

# St. John Francis Regis

June 30, 2024

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



## Mass Times

Sunday  
7am, 9am, 11:30am

Saturday  
8am, 5pm Vigil

Monday-Friday  
7am & 8am

Holy Days of Obligation  
7am, 9am, 7pm

## Confessions

Monday - Friday  
1:30pm - 2:30pm

Saturday 4pm-6pm,  
and during Sunday Masses

\*Also by appointment

## Adoration

Monday-Friday  
6am-7am  
1:30pm - 2:30pm

Saturday  
6:30am-7:30am

## Rosary

Monday-Friday  
7:30am

Saturday  
4:30pm

Sunday  
6:30am

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### **MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of St. John Francis Regis Parish is to foster a family of faith,  
built on **yesterday's** foundation, so that **today's** spirituality, service, and education  
will continue to grow into **tomorrow's** Catholic community.

***"Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and tomorrow."***

# Saints Alive!



**St. Maria Goretti**  
Pray for us!

**July 1: St. Oliver Plunkett** (1625-1681). County Meath native and elevated to the position of the Archbishop of Armagh and was falsely accused of treason. See his head on display in Drogheda and **St. Junipero Serra** (1713-1784) Spanish Franciscan who founded 22 missions from Baja to Central coastal California. Pray at his relic's shrine in Carmel-by-the-Sea.

**July 2: St. Otto of Bamberg** (1062-1139) is the bishop hailed as the 'apostle of Pomerania'. He evangelized this part of Poland with great effectiveness. And **Bd. Peter of Luxembourg** (1369-1387) is patron of Avignon – though he spent only the last year of his life advising the pope at the court. My 'home' parish – St. Didier – is the place where his relic's shrine is located.

**July 3: St Thomas the Apostle** "the twin" or "the doubting Thomas" was purportedly buried in Mylapore, near Madras in India in the year 72. I know him best as the "Apostle to India. " And **St. Raymund de Toulouse** (1050-1118) is a widower who sought ordination late in life – and made the Basilica of St. Sernin such a famous shrine on the road to Compostela for the rest of the Middle Ages.

**July 4: Bd. Pier Giorgio Frassati** (1901-1925) was deeply spiritual, ardently political, easygoing, extroverted, warm, a keen mountaineer and sportsman and noted for his charity to the poor in Torino. So popular – his relics have been moved next to the Shroud of Turin in the Cathedral. The Pope has approved his canonization for later this year.

**July 5: St. Isabelle of Portugal** (1271-1336) was married at the age of 12 to an adulterous king and simply exuded goodness, no matter what came her way. As a widow, she became a Poor Clare (Franciscan) in Coïmbra. We prayed at her tomb on the way to Fatima.

**July 6: St. Maria Goretti** (1890-1902). We've been to her relic's shrine and I said Mass over her tomb. She is so beloved and seems so alive to me, that I keep forgetting that she was martyred for purity 122 years ago. It is her visits to people beyond the grave that stir the heart. She calls on people to forgive their persecutors. I was given her relics (with documentary papers) while on pilgrimage.

## *"To everything there is a season..."*

**"A time to be born..."**  
Brady James Deines

**"A time to die, a time to mourn..."**

**"A time to embrace, a time to love..."**  
Jacob Norris & Hannah Aley

**"A time to heal..."**

**"A time of peace, and a time of war..."**

Ecclesiastes 3:1-2, 8

For everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under heaven: a time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted. A time to love, and a time to hate; a time for war, and a time for peace.



Denise Abell, John Abell, William Abell, Jr., Chuck Anderson, Bob Andrews, Maya Ashton, Judy Faye Bakewell, Jackie Barnes, Chris Battle, Beverly Bowles, Rose Brady Claire Broadhead, Margaret Bush, Frances Butler, Ayden Burton, David Calvano, Amanda Campbell, Shawn Campbell, Joan Carter, Leroy Chapman, Diego Chesley, Linda Clarke, Linda Czarzasty, Daniel Davis, Mary Delozier, Eric Dexter, Mark Duke, William Dunn, Richard Edgington, George Fairfax, Jane Farrell, Cherrri Fearn, Pauline Fitzgerald, Terry Fitzpatrick, Brian Galpin, Joseph Gardiner, Tyler Gardiner, Isaac Garity, Katie Gatley, Jason & Jennifer Gatten, Mary Gelabert, Judy Goddard, Ben Gray, John B. Gray, Jack Greenwell

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SSgt JanCarlo Torres, USAF;  
Staff Sgt Jason W. Walker, USA;  
AIC Jack Whinnery, USAF;



We are praying for our military families at home, and abroad.

# Parish Sacramental Life

## BAPTISMS

The Rite of Baptism is celebrated by appointment. Parents are required to meet with one of the priests and attend an obligatory preparation session preferably before the birth of your child. Call the rectory to schedule your appointment.

## MARRIAGES

Couples seeking to be married in the Church are required to contact the parish office and make arrangements at least 6 months in advance of the ceremony.

Please contact the rectory for more information.

## SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please notify the rectory when a parishioner would like to receive the sacraments and is homebound, in a nursing home, or in the hospital.

## R.C.I.A

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): Those who are interested in becoming Catholic or completing their sacraments are invited to contact the rectory at any time.

### Upcoming Second Collections:

**(Please make all checks payable to St. John's)**

- ♦ July 7th - St. John's Revitalization Fund
- ♦ August 4th - St. John's Revitaliation Fund
- ♦ August 15th - Assumption
- ♦ September 1st, St. John's Revitalization Fund
- ♦ September 8th, Catholic University

### St. John's Confession Schedule

#### Saturday, July 6

Confessions are offered starting at 4pm and during the 5pm Mass.

#### Sunday, July 7

Confessions are being offered during all Sunday Masses 7am, 9am, & 11:30am



### Please give a warm welcome to our Summer Seminarian, Peter Fairbanks!



I'm Peter Fairbanks, the summer seminarian assigned here at St. John's. I am from Bethesda, MD in Montgomery County. I went to The Heights for high school and then studied biology at the University of Maryland. My plan was to be a doctor. I worked at a surgery practice after graduating, and through my work with patients I discovered that I wanted to dedicate my life to bringing people closer to Christ, and so I entered seminary in 2019, five (!) years ago. I attend seminary at the North American College in Rome, and my ordination to the diaconate will be on October 3 of this year. Please pray for me and my classmates!! As a Montgomery County boy, I do not have experience of St. Mary's County (apparently you can just call it "The County"). I'm excited to meet a lot of you and to live the Southern Maryland life for the next few weeks (I will be around until mid-August). God has been good to me, and I am sure he'll continue to be this summer! Be assured of my prayers for this great parish.

*Welcome to St. John's Peter!*

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Saint John's Charitable Society

To learn more about SJCS, contact us at 240-298-7645 or email us at:

[sjcsvicepres@sjchollywood.org](mailto:sjcsvicepres@sjchollywood.org)

*You can help build hope in your local community!*



## ST. JOHN'S EVENTS



#### July 21

Hope for the Hungry  
Food Drive

#### August 4

St. John's Parish Picnic  
Camp Maria  
10am - 3pm

#### August 18

Hope for the Hungry  
Food Drive

#### August 27

St. John's First Day of School  
Drive safely!

#### September 2

Labor Day  
Parish Office is Closed

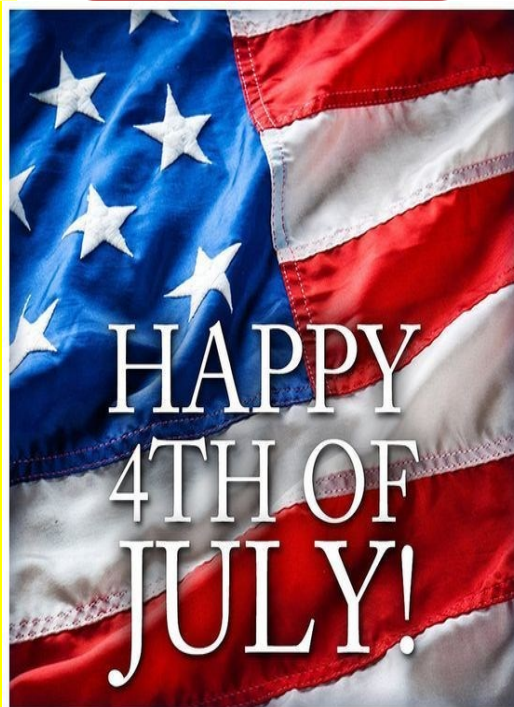
#### September 3

SJS Fundraiser  
Slim Chickens 4pm - 9pm



Daily Readings		Mass Intentions
Am Mt	2:6-10, 13-16 8:18-22	<b>MONDAY, July 1</b> 7:00am Nicholas & Anthony Pacini(L) 8:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
Am Mt	3:1-8; 4:11-12 8:23-27	<b>TUESDAY, July 2</b> 7:00am Ann Huseman+ Charles Bean+ 8:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
Eph Jn	2:19-22 20:24-29	<b>WEDNESDAY, July 3</b> 7:00am Eric Kelly+ 8:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
Am Mt	7:10-17 9:1-8	<b>THURSDAY, July 4</b> 7:00am Rita Cole-Murphy+ 8:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
Am Mt	8:4-6, 9-12 9:9-13	<b>FRIDAY, July 5</b> 7:00am Frank Trinch+ 9:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
Am Mt	9:11-15 9:14-17	<b>SATURDAY July 6</b> 8:00am Blake Harrison+ 5:00pm Sullivan Family(L)
Ez 2 Cor Mk	2:2-5 12:7-10 6:1-6a	<b>SUNDAY, July 7</b> 7:00am St. John's Parishioners 9:00am Chinazom Ibegbu & Family(L) 11:30am Deacon Curtis Rodney+

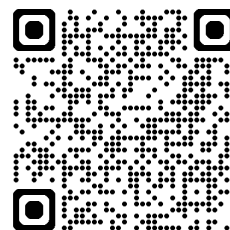
+ Deceased (L) Living



**The parish office will be closed July 4th**

**St. Mary's Ryken Youth Honors Chorus Registration is Open!  
Sign up early for discounts!**

The SMR Youth Honors Chorus warmly welcomes talented singers in grades 5 through 8! Now in its 14th year, our program, led by SMR Choral Director Mrs. Kim Norris, offers an enriching musical experience for students from public, private, and homeschool communities. Every year we focus on a Christmas theme for a fun and spirited Christmas concert! A concert will be performed on December 6 on the SMR Campus! Visit [www.smrhs.org/youthhonorschorus](http://www.smrhs.org/youthhonorschorus) to register today. **50% off for a second child and a \$20 returning student discount.** Act fast - all discounts end on September 1, 2024. For more information and coupon codes for discounts, contact Mrs. Kim Norris at [kim.norris@smrhs.org](mailto:kim.norris@smrhs.org).



**HOUSE BLESSINGS** - If you would like your home blessed, please call our parish office at 301-373-2281 to make an appointment with Father Ray or Father Braam.

*God Bless this Home and All  
Who Enter*



**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Friday 9am - 4pm  
**Closed daily for Lunch - 12:30pm - 1:00pm**  
 Parish Office Phone Number: 301-373-2281  
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 Jackie Cannon/Secretary:  
[cannonj@sjhollywood.org](mailto:cannonj@sjhollywood.org)

**The parish office will be closed on July 4.**

*We are here for you!*

**CATHOLIC CEMETERY** needs your help to maintain the beauty and dignity of the sacred ground by following the cemetery regulations:

- \* Fresh flowers are welcome all year.
- \* Artificial flowers allowed only from November 15 until March 15.
- \* Flowers of any type will be removed by the cemetery grounds keeper when they become unsightly or the particular season/holiday is over.
- \* Other decorations such as glass containers, candles, lights, metal staffs, benches or chairs, etc. are prohibited and subject to immediate removal.
- \* Individual planting of trees, shrubs, flowers etc. are not allowed.
- \* Please keep it simple - excess items may be removed.
- \* Consult our office for specific memorial rules and regulations in the cemetery.



We need volunteers to help clean the church every week or every other week. Any time you can give is greatly appreciated! Please call the parish office if interested.

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Go to [formed.org](http://formed.org), click "Sign up as a Parishioner," enter either our zip code (20636) or St John Francis Regis, enter your name and email address, and then start enjoying the free Catholic movies, books, podcasts and talks, bible studies, daily reflections, and so much more content.



**ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL**  
Celebrating 100 Years of Service to Our Catholic Community

# St. John's 2024 Parish and School Picnic

Hollywood, MD

Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup> from 10am-3pm

At Camp Maria

(41290 Camp Maria Rd, Leonardtown, MD 20650)



**Picnic begins with an outdoor Mass at 10:00 am (Limited seating is provided, so please bring lawn chairs and please wear appropriate attire (no bathing suits – you can change into them after Mass).**

*In the event of rain, please check the parish website Saturday p.m./Sunday a.m. ([www.stjohnsparishhollywood.org](http://www.stjohnsparishhollywood.org)) for any changes.*

**ACTIVITIES:** Swimming, pony rides and petting zoo, moon bounces, snow cones, cotton candy, popcorn, basketball, Spike Ball tournaments, other games... and more!

**PROVIDED:** Burgers, hot dogs, chips, ice tea, lemonade and water, plates, cups and plastic ware

**WHAT TO BRING:** Side dish, salad, or dessert to share (family special recipes appreciated), lawn chairs and/or blanket, sunblock, bathing suit, towel, football, Frisbee, soccer ball, basketball....



Petting Zoo



68' Warriors Obstacle Course



**Everyone welcome!**

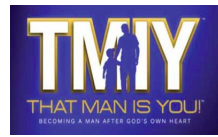




**Fiat!** will return in September! Please contact Mariam Tavarez, [tavarez5@att.net](mailto:tavarez5@att.net) for more information.



All women are welcome!



**That Man Is You (2 Samuel 12:7)**

Will Return in September, 2024

Saturdays @ 6:00 AM – 7:30 AM  
Monsignor Harris Center



**St. John's Men's Ministry Group (SJMGM) Fortes in Fide** exists to serve the spiritual needs of men, single and married.  
Saturdays @ 6:45am St. Jude's Rm

**Green Team Tips** Be bug friendly by moving them outside when they get in your house. A cup and paper efficiently do the job.

Move worms struggling on the sidewalk back into the grass.

## 2024 9TH ANNUAL RIDE FOR VOCATIONS

~SOUTHERN MARYLAND CATHOLIC CHURCHES CENTURY~

September 28, 2024

6:00AM Check-in

7:00AM Rider's Mass

8:00AM Ride Begins

(Bike Trail, 21 Mile Ride, starts at 9:00AM)

Support services end at 5:00PM



Routes:

100 Mile

70 Mile

50 Mile

21 Mile (Bike Trail)

REGISTRATION FEE: \$25

Register: <https://dcpriest.org/event/2024-ride-for-vocations/>



DCPRIEST

Office of Priest Vocations

Event location:

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH  
201 ST MARY'S AVENUE, LA PLATA, MD 20646

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: [julioferrero1@gmail.com](mailto:julioferrero1@gmail.com)



## THEOLOGY ON TAP

### CALLING ALL YOUNG ADULTS!

Join us for a chance to meet fellow Catholics in the SOMD community, as well as hear relevant and timely topics about the faith!

Every 3rd Wednesday | 6:00 pm

Brass Tap | 44940 St. Andrews Church Rd A, California, MD 20619

Email [paxcatholicministry@gmail.com](mailto:paxcatholicministry@gmail.com) for more information!

### Bulletin Requests

Contact the parish office with any bulletin inserts or announcements **10 days prior to that bulletin date.**

Please include any images to add in your email. **\*Please note, we have a limited amount of space.** We do not have room for full page flyers or documents.

Email announcements and inserts to: [smiths@sjchollywood.org](mailto:smiths@sjchollywood.org)

