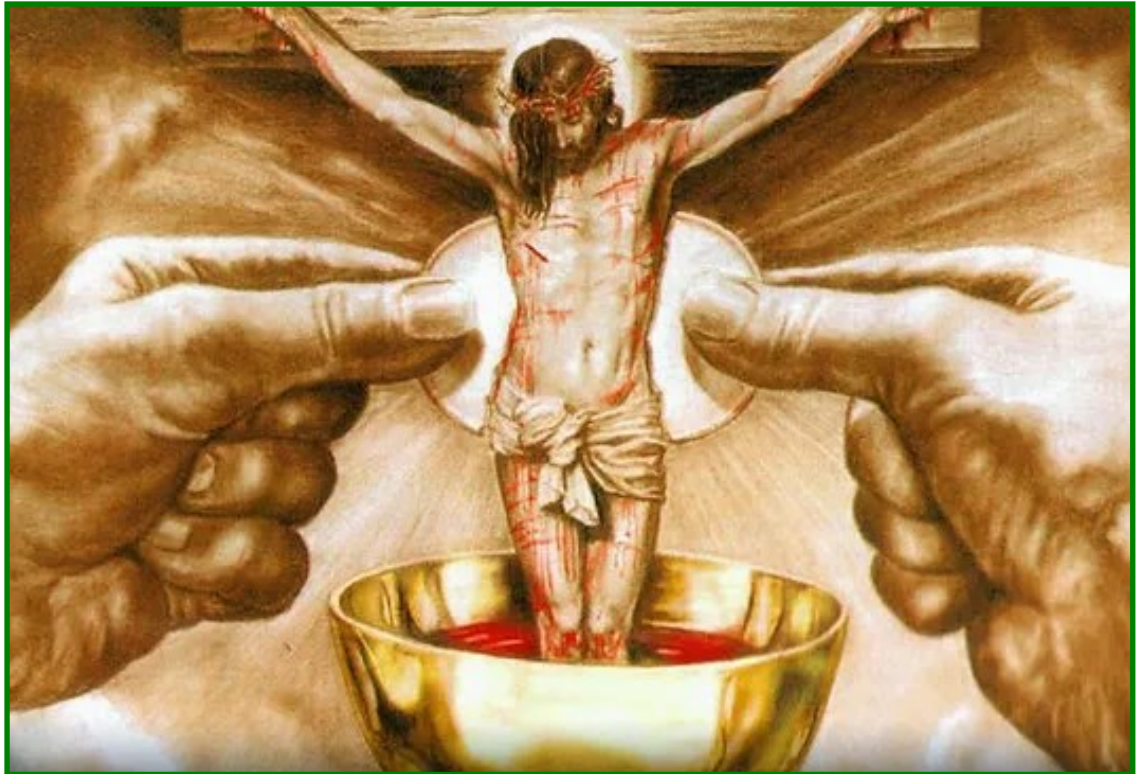


St. John Francis Regis

August 18, 2024

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Mass Times

Sunday
7am, 9am, 11:30am

Saturday
8am, 5pm Vigil

Monday-Friday
7am

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."



**St. Pope Pius X,
Pray for us!**

August 19th: St. Jean Eudes (1601-1680) "Preachers beat the bushes, but confessors catch the birds!" is his great expression to describe the work of adult retreats that gave theological depth to the twin feasts of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

St. Louis d' Anjou (1274-1297) Franciscan bishop of Toulouse by the age of 23 and died that same year; he was known for his purity and humility. He was canonized in Avignon while his mom was still alive.

August 20th: St. Bernard de Clairvaux (1090-1153) Abbot and Doctor of the Church who is called the "last of the church fathers" with such a winning personality, that 31 nobles entered the monastery with him. His letters make him the master of metaphor; he had no

Saints Alive!

problem exposing the wickedness and stupidity of the rich and powerful cardinals.

August 21st: St. Pius X (1835-1914) his father was a mailman, his mother a seamstress from just north of Venice. He called liberal Catholics "wolves in sheep's clothing" and as pope he clearly expressed the need for, "a sick society to obey and not quibble." Anti-Modernist oaths were to be taken by all who would teach theology. His relics are everywhere!

August 22nd: St. Philip Benizi (1233-1285) was the medical doctor from Florence who joined the Servites after a mystical vision at the age of 21. He had the gift of tongues which erupted at the Second Council of Lyons in 1274 to the astonishment of all.

August 23: St. Rose of Lima (1586-1617) was so beautiful that her mother nicknamed her "Rose" and the name has stuck to this day. Though beautiful she was extremely humble and turned down

many suitors, against her parent's wishes, in order to become a Dominican sister. St Rose is a beautiful example of humility, purity, and devotion.

August 24th: St. Bartholomew (First century) Nathaniel, son of Tolmai was the Apostle flayed alive by barbarians in Armenia. Yikes! We pray at his porphyry relic shrine in Rome on the Isola Tiberina.

August 25th: St. Louis de France (1214-1270) don't miss his cilice and hairshirt on display at the treasury museum at Notre Dame in Paris. This Franciscan tertiary king married at the age of 14 and had 11 children with his wife. I hope to pray at his relic shrine in Carthage someday!

"To everything there is a season..."

"A time to be born..."
Dustin Daly

"A time to die, a time to mourn..."
Norma Redden

"A time to embrace, a time to love..."
Jordan Norris & Logan Maidl

"A time to heal..."

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

Jordyn Rose O'Connor, Jalen Penaflor, John & Ethel Pilkerton, Todd Raffo, Robin Poe, Frances Powers, Hannah Rainer, Maria Robey, Hal Richards, Suzanne Saurel, Shirley Johnson Sellner, Charlotte Silva, Rosemary Smith, Dave Stefanic, Danny Sweeney, Nancy Szewczyk, Lawrence Tippet, Gwennette Thomas, Taylor Theriot, William J. Trainor Sr, Alice Viverette, James Wallace, Ronnie Ward, Johnny Wathen, Laura Wible, David Wilson, Eleanor Wood, Jill Wood, Damian Worrell, Luzina Yorkshire, George Thompson

WO2 James M. Adkins USA;
Ray Alvey, USMC;
SFC Kyle Bennett, USA;
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PFC James Kelly Butler, USA;
1stLT. John F. Callaghan II, USMC
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Christopher Scott Childers, USA;
SPC Michael J. Choffy, USA;
LTJG Ryan Dishman, USN;
Sgt. Jack Dugan, USMC;
CDR Michael David Emerson, USCG.

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

St. John's Confession Schedule

Saturday, August 24

Confessions are offered from 4pm-4:45pm. NO Confessions will be offered at the 5pm Mass.

Sunday, August 25

Confessions are being offered at all Masses.



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

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



August 18
Hope for the Hungry
Food Drive

August 18
Donut Social
Sponsored by KofC

August 27
St. John's First Day of School
Drive safely!

September 1
Pancake Breakfast
Sponsored by KofC

September 2
Labor Day
Parish Office is Closed

September 3
SJS Fundraiser
Slim Chickens 4pm - 9pm

| Daily Readings | | Mass Intentions |
|----------------|---------------------|--|
| Ez | 24:15-23 | MONDAY, August 19 7:00am Bishop Francisco Gonzalez+ |
| Mt | 19:16-22 | |
| Ez | 28:1-10 | TUESDAY, August 20 7:00am Bishop Francisco Gonzalez+ |
| Mt | 19:23-30 | |
| Ez | 34:1-11 | WEDNESDAY, August 21 7:00am Bishop Francisco Gonzalez+ |
| Mt | 20:1-16 | |
| Ez | 36:23-28 | THURSDAY, August 22 7:00am Nicholas and Anthony Pacini (L) |
| Mt | 22:1-4 | |
| Ez | 37:1-14 | FRIDAY, August 23 7:00am Nicholas and Anthony Pacini (L) |
| Mt | 22:34-40 | |
| Rv | 21:9b-14 | SATURDAY, August 24 8:00am Rey Bald+ 5:00pm Tony Quade+ and Dottie Moorefield+ |
| Jn | 1:45-51 | |
| Jos | 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b | SUNDAY, August 25 7:00am St. John's Parish 9:00am Robert & MaryAnn Vendrasco+ 11:30am Faustina DeMauro (L) |
| Eph | 5:21-32 | |
| Jn | 6:60-69 | |

+ Deceased (L) Living



Keep in touch with us via email and text!

Mass times, weather cancellations, ministry updates, & more delivered to your phone

TO SIGN UP, TEXT
SJFLOCK
to 84576

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stjohnfrancisregisparish.flocknote.com

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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



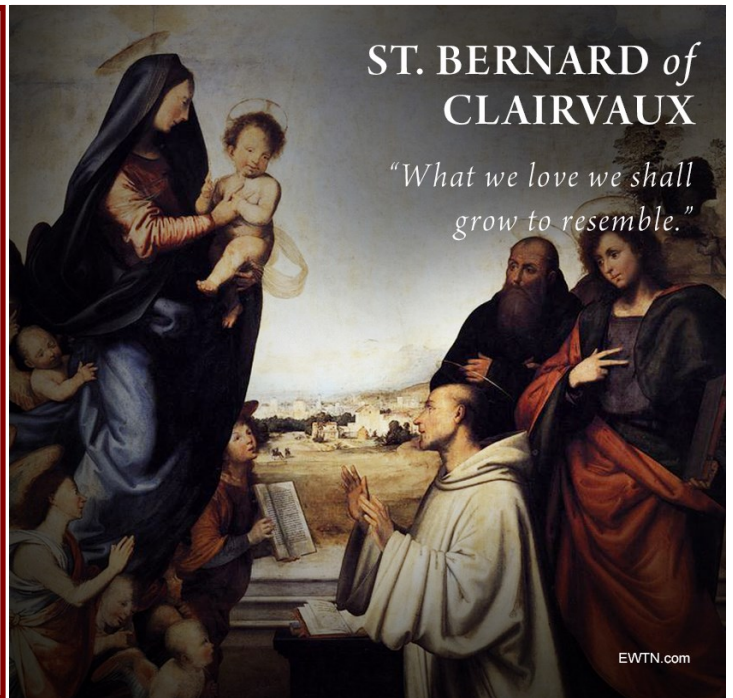
PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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.



ST. BERNARD of CLAIRVAUX

"What we love we shall grow to resemble."

EWTN.com

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!



Looking for a convenient way to donate to St. John's?

- **Ways to give: Visit Faith.Direct/MD1166**
- **Text :ENROLL" to (301) 579-7955**
- **Call Customer Service at (866) 507-8757**

PROJECT RACHEL MINISTRY Are you suffering the loss of a child from abortion?

Come experience God's peaceful presence and His mercy through the Project Rachel Ministry retreat program.

Men's Day of Prayer and Healing on Saturday, November 9, 2024.

Women's Day of Prayer and Healing on Saturday, October 26, 2024.

These retreats include: Witnessing, Sharing, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Holy Mass in a safe and non-judgmental environment. Exact location and participation are confidential.

For more information, contact:
Helpline 301-982-2008 or email:
For women: ProjectRachel@adw.org
For men: prmwashington@adw.org

St. Peter Claver's Pre-Labor Day Festival

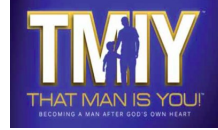
St. Peter Claver Catholic Church in St. Inigoes, MD, invites you to its Annual Pre-Labor Day Festival on its historic grounds on Sunday, September 1, 2024, from 12Noon to 6:00pm. Come and enjoy a day of "fun, fellowship and food!" Dinners with crab balls, fried chicken and baked ham will be for sale, and free entertainment will be provided including a car show, gospel and R& B entertainment, face painting, and Bubbleloza.

Call the Parish Office (301- 872-5460) to see how to get pre-paid discounted dinner tickets for only \$32.00 before August 27, 2024, or go online to purchase your ticket (<https://www.stpeterclaverchurch.org/>). Discounted dinner tickets are available to EMT, Fire and Rescue members now through the day of the festival.



Fiat! will return on August 27 at 7PM in the Monsignor Harris Center!

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 Walk or ride a bike more, drive less. Visit your neighbor. Plant a small kale patch in late Aug or early Sep.

**SOMD MASS
WITH
HEALING
PRAYERS**



**Monday, August 26, 2024
6:30PM Confessions
7:00PM Mass**

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church
22375 Three Notch Road
Lexington Park, MD 20653



*"O my God, my only hope, I have placed all my trust in You, and I know I shall not be disappointed."
-St. Faustina*

Future tentative dates: September 23rd, October 28th, November 25th and December 16th

**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: julieferrero1@gmail.com

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@sjhollywood.org

