SAINT JOHN the EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

To Know, To Love, and To Serve God in His Church and Our Community.

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54 Sealed with the Gifts of the Holy Spirit

On April 21st, 54 of our youth received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Candidates prepared for the sacrament by attending two years of Faith Formation, attending Mass together, and participating in retreats and service opportunities. Each candidate chose a Confirmation Sponsor to accompany them on the journey, as well as a Confirmation Saint to learn about and look to for inspiration. Bishop Frank Dewane presided, and it was a beautiful ceremony! Congratulations to all our Confirmandi and to their parents and catechists who supported them in their journey of faith! We look forward to seeing our youth involved in our parish as they are the future of our church!



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The Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

A Prayer for World Peace

Dear God, thank You for all creation. In the spirit of Jesus of Nazareth and all teachers of peace who inspire the many faith traditions, help me and all the people of the world learn how to replace hate, war, oppression, and division with love, peace, freedom, and reconciliation. Help me to embody Your love in my relationships with my family, friends, strangers – even my enemies. I commit myself to this sacred task throughout my life. So let it be. Amen.

Parish Information

MASS SCHEDULE AND INFORMATION

Mass times are:

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saint John the Evangelist offers the healing sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) in the church confessionals on Monday and Wednesday after 8:30 a.m. Mass, and Saturday at 8:30 a.m. and 2:00-2:45 p.m.

Monday - Friday

8:30 a.m. (will also be live streamed)

Saturday

8:00 a.m., 3:00 p.m., and 5:00 p.m. (3:00 p.m. will also be live streamed)

Sunday

7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., and 5:00 p.m. (9:00 and 11:00 will be live streamed)

Administrative Office Hours:

Monday - Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Divine Gift Boutique Hours:

Saturdays 2:30 p.m. – 6:15 p.m. Sundays 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church 625 111 • Avenue North, Naples, FL 34108

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PARISH REGISTRATION

Parish Registration Forms are available on the tables in the church narthex, in the parish office and on the website: **www.sjecc.com.**

Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 30, 2022

Paul Hardebeck 8:00 a.m.

(Viail Masses for Sunday)

3:00 p.m. Michael and Angela Rose Carolla

5:00 p.m. Roman Wieland

Sunday, May 1, 2022

Christopher Xzavier Palleta 7:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m. Elizabeth Buckman 11:00 a.m. SI For Our Parishioners

1:00 p.m. SI Blake Family

Margaret and Sheila Duff 5:00 p.m.

Wine & Host SI Kathy Whittaker

Monday, May 2, 2022

8:30 a.m. + Timothy C. Pollard

Tuesday, May 3, 2022

8:30 a.m. Lopez Family

Wednesday, May 4, 2022

8:30 a.m. Jack Nalipinski

Thursday, May 5, 2022

8:30 a.m. Ronald O'Keefe

Friday, May 6, 2022

+ Terrance Fox 8:30 a.m.

Saturday, May 7, 2022

+ John and Elizabeth Griffin 8:00 a.m.

(Vigil Masses for Sunday)

3:00 p.m. Tom Erbland Robert Sherwood

5:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 8, 2022

7:00 a.m. + Ioanne Mattioli

9:00 a.m. Giuseppe Nardulli and

Anna Colonna

Ellie DeuLin 11:00 a.m.

SI For Our Parishioners 1:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m. Karl Wettels Requested By

Barbara J. Hardebeck

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mello

Janice Wieland

Requested By

Suzanne Donnelly

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Powers

Gloria Blake

Eliabeth Scott

Barbara Sullivan

Requested By

Alexis Pollard

Requested By

Henry DeGenova

Requested By

Donald and Joan Hammel

Requested By

Claire Conger

Requested By

Janis Bolbrock

Requested By

Peter and Joan Griffin

Carol Erbland

Vincent and Ann McMullin

Requested By

Vivian Cassata

Anna Nardulli and Family

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Powers

Pat and Ed Leggett

Readings for the Week

Saturday, April 30, 2022

[Saint Pius V]

Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21 (272)

Sunday, May 1, 2022

Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Rv 5:11-14/

Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14 (48) Pss III

Monday, May 2, 2022

[Saint Athanasius]

Memorial

Acts 6:8-15/Jn 6:22-29 (273)

Tuesday, May 3, 2022

[Saints Philip and James]

Feast

1 Cor 15:1-8/Jn 14:6-14 (561) Pss

Prop

Wednesday, May 4, 2022

Acts 8:1b-8/Jn 6:35-40 (275)

Thursday, May 5, 2022

Acts 8:26-40/Jn 6:44-51 (276)

Friday, May 6, 2022

Acts 9:1-20/Jn 6:52-59 (277)

Saturday, May 7, 2022

Acts 9:31-42/Jn 6:60-69 (278)

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, please call the office at (239) 566-8740.

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. *Tricia Schwarz: tricia@sjecc.com.*

Anointing of the Sick/Funeral Arrangements. Call the parish office. If the office is closed the answering machine will provide an emergency phone number for you to reach a priest.

Ministries and Prayer

Prayer + +

Arimatheans. Arimatheans attend funeral Masses and memorial services to provide support and compassion. Please contact Ann Petrillo: 239.248.2189

Jamaica Outreach Program. JOP provides goods, food, medical-vision-dental services, education, and basic support to improve the lives of the poor in Jamaica. We welcome new volunteers. For more information, contact Jeanne Stamant Pittman: 239.248.3248 or info@jamaicaoutreach.org

Knights of Columbus. At St. John, Knights serve parish ministries, sponsor parish events and help with special projects. They support our clergy, fund parish equipment, assist in events for our youth and help the less fortunate. You can learn more about the parish K of C Council on our website https://11281.knights.church_or contact us, at info@kofccouncil11281.org or leave a message at 239.228.3938, and we'll respond promptly. Fourth degree Knights can find information about our Assembly at https://3308.patriotic.degree.

Meet Our Ministries

Knitting & Crocheting. Meets year-round on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. in classrooms 3&4 in the Parish Activity Center. No experience necessary. Make baby and children's items, prayer shawls, nursing home and elderly blankets. Contact Sharon Camp: 239.438.7867 or sharon@naples.net

Ladies of Charity. Our motto is to serve rather than to be served in humility, simplicity, and charity. We strive to serve the poor, sick, and marginalized in our community. Membership is open to any Catholic woman. For more information, please contact Karen Kaspar at kcmk77@aol.com or 216.496.7414.

Sewing Ministry. Sewing Ministry meets to sew for needy children on Wednesdays from 12:30 to 3:30 in the Parish Activity Center, rooms 1 and 2. Donations, both monetary and of fabrics and supplies are welcome. If you like to sew we encourage you to come and see what we are all about. Please call either Barbara Arthur at 239.250.4162, email Bka1678@hotmail.com or Phyllis Crivelli 973.710.6347, email jandpcrivelli@gmail.com before coming to make sure we are meeting that day.

The Society of St. Vincent DePaul. We give glory to God by offering direct/inhome help to anyone in need within the boundaries of our parish. Our work spans fighting food insecurity, keeping families in their homes, and a wide variety of special projects and programs focused on helping our neighbors address difficult challenges. We meet the FIRST and THIRD Tuesdays of every month at 9:00 a.m. in the Rome Room. Contact Gerrit Schutte: gsstjohn@svdpnaples.org.

Women of the Word (WoW). We welcome any woman of any age to study our faith using the Bible and other Catholic writings in a non-judgmental, supportive community. Thursday 9:30 a.m. Contact Nancy Bouchard: 443.498.8452 or wow@siecc.com

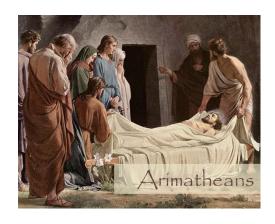
THE HOMEBOUND MINISTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP!!!

The Homebound Ministry needs volunteers who would be willing to bring Holy Communion to people in their private homes and in some of the facilities that are covered by SJE during the summer months. Many of our EMEs are returning to their northern homes soon and we will need EMEs to visit the people they are currently serving. Anyone who is here during the summer and may be interested can pick up a volunteer packet in the Parish Office. You must be fully vaccinated. Please contact Lisa Godlasky at Lisa@sjecc.com if you have questions.



Ministry Members Needed

The Arimatheans of St. John the Evangelist Church need you! Arimatheans attend funeral Masses and memorial services to provide support and compassion. If you would like to join this group, please contact Ann Petrillo at 239.248.2189.



Ministries and Prayer

SOCIAL GROUPS

- Boy Scout Troop 226 St. John the Evangelist. Prepare boys to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law. Meets on Mondays at 6:45 p.m. in the Alexandria Room. scoutmaster@troop-226.com
- Cub Scout Pack 226 Chartered at St. John the Evangelist. Provide families with an opportunity to raise their young boys in the way of Jesus and through the formative values of Scouting. Meets on Mondays at 6:00 p.m. Contact Melissa Wychocki: mwychocki@gmail.com.

SUPPORT GROUPS

- AA Robert: 239.287.2442
- Adult Children of Alcoholics Tom Mooney, 239.287.0195
- Al-Anon For meeting locations and times, call 239.263.5907 or visit www.NaplesAl-Anon.org
- Food Addiction Support Group Maryann Scandiffio, 239.784.2682
- Sunset Coast NA 239.451.3275
- Gambler's Anonymous 855.222.5542
- Recovering Couples Anonymous Britta: 239.348.5031 or Roger: 239.250.6888

PRAYER GROUPS

- Pray the Rosary & the Chaplet of Divine Mercy Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy are recited every day starting 50 minutes before Mass begins, Monday through Saturday. Summer Schedule at 7:40 a.m., Winter Schedule at 7:10 a.m. Maria Desa: 239-529-7611
- Cenacle of Life Prayer Group Rosemary Erickson: 239.250.0432
- Centering Prayer/Lectio Divina Mondays at 5:00 p.m. via Zoom. Kathleen Dunne: kadunne61@aol.com, 901.574.2947
- Liturgy of the Hours: Call the Office: 239.566.8740
- Pray the Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Novena: Every Saturday immediately after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Allan Degnan: 239-919-4465

Public Prayer for God's Mercy on America & Prayer for Ukraine

Held on the last Saturday of the month (through June 25th) from 10:00-11:00 a.m. - US 41-east side, just north of Pine Ridge

For your comfort, please bring a folding chair and shade umbrella. Signs are welcomed. For more information, email: world5433@gmail.com

PRAYER FOR THE MILITARY

Please pray for our loved ones who are serving in the military:

- **Adam Decker Nick Detloff**
- SSG Douglas Hennessy
- Marine Colonel Brian Howlett
- Lt. Col. Scott Huber USAF
- PV2 Alexander McMickle Ft. Eustis, VA
- Hunter Scalzo Army Ranger with 1st Division & 75th Infantry
- Col. Brian Murphy
- Lt. Col. Jill Murphy
- Sgt. Larry Oldenburg US Army Cpl. Derek Perez - US Marine Corps
- Austin Spagnola

- Staff Sgt. Andrew Zecchino -USAF, Turkey
- Lt. Stephen English US Army
- Capt. Connor Tourek USMC Lt. Brendan Tourek - USN
- Capt. Gregory Sacenti US Army Daniel Petito – US Army
- PFC John Dyer US Army Germany
- Drew Kendall Seamen US Navv
- ENS Tanis K. Taylor US Navy, USS Sullivans
- Sophie Koeppl

Anne Sissman

- Austin Zicht USAF, Germany
- Brendan C. Finnegan-USAF

We remember those who have died recently. May they rest in eternal peace. Frances Stang

PRAYER LIST

Liz Hunziker

Molly and Randy Anton Iosephine Apricena Dexter Aumiller Tony Aumiller Babies Ralph and Charlie Sam Ballachino Jennifer Basile . Ralph Belmore Linda Berry Larry Biela Boxer Bernie Boyle Therese Braiz Kent Brase Isabella Bucca Connie Cahill Camp Family

Dick and Betsy Canny Paula Cantoni Hortencia Victoria Arbocco Carrillo Chris Leonora Coleman Paige Coughlin Cosme Cruz Margaret Cunnane Anne Cunningham Brad Cunningham Ann Curran Curran family

Janet D'Addario . Eileen Norma DaSilva Mark Davey Iulie DeArmas . Vickie DeFrancisco Nicki DeVries Vincent DiStefano Eileen Elkin Escobar Melanie F. Lori-Jo Fergie The Fewell Family Follese and Fiedler Families Anna Focht Dylan Fowler Jim Gallager Sandra Geffert Fr. Len Gioeli Joann Golia Florence Gordon Richard Granger Harry Grevey Jessica Gary Karen Gross Cody Harrison Gavle Harvey Rosemary Heyen Amy Hilliard

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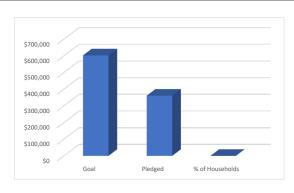
Clyde Smatlak Amy Sobie Pamela Solomon N. J. Spriggle George Stash Ruth Stefanek Julian Stickney Jeanne Stoll Brendan Sullivan Diane Sweeney Joan Marie Switalski Terry Kathleen Trotter Beth Tze Pavel Ushakov Vlada Ushakova Nicole Vander Horst Michael Venardi Joann Vullo Noah Wagner Elaine Wilkinson Joey Wisniewski Harry Witt Randy Witt S.J. Zarebi Carol Zolan

CIFAL 2022

Dear Parish Family,

Our CFA goal this year is \$603,000. We ask that you prayerfully consider contributing. Your gift to the 2022 Catholic Faith Appeal will continue to make a difference in supporting the charitable and pastoral initiatives in the Diocese of Venice.

To give, please take a contribution envelope from the CFA table in the Narthex. You can also give directly on the Diocese of Venice website: dioceseofvenice.org/ways-to-give/cfa/ or scan the QR code below:





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11.23%







Pledging your gift may allow you to make a more generous and affordable contribution to the CFA. The pledge can be spread out over several months. You may pledge with an initial payment while the remaining balance can be donated at any time during the next nine months. The Diocese will send you monthly reminders.

WAYS TO GIVE

Check: payable to the Catholic Faith Appeal

IRA: If you are over the age of 70 1/2, you may donate up to \$100,000 per year from your Individual Retirement Account tax free to a charitable cause. Spouses may also participate to the same level if they have a separate IRS, giving married couples the opportunity to donate up to \$200,000. The funds must be paid directly to the CFA from your financial advisor in order to qualify.

<u>Credit or Debit Card</u>: Send us the information via the pledge card or visit www.dioceseofvenice.org

Gift of Securities: Federal law allows a charitable deduction for the full market value of the appreciated securities on the date of your gift.

CFA Supports

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Since the Beginning of Covid:

3,436,221

Pounds of Food Distributed

In Addition,
Numerous
Parishes
Distributed Food
Throughout
the Diocese

27,473

Hot Meals Served to the

Hungry and Impoverished

314,645

Individuals
Served

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Venice, Inc. seeks to

serve the most vulnerable in our community. Services focus on helping people move from crisis to stability and growth.

Through programs such as Our Mother's House and the Judy Sullivan Family Resource Center, Catholic Charities strives to meet the needs of families by providing housing to homeless mothers and their children; food for children on the weekend; and financial assistance with transportation, rent, utilities, and daycare. Thereby, guiding families on a path of

self-sufficiency.

For the aging population, the Golden Gate Senior Center is available for daily hot lunches, socialization, recreation and mental health counseling.

Throughout the Diocese, housing is offered to low-income seniors, veterans, migrant farm workers, and low-to-moderate income families. Transitional and emergency shelter is also available for families in crisis.

The Clothing Room provided by Guadalupe Social Services is open to anyone in the Immokalee community to shop once per month from items that have been donated. The same site also offers *The Shower Program*, where the chronically homeless individuals may receive a change of clothes, hygiene products, and access to clean showers.

Children who are disadvantaged and struggling with reading may participate in the *After-School Reading Program*. This individualized reading program is available to students in kindergarten through fifth grade. Free books are given each year to encourage a bridge of literacy between home and school.





Gospel Reflections

Gospel Reflections with Father Tom

Ancient Jewish Rabbis used to teach that every story in Scripture contained four meanings: a literal meaning, a symbolic meaning, an intended meaning, and a personal meaning.

First, the literal meaning is simply what the gospel story says. Sometimes it is not always clear what a particular story is saying. In today's gospel, however, this isn't the case. It's perfectly clear what the story was saying. In fact, the story is one of the best known narratives in the New Testament. The second meaning is the symbolic meaning. The chief symbolism seems to center around Jesus' question to Peter, which Jesus repeats three times: "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" What symbolism is contained in this threefold question that Peter seemed to find so embarrassing? Many believe the repetition is related to Peter's threefold denial of Jesus on the night of Jesus' arrest. They see Peter's threefold affirmation of love, "Lord, you know that I love you," as erasing his threefold denial of Jesus. In other words, it allows Peter to make amends for his past and to redeem himself.

This brings us to the third meaning: the intended meaning. Why did John relate this incident? What did he intend to communicate to us? A footnote in the New American Bible points out that the First Vatican Council cited Jesus' threefold response to Peter the authority and responsibility to succeed him as chief shepherd of the flock. In other words, Jesus' threefold response to Peter reaffirmed the decision Jesus had made earlier concerning Peter, when he said, "You are Peter, and upon this Rock I will build my Church . . . I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven. Jesus could have reversed that decision, saying to Peter, Simon, I had great leadership plans for you, but you denied me three times. You failed under pressure. So I'm taking away your leadership role and giving it to someone else." But Jesus didn't do that. Rather, he reaffirmed his decision to make Peter the chief shepherd of his flock.

This brings us to the final meaning: the personal meaning. This is the meaning that the gospel story might hold for the attentive reader. In other words, God can use a Scripture passage or story to speak to us in a personal way. For example, take the episode in today's story, where Peter says that he fished all night but caught nothing. Jesus then tells Peter to try again. Peter does, and the result is amazing. He and his helpers catch so many fish that they need another boat to help them. What personal meaning might we draw form this episode? Consider: Novelist A.J. Cronin says that he nearly gave up his writing career before he ever got started. Halfway through his first book, Hatter's Castle, which was eventually translated into 19 languages, Cronin says that he threw



his pen down and tossed his half-finished manuscript into an ash can. Then he went outside into the rain and went for a long walk down a lonely rural road in Scotland. He hadn't walked far when he came upon an old farmer ditching a field. The sight of that old farmer, working all alone in the rain, inspired Cronin to retrieve his manuscript form the ash can and try again. Years later, when Cronin became famous, he credited his career to the farmer who inspired him to try again after he had given up the first time around. I would like to think that Christ spoke to A.J. Cronin through the farmer ... something similar to what he said to Peter: "Recast your nets, Peter, and try again." I would like to think that by his unsuccessful first attempt, Cronin learned what Peter learned. He failed the first time because he had been working alone, without the help of Jesus.

Prayers

Penitential Act

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,

through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault;

therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Communion Prayer

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

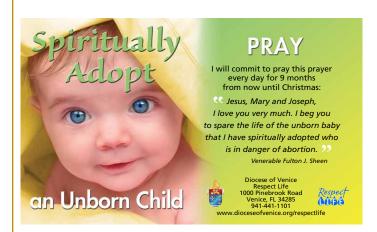
The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living, and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins,
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the
life of the world to come. Amen.



Catholic Prayer for Ukraine

O Lord our God, look down with mercy on the Ukrainian people. Protect and save them from the unjust aggressors who seek to subdue them. Grant them steadfast trust in your mercy and protection. O Mother of God, who gave us your miraculous icon at Zarvanytsia, intercede for the Ukrainian people, who run to the shelter of your mercy in their times of need. O Lord Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Grant peace and protection to the people of Ukraine. Give them strength and courage to defend what is good, right, and holy. Keep them safe from harm and provide for all their needs, both temporal and spiritual. Hear our prayers, O Lord, and deliver us from distress, for You are merciful and compassionate and love mankind. To You we give glory: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and ever. Amen.

Readings for the Third Sunday of Easter

Reading I Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41

When the captain and the court officers had brought the apostles in and made them stand before the Sanhedrin, the high priest questioned them, "We gave you strict orders, did we not, to stop teaching in that name? Yet you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and want to bring this man's blood upon us." But Peter and the apostles said in reply, "We must obey God rather than men. The God of our ancestors raised Jesus, though you had him killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as leader and savior to grant Israel repentance and forgiveness of sins. We are witnesses of these things, as is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him." The Sanhedrin ordered the apostles to stop speaking in the name of Jesus, and dismissed them. So they left the presence of the Sanhedrin, rejoicing that they had been found worthy to suffer dishonor for the sake of the name.

> **Responsorial Psalm** Ps 30:2. 4. 5-6. 11-12. 13

R (2a) I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me. I will extol you, O LORD, for you drew me clear and did not let my enemies rejoice over me. O LORD, you brought me up from the netherworld; you preserved me from among those going down into the pit.

R I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me. Sing praise to the LORD, you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name. For his anger lasts but a moment; a lifetime, his good will. At nightfall, weeping enters in, but with the dawn, rejoicing.

R I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me. Hear, O LORD, and have pity on me; O LORD, be my helper. You changed my mourning into dancing; O LORD, my God, forever will I give you thanks.

R I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

Reading II Rev 5:11-14

I, John, looked and heard the voices of many angels who surrounded the throne and the living creatures and the elders. They were countless in number, and they cried out in a loud voice: "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor and glory and blessing." Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, everything in the universe, cry out: "To the one who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor, glory and might, forever and ever." The four living creatures answered, "Amen," and the elders fell down and worshiped.

> Alleluia Jn 20:29

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Christ is risen, creator of all; he has shown pity on all people.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

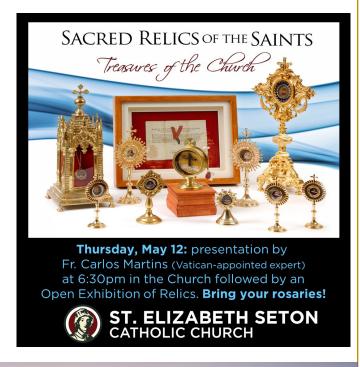
At that time, Jesus revealed himself again to his disciples at the Sea of Tiberias. He revealed himself in this way. Together were Simon Peter, Thomas called Didymus, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, Zebedee's sons, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We also will come with you." So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. When it was already dawn, Jesus was standing on the shore; but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, "Children, have you caught anything to eat?" They answered him, "No." So he said to them, "Cast the net over the right side of the boat and you will find something." So they cast it, and were not able to pull it in because of the number of fish. So the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord." When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he tucked in his garment, for he was lightly clad, and jumped into the sea. The other disciples came in the boat, for they were not far from shore, only about a hundred yards, dragging the net with the fish. When they climbed out on shore, they saw a charcoal fire with fish on it and bread. Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish you just caught." So Simon Peter went over and dragged the net ashore full of one hundred fifty-three large fish. Even though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, "Come, have breakfast." And none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they realized it was the Lord. Jesus came over and took the bread and gave it to them, and in like manner the fish. This was now the third time

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Jesus was revealed to his disciples after being raised from the dead. When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?" Simon Peter answered him, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." He then said to Simon Peter a second time, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" Simon Peter answered him, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep." Jesus said to him the third time, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, "Do you love me?" and he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep. Amen, amen, I say to you, when you were younger, you used to dress yourself and go where you wanted; but when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will dress you and lead you where you do not want to go." He said this signifying by what kind of death he would glorify God. And when he had said this, he said to him, "Follow me."





Faith, Family, & Financial Security

Join us for an Open House at St. John The Evangelist Catholic Church on 05/02/2022 at 7:00 p.m.

This truly will be a must-attend event!

The focus of the Open-House will be to educate families about our history, programs, and the financial benefits that come with membership in the Knights of Columbus.



Join us for an evening of fun, faith, and fraternity.
Food and beverage will be provided!!

R.S.V.P at www.openhouse11281.flkofc.com

Hymns for the Third Sunday of Easter May 1, 2022

Opening Hymn: Three Days

Responsorial Psalm: I Will Praise You, Lord

Gifts: The Summons

Communion Songs: The Supper of the Lord, Gift of Finest Wheat

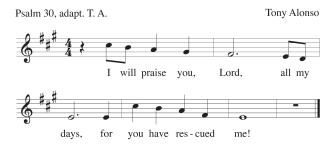
Closing Hymn: Alleluia, Alleluia

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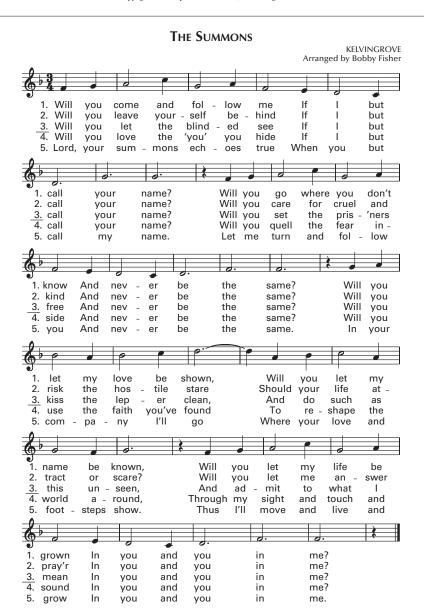


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I WILL PRAISE YOU, LORD



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Join us for a very special Encounter on the Mountain: First Friday Praise and Adoration on Friday, May 6, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. in the church or online at sjecc.com.

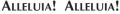
Our theme of the evening is "Jesus, I Trust in You," and we will be singing the Divine Mercy Chaplet. we will also have confessions throughout the evening. This is a special night of encountering our Lord's mercy with praise and worship music, singing the Divine Mercy Chaplet as a parish family.

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Mass Worship Aid +++

5:00 p.m. Mass Music Worship Aid – Sunday, May 1, 2022 The Third Sunday of Easter

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Verse 1): Water you turned into wine, opened the eyes of the blind; There's no one like you, none like you

Verse 2): Into the darkness you shine, out of the ashes we rise; There's no one like you, none like you (Chorus)



Bridge): And if our God is for us, then who could ever stop us? And if our God is with us, then what could stand against? (repeat, then back to Chorus)

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Verse): My Jesus, my Savior, Lord, there is none like you! All of my days I want to praise the wonders of your mighty love. My comfort, my Shelter, tower of refuge and strength, Let every breath, all that I am, Never cease to worship you!

Chorus): Shout to the Lord, all the earth, let us sing. Power and majesty, praise to the King! Mountains bow down and the seas will roar At the sound of your name! I sing for joy at the work of your hands, Forever I'll love you, forever I'll stand; Nothing compares to the promise I have in you!

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Verse 1): When the music fades, all is stripped away and I simply come; longing just to bring something that's of worth, that will bless your heart

Pre-Chorus): I'll bring you more than a song, for a song in itself is not what you have required. You search much deeper within, through the way things appear—you're looking into my heart...

Chorus): I'm coming back to the heart of worship, And it's all about you, all about you Jesus. I'm sorry Lord, for the thing I've made it, When it's all about you, all about you, Jesus.

Verse 2): King of endless worth, no one could express How much you deserve; Though I'm weak and poor, all I have is yours, ev'ry single breath.

Verse 3): And as I receive your Body and your Blood, given up for me; Take me as I am, call me to the Feast—say the word, I'm healed—

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Verse 1): Worthy is the Lamb Who was slain. Holy holy is He. Sing a new song to Him Who sits on Heaven's mercy seat

Chorus): Holy holy Is the Lord God Almighty Who was and is and is to come. With all creation I sing Praise to the King of kings. You are my ev'rything And I will adore You.

Verse 2): Clothed in rainbows of living color Flashes of lightning rolls of thunder. Blessing and honor strength and glory And power be to You the only wise King.

Verse 3): Filled with wonder awestruck wonder At the mention of Your name. Jesus Your name is power breath and living water Such a mary'lous mystery yeah.

Clusing Song

Because He Lives (Amen)

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Verse 1): I believe in the Son. I believe in the Risen One. I believe I overcome By the power of His blood.

Chorus): Amen amen. I'm alive I'm alive because He lives. Amen amen. Let my song join the one that never ends. (Because He lives)

Verse 2): I was dead in the grave. I was covered in sin and shame. I heard mercy call my name. He rolled the stone away.

Bridge): Because He lives I can face tomorrow. Because He lives ev'ry fear is gone. I know He holds my life My future in His hand

Ending): Because He lives









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JOP recently funded an improved quality of life and overall health of the indigent, elderly residents at Antonino Gabriele Village in Kingston, Jamaica. This elder village was built in 2009 by donors from St. John the Evangelist who contributed to "Father Tom Glackin's Village" upon his retirement. It was designed to serve the impoverished elderly people that were living in squalor with no one to care for them, right outside St Anne's Catholic Church in Kingston.

JOP provides residents with a washing machine, utilities, and food. Before this grant, the laundry space was an area in the yard with a single wash tub, where residents washed their clothes by hand, which is difficult for the elderly. Nerissa (a local volunteer) shared with us the effort she must go through to bring even a little food to the residents: "It's painful to see them not having a meal sometimes. ...When vendors in the market have leftovers that are about to spoil, I usually go through them and see what I can salvage and take them here to prepare meals. ..."

Future needs include support for food, caretakers, utilities and repairs. JOP hopes to be a major donor to this project.

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