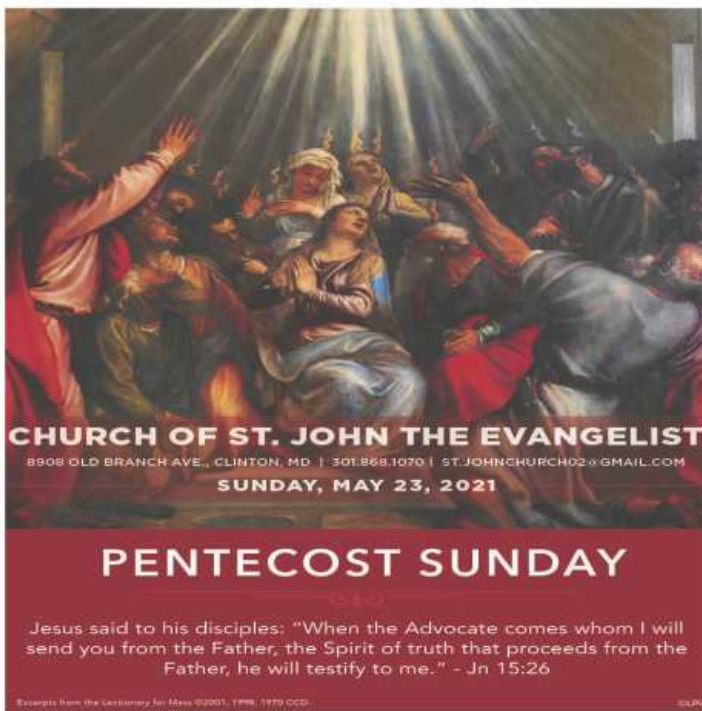




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May 23, 2021
Pentecost Sunday

PURPOSE STATEMENT: To help every individual experience the love of Jesus, **become more like Christ**, and after completion of earthly life, enter eternal life in glory with him forever.
(PPC January 13, 2020)

MISSION STATEMENT: Becoming "**Christ to Others**" by active participation in the devotions, programs, and activities of the parish; Liturgy which we celebrate with great care and devotion, Stewardship of Time, Talent, and Treasure, and The New Evangelization.
(PPC March 18, 2019)

PASTOR: Rev. Jaime Hernández
IN RESIDENCE: Msgr. John B. Brady
RETIRED PRIEST: Fr. Charles McCann
DEACON: Roberto Hernandez, Permanent Deacon
SCHOOL PRINCIPAL: Ms. Ann Gillespie
MINISTER OF REL. ED.: Sister Leilani G. Dumaliang, MCST.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 pm (Vigil), 7:00 pm (in Spanish)- Sunday: 8:00, 9:45, 11:30 am, 1:00 pm, and 4:00 & 8:00 pm (in Spanish)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday through Saturday, 8:30 am; Rosary follows daily Mass
Holy Days Masses: As announced

SACRAMENT LIFE

BAPTISM

Third Sunday of the month at 2:00 pm by appointment

SACRAMENT OF Penance

Saturday 4:00-4:30 pm, also any time by appointment

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please contact one of the parish priests or deacons six months before planning your wedding date

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)

Thursday, 7:00 pm

VISITATION OF SICK

Please notify the Rectory of hospitalized parishioners and/or shut-ins

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Each Monday after 8.30 am Mass and Thursday before 1st Friday of the month

CHOIRS

CONTEMPORARY ENSEMBLE: 9:45 am Mass;

rehearsal every Monday, 7:00 pm, Rectory Basement

GOSPEL CHOIR: Rehearsal after 1:00 pm Mass

TRADITIONAL CHOIR: 11:30 am Mass; rehearsal Wednesday, 7:00 pm, Rectory Basement

SPANISH CHOIR: Rehearsal after 4PM Mass, Rectory Basement

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Friday 11:00 am
(1 week prior)

PARISH SECRETARY: Ms. Debra Aranmolate
BOOKKEEPER: Mrs. Renita McNack
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC:
PASTORAL COUNCIL MODERATOR: Mr. Christopher Page
ASOCIADA PASTORAL DE MINISTERIOS HISPANOS:
MARIA DE LOS ANGELES MICHELITCH: 301-843-3805
DIRECTOR OF RCIA: Rev. Jaime Hernández
RECTORY: TELEPHONE: 301-868-1070
RECTORY FAX: 301-868-7915
SCHOOL: 301-868-2010
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: 301-868-3026
REL./ED EMAIL: stjohns.reled2014@yahoo.com
BEFORE/AFTER CARE: 301-868-7744

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Pastoral Council: Monthly second Monday, 7:00 pm

Sodality: Monthly, first Sunday after 9:45 am Mass

Knights of St. John Ladies Auxiliary No. 310:

Monthly, first Monday, 5:30 pm

School Advisory Board: Monthly, last Monday, 7 pm

Home and School Association:

September, November, February & May, 7:00 pm

Marriage Encounter: John & Kitty Vogel, (301)-627-4126

Knights of Columbus Council No. 11171:

First & Third Tuesday, 7:30 pm

St. John's Seniors Lunch Bunch: Monthly, third Tuesday, 11:30 am

Outreach Cmte: As needed, Sharon Jacob, (301) 888-1882

Our Lord's Servant Apostolate: Luchie 301-335-2132.

St. Andrew School of Evangelization-Lillian Saravia
(703) 675-2066

Renovacion Carismatica: En el amor de Jesus: Narcizo Davila (240) 876-6426

Family Rosary Crusade—Cynthia Soriano (301) 643-3726

Altar Server: Dcn. Roberto/Nicholas Weiler (call the office)

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Franca DeCampo (301)932-8411

Lectors: Lorna Mullenax (301) 856-3095

Readings for the week of May 23--30, 2021

Sunday: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24,29-30, 31,34/1 Cor 12: 3b-7, 12-13, or Gal 5:16-25
Monday: Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15: 26-27; 16: 12-15
Tuesday: Sir 17:20-24/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/ Mk 10:17-27
Wednesday: Sir 35:1-12/Ps 50:5-6,7-8,14,23/Mk 10:28-31
Thursday: Sir 36:1,4-5a, 10-17/Ps 79:8,9,11,13/Mt 10: 32- 45
Friday: Sir 42:15-25/Ps 33:2-3,4-5,6-7,8-9/Mk 10: 46- 52
Saturday: Sir 44:1,9-13/Ps 149:1b-2,3-4,5-6a, 9b/Mk 11: 11-26
Sunday : Sir 51:12cd-20/Ps 19:8,9,10,11/Mk 11:27-33
Sunday : Dt 4:32-34,39-40/Ps 33:4,5,6,9,18-19,20, 22,(12b)/Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

The sick, shut-ins and souls of our parish community, especially: Betty Wells, Sterling Alvin Colberth, Emmanuel T. Siemonh, Georgia Beally, Jacqueline Holland, Rosa María Santos, Luigi Flaim, Mark Ballard, Regina Proctor, Teresa Sander, Sandy M. Ingram, Shirley Krucelyak, Laverne Ward-White, Fr. Pittman, Joyce Doyle, Janet Miller, Boots Padlan, Dr. Edward Ridley, Dr. Deborah Ridley Brome, Caryne Foster, Fr. Everett Pearson, Ofelia Lozano, Carlos Reambonanza, Don Miller, Mary Catherine Page, Bridgett and Ralph Peterson, Angela Brown Robinson, Joseph Gregory Benincasa and Dr. Vincent Benincasa and all parishioners who are ill or have recently died and/or whose name is not on the list yet.

Please bring all flyers and posters to the rectory office prior to posting. Due to the volume of events that may occur at Saint John's, a two week posting schedule will be implemented. The size limit is a regular 8 1/2 x 11 sheet. This will assure that all organizations and ministries are given fair and equal time. From time to time there are also campaigns directed by ADW that need to be displayed. Tape is not acceptable as it ruins the paper and pulls off the paint. Thumb tacks or push pins only. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

MAGNIFICAT (UPDATE/INFO)

Online Access to Prayers and Readings: Magnificat magazine is a monthly subscription booklet (with both English and Spanish editions) that has the prayers and readings for all the Masses of the month, plus morning and evening prayer, brief writings by/about the saints, and more. www.magnificat.com/free; for the Spanish version: www.magnificat.com/gratis.



SUNDAY, MAY 23

8:00AM Friends and Family of the Naughton Family (†)
 9:45AM Paul A. Forster (†), Caryne R. Forster (L)
 Mary Robitaille Edwards (†)
 11:30 AM John Robitaille (†)
 1:00 PM Naughton Family (†)
 4:00 PM
 8:00 PM

MONDAY, MAY 24

8:30 AM Virginia P. Yalung (†)

TUESDAY, MAY 25

8:30 AM Victoria San Diego (†)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26

6:30 AM Naughton Family

8:30 AM Lope King (†)

THURSDAY, MAY 27

8:30 AM Souls in Purgatory

11:00 AM Fazal Mahmood Khan (†)

FRIDAY, MAY 28

8:30 AM Naughton Family (†)

SATURDAY, MAY 29

8:30 AM Victoria San Diego (†)

5:00 PM Earl Eckley (†)

7:00 PM

SUNDAY, MAY 30

8:00 AM

9:45 AM

11:30 AM Dr. Patrick Adigwe & Family - In Thanksgiving

1:00 PM Victoria San Diego (†)

4:00 PM

8:00 PM Parishioners of St. John



Our School

If you are interested in enrollment or need more information about school activities and events, please visit our website at www.saintjohnsschool.org. **Registration for Religious Education School Year 2021—2022, starts on August 2021.** During school session, daily LiveStream broadcast of our morning and afternoon prayers are prayed at 8:05am and 2:50 pm. Find the link on our website!

ADW TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR 2021-2022

"The Archdiocese of Washington Tuition Assistance Program is available for students in grades PreK-12 who are applying to or currently enrolled in Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of Washington.

Applications are available each year beginning in October and are due in December for tuition assistance for the following school year please visit ADW.org; Catholic Schools; Tuition Assistance; Archdiocese Tuition Assistance Program. Families are strongly encouraged to apply. However, in order to be considered for a tuition scholarship which could possibly reduce the posted tuition rate, application is mandatory. Please feel free to contact the Development Office for any questions (301) 868-2010 OR development@saintjohnsschool.org OR Spanish@saintjohnsschool.org



Next Lifetouch Picture Schedule

There may be more dates and times. If you missed your initial appointment we can re-schedule. You will again have the ability to sign up on line at <https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/b6ktld9k/>. You call also call Debbie during the week at the rectory. Future dates and times, once schedule resumes, after the pandemic will be posted. Free 8 x10 for each family and the discounts for the seniors, first responders, military etc.

COVID-19: Update

Safe practices are still in effect as parishes gradually begin to resume normal functions, see Cardinal Gregory's **June 22 video message** to the faithful regarding the transition to reopening: <https://adw.org/coronavirus/> — a far cry from when the virus begun and one was dispensed from the Sunday obligation.

Directives are available via the Archdiocese site: <https://adw.org/coronavirus/>

2021 Jubilarian Mass

The Jubilarian Mass to honor couples celebrating 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 and 70+ years of marriage will be celebrated by Cardinal Gregory on **Sunday, June 27 at 3:00pm** at the Cathedral of St. Matthew the Apostle. Congratulations to our St. John's Couple, Mr. & Mrs. Marty and Arlene Wilson, celebrating 50 years of marriage; have been selected to attend this special event!

St. John's Pantry: Food Offers

Hunger is an ever-present reality in our community. Local food pantries are experiencing a great demand for food. If you know of anyone unemployed or financially burdened who need some food, please tell them to call "**Help By Phone**" - (301) 699-9009: Tue, Wed, Fri 8-3pm.

Pick-up: St. John's Rectory, (301) 868-1070, on Thursdays from 10-12pm or sometimes, by Special pick-up arrangements
Address (Building is between the church and White House: 8908 Old Branch Ave.
Clinton, MD 20735

Staples Offered include:

Pancake Mix, Syrup, Tea, Spaghetti, Spaghetti sauce, Mc&Cheese, Jellos, Rice, Bread, Milk, **Canned:** Fruits, Vegetables, Tuna, Chicken, Chili, Pork & Beans, Stew, etc.

We provide food for a number of families. Many grandparents are caring for their grandchildren and do not have sufficient resources. In Maryland 10.1% of the population is food-insecure and in the District of Columbia 11.4% of the population is food insecure. **Please keep in mind we cannot accept expired or opened items.**

CALENDAR of EVENTS

MONDAY, MAY 24

Please keep in prayer

Legion of Mary (H)

TUESDAY, MAY 25

Please keep in prayer

Class of Biblia (RB)

Please keep in prayer

Grupo de Creciminetto #1 (EC)

Please keep in prayer

Youth Group Practice (C)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26

Please keep in prayer

Religious Education (S,H, RB)

THURSDAY, MAY 27

Please keep in prayer

Senior Lunch Bunch Officers Mtg

Please keep in prayer

Grupo de Crecimiento #3 (EC)

Please keep in prayer

Jesus Esta Vivo (H)

FRIDAY, MAY 28

Please keep in prayer

Growth Classes (EC)

Please keep in prayer

Grupo de Crecimiento #2 (EC)

Please keep in prayer

Youth Group (H)

SATURDAY, MAY 29

Please keep in prayer

Jesus Esta Vivo (MPR)

Please keep in prayer

Classes Crecimiento (EC)

Please keep in prayer

Jovenes con Jesus y Maria (EC)

SUNDAY, MAY 30

Please keep in prayer

Jesus Esta Vivo (MPR)

Please keep in prayer

En el Amor de Jesus **In the event of inclement weather all activities will be cancelled.**



Senior Lunch Bunch Trips

Trips are usually:

\$35.00 per person Call Geraldine Williams (301) 868-4828 or Sharon Franklin (301) 627-0683

Or for Crab Cruise, Joyce Gresham (301) 856-2736



Pentecost Sunday John 16:12-15

Receive the Holy Spirit

".... I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. ¹³ But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come." . .

" ¹⁴ He will glorify me because it is from me that he will receive what he will make known to you. ¹⁵ All that belongs to the Father is mine. That is why I said the Spirit will receive from me what he will make known to you.."

Reflect:

This is our experience, that we need time to understand what Jesus said, for it is often not a question of theoretical knowledge, but of things of the heart: the meaning of love, of suffering, the presence of God in my life and in that of the others, the Church. So many things that the Spirit guides me so gently to understand. Should we pray more to be open to the Spirit and to his gentle presence in our lives?



“Recibe el Espíritu Santo”



Mis Queridos Hermanos:

Meditación

El Espíritu Santo, la tercera persona de la Santísima Trinidad, es Dios. Verdadero Dios como lo son el Padre y el Hijo. Es el Amor del Padre y el Hijo.

Cristo prometió que este Espíritu de Verdad iba a venir y moraría dentro de nosotros. "Yo rogaré al Padre y les dará otro Intercesor que permanecerá siempre con ustedes. Este es el Espíritu de Verdad que el mundo no puede recibir porque no lo ve ni lo conoce. Pero ustedes saben que él permanece con ustedes, y estará en ustedes" (Jn 14, 16-17)

El Espíritu Santo vino el día de Pentecostés y nunca se ausentará. Cincuenta días después de la Pascua, el Domingo de Pentecostés, los Apóstoles fueron transformados de hombres débiles y tímidos en valientes proclamadores de la fe; los necesitaba Cristo para difundir su Evangelio por el mundo.

El Espíritu Santo está presente de modo especial en la Iglesia, comunidad de quienes creen en Cristo como el Señor. Ayuda a su iglesia a que continúe la obra de Cristo en el mundo. Su presencia da gracia a los fieles para unirse más a Dios y entre sí en amor sincero, cumpliendo sus deberes con Dios y los demás. La gracia y vida divina que prodiga hacen a la Iglesia ser mucho más grata a Dios; la hace crecer con el poder del Evangelio; la renueva con sus dones y la lleva a unión perfecta con Jesús.

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CLASE PRE BAUTISMAL

Para los próximos Bautizos, favor de inscribirse, en la oficina parroquial o con la Señora María de los Ángeles, debe de estar registrado para poder asistir a la clase bautismo. Es una sola clase de Bautizo. Nos reuniremos en la Rectoría (sótano) por favor llame a la rectoría para la fecha y la hora. Padres y Padrinos tienen que asistir a la clase Bautismal y participar en la charla.

Por favor traiga una copia del certificado de nacimiento de la clase.

(No traiga a sus niños a la clase de Bautismo por favor)

Pentecostés (Ciclo B)

El Espíritu Santo guía al Papa, a los obispos y a los presbíteros de la Iglesia en su tarea de enseñar la doctrina cristiana, dirigir almas y dar al pueblo la gracia de Dios por medio de los Sacramentos. Orienta toda la obra de Cristo en la Iglesia: solicitud por los enfermos, enseñar a los niños, preparación de la juventud, consolar a los afligidos, socorrer a los necesitados.

Es nuestro deber honrar al Espíritu Santo amándolo por ser nuestro Dios y dejarnos dócilmente guiar por Él en nuestras vidas. San Pablo nos lo recuerda diciendo: "¿No saben ustedes que son templo de Dios y que el Espíritu de Dios habita en ustedes?" (1 Cor 3, 16).

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