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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

(in the Blue House)

Monday – Thursday

9:30 a.m. -12 + 1 - 8 p.m.

Friday, Saturday and Sunday

9:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.

(Un traductor español está disponible los martes por la noche.)

St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church

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Center Moriches, New York 11934-3698



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Parish Website: www.sjecm.org

Facebook: Welcome Home-St. John the Evangelist



"Would that all the people of the LORD were prophets! Would that the LORD might bestow his spirit on them all!"

Mark 10:14

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 30, 2018

Come to the quiet!

The church building is open from 6:30 a.m. to approximately 7 p.m., if not later, each night. Seton Chapel, in the white convent building, is open around 8 a.m. and also remains open to approximately 7 p.m. Take some time to open your heart to the voice of God.

Come and pray with us!

SUNDAY MASS

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday: 7:00 a.m. and 12 Noon, Saturday Morning: 8:00 a.m. Seton Chapel: Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. (Spanish)

Come and know God's mercy!

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated **every day after Daily Mass** in the church. The sacrament is also celebrated in the church on Saturdays from 4 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. and from 7:00 to 7:15 p.m. (Spanish). Confessions are also heard on Sundays from 5:00 p.m. to 5:15 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 in <u>Seton Chapel</u> on **Mondays from 4:00 p.m. to 9 p.m.** and on **Thursdays from 1:00 pm. until 5:00 p.m.**

Come to know Mary, Our Lady Queen of Apostles

ROSARY: We pray the Rosary every day after Daily Mass in Our Lady's Chapel in the church building

MONDAYS + We pray the Miraculous Medal Novena after the 7 a.m. Mass in the church building and at 7:30 p.m. in Seton Chapel in the Convent on most Mondays, with the exception of holidays and whenever the parish is closed.

WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Thursday, October 4, 2018 6:00 pm. + Convent Lawn



Come bring your entire family – including your four-legged, winged, crawling, and gilled creatures – as we celebrate the feast of St. Francis and our entire parish community!

Each year, in October, the Church celebrates the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, a saint known for his kindness to animals. Did you know that St. Francis was the first one to use barnyard animals in the Nativity scene? Food and fellowship for all to follow – and each pet gets a special treat to take home with them!



SJE Academic Learning Center

...coming soon!?



Planning Meeting Monday, October 1, 2018 4:30 p.m. + Main Lobby/OLQA School

One of our goals last Summer was to open an Academic Learning Center for students to come to after school for additional support and intervention. This would be a service of the parish to students in the school and local communities. We are now ready to move forward.

What would it be? How would it work? When would we do this? When do we start? The answer to these questions, "We don't know!" However, if you're interested in helping to start this project we might be able to get some answers together!

We are looking for educators, retired educators, teachers, people who love kids, and who have a gift for sharing knowledge to come together. What about you? Can you join a conversation that might be providing additional needed support to our parish's and community's young people? If so, please contact Fr. John at 631.878.0009 or email to jsureau@sjecm.org or just come to our planning meeting next Monday, October 1st.

SJE SPIRIT DAY

Thank you to all who made Spirit Day 2018 a huge success – from our leadership committee, to the many volunteers, our generous sponsors and commitment of so many to the good things happening here at SJE! May this day of spirit set us on the path to a great year of pastoral ministry and service.

SPIRIT DAY 2018 SPONSORS (as of 9/18/18)

- Above All Fence
- Allstate Center Moriches
- · Angelo and Lillian Rollo
- Annette Eaderesto
- Baby Moon Restaurant
- Bay Gardens
- Bridgehampton National Bank
- Center Moriches Fire Department
- Center Moriches Veterinary Hospital
- Century 21 Cor-Ace
- Realty, Inc.
- CORE BTS
- Crossfit Kryptonite
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- John and Joseph Perno and Family
- Law Office of Elizabeth Harrington

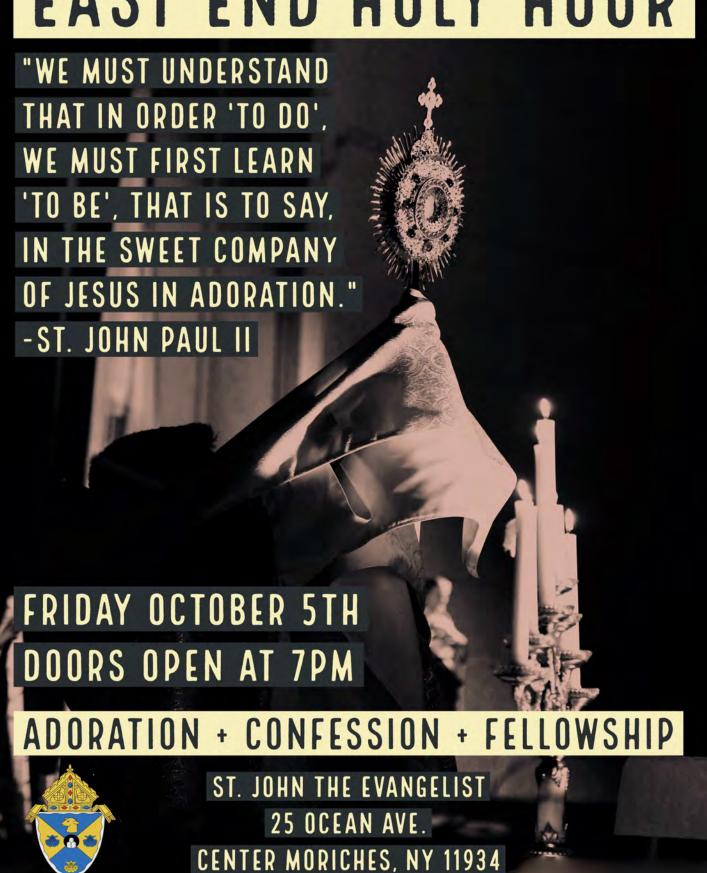
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 - Out East Therapy of NY
 - Pinto Pools
 - Plum Cottage Interior Design
 - ProFlame Inc.
 - Queen of All Hearts Knights of Columbus
 - REP Electric
 - Rico's Clothing
 - Roy Probeyahn and Sons
 - SJE Ministry of

Consolation

- Swezey Fuel Company
- The Garzero Family
- The Lapham Family
- The Matthews Family
- The Parks Family
- The Sureau Family
- Twin Ponds Cabinetry



EAST END HOLY HOUR



WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE

CPR and First Aid Course at SJE

Tuesday, October 2nd 9:30 a.m. to Noon Red Barn Upper Room

Space is still available. Contact Michelle Pirraglia at mpirraglia@sjecm.org if interested



-The Knights of Columbus Present-



BINGO NIGHT

<u>Every</u> <u>Friday</u>

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



\$2000 IN PRIZES!



Absolutely no painting experience is needed!

In just about two hours, a local artist will guide you through the painting so that you come up with your own unique masterpiece. At the end of the night, you will be amazed by what YOU created. We provide everything you will need: canvas, paints, and brushes.

Keep your painting when you're done!

Sponsored by Cub Scout Pack 800

<u>Date:</u> Sat. Oct. 6,2018 <u>Time:</u> 6:30-8:30pm

<u>Location:</u> Our Lady Queen Apostle School Auditorium 2 St. Johns place, Center Moriches \$15.00

\$15.00 (Doors open @ 6:00)

(* All Children MUST be accompanied by an adult) Contact Theresa for Tickets (631)335-8038 (tix sold until 10/1)

Chinese Auction and Refreshments will be sold

ALTAR SERVERS

Altar servers assist at Masses, parish funerals,

prayer services and sacramental celebrations. They are invaluable members of the parish and school community who contribute a great deal to school and parish life...and we're working to have some more community building times as well!

Altar servers need to be in fourth grade or above, should be attending Sunday Mass and desire to get more involved in the life of the parish and the Church.





Trainings are coming up soon! Sign up today!!! Contact Fr. John at jsureau@sjecm.org

Mass Book For 2019

THE MASS BOOK FOR 2019 IS OPEN

Those wishing to have a Mass said for a loved one may stop by the rectory.



Available Masses in the upcoming weeks include:

7 a.m. Masses: October 18, 19, 25, 26, 29, 30, 31, November 1, 2, 5, 8, 13, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 12 Noon Masses: November 5, 6, 8, 15, 20, 26, 29, 30

Saturday 8 a.m. Masses: November 10 Sunday 7:30 a.m. Masses: November 11, 25 Holy Day 7:30 p.m. Mass: November 1, 2

Spanish Evening Masses (7:30 p.m.): October 2, 6, 9, 13, 16,

20, 27, 30, November 3, 6, 10, 13, 17, 20, 24, 27

ACADEMIC INTERVENTION TEACHERS NEEDED @ OLQA

The Catholic School in Center Moriches is seeking trained educators to work in The Mission-The Middle School Academy at OLOA particularly in the areas of Math and ELA (English Language Arts).

Interested candidates are

- Educators or recently retired teachers
- Collaborators with fellow teachers
- Inspired by working with middle school stu-
- Looking to work parts of three or four days
- Seeking to transform the lives of young people
- Ready to be challenged and fulfilled.

If interested, please send a resume to isureau@olgany.org.



PRAYER AND WORSHIP

WE NEED YOU! WE WANT YOU!

SJE IS RECRUITING NEW READERS and **EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**

"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
- You must meet with Fr. John for a brief meeting.
- 3. You must attend one 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 6, 2018 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays

Monday, October 15, 2018 7:00 p.m.—10:00 p.m. St. Elizabeth, Melville

WHAT'S HAPPENING @ SJE

Family Life Ministry

SANDWICH DAY SUCCESS!

Thank you to all our volunteers! With your help, the Family Life Ministry donated 966 Sandwiches to a local food outreach.



NEED VOLUNTEER HOURS?

<u>Upcoming Mercy Sunday Events</u> (10/14, 11/11, 12/9):



October 14th— Sandwich Day Meet in the Auditorium after 9 am mass (approximately 10 am). Please bring your family and help make

sandwiches for those less fortunate. You may bring cold cuts or peanut butter & Jelly, and bread. Can't participate but want to help? Family Life Ministry will accept any donations of sliced bread, plastic knives, gloves, table cloths, plastic sandwich bags and PB & Jelly. Feel free to either bring it on that day or in advance to the parish office in a box that clearly states Family Life Ministry.

What is the Family Life Ministry? How Can I Join?

The Family Life Ministry at St. John the Evangelist seeks to connect families within our parish through fun, thoughtful service opportunities. Calling to mind that we can do no great things, only small things with great love, we hope to find the joy in serving others through coming together. Through our service we seek to strengthen our sense of belonging to our parish, helping us to come to know those around us by name. We believe in the great power of our families and we call to mind the words of Pope Francis that, "Families transform the world and history."

We are looking for some members to help make our mission statement a reality. Please contact: Linda Filosa email: Lindalos3@optonline.net or cell: 631-559 -7227

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 - 8 PM

Santa Misa: Sábados - 7:30 PM, Martes - 7:30 PM en el

Convent (La Casa Blanca)

Confesiones: Sábado - 7 PM en la Iglesia

Bautismos: Segundo Domingo a las 2p.m. en la Iglesia. Clases pre-bautismos es el tercer miércoles de cada mes. Locación – en el granero (la casa roja) 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: Viernes 7:00 pm en el granero (la casa roja).

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



¿Usted o alguien que usted conoce tiene más de 7 años y necesita los Sacramentos del Bautismo, la Comunión o la Confirmación? Por favor, póngase en contacto con Gregorio Chavez en p-chavez@hotmail.com para el próximo paso a seguir. Gracias.

FAITH FORMATION

Phone: 631-878-0009, ext 5 + Website: sjecm.org + Facebook: StJohn FaithFormation Email: faithformation@sjecm.org / mpirraglia@sjecm.org Summer Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 11AM-12Noon; 1PM-4:30PM

CLASSES BEGIN OCTOBER 13! CATECHISTS STILL NEEDED

Level 5—Mon. 6PM-7PM, Level 7—Mon. 7:15PM; Level 8—Tues. 7:15PM (Co-Teachers needed) Co-Teachers/Aides Needed for Saturday Classes! Can't make a weekly commitment? Join our sub list! Please contact Michelle at 631-878-0009, ext. 5 or via email: mpirraglia@sjecm.org

CONFIRMATION "1:8" PROGRAM

For 9th grade students making their Confirmation this October, our Confirmation Prep program continues.

Coming Up In the Next Two Weeks:

Session IV "The Deep End: Prayer/Adoration"
Group B (Last Name L-Z): Sunday, 9/30—5:30PM Mass-8:30PM

Session V: "The Journey Continues: Life After Confirmation" Group A (Last Name A-K): Wednesday, 10/3—7:00PM-8:30PM

Reconciliation (Parents & Students)

Group A (Last Name A-K): Tuesday, 10/9 @ 7PM in the Church Group B (Last Name L-Z): Wednesday, 10/10 @ 7PM in the Church

If you have any questions, please contact us at: confirmation@sjecm.org.



OPENING PRAYER SERVICE: LEVELS 7 & 8

Level 7—Monday, October 1 @ 7PM in the Church Level 8—Tuesday, October 2 @ 7PM in the Church

Class Sessions:

October 10th Joe Catalago October 17th Managana Tun Vla

October 24^{th-} Amora Iaugella November 7^{th-} Sr Ann Berendes

November 14th Fr John Surea



REJOICE AND BE GLAD!





Please join us for our Fall Adult Faith Formation course on Pope Francis' Apostolic Exhortation, "Rejoice and Be Glad". The class will meet in the Seton Chapel on Wednesday evenings at 7pm. There will be a one-time free-will offering of \$20 to cover the cost of the document. The topic is wonderful for parishioners of all ages, so bring a friend! For more details, contact Joe at jcatafago@sjecm.org or (631) 878-0009 x113.

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

Alex Finta + afinta@sjecm.org +Director of Parish Social Ministry (631-878-0009 ext. 119)

Ministry of Consolation:

Eve O'Brien—eveobrien@optonline.net + Helen Williams—hannah51@optonline.net + Jeri Eten—jeten@optonline.net
Communion to the Homebound: Jerry Malley - jmalley0328@gmail.com

Community Meal: Alex Finta SJE Street Ministry: Alex Finta

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

Were here to help

Our parish, overall, and our parish social ministry, specifically, are here to serve you in any way we can.

If you are in need, please reach out to us at St. John's.

A great place to start is the Outreach Office coordinated by Alex Finta and our amazing volunteer ministers. Our Outreach Office is located in the Red Barn. Please call to make an appointment so we can connect you to our services here at SJE or link you to other services. **NEVER BE EMBARRASSED to reach out.** We may not be able to address every need. If we can't, we'll try to connect to someone who can assist you. Please always reach out to us here at SJE!

Office Hours (NOW LOCATED ON 2ND FLOOR OF BARN)

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. - Monday—Friday (Please call for an appointment.)

Food Pantry

Monday evenings: 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m + Thursday afternoons: 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Thrift Shop

Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.



SJE STREET MINISTRY

The Street Ministry is continuously serving 60-90 individuals and families

every Thursday night, many of which are homeless. We are tremendously grateful for all of the donations that continue to allow us to do this work. We are in need of the following:

Financial donations are most welcome as they allow us to purchase items as they are needed. Checks may be made payable to St. John the Evangelist and donations can be left in the Parish Office. We would also be most grateful for gift cards to places such as Dollar Store or Walmart so we can obtain these items.

- Baby Wipes
- Diapers size 4&5
- Shaving Cream
- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Men's Underwear-Size 29/30, 32/34
 - and 36/38
- Women's Underwear- Size 8/10, 12/14 and 16/18

We are also in need of cooks. We have recently been running out of food due to the high number of guests. If you're interested in cooking a tray of food for the Thursday nigh run or have any questions, please email Corinne Bernath at bernath52194@optonline.net or Alex Finta at afinta@sjecm.org

Thrift Shop Volunteers Needed!

Every Monday and Wednesday morning (9AM-12PM) our Thrift Shop volunteers are hard at work, dedicated to providing quality clothing and items at an inexpensive price. If you would like to help out and join a welcoming community, please reach out to Alex Finta

at 631-878-0009 ext. 119 or afinta@sjecm.org for more information.



PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

Ernie's Place

St. John's Food Pantry Ministry Mondays – 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Thursdays – 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

SHOPPING LIST

Canned vegetables
Pork and Beans
Pasta sauce and pasta
Canned foods and meats
Toilet paper



Thank you for your continued generosity.

Cut out this list and bring it with you when you go shopping!



NEW ALATEEN MEETING STARTING OCTOBER 1st

Alateen is for ANYONE, aged 12 through 18, who has been affected by someone else's drinking or addiction. Two adult, trained members of Al-Anon are present at every meeting. Come learn healthy ways to deal with your loved one's addiction in a safe and confidential environment.

MONDAYS BEGINNING OCTOBER 1st. 7:00 pm

St. John the Evangelist Church 25 Ocean Ave., Center Moriches

Meetings will take place upstairs in the RED BARN (in the parking lot of Our Lady Queen of Apostles School)

CONTACT: MondayCMAlateen@gmail.com

Parish Social Ministry Memorial Cards NOW AVAILABLE

This is one way to honor one who has passed away. These cards allow you to express your sympathy while also benefitting the less fortunate in our local community. Each month we will celebrate Mass for all those remembered via the Memorial Cards. The names of those remembered will be periodically included in the bulletin. The memorial offering made will benefit Parish Outreach, our Homeless Initiative, Food Pantry and Thrift Shop and the many works of Parish Social Ministry at SJE.

To obtain a parish social ministry memorial card, visit the Rectory Office during regular hours or Parish Outreach from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday.

For more information, contact the Parish Social Ministry Office.

SJE BLOOD DRIVE

Results

75 units of blood were donated at our 9/21 blood drive. Thank you!

Our next blood drive is slated for **Saturday**, **January 26th**, **9am** - **3pm**.

Recovery Mass

October 12th @7pm
St John the Evangelist RCC
25 Ocean Ave
Center Moriches, NY 11934

Come experience a community of healing with others who are impacted by any type of addiction. Families are welcome! A reception, with resources to local agencies, will follow in the OLQA school cafeteria across the street from the church.

LOCAL LINK
WELLNESS CENTERS

If any individual or organization is looking to get involved or have a table to provide resources, please contact Alex Finta at afinta@sjecm.org or 631-878-0009 ext. 119.

SENIOR MINISTRY

Sister Ann Berendes, IHM—aberendes@sjecm.org + 631.878.0009, x. 127

Senior Ministry

These are just a few reminders for our new Senior Ministry:

- Tuesday, October 2, 11:00 a.m. "Joy of Movement" About 15-20 minutes, every Tuesday
- Wednesday, October 3, 1:00-3:00 Movie: Paul VI, The Pope in the Tempest
 October 17, 1:00-3:00 Movie: The Scarlet and the Black
- October 4, 4:00 p.m. "Bereavement Support" every week through Nov. 7th, skipping Halloween
- October 11, 25, "Sophia's Circle" at 10:00 (second and fourth Thursday)
- October 18 Jetferry from Orient Point to Mohegan Sun (poor weather date: Oct 22 Suggestion: car pool to Orient from Church parking lot

SJE WEAR

We have a limited number of SJE T-shirts, sweat-shirts and hats remaining.

You can pick one up at the Rectory during regular office hours.

Great Christmas gifts for early shoppers!



PRAYER AND WORSHIP

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Mondays—4 p.m. to 9 p.m.,

Thursdays—1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

SJE is privileged to have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Monday evenings and Thursday afternoons in Seton

Chapel. In the future, we hope to expand the days and hours we have Exposition in the parish.

Exposition in the parish.



For now, we need parishioners to commit to be present for Exposition. We have found a few times the

Blessed Sacrament is exposed and no one is in Seton Chapel or we could not start Exposition because no one had come. The Blessed Sacrament may never be left unattended when it is exposed on the altar.

Would you be willing to give an hour of your Monday evening or Thursday afternoon to sit in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament? If so, can you please contact Fr. John at jsureau@siecm.org or call at 631.878.0009.

Name	
Phone #	
E-mail	

Presently, we are seeking parishioners to remain in prayer:

___ Mondays – 4-5

__ Thursdays 3-4

__ Thursdays 4-5

We would like to consider a morning of adoration. Let us know if you would be free—likely 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.? What days would work for you?

GOLDEN WEDDING LITURGY

Honoring couples married fifty years or more.

• **Sunday, October 21**—Church of Christ the King, Commack (Must register by October 9th)

Litrugy will begin at 2:30 pm. Registration must be received by the Office of Worship by October 12th.

For more information, call Suzanne at 516-678-5800, ext.207

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 September Has been donated: In loving memory of Harry Holland.



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 Judy Paulsen at 631-878-5872 or Christine Cappiello at 631-757-9834 for more information. Come spread the love of Jesus with our Lady's help.

A ROSE RESERVED RESER

Queen of All Hearts Knights of Columbus Annual Memorial Mass

In honor of recently deceased members.

Mass will be held in the Seton Chapel **Thursday October 18th, 7 PM.**

This mass is open to all and will be celebrated by Knights of Columbus Chaplain Rev. James Leone

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

Reading I: Genesis 2:18-24 *The Lord creates woman.*

Responsorial Psalm: PS 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6

Second Reading: Hebrews 2:9-11

Jesus was made low to taste death for all people.

Gospel: Mark 10:2-16 or Mark 10:2-12 *Let the children come to me.*

Discussion Questions

- 1. Do you think the culture from which this story comes values women the same as men? Why or why not? What would you say to a person who thinks the superiority of men over women is divinely revealed in this text? What would you do if the women and men in your work place were not treated as equals?
- 2. Jesus consecrated himself to his Father and us along with him. He called us sisters and brothers. How does this create reverence toward our brothers and sisters? Do you treat the bag lady with the same respect that you treat the CEO?



Stewardship

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

• Psalm 116:2

Sunday 9/23/18: \$16,900 (2017: \$15,202) St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility: \$2,403 (2017: \$2,888)

Sunday, October 7 is Respect Life Sunday. As we celebrate Respect Life Sunday, we are reminded that the assaults on human dignity come in many forms. The Respect Life Office is charged with deepening our already strong commitment to pro-life activities and parish education. Please support this vital work through participation in the special Respect Life envelope collection. Your prayers and assistance are greatly appreciated.

MUSIC MINISTRY

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Director of Music Ministries

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Tess Austin + tessaustin1624@gmail.com **Stephanie Lengyel** + sllengyel@gmail.com

This Week's Music

Scheduled Hymns for 9/29 and 9/30

Entrance Hymn: #648, Come, Holy Ghost Preparation Hymn: #839, Blest Are They

<u>Communion Hymn:</u> #1029, I Am the Bread of Life <u>Closing Hymn:</u> #699, God Has Spoken by the Prophets

Adult Choir: Practice Tuesdays @ 7PM Children's Choir: Practice Tuesdays @ 6PM 5:30 p.m. Mass Band: Practice Sundays @ 4PM



"Do you love to sing? We are always looking for members for our choirs from our community - If you have a passion for making music with us at Church, please join us!"

PRAYING FOR AND WITH ONE ANOTHER

We Believe

Baptism incorporates us into Christ and forms us into God's people.
-Rite of Baptism, 2

Our Newly Baptized: Alena Juliet Taub, Olivia Marie Springer
Adam John Klein, Emilie Katherine Miller
Henry Michael MacKenzie

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 relationship between Christ and the Church."

-Pope Francis, The Joy of Love, 55

I. Stephen Bello, Jr and Roseann Marie Valenti
I. Akhil Patel and Renee Girard

I. Karl Gawarcchi and Mary Elizabeth Dimiceli

We Remember...

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

-Entrance Antiphon, Funeral Mass Donald F. Coleman, Rita Biss

We Pray...

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

Stephen Gaita, Stephen Schnell JoAnn Brandi, Nicole Henn

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

In your generosity, please pray for our parish family members serving 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 PVT Bailey Meyer SPC Kevin Arpino

US Air Force

SSgt. Jason M. Hermes SRA Ryan Kerstiens, SRA Timothy Kerstiens PFC Kyle Kerstien

US Marine Corps

Pfc Sean Brady, Patrick Kimes, Lt. Col. Robert K. Maldonado. L/Cpl. Quentin Montemarano LCL Andrew Schlosberg PVT Charles O'Connor

US Navy

STGCS Brian Holzmacher ET3 Jeremiah Nolan, Jr.

E3 Christopher J. Esposito Jr *like have someone serving in the milito*

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

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Monday Oct-1	arn—1st Floor Mtg. Room/RBUR—Upper	r Room
monuay, Octob	per 1, 2018	
6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
7:00 p.m.	AL-A-TEEN Meeting	RBUR
7:00 p.m.	CYO 7th Grade	School
7:00 p.m.	Level 7 Opening Prayer Service	Church
7:15 p.m.	Miraculous Medal Novena	Seton Chapel
8:00 p.m.	CYO 8th Grade	Auditorium
Tuesday, Octob	per 2, 2018	
6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
9:00 a.m.	First Aid/CPR Training	RBUR
9:30 a.m.	Bible Study	RBMR
6:00 p.m.	Children's Choir	Church
6:00 p.m.	CYO 4th Grade Girls	Auditorium
7:00 p.m.	Level 8 Opening Prayer Service	Church
7:00 p.m.	Divine Will Prayer Group	RBUR
7:30 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
Wednesday, Oc	ctober 3, 2018	
6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
9:00 a.m.	Thrift Shop Open	Thrift Shop
5:00 p.m.	1:8 Confirmation Preparation	School
6:00 p.m.	Cub Scout Pack 800	Cafeteria
7:30 p.m.	Boy Scout Troop 800	Cafeteria
Thursday, Octo	ober 4, 2018	
6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
4:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary	RBMR
5PM, 9PM	Street Ministry	Seton Chapel
6:00 p.m.	FF Home Study Book Pickup/Parent Meeting	School
6:00 p.m.	Blessing of Animals	Church
Friday, October 5, 2018		
6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
5:00 p.m.	K of C Bingo	Auditorium
7:00 p.m.	Spanish Prayer Group	Seton Chapel
7:00 p.m.	East End Holy Hour	Church
Saturday, Octo	ber 6, 2018	•
6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
8:00 a.m.	First Saturday Devotions	Cafeteria
9:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group	Seton Chapel
6:30 p.m.	Cub Scout Family Paint Night	Auditorium
Sunday, October 7, 2018		
6:30 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous	RBMR
	Alcoholics Anonymous (Men's)	RBMR

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	MASS SCHEDULE	
Monday, October 1, 2018 St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church		
7:00 a.m.	Matteo & Giovanna Knesich	
12 Noon	Jean Hansen	
Tuesday, October 2, 2018 The Holy Guardian Angels		
7:00 a.m.	Roy Probeyahn Jr.	
12 Noon	Karl Olga Mohr	
7:30 p.m.	Intention Still Available	
Wednesday Weekday	v, October 3, 2018	
7:00 a.m.	Joseph Doucette	
12 Noon	William Hansen	
Thursday, October 4, 2018 St. Francis of Assisi		
7:00 a.m.	Phyllis Bastone	
12 Noon	Mary Olive Hall	
Friday, October 5, 2018 Weekday Blessed Frances Xavier Seelos, Priest		
7:00 a.m.	Stanley Zurawski	
12 Noon	C. Thomas DeMasco	
Saturday, October 6, 2018 Weekday St. Bruno, Priest; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin		
8:00 a.m.	Marianne Schineis	
27th	Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Mass of An	ticipation	
5:00 p.m.	Dianna Nardone	
7:30 p.m.	Intention Still Available	
Sunday		
7:30 a.m.	Joseph & Margaret Thee	
9:00 a.m.	Ann Variale	
10:30 a.m.	Eugene and Kathleen Schulz	
12:00 p.m.	Margaret and James Finley	
5:30 p.m.	People of the Parish	