

St. John the Baptist and Holy Trinity

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June 26, 2022

Mass Schedule:

Mon., Tues., Fri. - 12:00 Noon
Saturday Vigil - 5:30 pm
Sunday - 9:00 am
Reconciliation OLP/SP Wednesday 4:00-5:00pm
SJB/HT Thursday 4:00-5:00pm

Office Hours for SJB/HT

Mon.-Thurs. 9:00am-4:30pm
Friday 9:00am-2:30pm
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St. John The Baptist/Holy Trinity

Saturday Vigil 5:30pm
Sunday, 9:00am
Monday, Tuesday & Friday Noon in Church

Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter Church

Saturday, 4:00pm ~~~~~ Saturday, 6:00pm Vietnamese
Sunday, 7:30am, 11:30am & 5:00pm
Sunday, 9:30am Vietnamese
Tuesday – Friday 9:00am in Church



Gospel Meditation

June 26, 2022 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

And to another he said, "Follow me." In every moment of every day, in every circumstance and experience, God is calling us. We can easily get distracted and not hear it or simply ignore it, pretending it wasn't even heard. When we do hear it and favorably respond, there are some conditions that must be met. Jesus makes it clear that once we say yes to his invitation, we must stay focused and forge ahead. We cannot keep looking behind or worry about unfinished business. There are some tasks, and discipleship is one, that require our full devotion.

There are many "masters" vying for our attention. We need something or someone to give us direction. Human nature requires it. Our motives and actions reveal what has our allegiance. It is tempting to give ourselves to masters that lure us with intriguing promises. When given the choice between a "master" that promises worldly success, abundant wealth, status, privilege, and security versus a "master" that asks for self-sacrifice, hardship, suffering, ridicule, and death, to whom do we go? While the promise of immediate pleasure is enticing, there is always a catch. For all that secular masters can promise, they always keep us looking behind, checking on ourselves, second guessing choices, calculating options, and being slaves to excessive worry. Our guard can never come down. Only one master really promises life: Jesus Christ. Hearing his call, we either trust him or we don't.

Saying yes to following Christ does come with a risk. But it also comes with the brightness of future hopes and dreams. There is no need to keep looking behind. Sins are forgiven and regrets serve no effective purpose. God is not there. He's moved beyond all that stuff. God is in the today and the tomorrow and what he can continually do with our daily affirmation to follow Him. All we need to do is be obedient. St. Gianna Molla is credited with saying, "The stillness of prayer is the most essential condition for fruitful action. Before all else, the disciple kneels down." Begin with prayer. We will not only hear God's call but find the courage to trust that He will guide us where we need to be. God uses us in the most ordinary of ways through the simple daily expression of our lives.

SJB/HT Office & Church Staff

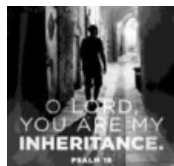
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Live The Liturgy - Inspiration For The Week

God calls us in the midst of ordinary things. Often only looking for God in the dramatic, spectacular, the ritual or the sacred places, we miss that He is walking beside us. Every moment of every day, in every circumstance and experience, God is calling to us, "Follow me." Sometimes, we are too distracted to hear this call. Other times, we would rather ignore it or pretend it wasn't heard. God, however, is very persistent. Whether we fine tune our hearing to receive this invitation now or when we close our eyes in death, we need to make a choice. The choice involves leaving some things behind and moving forward, taking risks. Choosing to keep focused and single-minded, the lens we then use to see our world and one another is God's, not our own. Life is no longer about what is important or matters to me but what matters to God. We acquire a new filter and are asked to use that filter to make choices, establish priorities, and determine what direction we will take, and how to love. Once we accept God's invitation, we cannot keep looking back to what was left behind, only forward to the surprises yet to come.

Christ the King Retreat House 500 Brookford Rd. 13224

Christ the King Retreat House has 32 gardens and is looking for groups or individuals who can help to spruce up our gardens. If you would like to help, please email us at ctkretreat@syrdio.org and we can make the necessary arrangements.



Regarding Contribution Envelopes

The obvious change to SJB/HT contribution envelopes are all the different colors. This is due to a paper shortage with the company who prints the envelopes. If the color we are used to is not available, they substitute what is available. Hopefully this will be resolved asap.



Office Closed and No Noon Mass

In observance of the July 4th Holiday, SJB/HT and OLP/SP rectories will be closed on Monday July 4th. There is no Noon Mass as well on this day.

Formation for Ministry Summer Course



with Fr. Joseph Scardella

TUESDAY, 7/26, 8/2, 8/9, 8/16

6:00-9:00 pm

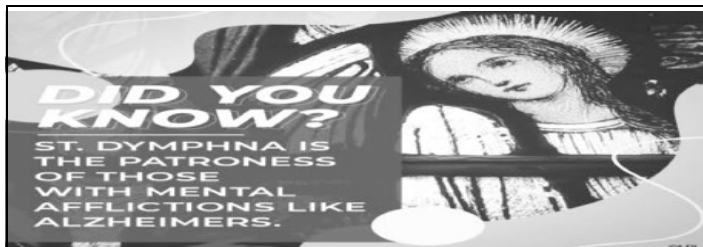
Online

Learn about the RCIA process, how it should be experienced and implemented, and how it leads adults on a journey of faith to the person of Jesus Christ. Course is open to FFM candidates, Commissioned Lay Ministers, RCIA Teams/Coordinators, Catechetical Leaders, and anyone who may feel called to this ministry.



Register by July 7
<https://bit.ly/RCIACourse22>
or call 315-470-1479

Free for FFM Candidates. \$70 for others. Texts provided.



A Family Perspective Family Life Education

Today's Gospel reminds us once we set our "hand to the plow" of parenting and marriage, "We cannot look back." This is what commitment means: we have said YES to what was, what is and to what can be.



The month of June:

We laid to rest from our parish community:

Marie Schotthoefler and Marian Smith

May they rest in peace.

Congratulations to **Gia Brown** on her baptism.



And to another he said, "Follow me." But he replied, "Lord, let me go first and bury my father." But he answered him, "Let the dead bury their dead. But you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." — Lk 9:58-60

Remember: Anthony Aldrich, Christopher Aldrich, Shawn Babcock, Nancy Bailey, Rosaria Campolo, Robert Capria, Catherine Cushman, Grayce Costantini, Linda Deapo, Joni Uva Del-Giorno, Gen DiMento, Ginny & Erin Donovan, Aaron Doty, Mary Ann Felicia, Marilyn Ferretti, Ellen Gangemi, Gladys Graham, Robert Greenwood, Joseph Guinto, Jeanne Hammond, Keith Horton, Josephine Indelicato, Mary Isgar, Dory Jones, Shirley Kerr, Rosemary Lane, Kay Ledermann, Jackie Limeri, Maria Luisi, Diane Mackey, Norm MacKenzie, Peggy Miccinelli, Darlene Morga, Diane Moro, Mary Jane Nesci, Jean Padden, The Pavia Children, Philomena Piraino, Sandy Pisani, Joe Ruggeri, Cathy Galutz Sacco, Faith Setzer, Marion Sherwood, John Sobon, Timothy K. Suppes, Carmen Surface, Barbara Traino, Shelly Visco, Maryann Vigliotti and Matthew Watkins.



Call the Rectory to arrange for Marriages, arrangements made six months prior to date. Contact our organist and cantor directly. Baptisms and hospital/home visits.

Mass Schedule for SJB/HT & OLP/SP

Saturday June 25, 2022

4:00pm OLP/SP - Mark Felicia - Rosalie Trinca
Jeffrey Canino - Mom & Family
Benny & Terry Cimino - Son, Joseph
Illene Emma rogers - Shirley Damiano
Bessie & Attilio Sampaolesi - Bertha & Family
Christina Carapella & Maria Laura Pallotta - Anna
Mary, Joseph & Angelo Canino - Bertha & Family
5:30pm SJB/HT - Rick Sardo - The Family

Sunday June 26, 2022

7:30am OLP/SP - Peter Trinh, Sr. The Family
Michael Iacampo - Wife, Edda
Ken Van Tussel - John Minozzi
Angeline Viggiano - Joe Kurpiewski
9:00am SJB/HT - Paul Ferretti - Marilyn
Curt Halsey - Marianne
Antonio McLaughlin - Mother
Anthony DelVecchio - The Family
11:30am OLP/SP - Ann Corcoran - Sister, Carm
Phil & Sharon Catalino - Gary
David Montgomery - The Family
Alessandro & Aida Sisera - Gilda
Carmel Emling - Domenico Colandone
Mary & Anthony Catalino - The Family
Anna Lombardi - Domenico Colandone
Peter & Margaret Misiano - Daughter, Carm
Lou Pennacchia - Peter & Marion DelGiorno
Patricia Panto & Frances Saia - Maryann & Alana
5:00pm OLP/SP - Michael Canestrare - Betty Toia

Monday June 27, 2022

12:00pm SJB/HT - No intention

Tuesday June 28, 2022

9:00am OLP/SP - Patrick Vassallo - Ginnie Lostumbo
12:00pm SJB/HT - For the people

Wednesday June 29, 2022

9:00am OLP/SP - Santa Savoco - Daughter, Gina & Family
Antoinette Pascarella - The Northside Neighborhood Group
4:00pm-5:00pm OLP/SP Confession

Thursday June 30, 2022

9:00am OLP/SP - Pasquale Sisera - Wife, Gilda
4:00-5:00pm SJB/HT Confession

Friday July 1, 2022

9:00am OLP/SP - Nancy Rossi - Catherine Saya
12:00pm SJB/HT - No intention

Saturday July 2, 2022

4:00pm OLP/SP - Linda Gill - Cousin, Rosalie Trinca
Bruce Corbett - Dan, Sandy & Denny
Carmine & Christina Carappella - Anna
5:30pm SJB/HT - For the people

Lector Schedule - July 2nd & July 3rd

4:00pm OLP/SP: TBA
5:30pm SJB/HT: Owen Donovan
7:30am OLP/SP: TBA
9:00am SJB/HT: Chet Wisniewski
11:30am OLP/SP: TBA
5:00pm OLP/SP: Fr. Caruso



Our Health Care Workers: Please pray for all health care workers of our parish serving in this crisis of COVID 19. That God helps to guide their decisions and to keep them safe as well. **Dr. Patrick Abt, Alisa Albanese, PA., Christopher Jacques, EMS, Lynda Keller, Nurse, Ross Mathewson, Joseph & Rita Nicoletti, Nurses, Robert C. Palucci, Nurse, Dr. Alyssa Toia, Stacy Toia, Nurse and Lauren Townley, Nurse.**

Serving Our Country: Always keep in prayer all servicemen and women. From our parish: **Anthony Cangemi, Richard L. Cooper, Jack McAndrew & Matthew McAndrew, Bryan M. Oakes & Rob Smith.**



Sacrificial Giving

Please contact Fr. Dan if you have any questions about our parish finances.

Week June 18th & June 19th
SJB/HT Collection: \$3,810.00 OLP/SP Collection: \$5,893.00

Thank you to all those parishioners who have faithfully been mailing their envelopes because they still cannot attend Mass. If you have been away or have been unable to attend Mass, please remember to send your donation to the Parish Office. We appreciate whatever you can do to help with expenses.



There's A Day For Everything!

Wednesday June 29th is National Camera Day. Take out your smart phones or cameras and create a digital montage of where your family sees God today. "God creates the beauty. My camera and I are a witness." - Mark Denman

Sunday July 3, 2022

7:30am OLP/SP - Christopher Pallotta - Angela & John
9:00am SJB/HT - Pat Wall - Jack Wall
Paul Ferretti - Marilyn
David McLaughlin - Mother
Donald Jaquin - Norm & Pat Jaquin
11:30am OLP/SP - Alena Trichilo - Husband, Jerry
Vito Toia - Pat & Alex Turkett
Angelo Borreggine - Wife, Frances
Salvatore & Mariantonia Sisera - Gilda
Mary Brice - Antimo & Maryanne Vigliotti & Family
Frances Vigliotti Vick -
Antimo & Maryann Vigliotti & Family
Gertrude, Victore & Annette DelGiorno -
Peter & Marion DelGiorno & Pam & Bob DelGiorno
5:00pm OLP/SP - James Arena - The Family

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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