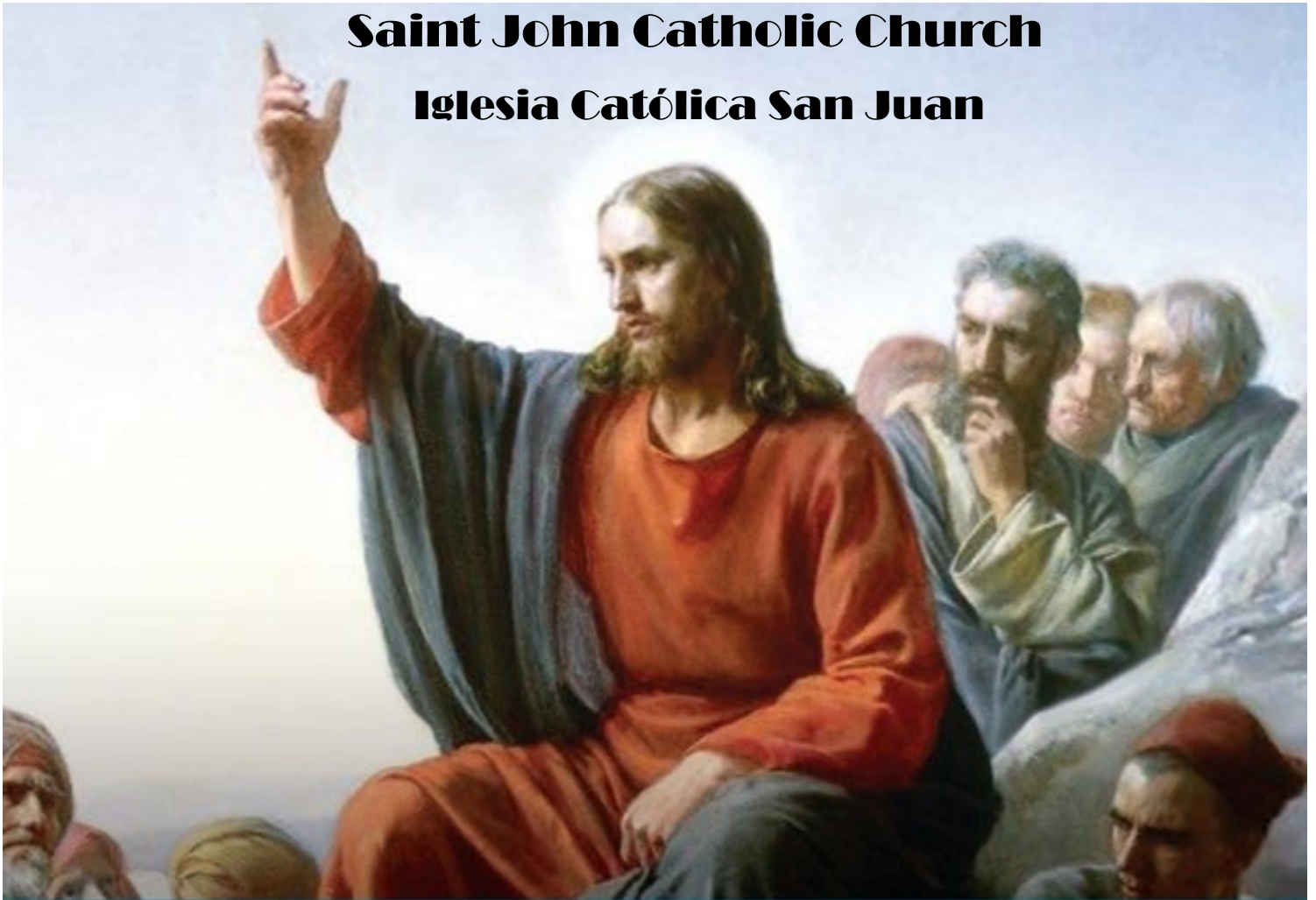


Saint John Catholic Church

Iglesia Católica San Juan



20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



“There is a baptism with which I must be baptized, and how great is my anguish until it is accomplished! Do you think that I have come to establish peace on the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division. From now on a household of five will be divided, three against two and two against three.” - Lk 12:50-52

“Tengo que recibir un bautismo ¡y cómo me angustio mientras llega! ¿Piensan acaso que he venido a traer paz a la tierra? De ningún modo. No he venido a traer la paz, sino la división. De aquí en adelante, de cinco que haya en una familia, estarán divididos tres contra dos y dos contra tres”. - Lc 12, 50-52

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St John Parish Calendar

SATURDAY August 13, 2022
 4:30PM Reconciliation
 5:30PM Mass soul of John Kolakoski

SUNDAY August 14, 2022
 9:00 AM Mass 98th birthday for Maxine DiMarino
 12:30 PM Misa birthday Elena Chavez

MONDAY August 15, 2022 Holy Day
 7:00 PM Mass bilingual

WEDNESDAY August 17, 2022
 Mass

THURSDAY August 18, 2022
 8:30 AM Mass

SATURDAY August 20, 2022
 4:30 PM Reconciliation
 5:30 PM Mass soul of John Kolakoski

SUNDAY August 21, 2022
 9:00 AM Mass soul William Wilder
 12:30 PM Misa

ST. PETER OFFERS MASS DAILY AT NOON

ADORATION

ST. JOHN 1ST WEDNESDAY - 6PM

ST. PATRICK 3RD SUNDAY AFTER MASS

ST. PETER 1ST FRIDAY AFTER MASS

Readings for the week of August 14, 2022

Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18 [14b]/
 Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53

Monday: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16/1
 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10/Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-
 36ab/Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday:Ez 34:1-11/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/
 Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Ez 36:23-28/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/
 Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/
 Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ez 43:1-7ab/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt
 23:1-12

Next Sunday: Is 66:18-21/Ps 117:1, 2/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS/ RECUERDE EN SUS ORACIONES:

Helen Rice, John & Jolene White, Junie Kirby, Maxine DiMarino, Wayne Ewing, Jeff Korschack, Elena Chavez. John & Peggy Smith, Stanhope Flournoy, Betty Yingst, Paul Greene, Frank Haselton, Leonora Gray, Leslie Gray, Melissa Harrington, Chris Jones, Carl Saunders, Hallett Harrison, Joseph Di Marino, Mike Elrod, Theresa Mosely, Joan Purcell, Paul Evans, Frank & Kathy McCollum, Sonny Scott, Red Goodman, and Anne Sorensen.

DONATION FOR FISH

**REQUEST FOR THE MONTH OF August
Laundry Detergent**

**DONACIONES PARA FISH ESTE MES DE AGOSTO
DETERGENTE PARA LAVAR ROPA**

WEEKLY COLLECTION

August 6 & 7, 2022

Weekly	Year to date
Actual	Budget
\$5,613.00	\$28,359.35
<u>\$4,714.00</u>	<u>\$28,284.00</u>
\$899.00	\$75.35

All totals include weekly collection and e-giving

MASS ATTENDANCE

5:30	9:00	12:30
65	103	230

August 14, 2022 – Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
14 de agosto de 2022 – Vigésimo Domingo en Tiempo Ordinario

Message from our Pastor

Dear Parishioners,
Coming Monday is the Solemnity of **The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**. It is a dogma of faith proclaimed by Pope Pius XII in the Year 1950 stating: *"the immaculate mother of God, the ever-virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory."* Since then, it has been an important feast on the liturgical calendar observed as a **Holyday of Obligation** celebrated every 15th of August each year. Joyfully, some do that with the procession of the Marian Statue asking for heavenly favors through her intercession.

Among the reasons why the Marian Assumption is celebrated is as follows:

Mary's close association with all mysteries of Jesus's life, as well as sharing fully in his glorification.

Jesus's Ascension to the Father in heaven opens the way for Mary to be taken up (Assumption) into heaven to join her son (Rev. 11:19; 12:1ff), this is the woman escorted by an army of heavenly holy angels.

She is in heaven (a place for the Holy ones) because of her sinlessness, since she was full of grace (Lk. 1:28)

Jesus' words of going to prepare a place in his Father's house for his loved ones, and coming back to take them with him (Jn. 14:1-4), comes true for Mary as her mother and his first apostle at the wedding at Cana (Jn. 2:3ff)

She is the lowly handmaid who deeply revered her God (Lk. 1:46ff) and has been raised to the heights.

She is one of the first fruits who had fallen asleep (1 Cor. 15:20) but has been raised and dwells in heaven.

Let us celebrate the Assumption feast with joy in the masses at St. Peter (12.05pm), St. Patrick (6.00pm), St. John (7pm) and ask the blessed mother to intercede for us and our families.

Fr. Maxwell.

Condolence

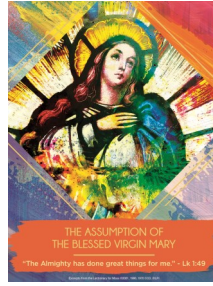
St John's family expresses our sincere sympathy to the family of Julie Mercer and her sons on their loss of Lloyd. He was a faithful and dependable parishioner and he will be greatly missed. Please keep the Mercer family and friends in your prayers.

ST JOHN'S Q+A"

This week, we'll be talking **what the Church teaches about contraception?**

MONDAY AUGUST 15th, 2022

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY MASSES ARE AS FOLLOW:



MASSES

MASS ST. PETER —12:05 PM
MASS ST. PATRICK - 6:00 PM
MASS ST. JOHN
7:00—PM— (BILINGUAL)

Religions Education Registration 2022-2023

ALL REGISTRATIONS SUBMITTED AFTER AUGUST 21ST, A \$30 LATE FEE WILL BE ADDED TO YOUR REGISTRATION.

Registration forms are available on the counter in the commons. For questions please call at 737-8028 or pmatheny@stjohnscatholicchurch.org.
With regards Paulita Matheny

Catechists needed

WE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR YOU!! No previous experience is needed. 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.

From the Music office: Are you interested in joining our church choir but aren't ready to make a long-term commitment just yet? Good news: we are looking for singers and instrumentalists for our annual Christmas concert which will be held at St. John on Sunday 12/4 @ 3:00pm. Rehearsals begin on 9/22 at St. John (5:30 - 7:00pm) and run through November. For more information, rehearsal dates, and to express interest, please talk to Katie after mass or email her at musicministerkate@gmail.com.

Victim Assistance Support Group

As a community, we strive to support survivors of child sexual abuse on their journey toward healing and wholeness. For those who have suffered abuse by clergy residing in the Catholic Diocese of Richmond, we invite you to join virtually, on August 10 and/or August 24 at 7pm. Spouses and affected community members are also welcome. These gatherings, led by an independent facilitator, will offer a safe environment for participants to connect, share experiences, support, and heal. If you would like more information, or the virtual meeting link, please call the Victim Assistance Coordinator at (877) 887-9603 or email danna@atreeplanted.org