ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH
133 North Main Street, Attleboro, MA 02703

ST. VINCENT de PAUL CHURCH
71 Linden Street, Attleboro, MA 02703

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Email: office@attleborocatholics.org | stvincentdpattleboro@gmail.com
Website: www.attleborocatholics.org

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass:
8:30AM
Monday at St. John’s
Tuesday at St. Vincent’s
Wednesday - No Mass
Thursday at St. John’s
Friday at St. Vincent’s
Saturday at St. Vincent’s

Saturday: 3-3:45PM Confession at St. John’s
4PM Mass at St. John’s

Sunday:
8AM at St. John’s
10AM at St. John’s
11:30AM at St. Vincent’s
1PM in Spanish at St. Vincent’s
4:30-5:15PM Confession at St. Vincent’s
5:30PM at St. Vincent’s
Parish Staff

Fr. Dariusz Kalinowski, Pastor
dkalinowski@attleborocatholics.org

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13 Hodges Street Attleboro, MA 02703
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Website:  www.attleborocatholics.org/learn

St. Vincent de Paul Society Helpline
St. John the Evangelist Church
Telephone:  508-222-8400
St. Vincent de Paul Church
Telephone:  508-838-5867

Sacraments

Sacrament of Baptism
Parents requesting the baptism of their child should be registered members of St. John’s or St. Vincent’s and attend weekend Mass on a regular basis. Please contact the Parish office for a census form if you have not already registered at either Parish. If this is your first Baptism, parents are asked to attend a baptism preparation class. Classes are held one Sunday a month at Noon (no classes August or December) in the St. John’s Hospitality Center. Advance registration is required. Baptisms are celebrated one Sunday a month at Noon at St. John’s; and the second Saturday of the month at Noon at St. Vincent’s. Families registered at St. John’s or St. Vincent’s are welcome to request any of the available baptism dates. Scheduling of the sacrament is dependent upon completion of baptismal paperwork (including Godparent sponsor certificates), preparation class attendance (if needed), and available space.

Godparents
Those to be Godparents (sponsors) must: be registered members of a Catholic parish; be practicing Catholics which, above all means going to Mass every Sunday; be at least 16 years old; be Confirmed; and if married, married in the Catholic Church. Persons who do not fulfill one of the above, cannot be Godparents. Once all requirements are fulfilled, they must obtain a sponsor’s certificate from their own Parish. The sponsor’s certificate cannot be substituted with any sacramental records like Baptism or Confirmation certificates. It should clearly state Sponsor’s Certificate. Only one Godparent is required. If two are chosen, they must be one man and one woman. In addition to the one Godparent who fulfills all requirements, the second person may be of other Christian denomination, such person will be a Christian Witness. Catholics may not be Christian Witnesses. If the second person is Catholic, but does not meet the requirements, they may stand on the altar during the baptism, however, only Godparents and Christian Witnesses are listed in the Church sacramental registry.

Sacraments of First Eucharist & Confirmation
Two year preparation required. Please contact the Religious Education Office to register.

Sacrament of Marriage
Preparation course required. Please contact the Parish Office at least eight months in advance.

RCIA
The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the process whereby adults become members of the Catholic Church. For information, contact the Parish Office.
If the Mass is being offered for a loved one and you would like to present the OFFERTORY GIFTS, please see an usher prior to Mass. It is an honor and a privilege to bring these gifts to the Priest.

The SANCTUARY CANDLE at St. John’s this week burns in loving memory of Francis D. Mahoney, Jr.

The HOSTS for September have been donated at St. John’s in loving memory of St. Pierre & Viveiros Families

The SANCTUARY CANDLE at St. Vincent’s this week burns in loving memory of Roberta Record

The HOSTS for September have been donated at St. Vincent’s in loving memory of Thomas Anthony Boisclair, Jr.

Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested in the intention or memorial for a loved one of the Sanctuary Candle. The price is $15 per week.

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Abraham said, “If they will not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded if someone should rise from the dead.”—Lk 16:31
**UPCOMING EVENTS**

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**HOSPITALITY HAPPENINGS**

**ST. JOHN’S COOKBOOKS ARE IN!**

Our Heavenly Delights Cookbook will be available for sale in the Parish office, at St. John’s School, and at coffee and donut weekends. The cost is $15.00 cash or check (payable to St. John’s). Credit cards are also accepted at the Parish office.

Unfortunately, the SALAD SMORGASBORD has been cancelled. If you have purchased tickets, please stop by the Parish Office with your tickets for reimbursement; or contact Lori Wasserman at blmm1@msn.com.

**JOYFUL HEARTS** is for young adults in their 20’s and 30’s seeking an encounter with Christ and community with other Catholic young adults? Join Joyful Hearts at our next meeting held at St. Vincent’s on October 2, 2019. We begin with Rosary and optional Confessions at 6:45PM. Fr. Jack Schrader will celebrate our young adult Mass at 7:15PM and consecrating our group to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. A social will follow, hope to see you there!

**Family/Marriage Prayer Opportunity:**

The Pilgrim Queen is a 8x10 Marian shrine that travels between 10 homes, staying for three days in each home. Each shrine group is comprised of 10 families. There is a chance to join now. If you say yes, the commitment would be for your family to host Mary in your home for three days each month. On those three days, you and your family take some time in prayer in front of her. You can say the rosary (or part of one if you have little kids) or simple prayers to her. It is just a way to promote prayer to your family. If interested, email shawnseybert@comcast.net or call 508-322-2625.

**That Man is You!**

All men are invited to participate in this Deanery-wide Men’s Group happening on Saturday mornings at St. John’s Hospitality Center. Breakfast starts at 6:30AM, followed by the program, which consists of prayer, video and small group discussion between 7AM and 8AM. For more information and to sign up visit: http://tiny.cc/TMIYAttleboro.
ST JOHN’S SCHOOL
Registrations are available on-line at our school website, www.sje-school.com. There are still openings in some grades. Please call for a tour or have your child spend a day visiting the school.

St. John the Evangelist School is hosting the 16th ANNUAL DINNER AUCTION on Friday, November 15 at 6:30PM at Venus de Milo in Swansea. The Auction Harvest-themed auction provides a fun, festive way to raise money that will directly benefit the students. You can support this endeavor by attending the dinner, sponsoring the event, purchasing an ad in the book or donating an item/gift certificate to be auctioned off. Please visit www.sje-school.com or email auction.sje@gmail.com for further information and forms.

SJE School Alumni Survey
Are you a SJE Alumni? We want to stay connected with you, please complete our Alumni Survey: https://forms.gle/iYUuSUa5nm3mVed9

SJE School Amazon Wish List
Interested in making a donation to SJE, please consider purchasing an item on our Amazon Wish List http://a.co/jhh86zw
Thank you for your support!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE
Phone: 508-222-0707
Mrs. Keenan: mkeenan@sje-school.com
Mrs. Healy: chealy@sje-school.com

Religious Education Classes will be held Sunday, Monday and Tuesday the week of September 29, 2019

Missed Religious Education Registration: If you missed the Religious Education registration, please call the Religious Education office at or e-mail mkeenan@sje-school.com to make arrangements to register your child/ren.

Family Mass: Our monthly Family Mass, held on the first Sunday of each month, will resume with the 10AM Mass on Sunday, October 6, 2019. All children are invited to sit up on the rug in the Sanctuary during the homily. We will be led in song by the St. John’s Youth Choir under the direction of Mrs. Maureen Merriam. Youth lectors will proclaim the Word during this Mass. Any child who is in the fifth grade or above who is interested in lecturing during the Family Mass should contact the Religious Education Office. A parish nurse will be available for blood pressure checks and questions.

First Reconciliation Parent Meeting: There will be a meeting for parents whose children are preparing to receive the Sacrament of First Reconciliation (Confession.) We ask that at least one parent/caregiver attend this important informational meeting to discuss the preparation process for this sacramental moment. You may choose to attend one of two meetings that will be held in the Hospitality Center on:

Saturday, October 5, 2019 at 11AM; and
Wednesday, October 9, 2019 at 6:30PM

Catechist Meeting: The next catechist meeting is Wednesday, October 16, 2019 at 6:30PM at the St. John’s Hospitality Center. Our topic will be All Saints Day.

Office of Safe Environment/CORI: The Diocese of Fall River has established the Office of Safe Environment which is located at the Chancery. All CORI background checks are processed through this office. All new employees and volunteers who work with or have access to children in any capacity are required to have a CORI background check, and complete a Safe Environment Training online through CMG Connect. Upon completion of the training, a certificate is issued and attached to the paperwork. The Safe Environment Training is completed every six years. Returning volunteers who have already completed the Safe Environment Training must complete a CORI background and sign the Code of Conduct each year. Contact Mrs. Keenan or Mrs. Healy for any questions.

Little Flower Early Learning Center
112 Palm Street, Attleboro
Serving children 6 weeks to 3.9 years
Opens Monday, September 30, 2019

For more information, please contact Christine Barrett at cbarrett@littleflowerelc.org or (508) 455-0145.
Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. John’s Chapter

The next MONTHLY FOOD COLLECTION is October 5 & 6. At this time, we especially need pancake syrup, boxed potatoes and tuna. Monetary donations are also welcome. Baskets are also available for food drop off at the doors of the Church or the Hospitality Center between 9 & 3, Monday-Friday.

The SVdp CLOTHING STORE, 95 Pine Street, will be open on Saturday, October 12, 9-10AM for donations and 10-11:30AM for merchandise. Thank you! If you are unable to make the October 12 date for drop off, please contact the SVdp Office at 508-222-8400.

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Light meal provided at 6:30 | Rosary at 7PM | Fellowship, testimonial and conversation

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We encourage you to bring a canned food item for the Food Pantry

For more information:
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The MASS OF THANKSGIVING for couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary (including first year) will be held on Sunday, October 6 at 3PM at St. Mary’s Cathedral, Fall River. A completed Anniversary Participants’ Form should be returned to the Office of Faith Formation, Diocese of Fall River by Tuesday, October 1. Please contact the Parish Office for a copy of the Participants’ Form.

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FELLOWSHIP ROSARY GROUP OF ATTLEBORO

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Opportunities for Prayer

Adoration Chapel at St. Vincent de Paul Church is accessible 24/7. The front door of the church is always open and the door to the chapel has a padlock. If you want to stop by the chapel to pray, please contact one of the people who will provide you with the access code. We do not yet have enough people to assure that there is always someone in adoration. When nobody is in the chapel, we close the doors of the tabernacle. Perhaps you want to make a commitment to regular adoration for a particular time; if so please register at https://svdp.weadorehim.com or call one of the Adoration Committee Team members: Paula Andrikopoulos (774-220-3005); John Costantino (781-264-3949); Kathy Davis (774-254-4431); Mike St. Pierre (508-612-8724).

This also applies to anyone wanting to make a weekly commitment to visit Jesus. Please do not use the chapel when Mass or Exposition is on in the main Church.

St. John’s Church. The side doors are open throughout the day, every day but Sunday. Please use this wonderful opportunity to pray in front of the tabernacle.

First Friday Adoration. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction will be held at St. John’s Church at 7PM.

First Saturday. The opportunity to fulfill the requirements for first Saturday devotion are provided. Every Saturday there are two Masses offered and every Saturday and Sunday confessions are offered.

Legion of Mary. Meets every Tuesday at Noon at the Hospitality Center. Spanish Legion of Mary meets every Friday at St. Vincent’s Church at 7PM.

Rosary. Fellowship Rosary Group meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30PM in the St. John’s Hospitality Center; beginning with a meal followed by praying the rosary. The Rosary is also prayed Monday and Wednesday evenings at 6PM at St. John’s Church and Wednesday evenings at 6:45 at St. Vincent’s. Spanish Rosary Group meets every Thursday at St. Vincent’s Church at 7PM.