

St. John Francis Regis

June 23, 2024

Twelfth 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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Sunday Classes

Grades K-12
10:15am-11:15am

The program starts in
September and ends in May.

Website: saintjohnsparishhollywood.org

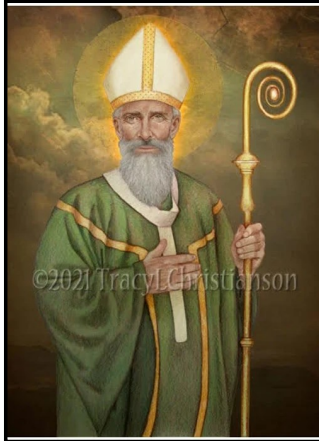
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MISSION STATEMENT

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."



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St. Irenaeus de Lyons
Pray for us!

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.



June 24: Birth of St. John the Baptist (30+). St. John the Baptist would later say, “I must decrease that he might increase.” St. Augustine notes that it is fitting to celebrate the Baptist’s birth on this day, since, after the birthday of John, the days grow shorter, after the birth of Jesus, the days get longer.

June 25: St. Prosper d’Aquitaine (465+) is the hero of the grace controversy – standing with Augustine over and against the Semi-Pelagians. He is the patron of theologians who are not bishops or priests. He died in Rome as the secretary to Pope Leo the Great.

June 26: SS. John and Paul (362+) were brother martyrs whose relics were deposited on the Coelian Hill in Rome since the 4th century. Some of the frescoes at this church date back to the 2nd century!

Saints Alive!

We recite their names in the first canon of the Mass. **St. José María Escrivá** (1902-1975) had a divine vision in 1928 concerning the founding of “Opus Dei”, or “the Work.” This (primarily) lay movement was finally approved in 1983 as a personal prelature of the Holy See.

June 27: St. Cyril of Alexandria (376-444). Cyril championed the title of Mary as Teotokos, “Mother of God” or “God-bearer” in order to highlight the reality of the Incarnation. As Patriarch of Alexandria, he drove out all who disagreed with him spiritually: orthodoxy at all costs started in 412.

June 28: St. Irenaeus de Lyons (125-202) grew up in Smyrna, was greatly influenced by St. Polycarp, then moved to Lyons in Gaul, with many other Greek merchants, and became bishop of this thriving community. He fought Gnosticism in all forms and called for their “stripping of the fox”.

June 29: SS Peter and Paul (64+). Earliest representations show Peter as sturdy and thickset, with a curly beard, and Paul as thin and bald, with a long head, scanty beard and deep-set eyes. Could it be a living memory?

June 30: Martyrs of Rome under Nero (64-68+) only since 1969 has this feast been moved to the day after SS Peter and Paul – as we remember July 19th of 64, and the fires that broke out in Rome. The fire raged for 7 days and nights: 2/3rds of Rome was destroyed. Christians were martyred and singled-out as the scapegoats in Nero’s palace gardens for the amusement of the nightly crowds. Nero committed suicide four years later.

“To everything there is a season...”

“A time to be born...”

“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...”

Benjamin Harman, Dorothy Baber Harper, Andy Hazel, Karen Henry, Leon Hill, Abby Hoffman, Crystal Howard, Johnita Jackson, Walter Johnson, Juanita Johnson, Albert Johnson, Tommy Johnson, Carolyn Jones, Pamela Jones, Richie Jones, John Kilroy III, Tommy Johnson, Nancy Lavoie, Ann Lacey, Robin Lawrence, Richard Law, Marie Lefebvre, Aiden Lindemann, Rose Marks, Michelle Mattingly, Maria McGuigan, Dorothy Miller, Natalie Miller, Pat Modlin, Doug Morgan, Ronnie Murphy, Jane Newberry, Debbie Norris

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CDR Michael Gill, USA;
LCpl Zachary Gilstrap, USMC;
LT Jennifer Gleason, USN;
LT John Taylor Gregg, USN;
Ann Hummel LCDR MSC USN;
ILT Mathew Francis Ives, USMC;
CPT Eric Jimenez, USMC;
CPL Ryan McLean, USMC;
CPT Andrew Mengle, USA;
Maj T. B. Missler, USMC;
Richard Paul, Jr; SPEC
Ashley Pakatar, USA;
Capt Alex Raggio, USAR;
SCPO Ronald J. Ryland, USN



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, June 29

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

Sunday, June 30

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



SPIRITUAL DIRECTION - Individual spiritual guidance is offered by our Priests and Deacons.

Please contact the parish office for more information or to schedule an appointment.
301-373-2281



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

You can help build hope in your local community!

REQUEST MASS INTENTIONS - Parishioners are able to request that the priest offers the Mass for a particular intention.

Mass Intentions are for: *a person who is deceased* a living person who is sick or suffering* on the occasion of a person's birthday, anniversary, or other special occasions *in thanksgiving* for a prayer intention (as long as the intention does not contradict Church teaching) Please call the office for more information at 301-373-2281. Mass cards are also available. *a donation of \$10 per Mass intention is appreciated.*

Call us for your 2024 & 2025 Mass Intentions!

****If more than one intention is requested, please email: cannonj@sjchollywood.org***



ST. JOHN'S EVENTS



July 4th
Independence Day!
Parish Office is Closed.

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

Daily Readings		Mass Intentions
Is Acts	49:1-6 13:22-26	MONDAY, June 24 7:00am Fred Papp+ 8:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
2 Kgs Mt	19:9b-11,14-21 7:6, 12-14	TUESDAY, June 25 7:00am Nicholas & Anthony Pacini(L) 8:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
2 Kgs Mt	22:8-13; 23:1-3 7:15-20	WEDNESDAY, June 26 7:00am Pat Gray(L) & Tommy Gray+ 8:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
2 Kgs Mt	24:8-17 7:21-29	THURSDAY, June 27 7:00am Nicholas & Anthony Pacini(L) 8:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
2 Kgs Mt	25:1-12 8:1-4	FRIDAY, June 28 7:00am Nicholas & Anthony Pacini(L) 9:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
Acts 2Tm Mt	12:1-11 4:6-8 16:13-19	SATURDAY June 29 8:00am Nicholas & Anthony Pacini(L) 5:00pm Father Jude Ibegbu(L)
Wis 2 Cor Mk	1:13-15; 2:23-24 8:7, 9, 13-15 5:21-43	SUNDAY, June 30 7:00am St. John's Parishioners 9:00am Mary & Callistus Ibegbu(L) 11:30am Father Dignan(L)

+ Deceased (L) Living

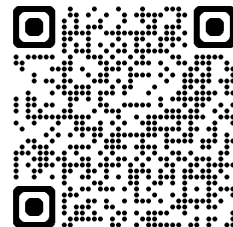
We are truly blessed!

Thank you all who helped make Father Winslow's First Mass & Reception Beautiful!

A special shout-out to the Tavarez family for setting up, decorating and helping at the Mass & reception.

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 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.



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**
Parish Office Email: **reception-ist@sjhollywood.org**
Jackie Cannon/Secretary:
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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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 4th from 10am-3pm

At Camp Maria

(41290 Camp Maria Rd, Leonardtown, MD 20650)



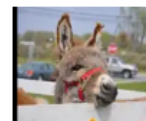
Picnic begins with an outdoor Mass at 10:00 am (Limited seating is provided, so please bring lawn chairs and please wear appropriate attire (no bathing suits – you can change into them after Mass).

In the event of rain, please check the parish website Saturday p.m./Sunday a.m. (www.stjohnsparishhollywood.org) 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



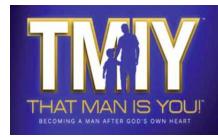
Everyone welcome!



Fiat! will return in September! Please contact Mariam Tavarez, tavarez5@att.net 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



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 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

