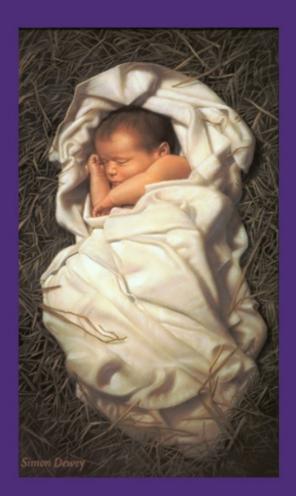
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EMMANUEL



Our greatest gift

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 23, 2018

 Parish Office:
 856-983-0077

 Religious Education:
 856-983-7575

 School:
 856-983-0774

Youth Ministry: 856-983-7674
Music Ministry: 856-985-5461

Convent: 856-983-0258



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Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday

9:30am-12:30pm, 2pm-5pm, 6pm-8:30pm

Friday

9:30am-12:30pm, 2pm-5pm **Saturday**

9:30am to 12pm

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Msgr. Richard D. LaVerghetta,
Pastor

Rev. Jorge Bedoya, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Michael DeSaye, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Richard Regan,

Weekend Assistant

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Mrs. Linda Mueller,

Director of Religious Education

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Mr. Jay Keesler, Youth Minister

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ALL ARE WELCOME!

God's love knows no boundaries and neither do we! Consider making St. Joan of Arc your home parish.

Register online at www.stjoans.org or stop in the office.

SUNDAY LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9am, 10:30am & Noon

Korean Mass: 3:30pm on the 2nd Sunday of the month

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 7am & 9amTuesday,

Thursday: 9am & 7pm Saturday: 9am

Tuesday, Thursday: 7am Morning Prayer with Communion

CONFESSIONS

Saturday, 4pm Anytime by appointment.

BAPTISMS

We celebrate Baptisms most Sunday afternoons at 1:30pm. The baptism of your child is a great time to renew your own faith in Jesus Christ. Call the Office to schedule 856-983-0077

WEDDINGS and BLESSING OF CIVIL MARRIAGES

Congratulations on your engagement! We are happy you have chosen to have a Church wedding! Please call the Office as soon as possible to schedule a date and to begin Marriage Preparation. Before planning a destination wedding, please call the Church to discuss ways in which you can have your marriage blessed in the Church. 856-983-0077.

HOW TO BECOME CATHOLIC

We have special programs for children, teens and adults who would like to become Catholic or complete their Sacraments. Please call 856-983-0077.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENEDICTION



Tuesday evening's
Eucharistic
Adoration
5:00pm - 6:30pm
Benediction 6:30pm

Advent Reflection by Bishop Robert Barron The great liturgical season of vigilance, of waiting and watching.

"As you keep vigil before the Blessed Sacrament, bring to Christ some problem or dilemma that you have been fretting over, and then say: "Lord, I'm waiting for you to solve this, to show me the way out, the way forward. I've been running, planning, worrying, but now I'm going to let you work." Then, throughout Advent, watch attentively for signs.

Also, when you pray before the Eucharist, allow your desire for the things of God to intensify; allow your heart and soul to expand. Pray, "Lord, make me ready to receive the gifts you want to give," or even, "Lord Jesus, surprise me.""

GOSPEL LUKE 1:39-45

Mary set out and traveled to the hill country in haste to a town of Judah, where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth.

When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the infant leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth, filled with the Holy Spirit, cried out in a loud voice and said, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb.

And how does this happen to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me? For at the moment the sound of your greeting reached my ears, the infant in my womb leaped for joy. Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled."

ADVENT FOUR/2018 Believe. Again.

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

Mary moves "in haste" to visit her cousin Elizabeth. Many of us are moving hastily (perhaps even frantically) to finish up last minute preparations — shopping, cooking, wrapping, that sort of thing.

The baby in Elizabeth's womb "leaps for joy" upon hearing the greeting of Mary. Little kids everywhere are jumping up and down with excitement and anticipation as we count down the last hours until Christmas morning.

In all of the activity of the Gospel, Elizabeth recognizes the sacredness of the moment: "Blessed is the fruit of your womb," she says to Mary. Elizabeth knows she is in the presence of the Messiah, Jesus. She says to Mary: "Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled."

May these last two days of Advent remind us that Christmas is, most especially, a feast of faith! Christmas is about believing in God, believing in God's presence among us (Emmanuel!), believing that Jesus Christ is the Son of God, the Messiah, the Savior of the world, believing that God's promises will be fulfilled.

The Christmas story begins with a young girl, Mary, believing, trusting in God's presence and promise. The Christmas story continues with our faith in that same God. The Christmas story continues today with our trust in the presence and promise of God.

In the midst of our haste and hurry, in the midst of great anticipation and excitement, let us take some time to pause and believe in something so much bigger than all of us: Emmanuel! God with us!

Peacel

"How Did an Active Faith Life Begin for You?" Small Groups Discussion Questions:

Just as in the birth of Jesus, the Holy Spirit is active in our own time. How do you experience the Holy Spirit working in your life?

John the Baptist first prophesies to Jesus' presence by leaping for joy in Elizabeth's womb...... In this season of Advent and Christmas does your joy point to the risen Lord? How?

Mary and Elizabeth share each other's joy and offer strength to one another in their pregnancies. In our spiritual life we need companions who can point out where God is working in our lives?

Other times we are called to be the one who bears witness to Christ's presence in another. How might we cultivate these spiritual friendships?

To be consecrated is to be set apart for a holy purpose. How do our lives give testimony to being consecrated?

Emmanuel: God's Greatest Gift

Christmas is all about gift-giving. Why is this? Because at Christmas we celebrate God's greatest gift to us — the baby Jesus! God's greatest gift is the gift of Himself, His presence here within each one of us.

The greatest gift we can give to our children is the gift of faith in Jesus Christ.

The greatest gift we can give to one another is our

unconditional love.

The greatest gift we can give to God is our service to those in need, to the poor, the forgotten, the lonely and the hurting.

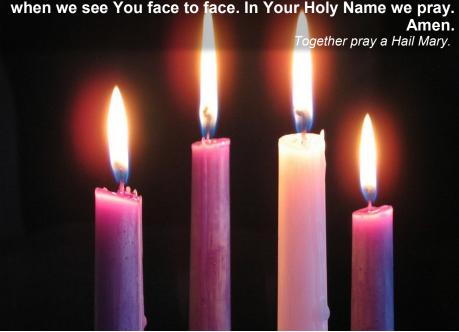
ADVENT WEEK FOUR

PRAYER FOR LIGHTING THE 4th ADVENT CANDLE

Members of the household gather around the wreath.

The candle is lit & one person prays aloud:

O Jesus, Emmanuel, God-With-Us, this fourth week will be but two days — may the flame of these Advent candles remind us that time goes by so quickly. May we recognize Your presence among us, here and now, until the great day when we see You face to face. In Your Holy Name we pray.





A Prayer for Christmas Morning (before beginning the day, take a moment on your knees, beside your bed, and offer a prayer of thanks to God) Dear God,

Thank, you God, for your many gifts: the gift of my life, my family and friends.

Thank you, God, for your greatest gift, Jesus Christ, who is our Lord and Savior.

Help me to be a gift of love and joy and peace to everyone I meet on this Christmas Day and throughout the new year to come.

Amen.

The Priests, Sisters,

Deacons and entire St. Joan of Arc

Staff wish you and your loved
ones a Most Merry Christmas and a

very Happy, Holy New Year.

May God bless you

now and always!

Christmas Mass Schedule



Christmas Eve

3pm

5pm Children's Mass 7:30pm Choir Mass Musical Prelude 7:00pm 9:30pm 12 Midnight

Christmas Day
8am 10am 12pm

All Masses Will Be Held in the Church

PRAYERS AND INTENTIONS

ERNACLE CANDLE INTENTION

Our Tabernacle Candle will remain lit during the week of December 23rd to December 29th, In Memory of Michael Mannery Requested by The Fleischman Family

WE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

John Pantealone, Benny Bundens. Doris Richmond, Richard Croker, Frances McQuillin, Mari Scicero, Angela Lombardo, Olivia Demmler & Mario Tomaino

PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

MILITARY Kindly pray for the welfare of PFC. Elliot Adkisson, III, Jason Alexander, Matthew Alexander, CMS Michael Allen, Cpl. Jason Annese, Josh Blassman, USCGA Cadet 1/C Justin Beck, Bryan Bolt III, Marine Cpl. Justin Ryan Booth, USCGA Cadet 1/C Jack Brandt, Kevin Brodwater, USN, Kyle Brodwater, USN, Col. Denis Brown, Maj. Ryan Brunk, Staff Sgt. John Ciacci, Michael Costello, Joseph DeStefano, Josh Dikmak, LtCol. Christopher DiNote, John Dixon, Sgt. Kevin Dougherty, LCpl. Silvio Duplechan Jr., Sgt. Mohamed Embaby, Pvt. Andrew Ensign, James Evans, Col. Gerard Gagnon, Pvt. Nicholas Gianni, E3 Lucas Goergen, Cpl. Michael Goncalves, SPC Evan Grabowski, Andrew Guattari, Maj. John Harding, LtCol. Bill Harkins, James Hayes, Rick Heipertz, Sqt. Jeffrey Jayne, PFC. David Johnson. Amn Kris Knaup, Brian Kohler, Sgt. Jonathan Krall, 2nd Lt. Trevor Kuroczka, Lt. Scott Lafferty, USAF, Lt. John Paul Lamorte, USCG, A1C Class Daniel Little, SSG Stephen MacCrory, William Mace, Bryan Marines, Cpl. Anthony Mastrangelo, PFC Class Matthew Mastrangelo, LT Shane Mauro USN, Brenden McKittrick, Sgt. Brian McNally USAF, Sgt. Luke McNally USMC, SSG Richard Miller III, Cpl. Timothy Miller, Lt. JD Maggie Montesanti-Bowen USN, 9:00 AM Cpl. Shannyn Noone, A1C Anthony Orlando Jr., USMC, Sgt. Michael Peterson, Bob Poller, Sr Chief USN Kimberly Ripoli, Doug Sackett, Clinton Scheibner USN, Col. Dan Shanahan, PFC Joseph Seller, Molina Semple, LtCol. Matthew Stanley, Dallas Thorp, Luke Williams, PFC Tristan Wood,

SSgt. Jaried Zavatter, USN Robert Zielinski

& Sgt. Alexander Zink, USMC.

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		MASS INTENTIONS		
	Monday	December 24		
	3:00 PM	Don, Steven, Jeffery & George Kelly r/o Family		
		Lori Cudemo r/o Maria & Martin		
		Anthony & Gertrude Presti, Nicholas & Antoinette		
	5.00 DM	Petruzzi r/o Tom & Sharon Presti Children of SJA		
	5:00 PM	Jimmy Gray & Rudolph Olson r/o The Ferrara Family		
		Eileen Lafferty Marmino r/o Loving Family		
	7:30 PM	Bill Silk r/o Wife Eileen & Family		
	,	Frank, Helen & Francis Manco r/o Family		
		Edith & Anthony Arigo r/o Family		
	9:30 PM	Killian Baldwin r/o Family		
,	12:00 AM	Msgr. Armand Pedata r/o Family		
		Daniel Hawkes r/o Mom, Dad, Gavin & Morgan		
		Pat Bakey r/o The Bakey Family		
	Tuesday	December 25		
	8:00 AM	Richard Greco r/o Wife Gloria William Griechen r/o Wife Dolores		
	10:00 AM	Joe McBride r/o Wife Jackie & Family		
	10.00 AW	Saverio &Claire Rescigno r/o Children & Grandchildren		
		Msgr. Alex Palmieri r/o Family		
		Fred Schank r/o John & Christine Kupcha		
١	12:00 PM	Parishioners & Benefactors		
		Maeve Murphy r/o Ed & Maureen Wheeler		
		December 26		
	9:00 AM	Margaret Leve		
		r/o Mr. & Mrs. John Carroll Sr. Walter Coderre r/o The Nardi Family		
,		Anna Camoratto r/o Friends & Family		
	Thursday	December 27		
	9:00 AM	Kevin Kane r/o Family		
,	7.00 AW	Patricia Leigh r/o Emily Hahn		
	Friday	December 28		
	9:00 AM	Sue Marzilla r/o Her Sister Mae		
).00 / HVI	James & Marie Parrillo r/o Daughter Lee Thurber		
		Bill Silk r/o Wife Eileen & Family		
	Saturday	December 29		
	9:00 AM	Daniel & Mary Corcoran		
		r/o Mary Anne Jackson		
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Richard Shontz Jr r/o Kathy Milano

5:30 PM Fran McCooley r/o Fr Leon Marie Ordine r/o Bob & Angie Pino Tony Amico r/o Wife Cathy & Family

Sunday December 30

7:30 AM **John Wilkie** r/o *Jim & Elaine*

Elmer & Anna Buettger r/o Ron Thompson & Family

Frank Giglio r/o Betty & Vince Maffei

9:00 AM Josephine Lyszkiewicz r/o Jim & Eleanor Coxe

Christmas Flower Intentions

Harper Mae Graham r/o Dan Haverstick
10:30 AM Ray Merski r/o The Ronayne Family.
Tony Gambone r/o Jim & Eleanor
Joan Maier Mueller r/o Barry & Alice Tarzy

12:00 PM

Mary Smerecki r/o Roberta & John Kolarick
Charles Osborne r/o Tess, Charles & Philip
James Ricciuti r/o George & Annette Forman

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

....Where our BIG church gets small.



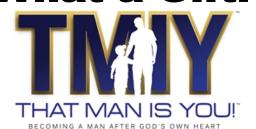
Where two or more are gathered....share your answers to the questions on today's gospel

It's NEVER, **EVER** too late to join in

Sign Up Now!

www.stjoans.org/smallgroups

Merry Christmas What a Gift!



Men, we would love to share this wonderful gift we've received. Come, join us. We return in January. Sign up or just show up

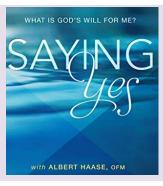
go to www.stjoans.org/tmiy



Discover Something More:

Resumes Wednesday January 9th, 6:30am Pedata Hall

For more information email
Dolores or Marlene at wwp@stjoans.org
Visit www/stjoans.org/wwp



FIRST FRIDAY

Friday, January 4th 9:45am Pedata Hall

Our First Friday program of 2019 will be held on Friday, January 4, 2019 at 9:45AM in Pedata Hall. We will be viewing "A Discerning Lifestyle". It is the fourth DVD in the series, "What is God's Will For Me, Saying Yes" by Fr. Albert Haase. Coffee and Bagels will be waiting for you. Hope you can join us to start 2019. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

WINGS Large Group Meeting

7-9pm Pedata Hall

Open to All High School & 8th Grade Students

In 2018 we celebrate 37 years of service to the Parish. Come, grow in your faith & give service to the Parish & the Community.

As Pope Francis said Lets go make a Mess!
Have Fun with your Friends and Make New Ones
Travel, Trips, Great Events!

Join the Parish Youth Group Wings, St Joan of Arc's Youth Group, which meets Sundays from 7pm to 9pm in Pedata Hall. The meetings include group discussion, fun games & refreshments. All eligible teens are strongly encouraged to attend.

WINGS COLLEGIATE CATHOLICS

Meetings 1st & 3rd Thursdays ~ Youth Room ATTENTION ALL COLLEGE STUDENTS

COMMUTING or HOME ON BREAK
Announcing a new group forming for collegiate young
adults to socialize and practice service & faith with like
minded peers. Meetings will be held on the 1st & 3rd
Thursdays of the month @ 8pm in the Youth Room.
Questions: Call Jay Keesler, Youth Minister at
856-313-9304 or jaykeesler@yahoo.com



Check out our **NEWLY** designed containers located in the main entrance & the Pedata Hall entrance. We want to extend a big thank you to all parishioners and school families for continuing to send in your Box Tops. Every valid Box Top submitted becomes money that goes *directly* to St. Joan of Arc School. Please continue to clip & drop off your Box Tops & remember every clip counts! Check out www.BTFE.com or a list of participating products and more exciting information. Questons?

Lisa Guirguis at summerbaby24@comcast.net

ST. JOAN OF ARC SCHOOL

ANSWER GOD'S CALL

- Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from all of us at St. Joan of Arc School! Take time to enjoy the days with family, friends, and our parish community.
- Cheer on your favorite Girls' JV
 Basketball team! The JV Girls'
 Basketball tournament will be held at
 SJA in the gym on December 26 & 27.
- Save the date! Our annual Night at the Races will be Friday, February 22. We are betting you will have a great time!



SUNDAY MORNINGS

9am Mass 1st & 2nd Sunday of the month 10:30 Mass 3rd & 4th Sunday of the month

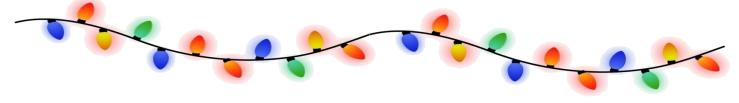
PreK-6 is invited to join us in our very own
Children's Liturgy of the word. Young adults 6-8th
grade are invited to be readers. For more information
check us out online @ www.stjoans.org or email us
at childrensliturgy@stjoans.org

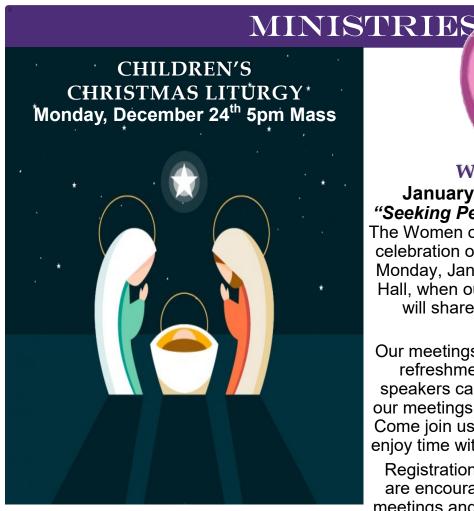


A Catholic Weekly Morning Parenting Group
Interested...

email Ariseandshine@stjoans.org

Growing, Living, Building





BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you would like to publish an announcement in the bulletin please send all requests to **publications@stjoans.org**All requests must be submitted no later than the Monday before the weekend you would like them published.



January 14th 6:45pm Pedata Hall
"Seeking Peace the World Cannot Give"
The Women of Faith Ministry will continue our celebration of the Fruits of the Holy Spirit on Monday, January 14, at 6:45 p.m. in Pedata Hall, when our own Father Michael DeSaye will share with us his insights into the Fruit of Peace.

Our meetings begin with fellowship and light refreshments at 6:45 p.m., so that our speakers can begin promptly at 7 p.m. and our meetings can conclude right at 8:30 p.m. Come join us to inspire your spiritual life and enjoy time with other women from our parish!

Registration is not required, and all women are encouraged to attend any or all of our meetings and bring friends! If you would like to receive notice through email of future meetings, please feel free to fill out our registration form, which can be found in the church lobby or on the parish website under "Women of Faith."

Please contact
Kathy Burns at (609) 923-7222
or <u>kathleensburns@aol.com</u>
for more information.



MINISTRIES

MARCH for LIFE Friday January 18th

All are welcome to join the five area parishes as we march to demonstrate our commitment for LIFE. Buses leave St. Mary of the Lakes after the 7:15am Mass.

Cost: Adults \$20, Students \$15

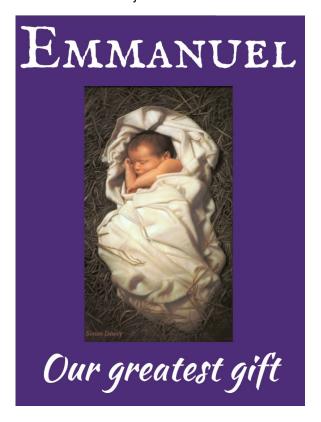
For those unable to walk, arrangements have been made for you to stay at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Sandwiches from Murphy's will be provided for the ride home, your choice of turkey, roast beef or veggie. Please bring a bag lunch for the trip there. Students under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult & have parental What: We pray, we share, we support. We don't permission. For more information please call Gene Kotowski 609-238-6807 or email

eugenekotowski@aol.com. When leaving a message please provide your sandwich selection & if you'll be staying at the Basilica or attending the march.

"ABIDE IN ME"

Intercessory Prayer Ministry Abide DO YOU NÉED PRAYER OR WANT TO PRAY FOR OTHERS?

Wednesdays 1-2 pm - Gathering Room &/or join our email prayer chain www.stjoans.org/ministries/abide-in-me To ask for prayer or to pray with us email abideinme@stjoans.org or call Marijane 609-744-7579



AOA

"ACCOMPANYING ONE ANOTHER" On the Journey through "ADDICTION TO RECOVERY"

A Christ centered ministry of spiritual support for anyone on their journey through addiction to recovery or anyone accompanying a loved one on their journey.

When: Every Sunday @ 7pm.

Where: Cafeteria

Guided by the "12 Steps" & related scriptures How:

from Life Recovery Bible.

judge nor give advice.

Why: We are family.

Who: Anyone impacted by this disease - All are

Welcome!

For more information visit: www.stjoans.org/AOA.

To have a conversation contact: Deacon Tom at

(856-983-0077, ext. 306) or tom.murphy@stjoans.org.

WEDDING BANNS

Third Publications

Christopher Vittese & Ashley Verner

Thinking of Joining the KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS? Visit www.kofc.org/un/newjoin/en

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

In Honor of Fr. Rich Monday, January 21st 1pm Pedata Hall

The Knights of Columbus Council 6530 is sponsoring a Martin Luther King Day Blood Drive Monday, Jan. 21st. Father Rich has challenged the Knights & parish to collect a minimum of at least 60 units of blood on this important day of service. The time will be from 1pm till 6pm in Pedata Hall. One pint of blood donated can help to save up to 3 lives. The donation is painless and lasts about one hour. Walk ins are always welcome but it is strongly suggested that you schedule an appointment at the Red Cross website: www.redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE. All presenting donors will receive a coupon for a free coffee & donut from Dunkin Donuts. Pizza will be served during the drive compliments of Dominos Pizza. If you have any questions about the blood drive please feel free to call Dean DeRose at 856-596-6404 or email roseman1957@comcast.net.

CARITAS CORNER

FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

Sensory Friendly Mass Schedule

Sunday, January 27th

12:00 Noon

TLC Adult Friends with Special Needs Social Group (ages 18-39)



Friday, January 25th 7-9pm Winter Games ~ Pedata Hall

Heart to Heart Parent Support Group for Special Needs



January 16th 7:00-8:30PM Rectory Dining Room

Special Disciples **REM for Special Needs**

For more information contact: Linda Mueller. DRE at 856-983-7575 or Linda.Mueller@stjoans.org aritas

Sponsored by Caritas Ministry for Special Needs Please visit us online @ stjoans.org Or contact us at: caritas@stjoans.org

PARISH HEALTH MINISTRY

- Difficulty hearing, please ask the usher for a hearing amplifier.
- Dietary restrictions, a low gluten host is available for Holy Communion. Line up in the center aisle before everyone else receives Communion. First time you are receiving the low gluten host, please let the priest or deacon know before Mass begins.
- A Transport wheelchair is available to assist transitioning from the car to the church. Please see Housekeepers Health Ministry
- In case of emergency, an AED is located in the hall by the Sacristy door near Pedata Hall. For More Information about the Heath Ministry Contact Carolyn Bitzer 732-887-0898 or email health@stjoans.org

DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

If you need a wheelchair, crutches, walker, cane or other equipment, we might have them. Call Pat Morgan at 856-983-5656 to inquire about an item you need or would like to donate.

MINISTRIES

ST. NICHOLAS TOY DRIVE

THANK YOU!

To all who left gifts in the foyer or dropped off gift cards for the children of families in need, thank you! Numerous gifts and gift cards were donated to Mt. Carmel Guild in Trenton. Many families will be able to provide Christmas presents to their children because you, their brothers and sisters at St. Joan of Arc, shared God's love with them. May the birth of Our Lord and Savior fill you and your families with joy and peace always!

PRAY THE ROSARY

The Path To Jesus Is Through Marv

Monday to Saturday 8:25 am - Church Wednesday Nights 7:00 pm - Church 1st Saturday of Every Month 3:00 pm Pedata Hall The Blessed Mother has told us to pray the rosary every day. This is Heaven's intervention to achieve world peace. Please Join Us In Prayer.

ST. ANDREW CHRISTMAS NOVENA PRAYER

Hail and blessed be the hour and moment in which the Son of God was born of the most pure Virgin Mary, at midnight, in Bethlehem, in piercing cold. In that hour, vouchsafe, O my God! to hear my prayer and grant my desires, through the merits of Our Savior Jesus Christ, and of His Blessed Mother, Amen.



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Www.wileymission.org or fax resume to 856-983-0612

For more information or ?'s call 856-983-0411 or email hr@wileymission.org

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or drop in the collection basket or at the rectory office. Online donations can be made by logging on to

www.dioceseoftrenton.org/catholicappeal

Be sure to designate St. Joan of Arc Parish

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday, December 23

2:00pm Children's Christmas Liturgy Rehearsal - Church

7:00pm Wings - Pedata Hall

7:00pm AOA Meeting - Cafeteria

Monday, December 24

School & Parish Offices Closed

Tuesday, December 25

School & Parish Offices Closed

Wednesday, December 26

School & Parish Offices Closed

9:00am Girls JV Christmas Tournament - Gym

1:00pm Abide in Me - Gathering Room

7:00pm Rosary - Church

Thursday, December 27

9:00am Girls JV Christmas Tournament - Gym

Saturday, December 29

2:00pm Altar Servers Christmas Party - Pedata Hall

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

We are so close to reaching our goal. If you have not made your pledge yet, please prayerfully consider doing so. Thank you! ~ Fr. Rich

1054 Gifts **\$104,830** Total Pledged

\$111,189 Parish Goal

Your contributions to the Annual Catholic Appeal will help support

- Catholic Education Administration and Ministries
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