

# Saint John Catholic Church

## Iglesia Católica San Juan

OCTOBER 28, 2018 – THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
28 DE OCTUBRE DE 2018 — TRIGÉSIMO DOMINGO EN TIEMPO ORDINARIO



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

Jesus said to him in reply, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way.

- Mk 10:51-52

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### 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

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## St John Parish Calendar

### SATURDAY

**OCTOBER 27, 2018**

4:30 PM

Reconciliation

5:30 PM

Mass soul Barbara Fitzgerald

### SUNDAY

**OCTOBER 28, 2018**

9:00 AM

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

10:00 AM

Rosary

12:15 PM

Misa por el alma de Julio Penarrieta

### WEDNESDAY

**OCTOBER 31, 2018**

12:00 Noon

Mass soul of Julio Penarrieta

### THURSDAY

**NOVEMBER 1, 2018 ALL SAINTS, HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**

9:00 AM

Mass—English

7:00 PM

Mass-Bi-lingual

### FRIDAY

**NOVEMBER 2, 2018 ALL SOULS**

12:00 Noon

Mass soul of Julio Penarrieta

### SATURDAY

**NOVEMBER 3, 2018**

4:30 PM

Reconciliation

5:30 PM

Mass soul of Shirley Hughes

### SUNDAY

**NOVEMBER 4, 2018**

9:00 AM

Mass soul of Gabriel Bulinda

10:00 AM

Rosary

12:15 PM

Misa

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

## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS/ RECUERDE EN SUS

**ORACIONES:**Keith Pinney, Rudy Calo'oy, John Kolakoski, Ron Price, Jr., Red and Nancy Goodman, Pat & Jerry Nolte, Richard Painter, Maxine DiMarino, Melanie Patterson, Lillian 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, Charlotte Brooks, Donald Barock, Martha Livingston, James White, John Loughran, Jeff Konschak, Virginia Saunders, Marion Mazzetti and Tom Yates.

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

**Deodorant**

En el mes de **octubre** necesitamos

**Desodorante**



"Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven." - Mt 5:11-12a

## Readings for the Week of October 28, 2018

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Heb 5:1-6/

Mk 10:46-52

Monday: Eph 4:32--5:8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [cf. Eph 5:1] /

Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-32/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [1a]/

Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14/

Lk 13:22-30

Thursday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 6]/1 Jn 3:1-3/

Mt 5:1-12a

Friday: Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1 or 4ab]/Rom 5:5

- 11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40

Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26/Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef/Lk 14:1, 7-11

Next Sunday: Dt 6:2-6/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2]/Heb 7:23-28/

Mk 12:28b-34

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## October 21 & 22, 2018

### Weekly

Actual \$3,964.15

Budget \$4,807.00

Difference (\$ 842.85)

### Year to Date

Actual \$63,846.88

Budget \$81,719.00

Difference (\$17,872.12)

### Debt reduction Budgeted

\$2,333.00

### Actual

\$1,428.50

### Difference

(\$ 904.50)

Debt Balance \$9,770.67

## MASS ATTENDANCE

5:30

9:00

12:15

87

137

190

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**

Just a reminder to all that this Thursday, November 1<sup>st</sup> is a Holy Day of Obligation, the Mass of all Saints. That means as a Catholic you have to go to Mass. Although it is ridiculous to think about going to Mass as an obligation. It's like saying you have to go pickup you billion dollars that you won in the lottery. It is hardly an obligation. It is a privilege and in fact the absolute greatest privilege of your life!

There is Mass at all three Churches as noted here in the bulletin so be sure to find one that fits your schedule. I will see you at Mass.

Also this week is the goofy and pretty stupid holiday called Halloween. When I was a kid I used to go trick-or-treating and it was fun and we ate tons of junk food. But nowadays as is the custom with so many things, it has become excessive. People put up Halloween lights, they buy big inflatable skeletons to put on their front lawn, and stores pack the isles with worthless pumpkins.

It all seems pretty stupid and pointless. People spending money they probably don't have on decorations for a goofy holiday. Tons of land being used to grow vegetables you can't eat. People getting excited about serial killer movies like the new "Halloween" movie, which is disgusting. What is the point?

It is not an intrinsic evil to participate in the activities of Halloween. But it is pretty stupid and pointless.

Wouldn't it be a whole lot better to teach kids about the dead who are living forever rather than fake dead ghosts and goblins? There really are ghosts, that is true. But why not teach kids about the truth of what happens to souls after a person dies? There are people who really died, even gruesome deaths, they are called martyrs. But they don't look like a person with a white sheet over their head. Rather they are now reigning in an eternal palace filled with the fullness of every desire of the spirit.

Why not teach people about reality rather than fairy tales? Why not encourage kids to imitate the likes of St Teresa or St Francis, rather than a stupid witch or a any other goofy costume?

Fr Rossi

**"Dear all - just a heads up that next weekend I will have a big announcement regarding St John. It is really good news and exciting for our future. So I look forward to telling you about it. See you next weekend - Fr Rossi"**

### **Catholicism Series**

The Catholicism series continues today at 10:15 in the conference room in the back of the church. If you missed last week, no problem. Each week the session is a stand alone session from the week before. Afraid you can't make it each week, still no problem. Come and see what it is all about. We promise you a new enlightening and entertaining perspective on our faith.

**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.** For more information please contact Katie Goodloe 804-256-3450



**SUNDAY NOVEMBER 4TH**  
**don't forget to turn back the clocks.**

### **All Saints and All Souls Masses**

**All Saints - November 1<sup>st</sup>** (Holy Day of Obligation) Mass at 9 AM (English) and 7PM Bilingual)

**All Souls, November 2<sup>nd</sup>** — Mass at 12 Noon.

At all Masses, participants will have an opportunity to light a candle in memory of their deceased loved ones.

**THE PRAYER REQUEST BOOK FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED IS NOW IN THE COMMONS AREA.**

### **This is a big thank you to the "Council of Women".**

The Italian dinner was a success even with the severe weather conditions. The council made a profit of \$1,110.00. Thank you to the many people who came to enjoy the dinner which sold out of all the homemade prepared food. A great amount of food was prepared at home and due to power outages food was baked and completed in the kitchen of St. John. Neilann Brown presided over the kitchen helping all who needed food cooked or baked. The silent auction thanks to Jan Mayer made a profit that is included in the event. This is a group of dedicated women of whom I am proud to be part of.

Ways and Means Chair Judy Patterson.

**"IMPORTANT DATE.** There will be another opportunity to paint the Social Hall on Saturday, January 12, 2019. All former painters and those who missed the fun, please make plans to be there. More information later."Dianne

### **Busy bees CRAFT Sale**

There is a craft sale the weekend Oct. 27 & 28. This is an opportunity to get your shopping done early.

**SJP winners for October** are Tom Stallings, David Firich, Tom Aidif, Mike & Ann Sorensen, Roberta Small, Linda Balderson, Frances Milby and Margaret Farmer. The next drawing will be November 15.

**Mark your calendar:** Community Thanksgiving at Redeeming Love Church, 4820 Finlay Ave. Tuesday November 20th at 7PM

### **ATTENTION YOUTH—DYC 2019.**

The Conference is open to youth who are in 9th through 12th grade for the 2018 – 2019 academic year. The Diocesan Youth Conference will be held on Friday, February 9 through Sunday, February 11, 2019 at the Richmond Marriott Downtown in Richmond, Virginia. In order to obtain the "Super Early Bird registration option", you need to register by Sunday November 4th. For registrations and more information contact Paulita Matheny at 737-8028 or at pmatheny@stjohnscatholicchurch.org