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Hours: Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTIONS:

(All Religious Instruction programs meet in our parish school)

Elementary Program (Grades 1-6)

4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Tuesday:Hopkins Hill & West GreenwichWednesday:Blackrock, Western & Tiogue

First Penance and First Eucharist are celebrated in Grade 2, providing the child has previously completed the Grade 1 program.

Junior High (Grades 7 & 8) Summer & Fall Sessions

Confirmation Program (Grades 9 & 10)

Confirmation: Monday 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday evening Mass: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m.

DAILY MASSES

in the Rectory Chapel (except Holy Days and during Lent)

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 4:00-4:45 p.m. or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

2nd Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m. in the Church, by appointment only. **Instructions** are held every month on Thursday evenings. Dates will be given when registering. Sponsor certificates are required for godparents. Please call the rectory to register.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

We would like to help engaged couples to prepare for their Marriage well in advance. Please call the rectory to make an appointment at least six months before the proposed date.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK:

Please notify the rectory of hospitalization or serious illness, or of someone who is unable to get to church but would like to receive Communion.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

New Families (including newly married) should register by calling the rectory. Also, please notify us of any change of address.

SPONSORSHIP:

Certificates of sponsorship for godparents and confirmation sponsors are required by most parishes. These will be issued only to those who are confirmed Catholics, registered in the parish, weekly participants at Mass, validly married in the Church (if applicable) and providing for the religious education of their own children (if applicable).



Saturday	September 24	5:00 PM	Frances Hames / Birthday & Anniversary Remembrance / Mooty Family		
Sunday	September 25	7:30 AM	Marco Thomas / 2nd Anniversary / Mom & Dad		
		9:30 AM	Frank Colantonio, Sr. / 11th Anniversary / Family		
		11:30 AM	Stephen Medeiros / 1st Anniversary / Wife Lynn		
Monday	September 26	9:00 AM	Valischa Lamoureux / 1st Anniversary / Aunt		
Tuesday	September 27	9:00 AM	Brianna Lawrence / 22nd Anniversary / Ralph & Mike Lawrence		
Wednesday	September 28	9:00 AM	Mass for the People of the Parish		
Thursday	September 29	9:00 AM	Alice Kane / In Loving Memory / Liturgical Committee		
Friday	September 30	9:00 AM	Pasquale V. Confreda / 12th Anniversary / Wife Anna & Family		
Saturday	October 1	5:00 PM	Raymond J.C. Boggia / 4th Anniversary / Mary Boggia & Family		
Sunday	October 2	7:30 AM	Rita Trier / In Loving Memory / Joe & Joan Rothemich		
		9:30 AM	Gianni Guerrieri / In Loving Memory / Nick		
		11:30 AM	Frances R. Hames / Anniversary / Mooty Family		

Adoration every Thursday from 9:30AM to 3:00PM in the CHAPEL.



2022 Budget Collection Week of 9/11/22

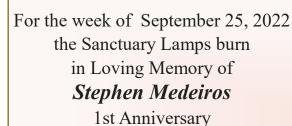
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\$14,428.50

2021 Budget Collection Week of 9/12/21

Envelopes \$ 9,515.50 E-Giving \$ 3,457.00 \$12,972.50

Thank you for your continued generosity.







For the week of September 25, 2022 the Altar Candles burn in Loving Memory of **Stephen Medeiros** 1st Anniversary



SAVE THE DATE!!

CONFIRMATION will be celebrated
Saturday, October 29, 2022 with Bishop Evans.
More information to follow.

Thank you for your continued support of the Our Daily Bread program. Your support helps to feed the less



fortunate of our community. Donations from the poor boxes go to fund this ministry. Last week we collected \$95.65.

Dear Fellow Parishioners, please join us, the SS. John & Paul Parish Respect Life Committee members, on Sunday Oct. 2 in front of our church from 2-3PM as we pray the rosary and show support for the dignity of all human life. God bless you.



It's Back!!!

SS. John & Paul Parish "Munching" for LIFE Appetizer Contest

Sponsored by the Respect Life Committee

Saturday, October 15, 2022 6:00PM

(immediately following the Saturday evening Mass)

Tickets are \$20 per person and will be on sale after all the Masses **THIS** weekend! Tickets are also available at the rectory office during regular business hours.



Right now, we are still looking for 10 Chefs to display their culinary skills!

If you would like to participate in this fun and delicious event, please fill out the entry form below and return it either in the collection basket at Mass or at the rectory office. For any questions, please contact Ray Conway at rayc8203@cox.net.

All proceeds to benefit Gabriel's Call.

YES! I would love to be a chef in the Munching for Life Appetizer Contest!							
Name							
Phone							
E-mail							

Our 2022 customized tee shirts are now available for ordering!

This year our design is the elf hat with your own elf identity!

Are you the sporty elf, Italian elf, princess elf, momma elf, daddy elf, sister elf, crafty elf, happy elf, dancing elf, grammie elf, memere elf, pop elf....etc?

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completed and ready for pick up at the bazaar!



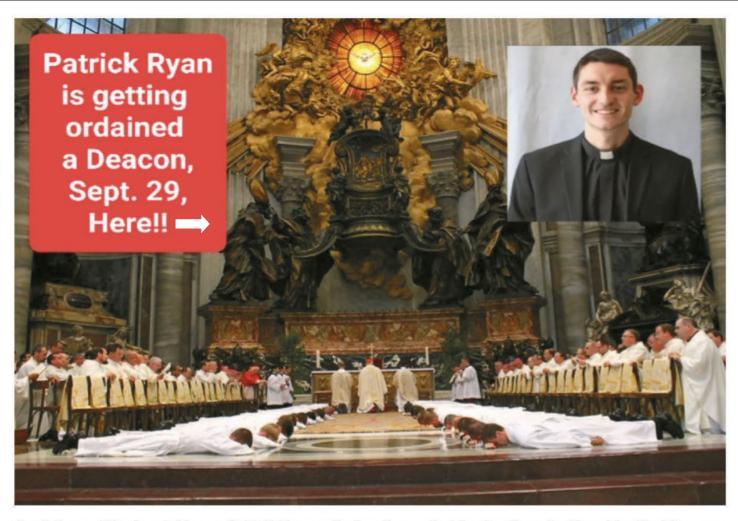


2022 Snowflake Bazaar T-Shirt Order Form

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Payment in full must be included with order form.
Please make checks payable to SS. John & Paul Church.



Ss. John and Paul parishioner, Patrick Ryan, who has been studying for the priesthood for the Diocese of Providence at the Pontifical North American College in Rome, will be ordained to the Transitional Diaconate along with his classmates from other US Dioceses on Thursday, September 29 at St. Peter's Basilica, 9:30am Rome Time (3:30pm our time). In the past, EWTN Television Network has covered the ordination, so we will keep you posted if they do so this year. Fr. Woolley will be attending the ordination, and will be celebrating Patrick's First Mass as a Deacon the following day at St. John's at the Latin Gate Church in Rome (unfortunately, there is a wedding at Ss. John and Paul Basilica that day). God willing, Patrick will be ordained a priest for the Diocese Saturday June 24 at the Cathedral in Providence, and celebrate his First Mass of Thanksgiving Sunday June 25 at our Parish! Please keep Patrick, and all our seminarians studying for the priesthood, in your prayers!

Saints John and Paul Church Bereavement Support Program

For those who have lost a loved one other than a spouse

Saints John and Paul Church is offering an eight-week bereavement support program beginning Saturday, September 24, 2022, for those suffering from the loss of a loved one other than a spouse. The group will meet on Saturdays from 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM in the conference room in the rectory behind Saints John and Paul Church. This program will provide a safe and confidential environment to share and learn about grief surrounded by

the comfort and guidance of our Catholic faith. There is no cost to attend. To register for this program please call Kathie Gallucci at 487-1953 or the Saints John and Paul Rectory, 821-5764.

Please note, this program is not for the loss of a spouse. Please contact Martha Paone 529-0435 to register for the Loss of a Spouse Bereavement program being offered at SS. John & James Church.

Coventry Food Bank



The food bank currently needs *canned meat*, *crackers*, *and disposable razors*. Please place your donations in the containers located at the doors of the Church. The weekly generosity of parishioners of Saints John and Paul to the Coventry Food Bank is a blessing and is

appreciated greatly by the less fortunate of our community.



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

An Orientation Night will be held on Monday, September 26th at 7:00 PM in the Parish Hall.

Pre-Registration is required prior to September 26th for all those seeking to receive a sacrament. Call or email Sherry Del Deo at (401) 545-0912 or sherrydeldeo@cox.net or to register.

COW CHIP BINGO RETURNS!



COMING TO SS. JOHN & PAUL SNOWFLAKE BAZAAR
The Cow arrives SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2022 at 1pm

ONLY 400 SQUARES SOLD-\$1000 PRIZE

Here's how it works:

A Grid of 400 squares, numbered 1-400, will be on a board. A duplicate grid, 40' x 40' (400 2'x2' squares) will be lined on the school lawn.

Choose your favorite number (from among those not already chosen), and purchase that square before our event for only \$10 per square!

On Oct 23rd, at 1PM, a cow will be released onto the grid (again this year, we have a SECURE CORRAL to keep the cow from going "off the grid"!) As the first 'cow chip' is released onto a numbered square, the owner of the square will win \$1000.

Should the 'chip' cover more than one number, the square with the largest portion of 'chip' will be the winner. Decision of our judges is final; if judges deem an equal portion exists, the prize will be shared equally. Winners need not be present to win. The cow's entry point to the grid will be determined by a random drawing. Should the cow take too long to release.... A random number will be drawn. Winner need not be present.

It's a 1 in 400 chance to WIN \$1000! Squares will be sold at the rectory, and after Masses starting Sept 24th. Don't miss out on getting your favorite number.... We anticipate selling out before October 23rd... plan to see us at the bazaar for more fun!

65th Snowflake Bazaar October 22 & 23, 2022

Santa's Snack Shop

This weekend we have added the request of

Gift Cards to help stock the Santa's

Snack

Shop. Remember the

delicious breakfast bowls? Remember the great conversations with friends while having yummy lunch? Remember the amazing Sunday breakfast buffet? Our



kitchen volunteers are planning the menu for this year. The gift certificates you provided will help the volunteers do

hours of shopping for supplies, hours of prepping and finally cooking for all who come to the bazaar. Your kind donations are greatly appreciated.

Mary, Mother of Priests Apostolate (MMOP)

Mary, Mother of Priests Apostolate is a women's prayer apostolate, united with our Blessed Mother, offering prayers for priests, seminarians and vocations. We meet one Saturday morning a month during the academic year at Our Lady of Providence Seminary for Mass at 9am followed by Adoration/Rosary and fellowship.

Fall meeting dates: Sept. 10th; Oct. 1st; Nov. 5th; Dec. 3rd

All women are welcome to join us! If interested, or for more information, contact www.mimibattey@gmail.com

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