Sunday, August 28, 2022



22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time





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#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday CLOSED

Tuesday - Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm Closed for lunch 12:00pm - 1:00pm

#### PARISH STAFF

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# **Prayer & Worship**



# **HELP US CREATE THIS SANCTUARY**

We humbly ask you to pray for the success of the this campaign and to consider making a financial contribution to participate in bringing this vision to reality.

"Now more than ever, in a world that is often without light and without the courage of noble ideals, people the fresh, vital spirituality of the gospel."

- St. John Paul II



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# FIRST THURSDAYS MORNING COFFEE SOCIAL

Please join us for fellowship and light breakfast following the **8:30 Mass** on the first Thursday of every month.

Our next social is this Thursday, **September 1** under the tent.

See you all there!







Altar flowers in memory of Ed and Anna Ramus

# Prayer

God of Justice, open our eyes to see you in the face of the poor.

Open our ears to hear you in the cries of the exploited.

Open our mouths to defend you in the public squares as well as in private deeds.

Remind us that what we do to the least ones, we do to you.

Amen

# **PRAYER REQUESTS**

**OUR SICK & INFIRM — ESPECIALLY** 

Michael N., Linda Teubner

# **OUR EXPECTANT MOTHERS**

Kristen Anderson, Thespina (Nitsa) Bellissimo, Angela DiBenedetto, Allison Loeza, Leah Maronel, Elizabeth Mercurio, Kelly Stevens

# **OUR DEPLOYED MILITARY**

LT Dominic Bellissimo, USN; 2Lt. Aiden J Byrnes USA, 2Lt. Matthew Mahlmeister, USA; LT COL Michael Opresko, USAF; Cadet 2/C Erin Sass, USCG; AT2 Kyle Swanson, USN

Note: The names of those on the Sick & Infirm prayer list in prior weeks have been cleared. If you wish to add back an individual's name, please send a new request *nocateecatholic.com/prayer-request* 

# **MISSION STATEMENT**

St. John Paul II Catholic Community is a welcoming and engaging parish family nourished by the Eucharist and called by Jesus Christ to discipleship through scripture, sacraments, and stewardship guiding us to eternal life.

# **VISION STATEMENT**

The parish of St. John Paul II will cultivate an environment of discipleship to evangelize and reconcile our dynamic community.

# **MASS SCHEDULE**

Monday – Friday 8:30am Saturday Vigil 4:00 & 6:00pm Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am & 12:00pm Confessions Saturday 2:30 - 3:45pm

Holy Days of Obligation Vigil Mass 7:00pm Holy Day Masses 8:30am, 12:00pm

# **PRAYER & ADORATION**

### WEDNESDAYS

Morning Prayer 8:00am Daily Mass 8:30am Adoration 9:00am - 4:00pm Evening Prayer & Benediction 4:00pm

# **MASS INTENTIONS**

SATURDAY, August 27 4:00pm Annie Hughes 6:00pm † Mike & Catherine Schaffer

SUNDAY, August 28 8:00am People of the Parish 10:00am † Geri Rogers 12:00pm † Ramona Ruiz

MONDAY, August 29 8:30am † Dale Adams

TUESDAY, August 30 8:30am † Anna Ramus

WEDNESDAY, August 31 8:30am † Vita Fiamma

THURSDAY, September 1 8:30am † June Fusco

FRIDAY, September 2 8:30am † Mary Nerney

Mass Intentions through January 2023 have been filled. We will continue taking Mass Intentions for the first quarter of 2023 in September 2022.

# **Faith Formation**

# FAITH FORMATION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Do you love to help? Feeling a call to serve your parish in some way? Consider joining the Faith Formation volunteer list!

Faith Formation is looking for parishioners who love to help to add to their volunteer list. Our needs include serving food, putting together materials, setting up/planning events (such as the Pet Blessing), helping with meetings, providing meals or snacks, helping with retreats, and other needs.

Volunteer needs are sent out through our Flocknote group. If you can help in some way and would like to be added to our volunteer group, please email



michelle@assistantflc@nocateecatholic.com

Thank you for you willingness to serve and grow Faith Formation @ SJPII! God Bless You!

# FRATERNUS

### **MENTORING BOYS INTO VIRTUOUS CATHOLIC MEN!**

Fraternus is a Catholic brotherhood for all ages (11years old and up). For over a decade Fraternus has been recovering the lost art of mentoring, harnessing the power of brotherly men and fathers, and teaching the virtues rooted in Christ as the path to authentic manliness.

As we start a new chapter of Fraternus at St. John Paul II, we invite all men of the parish with the charism of mentoring young men in virtues to assist with our weekly Frat Nights on **Wednesdays**, 6:00 - 8:00pm at the ELC starting on Wednesday, **September 21**, 6:00 - 8:00pm. Find out more at our Parent Info Night on Wednesday, **September 14, 6:00 - 7:15pm** in the ELC or call Jeremy Hardin 386-237-5908, Rich Delgado 561-628-1331 or Dominic Salamida 585-730-1401. You may also go to *fraternus.net* 

Men over 18 are needed to assist with this ministry! Leaders would need to go through Protecting God's Children training and do a fingerprint background check. Please contact Dominic Salamida to find out more about fulfilling the Safe Environment requirements.

Thank you for making a difference!

# **FAMILY FAITH FORMATION**

### UPCOMING DATES 2022 - 23

Faith Formation registration has been extended to August 28 on our website: *nocateecatholic.com/family-faith-formation/#family-faith-formation* 

We are currently registering for:

- K-6 Family of Faith
- K-6 Family of Faith (with 1st Reconciliation and Holy Communion)
- Confirmation years 1 and 2

# Upcoming meeting dates K-6 Family of Faith (including 1st Reconciliation and Holy Communion):

- Parent teaching meeting: September 1 at 6:00pm
- Thursday family community meeting: September 15 at 6:00pm

- Sunday family community meeting: September 18 at 1:30pm
- St. Joseph workshops: September 8 and 22 at 6:00pm

### Confirmation year 1:

- September 14 at 6:00pm. Parents only attend this meeting.
- Students 1st class: September 21 at 6:00pm

### Confirmation year 2:

- September 18 at 6:00pm. Parents only attend this meeting.
- Students 1st class: September 25 at 6:00pm

If you have any questions, please contact Dominic Salamida: *flc@nocateecatholic.com* 

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## **FIRST DEVOTION SATURDAYS**

#### JOIN US THIS SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 FOR FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS AT SJPII!

All Faith Formation families are invited to pray a special rosary with meditation and study.

First Saturday Devotion begins at 9:00am at SJPII.

# **Ministry Activities**



We hope you can join us! On the 13th May 1917, Our Lady first mentioned devotion to her Immaculate Heart to the children of Fatima saying "You have seen hell, where souls of poor sinners go. To save them God wishes to establish in the world devotion to my Immaculate Heart. If what I say to you is done, many souls will be saved and there will be peace."



### **BEACON OF LIGHT GALA**

#### PURCHASE A TICKET, TABLE OR SPONSORSHIP FROM NOW (JUNE) UNTIL AUGUST 6...

...and your name will be entered to win a round of golf with Fr. Richard Pagano at TPC's Dye's Valley! Thank you to our current sponsors of the Beacon of Light Gala! Thank you, Dr. Garcia, Trattoria Di Bernardone, Focal Point Solutions, Pet Supplies Plus, Circle K. Tickets, Danis, and Brasfield & Gorrie. Tickets for the Beacon of Light Gala are on sale! Purchase your ticke(s) or table(s) by scanning the QR code or visiting *nocateecatholic.com/gala*. The Beacon of Light Gala is on **Friday**, **October 14** at a NEW location, the Sawgrass Marriott. You do not want to miss this event! The Gala will benefit the Capital Campaign as we prepare to build out our Church campus. There are several sponsorships available! If you or your company is interested in being an event sponsor, please check the website or contact Alexandra Clark: *assistant@nocateecatholic.com* 

### THAT MAN IS YOU

#### EMPOWERING MEN TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP IN AUTHENTIC MALE LEADERSHIP

The Battle Over the Bride focuses on their role as husbands and their deep desire for self-sacrificial love.

Join us here on Friday mornings at 6:00am with hot coffee OR Thursday evenings at 8:00pm with cold beverages.

Meetings start on September 15 and all men are welcome.

Scan the QR code or visit nocateecatholic.com/tmiy to register.







# FOOD DRIVE

#### **ST JOHN PAUL II KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

#### All Masses, September 3 and 4

Please support Catholic Charities Food Bank in St Augustine, and help those families, individuals, and seniors in need.

This food drive continues to be very important as St. Augustine Catholic Charities Food Bank strives to meet the increased needs of our community.

Your generous support by donating food this weekend at all Masses will help the hungry and undernourished in our community and St Johns County.

# ST. JOHN PAUL II SECOND ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

You are invited to the Second Annual St. John Paul II Catholic Church Golf Tournament on Friday, September 16 at The Yards in Ponte Vedra! Join us for a day of golf followed by an after-party. The after-party is for all golfers and all non-golfers to attend. There will be live music, dinner, drinks, a silent auction, a raffle and lots of fun!

#### Friday, September 16

The Yards: 254 Alta Mar Dr. Ponte Vedra, Florida

Morning flight: 8:00am registration, 9:00am tee time

Afternoon flight: 1:30pm registration, 2:30pm tee time - **SOLD OUT!** 

After-party at The Yards (NEW outdoor covered patio): 5:30pm

Visit *nocateecatholic.com/golf-tournament* to register, become a sponsor and find out additional information.





# HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

Please let our Ministry to the Sick volunteers bring you the Eucharist and pray with you. Only a commissioned minister should bring the Eucharist outside of church. Send an email to *ministry@nocateecatholic.com* or contact the parish office at 904-330-0153 to schedule a visit.

# **ANNUAL FRIENDS OF THE POOR® WALK**

#### **ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

Enjoy a fun, family event and help to support those most in need in our community! The Society of St. Vincent de Paul at St. John Paul II is sponsoring a "Friends of the Poor ®5K Walk" on

#### Saturday, September 24, 2022

Start time is **9:00am** in the church parking lot Check-in or day-of registration begins at **8:00am** 

Visit our secure online link: *fopwalk.org/event/2733* or use the QRC to register, form a team or simply donate to this worthwhile cause.

Proceeds from the Walk are used to assist those in need with rent, utilities, food, medical and other expenses. Suggested donation is \$25 but any amount will help!

Questions? Contact Robert Hopkins (904-330-0153 ext. 5) or stvincentdepaul@nocateecatholic.com







## FOOTBAL MANIA CHARITY SWEEPSTAKES FUNDRAISER IS BACK!

#### SPONSORED BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AT ST JOHN PAUL II PARISH

Purchase your game card for \$25 and you will be eligible to win up to \$400 in each of the 18 weeks of the NFL season.

Winners are notified each week and all proceeds benefit the Knights of Columbus Patriotic and Civic activities, and Light-to-the-Nations Capital Campaign for our new Sanctuary.

You can buy paper tickets on **August 27 - 28** after all Masses, or may emailing the Knights at *fbmaniakofc@gmail.com* or call/text Mark Van Engelen at 904-404-9405.

If more convenient, purchase your e-tickets online now through September 7, at *charitymania.com/give/SC023* 

# WALKING WITH PURPOSE BIBLE STUDY COME AS YOU ARE. YOU ARE WELCOME HERE

Make authentic connections with other women. Refuel and refresh | Learn more about God.

All women of the parish are invited to join the Walking With Purpose women's ministry for our upcoming fall and spring studies. Morning and evening options are available. Sessions begin on **September 13**! Our fall study is Fearless and Free, which is an elevenlesson Bible study based on the book of Ephesians. This study provides a firm foundation to stand on no matter what life throws our way. With an emphasis on healing and wholeness, Fearless and Free is the most personal and transformative study that Walking with Purpose has offered.

For more information and to register for the fall and/or spring sessions, visit *nocateecatholic.com/wwp* 

# **MOM'S MINISTRY**

All moms, all stages & ages, are welcome to join to pray, play and/or serve! The Moms Ministry offers weekly, monthly & seasonal opportunities to connect:

- Wednesday Rosary
- Thursday Play Dates
- Friday Stroller Walks
- Monthly Moms' Night Out
- Triannual Holy Hours
- Service Opportunities
- Ways to support local moms...& more!

Join us on Flocknote for regular updates on SJPII Mom happenings: *nocateecatholic.flocknote.com/SJP2mom* 

Expecting or in the process of adopting? We'd love to support you! For more information, please contact *momsministry@nocateecatholic.com* 





# **INTO HIS LIKENESS BIBLE STUDY**

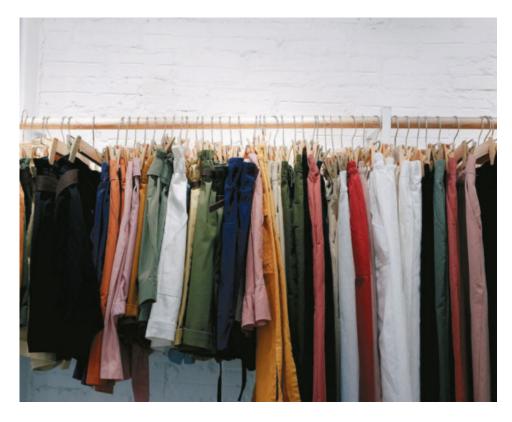
#### **BY DR. EDWARD SRI**

SJPII Fall Bible Study, September 8 - October 28 9:30 - 11:00am, Church Sanctuary

Do you have the desire to go deeper in your relationship with Christ? Do you have a longing to follow Jesus more closely, to be transformed by him? This study aims to help you to more intentionally encounter Jesus anew each day and be more disposed to the power of his grace molding you, transforming you ever more into his likeness.

All are welcome. No registration is required.

Study Guides are available for purchase in the church office for \$10.





# ST. VINCENT DEPAUL MONTHLY CLOTHING DRIVE

### Shoes, handbags, exercise clothes

Please bring the items listed above for a special collection on either September 3 or September 4 for the St. Vincent dePaul Thrift Store.

The monies raised from your donation will be used to help families in crisis with rent, utilities, and emergency funds.

Your generosity will be gratefully received and is very much appreciated.

# **Parish Information**



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# **RACHEL'S VINEYARD MINISTRIES**

# YOU ARE NOT ALONE

There is no need to feel alone when real help is available during an unplanned pregnancy. Caring Choices at 866-901-9641 offers help through counseling, support, education, resources and referrals. This is one decision not to face alone!

If you are struggling with emotional or spiritual pain following an abortion there are two healing ministries available, both are post-abortion healing ministries that will lovingly help to transform your pain to hope and through reconciliation give peace.

**Project Rachel** – 904-923-9203 With professional counselors and individual priests

Rachel's Vineyard – 904-221-3232 Group weekend retreat

# SJPII MINISTRY DIRECTORY

**Bible Study** – biblestudy@nocateecatholic.com Youth & Family Mass – Amy Ayres, youthfamily@nocateecatholic.com Ministry of Health & Wellness – Jackie Picchione, healthministry@nocateecatholic.com Ministry of Consolation - Maggie Coolican, consolation@nocateecatholic.com Ministry to the Sick - Karen Gilbert, ministry@nocateecatholic.com Spiritual Direction - Barbara Lorenzo; spiritual directorip2@nocateecatholic.com Moms Ministry - Kelly Stevens, momsministry@nocateecatholic.com **Rosary / Adoration** – Pam Dewey, adoration@nocateecatholic.com Rosary Making – Colleen & Martin Porvaznik, nanapop50@bellsouth.net Knights of Columbus – Ken Gault, gaultken@gmail.com **St. Vincent de Paul Society** – Robert Hopkins, stvincentdepaul@nocateecatholic.com **Career Ministry** – Ted Brauch or Joan Walsh, careerministry@nocateecatholic.com Financial Planning Ministry - Ted Brauch or Tina James, financialplanning@nocateecatholic.com FORMED Faith Enhancement – Tony Merenda or John Essegian, formed@nocateecatholic.com Walking with Purpose – Stacy Meyers, wwp@nocateecatholic.com Respect Life Ministry – Elizabeth Krause, rlm@nocateecatholic.com

## IMPORTANT

If you receive an email or text message that appears to be from Father Pagano requesting help, money, or donations, please be aware this is a phishing scam. If the email is not from *pastorsoffice@nocateecatholic.com*, please ignore, block, and delete the email. Block and delete text messages of this sort.

# **PARISH REGISTRATION**

#### BECOME A REGISTERED PARISHIONER AT ST. JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC CHURCH

Complete a registration form, which can be found in the Gathering Area of the church, and return it to the office. Or register online at *nocateecatholic.com*.

# **NEVER MISS A BULLETIN**

Sign up to have our weekly parish bulletin emailed to you at *parishesonline.com*. You also can find the bulletin on our website at *nocateecatholic.com*.

Submit communications requests using the form on our website, *nocateecatholic.com*, under "Resources." Requests must be received **by Wednesday, 5:00pm the prior week.** 

## **ONLINE GIVING**

Your generosity is greatly appreciated and will enable the church to minister to our community.



## STAY CONNECTED WITH ST. JOHN PAUL II

Visit our website: nocateecatholic.com

Text GOTJESUS to 84576 to receive spiritual quotes, information and messages from SJPII.

Download the **WeConnect Parish** app for access to the bulletins, church calendar and important parish notifications. Text **ParishApp1 to 555888** for iPhone Users; or Text **ParishApp2 to 555888** for Android Users. Parishioners can visit *parishesonline.com*, locate your parish with the search tool, and sign-up to automatically get an email when a new publication becomes available.

## GUIDELINE FOR ALTAR FLOWERS

Altar Flowers may be sponsored on a weekly basis in memory of a loved one or to celebrate a special occasion, such as an anniversary,



wedding or birth. Donation is \$120 for the center altar flowers. Due to certain holidays and feast days some weeks may not be available. Please call the Parish Office at 904-330-0153 for availability. **Donations may be made online through WeShare, by scanning the QR code, or at the parish office.** 

# GUIDELINE FOR MASS

Mass Intentions may be made for a living or deceased loved one. Only one Mass Intention per Mass is permitted. Mass Intentions will be limited to 6 per person requesting the intentions per year and may be made up to 6 months in advance.





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