verdadera Devoción a la Santísima Virgen*.

Reúnete con la comunidad parroquial de San Juan Evangelista en hacer la Consagración a Jesús a través de la Virgen María. Empezará el 10 de septiembre y concluirá el día 13 de octubre. Por qué el 13 de octubre? Porque celebramos ese día el centenario del milagro del sol que ocurrió durante las apariciones de la Virgen en Fátima, Portugal.

Vamos a usar el libro, *33 Días Hacia un Glorioso Amanecer*, escrito por el Padre Michael Gaitley, MIC. Tú sólo necesitas un corazón abierto al Señor y unos minutos cada día para cambiar tu vida espiritual. Este retiro consiste de 33 días de preparación hasta el día de la Consagración. Puedes hacer este retiro en varias formas; solo, con tu familia o con otras personas en la parroquia, quienes están haciendo la Consagración después de las misas diarias (7am y 12pm). El 13 de octubre, tendremos una misa especial para aquellos que estén haciendo la Consagración junto con la familia parroquial.

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

Sister Ann Berendes, IHM + aberendes@sjecm.org + *Director of Parish Social Ministry*

Alex Finta + afinta@sjecm.org + *Associate Director of Parish Social Ministry*

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Helen Williams—hannah51@optonline.net

Communion to the Homebound: Sister Ann Berendes, IHM

Community Meal: Fr. John Sureau—jsureau@sjecm.org

Homeless Outreach: Alex Finta

Respect Life Group: Maria Sikora—msikora@sjecm.org

Something new...

Social Ministry Saturday

NEXT SATURDAY, August 26th

The SJE THRIFT SHOP,
FOOD PANTRY and
STREET MINISTRY

will be open from

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

The Community Meal
follows at 12 Noon.

All are welcome!!!



SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

"Back to School" time is a time of great need for many of our parish's families.

Can you help us to help others in need?

These are the most commonly requested school supplies. We can not obviously have everything requested but through your continued generosity we have been able to assist many parents with much of what they need. You may leave donation at the doors of the Church, in the Outreach Office or in the Rectory.

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| • Sharpened pencils and pencil cases | • loose-leaf and dividers | • opposite side |
| • Magic markers | • Glue sticks | • two-hole pencil sharpeners with waste holders |
| • Marble notebooks-all colors | • Plastic 2-pocket folders | • scissors - rounded and pointed |
| • Dry erase markers | • glue bottles | • NO SPIRAL NOTEBOOKS |
| • crayons -- 24 count | • black or blue pens | EXCEPT 3 AND/OR 5 |
| • hard-covered 1" binders | • Post-its | SUBJECTS |
| • Back-packs various sizes | • yellow highlighters | |
| • colored pencils - 12 count | • pink erasers | |
| | • 12" rulers with Metric rule on | |

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

Gennesaret Retreat for those Facing Serious Illness

A retreat especially designed for persons who live with a serious illness is planned September 22nd, 23rd, and 24th, 2017 at Montfort Spirituality Center in Bay Shore, NY. This retreat offers a respite, quiet time, an oasis, to enable one to continue the journey. The retreat focuses on God's love, His forgiveness, and His faithfulness. To register or receive more information about this weekend, please call: Colette Fanelli (631) 665-7052.

WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE

A NOTE ABOUT PARKING

From "the letters I have never wanted to write about"...

Thank you for your great spirit in adapting to all of the changes of the last few months! Can I ask everyone to do their best to park in Church parking lot or the parking lot between the school and convent? The back doors of the school are open for Masses on Sunday and, in some cases, the stairs might be a little easier than the ones in the front.

This past week, there were many cars on Ocean Avenue while there were nearly 50 spots in the parking lot between the Convent and the School. Thanks everyone!



WELCOME BACK PAUL CLORES!

A few weeks ago, we sent Paul Clores to Fatima and to the Camino and with plans to begin a new pastoral year assignment in the Fall. Two week ago, we received a call from the Vocations Director, Fr. Joe Fitzgerald, informing us that Bishop Barres has requested Paul stay at St. John the Evangelist for the upcoming year! How are excited are we!

Not only is SJE a great place to learn about serving God's people as a priest, Paul has become a real part of the parish life here. We look forward to growing with him in the year ahead.



Paul will return to the Seminary at the end of August for weeks of retreat and preparation and then return here the second week of September.

Comunidad Hispano de San Juan Evangelista, Center Moriches

MINISTERIOS Y SERVICIOS

Dirección de la Oficina: 25 Ocean Ave. Center Moriches, NY 11934

Teléfono: 1-631.878.0009

Horas especiales para asistencia en español:

Martes- 7 PM – 9 PM

Santa Misa: Sábados - 7:30 PM

Confesiones: Sábado - 7:00 PM en la Iglesia

Bautismos: Segundo Domingo a las 2p.m. en la Iglesia y Cuarto Sábado de cada mes durante la misa.

Clases pre-bautismos es el segundo martes de cada mes.

Locación – en el Convento (la casa blanca) a las 7 PM.

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.

Exposición del Santísimo (adoración): Jueves, 12:00PM - 8:00PM

Renovación Carismática: Domingo 7:30Pm en la Iglesia.

R.I.C.A (Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos): Padre Suglia 1-631.878.0009

August 20, 2017



OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE APOSTLES REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Mr. David Erlanger + derlanger@olqany.org
School Principal

Come and learn more about the...

OLQA Experience!!!!

...strong academic program from Pre-K3 to 8 that meets and exceeds NYS Standards
...a curriculum educating the whole child in a Catholic environment
...a safe and secure environment that encourages learning
...a commitment to religious formation at every level and through out the school community
...a new Enrichment program for 2017-18 helping students recognize their many gifts
...support staff—including a school social worker - to provide a community of care
...before school and after care programs for working parents
...new student activities allowing students to grow in our community and better develop their gifts
...mission and service activities that form the student and transform the community.
...support for those who learn differently



Come and learn more by scheduling a tour. Call 631.878.1033 or e-mail to derlanger@olqany.org.

There are a limited number of spaces available in many of our classes.

OUR LADY QUEEN OF APOSTLES REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL



8th Annual Golf Outing September 27, 2017

Rock Hill Country Club
Manorville, NY 11949

For more information please call
the school at 631-878-1033

O.L.Q.A. Golf Outing

Schedule

September 27, 2017



11:30 am
Registration

12:00 pm
Lunch and Open
Driving Range

1:30 pm
Shotgun Start

5:00 pm
Cocktails

6:00 pm
Buffet Dinner and
Open Bar

SPONSORSHIP

This year the following
sponsorships are available:

Premier/Dinner Sponsor \$2,500

Includes: 1 Golf Foursome
1 Pin/Flag Sponsor
(Flag displaying name hole)
Signage at Clubhouse

Lunch Sponsor - \$1,000

Includes 2 Golfers
Signage at Lunch

Cocktail Sponsor - \$500

Includes 2 Dinner Tickets

Pin/Flag Sponsor - \$250

Flag displaying name on hole

Tee Sign Sponsor - \$100

Golfers

\$150 Per Person (includes dinner)
\$50.00 - Dinner Only

Please return completed
form with payment by
September 1, 2017
Our Lady Queen of Apostles

2 St. Johns Place, Center Moriches, NY 11934
(631) 878-1033

PREMIER (\$2,500)	\$ _____
LUNCH ONLY (\$1,000)	\$ _____
COCKTAIL (\$500)	\$ _____
PIN/FLAG (\$250)	\$ _____
TEE SIGN (\$100)	\$ _____

On the line below please identify what you would like on
sponsorship sign or enclose a business card.

I am unable to attend but would like to
contribute \$ _____

GOLFERS - \$150 (includes dinner)
DINNER ONLY - \$50

NAME & ADDRESS _____

NAME & ADDRESS _____

NAME & ADDRESS _____

NAME & ADDRESS _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

SJE BLOOD DRIVE

FRIDAY—September 22nd



Time: 4PM-8:30PM
Location: School Auditorium

FAITH FORMATION

Phone: 631-878-4141 / Fax: 631-874-6065 / Website: sjecm.org + Facebook: StJohn FaithFormation
Email: faithformation@sjecm.org / mpirraglia@sjecm.org

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday, 12Noon-5:00PM; Wednesday, 12Noon-8:00PM



CATECHISTS STILL NEEDED!

We had a tremendous response following our request for more catechists—We have more than 30 new volunteer catechists! Thank you to all who responded!

However, we are still in need of catechists:

Level 4—Tuesdays, 4:45-5:45PM (1 class)

Level 5—Mondays, 4:45-5:45PM (1 class)

Level 6—Tuesdays, 4:45-5:45PM (1 class)

Level 8—Tuesdays, 7:45-8:45PM (1 class, needs co-teacher)

Please contact Michelle at 631-878-4141 or via email: mpirraglia@sjecm.org

CHECK FOR YOUR PLACEMENT LETTER!

For students already enrolled in our program, placement letters for the 2017-18 academic year have been sent—please check your mail! If you need to contact our office regarding your child's placement, please do so via email to: faithformation@sjecm.org. All requests must be made to this email.

NEW STUDENTS: REGISTER NOW– 8/31!

All new students, including those entering 1st Grade this fall:

Please bring a copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate.

Classes are filling up!

Spanish Translator Available: Wednesdays, 8/23 & 8/30, 7PM-8PM

YOUTH MINISTRY

Michael Clauberg + mclauberg@sjecm.org

Director of Youth Ministry

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Cub Scouts: Michael Hayes + cubscoutpack0800@gmail.com

EDGE (Middle School Youth Ministry): youth@sjecm.org

Life Teen (High School Youth Ministry): Michael Clauberg + mclauberg@sjecm.org

SJE Service Corps: Fr. John Sureau + jsureau@sjecm.org

Young Adult Ministry: youth@sjecm.org

Office Hours

Sundays: 12:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Tuesdays: 4:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Wednesdays: 5:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Thursdays: 12:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.



**CALLING ALL HIGH
SCHOOL STUDENTS!**

SUNDAYS

SUNDAY NIGHTS IS YOUR
NIGHT!

5:30 p.m. Youth Mass

7:00-8:30 (Youth Ministry Night)

Doors open @ 6:30 P.M.

EVERY SUNDAY NIGHT @ ST.
JOHN'S.

QUESTIONS: E-MAIL MIKE AT
MCLAUBERG@SJECM.ORG



THURSDAYS

TIME TO WIPE THE DUST
OFF THOSE BIBLES &
READ THE
WORLD'S BEST BOOK!



Every Thursday from 7:00-9:00

*come join other high school students for a scripture
reflection of the upcoming Sunday's readings & Ultimate
Frisbee in the Youth Ministry Office!*



**Calling all
Middle School
Students!**

(6th, 7th & 8th grade)

THE MONTH OF AUGUST IS GOING
TO BE AWESOME!

WEDNESDAYS

7:00-8:30 P.M.

August 23 + August 30

*Come, bring a friend and have a great
night at SJE!*



**"Celebrating our Faith
Holy Hour and BBQ"
TUESDAY AUG. 22**

Catholic Young Adults are invited to a summer barbecue
and Holy Hour with Bishop Barres at the Basilica in
Southampton.

5:00 PM: ARRIVAL / LAWN GAMES & BBQ

6:30 PM: BRIEF REFLECTION &
ADORATION

8:20 PM: FELLOWSHIP, ICE CREAM & ICES

THE BASILICA OF THE SACRED HEARTS OF JESUS
AND MARY 168 Hill Street,
Southampton, NY 11968

PRAYER AND WORSHIP



WE NEED YOU! WE WANT YOU!

“In every celebration of the Eucharist, there should be a sufficient number of ministers of Holy Communion so that it may be distributed in a reverent and orderly manner.”

General Instruction of the Roman Missal 162

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion assist the priest and deacon at Mass. At St. John's Extraordinary Ministers serve at Sunday liturgies and, when possible, daily liturgy. For Sunday liturgies, ministers are scheduled according to their availability and the needs of the parish.

How Do I Become an Extraordinary Minister?

1. You must send a letter to Fr. John at the Parish Office or e-mail to jsureau@sjecm.org
2. You must meet with Fr. John for a brief meeting.
3. You must attend one of the diocesan training sessions. If you wish to also bring Holy Communion to the sick and homebound, you must attend a separate “Part B” training session.



“When the Sacred Scriptures are read in the Church, God himself speaks to his people, and Christ, present in his word, proclaims the Gospel.”

General Instruction of the Roman Missal 29

Readers proclaim God's Word at Sunday Masses, and if they are able at daily Mass and other parish prayer services and events. For Sunday liturgies, ministers are scheduled according to their availability and the needs of the parish.

How Do I Become a Reader?

1. You must contact Fr. John at jsureau@sjecm.org or by phone at 631.878.0009
2. You must attend one of the diocesan training sessions.



DIOCESAN TRAININGS

Saturday, October 21, 2017

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays

Saturday, October 28, 2017

9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

St. Elizabeth, Melville

WEDNESDAY....

Does your child or grandchild love to sing? Come join the fun and give the gift of song to our assembly and to God

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

**Rehearsals—
Wednesdays
6 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Mass—Sundays
9 a.m. Mass**

All children ages 6 and up may join.

For more information, contact Stephanie Lengyel at slengyel@gmail.com or contact the Rectory at 631.878.0009.



PRAYER AND WORSHIP

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 August Has been donated: In loving memory of Eileen and Ken McConnel



Stewardship

How can I repay the LORD for all the great good done for me?

- Psalm 116:2

Sunday 8/13/17: \$13,491

(2016: \$13,802)

Parish Social Ministry: \$1,406

(Parish Improvement 2016: \$2,891)

Each week, we provide envelopes for specific areas of parish life. This allows us to focus our stewardship in certain areas. Ideally, we would love to have a strong regular collection which would make these envelopes unnecessary. Next week, please make use of the Catholic Education envelope and/or place your offering in the regular collection.

MASS INTENTIONS STILL AVAILABLE

If you wish to remember a loved one – living or deceased - at one of our daily Masses, please visit the Rectory.

Opportunities for remembering a loved one at Mass in the weeks ahead, include:

7 a.m. Masses: September 20, 25, 26, 29, October 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 30, 31, November 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30

12 Noon Masses: September 19, 25, 29 October 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 20, 23, 27, 30, 31, November 3, 7, 14, 15, 17, 20, 27, 29

Saturday 8 a.m. Masses: October 7, November 4, 18

Saturday Evening Masses (7:30 p.m.): August 26, September 2, 9, 16, 30, October 7, 21, 28, November 4, 11, 18, 25

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I: Isaiah 22:19-23

The Lord appoints Eliakim over the house of Judah.

Responsorial Psalm: PS 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8

Second Reading: Romans 11:33-36

Who knows the mind of God?

Gospel: Matthew 16:13-20

Jesus asks, "Who do people say I am?"

Discussion Questions

1. God says he will fix Eliakim like a peg in a sure spot to be a place of honor for his family. This and other metaphors in the First Reading indicate God's support for him. What other qualities or virtues do you look for in Church leadership, besides having a solid faith?
2. Can you see your whole life as a way to worship God? Does your fear ever give way to love?
3. Discuss Pope Francis' Morning Meditation from February 20, 2014:

We come to know him "in the daily encounter with the Lord, each day. Through our victories and through our weaknesses." ...

We come to know Jesus ... as disciples on the path of life, following behind him ... This is a work of the Holy Spirit, who is a great worker: he is not a union organizer, [but] he is a great worker. And he is always at work in us: and he carries out this great work of explaining the mystery of Jesus, and of giving us the mind of Christ.

Pope Francis, But who do you say that I am?



PRAYING FOR AND WITH ONE ANOTHER

MUSIC MINISTRY @ SJE!

The readings for today's liturgies are now found in
our *Breaking Bread Hymnal*.

Scheduled Hymns for 8/19 and 8/20

Entrance Hymn: #461, I Heard the Voice of
Jesus Say

Preparation Hymn: #205, Let all Mortal Flesh
Keep Silence

Communion Hymn: #361, Take and Eat

Closing Hymn: #609, Sing with all the Saints
in Glory



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - Confessions

At St. John's we celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation every day. During the week, we celebrate the sacrament after the 7 a.m. and 12 Noon Masses. Generally, the priests will be in the "living room" or the Chapel area of the Convent. He will wait or be around for 10 minutes after the last person has come. If Daily Mass is held in the Auditorium, the priest will be seated some place in the Auditorium after Mass.

On Saturday and Sunday evenings, confession are heard in the Youth Ministry Office (near the Main Entrance of the Auditorium) or in the back of the Auditorium itself.

With all of our movements in these weeks, we don't want to lose our commitment to and celebration of the sacrament of Reconciliation. (Of course, you can - and should - approach one of our parish priests whenever you want to celebrate the sacrament.)



Did you receive our
Summer Appeal Mailing?

*If so, please consider supporting the ongoing work of
SJE! Return your envelope or make your offering at
www.sjecm.org.*

We Believe

*Baptism incorporates us into Christ and forms us into
God's people.*

-Rite of Baptism, 2

Our Newly Baptized

Bria Rose Timmermann, Charlotte Marion Cannarelli

We Celebrate

*"The sacrament (of Matrimony) is a gift given for the sanctification
and salvation of the spouses, since "their mutual belonging is a real
representation, through the sacramental sign, of the same relation-
ship between Christ and the Church."*

—Pope Francis, *The Joy of Love*, 55

II. Erik Gorman and Frances Gorman

II. Tyler Kirby and Cara Rutigliano

I. Joseph Pironti and Kim Pironti

We Remember...

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

-Entrance Antiphon, Funeral Mass

Ben Mauro

Taryn Enck

We Pray...

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

-1 Peter 1:6

Diane Ruiz

Conor Smith

*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
ones 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

*In your generosity, please pray for our parish family members serv-
ing abroad in the military. Family members, please call the rectory
to add or update your loved one's status if they have returned.*

US Army

Sgt. Justin Sikorski

US Air Force

Lt. Col. Stephen D'Amico,

SSgt. Jason M. Hermes

SRA Ryan Kerstiens, SRA Timothy Kerstiens

US Marine Corps

Pfc Sean Brady, Patrick Kimes,

Lt. Col. Robert K. Maldonado.

L/Cpl. Quentin Montemarano

LCL Andrew Schlosberg

MAJ Stephen Bartoszak

US Navy

STGCS Brian Holzmacher

ET3 Jeremiah Nolan, Jr.

*If you would like have someone serving in the military placed on the list
above or if a name should be removed, please contact the Parish Office at
631.878.0009 or e-mail to rectory@sjecm.org.*

PREPARING FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

Note:

RBMR—Red Barn—1st Floor Meeting Room

RBUR—Red Barn Upper Room

Monday, August 21, 2017

6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
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Tuesday, August 22, 2017

6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
7:00 p.m.	Divine Will Prayer Group	Prayer Room
7:30 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR

Wednesday, August 23, 2017

6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
9:30 a.m.	Thrift Shop Open	Thrift Shop
6:00 p.m.	Children's Choir	Auditorium

Thursday, August 24, 2017

6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
4:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary	RBMR
7:00 p.m.	Life Teen Scripture Reflection	Auditorium
7:30 p.m.	ProLife Meeting	RBUR

Friday, August 25, 2017

6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
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Saturday, August 26, 2017

6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
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Sunday, August 27, 2017

6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
8:00 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous (Men's)	RBMR
7:00 p.m.	Life Teen/HS Youth Ministry	Auditorium
7:30 p.m.	Spanish Prayer Group	Auditorium



MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, August 21, 2017

St. Pius X, Pope

7:00 a.m.	John Taglienti
12 Noon	Thomas D'Alto Jr.

Tuesday, August 22, 2017

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00 a.m.	Louis Cordeiro
12 Noon	William Lewis

Wednesday, August 23, 2017

Weekday

St. Rose of Lima, Virgin

7:00 a.m.	Ray Abbott
12 Noon	Special Intentions— Donald Popp

Thursday, August 24, 2017

St. Bartholomew, Apostle

7:00 a.m.	Myrna Koolman
12 Noon	Tracey Kolkmeier

Friday, August 25, 2017

Weekday

St. Louis; St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest

7:00 a.m.	Louis W. Cordeiro
12 Noon	Rose Marie Czygier

Saturday, August 26, 2017

Weekday

8:00 a.m.	Diane Saetran
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21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass of Anticipation

5:00 p.m.	People of the Parish
7:30 p.m.	Intention Still Available

Sunday

7:30 a.m.	Wilhelm Weber
9:00 a.m.	Harry Ryan
10:30 a.m.	Elizabeth Faherty
12:00 p.m.	Peter Curtin
5:30 p.m.	Louise McNiff