

Mission Statement

In the spirit of St. John Vianney's zeal and concern for people, we are a community proclaiming the Gospel in the tradition of the Roman Catholic Church. The community of St. John Vianney strives to utilize the gifts and talents of each parishioner to create a vibrant welcoming parish. Through our liturgies, ministries, and organizations, we encounter Christ and are empowered to bring Him to the world.

Parish Staff

Administrative Assistant	Linda Dunbar
Parish Secretary	Stephanie Noto
School Office Assistant	Lisa Filippini
School Office Assistant	Laura Gruenling
Parish/School Bookkeeper	Paula Roibal
Maintenance Supervisor	Poncho Julius

Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday	8am
Saturday	8am - 5pm
Sunday	8am - 10am - 12pm

Holy Days will be announced at the end of mass and in the bulletin.

Sacramental Schedule

Reconciliation: Saturdays 11am-12pm, 4:15-4:45pm
Anytime in the rectory – call ahead

Baptism: most Sundays at 1:30pm & 2:30pm.
Requirements: registration in parish, baptism preparation class, arrangements are made at least 3 MONTHS prior to the date of the baptism. Sponsors and Christian witnesses need verification of belonging to a Church.

Anointing of the Sick: anyone who is ill and or would like to receive Communion is asked to call the rectory.

Marriage: Couples planning marriage must notify the Parish Rectory at least ONE YEAR in advance for date and necessary info. Pre-Cana classes and F.O.C.C.U.S. Program etc. are required. At least one party must be a registered member of this parish.

Parish Membership

All new families who live within our boundaries are welcome to the parish. They are requested to register at the rectory. If a parishioner is not registered, it is difficult for us to issue testimonial letters, recommendations, references, etc. When you move or change your address, please notify the rectory beforehand. Anyone 18 years of age/older not in school must be registered separate of their family. Thank you.

Mass Intentions – 33RD Sunday in Ordinary Time

SATURDAY, November 13, 2021 – *St. Francis Xavier Cabrini*

8:00 AM Anthony Giordano, r/o The Hughes Family
5:00 PM Patricia Muller, r/o The Wittmann Family

SUNDAY, November 14, 2021

8:00 AM Purgatorial Society
10:00 AM For the people of our Parish living/deceased
12:00 PM Louis Panaccione, r/o The Noto Family

MONDAY, November 15, 2021 – *St. Albert the Great*

8:00 AM Thomas V. Baron, r/o Mom & Dad

TUESDAY, November 16, 2021 – *St. Margaret of Scotland*

8:00 AM Roy Faber, r/o Worosila & Morrissey Families

WEDNESDAY, November 17, 2021 – *St. Elizabeth of Hungary*

8:00 AM Steven Blaha Jr., r/o In-Laws

THURSDAY, November 18, 2021

8:00 AM Santo Casarona, r/o Nancy & Sonny Lanza

FRIDAY, November 19, 2021

8:00 AM Jack Jacobi, r/o Family

SATURDAY, November 20, 2021

8:00 AM Genevieve Cyrana, r/o Family
5:00 PM Maria Noone, r/o Tom & Linda Dunbar

SUNDAY, November 21, 2021

8:00 AM Theresa Lipuma, r/o MaryBeth Hunter
10:00 AM For the people of our Parish living/deceased
12:00 PM Stephen Danatzko, r/o Wife, Mary Danatzko



The Altar Flowers have been offered in loving memory of Eugene & Nancy Markey from Tim Markey & Family.

The Bread & Wine have been offered in loving memory of Ann Joe from Trish, Paul, Heather & Caitlin Murphy and also for Rose A. Checchio from The Family of Alexander E. Peigelbeck.



The Prayer Corner

"There is a season and a time for every purpose..."

A TIME TO BAPTIZE

Leandro Jaxon Hermida & Calleigh McHugh Paradise

TO WED

TO HEAL

Anthony Virazzi, Tony Cruz, Mary Swiderski, Maryanne Delutis, Joann Fenlon, Emily Gorsky Bonano, Joshua & Amelia Ford, Beatrice Schott, Marie Novak, Jo Ann West, Denise & Carlene Stanislawczyk, Francine Ammiano, Catherine Buettel, Mariola Wawrzyniak, Rose Campanelli, Kyle Brown, Lisa Auerbach, Dianne Campolargo, Collin Sciahetano, Jerry Mikosh, Lincoln, Sandra Farrell, Dolores Waltsak, Deacon Joe Vivona, Rose Sestito, Bill Tatler, Giovanni Caccamo, Mark & Victoria, Jim Geoffroy, Ryan Shaughnessy, Brian Shaughnessy, Nancy Genna, Sherry Canavale, Domenic Canavale, Michael Canavale, James Kelly, Rose Currie, Nina Laico, Tommy Birkner, Ronald Harvey, Artie Schapiro, Tina Deliaquila, Kevin Brown, Dominic Wittmann, Robert Feeney, Debi Leiter, Anna Sielska, Jane Fitzgerald, Wayne Bartlett, Julia Skrya, Mary Charniga, Brenda & Dolores Tourtellot, Mary Jantas, Kathleen Baumann, Giuliana DeAngelias, Dennis Costante, Gene Moore, Joel Leiter, Jerry Hill, Susan Sepedy, Geri Lazarowitz, Aymee Iannacone, Annie Panaccione, Jean Nych, Gregory Kolaranda, Tyler Brown, Johanna Esposito, Mary Shegas, Nina Stefanelli, Nikoloz, Clare Weber, Vincent Dellaquila, Linda Wittmann, Joseph Reilly, Joe Vitello, Arlon Roth, Edward O'Brien, June Laub, Lynn Tumblety, Maryann Robson, Nick Troiano, Carl Walker, Dan Weiss, Arthur Shipiro, Ronald Syslo, Christine Camping, Gladys Gonzalez, Catherine Donahue, Art Boudier, Marie Negri, Christiano Bianco, Mary Ann Baureis, Pauline Mendicino-Franke.

TO JOIN GOD IN HEAVEN

Pasquale Pontrantolfi Jr.

A TIME OF WAR & PEACE

Keith D. Lee (Air National Guard), Major Brian McCartin (Army), John Bridges (Navy), 2nd Lieutenant Phillip G. Faccone Jr. (Marines), Bryan Alexander Perez (Army), Brandon Haynes (Army), Jared Endler (National Guard), LTJG Liam Keenan (Navy), Mas. Sgt. Michael Primavera (Air Force), John O'Donnell (Marines).

Weekend Readings

Daniel 12:1-3

Hebrews 10:11-14, 18

Mark 13:24-32

Weekday readings can be found on the parish website.

November 14, 2021

33RD Sunday in Ordinary Time

"And then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in the clouds' with great power and glory."

MARK 13:26

We will all have that day when we are standing before God and our life is played out like a movie. When this happens and God asks each of us, "What have you done with the gifts that I have given you?" How will you respond? The good news – it is never too late to live a grateful and generous lifestyle.

Reflection

Last weekend each reading expressed someone giving all they had to help another. In today's society, this concept is not a very common one. It's more often that we see people giving when it's convenient for them, instead of giving without question to help someone in need. In his homily, Father John shared a fairytale with two different endings. One focused on producing results being the most important thing, while the other focused on trying ones best to be the most important thing. As humans, we are constantly being torn to choose between what society deems "right" versus our faith and what God knows to be right. We have all been here at some point. When you're studying for hours and are a few points shy of the grade you were striving for, results are not the most important thing, but instead that you tried your best and will continue to do so. When you're up for a promotion at work and it goes to someone else, that doesn't mean your hard work was for nothing, you gave your all and should have faith that it will happen for you as you continue to work for it. These are just a few examples that many of us face in our day to day lives where society tries to put us down for not being "the best" instead of acknowledging that we are all just trying our best to be kind and loving people and provide for our loved ones. We are challenged by last week's Gospel to look at our values. At the end of the day, our faith is the most important thing. All God asks of us is to try our best to be the people he intended us to be. He does not ask for or expect perfection. So, will you choose to recognize effort or only focus on result? As we enter this next week, I encourage you to think about how last week's scripture connects to the question we are asked in this week's scripture. When you look back at your life, how would you respond to God asking you "what have you done with the gifts I have given you?"



St. John Vianney School News

732-388-1662 <https://school.sjvianney.com/>

As we prepare for a blessed Thanksgiving, we remember all those who have given us so much to be thankful for, including our school and parish community. We are thankful for our families, friends, and school community. We are especially thankful for the guidance of Father John, Father Bede, and Father Bob, whose prayers and guidance have been constant reminders of God's grace and love.

During this November, take some time to be grateful for all God's blessings.

Catechists Needed

This year, we are in serious need for catechists for 1st, aides, and substitutes for our religious education program. In order to function, our students must have teachers, 18 or older, who know and love their faith. In addition to these teachers, we also need aides, 14 years and above, that can help the teacher in the classroom. Finally, we need subs for our teachers who work hard and may not be able to make it some nights. The substitute teachers need to be 16 years or older. Please consider helping our religious education program in any way you can! Please call the Religious Education office for more information at 732-388-1424.

PARISH MINISTRIES & CONTACTS

Organization	Contact	Phone/Email
Altar Rosary Society	Jane Bianco	732-382-1512
Altar Servers	Deacon Vinny	vbrigande@sjvs.net
Basketball	Joe Marinello	908-347-9269
Bible Study	Deacon Joe & Rose Ragucci	732-548-3880
Cheerleading	Cathy Carroll	732-574-0218
Communion/ Homebound	Joanne Streck	732-382-4147
Cub/Boy Scouts	Sandra Franczak	732-381-5033
Cursillo	Maggie Cruz	732-713-7392
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Pre-Can	Deacon Tom & Janice Michnewicz	732-574-1651
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	Dolores Jules	908-756-3659
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Soccer	Simon Bhagat	917-975-3634
St. Isidore's Garden	Maureen Jorgensen	732-396-4320
St. Vincent de Paul	Jim Leathem	732-388-5512
Track	Amanda Miller	732-549-2356
Ushers	Ray Morgan	732-815-1037
Youth Ministry	Laureen Romano	732-381-0008

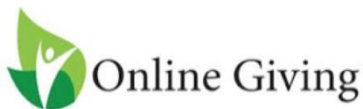


NOVEMBER 7, 2021

Collection: \$ 12,293.25
 On-line giving: \$ 4,976.50
 \$ 17,269.75
 Avg. Weekly Expenses: -\$ 20,000.00
 Balance: -\$ 2,730.25

OFFERTORY:**NOVEMBER 8, 2020**

Collection: \$ 13,771.25
 On-line giving: \$ 5,265.50
 \$ 19,036.75
 Avg. Weekly Expenses: -\$ 20,000.00
 Balance: -\$ 963.25

OFFERTORY:

A Secure & Convenient Way to Give to St. John Vianney Church

Donate Now!

No cash or check? No problem! Our parish offers a convenient, safe, and automatic way to contribute to our parish directly from your bank or using a credit card. Online Giving is a web-based application that allows you to start, stop and change your contributions at any time. You will still receive offering envelopes to present during offertory at Mass to indicate "I've given online". Online Giving is very easy to use and requires no special knowledge. If you haven't already signed up, then go to our parish website at "sjvianney.com" and select Online Giving. It's easy and safe!



We are now experiencing a shortage and are in urgent need of these items.

The St. James Food Pantry is in need of jelly, canned fruit, complete pancake mix & syrup, peanut butter & mixed vegetables. Thank you for your continued support in helping to feed those in need in our community.

S J V Youth & Young Adult Ministries

YOUTH MINISTRY:

The Middle School Youth Group will meet the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month. The High School Youth Group will meet the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month.

All meetings will be 6:00-7:30pm and a mask is required! Bring a friend!

<i>Middle School</i>	<i>Topic</i>	<i>High School</i>
	Kick Off	11/14
11/21	Give Thanks	11/28
12/5	Advent	12/12

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY:

It's time to DIG DEEP! Join us as we look within and discover how to live as Catholic Young Adults in today's society.

We meet on weeknights at 7pm. Our upcoming meetings are: **Tuesdays: 11/23*, 12/7**

* = Holiday Celebration - If you would like to join us for our Annual SJV YAM Friendsgiving please rsvp to Laureen (LRomano@SJVS.net) by Friday 11/19. This is a potluck dinner and all are invited to attend.

Please bring a mask.

"Because your faith journey doesn't end after high school ... it's only just beginning!"

This is a group for individuals (single, married, parents, etc. who are 18-39.)

The October 2021 Poor box contained \$603.00. Thank you for your generosity and ongoing financial support.



Saint of the Week:
St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

St. Frances grew up in Italy, and at the age of 24 began teaching at an orphanage. After working in the orphanage for a few years she founded the

Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart. Under the instruction of Pope Leo XIII, she and her fellow sisters traveled to New York City to work with Italian immigrants. Instead of working at previously established orphanages in America, St. Frances founded her own. Within 35 years she founded 67 different institutions dedicated to helping and caring for the sick, poor and uneducated. In 1946, St. Frances became the first American citizen to become canonized as a Saint. May we look to St. Frances as a beacon of love, light and kindness, and strive us to live a life of compassion and service as she did.



SJV Altar Rosary Society

Our next meeting for the St. John Vianney Altar Rosary Society will be on Thursday, November 18th at 1pm in the upper room of the Church. We would like to encourage new members to join us in our prayers and devotion to the Blessed Mother. For additional info. please call Jane Bianco at 732-382-1512.



On Monday, November 29th we will be opening the 2022 Mass Book for the months of January – April 2022. There will be a limit of 3 offerings per person at a time. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

The Pro-Life Corner

November 14, 2021

This week we pray especially for married couples considering adoption, may the Holy Spirit guide their discernment, grant them peace, and bring to fruition His holy will.



If you are a man or woman affected by abortion, please check this website for information that may help you:
<http://www.silentnomoreawareness.org/>

PRO-LIFE MATERNITY COLLECTION

We are always grateful for the donations we receive. At present, we are in particular need of Infant car seats and strollers, including double strollers. EXPIRED car seats (6 years after date of manufacture) CANNOT be accepted. All items must be **clean** and in **good condition**. Used clothing can be donated to FISH Hospitality (732-356-0081). If you have questions please call the rectory or Carolyn at 973-349-4626. THANK YOU for your consideration and your generosity.

SJV Pro-Life Committee



We are happy to invite our Parish community in welcoming back our former Seminarians, who are now Priests, Father Jay and Father Ariel as they each celebrate a Mass here at St. John Vianney Church. Father Jay's Mass will be on Saturday, November 13th at the 5pm Mass, with a light reception to follow in the cafeteria. Father Ariel's Mass will be on Sunday, November 21st at the 12pm Mass, with a light reception to follow in the cafeteria. We hope you join us in celebrating Father Jay and Father Ariel!

ST. JOHN VIANNEY SCRIP PROGRAM

For several years the St. John Vianney school community has participated in a fundraising program known as the Scrip Program. We would now like to open this program to the entire parish community. Scrip simply means "substitute money". When you purchase Scrip, you are purchasing gift cards that are used exactly as cash. You can use Scrip to purchase everyday items such as food, gas, clothing and other essentials. With every gift card you purchase you are earning revenue for St. John Vianney. Your gift card is worth exactly the amount you purchased it for - \$100, \$50, \$25, \$10. We earn the revenue from the vendor by purchasing it at a discount. This is a fundraiser that does not require you to spend money on things you wouldn't normally buy.

There are many gift cards for purchase at the Rectory, and even more gift cards available if you order through the GLScrip company. Gift cards can be purchased with cash or a personal check. For more information, stop by the Rectory and speak with either Stephanie or Linda, or call us at 732-574-0150.

2021 Adopt-A-Turkey

This year is like no other. Our neediest friends and neighbors need your generosity like never before. Your kindness each year is remarkable. If you would like to help those in need Adopt-A-Turkey is for you. Any donation large or small helps to put food on people's tables. This year you can provide an entire meal to a family for \$75.00. Flyers will be in the bulletin or simply put an envelope marked Adopt-A-Turkey in the collection or the poor box with your name and address. We will be very happy to name a turkey after you. If you or someone you know needs food for Thanksgiving, please leave a message at the rectory and someone will call you back. This is kept confidential.



2021 Bishop's Annual Appeal Transformed by Christ Body and Blood Sent on a Mission to Light a Fire in the Heart of the Church

Thank you to all who have given so generously to the 2021 Bishop's Annual Appeal. If you have not made a pledge, there is still time to participate. Mail your gift to: Diocese of Metuchen, Bishop's Annual Appeal, PO Box 4000, Metuchen, NJ 08840-4000 or give online at www.diometuchen.org/BAA. We have currently reached a pledge total of \$117,145.75 of our \$120,000.00 goal. Thank you, as always, for your continued support.



Parish Gift Shop

Please note that the Parish Gift Shop is now open! The gift shop hours of operation are before and after the 8:00am, 10:00am and 12pm Mass on Sunday's each weekend.

Food Pantry Update

Because of your generosity and ongoing support of the St. James Food Pantry, in the first 9 months of 2021 we were able to help feed an average of 122 families per month made up of an average of 290 people per month. We gave out a total of 5,697 bags of food or average of 633 bags per month. Thank you.

Bus Trip

Join us for a bus trip to Wind Creek, PA on Monday, November 15th. The bus will be leaving the SJV parking lot at 10am and will return at 6:30pm. Cost is \$40 and get back \$35. For more information and to sign up please call Mary Lou at 732-710-3201.



Please note that the cry room is primarily for young children. Please be considerate of those with young children as they need access to the cry room during Masses.

Cub/Boy Scouts!

Cub Scout Pack 523, sponsored by Saint John Vianney School, is looking for new members as the Scouting year begins. The Pack is for boys in kindergarten through fifth grade. We participate in community service events, camping, the pinewood derby, raingutter regatta and several other fun activities that teach life skills. The vision of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare every eligible youth to become a responsible, participating citizen and leader who is guided by the Scout Oath and Law. Contact us via email with any questions at: NJPack523CommitteeChair@gmail.com or call Ed Barrett at: 732-207-4429.

Marriage Encounter Thanksgiving




In this season of Thanksgiving, why not celebrate your marriage and its many blessings by attending a Marriage Encounter Weekend? A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend gives you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication, and nourish the spirituality in your marriage.

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend will be held February 4th – 6th.

Please apply ASAP as space is limited. Phone 1-732-904-9636 for application and information (Tom & Ruth DeFalco).

Visit us at: www.wwme.org for more information.

ATTENTION ALL 8TH GRADERS!




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A THANKSGIVING BLESSING

by Rick W. Cotton

It's cold outside, but it's warm in my heart.
And the gray fall sky is His work of art.
Laden and low, quiet and still,
November is welcome, and my eyes
drink their fill

Of brown-gray grass and red-orange leaves,
Of pavement winding through the strong,
stately trees.
Down the hill, past the barn, past the
gate, up the lane,
The house with bright candles in each
window pane.

Now I step inside; oh, it's warm! Oh, that smell!
Hot turkey roasting, potatoes done well!
Sweet, spicy cider, and warm winter wine
Cranberry sauce - Oh! - the flavors - divine!

The smiles and hugs are so warm and sweet.
In this cold gray November, a Thanksgiving treat.
I do love it all and am so thankful; yes,
For this lovely season...I am truly blessed.

< KID'S > KORNER

Gospel Today

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time | Mark 13: 24-32

Jesus says we should always be on guard for His coming. Neither He nor the Angels know when, only God. Watch!

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JESUS WILL COME IN GREAT POWER & GLORY!

He tells us to...

Color in the letters below... this is what Jesus tells us to do.

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BIBLE WORD SEARCH

Find all the words... left, right, up, down or diagonally.

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| People | Earth |
| Guard | Heavens |
| Son | Learn |
| Man | Lesson |
| Clouds | Generation |
| Great | Words |
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| Glory | Hour |
| Father | Unknown |
| Send | Watch |
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