

Saint John Catholic Church

Iglesia Católica San Juan

November 17, 2019 – Thirty third Sunday in Ordinary Time
17 de noviembre de 2019 – Trigésimo Tercer Domingo en Tiempo Ordinario



33rd Sunday

IN ORDINARY TIME

“You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair on your head will be destroyed.” - Lk 21:16-18

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday5:30 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 NOVEMBER 16, 2019
4:30 PM Reconciliation
5:30 PM Mass souls of Damaso & Julius Bas

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 17, 2019
9:00 AM Mass
10:00 AM Rosary
12:15 PM Misa Consuelo Murillo Ayala

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 20, 2019
12:00 NOON Mass - Julio Penarrieta

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 21, 2019
8:30 AM Mass

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2019
12:00 Noon Mass

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 23, 2019
4:30 PM Reconciliation
5:30 PM Mass for parishioners St. John, St Patrick & St. Peter

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 24, 2019
9:00 AM Mass soul of David Walz
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 Kolakowski, 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, Jeff Konschak, Virginia Saunders, Gerry Biartel, Fred Brown, Ewing Family, Jones Family, Beverly Burrow, Marie Ellett, Evelyn Clatterback, Dick Wassel, Bobby & Christie Osterloh, Nathaniel Young, Chris Nolte, Hallet and Frances Harrison, Maria Teresa Casas, Carole & Bob Trent, Frances Martin, and John

The item being collected for **FISH** for **NOVEMBER**
Adult and children socks

En el mes de **NOVIEMBRE** necesitamos para **FISH**
Medias para niños y adultos

St. Peter Clothes Closet is now accepting clean, gently used clothes, blankets, jackets and backpacks. Also they are accepting can goods for their pantry. There is a box marked St Peter in the commons area.

"You will even be handed over by parents, brothers, relatives, and friends, and they will put some of you to death. You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair on your head will be destroyed. By your perseverance you will secure your lives." - Lk 21:16-19

Readings for the week of November 17, 2019

Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 [cf. 9]/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 155, 158 [cf. 88]/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [6b] Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15 [15b]/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 [23b]/Lk 19:41-44

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chrn 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd [13b]/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19 [cf. 16a]/Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

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The SJP 500 Club drawing is this coming Thursday, November 21st after the 9:00 Mass. Please have you dues in by Monday, November 18th. All are welcome to join us for the drawing. Any questions? Call Diana Young 647-5665.

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.**

November 9 & 10, 2019

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| | WEEKLY | YEARLY |
| .Actual | \$3,089.00 | Actual \$74,563.10 |
| .Budget | <u>\$4,827.00</u> | Budget <u>\$91,712.00</u> |
| | (\$1,738.00) | difference (\$17,148.90) |

MASS ATTENDANCE

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| 530 | 9:00 | 12:15 |
| 73 | 125 | 235 |

Pastor Message

"See that you not be deceived"

This is a word of caution from the gospel today. It is a warning against shady and scamming people who lie and cheat and manipulate.

Today we have a serious problem of people trying to cheat and steal from other people and it has to do with technology.

I will use this pastor message to warn you of these types of things. These scammers no doubt already tried to cheat you, with every spam email you have ever received.

We have recently had incident of this at our own parishes. I have mentioned this before but be careful if you ever get an email from me making a request for gift cards or any other financial transaction. Apparently, hackers have been setting up email accounts in my name and emailed people of our parish whose names are in the bulletin. If you volunteer here at St Patrick in any way and have your email in the bulletin you may get a fake email from me asking for gift cards for cancer patients or some other reason. It is terrible. There is basically nothing that can be done to stop it because anyone can setup an email account in anyone else's name.

Always be careful of giving out your financial information or responding to emails such as these. I have heard stories of people calling on the phone and pretending to be your bank, or pretending to be Dominion Energy and then scamming people. Be careful! They even have the ability to make the caller ID appear to be from your bank. It is terrible.

Never click any link on an email asking you to reset your password or update your account unless you have initiated a password retrieval.

These scammers will sometimes setup a credit card account in your name and you will not even know it. Check your credit report on a regular basis to be sure no one has opened a new account in your name. you can also setup alerts on your credit cards and bank accounts so that you are alerted if a high dollar purchase is made.

I especially worry for older folks who may not be as tech savvy as others. These liars and cheats are ruthless and terrible and would swindle you out of your home if they can. Be careful. Always ask someone you trust to verify something if it seems fishy. Have a friend look into it or call one of your kids or grandkids if you are unsure.

There were scammers in Christ's day and unfortunately they are still around.

Fr Rossi

Social Hall Rental - Dear all. I wanted to inform you that we are considering renting our social hall to a non-for-profit company on a regular basis. The company is seeking to open an adult day care and utilize our space Monday - Friday. The rental income to the parish will be \$3k-\$4k per month. The lease gives us access to our social hall when we want (Lenten dinners, funeral luncheons, yard sales, etc). Liability is assumed by the renter under their insured business. We have sought the assistance of attorneys to advise us. This would be a significant blessing to our parish and would use a building that sits empty most weeks. Pray this goes through! Let me know if you have any questions.
Fr Rossi

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

SCAM ALERT

You may received an email purporting to be Fr. Rossi requesting monetary donations. **IT IS A SCAM.** This is just the latest efforts from criminals to trick people out of their money. So please be careful.

GIVING TUESDAY

Global giving day known as #GivingTuesday falls each year on the Tuesday after Thanksgiving. which is **December 3rd**. It was created to remind us, after all that shopping on Black Friday and Cyber Monday, to also spend our money benefitting the Charites that are near and dear to our hearts. We encourage you to give to your favorite charitable cases on #GivingTuesday this year and we hope that St. John's Capital Campaign will be one of them!

CHRISTMAS PRESENTATION

You are invited to this year's Christmas Presentation - 3:00pm on Sunday, December 8th, 2019 at St. John Catholic Church. if you'd like to join us as ushers, readers, singers, or instrumentalists, please reach out to Katie as soon as possible!! email her - musicministerkate@gmail.com or leave a message @ 804-256-3450. Free admission, 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.

St. John is the host for the Annual Community Thanksgiving Service on Tuesday November 26 at 7 pm.

ST JOHN'S PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

Did you know? Every participating family receives a free 8x10 portrait and a printed and electronic copy of our directory.

This weekend is your last chance to sign up to have your picture included in the directory. Without you our directory it is not complete. Sign up for Monday and Tuesday sheets are on the table in the commons area.

THANK YOU - GRACIAS. CARITAS has come and gone with great success. Words cannot express our gratitude to everyone who helped with this outreach program, to all men, women and youth who loaded and unloaded the cots, to the ladies who did the laundry, the volunteers who spent the night, the volunteers who made the lunches and served delicious meals, to the ones who offered their time for the trips to the YMCA, to all who fulfill our Wish List. St. Johns couldn't have done it without you. Our guests were thankful beyond words. THANK YOU.

Breakfast with St Nicholas and our Blessed Mother Virgin Mary's Baby Shower

Once again this year we will be hosting the baby shower dedicated to our Blessed Mother Virgin Mary on Sunday December 8th from 10:00 am to 11:45 am in the social hall, We will celebrate the blessings of life with a breakfast in which we will have a special visitor, St. Nicholas. There is no cost but a donation, will be greatly appreciated. At the baby shower we will collect items to benefit the East End Pregnancy Center. Bring diapers, (especially new born) and size 4, 5, & 6, baby wipes, baby blankets, gift cards and clothes for newborn babies. Your presence and your presents will be greatly appreciated.

Appalachian Giving Tree: The Knights of Columbus will be collecting Christmas gifts for families living in Appalachia, the poorest part of Virginia where the need is great. We will be collecting presents for 4 families. Please consider taking a tag or tags from the tree in the vestibule & **return the wrapped gift with the tag attached no later than 12-8-19.** Any questions please contact Eddie & Donna Baird at 804.986.2898. Many Thanks