

The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 23, 2022

Saint John the Evangelist

Catholic Church



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 Times

Monday-Friday: 8:30 a.m. (livestreamed)

Saturday: 8:00 a.m., 3:00 p.m. (livestreamed), 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m. (livestreamed), 11:00 a.m. (livestreamed), 1:00 p.m., and 5:00 p.m.

Hours of Operation

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

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Mass Intentions

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 22, 2022

8:00 AM + William Cuddy

Vigil Masses for Sunday

3:00 PM + Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Leo

5:00 PM + Evelyn Tenbusch

Sunday, October 23, 2022

7:00 AM + Janice Trapani

9:00 AM + Chaffee and Hine Families

11:00 AM + James Decarmine

1:00 PM + Michael Mellia

5:00 PM + Patrick Metro

Monday, October 24, 2022

8:30 AM + Mary Sherwood

Tuesday, October 25, 2022

8:30 AM + William Matre

Wednesday, October 26, 2022

8:30 AM + William Matre

Thursday, October 27, 2022

8:30 AM + Angeline Cornelius

Friday, October 28, 2022

8:30 AM + Ted Norris

Saturday, October 29, 2022

8:00 AM + John Gaffey

(Vigil Masses for Sunday)

3:00 PM + The Shea Family

5:00 PM + Mary and John Myatt

Sunday, October 30, 2022

7:00 AM + Patrick Philbin

9:00 AM + Harrison Douglas Bernardi

11:00 AM + Joanne Beronja

1:00 PM + Monseigneur Peppino Frabotta

5:00 PM + Margie Lynch

Mass for Deceased (+) and Special Intentions (SI)

Requested By

Katherine Cuddy

Janet D'Addario

Paul Wondrasch

Requested By

Fr. Tom

Peter and Suzanne Berry

Carol Nucci

Barbara Wettels

Pat Bernetich

Requested By

Vincent and Ann McMullin

Requested By

Joan and Eric Maloney

Requested By

Julianne Hughes and Ernie Davey

Requested By

Robin and Gerri Burke

Requested By

Marie B. Deluca

Requested By

Madeline Gaffey

Ginger and Kathy

Agnes Boudreau

Requested By

Brian and Joanne Smyth

Requested by Parents

Jack and Connie Kindsvater

Beverly Frato

Vu Stephanie Tran

Readings for the Week

Saturday, October 22, 2022

EPH 4:7-16/LK 13:1-9(478)

Sunday, October 23, 2022

EPH 4:7-16/LK 13:1-9 (478)

Monday, October 24, 2022

EPH 4:32-5:8/LK 13:10-17 (479)

Tuesday, October 25, 2022

EPH 5:21-33b/PS 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 (480)

Wednesday, October 26, 2022

Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14 (481)

Thursday, October 27, 2022

EPH 6:10-20/LK 13:31-35(482)

Friday, October 28, 2022

Eph 2:19-22/Lk 6:12-16 (666)

Saturday, October 29, 2022

PHIL 1:18B-26/PS 42:2, 3, 5CDEF/LK 14:1, 7-11(484)

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 Groups

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 the Evangelist, 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>.

Knitting & Crocheting. Meets on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. - Noon in the Parish Activity Center, classrooms 3 & 4. Knits and crochets baby and children's items, prayer shawls, nursing home and elderly blankets. No experience necessary. Donations, both monetary and yarn are welcome. Contact: Sharon Camp 239.438.7867 or sharon@naples.net

Faith Chat - (formerly Women of the Word) A group of women who meet on Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. in the Claussen Center for Bible Study. The next session will begin on October 6 at 9:30 a.m.. The group will watch the second season of the TV series "The Chosen." Please contact Lee Pinto at Leepinto2924@aol.com or 239.821.6195 for more information.

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

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

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/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 Bob Westenberg: bwstjohn@SVDNnaples.org.

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

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

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

Pray

Pray 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
- Capt. Stephen English – US Army
- LTJG Tanis K. Taylor – US Navy, USS Sullivans
- Sophie Koepl
- Austin Zicht – USAF
- Brendan C. Finnegan-USAf
- SPC Nicholas LaManna
- PFC Sisi Tyrrell US Marine Corps
- Hugh O'Donnell, SPEC 4, 75th Ranger Regiment
- Lt. Brendan Tourek – USN
- Capt. Gregory Sacenti - US Army
- Daniel Petito – US Army
- PFC John Dyer - US Army Germany
- Drew Kendall – Seamen US Navy

We remember those who have died recently. May they rest in eternal peace.
Gabriel Carroll

Prayer List

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



Gospel Reflection with Fr. Tom

The prayer of the Pharisee went like this: “I thank you, God, that I am not grasping, unjust, adulterous like the rest of mankind, and particularly that I am not like this Tax-Collector here. I fast twice a week; I pay tithes on all I get.”

The prayer of the Tax-Collector might well have gone like this: “Lord, look at the Pharisee standing up there so that everybody can see him praying. He thinks he’s better than everybody else. He despises people like me. See the long robes he’s wearing so as to make himself feel holy and attract attention to himself.

“Everything he does is done, not to bring honor to you, but to win the esteem of others, and thus bring honor to himself. He makes sure to get the seats of honor at banquets and in the synagogue. He loves it when people salute him in the marketplace and call him "Rabbi".

“He gets all hot and bothered about silly little rules of his own making, while neglecting the things that really matter - the practice of justice and mercy. He’s good at laying down the law for others. He ought to practice what he preaches. He lives off the contributions of widows.

“Ah, Lord, don’t be taken in by him. It’s all an act, it’s all a show. He’s not genuine. He may look clean on the outside, like a whitewashed tomb, but inside he’s full of corruption. He’s the biggest hypocrite on two feet.”

All this and more the Tax-Collector could have said. And the Lord might have added, “I agree with every word you’ve said,” because the Lord himself said all these things about the Pharisees. But the Tax-Collector said nothing of the sort. Instead, he simply said, “God, be merciful to me, a sinner.”

What the Pharisee did was confess the sins of others, while at the same time parading his own good deeds. The Tax-Collector did the exact opposite. He confessed his own sins, and left the sins of others between them and God. As a result the Tax-Collector went home at rights with God, whereas the Pharisee did not. We have Jesus’ word for this.

It’s easy to get into the habit of confessing the sins of others. But it’s dangerous because it prevents us from looking at our own sins. Besides, it’s impossible to weigh the sins of others without putting our own finger on the scales.

The successful are always tempted to regard their success as a sort of blessing from God or a reward for righteousness. This leads to judgments being made about the unsuccessful, which are both uncharitable and untrue.

We may have been brought up to believe that we had to be dressed up, both outwardly and inwardly, before daring to show our faces in “His” church. But we have to come before God as we are. Because, as Francis of Assisi said: “I am what I am before God. Nothing else. Nothing more. Nothing less.”



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.

Ukraine Prayer

Loving God,
We pray for the people of Ukraine,
for all those suffering or afraid,
that you will be close to them and protect
them.

We pray for world leaders,
for compassion, strength and wisdom to
guide their choices.

We pray for the world
that in this moment of crisis,
we may reach out in solidarity
to our brothers and sisters in need.
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.

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.

Readings for the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lectionary: 150
Reading 1
Sir 35:12-14, 16-18

The LORD is a God of justice,
who knows no favorites.
Though not unduly partial toward the weak,
yet he hears the cry of the oppressed.
The Lord is not deaf to the wail of the orphan,
nor to the widow when she pours out her complaint.
The one who serves God willingly is heard;
his petition reaches the heavens.
The prayer of the lowly pierces the clouds;
it does not rest till it reaches its goal,
nor will it withdraw till the Most High responds,
judges justly and affirms the right,
and the Lord will not delay.

Responsorial Psalm
Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23

R. (7a) The Lord hears the cry of the poor.
I will bless the LORD at all times;
his praise shall be ever in my mouth.
Let my soul glory in the LORD;
the lowly will hear me and be glad.
R. The Lord hears the cry of the poor.
The LORD confronts the evildoers,
to destroy remembrance of them from the earth.
When the just cry out, the LORD hears them,
and from all their distress he rescues them.
R. The Lord hears the cry of the poor.
The LORD is close to the brokenhearted;
and those who are crushed in spirit he saves.
The LORD redeems the lives of his servants;
no one incurs guilt who takes refuge in him.
R. The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

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Are you grieving the loss of a loved one? Are you a widow or widower? Looking for support and healing? Please join our **Bereavement Group** which will begin meeting on Tuesday, October 11, from 9:30am to 11am in the Antioch room of the Claussen Center. We will meet weekly for 9 weeks. A companion book will be provided for each participant for our group discussions, and will be facilitated by Paula Hand, Deacon Hal Brenner, and Rosemary Larotonda. If you are interested to join, please email hal@sjecc.com or call the parish office at 566-8740. We look forward to this journey together, from grief to healing.



Readings for the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 2

2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18

Beloved:

I am already being poured out like a libation,
and the time of my departure is at hand.
I have competed well; I have finished the race;
I have kept the faith.
From now on the crown of righteousness
awaits me,
which the Lord, the just judge,
will award to me on that day, and not only to
me,
but to all who have longed for his appearance.
At my first defense no one appeared on my
behalf,
but everyone deserted me.
May it not be held against them!
But the Lord stood by me and gave me
strength,
so that through me the proclamation might
be completed
and all the Gentiles might hear it.
And I was rescued from the lion's mouth.
The Lord will rescue me from every evil threat
and will bring me safe to his heavenly
kingdom.
To him be glory forever and ever. Amen.

Alleluia

2 Cor 5:19

R. Alleluia, alleluia.
God was reconciling the world to
himself in Christ,
and entrusting to us the message of
salvation.
R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

Lk 18:9-14

Jesus addressed this parable
to those who were convinced of their own
righteousness
and despised everyone else.
"Two people went up to the temple area to pray;
one was a Pharisee and the other was a tax
collector.
The Pharisee took up his position and spoke this
prayer to himself,
'O God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of
humanity --
greedy, dishonest, adulterous -- or even like this
tax collector.
I fast twice a week, and I pay tithes on my whole
income.'
But the tax collector stood off at a distance
and would not even raise his eyes to heaven
but beat his breast and prayed,
'O God, be merciful to me a sinner.'
I tell you, the latter went home justified, not the
former;
for whoever exalts himself will be humbled,
and the one who humbles himself will be exalted."

Bishop Frank J. Dewane and the Diocese
of Venice continue to respond to the
aftermath of Hurricane Ian as nearly
every Parish community has been
impacted. Because of the scope of the
devastation, with coastal communities
destroyed, widespread wind damage
and inland flooding, there is great need.
If you need help or would like to
volunteer, please contact
www.catholiccharitiesdov.org. Please
visit the Diocese of Venice website for
additional information, including how to
donate to relief efforts.



Music

Hymns for the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 23, 2022

Opening Hymn: As We Gather At Your Table

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 34: The Lord Hears the Cry of the Poor

Gifts: Precious Lord, Take My Hand

Communion Songs: Eye Has Not Seen, 'Tis the Gift to Be Simple

Closing Hymn: Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

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AS WE GATHER AT YOUR TABLE

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1. As we gath - er at your Ta - ble, As we lis - ten to your
2. Turn our wor - ship in - to wit - ness In the sac - ra - ment of
3. Gra - cious Spir - it, help us sum - mon Oth - er guests to share that

1. Word, Help us know, O God, your pres - ence: Let our
2. life; Send us forth to love and serve you, Bring - ing
3. feast Where tri - um - phant Love will wel - come Those who

1. hearts and minds be stirred. Nour - ish us with sa - cred
2. peace where there is strife. Give us, Christ, your great com -
3. had been last and least. There no more will en - vy

1. sto - ry Till we claim it as our own; Teach us
2. pas - sion To for - give as you for - gave; May we
3. blind us Nor will pride our peace de - stroy, As we

1. through this ho - ly ban - quet How to make Love's vic - t'ry known.
2. still be - hold your im - age In the world you died to save.
3. join with saints and an - gels To re - peat the sound - ing joy.

The Lord Hears the Cry of the Poor

(Psalm 34: 2-3, 17-18, 19, 23)

(Psalm 34)

Francesca LaRosa

The Lord _____ hears the cry _____ of the

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poor. The Lord _____ hears the cry _____ of the poor.

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Music

PRECIOUS LORD, TAKE MY HAND

PRECIOUS LORD



1. Pre-cious Lord, take my hand, Lead me on, let me
2. When my way grows drear, Pre-cious Lord, lin-ger
3. When the dark-ness ap-pears And the night draws _



1. stand; I am tired, I am weak, I am worn;
2. near, When my life is al-most gone;
3. near, And the day is past and gone,



1. Through the storm, through the night, Lead me on to the light:
2. Hear my cry, hear my call, Hold my hand lest I fall:
3. At the riv-er I stand, Guide my feet, hold my hand:



1-3. Take my hand, pre-cious Lord, lead me home.

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Tuesday
6 - Adoration
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7 - Recreation



Music

EYE HAS NOT SEEN

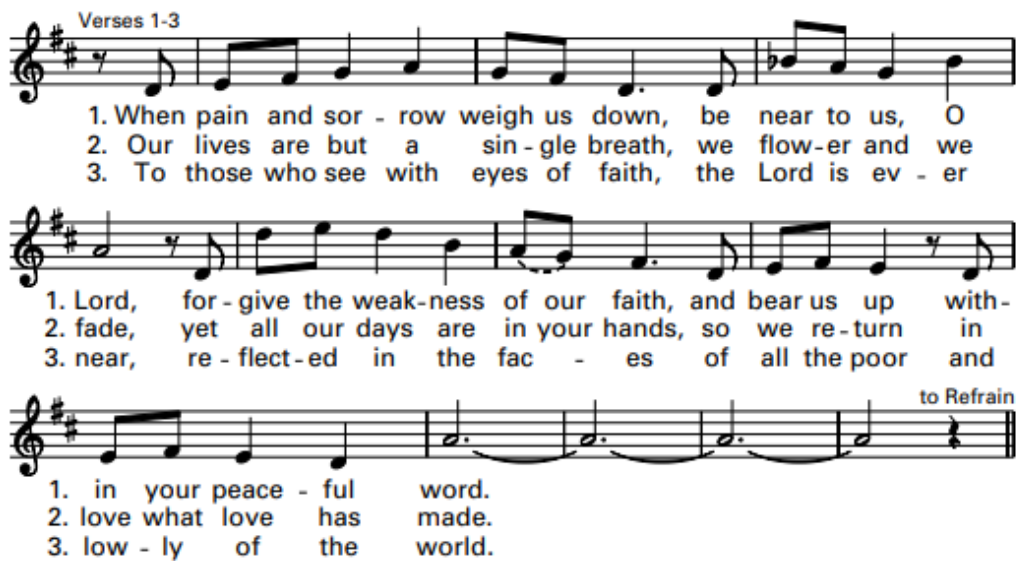
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Refrain



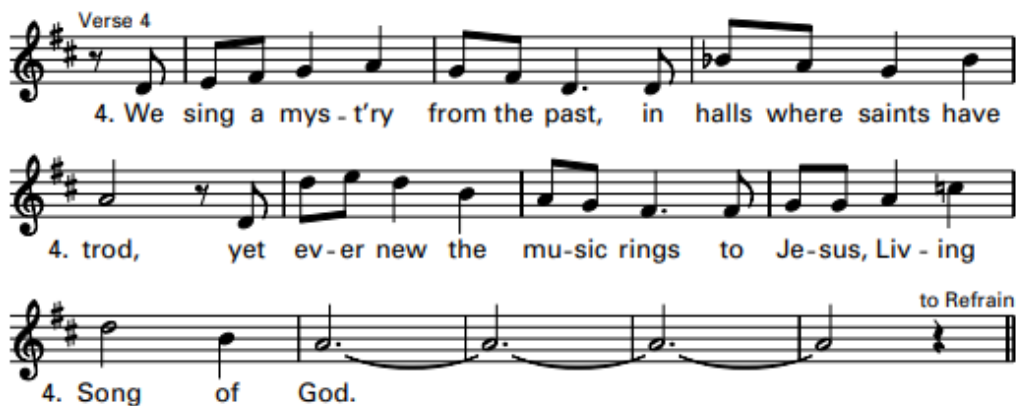
Eye has not seen, ear has not heard what God has read-y for
those who love him; Spir-it of love, come, give us the mind of
Je - sus, teach us the wis-dom of God.

Verses 1-3



1. When pain and sor - row weigh us down, be near to us, O
2. Our lives are but a sin - gle breath, we flow-er and we
3. To those who see with eyes of faith, the Lord is ev - er
1. Lord, for - give the weak-ness of our faith, and bear us up with-
2. fade, yet all our days are in your hands, so we re - turn in
3. near, re - flect - ed in the fac - es of all the poor and
to Refrain
1. in your peace - ful word.
2. love what love has made.
3. low - ly of the world.

Verse 4



4. We sing a mys - t'ry from the past, in halls where saints have
4. trod, yet ev - er new the mu - sic rings to Je - sus, Liv - ing
to Refrain
4. Song of God.

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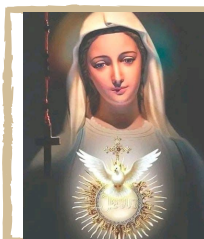
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'Tis the Gift to Be Simple



'Tis the gift to be sim-ple, 'tis the gift to be free, 'Tis the
gift to come down where we ought to be; And when we find our -
selves in the place just right, 'Twill be in the val - ley of
love and de-light. When true sim-plic-i - ty is gained, To
bow and to bend we shan't be a-shamed; To turn, turn, will
be our de-light, Till by turn-ing, turn-ing we come round right.

Text: Joseph Brackett, Jr., 1797-1882
Tune: SIMPLE GIFTS, 13 11 11 11 with refrain; Joseph Brackett, Jr., 1797-1882; acc. Margaret W. Mealy, b.1922, © 1984



First Friday Adoration and Benediction

Upcoming Dates: Nov 4, and Dec 2

7:00 p.m. in the Church



Music

HOLY GOD, WE PRAISE THY NAME

GROSSER GOTT

1. Ho - ly God, we praise thy name; Lord of
2. Hark! the loud ce - les - tial hymn An - gel
3. Ho - ly Fa - ther, Ho - ly Son, Ho - ly

1. all, we bow be - fore thee! All on earth thy
2. choirs a - bove are rais - ing; Cher - u - bim and
3. Spir - it, Three we name thee; While in es - sence

1. scep - ter claim, All in heav'n a - bove a - dore thee;
2. Ser - a - phim, In un - ceas - ing cho - rus prais - ing;
3. on - ly One, Un - di - vid - ed God we claim thee;

1. In - fi - nite, thy vast do - main, Ev - er -
2. Fill the heav'ns with sweet ac - cord: "Ho - ly,
3. And a - dor - ing, bend the knee, While we

1. last - ing is thy reign. In - fi - nite, thy
2. ho - ly, ho - ly Lord!" Fill the heav'ns with
3. own the mys - ter - y. And a - dor - ing,

1. vast do - main, Ev - er - last - ing is thy reign.
2. sweet ac - cord: "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord!"
3. bend the knee, While we own the mys - ter - y.

Text: 78 78 77 with repeat; *Te Deum laudamus*; attr. to St. Nicetas, ca. 335–414;
Grosser Gott, *wir loben dich*; tr. ascr. to Ignaz Franz, 1719–1790; tr. by Clarence A. Walworth, 1820–1900.
Music: *Allgemeines Katholisches Gesangbuch*, Vienna, ca. 1774.



5pm Contemporary Mass Music

Opening Song: Great Are You Lord

You give life, You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, You restore
Every heart that is broken
Great are You, Lord

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

Preparation Song: Open My Eyes

Open my eyes, Lord
Help me to see Your face
Open my eyes, Lord
Help me to see

Open my ears, Lord
Help me to hear Your voice
Open my ears, Lord
Help me to hear

Open my heart, Lord
Help me to love like You
Open my heart, Lord
Help me to love

Communion Song: The Cup of Life Outpoured

Who am I that I should receive
the cup of life outpoured?
The bread of life, the blood of Christ
The body of my Lord

V1: Lord, I believe.
Help my unbelief.
Cause me to see You as You are;
The King of glory,
The Lord of love,
The Shepherd of my heart!

V2: Too great for me,
This wisdom of the Lord
To hold the Savior in my hand.
And greater still, the gift of God,
That I should be one with Him

Bridge: Lamb of God, (Lamb of God)
Holy God, (Holy God)
I come to receive You now.
Come into my heart, Fill my life, with Your very presence
Lord.

Second Communion: Good, Good Father

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee,
God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee,
Op'ning to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;
Drive the dark of doubt away;
Giver of immortal gladness,
Fill us with the light of day!

All Thy works with joy surround Thee,
Earth and heav'n reflect Thy rays,
Stars and angels sing around Thee,
Center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
Flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,
Chanting bird and flowing fountain
Call us to rejoice in Thee

Closing Song: Cornerstone

V1: My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But, wholly trust in Jesus' name

Christ alone, Cornerstone
Weak made strong in the Savior's love
Through the storm, He is Lord
Lord of all

V2: When darkness seems to hide His face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In every high and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil



Faith Formation

Celebrating Our Blessed Mother ~ Praying the Rosary



Our Sunday Faith Formation children preparing for First Holy Communion take time to pray the rosary together outside. Children placed a rose at the foot of the statue of Our Lady. Together they prayed a decade of the rosary. It is especially fitting as the Catholic Church designates October as the month of the Holy Rosary. Our Lady of the Rosary, pray for us.



This Week in Faith Formation
Sunday, October 23rd – Faith Formation
9:30AM-10:45AM
Wednesday, October 26th -PreK Atrium –
12:30-2:30PM
Wednesday, October 26th – K-8 Faith
Formation Session 5:00-6:15PM
UPCOMING: SAVE THE DATE
A Night in Bethlehem – Wednesday,
December 7th – 5:00-7:00PM -
Volunteers Needed- email: natalie@sjecc.com
if interested.



Adult Faith Formation

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“The Chosen” TV Series about Jesus, Season 1 is now on FORMED.org. FORMED is in the process of producing original Catholic Commentary on each episode of The Chosen with professors from the Augustine Institute Graduate School with an expected release of November 2022. The commentary is designed to serve as a guide to help experience these episodes through a Catholic lens. It will be available soon on FORMED. The Chosen Season 1 has eight episodes and is also available to watch in Spanish. This beautiful crowd-funded project has been viewed over 400 million times worldwide. Our Faith Chat women’s group is currently meeting weekly to view Season 2.

This Week in Adult Faith Formation:

Monday, October 24th RCIA Session 6:00PM – Library, Claussen Center
Wednesday, October 26 – “What We Believe” – 11:30-1:00PM – Nazareth Room
Thursday, October 27th – Faith Chat- Session 9:30-11:00AM –The Chosen: Season 2 - Alexandria Room

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.



Respect Life



September 28 - November 6
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Vigil Hours: Oct 26th 11 am - 5 pm

Learn more...get involved...and sign up for prayer times by visiting:
40DaysforLife.com/FortMeyers

Local Contact: Mary at marythompson211042@gmail.com or Rosemary at 239-250-0432



Knights of Columbus

Baby Bottle Drive



The Knights of Columbus are raising money to help build a Culture of Life in our community. We are planning to purchase an Ultrasound Machine for CPCI (Community Pregnancy Clinics) and provide financial support to other Pro-Life organizations. **Could you please help us by donating?**

Here's how the Baby Bottle Drive works:

- Pick up a Baby Bottle after Mass from the Knights this weekend.
- Take the Baby Bottle home with you. Please fill it with coins, cash, or a check made payable to "St. John's Council 11281". Write "Baby Bottle Drive" on the memo line.
- Drop the Baby Bottle off with the Knights before Mass on the weekends of October 22/23 or October 29/30.



Please give what you can to support these great organizations!



Kristallnacht is recognized by most historians as "the Night the Holocaust Began."

84th Anniversary of KRISTALLNACHT

The Catholic-Jewish Dialogue of Collier County invites the community to this commemorative service.

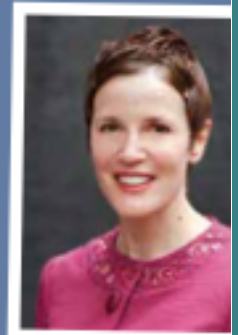
FREE EVENT FOR THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY
Sunday, Nov. 6 at 2:30 pm

Join us at Temple Shalom
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For more information contact: CJDialogue@naples.net

Guest speaker:

Dr. Suzanne Brown-Fleming
Director, International Academic Programs
Mandel Center for Advanced Holocaust Studies
U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum



Keep Christ in Christmas cards will be displayed and available for purchase the weekends of November 5 & 6 and November 12 & 13.

Stop by the "card table" in front of church before or after the 3 pm Saturday Mass or the 9 am, 11 am, or 1 pm Mass on Sunday to make your selection.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27TH, 10AM
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ALL HALLOW'S EVE BASH

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