

St. John Vianney Church

420 Inman Avenue – Colonia, New Jersey 07067

(732)574-0150 – <https://parish.sjvianney.com>

Rectory Hours: Monday-Friday 9am-4pm



Fr. John J. Barbella, Pastor
Rev. John C. Gloss & Msgr. Edward M. O'Neill, Pastor Emeriti
Very Rev. Jay Toborowsky, V.G. in Residence
Fr. Greg Zannetti, Parochial Vicar
Deacons Joseph Ragucci, Thomas Michnewicz & Vincent Brigande
Katie Frame, Director of Religious Education
Nancy Tannucilli, Principal of St. John Vianney School
Jessica Hicks, Vice Principal of St. John Vianney School
Jamie Frame, Director of Sacred Music
Sr. Luciana D'Cruze MPF, Youth Minister
Parish Administrative Assistants, Maureen Lugo, Joe Noto
School Administrative Assistant, Sandy Gambotto
School Office Assistant, Laura Gruenling
Parish/School Bookkeeper, Karen Dudas
Maintenance Supervisor, Poncho Julius

Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday 7am – 8:30am
 Saturday 8am - 5pm
 Sunday 8am - 10am - 12pm
 Holy Days will be announced at the beginning of mass and in the bulletin.

Sacramental Schedule

Confessions: Saturdays 11am-12pm, 4:15-4:45pm
 Fridays from 7:30am - 8:20am; following Stations of the Cross during Lent.

Baptism: most Sundays at 1:30pm.

Babies should be Baptized as soon as possible. Please call the Parish office to make arrangements. We will be happy to help you schedule your baby's Baptism.

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

Marriage: Couples should call the Parish office as soon as possible to schedule a wedding. Our priests and deacons will help you through the preparation process.

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. At the request of our parishioners, we now have the New Catholic Bible for sale for \$20.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Aug. 2 nd	5:00 pm	Fr. John
Aug. 3 rd	8:00 am	Fr. Jay
	10:00 am	Fr. Greg
	12:00 pm	Fr. John

Upcoming Parish Events!

- St. Vincent de Paul Christmas in July
- Legion of Mary Day July 26th at Blue Army Shrine
- SAVE THE DATE- NJ March for Life -Thursday, Sept. 25, 2025...more info to follow
- September 20th – Pilgrimage to National Shrine of Immaculate Conception
- Golf Outing – October 6th
- Harvest Moon Dance – October 18th



The Sanctuary Light has been offered in Memory of Connie O'Donnell by Betty Griffin

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JULY 26, 2025 – *St. Joachim & St. Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

8:00 AM Intentions of John & Karen Lynch r/o Eileen Walsh

5:00 PM Noreen Gillespie's 100th Birthday and 10 Year Anniversary r/o Gillespie Family

SUNDAY, JULY 27, 2025

8:00 AM For the People

10:00 AM Peggy & Luke McGrath r/o Colleen McGrath

12:00 PM Annie Pannaccione r/o Noto Family

MONDAY, JULY 28, 2025

7:00 AM Harry Bernstein r/o Colonia Natural Pharmacy

8:30 AM Lawrence Kugelman r/o Daughter

TUESDAY, JULY 29, 2025 – *Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus*

7:00 AM Joseph Godfrey r/o Colonia Natural Pharmacy

8:30 AM Leonard F. McGinley r/o Seery & Paul Syers

WEDNESDAY, JULY 30, 2025

7:00 AM Teresita Guerrero r/o Nancy Lanza

8:30 AM Christopher Cannizzaro r/o Jennie Esposito

THURSDAY, JULY 31, 2025 – *St. Ignasius of Loyola*

7:00 AM Moises Guerrero r/o Nancy Lanza

8:30 AM Jose r/o Stephanie Fernandez

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1, 2025 – *St. Alphonsus Liguori*

7:00 AM Fr. Walter Radziwon

8:30 AM Conchita Hilvano r/o Viernes Family

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2, 2025

8:00 AM Purgatorial Society

5:00 PM Jozef Kazimiera r/o Granddaughter Ashley

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3, 2025

8:00 AM For the People

10:00 AM Geraldine Davis r/o Zadlock Family

12:00 PM Alex Marino r/o Sandra, Marisa Marino & Family



The Bread and Wine have been offered in Memory of Matthew & Genevieve Cyrana by Their Family and for Elizabeth Morris by Cliff & Agnes Bacsik

The Prayer Corner

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

A TIME TO BAPTIZE

TO WED

TO HEAL

Bethany Ciccarelli, Kathy Spreitzer, Richard Lee Bilon, Barbara Peron, Judy Innamorato, Amber Carey, Delores DiGangi, Debbie Littcholt, Michael Macaoay, Carmen Hurtado, Anne Shearman, Ramon Padilla, Patrick Feeney, Kevin Gillespie, Lois Tanzi, Teresa Benn, Margaret Shaughnessy, Eryk Zienkiewicz, Marge Morrison, Ben Leary, Brianne Skriloff, Tanner Browne, AnnMarie Nappi, Bernie & Amy Wisniewski, Alba Froat, Declan Hegarty, Ruth Kopec, Maria Villacreses, Barbara Monaco, Patricia LaBruto, Mary Virrazzi, Claire Jazikoff, Eileen O'Donnell Ammon, Alicia Deborgia, Frances Alenciewicz, Robert Kilsby, Stanley Koberski, Justin Chiera, Bruce Horning, Mariola Warzyniak, Msgr. O'Neill, Robert Jardines, Kathy Leary, Margaret Kerr, Maureen Horning, Trevor Horning, Bill Riley, Theresa Szablowski, Cody Brown, Harold Carney, Sue Zafian, Leslie Johnson, Rita Weissenburger, Alberta Clark, Heidi Egan, Carol Kolator, Macario & Linda Yap, Michelle Gargiulo, Maria Famiglietti, Connor Feeney, Doug Christie, John & Maryanne Delutis, Joshua & Amelia Ford, Marie Novak, Jo Ann West, Denise Stanislawczyk, Catherine Buettel, Rose Campanelli, Kyle Brown, Collin Sciahetano, Giovanni Caccamo, Mark & Victoria Sherry, Dominic & Michael Canavale, Rose Currie, Nina Laico, Tommy Birkner, Ronald Harvey, Artie Schapiro, Tina DellAquila, Robert Feeney, Debi Leiter, Jane Fitzgerald, Wayne Bartlett, Julia Skrya, Mary Chamiga, Brenda & Dolores Tourtellot, Mary Jantas, Kathleen Baumann, Giuliana DeAngelias, Dennis Costante, Gene Moore, Joel Leiter, Susan Sepedy, Aymee Iannacone, Jean Nych, Gregory Kolaranda, Johanna Esposito, Vincent Dellaquila, Joe Vitello, Arlon Roth, Edward O'Brien, June Laub, Nick Troiano, Carl Walker, Dan Weiss, Arthur Shipiro, Christine Camping, Catherine Donahue, Marie Negri, Christiano Bianco.

FOR THOSE WHO RECENTLY DIED

A TIME OF WAR & PEACE

S. Sgt. Keith D. Lee (Air National Guard), Major Brian McCartin (Army), 2nd Lieutenant Phillip G. Faccione Jr. (Marines), Bryan Alexander Perez (Army), Brandon Haynes (Army), Jared Endler (National Guard), LTJG Liam Keenan (Navy), Mas. Sgt. Michael Primavera (Air Force), 1LT Ryan Feeney (National Guard)

Readings for Next Weekend 8/2 and 8/3

Weekday readings can be found on the parish website.

Ezekiel 3:17-21 Resp.

Psalms 117:1-2

1 Peter 5:1-4

Matthew 9:35-10:1

JULY 27, 2025

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you."

LUKE 11:9

Jesus assures us that if we ask, God will take care of what we need. The problem is that our culture often confuses what we really need with what we simply want. The truth is that many of us need very little. However, we usually want so much more! Stewardship is simply being grateful for all that we are and all that we have been given, and generously sharing all of our God-given gifts with others. Gratitude and generosity are gifts that open doors to new relationships with others and with God.

Eucharistic Adoration at St. John Vianney

We are looking for people to commit to spending a scheduled hour a week in the Blessed Sacrament at Adoration. Come adore the Lord for one hour or more in Eucharistic Adoration. The Blessed Sacrament will be on the altar of St. John Vianney Church each Saturday from 8:30am – 9:30am. We must have at least two people present during each hour as the Most Blessed Sacrament may not be left alone while exposed. Please prayerfully consider giving Jesus an hour of your week in Adoration. If you are interested, please call Jo Ann Worosila at 908-420-5083 or Joanne Streck at 732-382-4147.

Organization	Contact	Phone/Email
Altar Rosary Society	Jane Bianco	732-382-1512
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	Anna Zielski	732-325-7779
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St. Vincent de Paul	Jim Leathem	732-388-5512
Track	Amanda Miller	732-549-2356
Ushers	Ray Morgan	908-380-4263
Youth Minister	Sr. Luciana D'Cruze	srluciana@sjvs.net

OFFERTORY JULY 20, 2025

Collection: \$10,541.25
 Online giving: 4,576.00
\$15,117.25

WIND CREEK BUS TRIP

Join us for a bus trip to Wind Creek, PA on Monday, August 18th. The bus will be leaving SJV parking lot at 10 am and will return at 6:30 pm. Cost is \$45 and get back \$35. For more information and to sign up please call Mary Lou at 732-710-3201



Please join the St. Vincent de Paul Society as we celebrate Christmas during the month of July!

Please show your spirit of Christmas and help us help the local food banks with the gift of food this summer.

Feel free to take a bag with a suggested list attached!

However, any and all contributions are welcome :)

Please leave items in the bins provided- May God Bless you for your generosity!

Start-A-Heart Fund Drive Update

There is great news to share. Because of the generosity of the Parish Community of St. John Vianney the AED's have been ordered. Hopefully the new AEDs will arrive in a few weeks. More money is still needed to train parishioners in the use of the AEDs. When training is available a notice will go out to look for people willing to be trained in CPR and the use of the AEDs. Hopefully there will be at least one trained CPR/AED person at every mass. Pay attention for future updates.

A need was identified to have an AED readily available anywhere on the church property. An AED is an important component in prehospital emergency care. Hopefully they are never needed but they will be available if the need arrives.

Thank you for your generosity.



St. John Vianney School News

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

Learning today . . . Leading tomorrow

Did you know:

Our parish school is accredited by the nationally recognized Advanced – Ed School System Accreditation. This agency conducts rigorous, on site and external reviews of Pre – K – 12 school systems to ensure academic growth.

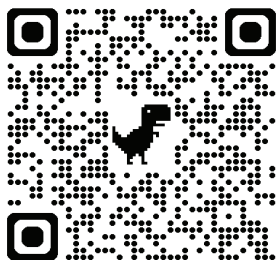
Catholic Schools in our diocese have a 99% graduation rate, and more than 85% of our students go on to college.

Catholic schools instill a strong sense of social responsibility in their students. Studies show that graduates of Catholic Schools are more likely to vote when they are adults!

St. John Vianney School, where God's Loving Light shines through Us and our Actions.

CCD NEWS

Please scan the QR code or visit <https://parish.sjvianney.com/catechetical-calendar> for the latest St. John Vianney Religious Education information!



Rachel's Vineyard: A Place of Healing and Hope

The Lord forgave you through the Sacrament of Reconciliation. He holds you in His merciful heart and wills you to know that you are forgiven and infinitely loved. Rachel's Vineyard provides help in healing from past abortions, or involvement in the abortion decision, giving you a deeper understanding of forgiveness and facilitating relief from the shame you have been carrying.



The Pro-Life Corner

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

Unplanned Pregnancy?

Find help at this local center:

Life Choices Resource Center, Metuchen, NJ
Phone: 732-516-0911

Or go to optionline.org (Pregnancy help online) to search for a pregnancy center near you.

Please refer to this link from the Diocese of Metuchen for other

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Pastor's Column: July 26 – July 27, 2025

This week we are pleased to welcome Fr. Gregory Ramon-Gaston to our parish. He is here to make the annual Mission Co-op Appeal. As mentioned in previous bulletins, Fr. Gregory is the Rector – or priest in charge – of the Filipino Seminary in Rome. As such he is responsible for training priests to serve in the Philippines. I'm sure he will explain his mission in his talks at Mass.

Remember that the Mission Co-op Appeal is different from World Mission Sunday. World Mission Sunday happens in October and supports the missionary efforts of the universal Church. The Mission Co-op Appeal, which will happen in our parish this week, supports a specific missionary effort. A speaker, usually a missionary connected with that mission, visits the parish and speaks about that mission.

Our parish has a history of generously supporting the missions. Thanks for that, and thanks in advance for supporting this one and for making Fr. Gregory welcome in our parish.

Next Sunday, August 4th, is the Feast of St. John Vianney. Since he is our patron saint, his feast is a solemnity in our parish. This means that the prayers and reading for Holy Mass next Saturday evening and Sunday will be different from those in the missalette. To help you participate in Mass those days, we will print a 'worship aid' – a little folded paper with the proper readings for that day.

We will also have the relic of St. John Vianney on a table near the Altar – along with a statue of him. I will ask the priests to bless the assembly after each Mass with the relic. People may also venerate St. John's relics after each Mass next week.

Our parish is truly blessed to have Saint John Vianney as her patron saint. Many people think a patron saint is simply one for whom our parish is named. But being a patron saint entails much more than that.

As our patron saint, Saint John Vianney takes on special responsibility for our parish and her members. He prays for us individually – and for our parish collectively – before God's throne in Heaven. Because we have been placed under his patronage, St. John Vianney takes a special interest in helping us follow Jesus and get to Heaven one day.

In addition to his prayers for us, Saint John Vianney also helps us by his example. Indeed, we do well to follow the example of this saintly priest in our own lives. While I will give you a more detailed biography of him in my column next week, I will give you a few ways to follow his example now.

The first is to pray. St. John Vianney spent hours in prayer each day. While that may be impractical for some of you with work and family, you do well to make sure to pray each day. I would suggest that, at the very least, do your best to pray the Rosary every day.

The second is to be devoted to the Mass and the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. Pay attention while at Mass. Follow the readings and prayers. Sing the chants and songs. Most of all, enter prayerfully into every Mass you attend.

The third is to be good to the poor. Saint John Vianney was extremely good to the poor – to the point where he had just about nothing for himself. While you certainly need to be prudent about your needs and those of your family, bringing food for the pantry and supporting the many things our parish does for the poor – as many of you do – is a good way to follow his example.

Please remember to keep me in your prayers, at least one Hail Mary a day. God is so good in hearing our prayers and pouring His blessings upon us in answer to our prayers for each other. Let's also pray for Fr. Gregory and all the missionaries around the world. Be assured of my constant prayers for each of you, and for our parish.

Have a great week!
Fr. John

P.S. The Scripture citations for the readings for next Sunday's celebration of the Feast of St. John Vianney are printed elsewhere in this bulletin.



Dear Parish Family and Beloved Parents of Our Youth Group,

This week, I've been sitting with the words of Jesus in Luke 11, where He teaches the Lord's Prayer. What strikes me most isn't just the prayer itself, but the way Jesus invites us to come to God like children — honestly, persistently, and without fear. It reminds me that prayer isn't about getting the words right; it's about relationship. It's about turning to our Father with whatever we're carrying, trusting that He hears us and that He cares deeply.

To our young people: I want you to know that prayer isn't something you have to figure out or perfect. It's just talking to God — even when you don't know what to say. Some of the most powerful prayers are the simplest ones: "God, I'm tired," "Help me," or even just sitting in silence with Him. You don't have to have it all together. Just show up. God sees you. Keep showing up. Keep knocking. He's not annoyed — He's waiting with love and open arms.

To our parish community: I believe with all my heart that our young people need to see us living out this kind of prayerful trust. They need to know they belong to a church family that supports them, listens to them, and walks beside them in faith. Let's be a people who pray with courage, who believe that God is good even when the answers come slowly, and who help the next generation discover just how close and kind our Father truly is.

With prayers and gratitude for each of you,

Sr. Luciana D'Cruze, M.P.F.
Youth Minister
Email: srluciana@sjvs.net
Phone: 732-574-0150

HAPPY SUMMER!

SJV Youth Soccer Team

SJV is looking to bring back our soccer club starting in the Fall of 2025. The teams will be a supplemental to any travel or rec soccer teams you may already play on. This will be open to all skill levels, even beginners! Please contact SJV Athletics with any questions at sjvathletics@sjvs.net or text Dana Macaluso at 347-752-2455.

Mass for the Purgatorial Society will be held August 2nd at 8:00 AM **The following are new Members of the Purgatorial Society:**

Adeline Leeming r/o Colonia Natural Pharmacy

Anthony Virazzi r/o Mary Virazzi and Family

Joan Colucci r/o Colonia Natural Pharmacy

Edward Kehler r/o Colonia Natural Pharmacy

Anne Coppa r/o Richard & Nancy Gardner

Tom & Teresa McGovern r/o Richard & Nancy Gardner


"NO HALF SAINTS" PODCAST

Jay Donofrio, our diocesan Director of Youth and Young Adults, is announcing the launch of "**No Half Saints**", a **podcast** to spread insightful awareness into the youth and young adult culture here within the Diocese. The mission of the podcast is to bring souls to Jesus Christ, show a view into the conversations and world of youth & young adult ministry, and to attract young adults into the world of youth ministry. Guests will include Youth ministers, young adult leaders, priests, sisters, consecrated religious, musicians, seminarians, ministry leaders, Diocesan staff, and young adults themselves. In anticipation of the release of the first episode (soon), feel free to subscribe (and advertise to your parish) to the *No Half Saints* YouTube channel at <https://www.youtube.com/@NoHalfSaints>


NJ BISHOPS'
Mass for Life

Thursday, September 25, 2025 • 9:30 a.m.


Cathedral of St. Mary
of the Assumption
151 N. Warren Street, Trenton



CELEBRANT
Cardinal Joseph W.
Tobin, C.Ss.R., D.D.,
Archdiocese of Newark










HOMILIST
Bishop Kevin J.
Sweeney, D.D.,
Diocese of Paterson



NEW JERSEY MARCH FOR LIFE *The NJ Rally & March for Life will begin at 11 am at the Statehouse Annex, a short walk from the Cathedral

For bus trip information, scan:

For full information, visit: dioceseoftrenton.org/nj-march-for-life

The Prophets Part 1



This Adult Enrichment Course will introduce attendees to the prophetic books of the Old Testament by reading, examining and contemplating the words and deeds of the prophets of Israel. The goal is to familiarize attendees with the prophetic corpus of the Bible using the historico-critical method of exegesis. This presupposes that the interpretation of Scripture will be, at times, literal, allegorical or analogical.



This course will be taught by

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*Coordinator of On-Going
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Sept 4 Introduction
Sept 11 Amos
Sept 18 Hosea
Sept 25 Micah
Oct 2 Isaiah 1-39
Oct 9 Zephaniah
Oct 16 Nahum
Oct 23 Jeremiah
Oct 30 Jeremiaiah
Nov 6 Habakkuk
Nov 13 Ezekiel
Nov 20 Ezekiel
Dec 4 Isaiah 40-55
Dec 11 Haggai

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Thursdays
September 4 – December 11, 2025
10:30 AM – 11:30 PM

\$20 Per Person For All 14 Classes
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For questions
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REQUIRED TEXT:

Any Bible which contains the works of the Former (Historical) and Latter (Book) Prophets such as the *New American Bible* or the *Revised Standard Version*. If needed the *New American Bible* may be purchased for \$10 during online registration.

**2nd Annual Mass for
the Italian Apostolate
of the Archdiocese of
Newark**

SATURDAY OCTOBER 4, 2025 AT 5:00PM
CARDINAL JOSEPH W. TOBIN,
C.SS.R., D.D. ARCHBISHOP OF
NEWARK CELEBRANT

89 RIDGE STREET
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The Prophets Part 2



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January 15 Zechariah
January 22 Isaiah 56-66
January 29 Obadiah
February 5 Malachi
February 12 Joel
February 19 Jonah
February 26 Daniel
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March 19 Daniel

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CAPITAL CAMPAIGN CORNER

"FAITH IN OUR FUTURE: TOGETHER WE THRIVE"

We thank all families who have made a gift or pledge toward our campaign. We are also grateful to those who have kept this effort in prayers. Please continue to pray for the success of our campaign:

God, our refuge and our strength, be with us in our labors, for we remember "if the Lord does not build this house, in vain do its builders labor." (Ps. 127:1)

Assist the Community of St. John Vianney to improve our campus facilities, to ensure that we continue to build upon this foundation that has been given to us. Bless, O Lord, the work of our hands and grant that we may be successful in achieving our goals, as we place our hope in you. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Over the next few weeks, we invite all parish families who have not had the chance to support the campaign to please make a gift. Please contact the parish office for more information.

TOTAL PLEDGED: \$806,290.00

COLLECTED SO FAR: \$353,283.34

Diocesan Jubilee Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception in Washington DC

With Bishop James Checchio

Saturday, September 20, 2025

Departure at 7:00 AM from St. John Vianney parking lot.

Return approximately 8:00 PM.

Mass will be celebrated – Confession will be available

Call the Rectory (732.574.0150) to sign up. Seats are limited.

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Rev. Gregory Ramon Gaston to speak at all masses this weekend.

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Gospel Today

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time / Luke 11:1-13

Today's gospel introduces the Our Father, also known as the **Lord's (24d) Prayer (5d)**. We learn **further (32d) teachings (19d)** about prayer, including how to **pray (21a)** with **your (12a) heart (39a)** and mind **open (10a)**, and with **persistence (40a)**. Jesus says to **ask (37a)**, **seek (29a)** and **knock (30d)** to receive answers to prayer and forgiveness of **sin (31d)**.

Year C

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Pray... and the door will be
opened (16d) to you. *Luke 11:9*



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Using your knowledge of this powerful prayer, complete the puzzle with the missing words, using the numbers to find the correct spaces.

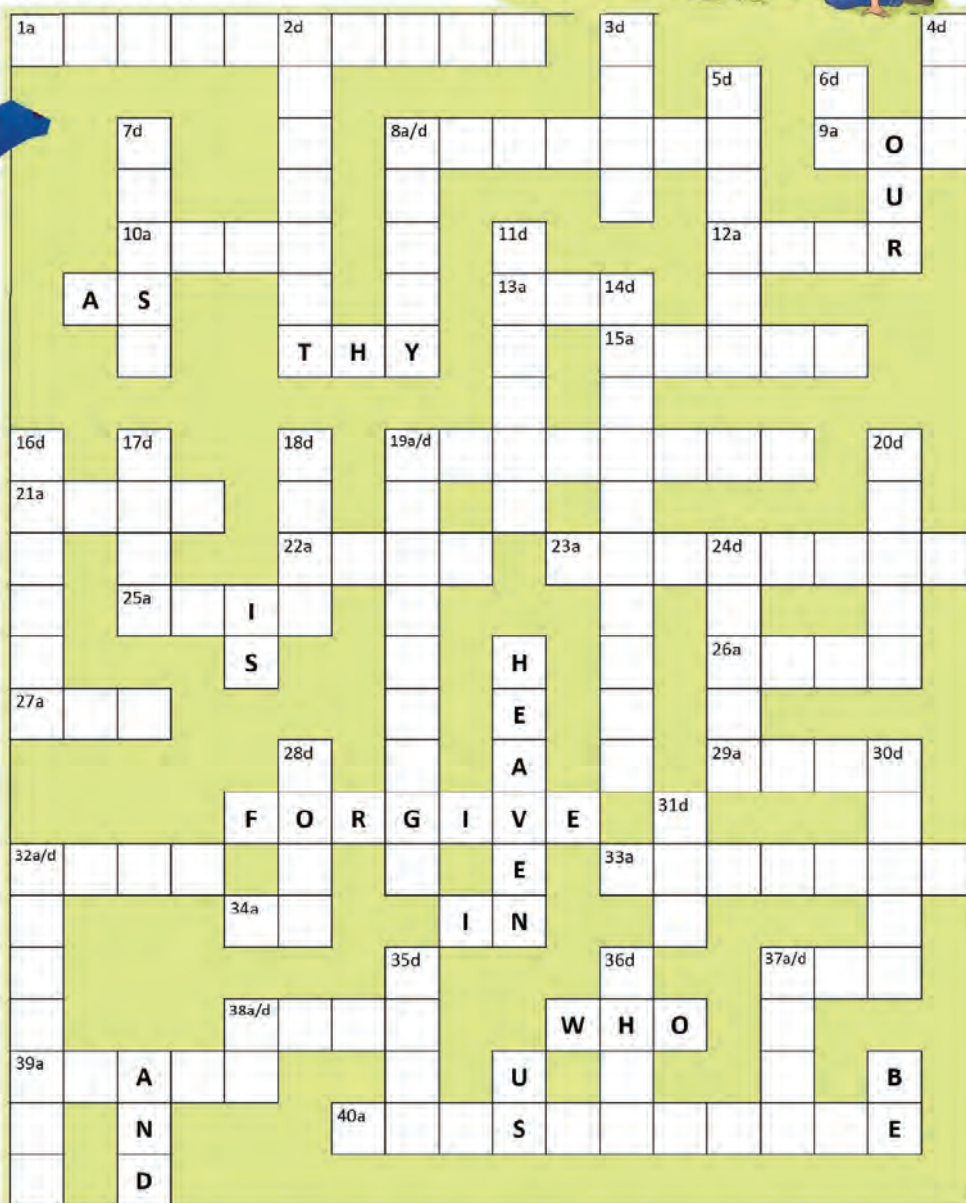
a = across / d = down

Note: Start with the bold underlined words at the top of the page. Finish with the missing words from The Lord's Prayer.

Our **11d** who **13a** in heaven **23a** be thy **17d**. Thy **33a 28d**, thy **18d** be **35d 6d 15a** as **38d** is in heaven. **3d** us **36d 27a** our **8d 20d** and forgive us our **1a** as **34a** forgive **7d** who **19a 2d** us. And **22a** us **9a 38a 14d 4d** **8a** us **32a 25a. 37d**.

26a is "door" spelled backward, do you know this word?

It means cross or crucifix.



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