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SUNDAY, MAY 28, 2023

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." - Jn 20:21

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass:
5:30 PM, 7:00 PM (Spanish)

Sunday Masses:
7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 PM
1:15 PM - Spanish

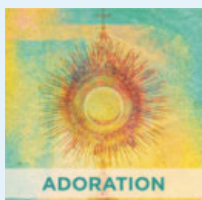
Daily Masses:
Monday—Friday
7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 7:30 PM



Saturday 5:30 pm	<u>May 27</u> Alan Bermudez Marulanda 3rd Anniversary
7:00 pm (Español)	Augusto Mendoza Burgos
Sunday 7:30 am	<u>May 28</u> The People of the Parish
9:00 am	Bryan J. Lizalda
10:30 am	Angel Manangan
12:00 pm	Rodulfo Paracuelles—2nd Anniv.
1:15pm (Español)	Ana Argentina Ruiz
Monday	<u>May 29—MEMORIAL DAY</u> ONLY ONE MASS TODAY
9:00 am	Mary Connolly
Tuesday 7:00 am	<u>May 30</u> Neil Beighley
9:00 am	John Costello
7:30 pm	Joseph Keeney
Wednesday 7:00 am	<u>May 31</u> Theresa Palermo
9:00 am	James Constantine
7:30 pm	Paul & Phoebe Hopper
Thursday 7:00 am	<u>June 1</u> Theresa Palermo
9:00 am	Cecile Anderson
7:30 pm	Sally D. Lee (Daughter) - 48th Anniv.
Friday 7:00 am	<u>June 2</u> Edgardo Morales, Sr.
9:00 am	Abdon Domingo
7:30 pm	Raul & Cymbeline Vano Uy 39th Wedding Anniversary and Deogenes Tan—28th Anniversary
Saturday 7:00 am	<u>June 3</u> Legion of Mary—Birthday Celebrants
9:00 am	Federico Guba, Jr.
5:30 pm	Jill Verga Tabor
7:00 pm (Español)	Maria Vera & Antonio Salina
Sunday 7:30 am	<u>June 4</u> The People of the Parish
9:00 am	Robin Federizo Gamaro
10:30 am	In Honor of St. Gertrude
12:00 pm	Cristina Marzo
1:15pm (Español)	Colombia Arenas y Berta Zambrano
3:00 pm	Special Needs Inclusive Family Mass
5:30 pm (Tagalog)	Special Intention

Prayers for the Deceased

Please remember Consolador Lacap and Marie Picone in your prayers.



Come & Pray

Adoration This Week:
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
12pm—6:30pm

Photo Request

Those who took pictures at Msgr. Richard's Jubilee Mass and reception, are asked to please submit copies to msgrphoto@sjrc.org by **June 1st**, so that a memorial video may be created for Monsignor.

Thank you!



Missions Appeal

Join with the missionaries who dedicate their lives so that others might come to know Christ and live in the faith that is our joy. **Next weekend, a priest from the Philippines, Fr. Frederick Atentar of the Religious Institute of the Alagad ni Maria (Disciples of Mary) will be sharing his missionary experience among the young.** We would like to invite you to take part in his mission apostolate through prayer & donations as he shares the serious challenges that our young people face in the Philippines today.

What an opportunity you will have next weekend to respond to our baptismal call to take part in our Church's missionary challenge...and to receive the full graces of the Eucharist offered for us by this missionary priest.

Please be as generous as possible in responding to our Lord's call to each one of us to take part in His mission to all people.

Next weekend, June 3-4, we will be welcoming the



Corona Self-Help group for their annual visit. They have provided guidance and direction to a number of our parishioners dealing with alcohol or drug addiction in their families, and are more than willing to help anyone who asks. They raise money to continue their work through the sale of tee shirts and other merchandise and accept donations too.

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Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners,

Let me thank EVERYONE who made my ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION last Saturday such a meaningful and memorable occasion! I felt so universally loved by everyone, and the beautiful decorations, liturgy, music, reception, gifts, and every detail spoke so beautifully not only of your care for me but your respect for the priesthood! I will never forget and be forever grateful. As you may know, I will still be here until the end of June. I invite you all to our combined music ministries' Farewell Concert - "Remember Me as Loving You" - on **Sunday, June 11 in Church at 5pm**. It will be an opportunity to enjoy the best of our many parish music groups as well as a farewell medley with you and me.

This weekend we observe the Solemnity of Pentecost, the day when the Holy Spirit came to the Apostles whose preaching from that point onward was filled with grace and power. It is considered the birthday of the Church. It will also give us an opportunity to thank Deacon Airán for his two years of ministry with us. As mentioned last week, he has requested a transfer of assignment from St. John's to Sacred Heart Church in Bloomfield, which is closer to his home and work and which is striving to expand its Hispanic ministry. **I invite you to join other parishioners in wishing him well at an informal reception in Conlon Hall after today's Spanish Mass at 1:15pm.** He was a tremendous help in our RCIA(RICA) and Religious Education programs, as well as Mass and other liturgies! He will be missed by many of us, but we wish him well as he takes this next step in his diaconal ministry!

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS WHO HAVE MADE A PLEDGE TO THIS YEAR'S ANNUAL APPEAL! Our total IS **NOW \$106,635.00 which is almost 102% of our stretch goal of \$104,591.00.** Now comes the next challenge: if those who have already made pledges can complete their payments before June 30, or if new families can make a pledge, and pay it off at the time of the pledge, we will not only be able to receive rebates of half over our goal but also can receive an additional 1% in assessment reductions. This would be an extra benefit to our parish.

Tomorrow, we celebrate **Memorial Day**, remembering all those who served and died defending our country and freedom around the world. **Our single Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am.**

Msgr. Richard Arnholz, Pastor



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"To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good." 1 CORINTHIANS 12:7

To receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit you must open your heart and invite Him in! Ask the Holy Spirit to guide your thoughts, words and actions every day! Be grateful for all the gifts God has given you! Regardless of our individual circumstances, God has given all of us many blessings. What we do with those gifts is our gift back to God! By generously sharing everything we have and everything we are, we become more "God-centered" and less "self-centered" and our lives truly reflect God's light, love and mercy.

Our Sunday Offering: Sunday, April 16, 2023 — \$14,436.21 ~ April 3, 2022 — \$18,687.10

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Escritorio del Párroco

Estimados Feligreses,

¡Permítanme agradecer a TODOS los que hicieron de mi CELEBRACIÓN DE ANIVERSARIO el sábado pasado una ocasión tan significativa y memorable! ¡Me sentí amado por todos, las hermosas decoraciones, liturgia, música, recepción, regalos, y cada detalle hablaron tan bellamente no solo de su cuidado por mí sino de su respeto por el sacerdocio! Nunca lo olvidaré y estaré eternamente agradecido. Como sabrán, seguiré aquí hasta finales de junio. Los invito a todos a nuestro concierto de despedida de ministerios de música - "Remember Me as Loving You" - el **domingo 11 de junio en la iglesia a las 5pm**. Será una oportunidad para disfrutar de lo mejor de nuestros grupos de música parroquial, así como una mezcla de despedida con usted y conmigo.

Este fin de semana observamos la Solemnidad de Pentecostés, el día en que el Espíritu Santo vino a los Apóstoles, cuya predicación desde ese punto en adelante estaba llena de gracia y poder. Se considera el cumpleaños de la Iglesia. También nos dará la oportunidad de agradecer al Diácono Airán por sus dos años de ministerio con nosotros. Como se mencionó la semana pasada, ha solicitado una transferencia de asignación de San Juan a la Iglesia del Sagrado Corazón en Bloomfield, que está más cerca de su hogar y trabajo y que se esfuerza por expandir su ministerio hispano. **Los invito a uniros a otros feligreses para desearle lo mejor en una pequeña recepción en Conlon Hall después de la Misa a la 1:15pm**. ¡Fue una gran ayuda en nuestros programas de RCIA (RICA) y Educación Religiosa, así como en la Misa y otras liturgias! Será extrañado por muchos de nosotros, ¡pero le deseamos lo mejor al dar este siguiente paso en su ministerio diaconal!

¡Felicidades a todos nuestros feligreses que se han comprometido con la Llamada Anual de este año! Nuestro total ES AHORA \$106,635.00 que es casi 102% de nuestra meta de \$104,591.00. Ahora viene el siguiente desafío: si aquellos que ya han hecho promesas pueden completar sus pagos antes del 30 de junio, o si las nuevas familias pueden hacer una promesa, y pagarla en el momento de la promesa, no solo podremos recibir descuentos de la mitad sobre nuestro objetivo, sino que también podremos recibir un 1% adicional en reducciones de evaluación. Esto sería un beneficio extra para nuestra parroquia.

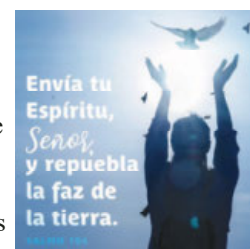
Mañana celebramos Memorial Day, recordando a todos los que sirvieron y murieron defendiendo nuestro país y la libertad en todo el mundo. **Nuestra única Misa se celebrará a las 9:00 am**.

- Monseñor Richard Arnhols, Párroco

Administradores: ¡Compartiendo Nuestro Tiempo, Talento, Y Tesoro!

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Registration for 2023-24 RELIGIOUS ED is now OPEN

If you are new to our program, or your child did not attend in 2022-23, please contact us for information & registration, 201-384-3601 or email roflood@yahoo.com. Spread the word to family and friends with school-age children who are not yet receiving faith formation!

Ministers of Holy Communion

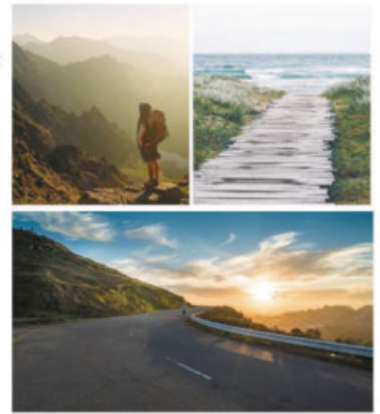
We have begun communion from the cup on Sundays since Holy Thursday, but we would like to also institute it at daily Mass by the day after Pentecost (Memorial Day this year!) We will begin at 7am and 9am daily Masses on Tuesday, but at the 7:30pm only when there are sufficient ministers present. If you are currently a minister and coming to daily Mass, please stop at the sacristy before Mass to let the priest know you are available, so he can prepare the wine and cups accordingly. Also, we will begin a training for new Ministers of Communion, on SATURDAY, JUNE 3, FROM 9:30AM UNTIL 12:30PM IN THE LOWER CHURCH. Speak with one of the priests if you have an interest. Candidates should have completed all their sacraments and, if married, be married in the Church, and in any case, be striving to live a holy life based on Gospel values and Church teaching.

Women & Men Cornerstone ministry at St. John the Evangelist Church has been serving our brothers and sisters for over 21 years. Our goal is to enrich your relationship with our Lord Jesus Christ. Save the date and invite a friend for our next Women's Cornerstone Weekend Retreat taking place next weekend, June 9 & 10, 2023.

For information or registration form contact:

Reyna Berroa: rhalbert022@gmail.com

WC's sisters: Food donation and crew contact Baby Hiltch.

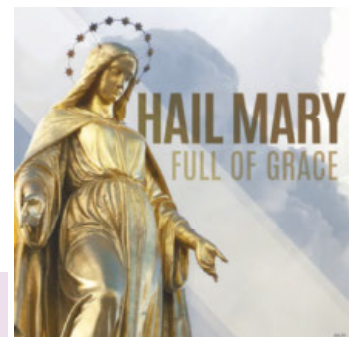


FRIDAY, JUNE 2

DAY OF PRAYER & FASTING

EQUAL RIGHTS For babies in the Womb

Please join in prayer and fasting on June 2nd (First Friday) for Equal Rights for Babies in the Womb in NJ and for an end to abortion. Fasting can be from food, media, etc. as you are able. The goal is to get 500 people praying monthly for the unborn in NJ. Prayer changes things! Add your name to the tally each month at: EqualRightsforBabiesintheWomb.com/prayerandfasting/



SAVE THE DATE!

PARISH CARNIVAL

2023

AUGUST 15-19

St. John's Prayer Groups

Legion of Mary —Meets each Saturday, 9:30am-11:00am in the Lower Church (English)

Padre Pio Prayer Group—Meets on the 3rd Saturday of each month, 3pm—5pm in the Lower Church.

St. John's Youth Group — Meets on Sunday 7pm-9pm, Youth Room, Lower Church. For more information contact Eric Acosta, ericacosta7@msn.com

EL Shaddai DWXI-PPFI Bergenfield Cell Group —Meets 2nd & 4th Saturday 1:30pm-5:30pm in the Lower Church. Come & Be Blessed by the "Healing Message". For more info, contact Lhot Liwanag at 201.233.8235 or John Teopengco at 201.658.4032.

Anointing Fire Ministry Group —Meets Mondays 7pm-10pm in the Parish Life Center Chapel. Also, meets the 2nd Friday of the month from 10pm—6:30am for Eucharistic Adoration & Praise, in the Lower Church.

Join us
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First Saturday
of each month

June 3
6:30am-4:30pm

Adoration Chapel
ramp side



La despedida de nuestro Diácono Airán sera este domingo 28 de mayo, después de la Misa de 1:15pm en Conlon Hall. Todos están invitados.

De antemano agradecemos a nuestro Diácono Airán por sus 2 años de servicio en nuestra parroquia y le deseamos las mejores bendiciones en su ministerio y nueva parroquia donde ira a servir, y gracias a ustedes por unirse a este evento y sus donativos.

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Horario de esta semana:
martes, miércoles y jueves

12pm—6:30pm



*El próximo fin de semana,
3—4 de junio*

daremos la bienvenida al grupo de autoayuda Drogadictos Anonimos, para su visita anual. Han proporcionado orientación y Dirección a varios de nuestros feligreses que se preocupan de la adicción al alcohol o las drogas en sus familias, y están más que dispuestos para ayudar a cualquiera que lo solicite. Recaudan dinero para continuar su trabajo a través de la venta de camisetas y otras mercancías y aceptan donaciones también.

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La Palabra ~ lunes, Iglesia de abajo de 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm

Legión de María ~ martes, Capilla del Parish Life Center de 6:00pm ~ 7:30pm

Tienda del Encuentro ~ martes, Basement del Parish Life Center de 7:00pm ~ 10:00pm

Emaús Mujeres ~ miércoles, Iglesia de abajo de 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm

Emaús Hombres ~ miércoles, Basement del Parish Life Center de 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm

Grupo de Oración Luz y Vida ~ jueves, Iglesia de abajo de 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm

Devoción a la Preciosa Sangre de Cristo ~ viernes, Basement del Parish Life Center de 8:00pm ~ 9:00pm

Ministerio Matrimonios Con Cristo ~ tercer viernes del mes, Iglesia de abajo de 8:00pm ~ 9:45pm



El Padre César les extiende la invitación a la peregrinación del próximo año a Italia, El Vaticano y Tierra Santa. No tenemos fecha ni precios aun, pero probablemente la fecha sea entre finales de junio y finales de agosto. Esto quiere decir que desde ya pueden empezar ahorrando, ya que hay más de un año. Por ahora les compartimos este código QR, el cual puede escanear con su celular y allí le saldrá un formato para que deje algunos datos básicos si está interesado en la peregrinación, y tan pronto tengamos fechas y precios, le contactaremos.



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