

5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 5, 2023

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Office Hours

Monday - Thursday

9:30am - 12:30pm

2pm - 5pm and 6pm - 8:00pm

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

Saturday 9:30am - 12:00pm

Click <u>Here</u> to Request a Mass Card

Pastoral Staff

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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 <u>www.stjoans.org</u> or stop in the office.

SUNDAY LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:30PM; Sunday 7:30am, 9am, 10:30am & 12pm Livestream Sunday: 10:30am Live streams available on Website: <u>www.stjoans.org</u> Facebook: <u>StJoansMarlton</u> & YouTube: <u>StJoanOfArcNJ</u>

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Wednesday, Friday:9am(Livestream Available)Tuesday & Thursday:7am & 9am(Livestream Available)Saturday:9am9amMorning Prayer (Mon, Wed, Fri):7am

CONFESSIONS Saturdays at 4:00pm & by appointment.

BAPTISMS

We celebrate Baptisms most Sunday afternoons. The baptism of your child is a great time to renew your own faith in Jesus Christ. Call the Office to schedule at 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.

LOVE IS IN THE AIR

Congratulations to all who have been recently engaged! We invite you to consider a Church wedding (contrary to what you may have heard, Church weddings do not have to be BIG church weddings!). We would be honored to help you prepare for your wedding day. Please call the Parish Office (ask for Pat—856.983.0077) at your earliest convenience. Marriage prep in the Church is easier (and more fun) than you may think!

CONSIDERING A DESTINATION WEDDING?

If you are considering a destination wedding, please give us a call to discuss available options to have your marriage blessed as one of the seven Sacraments. Even if you aren't sure what the Sacrament of Marriage is all about, give us a call. We think you will be pleasantly surprised!

ALREADY CIVILLY MARRIED?

Or married in another faith tradition? We would love to talk to you about having your marriage blessed in the Catholic Church.

Call today: 856.983.0077 Or Email: <u>richard.laverghetta@stjoans.org</u> jm.patilla@stjoans.org

PRAYERS & INTENTIONS

TABERNACLE CANDLE INTENTION

Our Tabernacle Candle will remain lit during the week of February 5th to February 11th in memory of: *Sally and Jack Emrey* Requested by: The Daniels Family

WE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Richard F. Nocella, Annette Di Paolo, Roxanne Thompson, Mary Pat Maier, Jim Jackson, James Miller, and Brian Miller

REMEMBER OUR DECEASED

Please pray for the soul of Mary Linda Saldutti whose Funeral Mass was celebrated January 30th. Please pray for the soul of Mary Cavallaro whose Funeral Mass was celebrated February 1st. Please pray for the soul of Lydia V. Perrone whose Funeral Mass was celebrated February 2nd. Please pray for the soul of Joseph F. Jordan whose Funeral Mass was celebrated February 4th. Please pray for the soul of Travis E. Martin whose Funeral Mass was celebrated February 4th.

PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

KINDLY PRAY FOR THE WELFARE OF

Cmdr. Matthew Buyske, Sgt Elliot Adkisson III, Jason Alexander, Matthew Alexander, Cms Michael Allen, Cpl Jason Annese, Josh Blassman, LTJG Justin Beck, Bryan Bolt III, Cpl Stephen Bray III, LTJG Jack Brandt, Col Denis Brown, Maj Ryan Brunk, SSG John Ciacci, Michael Costello, MSgt Zachary Crawford, Gwen Daley SR, Joseph DeStefano, Josh Dikmak, Col Christopher DiNote, John Dixon, LCpl Silvio Duplechan Jr, Sgt Mohamed Embaby, Pvt Andrew Ensign, James Evans, Luca Franchi, Col Gerard Gagnon, E3 Lucas Goergen, Cpl Michael Goncalves, Spc Evan Grabowski, Andrew Guattari, LtCol John Harding, LtCol Bill Harkins, James Hayes, Rick Heipertz, Spc James Heisler, Spc William Hornung, Sgt Jeffrey Jayne, PFC David Johnson, Matt Kotowski, PO2 Dixon Kehoe, PO3 Maxx Kehoe, SSgt Kris Knaup, Brian Kohler, Sgt Jonathan Krall, 2nd Lt Trevor Kuroczka, Cpt Scott Lafferty, Lt John Paul Lamorte, Pvt Matthew LaRosa, A1C Class Daniel Little, SSG Stephen MacCrory, William Mace, Bryan Marines, Cayden Martin, Pvt. 1st Class Matthew Marthins, Cpl Anthony Mastrangelo, PFC Class Matthew Mastrangelo, LT Shane Mauro, Brenden McKittrick, Sgt Brian McNally, Sgt Luke McNally, SSG Richard Miller III, Cpl Timothy Miller, Lt Maggie Montesanti-Bowen, Cpl Shannyn Noone, A1C Anthony Orlando Jr, Sgt Michael Peterson, Bob Poller, Sr Chief Kimberly Ripoli, Doug Sackett, Clinton Scheibner, Lt Andrew Schwalbenberg, Col Dan Shanahan, PFC Joseph Seller, Molina Semple, LT Gregory Swift, Dallas Thorp, Pvt Jake Witham, Luke Williams, PFC Tristan Wood, SSgt Jaried Zavatter, Robert Zielinski, Pvt. Ian S. Evans & Cpt. Shaun T. Lieb EOD, Jack M. Tarzy, MIDN 4/C

MASS INTENTIONS

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	Monday	February 6	
	9:00 AM	Brian Picollo r/o Joanne Swift Hummel	
		Eileen Paulmeno r/o Foran Family	
		Margaret C. Sholette r/o Bill & Sue Screnci	
	Tuesday	February 7	
	7:00 AM	The Fitzgerald Family r/o Peg Pendergast	
	9:00 AM	Mary Thomann r/o Pat & David Hawkes	
	51007.411	Jeanne Patzer r/o Maryellen & Tom Magee	
		Thomas Lenihan r/o Glenn & Judy Merski	
	Wednesday	February 8	
	9:00 AM	Mary Cioffi r/o Mary Ellen & Tom Magee	
	5.007.00	Anthony Capoano r/o Ray & Kathy Hart	
		Carol DeMarco r/o Fran & Mary Carmichael	
	Thursday	February 9	
	7:00 AM	Mike Guglielmetti r/o Ginger Sbrocco	
	7.00 AW	Charles Bruccoliere r/o Maryellen & Tom Magee	
	9:00 AM	Joanne Sand r/o Joyce Castellana	
	9.00 AW	Linda & Michael DiCroce	
		r/o Phayth & Jim Kelleher	
		Robert Upshur r/o Susan Obeck	
	Friday	February 10	
	9:00 AM	Eileen Paulmeno r/o Maryellen & Tom Magee	
	9.00 AW	Nora Mancini r/o Peter & Helen Mattera	
		Fred Schank r/o Eileen & Family	
		Elizabeth Seagraves Murray r/o Patricia	
		Seagraves, Murray & Seagraves Families	
	Saturday	February 11	
	9:00 AM	Edith Savino r/o Daughter & Son	
	5.00 AW	Joseph Fillipone r/o The Reimels Family	
		Mr. & Mrs. Ormond Peluso r/o Peluso Family	
	5:30 PM	Denny DiRenzo Jr r/o <i>The Santisi Family</i>	
	5.501101	Annette Forman r/o Mark & Maria Chalmers	
		Eileen Paulmeno	
		r/o Mr. & Mrs. Michael Pallagrosi	
	Sunday	February 12	
	7:30 AM	Angela Testa r/o The DiBona Family	
	7.507.101	Josephine & John Di Joseph	
		r/o Jim & Elaine Wilkie	
		Parishioners & Benefactors	
	9:00 AM	Virginia DiCino r/o Jackie & Joe Gallombardo	
	5.007.00	Anthony DiBona r/o Glenn & Judy Merski	
		Charles Thorne r/o Small Group Friends	
	10:30 AM	Grace Vassalotti r/o Joanne Del Prato & Family	
	_0.007.00	Thomas Amato r/o Wife & Children	
		Annette Forman r/o Pat & David Hawkes	
	12:00 PM	Adam Ksiazak r/o Alice & Barry Tarzy	
		Nancy Lewis r/o Bill & Sue Screnci	
		James O'Brien r/o Margaret Mohan	
		Alexandra Haney r/o The Haney Family	

GOSPEL

Matthew 5:13-16

Jesus said to his disciples:

"You are the salt of the earth. But if salt loses its taste, with what can it be seasoned? It is no longer good for anything but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot. You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a bushel basket; it is set on a lampstand, where it gives light to all in the house. Just so, your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father."

For this weekend's readings, click here.

FAITH SHARING QUESTIONS

Reflect on a time when you were in need and someone responded to that need with generosity. How were they God's light for you?

Can you think of a time when you had the opportunity to be God's light for someone else?

5th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME / 2023 **"JESUS LOOKING AT YOU"**

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

Imagine Jesus looking into your eyes and saying, "You are the salt of the earth. You are the light of the world." How would you feel? Afraid? Affirmed? Challenged? Confused?

Next time you flip a switch (or click a command on your smartphone) and turn on a lamp; next time you salt your scrambled eggs (or whatever food you salt), consider what Jesus might be saying when he names his disciples, you and me, these two things: light and salt.

Bring your insights to prayer.

Talk it over with someone you trust.

Ask yourself: what does salt and light have to do with the Beatitudes which Jesus had just given in the verse before it?

I hope you will be more affirmed than afraid and more challenged than confused.

Peace! Fr. Rich

EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

7 TIPS FOR TEENS (AND EVERYONE ELSE) TO GET THE MOST OUT OF MASS

"If we really understood the Mass, we would die of joy." I love this. St. John Vianney nailed it. He also declared, "There is nothing so great as the Eucharist. If God had something more precious, he would have given it to us."

The Mass is a paradox in which God has interwoven infinite with finite; mortal with immortal; everlasting with time-limited. It truly is an experience of heaven on earth. It's an opportunity to be in the physical presence of the creator of the universe (insert mind-blowing emoji here).

Here are 7 strategies to help your teens (and everyone else) get the most out of their Mass experiences:

1. Ask your pastor to offer a "teaching Mass" for your teens — explaining every detail from beginning to end. The Mass is rich with tradition and history, from the vestments worn to the prayers offered. Knowing why we do what we do in the Mass is enlightening.

2. Explain the transcendentals — beauty, goodness, and truth. Invite your teens to reflect on the one that helps them draw near to God most. Then encourage them to observe where they see this present in the Mass the next time they attend.

3. Focus on the five senses — seeing, hearing, smelling, tasting, and touching. Send your teens on an assignment to discover all the ways the senses are involved during the Mass.

4. Encourage your teens (and self) to do "preMass prep." This could include going to confession, reading the Sunday readings before the liturgy, and personally reflecting on questions such as: What would distract me from paying attention and fully participating? What are the needs in my life for which I can pray? What are the needs in the lives of my family, friends, and community?

5. Participate. Participate. Participate. This is twofold. It includes sitting, kneeling, standing, singing, responding, reciting, praying, shaking (hands), giving (money), but it also means being an active lay leader. Teens can be ushers, lectors, cantors, and extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist.

6. Plan road trips to other Catholic parishes and attend their liturgies. The beauty of the Catholic Church and its parish communities is that they are the same, but different. Explore and experience the uniqueness and beauty of each one.

7. Don't take for granted that your teens are going to Mass on Sunday. The reality is that many don't. Ask them to go. And if their families don't attend, invite them to sit with you.

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

ST. JOAN OF ARC SCHOOL

Moving Forward with God

Thank you to everyone who came to our SJA Open House last week! We had a wonderful turn-out and met many new people! If you missed it and want to take a look at our school, please call the office or email Mary Clare Brandt at <u>m.brandt@stjoansk-8.org</u>. We welcome you to Come See the SJA Difference!

Scan the QR code to get your tickets to one of our biggest fundraisers of the year, the **Night at the Races, THIS** Friday, Feb 10th at 7 PM.



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Can't make it to **Night at the Races** but don't want to miss the amazing basket raffles? There will be a **preview of baskets** on Thursday, February 9, from 3:15 -7:00 PM in the school gym. Sneak Peek of some baskets... THE ALWAYS POPULAR APPLE PRODUCT BASKET AND DISNEY DREAM BASKET WHICH INCLUDES DISNEY GIFT CARDS VALUED AT OVER \$1000!

Save the date for our **14th Annual SJA School Golf Outing** on Monday, May 1st at Little Mill Country Club. Always a great time!

Thanks to all who continue to support our **RaiseRight gift** card program. Grocery Gift cards and gift cards to many area stores and restaurants are available for purchase. SJA School receives a percentage of the sale at no cost to you. For details, check out the PTA Current Happenings Page at <u>https://www.stjoansk-8.org/pta-1/</u>

WINGS

Large Group Meetings

Sunday, February 5th 7pm - 9pm in Pedata Hall This will be our first passion play meeting.

Blue Mt. Ski/Tubing Trip Saturday, February 11th Don't miss one of the best events of the winter to have a fun day in the snow with your friends!

KIDSLIT

During 10:30AM Mass Sunday February 5th & Sunday February 12th

Please come join us for Kids Lit! PreK through 8th Grade are all welcome. Interested in Volunteering? Need Service Hours? We are looking for Readers during Kids Lit. You must be Grade 6-8 (High School students welcome).

Adult Volunteers needed as well. No experience needed. (Virtus Training and Fingerprinting required for adults). Please contact Melissa Denisi Eisenstock if interested or have questions at <u>childrensligurgy@stjoans.org</u>

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Volunteering for Religious Education - We are grateful and blessed to have such wonderful catechists, aides, and hall monitors in our program. We are always happy at any time of the year to have new people join us. If you would like to join us - or if you've been thinking about it but have some questions - please let us know! Contact us at 856-983-7575 or <u>rem@stjoans.org</u>. We will be happy to talk with you about how you can support our parish's efforts to help our children and their families grow in faith.

We hope you join us!



ST JOAN OF ARC CHILDREN'S CHOIR

After a 3 year break, the children's choir of St Joan of Arc Parish is back! This choir is available to any parish child in grades 3rd-8th. The choir will rehearse approximately twice per month in the SJA School cafeteria on Sundays from 10am-11am. Masses will be held on the first Sunday of each month at 9am in the church.

9am Mass Schedule: 3/5, 4/2(Palm Sunday), 5/7, 6/4

There is no fee to join. If you are interested or would like more info, please contact Ryan Peiffer at <u>r.peiffer@stjoansk-8.org</u>

CHILDREN'S CHOIR ENSEMBLE

To accompany the choir, musicians are needed for the choir ensemble. The age range for this is 6th-12th grade. The ensemble will rehearse approximately twice per month on the same day as the choir in the SJA School cafeteria from 9am-10am.

Instruments needed include but are not limited to: guitar, flute, saxophone, clarinet, violin, cello, trumpet, bass

A few years of experience plus the ability to read music is required. Please contact Ryan Peiffer for more info.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

2023 "Friday Series" Leading Ladies

Come join us on Friday, February 10th after the 9am Mass to meet some of the intriguing, inspiring, and even a bit naughty, leading ladies in our Bible, including the women of Calvary.

Presenter is SueAnn Jeral. Everyone is welcome. Refreshments will be served. Sponsored by our Adult Faith Formation Team.

Friday, February 10th Following 9AM Mass in Pedata Hall



Wednesday, February 8th

Opening Your Heart: We will view a Connect Coffee video, "Marriage Transformed by Grace". In this lesson we will discuss where we should turn with our unmet expectations in our relationships.

Keeping In Balance: This week we will view a Connect Coffee video, "Getting a Grip Through Simplicity". We will talk about how God wants us to pursue holiness, not perfection.

Beholding His Glory: This week we will discuss King David in Lesson 2. Throughout David's life, the one constant was his return to his Heavenly Father. Like us, David wasn't perfect and had a long list of falls after his name but instead of responding to that truth with self-pity, David turned to God, trusting that His mercy would be enough to cleanse him . . .we should do the same!

Love You; Do the New

Thursday February 9th 7:30 pm Pedata Hall

Lu Ann Cahn is the author of the inspirational memoir I Dare Me, an entertaining look back on a year that changed everything for her. The book grew out of a blog, "Year of Firsts," which chronicled this veteran journalist, mother and survivor's daily adventures as she pushed herself to try something new every single day to get her life "unstuck." She was inspired by her daughter, Alexa, to go on this year-long adventure while working her full-time "day job" as an eight-time Emmy award-winning journalist with NBC10 News in Philadelphia.

Presenter is Lu Ann Cahn. Everyone is welcome. Sponsored by our Adult Faith Formation Team



WOMEN OF FAITH, 2/13/2023 MY BELOVED DAUGHTERS: ACCEPTING CHANGES Monday, February 13th 7:00 pm in Pedata Hall

This season, we are focusing on God's great care for us, his beloved daughters, as revealed in particular Bible verses. This month, parishioner Nicole Moore will discuss Isaiah 43:18-19: "Behold, I am doing a new thing."

Our speaker will be followed by table discussions and fellowship. Coffee, tea, and bottled water are available. For more information contact Kathy Burns (609) 923-7222 or to sign up for our email list. You are always welcome to bring family members and friends to our meetings!



ADULT FAITH FORMATION

SJA Small Groups

Where our **BIG** church gets small...

RETURNING THIS LENT Our Theme: The **EUCHARIST!**

In small groups you can discuss your faith. Reflect on God's word. Learn from others. Find God in the ordinary everyday part of life. Grow in faith & friendships.



- Groups will range from 6-12 people.
- Groups will range from school age, thru teens, young adults and up.
- Meetings will be held in peoples homes or in parish facilities.
- Meet for 5 weeks beginning the week of February 26th.

"Sign Ups Coming Soon" and "Group Leaders We Need You Now!" <u>smallgroups@stjoans.org</u>

Men, God answers "knee"-mail.



We meet on Friday mornings in Pedata Hall at 6am and On-line via ZOOM on Wednesday evening at 7pm. *It's never too late to give us a try.* Visit www.stjoans.org/tmiy/ for more info.

Small Group Leaders Training Session

Thursday, February 16th at 11 AM in the Arc Room or

Thursday, February 16 7 PM in Knights Hall

Thank you for volunteering to lead a small group as part of our Lenten journey. Whether you have facilitated a small group in the past or are a new leader, please choose one of the training sessions to attend on February 16th at either 11 AM in the Rectory Arc Room or 7 PM in Knight's Hall. Looking forward to meeting with you!

PARISH LIFE

MONTHLY FOOD DRIVE

Food Drive collection for Prince of Peace food pantry this weekend after all Masses! Any non-perishable food items and paper items are greatly appreciated! **Please drop off donations in the gathering room.** Thank you for your generosity!

WEDDING BANNS

First Announcement:

Juliana Dobry & Ryan Callahan

Shannon Fecher & Robert Krowicki

USHER MINISTRY NEEDS USHERS

We are looking for men and women to join our ministry to help out at Sunday and holiday Masses!

If you are interested in helping on a regular basis, part time basis or just for the holidays, please email Dean DeRose at <u>roseman1957@comcast.net</u> or call (856) 906-0482.

COLLECTION FOR THE RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE

The Weekend of February 18th & 19th After ALL Masses

The Ronald McDonald House in Camden, accommodates folks who unexpectedly need to be with a loved one for several days, weeks or months in one of our local hospitals. Their needs are for the following items:

Toothpaste/ Shampoo/Conditioner/Bodywash Hand Cream /Body Lotion/Personal Items Hairbrush/ Travel Tissues/ Hand Sanitizer Advil/Tylenol Candy/Snacks/Playing Cards Small Stuff Toys/ Children Books

As always, your generous donations are gratefully appreciated. Please drop off all items in the Gathering Room.







World Marriage Day and National Marriage Week 2023

In observance of World Marriage Day (Sunday, February 12, 2023) and National Marriage Week (February 7-14, 2022), the Diocese of Trenton honors all Catholic married couples with a special web resource to enhance their marriage in three important ways:

- 1) <u>Reconnect with Your Spouse</u>
- 2) Make Your Marriage Even Better
 - 3) <u>Serve Others in Your Marriage</u>

Find all this and more at

www.dioceseoftrenton.org/world-marriage-dayfor-couples, and for newly married couples, be sure to visit www.dioceseoftrenton.org/newlymarried-resource-page - what every couple needs to make their marriage extraordinary!

> (Part of the BuildingStrongMarriages.org initiative of the Diocese of Trenton)

HEALING FROM SEPARATION & DIVORCE

Wednesday February 8th in Rectory Arc Room 7pm Helping you find Peace, Power and Passion— A support group for men and women seeking healing from divorce and separation. For more information contact Janet Polidora at healingafterdivorce@stjoans.org

MEN'S BASKETBALL



Basketball for Fun! For men over age 55. Come and enjoy half court basketball Monday and Friday mornings from 10 am until noon, at the Evesham Township Rec facility (blue barn) on Tuckerton Road. Please contact parishioner Joe Downey at (856) 834-4308 or <u>downeyjoe@verizon.net</u>



ST. JOAN OF ARC PTA PRESENTS THE 11TH ANNUAL

NIGHT AT THE RACES

TICKETS \$65 PER PERSON MUST BE 21 TO ENTER WITH VALID ID

Friday, February 10, 2023 At the st. Joan of Arc school cafeteria and gym

7:00 PM - 11:00 PM

MANY WAYS TO WIN! HORSE RACING, CASINO GAMES, WINE PULL, AMAZING RAFFLE BASKETS!

Ticket Includes: Open Bar (wine and beer), Food, Complimentary Wine and Beer tasting, Start up Gaming Money!!

TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED - THROUGH THE BROWN ENVELOPE WITH THIS TICKET REQUEST FORM -PARISH FAMILIES MAY DROP OFF AT THE RECTORY IN AN ENVELOPE LABELED NATR -ONLINE THROUGH HTTPS://BUY.CHIP-IN.US/?NONPROFITID=106999 -QR CODE



Ticket Request Form Name: Email: Phone: Homeroom: # of Tickets: Total Amount:

PARISH LIFE

ABIDE IN ME

INTERCESSORY PRAYER MINISTRY Wednesdays, 1pm in Knight's Hall and Monday, February 6th 7:15pm on Zoom

DO YOU NEED PRAYER OR WANT TO PRAY FOR OTHERS?

Join our prayer chain at:

www.stjoans.org/ministries/abide-in-me

Pray with us on Wednesdays from 1PM-2PM and once a month in the evening on zoom! To ask for a prayer, or to pray with us, email Marijane at abideinme@stjoans.org or call 856-983-0077

MORNING PRAYER

7AM in Church



Every Monday, Wednesday, & Friday

Join us as we lift up our prayer petitions for each other along with receiving the Eucharist. A beautiful way to start the morning with the Psalms and Praising God.

Bible Study Discussing "The Chosen" Season 3



Wednesdays at 9:45AM **Knight's Hall** All Are Welcome

HUNGRY FOR HOPE

Thursdays 3:30pm On Zoom

We meet weekly on Zoom most Thursdays. Join us Thursday, February 9th at 3:30 pm!

This isn't a diet it's a journey of healing & grace!

Rooted in God's love & nourished by his Word, Hungry for **HOPE** is a ministry of spiritual sharing & support for anyone who longs for a healthier relationship with food for themselves or their loved ones.

For more information, questions, or for Zoom link contact Marijane at hungryforhope@stjoans.org



AOA

Sundays 7pm Knight's Hall

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. Guided by the "Recovery 12 Steps" & related scriptures from the Life Recovery Bible.

> We pray, we share, we support. We don't judge nor give advice.

AOA is for anyone impacted by this disease. All are Welcome!

For more info visit stjoans.org/AOA.

To have a conversation, please contact:

Dan aoa@stjoans.org or 856-313-9758 or Elaine at aoa@stjoans.org or 609-923-6525

CARITAS CORNER FOR SPECIAL NEEDS Monthly Events:

TLC SOCIAL ADULT GROUP FOR YOUNG ADULTS Ages 18-39

HEART TO HEART PARENT/CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP Tuesday February 7th 7:00pm via Zoom

Valentine Party with DJ Nick Friday February 17th at 7:30 pm in Pedata Hall

SENSORY FRIENDLY MASS Sunday February 26th at 12 pm Mass

*New Registration form still must be submitted online at www.stjoans.org/tlc/

For more info on all Caritas events, email caritas@stjoans.org.



Check out the Caritas Resource page for activities in our area: www.stjoans.org/caritas-resources/

CARITAS ENLIGHTENMENT

"Love is the only force capable of changing the heart of the human person and of all of humanity."

-Pope Benedict XVI

BAPTISMS

We warmly welcome the following children who were recently baptized into our community:

Leya Hope Lyall

Austin James Gartland

Olivia Jean Lynch

Mia Burns

Josephine Rose Ward

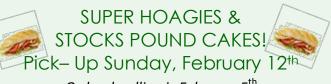


PARISH LIFE



Council, #6530 Father John P. Wessel

Thinking of Joining the KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS? Visit: <u>kofc.org/un/newjoin/en</u>



Order deadline is February 5th

Looking for a great way to feed your hungry football fans at your BIG GAME celebration? We have the perfect solution. Let us provide all the hoagies you need for your party. We offer 8" hoagies in American, Italian or Turkey choices for \$8.00 each. We are also offering Stocks Pound Cakes for dessert priced at \$20 each in vanilla or marble. Pre-order and pick up after Mass at Community Sunday in Pedata Hall.

Three easy ways to place your order:

- 1. Fill out order form in church vestibule and place in basket
- 2. Send an e-mail to kocbillhahnpfn@gmail.com
- 3. Call in your order to 609-670-4039

VALENTINE'S CANDY!

February 11th & 12th Pick-up after Masses in Pedata Hall

Treat your Valentine to a one pound box of chocolate covered pretzels and nonpareils freshly made by B&C chocolates.

\$20 per box

To order email <u>al.lutner@verizon.net</u>, call Al 609-320-4362, or complete form below. For early pick up add "Early Bird" to your email or phone message.

To place an order, please complete the information below and drop off at the parish office or in the collection box.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone:

Early bird? (Circle One) YES NO

Number of Boxes (\$20 Each): _____

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

All Proceeds Benefit the Knights of Columbus Council #6530

FREE THROW CHAMPIONSHIP

HOSTED BY: The Knights of Columbus Father John. P. Wessel, Council 6530 (SJA) & Katerina Tekawitha, Council 12229 (St. Isaac's)

When: Saturday, February 18th

9,10 & 11 year olds will shoot from 3 pm - 3:45 pm

12,13 & 14 year olds will shoot from 3:45 - 4:15 pm

*****ALL TIES WILL BE CONDUCTED ON 2/18/23

FOR: Boys & Girls Ages 9-14

Where: St. Joan of Arc Gym

*****All contestants must be accompanied by a parent or guardian along with the shooters birth certificate or passport.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL TED SHEARER AFTER 6 PM AT (856) 983-3798



VIRTUS TRAINING

Thursday, February 9th at 5:30 pm in Knight's Hall or Saturday, February 11th 9:30 am in Knight's Hall

For more information about an upcoming Virtus training session, contact Janet Polidoro at <u>virtus@stjoans.org</u>



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Tuesday Evenings:

Eucharistic Adoration 5:00 pm - 6:30pm

> Benedication: 6:30pm

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THE WEEK AHEAD: Sunday, February 5th: 7:00PM: Wings Large Group - Pedata Hall 7:00PM: AOA - Knight's Hall Monday, February 6th: 7:15pm: Abide In Me - Zoom Tuesday, February 7th: 5:00PM: Adoration - Church 6:30PM: Benediction - Church 7:00PM: Heart to Heart - Zoom Wednesday, February 8th: 6:00AM: WWP - Pedata Hall 9:30AM: Bible Study - Knight's Hall 10:00AM: WWP - Pedata Hall 1:00PM: Abide in Me - Knight's Hall 7:00PM: Separation & Divorce - Arc Room 7:00PM: RCIA - Knight's Hall 7:00PM: WWP - Pedata Hall Thursday, February 9th: 1:30PM: Night At Races Basket Preview -Gym 3:30PM: Hungry for Hope - Zoom 5:30PM: Virtus Training - Knight's Hall 7:30PM: Adult Faith Formation Presentation -Pedata Hall Friday, February 10rd: 6:00AM: TMIY - Pedata Hall 9:45AM: 1st Friday Series - Pedata Hall 7:00PM: Night At The Races - Cafeteria/Gym Saturday, February 11th: 9:30AM: Virtus Training - Knight's Hall 4:00PM: Confessions - Church

