



SAINT JOHN *the* EVANGELIST  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

May 22, 2011  
*Fifth Sunday of Easter*

*Inaugural Crowning of Blessed Mother Sunday, May 15*

*W*e celebrated Mother's Day with the Inaugural Crowning of our new statue of the Blessed Mother on May 8. Twenty-four children participated in the actual ceremony. Nicholas Costantini was chosen to crown Baby Jesus and Brooke Bowen was chosen to crown the Blessed Mother. It was beautiful to see all the girls dressed in white wearing their first communion gowns and the boys looked so handsome in their suits. The children processed in and all those who participated wore a blue sash giving honor to Mary. After, the homily, the children were lead to the Blessed Mother by the altar servers and Kay Sanfilepo, Arts and Liturgical Environment.



"It is very exciting for me to be part of this beautiful event. I am especially excited for all the children to be part of this tradition here at St. John. I love Mary very much and as a mother, I call upon her often. It was so fitting to be crowning the Blessed Mother on the same day in which we celebrate all mothers," Charlene Youngs, Family Ministry Director, said.

The crowns will stay on Mary and Baby Jesus the entire month of May.

*Article submitted by  
Charlene Youngs,  
Family Ministry Director*

While processing to Mary, each child was handed a white rose that he/she would place by Mary. Fr. John then blessed the crowns and the crowning of both Jesus and Mary took place.

According to the Rite of the crowning of the Blessed mother, if Mary is holding baby Jesus in her arms, baby Jesus must be crowned first.

*Top: Fr. John blesses the crown. Top Left: Nicholas Costantini crowns Baby Jesus. Top Right: Brooke Bowen crowns Mary.*

— See more photos, page 8



## This Week's Mass and Liturgy Schedule

Mass for Deceased (+) and Special Intentions Requested by

<b>May 21, 2011</b>	<b>Saturday</b>		
8:00 AM	+ Youlio Families		Lee Youlio
<b>Vigil Services</b>			
3:00 PM	+ Howard Seeger		Mary Seeger
5:00 PM	+ Frank Milward		Mr. & Mrs. Pfau
<b>May 22, 2011</b>	<b>Sunday</b>		
7:00 AM	Sharon Ann John		Florence John
9:00 AM	+ Thomas Calandrucci		Dawn & Warren Tullin
11:15 AM	Parishioners		
1:15 PM	William Schultz		Joanie Schultz
5:00 PM	+ John Tobin		Bet & Jack Dewey
	Wine and Host in Honor of Father Michal Szyszka		
	– Mary Lou and Ned Leibig and Karen and Bill Wright		
<b>May 23, 2011</b>	<b>Monday</b>		
8:00 AM	+ John C. Kusnies		Joe Cannon
9:00 AM	+ Dave Robinson		M. Robinson
<b>May 24, 2011</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>		
8:00 AM	+ Anna Quinn		Joe Cannon
9:00 AM	Mirko Nadramia		Al & Marianne Lostaunau
<b>May 25, 2011</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>		
8:00 AM	+ Bob Graffy		Edwin Langhenry
9:00 AM	+ David Robinson		Anne & Jim Loftus
<b>May 26, 2011</b>	<b>Thursday</b>		
8:00 AM	+ James & Jessie Silva		Mother
9:00 AM	+ Fr. Dan Dymski		Florence DeRoches
<b>May 27, 2011</b>	<b>Friday</b>		
8:00 AM	Jeanine Cauldwell		Julie Dieter
9:00 AM	+ Joseph Patterson		Mr. & Mrs. Robert Curran
<b>May 28, 2011</b>	<b>Saturday</b>		
8:00 AM	Donald Hughes		Phil & Mickey Keating
<b>Vigil Services</b>			
3:00 PM	+ Othy, Robert & Annette Fink		Susan Stokes
5:00 PM	+ Frank Milward		Mr. & Mrs. Pfau
<b>May 29, 2011</b>	<b>Sunday</b>		
7:00 AM	+ William Reagan		Janet & Jim Meerdohl
9:00 AM	+ Ann Gilbert		Husband and Family
11:00 AM	Parishioners		
1:00 PM	+ Dave Robinson		M. Robinson
5:00 PM	+ Vince Schmitz		Paula & Tim Walsh

### SPECIAL OBSERVANCES AND READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Saturday, May 21, 2011**  
St. Christopher Magallanes and his Companions, martyrs  
Acts 13:44-52; Jn 14:7-14

**Vigil Services**  
Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33; 1 Pt 2:4-9;  
Jn 14:1-12

**Sunday, May 22, 2011**  
Fifth Sunday of Easter  
Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33; 1 Pt 2:4-9;  
Jn 14:1-12

**Monday, May 23, 2011**  
Victoria Day (Canada)  
Acts 14:5-18; Jn 14:21-26

**Tuesday, May 24, 2011**  
Acts 14:19-28; Jn 14:27-31a

**Wednesday, May 25, 2011**  
St. Bede the Venerable;  
St. Gregory VII;  
St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi  
Acts 15:1-6; Jn 15:1-8

**Thursday, May 26, 2011**  
St. Philip Neri  
Acts 15:7-21; Jn 15:9-11

**Friday, May 27, 2011**  
St. Augustine of Canterbury  
Acts 15:22-31; Jn 15:12-17

**Saturday, May 28, 2011**  
Acts 16:1-10; Jn 15:18-21

**Vigil Services**  
Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66; 1 Pt 3:15-18 or  
1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21 or Jn 17:1-11a

**Sunday, May 29, 2011**  
Sixth Sunday of Easter  
Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66; 1 Pt 3:15-18 or  
1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21 or Jn 17:1-11a

**PARISH INFORMATION**

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**Administrative Office Hours are:**

Monday - Friday

8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

(Office closed Noon - 1 p.m.)

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 8:30 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

(until all are heard)

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**Daily Mass:**

Monday-Friday

8:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.

Saturday - 8:00 a.m.

**Saturday Vigil Masses:**

3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.

**Sunday Masses:**

7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:15 a.m.

& 1:15 p.m.

**Contemporary Sunday Mass:**

5:00 p.m.

**Home Bound**

Eucharistic Ministers are available at any time to bring Holy Communion to the home bound.

**For Our Records**

We need your help to keep our records current. If there are any births, deaths, marriages, moves, etc. in your family, please notify the front office at (239) 566.8740 or email: [info@saintjohntheevangelist.com](mailto:info@saintjohntheevangelist.com)

Thank you!

**PRAYER GROUPS**

***Pray The Rosary & The Chaplet of Divine Mercy***

We pray every morning in the Church except Sunday. We begin at 7:15 a.m. and end just before the 8:00 Mass. Please join us. (We have printed guides with the prayers available.)

***Centering Prayer***

The Centering Prayer group meets weekly on Mondays at 5:30 p.m. in room 15 of the Claussen Center. The group also meets on Tuesdays after the 8:00 a.m. Mass (8:45 a.m.) in the Parish Library. Everyone is welcome. Vincent Cinque: 566.2937

***Divine Will Prayer Group***

Fridays at 9:45 a.m.: The Divine Will Prayer Group studies living the "Our Father" through the writings of Venerable Louisa Piccarreta. We meet in the Claussen Center. Please join us. Linda Reilly: 821.8982

***Liturgy of the Hours***

Members of the third order of our Lady of Mt. Carmel Lay Carmelites pray the Liturgy of the Hours after the 8:00 a.m. Mass.

***St. John Prayer Group***

St. John prayer group meets Wednesday mornings after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Linda Reilly: 821.8982

**PRAYER LIST**

***We remember those who have died recently, especially:***

Elizabeth Brady, Reginald Metcalf and Carol Sommers

***May they rest in eternal peace.***

***Let us pray for the sick of the parish, especially:***

Agnes Amato	Jerilyn Guise	Rev. Richard Mueller
Tony Amato	Raymond H.	Msgr. Lou
Dick Becker	Michael Hanrahan	Tyler Ostos
Matt Brown	Thomas Hartsell	Maryla Panagos
Patrick Cain	Frank Healey	Dolly Parker
Vivian Clements	Joe Hilberg	Judy Roth
Jordan Cole	Mary Charlotte Hollohan	Patricia Shannahan
Artie Corr	Margaret Mary Judge	Margaret Shea
Roberto Cuellar	Krista Kozowcyk	Alice Suki
Edward Czapla	Bill Lampe	Leonard Sbrocco
Julie Dieter	Mark John Lang, U.S.M.C.	Jeffrey Smith
Elsa Everstijn	Deacon Norman LaLove	Conchita Turros
Jennifer Fields	Jeanne Majeske	Robert Van Haften
Susan Gallaher	Bruce Metcalf	Bette-Joy Ziegler
Angela Gibson	Alex Moody	

**To submit a two-week prayer request call 566.8740, email: [info@saintjohntheevangelist.com](mailto:info@saintjohntheevangelist.com), or complete the form below and return to the parish office.**

***Please add to the PRAYER LIST***

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Please print first and last name

Requested by \_\_\_\_\_

Your Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



## Parish Clergy



Fr. John J. Ludden, *Pastor*

Fr. Len Gioeli Associate

Fr. George Hazler Weekend Associate

Deacon Hal Brenner

Deacon Robert H. Chalhoub

Deacon Frank Paniccia

Deacon Al Groh

## THROUGH THE DARKNESS BRING US TO THE LIGHT ...

*Please pray for the loved ones of our St. John community who are serving:*

**Bradley N. Chartier**

U.S. Army

**Sgt. Chris Counts**

U.S. Marine Corps  
(Serving in Afghanistan )

**PFC Anthony J. Diamante**

U.S. Army, serving in Ft Bragg, N.C

**Joshua Emmons**

U.S. Air Force

**Lt. Joseph Gilig**

1st Marine Division \* LAV Recon

**Spec. Adam C. Janes**

U.S. Army, Ft. Bragg, NC

**Lt. John Meyers**

U.S. Army

**LCpl. Randy A. Novak (USMC)**

**PFC. Ryan D. Novak (USMC)**

**Capt. Daniel Palmer**

U.S. Army, (Serving in Afghanistan)

**Lt. John Palmer**

U.S. Army, (Serving in Afghanistan)

**Lt. Martin Palmer**

U.S. Army, (Serving in Afghanistan)

**Capt. Oliver Schrang**

U.S. Army

**Capt. John Vrett**

U.S. Army, (Serving in Afghanistan)

## Sacraments of the Church

### *Sacrament of Baptism*

The Diocese requires that parents seeking baptism for their child attend a baptism preparation class. To schedule a baptism class, parents must be registered practicing members of St. John's for a minimum of two months. Classes are offered once a month and baptisms are celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month after the 1:00 p.m. mass. Please call the parish office to register for a class. Upon completion of the class and fulfillment of the godparent requirements, parents may schedule a baptism date.

*Welcome to all of our new parish families.*

## New Summer Mass Schedule for Daily and Sunday Masses

### *Daily Masses*

Times for daily Masses will change beginning Monday, June 6. Daily Mass Monday through Friday will be at 8:30 a.m. There will no longer be two daily Masses. Saturday Mass will be at 8:00 a.m. with confessions at 8:30 a.m.

### *Sunday Masses*

Times for Sunday Masses will change beginning Sunday, June 12. Sunday Masses will be at 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. with the Contemporary Mass at 5:00 p.m. Saturday vigil Mass times remain the same at 3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.

### *Sacrament of Matrimony*

Those who wish to be married in our parish must complete the Marriage Preparation Program. The Diocese requires a six month notice.

### *Anointing of the sick/funeral arrangements*

Call the parish office 566.8740. If the office is closed the answering machine will provide an emergency phone number for you to reach a priest.

### *Mass Cards*

Selections of cards are available in the parish office.

### *Mass Intentions*

We are currently accepting intentions for 2012.

### *Altar Flowers and/or Host & Wine*

We have 2011 & 2012 availability. Call or visit the office to offer the wine and host and/or the altar flowers in memory or in honor of your loved ones.

## St. John the Evangelist *Getting To Know You* NAME TAGS

For a minimal investment of \$5.00 you can buy a St. John name tag which will include: Your name and hometown city and state.

By wearing it to Mass and Church gatherings we will all get to know one another better. You can attach your payment with the order form below and drop it in the collection basket or you can make your payment when you pick up your tag.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Home Town City \_\_\_\_\_ Home Town State or Country \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE CIRCLE YOUR PREFERENCE for the backing: MAGNET or PIN

**NOTE: Those with a pacemaker/defibrillator should purchase the nametag with a pin backing.**

We will call you when your name tag arrives. You can pay for it when you pick it up if you have not already paid. Nametags will be in the Parish Office during regular staff hours: M-F 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

### Parish Contact Information

*Business Office is located in the PLC (behind the Church)*

#### **All Administrative Staff** 566-8740

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**General Manager**  
Scott Schlossberg: 566.1678

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**Administrative Assistant**  
Melanie Harrison: Ext. 127

**Secretary to the Pastor**  
Natalie Campbell: Ext. 134

**Pastoral Musician and Liturgist**  
Tom Oram: Ext. 179

**Choir Director**  
Ellie VanderMeuse

**Sacristan**  
Lorna Woosam: Ext. 133

**Communications**  
Kathy Sims: Ext. 128

**Memorial Garden**  
Scott Schlossberg: Ext. 114

**Religious Boutique**  
Marianne Brooks: 591.4668

**Nursery (Infant thru Pre-K)**  
Kelly Marie Heslin: 514.2937

#### **Education staff**

**Director of Faith Formation**  
Margie Lynch: 514.2927

**Administrative Assistant to the Director of Faith Formation**  
Shannon Gaeta: 514.2927

**Director of Youth Ministry**  
Brendan Budlong: 566.8740 Ext. 177

**Director of RCIA**  
Margie Lynch: 514.2927

**Preschool Director**  
Renee Dantonio: 325.2102

**Family Ministry**  
Charlene Youngs: Ext. 123

### *For Happily Married Couples*

Life has a way of overwhelming a marriage: jobs, kids, activities, errands. Before you know it, checking your e-mail is more important than carving out a date night. When you arrive for the weekend, you'll step away from daily life. Cell phones are turned off. To-do lists are forgotten and you'll find a warm, engaging environment that's all about making your good marriage GREAT.

The next weekends in this diocese are July 22-24 in Fort Myers and November 4-6 in Sarasota.

For more info, email [swflwme@yahoo.com](mailto:swflwme@yahoo.com); or call 458.8205 or visit [wwme.org](http://wwme.org)  
— Paul and Linda Mostek

### Support the Catholic Communications Campaign

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# SCOTT'S CORNER



Over my fourteen years at St. John the Evangelist, I have tried my best to follow the arrival and departure patterns of our seasonal residents. Many of these seasonal residents used to arrive in October to open their winter residences and then depart prior to Thanksgiving to spend the holidays with family, returning after the new year. Over the past five years

or so, this pattern has changed and many seasonal residents are now foregoing their fall arrival. While many of these seasonal residents own a home in Naples, a large number are renters and have contractual agreements for a set period of time. The most popular contract seems to be a three month rental, which generally encompasses the months of January through March. Some will adjust their stay based on Easter, which was extremely late this year. Departures or "the three exoduses" as I like to refer to them generally take place at the end of March, April and May. By the attendance in Mass this past weekend, I feel it safe to say that the second exodus is now complete. Although we had some very bad weather on Sunday morning, attendance at the morning Masses was sparse at best. I have always gauged the timing of departure patterns by the amount of "car carriers" seen on our local roadways. This indicator has now failed me as the cost to ship a vehicle north has increased substantially. One parishioner told me that the cost to ship a vehicle to New Hampshire (in an enclosed trailer) was in excess of \$1,700.00. That would be nearly \$3,500.00 round trip. They also said that the price was not fixed and based on the cost of fuel, could increase at the discretion of the hauling company. Other parishioners had suggested that they may hire someone to drive their car north and pay to fly them back as this was a less expensive option. With all of that said, it looks as though within the next couple of weeks, it will be just the year round residents remaining in Naples to enjoy the heat and humidity of summer. For those enjoying your final few weeks in paradise, we wish you a safe journey home and a wonderful summer. We look forward to seeing you again, either in the fall or early winter.

Demolition of our 21 year old street sign **DID NOT** begin this past week as I had suggested. Let us hope that the new sign will be installed this week. You have my apologies for the misinformation, yet this seems to be my trademark these days.

**This week I have included a picture of the clay rendering of the St. John the Evangelist miniature.** These miniatures (11"

x 5" x 5") will be great for your home or office. Our sculptor, Timothy Schmalz, is creating miniature replicas of all three pieces which we will offer for sale at \$35 each. There are very limited quantities (200) of each piece. If you would like to pre-order yours, please make your check payable to St. John the Evangelist with your sculpture(s) of choice in the memo line. You may drop your check in the collection basket or bring it to the front office. If the memo line isn't sufficient space, attach detailed information and place in an envelope. We expect delivery in mid to late September. We will notify you when the sculptures arrive.

We have reached the elusive 50% mark with regards to the 2011 Catholic Faith Appeal. We now have until the end of the calendar year to reach our goal of \$440,000.00. Due to a very large Easter gift to the CFA last year, we have fallen behind with regards to where we were at this time in 2010. Thank you to all who have given so generously to the CFA. We have a long way to go, but I am confident that we will prevail by December 31st.



**Triplet update.** My wife (Shelley) has officially reached 32 weeks of pregnancy which, according to our doctors, has been the goal since day one. Triplets typically deliver prior to 32 weeks. This past Friday will mark 33 weeks. We have appointments twice weekly to monitor the continued growth of our three little ones. While this is great news for the triplets, Shelley may think otherwise. As you can imagine, she is extremely uncomfortable and it seems that there is a "party" going on inside her belly 24 hours a day. This, combined with heartburn, shortness of breath and the inability to move about easily is making her long for their birth. For those of you who saw her before she went on bed rest, you may have noted that she does not look like she is pregnant with triplets. She has certainly not gained

the 50-60 pounds that the docs suggested she may during her pregnancy. It is literally "all babies" which is the main source of her discomfort as there is very little room to move around. The ultrasound technicians are now having a very difficult time doing their job because everything is so scrunched together in the womb. We are on a day to day and week to week basis now. Any abnormality they may find will result in the immediate birth of our little ones. I would like to wholeheartedly thank all of you that have included us in your prayers. The power of prayer goes without saying and we feel incredibly blessed to have so many of you thinking of us in ensuring that we have a successful pregnancy and subsequent birth.

Thank you so much for supporting St. John the Evangelist.

In His work together,

Scott Schlossberg, MBA  
General Manager

# Joseph Cardinal Bernardin and Centering Prayer

Joseph Cardinal Bernardin served the people of Chicago, IL, from 1982 to 1996. In his autobiography he wrote: “About seven years ago I came to understand that the pace of my life and the direction of my activity were unfocused in a significant way. This created a certain unrest in me. I came to realize that I needed to make some

changes in my life, and chief among these was a renewal of personal prayer.

Mention of prayer may evoke an image of ‘saying prayers’ or reciting formulas. I mean something quite different. When we speak of the renewal of prayer in our lives, we are speaking of reconnecting ourselves with the larger mystery of

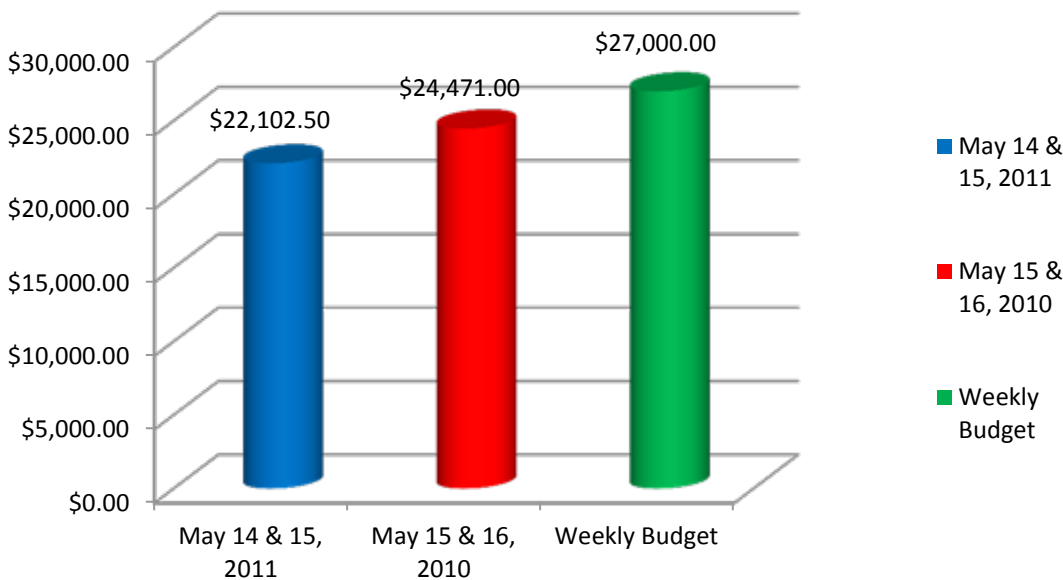
life and of our common existence. This implies becoming disciplined in the use of our time, in the use of Centering Prayer and in the development of a contemplative stance toward life.

When this happens, we begin to experience healing, integration, wholeness, peacefulness.

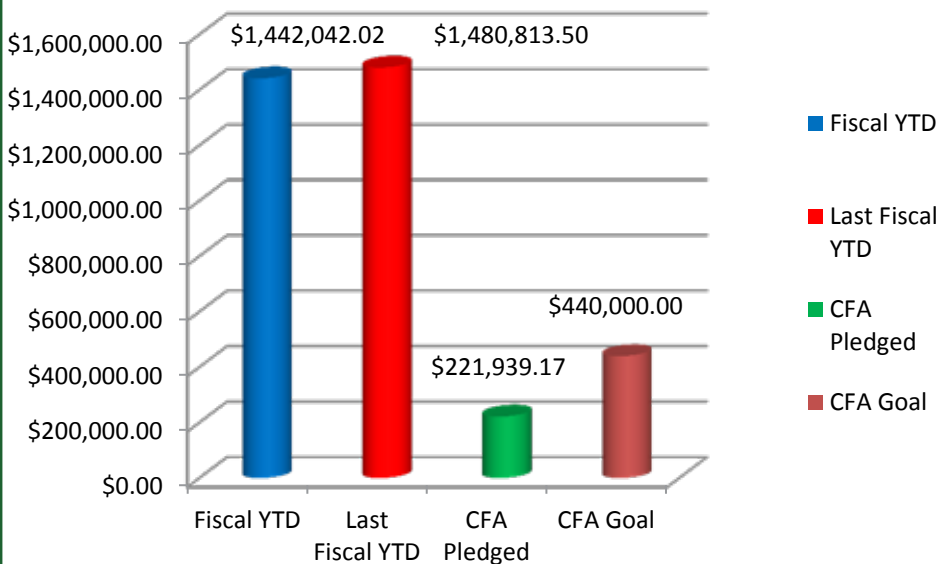
We begin to hear more clearly the echoes of the Word in our lives, in our own hearts. As that Word takes root in the depths of our being, it begins to grow and transform the way we live. It affects our relationships with people around us and above all our relationship with the Lord. From this rootedness flow our energies, our ministry, our ways of loving. From this core we can proclaim the Lord Jesus and his Gospel not only with faith and conviction, but also with love and compassion.”

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## Collection Summary



## YTD/CFA Summary





*Inaugural Crowning of Blessed Mother Sunday, May 15*



“I want to thank everyone who helped in making the Inaugural Crowning of our new Blessed Mother so beautiful. Especially, Anne Galt for making the cape and blue sashes for the children, Tricia Schwarz for making the beautiful cross cookies, Jim and Darlene Follese for helping to serve the cake, Lan Tran for making the flower arrangements, Brian Youngs for making the platform for the children to stand on and Kay Sanfelippo for all her help, wisdom and grace throughout the entire planning of this beautiful event.”

— Charlene Youngs, Family Ministry Director

*Left: Anne Galt, Natalie and Madison Campbell. Center: Tricia and Allison Schwarz. Far Right: Jim Follese.*

*photos by John Dina*







## OUR PARISH LENTEN PROJECT: MISSION BACKPACK UPDATE

**A Few Spots Still Available  
for those Wishing to Serve**

The Immersion programs of the Diocese of Venice offer the youth of our diocese exposure trips and volunteer opportunities as a way of introducing them to mission, cross-cultural engagement and to the realities of life in St. Lucia. The youth of our diocese will join priests and youth leaders from our diocese for what is sure to be a formative and transformative experience as they shadow established missionaries who work with the poorest of the poor and interact with the St. Lucian people. The experiences will allow our youth to come to a deeper understanding of the Gospel message.

Students currently enrolled in High School may apply to travel with the “Mission Possible” team to St. Lucia this summer. Please contact Elma McCaughey in the Mission Office at 941-625-4754. Currently, the deadline for the 2011 Mission Trip will be May 25th, 2011. Chaperone opportunities are available as well.

**“Go therefore, teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. And know that I am with you until the end of the age.”**

— Matthew 28:29-30

### Packing! Packing ! Packing!

We are busy packing the backpacks and preparing them to send to the children in the Caribbean. We have reached our goal and will be able to fill 1000 backpacks for children in the Caribbean! Thank you to everyone who worked so hard to make this possible! **In addition to the 1000 backpacks that we will send to the children in June, we hope to fill at least 50 backpacks for the teachers in the Caribbean. These backpacks will be tagged and prepared just for them. Please be generous and consider sending in supplies for these teachers. For those of you wishing to make a monetary donation, your checks may be made payable to St. John the Evangelist, with Mission Backpack in the memo line.** Thank you and God bless you!



### NEW for TEACHERS!

#### Suggested List of Supplies for Our “Mission Backpack”

##### Project for Teachers

Black, Red and Blue	Post-it Notes	Notepads
Pens	Dry Erase	Copy Paper
Glue Sticks	Markers	Envelopes
Adult Size Scissors	Sharpie Markers	Calculators
Graph Paper	Highlighters	Pack of Sharpened Pencils
Hand Sanitizer		Other Fun Teacher “Goodies”

— “With Christ as our core, we humbly serve others.” — **Mission Backpack Motto**



## Parish Ministries and Outreach Programs & Events:

<b>Altar Servers:</b> John Dina .....591-3662	<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b> Lou Altieri.....450-6004	<b>Ladies of Charity:</b> Valerie Matulis ..... 390-3545
<b>Arimatheans:</b> Virginia D’Agostino .....597-7687	<b>Greeters &amp; Ushers:</b> John Smith 598-2306	<b>Lectors:</b> Victor Yopez ..... 290-9090
<b>Arts &amp; Liturgical Environment:</b> Kay Sanfelippo .....949-7122	<b>Grief Support:</b> Dee Donnelly-McGrath..... 594-7193	<b>Daily Mass Lectors:</b> Rosemary Slevin..... 596-7057
<b>Calling &amp; Caring:</b> Deacon Al Groh .....566-8740	<b>Jamaica Mission:</b> Al & Ann Kerns .....514-1553	<b>Men’s Club:</b> Andy Sanfelippo.....949 7122
<b>Centering Prayer:</b> Vincent Cinque .....566-2937	<b>Knights of Columbus:</b> David Reis ..... 948-1083	<b>Prayer Group:</b> Linda Reilly.....566-8740
		<b>Respect Life:</b> Rosemary Erickson.....597-3941
		<b>St. Vincent de Paul:</b> Bill Smart...566-8740

### *Arimatheans*

A group of caring parishioners who wish to support their brothers & sisters in Christ, who have experienced the loss of a loved one, by attending the funeral as representation of our faith community. Virginia: 597.7687

### *Cursillistas*

Third Tuesday monthly at 7:30 PM: The Naples area Ultreya meets at St. William’s Ministry Center, Seagate Drive. All Cursillistas are welcome including visitors & seasonal residents.

Bob & Loretta Judy: 596.2291

### *The Circle of Comfort*

Are you or a loved one affected by cancer? We are a support team. Our mission is to help, encourage, pray, listen, laugh or whatever it takes to help each other live one day at a time. So for anyone who has been affected by cancer, let us share our journey of experience, strength and hope. We do not meet on a regular basis. If you can’t come to us, we will come to you. Call Jim or Darlene: 495.9741

### *Divorced and Separated*

Join us to accept, love and discover the person God creates us to be. The end of a marriage does not mean the end to our life. Always remember we are always welcome at our church and most important in our Lord’s loving arms. For more information call 200.8881

### *Families Helping Families*

Mondays at 6 p.m. A program for families with a member who has a problem with alcohol &/or drugs. This is a small group setting where we talk & answer questions.

Bill: 498.7523

### *Grief Support*

Sessions will be held at 10:00 a.m. in the Claussen Center on Thursday, May 26. Anyone in need of help after the loss of a loved one is welcome. Dee: 594.7193

### *Knights of Columbus*

Last Monday of every month: St. John K of C Officers. First Monday of every month: Regular meetings begin at 7:00 p.m. Visiting Knights are invited to join our Council meeting. 595.3713

### *St. John Nursery*

Available for the 3 & 5 on Saturday, & 9, 11, & 1 on Sunday. The nursery is located in the PLC. Children ages 1-5. Kellymarie: 514.2937

### *St. John Choir*

Wednesdays 6:00-8:00 p.m.

### *The Society of St. Vincent de Paul*

First and third Tuesday following the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Bill Smart: 566.8740

### *Knitting & Crocheting*

Tuesdays from 10:00-Noon: Want to learn? We are a service group that knits & crochets to benefit those in need: blankets for soldiers, hats for cancer patients, baby hats & booties, & prayer shawls. Anne Orem: 566.9636

### *Ladies of Charity*

The group meets monthly and volunteers in Immokalee schools, the Guadalupe soup kitchen and clothing bank and visits local nursing homes to assist residents who want to attend Mass. They are available to provide friendly visits and to perform simple errands for the elderly and homebound. Valerie Matulis: 390.3545

### *Mah Jong*

Wednesday, noon-3 p.m..Beginners welcome. Joan Scariotti: 594.0994

### *Maternity Outreach*

This ministry is for all new mothers in our parish. If you are a new or expectant mother & are interested in this ministry’s support or just for the fellowship & friendship. Tiffany Moody: 878.6809 or email: tmoody123@comcast.net.

### *Men’s Club*

Group of dedicated men – with the superb

assistance from their ladies – whose primary mission is to assist and pastor and the parish. Meetings are held the second Thursday of the month at 2:00 for about one hour. The next meeting will be Thursday, Oct. 13. New members welcome. Andy Sanfelippo: 949.7122

### *M.O.F.I.A.*

The group discusses the Holy Scriptures and its application to everyday life. Pizza, soft drinks, & a casual discussion group. Chet Lucarelli: 289.2807

### *Philothea*

Wednesday nights from 7-9 p.m Women ages of 20-45 meet to support & encourage one another through the joys & sufferings of their respective vocations as mothers, wives, & career women. This is a time to grow in fellowship with one another in & towards a greater relationship with Jesus, our Savior. Ruth Wardein: 398.4428 or email: redheded28@yahoo.com

### *Pinochle*

Tuesday, 1-4 p.m. Angie Cornelius: 498.4512

### *Religious Gift Shop*

**NEW SUMMER HOURS** effective until November 7: Saturday 2:00 p.m. -5:00 p.m., Sunday 7:45 a.m. -1:00 p.m. The shop is closed Monday through Friday. 591.4668

### *Sing-A-Long at Nursing Facilities*

I wish to thank all who supported this ministry this past season. Sing-a-longs at the local nursing homes and assisted living facilities will resume in October, 2011 through April, 2012. Schedules will be printed in the parish bulletin. Remember there are many in these places who would enjoy your joy-filled visit all year round. Jayne Potter: 597.5483.

### *St. John Sewing*

Sewing for Immokalee and Jamaica. Will return November, 2011.

## Father Michal Celebrates His First Mass at St. John

Fr. Michal Szyska will celebrate his first Mass on Sunday, May 22, here at St. John at 11:15 a.m.

“Today it is not easy to be a priest. But I am happy that God called me to his ministry, to serve Him and His people, to sacrifice myself for it,” Fr. Michal said. “Priesthood is wonderful; it changes your life because you are a different person – you are the priest.”

Fr. Michal will not give a homily at his first Mass. Instead, the vice director of Ss. Cyril and Methodius Seminary in Orchard Lake, MI, where he completed his studies, will address the congregation.

Following Mass, there will be a reception to honor Michal in the ballroom of the Parish Life Center. The reception is open to everyone who wishes to attend at no cost. Hors d’oeuvres (some with a Polish flair) will be served and a full bar will be available. There will also be a receiving line and a video presentation.

Michal’s mother, three sisters, three nieces and his brother-in-law are here to help Michal celebrate his ordination and first Mass.



The Knights of Columbus donated \$2,400 to help make this possible.

“The K of C regularly supports our seminarians and we felt it was very important that his family be here for his ordination. We have provided over \$10,000 of support to seminarians this past year,” Dave Reis, Knights of Columbus Grand Knight, said.

Fr. Michal is grateful for all the help he received on his journey to the priesthood.

“I would like to say thank you to everybody I met on my way to the priesthood – my parents, sisters, all my family and my friends who were and who are with me. Thank you for your prayers, generosity, kindness and for everything you did and do for me. God bless you!” he said.

Fr. Michal has not received his assignment from the Diocese. He will spend the next few days with his family. They will travel to Detroit and New York.

He may also be spotted around the parish campus until he receives his assignment.

*The clergy, staff and parishioners of St. John the Evangelist extends the very best to Fr. Michal*



*Far Left: Bishop Frank J. Dewane, Deacon Michal, Fr. John and Fr. Patrick DuBois, of Tribunal Office, following Michal’s ordination to a transitional deacon. Immediate Left: Michal with Bishop Frank J. Dewane at his transitional deacon ordination in December in Venice.*



## St. John the Evangelist Early Learning & Childcare Center

This past week in PREK3 was a busy one. We started our week with the last school Mass day for this year. We were busy making a Mother's Day craft for our Moms. The children made a teapot and attached a teabag to give their mothers a relaxing day. They were so proud of these. We have been busy learning new songs for the end of year program and just enjoying our last days in PREK3. We are happy to have had our volunteer Alice join us on Fridays this year. She helped us during our outside play time and at snack time. Thanks, Alice! The class was very excited when Isaiah lost his first tooth on the playground. We looked everywhere for it but couldn't find it. No worries, the tooth fairy still visited his house! We look forward to the summer and wish you all a blessed end of school year!



Charlie with Show and Tell



Isaiah after losing his tooth



Alice with PREK3 Class

*For more information or to schedule a tour...*

**Call: (239) 325-2102**

**E-mail: [renee@saintjohntheevangelist.com](mailto:renee@saintjohntheevangelist.com) • Web: [www.saintjohntheevangelist.com](http://www.saintjohntheevangelist.com)**

## Fr. John to Host Second Irish High Tea June 22

Fr. John will host the second Irish High Tea for 40 of St John the Evangelist parishioners with a question and answer period covering The Catholic Faith and St. John the Evangelist Church.

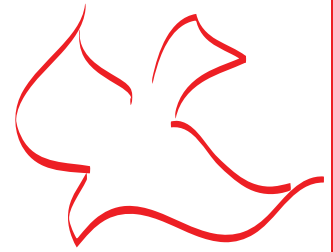
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The second Irish High Tea will be Wednesday, June 22, from 2:30 - 4:30 p.m. in the St. John Library. It will be open seating.

Tickets are \$10.00 and are available in the parish office. Men and women are both invited to the tea.

### *Wear Red on Pentecost Sunday, June 12*

Pentecost Sunday - June 12 is the great feast that marks the birth of the Christian Church by the power of the Holy Spirit. Pentecost means "fiftieth day" and is celebrated fifty days after Easter. Red is the liturgical color for this day and it is encouraged that the faithful wear red to Church that day. Red is symbolic of the love of the Holy Spirit and recalls the tongues of flame in which the Holy Spirit descended on the first Pentecost. The color red also reminds us of the blood of the martyrs. These are the believers of every generation who by the power of the Holy Spirit hold firm to the true faith even at the cost of their lives.



## Irish High Tea with Fr. John

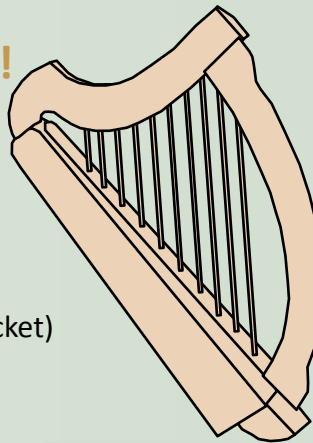
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All Men & Women Invited!

Bring this form to the  
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Limited to 40 tickets



Ticket # \_\_\_\_\_



Wednesday,  
June 22, 2011

2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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### Questions for Fr. John: (about our Church, our Parish, our Faith)

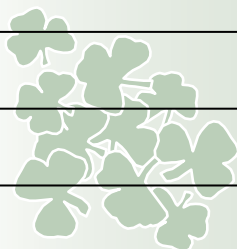
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Kyrie & Gloria *Mass of Light*

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Response

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Gospel Acclamation *Mass of Light*

## Preparation

### Better Is One Day

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v.1) How lovely is your dwelling place,  
 O Lord Almighty  
 For my soul longs and even faints for you  
 For here my heart is satisfied, within your presence  
 I sing beneath the shadow of your wings *(to Chorus)*

v.2) One thing I ask, and I would seek:  
 to see your beauty  
 To find you in the place your glory dwells  
*(repeat, then Chorus)*

Better is one day in your courts, bet-ter is one day in your house, bet-ter is  
 one day in your courts than thou-sands else-where; — Bet-ter is one day in your courts, bet-ter is  
 one day in yourhouse, better is one day in yourcourts than thousands elsewhere; — than thousands else-where. —

Bridge) My heart and flesh cry out, for you, the living God; Your Spirit's water to my soul  
 I've tasted and I've seen, come once again to me; I will draw near to you, I will draw near to you, to you

Sanctus *Mass of Light*

Memorial Acclamation *"Dying you destroyed our death..."* *Mass of Light*



Great Amen *Mass of Light*  
 Agnus Dei *Mass of Light*  
 Communion Song **505 Behold the Lamb** Martin Willett  
 Meditation / Blessing **Hungry** Kathryn Scott

*Verse 1* *Verse 2*  
 Hungry I come to you for I know you satisfy Broken I run to you for your arms are open wide  
 I am empty but I know your love does not run dry I am weary, but I know your touch restores my life  
 And so I wait for you; so I wait for you (*chorus:*) And so I wait for you; so I wait for you (*chorus:*)

I'm fall - ing on\_\_\_ my knees,\_\_\_ of - fer - ing all\_\_\_ of me.\_\_\_\_  
 Je - sus,\_\_\_ You're all\_\_\_ this heart\_\_\_ is\_\_\_ liv - ing for.\_\_\_\_

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I'm tra - ding\_\_\_ my\_\_\_ sor - rows,\_\_\_ I'm tra - ding\_\_\_ my\_\_\_ shame,\_\_\_  
 I'm tra - ding\_\_\_ my\_\_\_ sick - ness,\_\_\_ I'm tra - ding\_\_\_ my\_\_\_ pain,\_\_\_  
 I'm lay - ing\_\_\_ them down for the joy of\_\_\_ the Lord.  
 Yes, Lord, yes, Lord, yes, yes, Lord! Yes, Lord, yes, Lord, yes, yes, Lord!  
 Yes, Lord, yes, Lord, yes, yes, Lord, a - men!\_\_\_



*Bridge*) Oh, I am pressed, but not crushed, persecuted, not abandoned,  
 struck down, but not destroyed.  
 I am blessed beyond the curse for his promise will endure  
 that his joy's gonna be my strength!  
 Though the sorrow may last for the night,  
 his joy comes with the morning!



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Sanctus *Mass of Light*

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**Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Easter Flower Fund**

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 Kennedy, John, Sr. & Agnes  
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 Lafferty Family  
 McCann Family  
 Michaels Family  
 Miller, Grayson  
 Miller, T. A.  
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 Pambello Family  
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 Serkerski, Marie  
 Sholette, Patrick

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Note: These names were not included in the firstlist published in the May 8 bulletin. Please accept our sincerest apologies for any names that are misspelled. In some cases it was difficult to read the handwriting and we made every effort to look up names, where possible, and verify the spelling.

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*Knights Of Columbus Seeking New Able Bodied Members*

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This is a challenge that is being put before all able bodied men of our church.

The Knights Of Columbus Council 11281 works within the Church of St. John The Evangelist.

The Founder of The Knights, Father Michael J. McGivney, obviously had a vision when he called a meeting in October, 1881.

The purpose of the group was to help Catholic

men remain strong in their faith, promote fraternity among these men and to establish a program to provide for widows and children if the bread winner passed away.

The Knights of Columbus has over 1.5 million members in 12,000 Councils all over the world.

What a proud Catholic man you will become upon joining our fraternity.

Are you up to helping in your spare time, helping others?

If you are, please contact Jim Folllese at 495.9741 or [jdfollese@comcast.net](mailto:jdfollese@comcast.net)



## St. John the Evangelist Vacation Bible School Volunteer Form

Please mail to:

Jasmine Dina 7121 Timberland Cir. Naples, FL 34109

Phone: 239-289-0585

Or email: [vbs@saintjohntheevangelist.com](mailto:vbs@saintjohntheevangelist.com)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Crew Leader (must be at least 14 years old) \_\_\_\_\_ Jr. Crew Leader (must have completed 5th grade)

\_\_\_\_\_ Station Leader/Helper. Please Circle all that applies: Crafts Games Food Set up PandaMania Party

Would you like to work with the preschoolers (4 and 5 years old) Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Does Not Matter \_\_\_

**All crew leaders and Jr. Crew leaders must attend a training meeting prior to VBS - time TBD and be able to serve from 8:45 AM to 12:15 PM on all 5 days of VBS, June 13th - 17th**

Full Time Volunteers who are serving all 5 days will receive a PANDAMANIA Volunteer Shirt.

Please **Circle** your shirt size: Adult - SM MED LG XL

### PART TIME VOLUNTEERS

Please indicate which days you will be available. (Circle All That Apply) M T W TH F

We will be contacting you to place you in a needed position, Thank you.

The nursery will be provided from 8:30am - 12:15pm each day of VBS for PANDAMANIA Volunteers Only. All nursery children must be registered on this form so we can be ready for them.

If yes, please indicate: Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Names of your children registered for VBS	Age	Do you want to be their Crew Leader?
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| 1. _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 2. _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 3. _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 4. _____ | _____ | _____ |

Names of your children who are applying to be Jr. Crew Leaders	Age	Would you like to be paired together?
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|----------|-------|-------|
| 1. _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 2. _____ | _____ | _____ |





**St. John the Evangelist Vacation Bible School  
Registration Form  
June 13-17 from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.**

**Please fill out a form per child registering** (age 4 years to 5<sup>th</sup> Grade)  
**Attach \$25 Tuition per child** (checks payable to St. John the Evangelist)

Mail to:  
Jasmine Dina, 7121 Timberland Circle, Naples FL 34109 Phone: 239-591-3662

Name of Child \_\_\_\_\_

Parish your family is registered with: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade in School: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: M/F \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

In Case of Emergency, Contact: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies or Medical concerns: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you want any of your family members grouped together? (Crew leader, Jr. Crew leader, siblings) Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_  
Elementary and preschool children do not travel together.

Any special needs your child might have that you would like us to take into consideration \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size :( Circle one) YXS (4-6) YSmall (6-8) YMed. (10-12) YLarge (14-16) Adult Small  
*Please note: when ordering shirts, they may run small!*

Pre-order your music this year!! **Sing & Play Party Time** – DVD \$15.00 and CD \$10.00  
# \_\_\_\_\_ DVD # \_\_\_\_\_ CD please *pre-pay & add amount to registration tuition.*

**Mission Backpack**

**Thank you to all the families that helped us reach our goal to collect 1000 Backpacks for the kids in schools on the Island of St. Lucia. Our Challenge now is to fill these backpacks with supplies.**

**Would you consider donating:**

Your own supplies by dropping them off at the church's office

\$5 or  \$10 to purchase school supplies

*Please pre-pay & add amount to registration tuition.*

**VBS PandaMania Family Night, June 17th 6:00 p.m. in PLC**  
**VBS Family Mass, June 19th at the 11:00 a.m. Mass in church**



## Out and About The Diocese Of Venice The Mustard Seed Tidbits



### Respect Life License Plates

You can replace your current tag with the Choose Life specialty tag at any time. The plate costs \$25 a year above the normal cost of renewing your plate; \$20 of that amount is a tax deductible



donation that helps women making an adoption plan in your county. To participate, take your current vehicle registration and proof of insurance to your local county tag office and tell them you want to switch to a Choose

Life license plate. For further information, please contact the diocesan Respect Life Department at 941.441.1112.

### 40 Days for Life Spring Campaign in Naples

Special thanks to everyone who participated in the 40 Days for Life Spring Campaign in

Naples. This was the largest 40 Days for Life campaign ever – with people praying for an end to abortion in 247 cities in 9 countries.

40 Days for Life is a community-based campaign that recognizes abortion as a local problem, and you have shown a willingness to act on your faith and to be the local solution. Please continue your prayers and join those faithful people praying each Monday, abortion day at Planned Parenthood, between 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

## Honor Our Own Dottie Farrell at the Liberty Ball!

Each year our 4th Degree of the Knights of Columbus Assembly honors all veterans of our military services. At this celebration (Annual Liberty Ball), we also recognize several veterans who served with distinction in combat areas.

This year we are honoring three such heroes. One of the heroes to be honored, Dottie Farrell, is from our parish. Dottie has been an active member of St. John the Evangelist since the earliest days of the parish. She served as an Army nurse during World War II. Dottie arrived in France shortly after D-Day, June, 1944 and served in, or near, combat zones throughout France and Germany until the end of the war. At the end of the war, she served as Orthopedic Nursing Supervisor in an Army Hospital in

Munich, Germany until December, 1945.

First Lt. Farrell has been awarded a variety of medals and citations for her service in the Mediterranean & European War Zones. We invite you to come and honor Dottie and veterans of all wars.

The location of the Liberty Ball is rotated each year among four area parishes. This year the celebration will be held Friday, July 1 at the new St. Leo the Great Parish Life Center.

See details for this event in a corresponding ad on page 21. Come and join us as we honor Dottie. It is a patriotic evening of entertainment, dinner and dancing.

*Article submitted by the 4th Degree Knights of Columbus*

### Ladies of St. John Luncheon May 25 at Plantation Club

Ladies of St. John Luncheon will be held May 25 at the Plantation Club at the Dunes, located at Vanderbilt Beach Dr., north of Bluebill on the left.

Please arrive at 11:30 a.m. Luncheon is \$15.00, all inclusive. Make your check payable to: Mary Haynes and mail with your reservation to: Mary Haynes, 5907 Three Iron Drive, #2303, Naples, FL 34110. Deadline for reservations is May 20.

To cancel, please call Barbara Fenn, 261.1894.

### Last Call to Purchase Sunday Newspaper May 29

May 29 will be the last opportunity to purchase the Sunday newspaper at St. John following the Masses. This summer hiatus will continue from June through August 2011.

Our senior volunteers are becoming fragile and ailing. We are in desperate need of younger parishioners to continue this ministry on behalf of Habitat for Humanity in the fall.

Can you spare 15 or 20 minutes following the Mass you attend on Sundays? If so, call Joan at 594.0994.

### Volunteer Opportunity

You can make a difference in our community by teaching English to fellow residents.

You don't need to speak another language nor have teaching experience. The Council will train you in a Tutor Training Workshop. Volunteer commitment is an hour twice a week. Our two day workshops are held at The Literacy Council offices at 26820 Old 41 Rd. in Bonita Springs. Materials used in teaching cost \$50.

Call the Council for more information or to register: 676.5202.

AN INVITATION TO ALL!!

Join us for an evening of fun and entertainment  
as we honor all veterans at our

*11th Annual Liberty Ball!!*

**“A CELEBRATION OF PATRIOTISM”**

*FRIDAY, JULY 1, 2011*



6:00 - 10:00 p.m.

at St. Leo the Great Catholic Community  
Parish Life Center



*Dinner with Open Bar  
Past Heroes Honored  
Presentation of the Colors  
Military Drill Exhibition*



*Dance to the Music of Tony Avalon*

**Tickets: \$30 per person. Available in your parish office.**

*Tables of 8 available.*

Dress Code: Smart Casual

*(4th Degree Knights - Tuxedo & Baldric)*

*Hosts for the Evening: 4th Degree Knights of Columbus*

*Our Lady of the Rosary Assembly #2542*



## First Annual Parish Winter Cruise

### January 21, 2012 – January 28, 2012



Join Father John Ludden and your fellow St. John the Evangelist parishioners on a 7-day fun and sun vacation to the western Caribbean. Forget the cold and snow. Forget rain and clouds. Sail with us to a place where the sun most always shines, the breeze is gentle, and the air is always warm! Your cruise will start in Ft. Lauderdale and visit Grand Cayman, Roatan Honduras, Belize City, Cozumel Mexico, and return to Ft. Lauderdale. Cruise fares start at \$840.00 pp and include all port charges, taxes, and transfers. With a deal like that, how can you lose??

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Check upcoming bulletins for information on our Spring Cruise in April, 2012, aboard the Celebrity Equinox...[www.saintjohntheevangelist.com](http://www.saintjohntheevangelist.com)

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