

# Saint John Catholic Church

## Iglesia Católica San Juan

OCTOBER 7, 2018 – TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
7 DE OCTUBRE DE 2018 — VIGÉSIMO SÉPTIMO DOMINGO EN TIEMPO ORDINARIO



## 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

He said to them in reply, "What did Moses command you?" They replied, "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce and dismiss her." But Jesus told them, "Because of the hardness of your hearts he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning of creation, *God made them male and female.*"

- Mk 10:3-6

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

### LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday ..... 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday ..... 9:00 a.m.  
Daily Masses: ..Thursday ..... 8:30 a.m.  
..Wednesday and Friday ..... 12 noon  
CONFESSIONS (Saturday) ..... 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

### HORARIO LITURGICO

Domingo ..... 12:15 p.m. (Español)  
Misa Diaria: ..Jueves ..... 8:30 a.m. (Ingles)  
..Miércoles y Viernes ..... 12:00 del medio día  
CONFESIONES (Sábado) ..... 4:30 p.m. o por cita

### HORARIO DE OFICINAS

LUNES—JUEVES: 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.  
VIERNES: 9:00 a.m. - 12 del medio día

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday: 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.  
Friday: 9:00 a.m.—12 NOON

813 W Nine Mile Road, Highland Springs VA 23075

\*Website—Página electrónica: [www.stjohnscatholicchurch.org](http://www.stjohnscatholicchurch.org)

\*Email—Correo Electrónico [office@stjohnscatholicchurch.org](mailto:office@stjohnscatholicchurch.org)

804-737-8028 • FAX: 804-328-4683

Pastor - Párroco .. Rev. Gino Rossi, [ginopaulrossi@hotmail.com](mailto:ginopaulrossi@hotmail.com)

Parochial Vicar—Vicario Parroquial .. Rev. Frank Wiggins, [padreop@verizon.net](mailto:padreop@verizon.net)

Parochial Vicar—Vicario Parroquial .. Rev. Ernest Livasia Bulinda, [livasia@gmail.com](mailto:livasia@gmail.com)

Dir. Religious Education - Dir. de Educación Religiosa... Paulita Matheny... [pmatheny@stjohnscatholicchurch.org](mailto:pmatheny@stjohnscatholicchurch.org)

Bookkeeper—Contador... Neilann Brown... [bookkeeper@stjohnscatholicchurch.org](mailto:bookkeeper@stjohnscatholicchurch.org)

Music Coordinator ..... Coordinadora del Coro .....Katie Goodloe.....[musicministerkate@gmail.com](mailto:musicministerkate@gmail.com)

Emergency contact number / Número en caso de emergencia 804-402-1221

## St John Parish Calendar

### SATURDAY

**OCTOBER 6, 2018**

4:30 PM

Reconciliation

5:30 PM

Mass for parishioners St. John, St. Peter & St. Patrick

### SUNDAY

**OCTOBER 7, 2018**

9:00 AM

Mass soul of Erica Pariss

10:00 AM

Rosary

12:15 PM

Misa por los damnificados del Tsunami

### WEDNESDAY

**OCTOBER 10, 2018**

12:00 Noon

Mass for the soul of Esneda Sanchez

### THURSDAY

**OCTOBER 11, 2018**

8:30 AM

Mass

### FRIDAY

**OCTOBER 12, 2018**

12:00 Noon

Mass for the soul of Mercedes Mages

### SATURDAY

**OCTOBER 13, 2018**

4:30 PM

Reconciliation

5:30 PM

Mass souls of Frederick & Florida McMahon

### SUNDAY

**OCTOBER 14, 2018**

9:00 AM

Mass soul Deborah Shorter

10:00 AM

Rosary

12:15 PM

Misa en honor al Señor de los Milagros

**ST. PETER OFFERS MASS DAILY AT NOON**



#### REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS/ RECUERDE EN SUS ORACIONES:

Keith Pinney, Rudy Calo'oy, John Kol  
akoski, Ron Price, Jr., Red and Nancy  
Goodman, Pat & Jerry Nolte, Richard  
Painter, Maxine DiMarino, Melanie Pat-

terson, Lillan Arthur, Mary Helen Sohaski, Esperanza Godinez,  
Sherry Wright, David Stull, Otts Miskimon, Dan Mages, Austin  
Okoli, Jr., Georgina Gerhardt, Sulma Rojas, Elena Chavez, Doris  
Bartlett, Lynn Miskimon, Suzanne DiMarino, Donald Barock, Mar-  
tha Livingston, James White, John Loughran, Charlotte Brooks,  
Jeff Konschak, Virginia Saunders, Marion Mazzetti and Tom Yates



"For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. So they are no longer two but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, no human being must separate." - Mk 10:7-9

#### Readings for the Week of October 7, 2018

Sunday: Gn 2:18-24/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [cf. 5]/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

Monday: Gal 1:6-12/Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c [5]/Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15 [24b]/Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Lk 11:1-4

Thursday: Gal 3:1-5/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75 [69] / Lk 11:5-13

Friday: Gal 3:7-14/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 [5]/Lk 11:15-26

Saturday: Gal 3:22-29/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [8a]/Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday: Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [14]/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

Liturgical Publications Inc

#### September 29 & 30, 2018

##### Weekly

Actual \$3,439.00

Budget \$4,807.00

Difference (\$1,368.00)

##### Year to Date

Actual \$53,152.30

Budget \$67,298.00

Difference (\$14,145.70)

Debt reduction Budgeted \$2,333.00

Actual \$1,815.25

Difference (\$517.25)

Debt Balance \$11,602.15

#### MASS ATTENDANCE

5:30

74

9:00

147

12:15

230

The item being collected for **FISH** for **October**  
**Deodorant**

En el mes de **octubre** necesitamos  
**Desodorante**

If someone you know is sick, hospitalized, or home bound and would like our Eucharistic ministers or a priest to visit, please call the office. **Unless you call we have no way of knowing.** If you need a priest for someone who is dying or gravely ill, call our emergency number 804-402-1221.

### Pastor message

Two announcements this week.

First. Be sure to signup for our prayer vigil for an end to abortion. The prayer vigil is at 201 N Hamilton Street in front of the planned parenthood abortion mill. We NEED two people to signup for each hour 7am-7pm. There is a signup sheet in the back of Church. St Peter will cover October 9<sup>th</sup> Tuesday, St John will cover October 10<sup>th</sup> Wednesday, and St Patrick will cover October 11<sup>th</sup> Thursday. Grab a friend and go out there and pray for an hour.

Second, we are beginning our annual cloths collection for St Peter. Each year during the cold winter months we collect cloths and give to the homeless at St Peter. Please bring us your old cloths, jackets, blankets and toiletries. Please bring them to your parish or you can drop them off at St Peter Tues-Fri 9am-2pm. Thank you in advance. The people who receive these items are so appreciative as it is often their only chance to get a dry, clean and warm change of clothes and blanket.

Thank you for all the good work you do for God!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Fr Rossi

### **Catholicism Series**

Celebrating the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Father Barron's *Catholicism* series, we will be gathering at 10:15 on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays each month starting on October 7, to watch the series and then discuss the presentation while our children are in Religious Ed. This is a great opportunity to review the series which became a phenomenon and helped to make Father Barron one of the most beloved and respected theologians, not only in the United States but throughout the world, as well as helping to raise him to the position of Bishop. Father, now Bishop Barron's presentations make even the most difficult theological ideas easy to understand, and will help to give you a new comprehension of both the God we love and the Church he founded. Please join us if you have never seen the series and come for a refresher if you have seen it before. You will not leave disappointed

### **Please, Save the Date!**

**Our annual Christmas Concert will be held at St. Patrick on Sunday, December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018 from 3:30pm to 5:00pm.** Admission to the concert is free, but please consider bringing a donation of non-perishable food or new baby items (diapers, wipes, formula, etc) to benefit those in great need in our community. If you'd like to join us by being a part of our concert, please know we'd love to have you join us! **This includes singers, instrumentalists, ushers, and readers!!** If you'd like to know more information about the program, rehearsals and other time commitments, please contact Katie Goodloe musicminister-kate@gmail.com or 804-256-3450



SEPTEMBER 26—NOVEMBER 4

# 40 DAYS FOR LIFE™

**Wednesday, Oct. 10 is St. John's Day.** Please consider committing to one hour of prayer either at Planned Parenthood, in church, or in your home. Of course, you are welcome to pray anytime during this campaign! Our goal is to have at least 24 parishioners signed up to pray at Planned Parenthood. Your prayers make a difference! Thank you. For more info go to: **40daysforlife.com** **Richmond** Or contact Olga Lucia Mages 328-1602

### **Collection for Disaster Relief**

Next Sunday we will take up a special collection for the humanitarian, long term recovery and Church needs arising from the recent storms. Funds will be used in response to Hurricane Florence and any other natural disasters that may occur this year. Please make your checks to St John with a memo that it is for 2018 Disaster Fund.

### **ITALIAN DINNER AT ST JOHN**

MOMMA MIA! October 12th coming right up. St Johns 2nd annual Italian dinner just days away. Join us from 5:00 to 7:00 PM for great food meatballs, ziti, tortellini alfredo chicken cacciatore and more. Bread, salad and YUMMY desserts. Great food, great music, great fun. Eat dinner and socialize with your parish friends. Moms no cooking and no cleanup! adults \$10.00 children 3 to 8 \$5.00 and under three eat free.

### **Walk for Life**

I will again be walking for the Walk for life this year. The Walk for Life campaign is sponsored by the Pregnancy Support Center for the Tri-Cities, Inc. The Tri-Cities Pregnancy Center includes Petersburg, Hopewell, and Colonial Heights. This walk is two miles and takes place on Saturday October 27 at 10:00am. I would appreciate it very much if you would sponsor me in this walk. The proceeds from the walk enables the pregnancy center to offer services to both young men and women, such as counseling, and support of their pregnancy. Thank you very much for you past support and may God bless you. Fr Frank

**The knights of Columbus** will be conducting their annual coats for kids campaign during the month of October, please consider a donation of a new or clean and usable child's winter coat. All the winter coats collected will benefit the sacred heart center where they will be given to children in need. There will be a box for donations on the counter in the commons area. Thank-you for your support.

**The Knights of Columbus** has several projects that will be helping our community in the coming months. If you are interesting in helping and becoming part of the worlds largest Catholic men's organization please contact us at 804.986.2898..