

St. John Francis Regis

September 1, 2024

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Mass Times

Sunday
7am, 9am, 11:30am

Saturday
8am, 5pm Vigil

Monday-Friday
7am (Labor Day: 9am only)

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

Confessions

Saturday 4pm-6pm,
and during Sunday Masses

*Also by appointment

Adoration

Monday-Friday
6am-7am

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

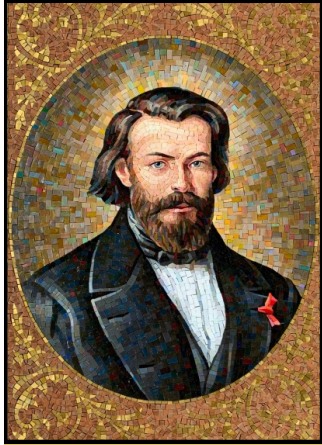
The program starts in
September and ends in May.

Facebook: www.facebook.com/sjchollywood/ X @sjchollywood

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."



Bd. Frederic Ozanam,
Pray for us!

September 2: St. Agricola d'Avignon (630-700) was a great bishop "in charge" of good weather. I dated a gal back in '78 whose father grew flowers on the banks of the Rhône, and when storms arrived, we approached the relic skull of St. Agricola in prayer.

But wait, what about **Bd. Jacques-Louis Schmid** (1752-1792). He was one of 71 priests butchered on this day during the French Revolution at St-Firmin. I like his last name!

September 3: St. Gregory the Great (540-604). Pray that we get other popes like this guy. I pray at his tomb at the Vatican and at his family mansion on the Coelian Hill when in Rome. Nobody writes like him – I like his style better than that of Augustine. His letters are so warm and intelligible.

Saints Alive!

September 4: St. Rosalia of Sicily (1166) is the principal patron saint of Palermo who, as a solitary cave dwelling hermit, has a knack for showing up and healing the distraught.

September 6: Bd. Bertrand de Garrigues (1230) beloved and trusted travelling companion of St. Dominic from Toulouse, Paris, Bologna, Rome.

September 7: Bd Giovanni Battista Mazzuconi (1826-1855) was a martyr in Woodlark Island off of Papua New Guinea after only 3 years of missionary work on Rooke Island.

September 8: St. Tomas de Villanova (1486-1555) is called the model of bishops and the father of the poor. The Augustinians named their flagship university after him outside of Philly.

Bd. Frédéric Ozanam (1813-1853). He was beatified when I was at World Youth Day in Paris in 1997; I was struck by this professor's love for his wife and daughter, the poor, Western literature, linguistics, politics and his open-door policy for his students. Oh, and in his spare time, he founded the St. Vincent de Paul Society! Check out his relic shrine at St. Joseph des Carmes, Paris.

"To everything there is a season..."

"A time to be born..."
Ethan Reuter

"A time to die, a time to mourn..."
Anne Quinn
Tommy Johnson

"A time to embrace, a time to love..."

"A time to heal..."

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, Cherri Fearn,
Pauline Fitzgerald, Terry Fitzpatrick, Brian
Galpin, Joseph Gardiner, Tyler Gardiner,
Isaac Garity, Katie Gatley, Jason & Jennifer
Gatton, Mary Gelabert, Judy Goddard,
Ben Gray, John B. Gray, Jack Greenwell

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

CPT Timothy E. Sartori, USA;
Lt Evan A. Scott, USN;
Sgt Sean B. Scott, USA;
LCDR Christopher S. Servello, USN;
LT Jeffery T. Servello, USN;
2ndLT Matthew Francis Smith, USA;
AEC Stephen Sterns, USN;
CDR Christopher Stearns, USN;
SSgt JanCarlo Torres, USAF;
Staff Sgt Jason W. Walker, USA;
A1C Jack Whinnery, USAF;

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.



**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.

O.C.I.A

(Order 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)

- ◆ September 8 - Catholic University
- ◆ September 22 - St. John's Mission Collection
- ◆ October 6 - St. John's Revitalization Fund
- ◆ October 20 - World Mission Sunday

St. John's Confession Schedule

Saturday, September 7

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

Sunday, September 8

Confessions are being offered at all Masses.



Religious Education Registration

Religious Education classes will begin on Sunday, September 15th, following the 9:00 am Mass. You can register your children online at <https://www.stjohnsparishhollywood.org/reled>.

Please contact the parish office with any questions.

St. John's School HIRING - Aftercare

St. John's School is hiring for our After Care program. Hours are Monday-Friday from 3:00pm-5:30pm. All applicants must be 18 years or older and will need to be Virtus trained and have a background check completed. Please email mcdonoughs@sjshollywood.org if interested.

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 2025
Mass Intentions!*

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



ST. JOHN'S EVENTS



September 2

NO 7AM MASS!

Mass will be offered at 9am.

September 2

Labor Day
Parish Office is Closed

September 3

SJS Fundraiser
Slim Chickens 4pm - 9pm

September 8

O CIA (formerly RCIA) begins
after the 9am Mass

September 15

Donut Social
9am-11am

September 27

Greece Pilgrimage Departs

Daily Readings		Mass Intentions
1 Cor Lk	2:1-5 4:16-30	MONDAY, September 2 9:00am Webster Tippett+ and Mary Ellen Norris+
1 Cor Lk	2:10b-16 4:31-37	TUESDAY, September 3 7:00am Ann Huseman+
1 Cor Lk	3:1-9 4:38-44	WEDNESDAY, September 4 7:00am Charles Bean+
1 Cor Lk	3:18-23 5:1-11	THURSDAY, September 5 7:00am Patrick Lasher+
1 Cor Lk	4:1-5 5:33-39	FRIDAY, September 6 7:00am Charles Bean+
1 Cor Lk	4:6b-15 6:1-5	SATURDAY, September 7 8:00am Paul and Salley Pellegrino+ 5:00pm Ann Huseman+
Is Jas Mk	35:4-7a 2:1-5 7:31-37	SUNDAY, September 8 7:00am St. John's Parish 9:00am Larry Forte+ 11:30am Daniel A. Greenwell+

+ Deceased (L) Living

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Monday, September 2 (Labor Day), There will be NO 7AM Mass!

Mass will be offered at 9AM instead.

The Parish Office will also be CLOSED!

TUESDAY
Apologetics with Deacon Ken Scheiber

Apologetics will return on TUESDAY September 10!

7 pm - St. Jude Room - Msgr. Harris Center

9/10 God and Human Nature

9/17 Does Science Disprove God?

9/24 Evils in the Name of Religion Don't Shake My Faith

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

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.



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!



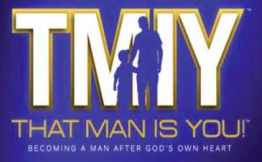
Ever thought about singing in the choir?

If you have ever been interested in singing in the Church choir, please prayerfully consider joining the 9AM Mass Choir at St. John's this year! We practice on Wednesday nights (starting September 4th) in the St. Therese Room at 7pm. We sing some of the greatest masterpieces of Catholic tradition. Spouses and children are allowed to sit in the wing of the choir loft so that singers can attend Mass with their families!

Contact Jonathan Hellerman if interested:
hellermanj@sjshollywood.org

**St. John's / Sisters of Charity (SCN) Mission Collection
21-22 September**

The St. John's second collection for the weekend of **21 – 22 September 2024** will be for the annual St. John's/SCN Mission Program. All monies collected build homes for the needy or perform repair work. Within and outside the U.S., parish members have traveled around the country and the world, including Africa and Belize. Efforts have included painting schools, laying block, pouring concrete, assisting with disaster relief, home repairs, and building houses. **Please help by supporting this annual mission collection and praying for all involved in this endeavor;** your generosity helps the less fortunate here and abroad as Pope Francis asks us in *Laudato Si*.



TMIY: The Fight of Faith

The Fight of Faith equips and enables men to engage in the cosmic, spiritual battle

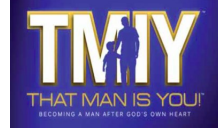
raging in our day. Authentic masculine identities will emerge to inspire heroic lives of service to a calling greater than ourselves. The Fight of Faith is uniquely both contemplative and practical. Join us for food, fellowship and faith [Starting Sept. 7th, Saturdays @ 6:00 AM – 7:30 AM, Msgr. Harris Center]. All men are welcome. Learn more at tmiy.org.

Register at https://admin.paradisusdei.org/location_details/st-john-francis-regis-hollywood

Fliers are in the front narthex of the Church and



Fiat! In conjunction with Paradisus Dei will start Season One Masterpiece of Creation, a bible study designed for women. For more info: tavarez5@att.net



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 Is your heat pump over 12 years old? A new heat pump is much more efficient. Get a SMECO energy audit, take advantage of the discounts and tax credits. You will be pleased with the financial rewards.

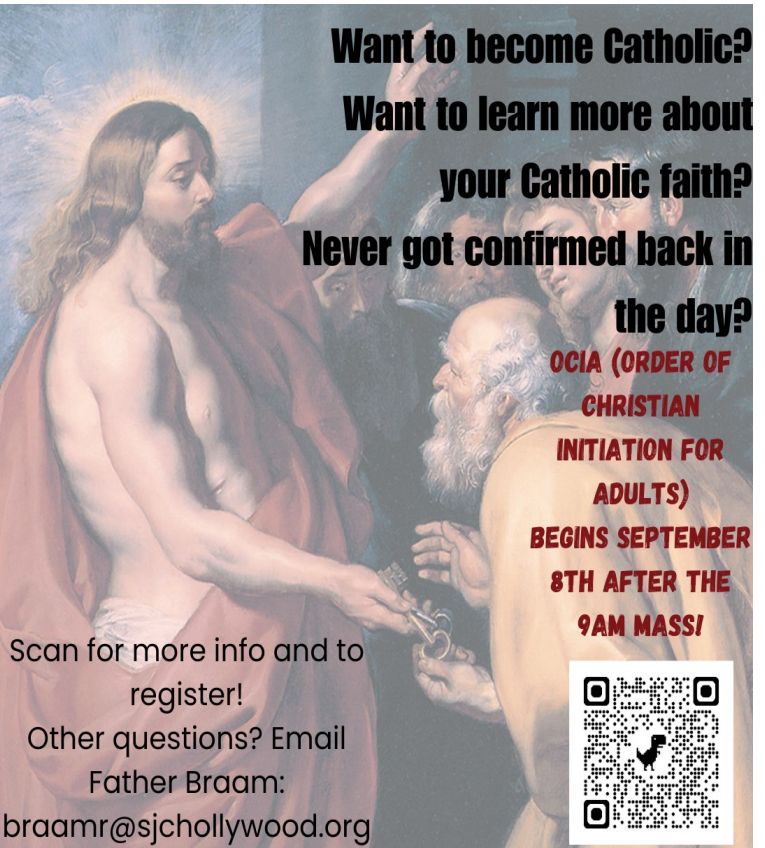


Mention your organization at the register and Slim Chickens will donate 15% of your total.
Use code **SLIMSGIVES** when ordering online or through the Slim Chickens App!



St. John's Catholic School

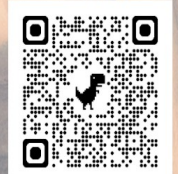
Tuesday, September 3rd
4:00 pm to 9:00 pm EDT
22622 MacArthur Boulevard



**Want to become Catholic?
Want to learn more about your Catholic faith?
Never got confirmed back in the day?**

OCIA (ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS) BEGINS SEPTEMBER 8TH AFTER THE 9AM MASS!

Scan for more info and to register!
Other questions? Email Father Braam:
braamr@sjchollywood.org



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: mattuzdavinis@sjchollywood.org

