

# SAINT JOHN *the* EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

*the* **EAGLE**

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FREEDOM  
WEEK



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FOR ALL

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Grant, we pray, O heavenly Father, a clear and united voice to all your sons and daughters gathered in your Church in this decisive hour in the history of our nation, so that this great land will always be "one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all." We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



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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:

### 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.

### 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.

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## PARISH CLERGY AND MINISTERS

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Fr. Arun Paul, Associate

Fr. Len Gioeli, Retired

Deacon Hal Brenner, Senior Status

Deacon Frank Paniccia, Senior Status

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## PARISH REGISTRATION

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# Mass Intentions

## Saturday, June 25, 2022

8:00 a.m. + Jadwiga and Joseph Kopaoz  
(Vigil Masses for Sunday)

3:00 p.m. + Norma Ulam

5:00 p.m. + Louise and Lambert Abell

## Sunday, June 26, 2022

7:00 a.m. + Albert, Velma and Suzanne Moran

9:00 a.m. + Charles and Robert Bouchard

11:00 a.m. + Antonio and Hiverica Pardo

1:00 p.m. SI For Our Parishioners

5:00 p.m. + Margaret and Sheila Duff

## Monday, June 27, 2022

8:30 a.m. + Patrick Skruck

## Tuesday, June 28, 2022

8:30 a.m. + Bob Nolan

## Wednesday, June 29, 2022

8:30 a.m. + Stanley Lech

## Thursday, June 30, 2022

8:30 a.m. + Craig Mazzio

## Friday, July 1, 2022

8:30 a.m. + Debbie Knoche

## Saturday, July 2, 2022

8:00 a.m. + Richard Garbinsky

(Vigil Masses for Sunday)

3:00 p.m. + Ron Kintup

5:00 p.m. SI Margo Buttino

## Sunday, July 3, 2022

7:00 a.m. + Charles Palumbo

9:00 a.m. + Victoria Martin

11:00 a.m. SI Mary Beth and Chris Kerner

1:00 p.m. SI Andrew McManus

5:00 p.m. SI For Our Parishioners

## Requested By

Halina Moskwa

Mr. and Mrs. John Skubick

Kathy and Bob Sims

## Requested By

Mary and Jim Moran

Mary Kanamine

Maria Pardo-Calijeno

Elizabeth Scott

## Requested By

June and Vincent Falcone

## Requested By

Jack and Connie Kindsvater

## Requested By

Edzien

## Requested By

Brad Campbell

## Requested By

Michele Murtagh

## Requested By

Fr. Len

Ann and Gregg Agens

Mr. and Mrs. Kuranth

## Requested By

Flo Donohue and John Tully

John Martin

The Family

Family

## Readings for the Week

### **Saturday, June 25, 2022**

The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Memorial*

Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19 (376)/Lk 2:41-51 (573)

### **Sunday, June 26, 2022**

**The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/Gal 5:1, 13-18/Lk 9:51-62 (99) Pss I

### **Monday, June 27, 2022**

[Saint Cyril of Alexandria]

Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Mt 8:18-22 (377)

### **Tuesday, June 28, 2022**

[Saint Irenaeus]

*Memorial*

Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Mt 8:23-27 (378)

### **Wednesday, June 29, 2022**

[Saints Peter and Paul]

*Solemnity*

Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 (590)

Day: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt

16:13-19 (591) Pss Prop

2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Mt 7:15-20 (373)

### **Thursday, June 30, 2022**

[The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church]

Am 7:10-17/Mt 9:1-8 (380)

### **Friday, July 1, 2022**

[Saint Junípero Serra]

Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Mt 9:9-13 (381)

### **Saturday, July 2, 2022**

[BVM]

Am 9:11-15/Mt 9:14-17 (382)

This weekend, the Diocese of Venice will have a special **Peter's Pence** collection, which supports the charitable work of Pope Francis. Please prayerfully consider supporting this year's collection and join our brothers and sisters in Faith from around the globe to help those in need.

## 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

## Meet Our Ministries

**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](mailto: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](mailto: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>.

**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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:Bka1678@hotmail.com) or Phyllis Crivelli 973.710.6347, email [jandpcrivelli@gmail.com](mailto: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/in-home 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@svdpneples.org](mailto:gsstjohn@svdpneples.org)

**Safe Environment Training** - As part of the Safe Environment Program, the Diocese of Venice requires that all employees and those volunteers who work with children and/or vulnerable adults be fingerprinted and complete online training in Safe Environment prior to beginning employment or volunteering. For further information, please visit: <https://dioceseofvenice.org/offices/programs/safeenvironment/>. Report any abuse against minors to the Florida Department of Children and Families at 800-962-2873. Further, if Diocesan personnel or volunteers are involved, also notify the Diocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator, Susan Benton, at 941-416-6114.

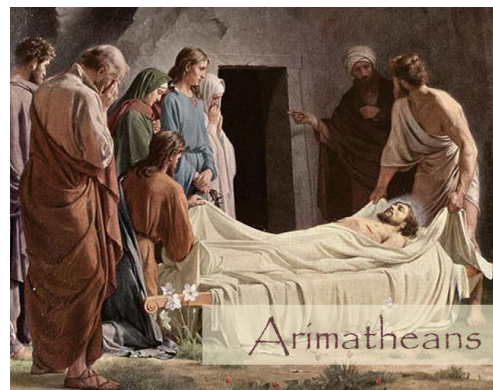
### THE HOMEBOUND MINISTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP!!!

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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:mwychocki@gmail.com).

## 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*

## 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](http://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 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 Navy
- **LTJG Tanis K. Taylor** – US Navy, USS Sullivans
- **Sophie Koeppel**
- **Austin Zicht** – USAF, Germany
- **Brendan C. Finnegan** – USAF

*We remember those who have died recently. May they rest in eternal peace.  
John Bove, Peg Buckley, Randall Every, Daniel Frank Fitapelli, Joan Maier, and Anna Mullen*

## PRAYER LIST

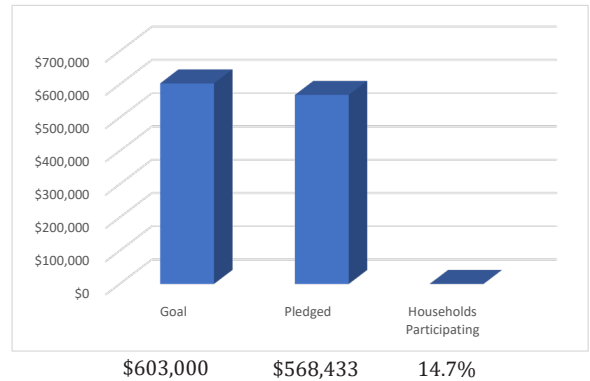
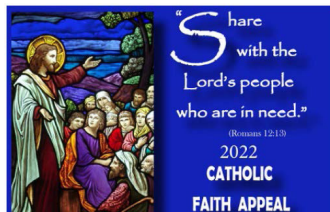
Declan Aigner	Paige Coughlin	Richard Granger	Tracey Kirk	Marylee Olsen	Joan Marie Switalski
Molly and Randy Anton	Cosme Cruz	Harry Grevey	Liz Knott	Kathleen O'Donnell	Terry
Josephine Apricena	Margaret Cunnane	Jessica Gary	Jeffrey Kostiw	Joseph Pandolfo	Kathleen Trotter
Dexter Aumiller	Anne Cunningham	Lisa Ann Granger	Kathie Kotscher	Eric Parker	Beth Tze
Tony Aumiller	Brad Cunningham	Karen Gross	Brady Koza	Ryan Paul	Pavel Ushakov
Allison Avery	Ann Curran	Gary Gwizdala	Richard C. Kruger	Bill Payne	Vlada Ushakova
Babies Ralph and Charlie	Curran family	Cody Harrison	Judy Kruzich	Adolfo Peters	Nicole Vander Horst
Kim Bach	Elisa D.	Gayle Harvey	Barbara Kuryea	Raymond Placencia	Michael Venardi
Sam Ballachino	Janet D'Addario	Don Herring	Rene Lacoste	Dennis Powers	Joann Vullo
Carolyn Bashaw	Eileen Norma DaSilva	Rosemary Heyen	Jack and Kay Lain	Amrita Rashmi	Noah Wagner
Robert Bashaw	Mark Davey	Amy Hilliard	Shanna Lee	Maria Recchia	Elaine Wilkinson
Jennifer Basile	Julie DeArmas	Robert Hilliard	Michele Loggi	Vicki Reza	Harry Witt
Kurt Becker	Nicholas DeCanto	Marie Hotle	Paul Lombard	Danica Roy	Randy Witt
Ralph Belmore	Nicki DeVries	Liz Hunziker	Janet Lombardo	Frank Ryan	S.J. Zarebi
Linda Berry	Vincent DiStefano	Sianead Hyland	Teresa Lozano	Peggy O'Neil Saba	Carol Zolan
Larry Biela	Tim Dodd	John Michael Jannusch	Bob Lutz	Lisa Sanfelippo	
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Bernie Boyle	Melissa Eckenrode	Megan Johnson	Deborah Marsh	RC Schmidt	
Therese Braiz	Michele Eddy	Kennedy Johnston	Ruth Martin	Anne Sissman	
Kent Brase	Eileen	Ophelia Joy	Donna Masse	Kyle Sitarz	
Isabella Bucca	Elkin Escobar	Robert Kaliebe	Janice McCarthy	Clyde Smatlak	
Connie Cahill	Melanie F.	Shawn Kay	Catherine McCusker	Robert and Kathleen Soares	
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Dick and Betsy Canny	Follese and Fiedler Families	Doris Lloyd	Andrew McManus	Pamela Solomon	
Paula Cantoni	Anna Focht	Harry J. Lonergan	Rebecca McManus	N. J. Spriggle	
Hortencia Victoria Arbocco	Dylan Fowler	Susan McKeever	Bishop Burchell McPherson	George Stash	
Carrillo	Jim Gallagher	Caroline Lansing Kelly, MD	Thomas and Michael Miller	Ruth Stefanek	
Pauline Cataldo	Sandra Geffert	Marion Kelly	Eileen Miner	Julian Stickney	
Chris	Fr. Len Gioeli	Dolores Kernochan	Carrie Nudd	Jeanne Stoll	
Lorraine Ciano	Joann Golia	Nancy Kiel	James Oko	Brendan Sullivan	
Leonora Coleman	Florence Gordon	Elizabeth Kiffney	Francisco Basielio Oliveira	Diane Sweeney	

# CFA 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/](http://dioceseofvenice.org/ways-to-give/cfa/) or scan the QR code below:



## St. John the Evangelist Staff News

**Funeral Mass for Vicki Brenner** - The Mass of Resurrection for Vicki Brenner, Deacon Hal's wife, will be held at 10:00 AM on Saturday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> at St. John the Evangelist Church. She will be interred in the Memorial Garden. A reception will follow in the Ballroom.

**St. John the Evangelist remembers Peggy Buckley**  
Peggy Buckley passed away peacefully on June 10, 2022. Peggy was a former Sacristan and an active member of our Parish community. She will be dearly missed by her friends, family, and all of us at St. John the Evangelist. Funeral services will be private.

**New Communications Coordinator, Dominic Bozza**  
Please join us in welcoming new staff member, Dominic Bozza. Dominic recently graduated from FGCU with a degree in Communications. While in school, Dominic did several projects and internships in his field, including one here at St. John's. Dominic will tell our story through social media, technical, and visual communications. When asked what he hopes to accomplish here, Dominic said, "One of my goals is to spread our mission beyond this campus and hopefully reach someone who is searching for a new Catholic Church community to call home."

## Prayer for Safety In Hurricane Season

O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed Your order and returned to its former quietude. You are still the Master of land and sea. We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control: the Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awake from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land, and spread chaos and disaster. During this hurricane season we turn to You, O loving Father.

Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with passing of time. O Virgin, Star of the Sea,

Our beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son on our behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your Divine Son to reach the heavenly Jerusalem, where a stormless eternity awaits us.

Amen.

## Gospel Reflections with Father Tom

Irish writer Frank O'Connor recalls vividly the night he finally decided to become a writer. He had lost his job with the Great Southern Railway and had no money. His neighbors regarded him as a mad good-for-nothing. Nevertheless, he gave his first public reading of something that he had written.

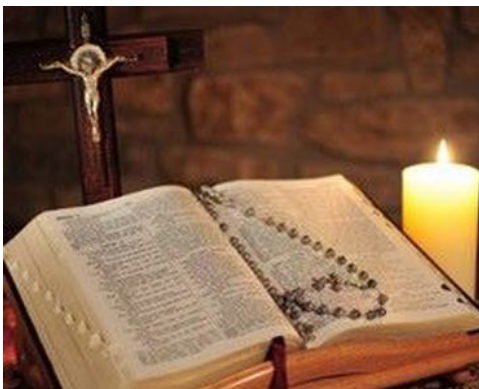
What mattered was the act of faith, the hope that somehow, somewhere, I would be able to prove that I was neither mad nor a good-for-nothing; because now I realized that whatever it might cost me, there was no turning back. When as kids we came to an orchard wall that seemed too high to climb, we took off our caps and tossed them over the wall, and then had no choice but to follow them. I had tossed my cap over the wall of life, and I knew I must follow it, wherever it had fallen.

In the Gospel Jesus dealt in a somewhat similar fashion with three would-be followers who came to Him. He said, 'No one who puts a hand to the plough and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.' He was highlighting the need for commitment, and saying that there could be no turning back. If you wish to plough a straight furrow, you must give your undivided attention to what you are doing. If you keep on looking back you won't do a good job. You need dedication and commitment. If you begin such a task, you should give it your all.

All of us have put our hand to some "plough" or other. Young people to their studies ... husbands and wives to their marriage ... priests to their ministry ... to mention just a few. And in baptism we have put our hands to another plough – the following of Christ, or discipleship.

If we keep on looking back our attention will be divided. So too will our energy. We won't be fully committed. We will be half-hearted. We are likely to lose time, to lose sight of our goal, and be tempted to turn back or even quit altogether. To look back suggests that we are having second thoughts, and perhaps doubts and regrets. Perhaps we are finding the cost too high. Maybe other things that we thought we have given up are still tugging at our hearts?

But if we keep looking forward, we will give our undivided attention to the chosen task. We will be completely committed. We will be wholehearted. That will give us great strength. All our resources will be enlisted and harnessed to the task. We will not be easily sidetracked. And so we have an excellent chance of completing the task. Those who are wholehearted find joy in the task, despite hardship. There is no such joy for the halfhearted. So the message is: Don't turn back; don't even look back.



The First Reading shows how Elisha obeyed the call of Elijah. His response was total, and by killing his oxen and burning the plough he was precluding a return to his old life. In the Gospel we see the best example in Jesus himself. He set his face towards Jerusalem, even though he knew that rejection, betrayal, and death awaited him there. He would not be deflected from that path. He has given an example to his followers of the kind of dedication that is required.

This kind of dedication is a great challenge. It may be easy at the start. But in order to persevere, we need the grace of God. That grace will keep us faithful to God and to one another. God will help us to stay on the chosen road, to persevere at the chosen task. Then we will know the joy of the dedicated, and in due time be found fit for the Kingdom.

## 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.

### Gloria (Glory to God in the Highest)

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people  
of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we  
glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of  
God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the  
Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy  
Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### 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 Solemnity of the Most Holy Blood and Body of Christ

### Reading I 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21

The LORD said to Elijah: "You shall anoint Elisha, son of Shaphat of Abelmeholah, as prophet to succeed you." Elijah set out and came upon Elisha, son of Shaphat, as he was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen; he was following the twelfth. Elijah went over to him and threw his cloak over him. Elisha left the oxen, ran after Elijah, and said, "Please, let me kiss my father and mother goodbye, and I will follow you." Elijah answered, "Go back! Have I done anything to you?" Elisha left him, and taking the yoke of oxen, slaughtered them; he used the plowing equipment for fuel to boil their flesh, and gave it to his people to eat. Then Elisha left and followed Elijah as his attendant.

### Responsorial Psalm Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11

**R (cf. 5a) You are my inheritance, O Lord.**

Keep me, O God, for in you I take refuge; I say to the LORD, "My Lord are you. O LORD, my allotted portion and my cup, you it is who hold fast my lot."

**R You are my inheritance, O Lord.**

I bless the LORD who counsels me; even in the night my heart exhorts me. I set the LORD ever before me; with him at my right hand I shall not be disturbed.

**R You are my inheritance, O Lord.**

Therefore my heart is glad and my soul rejoices, my body, too, abides in confidence because you will not abandon my soul to the netherworld, nor will you suffer your faithful one to undergo corruption.

**R You are my inheritance, O Lord.**

You will show me the path to life, fullness of joys in your presence, the delights at your right hand forever.

**R You are my inheritance, O Lord.**

### Reading II Gal 5:1, 13-18

Brothers and sisters: For freedom Christ set us free; so stand firm and do not submit again to the yoke of slavery. For you were called for freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity

for the flesh; rather, serve one another through love. For the whole law is fulfilled in one statement, namely, You shall love your neighbor as yourself. But if you go on biting and devouring one another, beware that you are not consumed by one another. I say, then: live by the Spirit and you will certainly not gratify the desire of the flesh. For the flesh has desires against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; these are opposed to each other, so that you may not do what you want. But if you are guided by the Spirit, you are not under the law.

### Alleluia 1 Sm 3:9; Jn 6:68c

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Speak, Lord, your servant is listening; you have the words of everlasting life.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

### Gospel Lk 9:51-62

When the days for Jesus' being taken up were fulfilled, he resolutely determined to journey to Jerusalem, and he sent messengers ahead of him. On the way they entered a Samaritan village to prepare for his reception there, but they would not welcome him because the destination of his journey was Jerusalem. When the disciples James and John saw this they asked, "Lord, do you want us to call down fire from heaven to consume them?" Jesus turned and rebuked them, and they journeyed to another village. As they were proceeding on their journey someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." Jesus answered him, "Foxes have dens and birds of the sky have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to rest his head." And to another he said, "Follow me." But he replied, "Lord, let me go first and bury my father." But he answered him, "Let the dead bury their dead. But you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." And another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but first let me say farewell to my family at home." To him Jesus said, "No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God."

# Mass Worship Aid

## Hymns for the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 26, 2022

**Gathering Hymn:** The Summons  
**Psalm:** Psalm 16 - You Are My Inheritance, O Lord  
**Gifts:** Here I Am, Lord  
**Communion Song:** Center of My Life, The Servant Song  
**Closing Hymn:** Lead Me, Lord

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### THE SUMMONS

KELVINGROVE  
Arranged by Bobby Fisher



1. Will you come and fol - low me If I but
2. Will you leave your - self be - hind If I but
3. Will you let the blind - ed see If I but
4. Will you love the 'you' you hide If I but
5. Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true When you but



1. call your name? Will you go where you don't
2. call your name? Will you care for cruel and
3. call your name? Will you set the pris - 'ners
4. call your name? Will you quell the fear in -
5. call my name. Let me turn and fol - low



1. know And nev - er be the same? Will you
2. kind And nev - er be the same? Will you
3. free And nev - er be the same? Will you
4. side And nev - er be the same? Will you
5. you And nev - er be the same. In your



1. let my love be shown, Will you let my
2. risk the hos - tile stare Should your life at -
3. kiss the lep - er clean, And do such as
4. use the faith you've found To re - shape the
5. com - pa - ny I'll go Where your love and



1. name be known, Will you let my life be
2. tract or scare? Will you let me an - swer
3. this un - seen, And ad - mit to what I
4. world a - round, Through my sight and touch and
5. foot - steps show. Thus I'll move and live and



1. grown In you and you in me?
2. pray'r In you and you in me?
3. mean In you and you in me?
4. sound In you and you in me?
5. grow In you and you in me.

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# Mass Worship Aid

## You Are My Inheritance, O Lord!

(Psalm 16)

(Psalm 16: 5, 8, 9-10, 11)

Francesca LaRosa



You are my in - her - i - tance, O Lord! You are my in - her - i - tance, O Lord!

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## HERE I AM, LORD

Dan Schutte

Verses



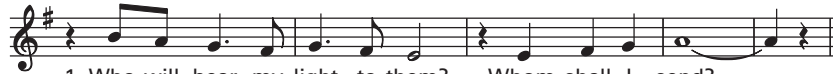
1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo - ple cry.
2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo - ple's pain.
3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.



1. All who dwell in dark and sin My hand will save. I, who
2. I have wept for love of them. They turn a - way. I will
3. I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Fin - est



1. made the stars of night, I will make their dark - ness bright.
2. break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love a - lone.
3. bread I will pro - vide Till their hearts be sat - is - fied.



1. Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?
2. I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?
3. I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you



call - ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you lead me.



I will hold your peo - ple in my heart.

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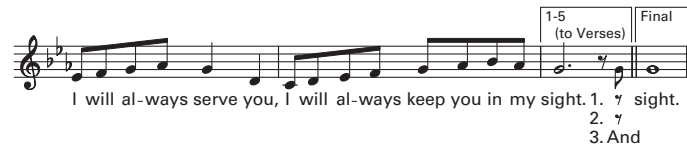
## CENTER OF MY LIFE

Paul Inwood

Refrain: Repeat 1st time

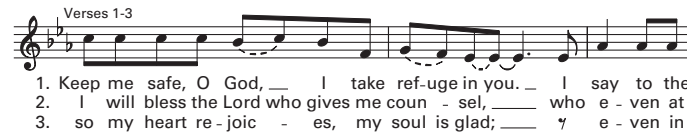


O Lord, you are the cen-ter of my life: I will al-ways praise you,

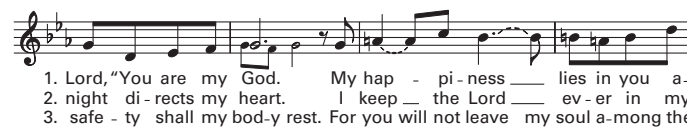


I will al-ways serve you, I will al-ways keep you in my sight. 1.  $\gamma$  sight.  
2.  $\gamma$   
3. And

Verses 1-3

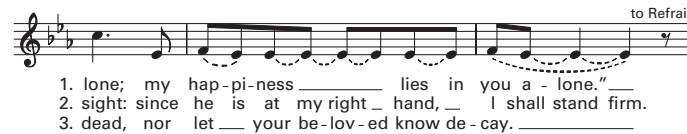


1. Keep me safe, O God, I take ref-uge in you. I say to the  
2. I will bless the Lord who gives me coun - sel, who e - ven at  
3. so my heart re - joic - es, my soul is glad;  $\gamma$  e - ven in



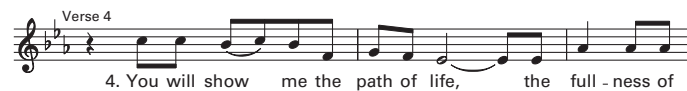
1. Lord, "You are my God. My hap - pi - ness lies in you a -  
2. night di - rects my heart. I keep the Lord ev - er in my  
3. safe - ty shall my bod - y rest. For you will not leave my soul a - mong the

to Refrain

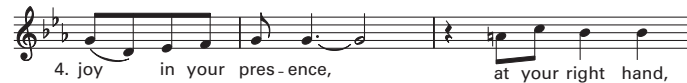


1. lone; my hap - pi - ness lies in you a - lone."  
2. sight: since he is at my right hand, I shall stand firm.  
3. dead, nor let your be - lov - ed know de - cay.

Verse 4



4. You will show me the path of life, the full - ness of



4. joy in your pres - ence, at your right hand,

to Refrain



4. at your right hand hap - pi - ness for - ev - er.

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## THE SERVANT SONG

Richard Gillard



1, 6. Will you let me be your ser - vant, Let me be as  
2. We are pil - grims on a jour - ney, We are trav - lers  
3. I will hold the Christ - light for you In the night - time  
4. I will weep when you are weep - ing; When you laugh I'll  
5. When we sing to God in heav - en We shall find such



1, 6. Christ to you; Pray that I may have the grace to  
2. on the road; We are here to help each oth - er  
3. of your fear; I will hold my hand out to you,  
4. laugh with you. I will share your joy and sor - row  
5. har - mo - ny, Born of all we've known to - geth - er



1, 6. Let you be my ser - vant, too.  
2. Walk the mile and bear the load.  
3. Speak the peace you long to hear.  
4. 'Til we've seen this jour - ney through.  
5. Of Christ's love and ag - o - ny.

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## LEAD ME, LORD

John D. Becker

Verses



1. Bless - ed are the poor in spir - it, long - ing for their  
2. Bless - ed are the mer - ci - ful, for mer - cy shall be  
3. Blest are they who through their life - times sow the seeds of

1. Lord, for God's com - ing king - dom shall be theirs.  
2. theirs, and the pure in heart shall see their God.  
3. peace, all will call them chil - dren of the Lord.

1. Bless - ed are the sor - row - ing, for they shall be con -  
2. Blest are they whose hun - ger on - ly ho - li - ness can  
3. Blest are you, though per - se - cu - ted in your ho - ly

1. soled, and the meek shall come to rule the world.  
2. fill, for I say they shall be sat - is - fied.  
3. life, for in heav - en, great is your re - ward.

Refrain



Lead me, Lord, lead me, Lord, by the light of truth to  
seek and to find the nar - row way. Be my way;  
be my truth; be my life, my Lord, and lead me, Lord, to -  
day. day. And lead me, Lord, to - day.

Text: Matthew 5:3-12; 7:7, 13; John 14:6. Text and music © 1987, John D. Becker.  
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## News from the Diocese

**Ordination to the Priesthood** - Most Rev. Frank J. Dewane, Bishop of the Diocese of Venice, invites the faithful to the Ordination to the Priesthood of Transitional Deacons Christian Chami, David Portoreal, and Michael Young. The Ordination will take place at 11:00 a.m., on Saturday, July 16, at Epiphany Cathedral, 350 Tampa Ave. W., Venice. All are welcome and encouraged to attend this important event in the lives of the Deacons as well as the Diocese of Venice. A reception will follow in the Parish Hall.

**Synod on Synodality** - As part of the Diocesan Phase for the XVI Ordinary General Assembly of Bishops, "For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission" as requested by Pope Francis, the Diocese of Venice held Listening Sessions at various locations throughout the Diocese over the past several months. The next step in the process is the creation of a summary report of the information collected from all the Listening Sessions as well as from emails received. If you have questions or comments regarding this phase of the Synod, please email [synod@dioceseofvenice.org](mailto:synod@dioceseofvenice.org)

**Rosary for America** - Join like-minded faithful each Sunday to pray a Rosary for America with the goal of praying for the nation, following the 10:45 a.m. Mass at San Pedro Parish, 14380 Tamiami Trail, North Port. This group has been gathering in prayer every week in the Church. In addition, they meet at noon on the first Saturday of the month for the same purpose. All are welcome. For more information, please contact Ania Nazarian at [anianaz@yahoo.com](mailto:anianaz@yahoo.com) or 941-876-3826

# Mass Worship Aid

## 5:00 p.m. Mass Music Worship Aid – Sunday, June 26, 2022 The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Opening Song**      **Shout To the North**      **Martin Smith**      © 1995 Curious? Music UK (Admin. by EMI Christian Music Publishing). Martin Smith. All rights Reserved. CCLI License No. 2008891.

Verse 1): Men of faith, rise up and sing of the great and glorious King! You are strong when you feel weak, In your brokenness, complete (to Chorus)

Verse 2): Rise up, women of the truth. Stand and sing to broken hearts who can know the healing power of our awesome King of love (to Chorus)



**Preparation Song**      **Overflow**      **Matt Maher**      CCLI Song No. 4613763. © 2006 Thankyou Music | spiritandsong.com (Admin. by EMI Christian Music Publishing) | (Admin. by EMI Christian Music Publishing). All rights Reserved. CCLI License No. 2008891

Verse 1): Your grace is power. Your will, forever. Your love is a river. Overflow in me! (to Chorus)

Verse 2): Your Word, true presence. Your Body, our recompense. Your Blood, salvation. Overflow in me! (to Chorus).

Verse 3): Our worship of you, It's your gift to us from you. No one could give this gift but you Overflow in me! (to Chorus)



Bridge): We lift up our hearts; we lift up our souls; we lift up our minds And ev'ry good thing is yours, yeah, ev'ry good thing is yours, so overflow

**Communion Song**      **The Heart of Worship**      **Matt Redman**      CCLI Song No. 2296522 © 1999 Thankyou Music (Admin. by EMI Christian Music Publishing). Matt Redman. 3rd Verse by Tom Oram. All rights Reserved. Used with permission. Reprinted under CCLI License # 2008891.

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...

# Mass Worship Aid

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—

**Communion Song      Build My Life**      CCLI Song # 7070345 Brett Younker | Karl Martin | Kirby Kaple | Matt Redman | Pat Barrett © 2016 Kaple Music (Admin. by Bethel Music Publishing) Capitol CMG Genesis (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Housefires Sounds (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Said And Done Music (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) sixsteps Music (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Thankyou Music (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Vamos Publishing (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) worshiptogether.com songs (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Martin, Karl Andrew (Admin. by Sentric Music) Bethel Music Publishing For use solely with the SongSelect® Terms of Use. All rights reserved. www.ccli.com CCLI License # 2008891

Verse 1): Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing. Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring. Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe. We live for You.

Verse 2): Jesus the name above ev'ry other name. Jesus the only one who could ever save. Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe. We live for You. We live for You.

Chorus): Holy there is no one like You There is none beside You. Open up my eyes in wonder and show me who You are And fill me with Your heart And lead me in Your love to those around me.

Bridge): I will build my life upon Your love. It is a firm foundation. I will put my trust in You alone And I will not be shaken.

**Closing Song      I Will Follow**      CCLI Song # 5806878 Chris Tomlin | Jason Ingram | Reuben Morgan © 2010 SHOUT! Music Publishing Australia (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) sixsteps Music (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Vamos Publishing (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) worshiptogether.com songs (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Spirit Nashville Three (Admin. by Crescendo Royalty Funding LP) So Essential Tunes (Admin. by Essential Music Publishing LLC) Spirit Nashville Three (Admin. by Essential Music Publishing LLC) For use solely with the SongSelect® Terms of Use. All rights reserved. www.ccli.com CCLI License # 2008891

Intro): Where You go I'll go. Where You stay I'll stay. When You move I'll move. I will follow. Oh oh oh.

Verse 1): All Your ways are good All Your ways are sure. I will trust in You alone. Higher than my sight High above my life. I will trust in You alone

Chorus): Where You go I'll go. Where You stay I'll stay. When You move I'll move. I will follow You. Whom You love I'll love. How You serve I'll serve. If this life I lose I will follow (You).

Interlude): Yeah I will follow You yeah

Verse 2): Light into the world. Light into my life. I will live for You alone. You're the One I seek Knowing I will find All I need in You alone. In You alone.

Bridge): In You there's life everlasting. In You there's freedom for my soul. In You there's joy unending joy. And I will follow.

Ending): Yeah I will follow You yeah. I will follow You yeah. I will follow You yeah.

**Please note that our next Encounter will be on Friday, August 5, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. in the church, or watch online at [sjecc.com](http://sjecc.com)**

Our theme of the night is "He Restores My Soul." This Holy Hour will be filled with Praise and Worship music, silent prayer, and meditation. We will also have confessions available throughout the evening. This is a beautiful way to spend time with Lord for First Friday Adoration, and open your heart to allow Him to restore and transform your heart.

# Faith Formation

## Kids Had a MONUMENTAL Time at Vacation Bible School!

It was a blessing-filled week at VBS at St. John's. Approximately 135 volunteers, as well as our St. John Staff, helped to make this week for our 125 campers a huge success! At camp kids learned about God's love for them through five key teaching points:

1. God loves you no matter what!
2. God is stronger than anything!
3. God is in charge!
4. God is with you everywhere!
5. God is surprising!

It was wonderful to be back together for VBS after missing out these last two years. Our youth and adult leadership were outstanding as they shared their love of God with our young children! Each day of the five days of camp, kids played games, sang songs, watched meaningful Bible skits, ate snacks together, and used their imagination to travel back in time and be part of the story of Joseph in the Old Testament (Genesis 37).

The efforts of such a great week take many hands and hearts and time to make the week so amazing! We are so blessed at St. John to have had such support! At the end of our week, parents and family members were invited to a breakfast and show to see some highlights from the week.

Next year, join us for a STELLAR trip with Jesus through space June 5th-9th!



Registration for the 2022-2023 Faith Formation school year is now open!



Faith Formation Summer Office Hours – Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.



# Faith Formation



**VBS**



**2022**



## St. John Religious Gift Shop

We are pleased to offer home décor, mugs, homemade gifts (crafted by one of our sewing ministry members), jewelry, books, rosaries, statues, children's gifts, and more! We stock the renowned Trappist preserves made by the Roman Catholic priests and brothers of St. Joseph's Abbey in Spencer, Massachusetts. Located just inside the church entrance, the Gift Shop is open Saturdays 2:30-6:15 p.m. and Sundays 8:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. We look forward to serving you!

We respect all human life, from conception to natural death.

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YOU ARE NOT ALONE**

**DID YOU KNOW**  
there is a local pregnancy help center where you can receive accurate information about your options, receive a free pregnancy test and see your child via an ultrasound without charge?

Resources for financial and emotional help are available. You will find that the people at these places can help you find the support you need to make the right choice. If you need housing, a maternity home or a home for moms and babies after birth may be a good option for you so you can pursue your education and career.

A local church may be able to help you with additional assistance and spiritual guidance personalized specifically to your needs.

Scan the QR code below to find the nearest location and take the first step by contacting one today!




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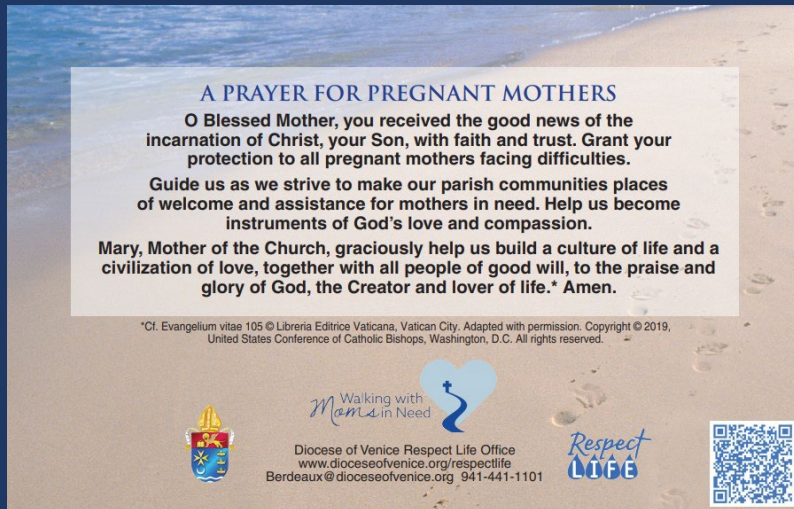



**A PRAYER FOR PREGNANT MOTHERS**  
O Blessed Mother, you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your Son, with faith and trust. Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties.




Guide us as we strive to make our parish communities places of welcome and assistance for mothers in need. Help us become instruments of God's love and compassion.

Mary, Mother of the Church, graciously help us build a culture of life and a civilization of love, together with all people of good will, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life.\* Amen.

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239-262-6381 Naples  
www.communitypregnancyclinic.com
- Pregnancy Resource Center of Southwest Florida  
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239-260-5523 Naples – www.prcnaples.com
- Verity Pregnancy & Medical Resource Center,  
Fort Myers 239-433-1929 – www.veritypmc.com
- Immokalee Pregnancy Center, Immokalee  
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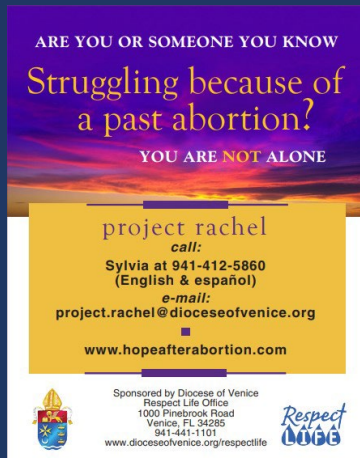




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**Men's Support after Abortion Program**

1 in 4 women will have experienced at least one abortion by the age 45. A man is connected to every pregnancy and abortion. Men are hurting from their abortion experiences too. Men often push down their experience or cover it up with unhealthy behaviors. For six weeks beginning on Saturday, July 9, from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. at St. John the Evangelist Parish in Naples, Father Mark Harris will team up with Nathan Misirian from Support After Abortion to co-facilitate a program just for men wounded, angry or hurt by abortion. If you (or someone you know) is a man ready for healing, confidentially call 941-412-5860 today or email [project.rachel@dioceseofvenice.org](mailto:project.rachel@dioceseofvenice.org) to register for this series.

# *Into the Breach: Living our Catholic Faith*

**What:** Join us for a monthly gathering with other faithful Catholics to explore the challenges faced by men and women of faith in our world today.

**When:** **Sunday, July 10 from 10:05–10:45 a.m.** (then the second Sunday of each month).  
*Join us after the 9:00 a.m. Mass or before the 11:00 a.m. Mass.*

**Where:** Pulte Center, Nazareth Room

## ***For the Men***

**What does it mean to be a Catholic man?**

**How do I best live as a man in today's world?**

**How can I share with, and learn from, other Catholic men?**

The *Into the Breach* program will help you to answer these questions. God calls us to action: to strengthen our lives, our faith, our families and our communities.

### **What to expect:**

- A 10-minute, thought-provoking video which introduces the topic of the day.
- Small group conversations with other men of our parish. A chance to meet Catholic men.
- **Refreshments and hospitality.**



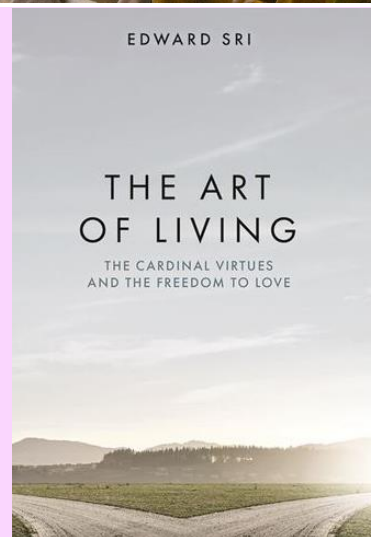
## ***For the Women***

**Women, why should the men have all the fun?! So...**

**How can I live a virtuous life as a Catholic woman?**

### **What to expect:**

- A six session video series by Edward Sri entitled "The Art of Living."
- 10-15-minute videos to introduce each of the topics.
- Small group discussion and sharing with other women.
- A chance to meet, and learn with, other Catholic women.
- **Refreshments and hospitality.**



**Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, St. John Council**

For more information about the Knights of Columbus, please visit our website at <https://11281.knights.church> , send a message to [info@kocouncil11281.org](mailto:info@kocouncil11281.org) or call and leave a message at (239) 228-3938.



# Wednesday Breakfast



Every Wednesday!!!

*At Pulte Family Life Center Cafe*

Join us for our Brunch favorites, such as Scrambled Eggs, Home Fried Potatoes, French Toast, Fruit, Coffee & Orange Juice.

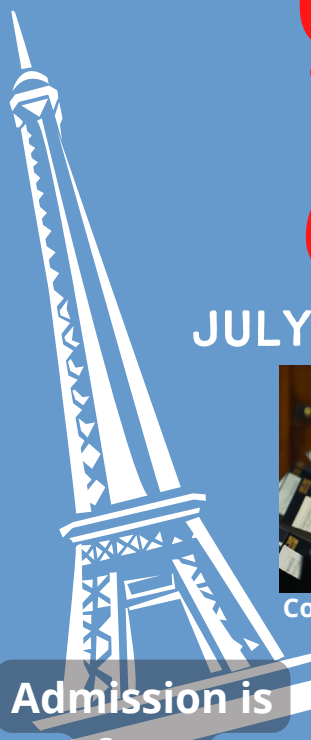
**Free for Parishioners**  
Immediately following the  
8:30am mass

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NAPLES, FLORIDA



# Paris Boys Choir

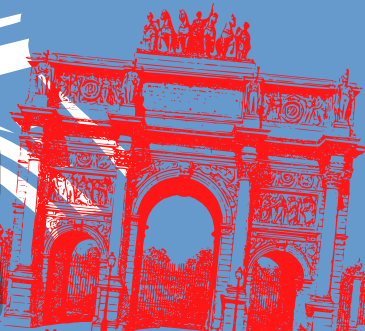
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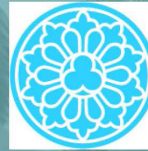
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Center

# Beginning August 4th

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Boneyard Loft,  
Pulte Center



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Thursdays at 10am

For more information related to  
the event, please email:  
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# SWF Blazers Schedule at Pulte Family Life Center



- 6/4/22 Mont. Knights vs. BLAZERS
- 6/18/22 Dorthan Snipers vs. BLAZERS
- 7/2/22 Miss. Hawks vs. BLAZERS
- 7/16/22 Buckhannon Bears vs. BLAZERS
- 7/17/22 Buckhannon Bears vs. BLAZERS
- 7/23/22 Georgia Vipers vs. BLAZERS
- 8/13/22 Music City Kings vs. BLAZERS
- 8/20/22 Knox. YellowJackets vs. BLAZERS

Tickets \$10



Home games at Pulte Family  
Life Center @6pm



# Trivia Night

Monday Nights\* @ 6:00pm  
Pulte Family Life Center Café

Prizes for winning teams  
Food & Drinks available-donations  
appreciated  
All ages welcome

*Produced by Spotlight Entertainment of SWFL and  
St. John the Evangelist CAO*

# BINGO

EVERY  
TUESDAY  
AT 1PM!



Come on over  
and join us!

(BEGINNING JULY 5TH)  
(PULTE CAFE)

Friday Night Happy Hour  
EVERY FRIDAY, MAY 13 - AUGUST 24TH

**WEEKLY LIVE  
MUSIC &  
(KARAOKE ON  
SELECT  
NIGHTS)**

**PULTE  
FAMILY LIFE  
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Rock out to your favorite  
songs, while enjoying  
fellowship with parishioners!

BYOB or enjoy  
refreshments at the Pulte  
Cafe.



## Upcoming Happy Hour Schedule

Beach Boys Music  
July 1

July 8

Music of the Beatles  
July 15

July 22