

Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saint John the Baptist Parish **Parroquia San Juan Bautista**

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Office Hours

Horario de la Oficina

Monday – Thursday / Lunes a Jueves
9:00am - 2:00pm 401-722-9054

Weekend Masses

Misas de fin de semana

Saturday: 4:30pm English / Inglés
Sábado 6:00pm Español / Spanish
Sunday: 9:30am English / Inglés
Domingo 11:30am Español / Spanish

Daily Masses

Misas durante la semana

Monday & Wednesday 8:00am English / Inglés
Martes y Viernes 7:00pm Español / Spanish
Bilingual Mass Saturday / Sábado at 8:00am

Confessions (Chapel) / Confessions (Capilla)

Saturday / Sábado 3:30pm to 4:20pm
& 5:30pm to 5:50pm

Baptism / Bautismo

Baptisms are celebrated on the second Sunday of every Month after the 11:30am Mass. Please call the rectory at least two months in advance.
Los Bautismos se celebran el segundo Domingo de cada mes después de la Misa de las 11:30am.
Llame a la rectoría con 2 meses de anticipación.

Anointing of the Sick

Uncion de los enfermos

Please call the parish
Por favor llamar a la parroquia.

Legión de María

Lunes a las 6:00pm en la Sacristía

Matrimony / Matrimonio

Call one year in advance to begin preparation.
Llamar con un año de anticipación.

Eucharistic Adoration

Adoración Eucarística

Every Friday / Todos los Viernes
9:00am to 6:45pm in the Church / en la Iglesia

Youth Group / Grupo Juvenil

Thursday (Jueves) TBD
from 6:00pm to 7:30pm
(Grades 7th to 12th)

Chiquitin Misionero

Saturdays / Sábados 10am – 12 pm
5 to 7 years old / Niños de 5 a 7 años

Comunidad Evangelizadora (CERS)

Sábado a las 7:00pm en la Capilla

Food Bank / Banco de Comida

July / Julio
Monday / Lunes 22 & 29
9:30am to 11:00am & 6:00pm to 7:00pm
Wednesday / Miércoles
Closed / Cerrado

Hospitality House / Casa de Hospitalidad

Closed during July & August
Cerrada durante Julio y Agosto

New Parishioners

Please call the Rectory to register.
Llamar a la Rectoría para registrarse.

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 7, 2024

Dear Parishioners,

The season of summer is officially underway, as we can tell with the higher temperatures outside. The following beautiful reflection and summer prayer can help us reflect on how important our relationship with the Lord should be every day in our lives.

Summer Reflection

“All of us have so much to be thankful for each day. When we awake to a new day, when a friend is in touch with us, for the food we eat, for the water that flows into our homes, for flowers, birds, trees, our health, for doctors close by who care for us: the list can go on and on. Thanking God should be part of our daily lives. It is also good to tell God about worries and concerns: about jobs, relationships, family, health, whatever comes to mind. Sharing those thoughts with God will often help to lessen the burdens we carry. Take time -- lots of it -- each day to talk to God in prayer. If you spend time with family members or friends, engage them in prayer with you, and listen to how they share their joys/concerns /thanks with God.”

Summer Prayer

“Creator of all, thank You for summer! Thank You for the warmth of the sun and the increased daylight. Thank You for the beauty I see all around me and for the opportunity to be outside and enjoy Your creation. Thank You for the increased time I have to be with my friends and family, and for the more casual pace of the summer season. Draw me closer to You this summer. Teach me how I can pray no matter where I am or what I am doing. Warm my soul with the awareness of Your presence, and light my path with Your Word and Counsel. As I enjoy Your creation, create in me a pure heart and a hunger and a thirst for You. Amen.” God Bless!

Fr. Sistare

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday July 6	4:30pm
+Ashley DeBarros, by her family	
Sunday July 7	9:30am
For the Victims of the Ukraine War, by Roger Theroux	
Monday July 8	8:00am
Wednesday July 10	8:00am
Saturday July 13 Bilingual Mass	8:00am
Vigil Mass	4:30pm
+Antonio DaGraca & Ana DaGraca, by David DaGraca and family	
Sunday July 14	9:30am
Peace in the World, by Roger Theroux	

Collection 6/30	\$3145.00
Ice cream	\$ 260.00
<u>Second Collection</u>	
Fuel/Maintenance	7/14

Sanctuary Lamp for July

For all the blessing received by
Elizabeth & Alan Piedra
By Piedra Family

WE ASK FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For the following parishioners:

Jeanne Jugan Residence : Florence Corneau
& Annette Tetreault
At Home: Jovina De Barros & Joyce Lagesse
St. Antoine: Georgette Smith
Elmhurst Nursing Home: Cesar Zuleta Sr.



“FOLLOW THE SPIRIT’S LEAD” (GAL 5:25)

“The Spirit entered into me and set me on my feet.” —Ezekiel 2:2

Are circumstances going poorly in your life? Are you being opposed by neighbors, co-workers or family members? (Mk 6:1-6) Are those with whom you live “hard of face” and “obstinate of heart”? (Ez 2:4) Are you weak? (2 Cor 12:9-10) Beg the Lord to pour out the Holy Spirit upon you (Rm 5:5)

When the Holy Spirit comes to us, we are strong (2 Cor 12:10). The Spirit enters into us and sets us on our feet (Ez 2:2). We are weak and simple children (2 Cor 12:9-10), but through the Holy Spirit’s gift of wisdom (Is 11:2), He is wise in us. The Holy Spirit makes the difference. The Spirit sets our feet on a rock (Ps 40:3). He gives us courage (2 Tm 1:7) and words to which no one can take exception (Lk 21:15).

The Church burst into the public arena when the Holy Spirit descended upon the apostles and disciples in the upper room (Acts 2:2ff). Walls, locked doors, and fear no longer restrain God’s people once they are filled with the Holy Spirit.

Therefore, beg the Lord for the Holy Spirit (Lk 11:13). Thirst for the Holy Spirit. Stir up the Holy Spirit (2 Tm 1:6-8). Then “follow the Spirit’s lead” (Gal 5:25).

Prayer: Father, Your Son told us to beg You to give us the Holy Spirit (Lk 11:13). I therefore ask You to pour out Your Spirit upon me and seal me in the Spirit (2 Cor 1:22) so I do not leak. Make me a vessel that serves You in all circumstances (2 Tm 2:21; Acts 20:32).

Promise: “My grace is enough for you, for in weakness power reaches perfection.” —2 Cor 12:9

Praise: All praise be to You, risen Jesus. Thank You for lavishing the Spirit on me (Ti 3:6).

Presentation Ministries



*Most
Precious
Blood
Of Jesus,
Save us!*

Mother of Life Center

Dear friends, we are touched by your continued and generous response to our appeals, thanks to which we are now well stocked in many categories of baby and maternity items, allowing us to reliably serve a steady stream of mothers and babies. Help us restock our shelves now with the following: Diapers (disposable): sizes 4, 5, 6. Diaper rash cream. Burp cloths/cloth diapers. Bottles. Baby mittens. Loveys: teddy bears and other baby comfort items. Baby books and rattles. Please collaborate with other parishioners, family, and friends, and then call our Family Advocate, Julie Lamin Sparling, at 401-421-0821 or email julie@motheroflife.org to arrange our grateful reception of your contributions. Your blessed generosity sustains our customers! With perpetual gratitude, in Christ Jesus, the staff of the **Mother of Life Center**

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Soursop

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Oreo
Piña

El fin de semana después de la cada Misa, a \$2.00 cada uno.

Administrative and Membership Coordinator

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Rhode Island is seeking to fill the position of **Administrative and Membership Coordinator**. Located in Cranston, we offer a Catholic environment and an opportunity to serve our neighbors-in-need. Consider joining our team.

Job includes: assisting the Executive Director with administrative work such as filing, data processing, scheduling, emails, memos, grant writing, and light book keeping, as well coordinating and supporting volunteers, events, and phones.

Qualifications: - Experience in office work, strong proficiency in Microsoft Office programs (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access); ability to process accounts payable/receivables if necessary; excellent verbal and written communication skill; strong planning, organizing, and problem-solving skills; team player; willing to accept additional responsibilities; adheres to the tenets of the Catholic Faith.

Part Time 30 hours/week position M-F with the possibility of becoming full time. \$21-\$23/hr.

Qualified applicants should email cover letter and resume to rbrissette@svdpri.org by Friday, July 30.

Coordinadora Administrativa y de Membresía

La Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl, Rhode Island, está buscando cubrir el puesto de **Coordinadora Administrativa y de Membresía**. Ubicados en Cranston, ofrecemos un ambiente católico y la oportunidad de servir a nuestros vecinos necesitados. Considera unirse a nuestro equipo. **El trabajo incluye:** ayudar al Director Ejecutivo con el trabajo administrativo, como la presentación, el procesamiento de datos, la programación, los correos electrónicos, los memorandos, la redacción de subvenciones y la teneduría de libros ligeros, así como la coordinación y el apoyo a los voluntarios, los eventos y los teléfonos. **Requisitos:** - Experiencia en trabajo de oficina, gran dominio de los programas de Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access); capacidad para procesar cuentas por pagar/cuentas por cobrar si es necesario; excelente habilidad de comunicación verbal y escrita; fuertes habilidades de planificación, organización y resolución de problemas; jugador de equipo; dispuesto a aceptar responsabilidades adicionales; se adhiere a los principios de la fe católica. Tiempo Parcial 30 horas/semana puesto L-V con la posibilidad de convertirse en tiempo completo. \$21-\$23/hr. Los solicitantes calificados deben enviar una carta de presentación y un currículum por correo electrónico a rbrissette@svdpri.org antes del viernes 30 de julio.

Décimo Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

7 de Julio, 2024

Queridos feligreses,
La temporada de verano está oficialmente en marcha, como podemos ver con las temperaturas más altas afuera. La siguiente hermosa reflexión y oración de verano puede ayudarnos a reflexionar sobre lo importante que debe ser nuestra relación con el Señor todos los días en nuestras vidas.

Reflejo de verano

“Todos tenemos mucho que agradecer cada día. Cuando nos despertamos a un nuevo día, cuando un amigo está en contacto con nosotros, por los alimentos que comemos, por el agua que fluye en nuestros hogares, por las flores, los pájaros, los árboles, nuestra salud, por los médicos cercanos que nos cuidan: la lista puede seguir y seguir. Agradecer a Dios debe ser parte de nuestra vida diaria. También es bueno decirle a Dios sobre preocupaciones e inquietudes: sobre el trabajo, las relaciones, la familia, la salud, lo que se le ocurra. Compartir esos pensamientos con Dios a menudo ayudará a disminuir las cargas que llevamos. Tómese el tiempo, mucho tiempo, cada día para hablar con Dios en oración. Si pasa tiempo con miembros de la familia o amigos, invítelos a orar y escuche cómo comparten sus alegrías / preocupaciones / gracias a Dios”.

Oración de verano

“Creador de todo, ¡gracias por el verano! Gracias por el calor del sol y el aumento de la luz del día. Gracias por la belleza que veo a mi alrededor y por la oportunidad de estar afuera y disfrutar de Tu creación. Gracias por el aumento de tiempo que tengo para estar con mis amigos y familiares, y por el ritmo más informal de la temporada de verano. Acércame más a ti este verano. Enséñame cómo puedo orar sin importar dónde esté o qué esté haciendo. Calienta mi alma con la conciencia de Tu presencia e ilumina mi camino con Tu Palabra

y Tu Consejo. Mientras disfruto de tu creación, crea en mí un corazón puro y un hambre y una sed de ti. Amén.” ¡Dios los bendiga!

Padre Sistare

INTENCIONES DE LAS MISAS

Sábado 6 de julio Vigilia 6:00pm

En acción de gracias a las Almas del Purgatorio, intención de Santiago Jaramillo

Domingo 7 de julio 11:30am

En acción de gracias por Danny & Dennis Hernández en sus cumpleaños, intención de la familia Hernández

En acción de gracias por la Sra. Ofelia Hernández en su cumpleaños, intención de su familia

+Por el eterno descanso de Alicia Echeverry y Jordan Berson, intención de la familia Durango

+Por el eterno descanso de Juan Cruz y Gustavo Adolfo Cruz, intención de Cristina Cruz

+Por las Almas del Purgatorio, intención familia González Hernández

Martes 9 de julio 7:00pm

+Por las Almas del Purgatorio, intención familia González Hernández

Viernes 12 de julio 7:00pm

+Por las Almas del Purgatorio, intención familia González Hernández

Sábado 13 de julio (Misa Bilingüe) 8:00am

+Por las Almas del Purgatorio, intención familia González Hernández

Vigilia 6:00pm

En acción de gracias a las Almas del Purgatorio, intención de Santiago Jaramillo

Domingo 14 de julio 11:30am

+Por el eterno descanso de Alicia Echeverry y Jordan Berson, intención de la familia Durango

+Por las Almas del Purgatorio, intención familia González Hernández

Colecta 6/30 \$3145.00

Helados \$ 260.00

Segunda Colecta

Gas y mantenimiento 7/14

“DEJÉMONOS CONducIR TAMBIÉN POR EL ESPÍRITU” (GÁL 5:25)

“Un espíritu entró en mí y me hizo permanecer de pie” (Ezequiel 2:2).

¿Las circunstancias van mal en tu vida? ¿Se te oponen vecinos, compañeros de trabajo o familiares? (Mc 6:1-6) ¿Aquellos con quienes vives son “obstinados” y “de corazón endurecido”? (Ez 2:4) ¿Eres débil? (2 Co 12:9-10) Ruega al Señor que derrame sobre ti el Espíritu Santo (Rom 5:5)

Cuando el Espíritu Santo viene a nosotros, somos fuertes (2 Co 12:10). El Espíritu entra en nosotros y nos pone de pie (Ez 2:2). Somos niños débiles y sencillos (2 Co 12:9-10), pero por el don de la sabiduría del Espíritu Santo (Is 11:2), Él es sabio en nosotros. El Espíritu Santo hace la diferencia. El Espíritu pone nuestros pies sobre una roca (Sal 40:3). Él nos da coraje (2 Tim 1:7) y palabras que nadie puede contradecir (Lc 21:15).

La Iglesia irrumpió en la arena pública cuando el Espíritu Santo descendió sobre los apóstoles y discípulos en el aposento alto (Hch 2:2ss). Las paredes, las puertas cerradas y el miedo ya no restringen al pueblo de Dios una vez que están llenos del Espíritu Santo.

Ruega, pues, al Señor por el Espíritu Santo (Lc 11:13). Ten sed del Espíritu Santo. Reavive el Espíritu Santo (2 Tim 1:6-8). Luego, “dejémonos conducir también por el [Espíritu Santo]” (Gál 5:25).

Oración: Padre, tu Hijo nos ha dicho que te roguemos que nos des el Espíritu Santo (Lc 11:13). Por lo tanto, te pido que derrames Tu Espíritu sobre mí y me selles con el Espíritu (2 Co 1:22) para que no tenga fugas. Hazme un vaso que te sirva en todas las circunstancias (2 Tim 2:21; Hch 20:32).

Promesa: “Te basta mi gracia, porque mi poder triunfa en la debilidad” (2 Co 12:9).

Alabanza: Toda alabanza sea para ti, Jesús resucitado. Gracias por derramar el Espíritu sobre mí (Tit 3:6).

Presentation Ministries



Centro Madre de Vida

Queridos amigos, Nos sentimos conmovidos por su continua y generosa respuesta a nuestros llamamientos, gracias a lo cual ahora estamos bien abastecidos en muchas categorías de artículos para bebés y maternidad, lo que nos permite servir de manera confiable a un flujo constante de madres y bebés. Ayúdenos a reabastecer nuestros estantes ahora con lo siguiente: Pañales (desechables): tallas 4, 5, 6. Crema para pañales. Paños para eructar/pañales de tela. Biberones. Manoplas. Loveys: ositos de peluche y otros artículos de consuelo para bebés. Libros para bebés y sonajeros. Por favor, colabore con otros feligreses, familiares y amigos, y luego llame a nuestra Defensora de la Familia, Julie Lamin Sparling, al 401-421-0821 o envíe un correo electrónico a julie@motheroflife.org para organizar nuestra recepción agradecida de sus contribuciones. ¡Su bendita generosidad sostiene a nuestros clientes! Con perpetua gratitud, en Cristo Jesús, el personal del **Centro Madre de Vida**

Priests Take the Place of Jesus



In today's Gospel reading Jesus was preaching in the synagogue. (A synagogue is kind of like your local church building.) The people there didn't believe in Him because they thought they knew Him. They didn't take Him seriously because they knew His family.

Do you know the priest at your church? He takes the place of Jesus at every Mass and when you go to Confession. God gave him a very special job.



However, even though priests have a very special job, they are still people like you. They need lots of help from God to do their job well. We should pray for our priests every day!

Here is a prayer you can say:

*Dear Jesus,
Please bless all priests. Make them be like you. Give them all the help they need to lead us to Heaven.
Thank you for all the priests who have helped me, and please send more good priests to the Church. Amen.*

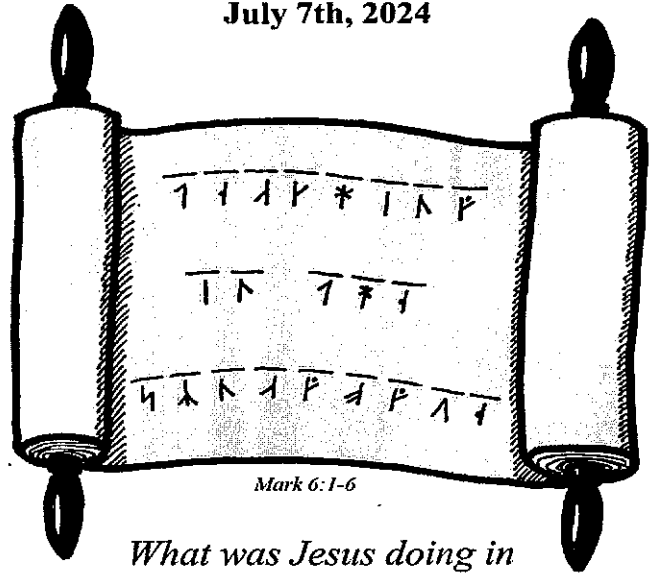


Answer to Word-Find: "That the Power of Christ May Live in Me"

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The Kids' Bulletin

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 7th, 2024



Mark 6:1-6

What was Jesus doing in today's Gospel reading? Use the secret code to find out!

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 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22

SAINT BENEDICT JULY 11

BENEDICT WAS BORN IN THE YEAR 480 TO A WEALTHY ITALIAN FAMILY. HE WENT TO SCHOOL IN ROME BUT BY THE AGE OF 20 HE SAW HOW CORRUPT THE WORLD WAS.

Why is everyone so selfish and sinful?

SO HE LEFT THE CITY AND FOUND A CAVE BY A MOUNTAIN WHERE HE LIVED FOR SEVERAL YEARS.

Oh, this is perfect!

HE FOUGHT TEMPTATIONS TO RETURN TO ROME WITH PRAYER AND SACRIFICE.

Think of that pretty girl.

This is a good time to kneel and think about Jesus' death.

...And now my brother won't repent. What can I do?

SOON PEOPLE HEARD OF HIS HOLINESS AND CAME TO BENEDICT FOR ADVICE.

SOME MONKS ASKED HIM TO LEAD THEM, BUT THEY GOT ANGRY WHEN HE TOLD THEM TO DO PENANCE.

No need?

This is just too much!

SO BENEDICT WENT BACK TO HIS CAVE WHERE HE WROTE A SET OF RULES FOR LIVING A HOLY LIFE.

Simple and reasonable.

So you mean I can become a saint by working in the garden?

Absolutely!

EVENUALLY HE STARTED TWELVE MONASTERIES WHERE MEN LIVED BY HIS RULE. HE TAUGHT THEM THAT THEY COULD BECOME HOLY THROUGH THEIR WORK.

SAINT BENEDICT DIED AT AGE 67. HE IS CALLED THE FOUNDER OF WESTERN MONASTICISM BECAUSE HE WROTE THE RULE AND TAUGHT PEOPLE HOW TO LIVE A SIMPLE LIFE TO BECOME HOLY. HIS RULE IS STILL USED BY PEOPLE ALL OVER THE WORLD. IN 1966 BENEDICT WAS MADE THE PATRON OF ALL EUROPE!

Saint Paul Accepts Suffering from God

POWWEBOASTP
 RPERFECTCHE
 GRACEGLORDR
 LRKHIGESPTS
 AINRMEAACE
 DNEIYDVLUOC
 LSSSIPEVLNU
 YUSTRONGETT
 OLEINWMADEI
 UTSDWELLMNO
 ESAKERMOSTN

Find the words in CAPITALS. The leftover letters tell you why Saint Paul said he would boast of his weakness.



Saint PAUL tells of asking God to take away his suffering: "Three times I BEGGED the LORD about this, that it might LEAVE me, but he said to me, "My GRACE is sufficient for YOU, for power is MADE PERFECT in weakness." I will rather BOAST MOST GLADLY of my WEAKNESSES, in order that the POWER of Christ may DWELL in me. Therefore, I am CONTENT with weaknesses, INSULTS, hardships, PERSECUTION and constraints, for the SAKE of CHRIST; for when I am weak then I am STRONG."

"That the _____ of _____"



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