



# PENTECOST

## May 20, 2018

**Church of St. Joan of Arc**  
*Celebrate God's Love. Proclaim God's Love.  
Share God's Love.*

### **WEDDINGS and BLESSING OF CIVIL MARRIAGES**

Congratulations on your engagement! We are happy you have chosen to have a Church wedding! Please call the Office as soon as possible to schedule a date and to begin Marriage Preparation. Before planning a destination wedding, please call the Church to discuss ways in which you can have your marriage blessed in the Church. 856-983-0077.

### **HOW TO BECOME CATHOLIC**

We have special programs for children, teens and adults who would like to become Catholic or complete their Sacraments. Please call 856-983-0077.

**Address: 100 Willow Bend Road, Marlton, NJ 08053**

**Parish Office: 856-983-0077**

**Religious Education: 856-983-7575**

**School: 856-983-0774**

**Youth Ministry: 856-983-7674**

**Music Ministry: 856-985-5461**

**Convent: 856-983-0258**

**Parish Website : [www.stjoans.org](http://www.stjoans.org)**

**School Website: [www.stjoansk-8.org](http://www.stjoansk-8.org) Like us at St Joan of Arc Parish**



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### **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

**God's love knows no boundaries and neither do we!**

Consider making St. Joan of Arc your home parish. Register online at [www.stjoans.org](http://www.stjoans.org) or stop in the office.

### **SUNDAY LITURGY SCHEDULE**

**Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm**

**Sunday: 7:30am, 9am, 10:30am & Noon**

**Korean Mass: 3:30pm on the 2nd Sunday of the month**

### **DAILY MASS SCHEDULE**

**Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 7am & 9am**

**Tuesday, Thursday: 9am & 7pm**

**Saturday: 9am**

### **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday, 4pm Anytime by appointment.

### **BAPTISMS**

We celebrate Baptisms most Sunday afternoons at 1:30pm. The baptism of your child is a great time to renew your own faith in Jesus Christ. Call the Office to schedule 856-983-0077

**Parish Office Hours:**

**Daytime Hours:**

Monday-Friday: 9:30am-12:30pm,  
2pm-5pm

Saturday: 9:30am-12pm

**Evening Hours:**

Monday-Thursday: 6pm-8:30pm

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## SPIRIT STILL MOVING...US

### Pastoral Staff:

**Rev. Msgr. Richard D. LaVerghetta, Pastor**

**Rev. Jorge Bedoya, Parochial Vicar**

**Rev. Leon Buni, Parochial Vicar**

**Rev. Richard Regan, Weekend Assistant**

**Deacon Tom Murphy, Pastoral Associate**

### Permanent Deacons:

Barry Tarzy, Jeff DeFrehn, Bill Mueller  
**Sr. Patricia Pycik, SSJ, School Principal**

**Sr. Peg. Boyle, SSJ,**

*Director of Pastoral Care*

**Mrs. Linda Mueller,**

*Director of Religious Education*

**Sr. Stephanie Cymerman, SSJ,**

*Director of Music*

**Mr. Jay Keesler, Youth Minister**

### Parish Pastoral Council:

**Tony Smaldone, Chairperson**

**Paula Kotowski, Vice Chairperson**

**Anastasia Bouillon, Secretary**

### Parish Finance Council:

**John Nihill, Chairperson**

**Lou Chiarelli, Susan Hatch, Mike**

**Smithwick**

### School Board:

**Nancy DiBlasi, Vice Chairperson**

**Michael Balabon, Mary Clare Brandt,**

**Chuck Fleischman, Joe Gallombardo**

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

This is for certain: when the disciples received the Holy Spirit, they did not stand still. They did not sit down. They did not yawn. They did not lie down and take a nap. They went out and they began to proclaim Jesus Christ. They begin to address the crowd assembled, and incredibly, the people understand the apostles in their native language. We hear this amazing story in the second chapter of the Acts of the Apostles.

The friends of Jesus, inspired by the Holy Spirit, leave their place of security, take a great risk, and "go public," so to speak, and share the gospel of Jesus. They do not, as I've said, ignore the prompting of the Holy Spirit. But they could have.

Yes, my friends, they could have. They could have said: "we better wait on this. We need to do more research." They could have said: "Who are we to be given the gift of the Spirit? We are not worthy to do this work." Or: "The crowd is so vast and varied and we don't know all the languages spoken, so how could we possibly speak to them and make sense? It's pointless."

They could have given in to fear and done nothing.

They could have said they are too busy.

They could have said: "let someone else do it."

That same Holy Spirit is alive today. We meet that same Holy Spirit in our Baptism and Confirmation. It is the Holy Spirit that gathers us each Sunday. We call down the Holy Spirit upon the gifts of bread and wine on the altar. It is the same Holy Spirit that sends us out each week into our daily lives to live and proclaim the message of Jesus Christ.

The Holy Spirit is always speaking to us, prompting us, inspiring us, moving us in the direction of peace and unity. The Holy Spirit is always helping us, strengthening us, to love the way Jesus loved. The Holy Spirit is always giving us the gifts we need, the words we need, the resources we need to do God's will, to continue the work of Jesus, to live as the Body of Christ on earth.

This Pentecost, let's ask ourselves — as individual disciples and as a parish, and a cohort of local parishes — "how will I this week listen to and respond to the promptings of the Holy Spirit?"

Happy Pentecost!



### Next Sunday: Memorial Day Weekend

At all our weekend Masses we will remember and give thanks for all who have served our nation and made the ultimate of sacrifices.

On Memorial Day, Monday, May 28, Mass will be celebrated at 7am and 9am



**St. Joan of Arc Parish**  
Sunday June 3<sup>rd</sup> **PICNIC** After the Noon Mass  
Bring your family and favorite lawn chair to enjoy free food, fun and activities!

# PRAYERS AND INTENTIONS

## TABERNACLE CANDLE INTENTION

Our Tabernacle Candle will remain lit during the week of  
**May 20, 2018 to May 26, 2018**  
**In Memory of Jack Donahue**  
**Requested by Wife Eileen**



## REMEMBER OUR DECEASED

Please pray for the soul of Thomas Baker, whose Funeral Mass was celebrated on Monday, May 14<sup>th</sup>.  
 Please pray for the soul of Gaetano Licciardi, whose Funeral Mass was celebrated on Thursday, May 17<sup>th</sup>.  
 Please pray for the soul of Carol Mauro, whose Funeral Mass was celebrated on Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup>.

Also please remember in your prayers the consolation of their families.

## "ABIDE IN ME"

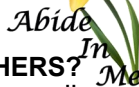
### Intercessory Prayer Ministry

**DO YOU NEED PRAYER OR WANT TO PRAY FOR OTHERS?**

Wednesdays 1-2 pm - Gathering Room &/or join our email prayer chain [www.stjoans.org/ministries/abide-in-me](http://www.stjoans.org/ministries/abide-in-me)

To ask for prayer or to pray with us email

[abideinme@stjoans.org](mailto:abideinme@stjoans.org) or call Marijane 609-744-7579



## WE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Fred Bovoso, Patricia Phelan, Larry, Tentarelli, John Bobo, Lillian Abbinanti, Michael Abair Sr., Joseph Amodel, Peggy Ragazzone, Steven Porter, Lyndsey Pinchick, James DiMartini, Donna Miller & Ramus Berrita

## PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

Kindly pray for the welfare of PFC. Elliot Adkisson, III, Jason Alexander, Matthew Alexander, CMS Michael Allen, Cpl. Jason Annese, Josh Blassman, USCGA Cadet 2/C Justin Beck, Bryan Bolt III, Marine Cpl. Justin Ryan Booth, USCGA Cadet 2/C Jack Brandt, Kevin Brodwater, USN, Kyle Brodwater, USN, Col. Denis Brown, Maj. Ryan Brunk, LCpl. Kevin Robert Cassel, Staff Sgt. John Ciacci, Michael Costello, Joseph DeStefano, Josh Dikmak, Lt. Col. Christopher DiNote, John Dixon, Sgt. Kevin Dougherty, LCpl. Silvio Duplechan Jr., Sgt. Mohamed Embaby, Pvt. Andrew Ensign, James Brent Evans, Col. Gerard Gagnon, Pvt. Nicholas Gianni, E3 Lucas Goergen, Cpl. Michael Goncalves, SPC Evan Grabowski, Andrew Guattari, Maj. John Harding, Lt. Col. Bill Harkins, James Hayes, Rick Heipertz, Sgt. Jeffrey Jayne, PFC. David Johnson, Brian Kohler, Sgt. Jonathan Krall, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Trevor Kuroczka, 2 Lt. Scott Lafferty, USAF, Lt. John Paul Lamorte, USCG, Airman 1<sup>st</sup> Class Daniel Little, Staff Sgt. Stephen MacCrory, William Mace, Bryan Marines, Cpl. Anthony Mastrangelo, Pvt. 1<sup>st</sup> Class Matthew Mastrangelo, LT Shane Mauro USN, Brenden McKittrick, Sgt. Brian McNally USAF, Sgt. Luke McNally USMC, S.Sgt. Richard Miller III, Cpl. Timothy Miller, Lt. JG Maggie Montesanti, Cpl. Shannyn Noone, Airman 1<sup>st</sup> Class Anthony Orlando, Jr., USMC, Sgt. Michael Peterson, Bob Poller, Sr Chief USN Kimberly Ripoli, Doug Sackett, Clinton Scheibner USN, Col. Dan Shanahan, Pfc. Joseph Seller, Molina Semple, Lt. Col. Matthew Stanley US Army, Dallas Thorp, Luke Williams, PFC. Tristan Wood, SSgt. Jaried Zavatter, USN Robert Zielinski & Cpl. Alexander Zink, USMC.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday**  
 May 21  
 7:00 AM **Margaret Cimei** r/o Fr. Chris Picollo  
 9:00 AM **Robert Bonfiglio**  
 r/o Josephine, Madlin & Pete Bonfiglio  
**Jennie Verrecchia**  
 r/o The Scola Family

**Tuesday**  
 May 22  
 9:00 AM **Walter Sidor** r/o Deacon Ed & The Staff of Jesus Bread of Life  
**Richard Saccomanno**  
 r/o John & Toni Brescia  
**Tony Gambone**  
 r/o Jack & Debbie Galamb  
**Harry McCracken III**  
 r/o Tom & Effie Murphy

**Wednesday**  
 May 23  
 7:00 AM **Tony Gambone**  
 r/o Joe & Jack Gallombardo  
 9:00 AM **Norma Loeber** r/o Dotty Garro  
**John Donahue** r/o Gene & Edrie Broz

**Thursday**  
 May 24  
 9:00 AM **Shawn English** r/o The Hummel Family  
**Jo Raimondo**  
 r/o Jim & Marijane Michalowicz  
 7:00 PM **Joseph Pastella** r/o Elizabeth Curatola  
**Tony Gambone**  
 r/o Bill & Linda Mueller

**Friday**  
 May 25  
 7:00 AM **Dennis & Mary Jane Wasielewski**  
 50th Wedding Anniversary  
 9:00 AM **Anna Foran** r/o Loving Neighbors  
**John Joseph Donahue, Jr.**  
 r/o Wife Eileen

**Saturday**  
 May 26  
 9:00 AM **Geraldine Smith** r/o Lorraine Kelmer  
**Anna Foran**  
 r/o Bonnie Caprice & Family  
 5:30 PM **Robert Bonfiglio** r/o Rita Bonfiglio  
**Peter Robinson**  
 r/o Dan & Joanne DelPrato  
**Norma Loeber** r/o Joanne Reynolds

**Sunday**  
 May 27  
 7:30 AM **Barbara Reed** r/o Mary Maguire  
**Shirley Ochman**  
 r/o The O'Brien Family  
**Charles Osborne**  
 r/o Wife Tesa & Family  
**Parishioners & Benefactors**  
 9:00 AM **Raymond Stevens, Jr.**  
 r/o Daughter Jenna & Family  
**James Charles**  
 r/o Glenn & Judy Merski  
**Frank Rowland** r/o Lorraine Kelmer  
 10:30 AM **Ellie Juchno** r/o Eileen Klein  
**Alfred Gentile** r/o Rita & Angelo Rollo  
**Jack Donahue, Jr.**  
 r/o Patty & Bob Biondi  
 12:00 PM **Joan Dombrowski**  
 r/o Marianne Kraemer  
**John Molettieri**  
 r/o Janet & Dom Zanghi  
**Anna Foran** r/o The Diorio Family

# YOUTH FAITH FORMATION



## ST. JOAN OF ARC SCHOOL EMBRACE GOD'S UNIVERSE!

• **Race for Education is Monday, May 21<sup>st</sup>.** Many thanks to all who were responsible for organizing, responded to the mailers and to the students who will be participating.

• **Orientation for Kindergarten students attending SJA in September 2018 will be held Tuesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>.** Please have your child in the Cafeteria by 8:45am. From the Cafeteria, children will be escorted to the KA/KB classrooms. Please pick your child up at 11:15am from Pedata Hall. **At this time we have a few openings for Kindergarten.**

• There will be a parent meeting on **Tuesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>**, at 7:00pm, in Pedata Hall for NEW families to our school for the 2018-2019 school year. We will explain school wide policies and procedures. Families with children currently attending SJA School, while most welcome, do not need to attend.

• There will be a special Healing Mass to honor our "Christ Friends" on **Wednesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 7:00pm.** A reception will follow in Pedata Hall. One of our favorite service projects, our 5<sup>th</sup> Grade students have been praying for and writing to our "Christ Friends" throughout the year.

• **Thursday, May 24<sup>th</sup>** we are excited to welcome Dr. Russ Buono, also known as Dr. Brain, to our school. The day promises to be filled with hands on activities and many happy memories.

• Our annual Field Day will be held on **Friday, May 25<sup>th</sup>.** Thanks to Miss Glick and all who help organize and volunteer their time to manage the events. Reminder: Dismissal will be at 12:30 pm. Our school policy is, ALL students go home in regular carline or bus. Thank you for your cooperation with this request. **EARLY DISMISSAL CAUSES UNNECESSARY CONFUSION.**

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION

**Began May 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Office hours:** Monday-Thursday 9am – 4pm  
**Office closed August 1<sup>st</sup> - September 4<sup>th</sup>**

Life can be very hectic and as a Parish we are trying to make your child's religious education a little more manageable. Therefore, we offer several programs.

### Traditional Program:

- Monday or Tuesday afternoons and evenings
- Classes for Grades 1-5 from 4-5:15pm, Grades 6-8 from 7-8:15pm
- Maximum of 2 absences permitted.

### Home Study Program:

- Offered for grades 3-6
- You teach your child at home one lesson using the provided program.
- Signed chapter tests are submitted to the Religious Education Office.
- You and your child are required to attend 3 activities throughout the year.

**Special Disciples:** Each child learns in a different method. For those students who need to have one on one attention or have a special need, we offer a class every other Sunday morning during the 9am Mass. We have certified Special Needs Catechists who work with your child.

### Family Catechesis:

- 2nd grade parents only
- You teach your child at home for 3 weeks using a provided curriculum.
- You and your child attend a class once a month in the evening to reinforce what was taught at home.

### Summer Intensive:

**This program is Full and Registration is closed.**

Please register for traditional classes as soon as possible as our Monday classes fill quickly.

## The Summer Intensive Program

- 5th grade teacher needed
- Adult aides needed for all grades

**Volunteers Needed!**

**New**



Vacation Bible School  
**Is coming to St. Joan of Arc**

July 9<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup>

9:00 am - 12:30 pm

SHIPWRECKED - Rescued By Jesus

A catholic Program for kids entering  
Kindergarten - 5<sup>th</sup> grade in Sept. 2018

\$25 for 1 child

\$40 for 2 children

\$45 for 3+

- Student Aides (grds 6 - 12) & Adult Volunteers needed
  - Contact Diane @ dianedzw@msn.com or 856-983-7486
  - Registration forms available on [www.stjoans.org](http://www.stjoans.org), Church entrances, Rectory & Religious Education Office
- \* SPACE IS LIMITED. DON'T DELAY! \***

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**Attention all Parish teens & 8th Graders!**

Wings meets every Sunday at 6:30 pm. All Parish teens are encouraged to attend. Come make new friends, be yourself & have a great time!

## KIDS LIT



All Children are Invited to come pray together  
& learn about Jesus at the

Weekly Children's Liturgy of the Word

**Join us on**

**May 27 at 10:30am Mass**

**June 3 at 9 am Mass**



NEW JERSEY  
CATHOLIC CONFERENCE

## ACTION ALERT

You may use the New Jersey Catholic Conference Faith in Action - Voter Voice system which can be accessed at

[https://  
www.votervoice.net/  
NJCC/campaigns/58391/  
respond](https://www.votervoice.net/NJCC/campaigns/58391/respond)

**OUR POSITION:** The New Jersey Catholic Conference and the New Jersey Network of Catholic School Families seek:

1. To restore the per-pupil transportation ceiling to \$1,000 by using funds currently in the Fiscal Year 2019 Governor's Budget. **This is THE major issue for the Catholic schools.**
2. To restore the \$3.8 million removed from the nonpublic school accounts in the Governor's Budget for Nonpublic Nursing Services Aid and Technology Aid at least to the level of funding in the Fiscal Year 2018 Appropriations Act.
3. To insert Budget language to permit the local nonpublic school to pool the State funds for Nursing Services, Technology and Security to serve the needs of the students more effectively.

**PRIORITY #1 - Nonpublic school transportation.** The ceiling for nonpublic school transportation had been frozen at \$884.00 from the 2007-2008 school year until it was increased to \$1,000 in the Fiscal Year 2018 Appropriations Act. However, Governor Murphy's Fiscal Year 2019 Budget reduced the amount back to \$884. Please note the enclosed Talking Points for discussing nonpublic school busing with legislators and other interested individuals in order to restore the per-pupil amount to \$1,000. **This involves no increase in State funding, but rather a shifting of money to best serve the needs of our students and their parents.**

**PRIORITY #2 - Governor Murphy's proposed 2019 Budget cut \$3.8 million from nonpublic school aid reducing it from \$101,603 million to \$97,803 million.** The cuts were made in Nonpublic School Nursing Services and Technology Aid. Please note the enclosed Talking Points for discussing these accounts with legislators and other interested individuals.

**PRIORITY #3 -** We are requesting a Budget Resolution which would permit a nonpublic school to pool the aggregate of the school's funding for Nursing Services, Technology, and Security, in order to move the funds to where they best fit the needs of the students in the local school for that particular year. **Once again, this involves no increase in State funding, but rather allowing funds to be utilized to best serve the needs of our students and their parents.** Public school accounts already are "fungible," which means that the public school district can move within Budget lines the State funds in a given year to best serve the needs of their students.

## GIFT CARDS

**Help St. Joan of Arc just by shopping!**  
**Purchase cards here after all weekend Masses**

**Plus...**

Order online at  
[STJOANS.ORG/GIFTCARDS](http://STJOANS.ORG/GIFTCARDS)

Purchase by credit card  
(includes \$2 convenience fee)  
or reserve your cards and pay by  
cash or check at pickup

4 ways you can pick them up:

- At all weekend Masses
- At the Rectory on your way to the store, Mon-Fri from 10am to Noon
- At the Religious Education office when you drop your child off to class
- Sent home with your School child on Friday



## SEEING THE HOLINESS OF EVERYDAY LIFE

**May 31st 7:30pm Pedata Hall**  
**Presenter Sr. Celeste Mokrzycki SSJ**

Can you remember one moment when time stood still as you marveled at God working right before your eyes? Did you recognize it in the present moment or did you miss it? Through her art and the practice of the Ignatian Examen, Sister Celeste Mokrzycki, SSJ will help us grow in our ability to recognize "the many ways God desires to come into our lives if only we open ourselves to seeing ordinary things in a contemplative stance." Sister Celeste is the Vocation Director for the Sisters of Saint Joseph and teaches watercolor painting to adults. When she is able, Sister Celeste loves to paint landscapes and figures illuminated with extraordinary light to reveal the beauty of the present moment. She studied studio art at Chestnut Hill College, Philadelphia Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia and earned a Masters Degree in counseling from Seton Hall University. Her watercolors have been featured in several art shows in NJ and Philadelphia.

## FIRST FRIDAY

**June 1st Pedata Hall**  
**Following 9am Mass**

Our final First Friday program for this semester will be on Friday, June 1<sup>st</sup>. We hope you can join us on. We will gather right after the 9AM Mass in Pedata Hall. Coffee and Bagels will be waiting for you. Looking forward to seeing you then. October 2018 we will begin again.

Have a great summer

# MINISTRIES

## SUBSTITUTE USHERS NEEDED FOR MASSES

Would you be willing to help to fill in as an usher when another is unavailable? Maybe you are a new parishioner to our parish and looking for a way to get involved? We are looking for women, men and young adults to join our ministry. If you are interested in joining the usher ministry please talk with the ushers at your Mass or contact the Usher Ministry Leader, Dean DeRose, at 856-596-6404 or [ushers@stjoans.org](mailto:ushers@stjoans.org)

## PARISH HEALTH MINISTRY

- Difficulty hearing, please ask the usher for a **hearing amplifier**.
- Dietary restrictions, a **low gluten host** is available for Holy Communion. Line up in the center aisle before everyone else receives Communion. First time you are receiving the low gluten host, please let the priest or deacon know before Mass begins.
- A **Transport wheelchair** is available to assist transitioning from the car to the church. Please see an usher.
- **In case of emergency, an AED is located in the hall by the Sacristy door near Pedata Hall.**

*For More Information about the Heath Ministry  
Contact Carolyn Bitzer 732-887-0898 or email  
[health@stjoans.org](mailto:health@stjoans.org)*

## DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

If you need a wheelchair, crutches, walker, cane or other equipment, we might have them. Call Pat Morgan at 856-983-5656 to inquire about an item you need or would like to donate.

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

### Preparing Parents for the Baptism of their Child

We call the ministry "**Loving Your Baby**"

- ♦ Loving Your Baby is a monthly one hour workshop held for parents/grandparents/godparents preparing their child for Baptism.
- ♦ A couple and a deacon team up to share their faith, and to talk about faith in their families.
- ♦ Two or three couples are needed.
- ♦ Each couple would only participate 2-3 times a year for about an hour each time.

For ministry coordinators, Mark & Joanne Hummel, knowing many of our parishioners as their family's pediatrician (Mark) or obstetrician (Joanne), it's been especially wonderful for them to share their Faith in this family ministry. Amazing what sharing your faith can do for a new family. Please contact Mark & Joanne at [baptismalprep@stjoans.org](mailto:baptismalprep@stjoans.org) if you think God might be calling you to help build the Kingdom of God through these precious little ones and their parents. We would love to have you join our team!

Come Join Us

**TLC MAY**

**BOARD GAME & MOVIE NIGHT**

**Friday, May 25<sup>th</sup>**

**7:00 PM - 9:30 PM Pedata Hall**



**Adult Friends with Special Needs**

**Ages 18-39**

**FEATURING:**

**Friends, Refreshments, Games, Movie TBD**  
*Sponsored by St. Joan of Arc Caritas Ministry*

**AOA**

## "ACCOMPANYING ONE ANOTHER"

**On the Journey through "ADDICTION TO RECOVERY"**  
A Christ centered ministry of spiritual support for anyone on their journey through addiction to recovery or anyone accompanying a loved one on their journey.

**When:** Every Sunday @ 7pm.

**Where:** Our School Cafeteria.

**How:** Guided by the "12 Steps" & related scriptures from Life Recovery Bible.

**What:** We pray, we share, we support. We don't judge nor give advice.

**Why:** We are family.

**Who:** Anyone impacted by this disease - All are Welcome!

For more information visit: [www.stjoans.org/AOA](http://www.stjoans.org/AOA).

To have a conversation contact: Deacon Tom at (856-983-0077, ext. 306) or [tom.murphy@stjoans.org](mailto:tom.murphy@stjoans.org).

## SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

### Individual sessions held at St Joan's Rectory

There are times when we are moved to respond to God's personal invitation to a deeper relationship and to discover God's presence in all things. God desires a deeper relationship with you; a desire to grow in intimacy. Spiritual direction is an experience that enables a person to become more fully aware of God's abiding presence in their life. To schedule a session or if you have questions, please contact; Deacon Jeff DeFrehn [Jeff.DeFrehn@stjoans.org](mailto:Jeff.DeFrehn@stjoans.org) or call the Office 856-983-0077

# MINISTRIES



## COMMUNAL ANOINTING MASS

Wednesday May  
23<sup>rd</sup> 7pm

Our annual Mass

with reception of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated on Wednesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 pm. We invite all the sick and elderly of our parish and their families to join us at this special Mass. Refreshments will be served in Pedata Hall after Mass. All extraordinary Eucharistic lay ministers are asked to inform their shut-ins and to help to make arrangements for their transportation, if necessary

## MORNING PRAYER

Please join us for morning prayer at 7am on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the church. We come together as a community to start our day in prayer as well as to offer up our petitions and receive the Eucharist. What a wonderful way to begin each day!

## BUNKO

Our June 1st Bunko has been cancelled. We will resume BUNKO in September. Please check the bulletin in late August for the Opening date. Enjoy your summer!

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TRAVEL RAFFLE

for Seminarian Support

After Masses May 19/20 & June 9/10  
\$10 each

Travel Raffle tickets are available for \$10 each. Winner will win a \$5,000 travel voucher. **100% of the sales from these tickets will directly support the men who are in seminary** for the Diocese of Trenton. For more information about these tickets or our Charity Ball on June 15th, contact Bill Hahn 609.670.4039.

**Help us provide this vital support that will keep these men on track to become our future priests.**

## St. Joan of Arc Parish Business Mixer

“Whatever your work is, put your heart into it as done for the Lord” - Col 3:23

Looking for ways to make connections with other people in our parish to let them know what you do, as well as learn what they do for a living? Now is your chance. Join us for our very first

### Parish Based Business Exchange Mixer!

**Who** All St. Joan of Arc parishioners who are involved in business, as well as those in transition, or considering a career change, who are interested in making connections with others in our parish. Recent graduates are welcome to join us.

**What** A Mixer to help us form a network of believers, coming together in fellowship and shared faith.

**When** Thursday, June 14 from 7:30-8:30pm.

**Where** Pedata Hall

**Why** To get to know, and support one another as we live our faith in the world through our daily work.

*Light appetizers and beverages will be provided.*

Bring plenty of business cards (as well as promotional materials) and have some fun sharing what you do as you make connections with others in our parish. We will provide a list of attendees to all who join us. Everyone is welcome to join us for the 7:00pm Mass prior to the Mixer.

## ARISE & SHINE

Morning Parenting Group  
Meetings Every Friday in Room 8 at St.  
Isaac's

[ariseandshine@stjoans.org](mailto:ariseandshine@stjoans.org)

Arise & Shine is a morning preschool playgroup aimed at inspiring fellowship, personal growth & knowledge based on our faith.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GAVIN MICHAEL DUTZAR Memorial Scholarship

The following two students were awarded \$300 from Saint Kateri Council #12229:  
Leah Rottler-Gurley who will be attending Paul VI High School. Nicoletta DelRe who will be attending Camden Catholic High School.  
Congratulations Leah and Nicoletta!

# MINISTRIES

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENEDICTION

In adoration, I can sit before the God of the universe, the God of all wisdom and love. He will bless me and guide me.  
~A Eucharistic Reflection From A Heart's Abundance



**Tuesday evening's  
Eucharistic Adoration 5:00pm – 6:30pm  
Benediction 6:30pm**

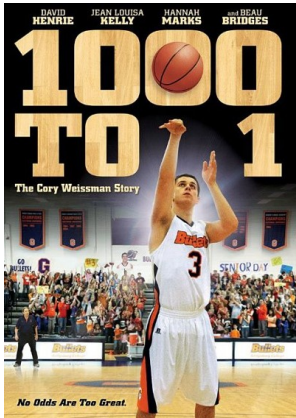
"Call to me, and I will answer you;  
I will tell you great things beyond the reach of your knowledge."

~ Jeremiah 33:3

## GOOD COUNSEL THANKS YOU... AGAIN!!



The Mom's, babies, staff and volunteers of Good Counsel Homes, Riverside, are grateful for the extreme generosity of the parishioners of St. Joan of Arc Parish. Because of your generosity we were able to make a donation to Good Counsel Homes in the amount of \$4,540.



## POPCORN, FRANKS & A MOVIE

**Thursday, May 24th  
7:30pm Pedata Hall  
Presents "1000 to 1"**

**1000 to 1** is the inspiring, true story of Cory Weissman, a basketball star who scored 1,000 points in high school and was expected to be a standout athlete at Gettysburg College. Following a catastrophic stroke at the end of his freshman year, the film chronicles

Cory's against-all-odds comeback from a life-threatening illness with the help of his mother, Tina, a physical therapist, as well as the encouragement of both his dedicated basketball coach and his girlfriend, who loves Cory just the way he is. **1000 to 1** highlights Cory's personal and spiritual growth that brings him the deep insights that can only be gained by surviving a near-death experience.

## SENIOR TRIPS PHILLIES GAME

**Wednesday, June 20th \$74.00**

Leave 11:30am Home 4:30pm

Travel to Citizens Bank Park for a day at the ball field. Enjoy the vendors and eateries while you watch the Phillies play the St. Louis Cardinals at 1:05 pm. Seats are located in 103 section and are undercover in case of inclement weather.

**CAPE MAY FERRY TO REHOBOTH  
Thursday, June 28th \$99.00**

Leave 7:00am Home 8:30pm

Ride the Cape May Ferry to Lewes, DE to shop the Rehoboth Outlets or spend time walking the boardwalk. Dinner is included at the Rusty Rudder for "all you can eat buffet" salad bar, carving station, pasta station, sushi station, chilled shrimp, crab clusters, clams, and desserts, before returning home.

**STATUE OF LIBERTY, ELLIS ISLAND  
& 9/11 MEMORIAL "EMPTY SKY"**

**Thursday, September 13th \$89.00.**

Leave 8:00am Home 7:30pm

Spend the day exploring Ellis Island, museum of immigration, and Statue of Liberty. Lunch can be bought at the island or bring your own. A ferry ride is included. A stop at the 9/11 Memorial "Empty Sky," located in Liberty Park in Jersey City. The walls are 210' long and rise 30' with a 12' wide paved path of bluestone between them.

Photo ID required

Dinner will be included before returning home.

**MT AIRY CASINO TRIP  
" THE GREATEST HITS OF BROADWAY"  
Wednesday, October 10th \$76.00**

Leave 7:30am Home 8:00pm

This high paced musical revue consists of singers and dancers, beautiful costumes and exciting choreography. \$15.00 slot bonus and lunch.

Official ID required

Make checks payable to **ST. JOAN OF ARC**

Mail checks to: Bob and Sue DeNight

20 Florence Avenue

Marlton, N.J. 08053

Call for more info 856-596-9393 or 609-304-1968

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## STEWARDSHIP

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As disciples we are called to be faithful stewards of our time, talent and treasure.

May 12/13.....\$25,020

Electronic Giving .....\$ 8,598

Thank you for your continued generosity!

## Parish Giving

### PARISH "ONLINE" GIVING

Please join our growing number of families who have elected to make their contributions online through Parish Giving.

#### It's Simple:

- Log onto [www.stjoans.org](http://www.stjoans.org) and click on the Giving tab and choose Parish "Online" Giving and follow the easy registration instructions.

#### It's Secure:

- Parish Giving is PCI compliant and uses the strongest SSL encryption technology available.

#### It's Convenient:

- No more searching for the check book on Sunday or morning stops at the ATM machine.

#### Tax Benefits:

- You will be able to print out a report detailing your contributions for the year.

#### Parishioner Benefits:

- Ability to choose date and frequency of contributions. Questions, contact Theresa Segin 856-983-0077 ext.311



Please note that if you received a letter from Fr. Rich asking you to make a contribution to the Annual Catholic Appeal and you have already made a payment or a pledge, please ignore the letter. Thank you very much for all those that have made a pledge or a payment to the Annual Catholic Appeal thus far.

#### Update:

637 donors

\$90,326 Total Pledged

\$111,189 Parish Goal

Your contributions to the Annual Catholic Appeal will help support

- Catholic Education Administration and Ministries
- Evangelization - Ministry to Families, Youth, Young Adults, Pastoral Care and Multicultural Ministries
- Clergy and Religious Administration, Vocations and Consecrated Life
- Catholic Social Services

Please give generously by going to the Diocese of Trenton Annual Catholic Appeal website or by completing a pledge card available in the church foyer. Please send completed cards to the Rectory or drop in the collection basket.

Please indicate donation and be sure to designate the funds to St. Joan of Arc Parish.

## THE WEEK AHEAD

### SUNDAY, 5/20

K of C Spouses Appreciation Dinner  
6pm Off Premise

Wings - 6:30pm Pedata Hall

AOA Meeting - 7pm Cafeteria

### MONDAY, 5/21

Race for Education - All Day Parish Grounds  
Abide in Me - 7pm Gathering Room

### TUESDAY, 5/22

Kindergarten Orientation - 8:45am Cafeteria

New Parent Orientation - 7pm Pedata Hall

Adoration - 5pm Church

Benediction - 6:30pm Church

Liturgy Meeting - 7:30pm Gathering Room

Bereavement (Loss of Loved One)

7:30pm Arc Room

### WEDNESDAY, 5/23

Abide in Me Prayer Group

1pm Gathering Room

Anointing Mass - 7pm Church

Rosary - 7pm Pedata Hall

Anointing Mass Reception - 8pm Pedata Hall

### THURSDAY, 5/24

Virtus Training - 7pm Upper Classrooms

Movie Knight - 7:30pm Pedata Hall

Picnic Meeting - 7:30pm Arc Room

### FRIDAY, 5/25

TLC Social - 7pm Pedata Hall

## WEDDING BANNS

### First Publications

Daniel Bivona and Andrea Lundy

Christopher Arensberg and Erika LaRosa

### Second Publications

Thomas Wexler and Erin Mason

### Third Publications

Jonathan Boehme and Stephanie Steinbiss

## BAPTISMS

We warmly welcome the following children who are being baptized into our community this weekend.

Benedetto LaMorte, Teagan Adamiak, Ethan Forgash, Ava Lydic, Clara Medina, Isabella O'Keefe & Evangeline Rutkowski

## PRAY THE ROSARY

### The Path To Jesus Is Through Mary

Monday to Saturday 8:25 am - Church

Wednesday Nights 7:00 pm - Church Rosary

1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of Every Month 3:00 pm Pedata Hall

The Blessed Mother has told us to pray the rosary every day. This is Heaven's intervention to achieve world peace. Please Join Us In Prayer.

## BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you would like to publish an announcement in the bulletin please send all requests to [publications@stjoans.org](mailto:publications@stjoans.org) All requests must be submitted no later than the Monday before the weekend you would like them published.

