

Saint John Catholic Church

Iglesia Católica San Juan

July 14, 2019 - Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
14 de julio de 2019 — Decimo Quinto Domingo en Tiempo Ordinario



15th Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

"But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight." - Lk 10:33

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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 JULY 13, 2019
4:30 PM Reconciliation
5:30 PM Mass for soul of Buenaventurada Pasarda

SUNDAY JULY 14, 2019
9:00 AM Mass for the soul of Barbara O'Leary
10:00 AM Rosary
12:15 PM Misa por los parroquianos de San Juan, San Pedro, y San Patricio

WEDNESDAY JULY 17, 2019

12:00 Noon Mass

THURSDAY JULY 18, 2019

8:30 AM Mass

FRIDAY JULY 19, 2019

12:00 Noon Mass for the soul of Eurican Rosati

SATURDAY JULY 20, 2019

4:30 PM Reconciliation

5:30 PM Mass for Sulpicio & Episanía Pasarda

SUNDAY JULY 21, 2019

9:00 AM Mass for all world leaders

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 & Nancy Goodman, Richard Painter, Maxine DiMarino, Melanie Patterson, Lillian Arthur, Mary Helen Sohaski, Sherry Wright, Otts Miskimon, Dan Mages, Martha Livingston, Austin Okoli, Jr., Georgina Gerhardt, Elena Chavez, Doris Bartlett, Lynn Miskimon, Suzanne Di-Marino, , Ruth & Donald Barock, Jeff Konschak, Virginia Saunders, Gerry Biartel, Fred Brown, Ewing Family, Jones Family, Beverly Burrow, Marie Ellett, Evelyn Clatterback, Dick Wassel, Bobby & Christie Osterloh, Lisa Cussatti, Nathaniel Young, Chris Nolte, Hallet Harrison, Maria Teresa Casas, Carole & Bob Trent and Francis Martin.

The item being collected for **FISH** for July

3 Subject Spiral Notebook

En el mes de **julio** necesitamos

Cuaderno Espiral con separaciones



"A man fell victim to robbers as he went down from Jerusalem to Jericho. They stripped and beat him and went off leaving him half-dead. A priest happened to be going down that road, but when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. But a

Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight." - Lk 10:30b-31, 33

Readings for the week of July 14, 2019

Sunday: Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37
cf. 33] or PS 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [9a]/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

Monday: Ex 1:8-14, 22/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8 [8a]/
Mt 10:34--11:1

Tuesday: Ex 2:1-15a/Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34 [cf. 33]/
Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7 [8a]/
Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Ex 3:13-20/Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27 [8a]/Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Ex 11:10--12:14/Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc, 17-18 [13]/
Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Ex 12:37-42/Ps 136:1 and 23-24, 10-12, 13-15/
Mt 12:14-21

Next Sunday: Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 [1a]/Col 1:24-28/
Lk 10:38-42

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If someone you know is sick, hospitalized or home bound and would like our Eucharistic Minister 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**.

July 6 & 7, 2019

WEEKLY

Actual \$3,624.00

Budget 4,827.00

Difference (\$1,203.00)

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MASS ATTENDANCE

5:30	9:00	12:15
99	135	245

Pastor Message

Moses says in the first reading "if only you would heed the voice of the Lord your God and keep his commandments and statutes that are written in this book."

If only...

I meet so many parents and grandparents, uncles and aunt, who have the same feeling in their heart toward their loved ones that Moses had toward his people.

'If only...if only you would be faithful to God.' 'If only you would have your kids baptized like you are supposed to.'

'If only you would go to Mass on Sunday like you are supposed to.' 'If only you would...'

There are so many parents and grandparents out there who feel like Moses did way back then. They feel like they have done everything they could to lead their children or grandchildren closer to God, into the Catholic religion, but for some reason they have fallen away. They do not go to Church. They have not had their kids (your grandkids) baptized. Etc. Etc. Etc.

It is a terrible heartache and it is just what Moses felt.

Moses himself had done so much to try to bring his people to be faithful to God, but they just kept falling away.

Two pieces of advice for those with a heavy heart.

Firstly, continue to pray, pray, pray. Do not ever become discouraged to the point of sadness. God loves your kids even more than you do. And He is working to get through to them. He may have to hit them over the head a little bit, and that may be difficult for you to watch as sometimes it is messy how God gets through to a person, but He is very smart and will never give up trying to get through.

Secondly, continue to nag, nag, nag. You are not the friend of your kids or your grandkids. You are the parent/grandparent and you always will be. So tell them what they should be doing. Tell them what they need to be doing. Be direct. Be blunt. Tell them to think about the after-life and what is really important in life. You may be, and are likely, the mouthpiece of God himself.

There may be some ups and downs along the way to the Promised Land for you and your family and there certainly were for Moses' people as well.

Fr Rossi

Church Keys - Attention St John's key users!!!

Due to security reasons all St John's building keys has been replaced. If you have a key, please return your keys to the office. New keys will be issued only to head leaders of groups that need a key on a weekly basis. All other parishioners who occasionally will need a key must come to the office and request one for their specific purpose and then return it immediately after their function or activity. If you have any questions or concern please call the office or talk to Fr. Rossi.

EARLY START. BBQ Blast Silent Auction. Do you have any new gifts or new gift cards you are not using? If so, DONATE them to our Silent Auction in Sept. Or buy and donate a \$10.00 & up gift card to a restaurant. Call Pat 746-5842

Religions Education Registration 2019-2020 REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN FOR THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR

Because we know that you recognize the importance of faith in your family, we are here to help you in your children's faith formation. **Please take a moment to register for the new school year. Registration forms will be available on the counter in the commons next Sunday.** Please feel free to call 737-8028 or e-mail pmathny@stjohnscatholicchurch.org with any questions you may have. **DEADLINE IS SUNDAY, AUGUST 4th. ALL REGISTRATIONS SUBMITTED AFTER AUGUST 4th, WILL INCUR A \$30 LATE FEE, IN ADDITION TO THE REGULAR REGISTRATION FEE.**

School Supply Wish List

St. John Religious Education Program is conducting their annual school supply Wish List. We are in need of the following items **large glue stick, crayons, markers, children scissors, colored paper 8 12 x 11 (NO CONSTRUCTION PAPER) chalk, chalk board erasers, Kleenex, Clorox wipes and hand sanitizer.** Thank you for your continuous support with this project.

CATECHISTS NEEDED

WE ARE LOOKING FOR YOU. All of us who work in children's ministry know that the Holy Spirit works through us and that the children and families we serve grow in faith and in true Christ likeness, but in order for us to continue to successfully teach and share the word of GOD to his people, we need more catechists. No previous experience is needed. We will train you. If you are interested and want to know more, or if you are willing to volunteer, please call 737-8028 or email pmatheny@stjohnscatholicchurch.org. Thank you for your interest.

Hooray!! We have a head leader for our Annual BBQ BLAST

Neilann Brown has graciously volunteered to head our Annual BBQ Blast that is set for **Saturday September 28, 2019.** But remember, **We need your help,** together we can make this event a success!!! Call **Neilann Brown** 932-3211 or the office 737-8028.

St John Annual Raffle

Once again, this year we will have our "St John Annual Raffle" We ask that each family buy or sell at least two books; 20 tickets, worth \$20.00. You do not have to be present to win! There will be 3 drawings: **\$500.00, \$300.00 and \$200.00.** Please pick up your tickets after mass in the commons area. The drawing will be held at the end of the BBQ Blast.

Theology on Tap kicked back off in Richmond in 2018 and we want to keep a good thing going! We are seeking new leadership in the Roles of: Welcome Committee, Speaker Committee, Emcee, Parish liaison... E-mail ebuckle1@gmail.com for more information.