KRONY'S PIZZA ETC.

$1.00 Off
On Any Large Pizza To Parish Members

KRONY'S PIZZA etc.

OPEN FOR LUNCH
Mon—Sat 10am – 10pm
Sun 11am - 10pm
2139 North Union St.
352-1199

Please cut out this "THANK YOU"
and present it the next time you patronize one of our Advertisers.
THANK YOU!
for advertising in our St. John the Evangelist Church bulletin,

1227 Ridgeway Ave Suite L
Rochester NY 14615
neverwetbasements@gmail.com
585-281-8009 ask for Neal or Michelle
NEVER Wet
Basement waterproofing

OGDEN AUTOMOTIVE, INC.
FRIENDLY, HONEST & REASONABLE
GIUSEPPE "JOE" VITO
2438 UNION STREET
SPENCERPORT, NY 14559
585-349-1333
ALL MAJOR & MINOR REPAIRS
OGDEN AUTOMOTIVE INC.

SPENCERPORT Federal Credit Union
2775 Spencerport Rd.
www.spnfcu.org
Spencerport, NY 14559 585-352-6890
Your Community Credit Union

Foreign & Domestic Parts
GALAXIE AUTO VALUE
AUTO PARTS
10% off ANY PURCHASE over $20.00
4974 Ridge Road West (585)352-0996
Spencerport, NY 14559 "All Your Auto Parts Needs"

HI-QUAL
Heating and Cooling, Inc.
Sales • Service & Installation
14 Amity St
P.O. Box 328
Spencerport, NY 14559
585-352-8330
Fax: 585-352-0069
hiqualheating@frontiernet.net • www.hiqualheatingandcooling.com
"Quality Is More Than Just A Word To Us, It's In Our Name"

Michael Jackel
OPTIONS REALTY Real Estate Broker/Owner
"NOW you have Real estate Options" (585) 208-4225
Buyers: Up to $1,000 in closing costs/rebates ($250 guaranteed)
Sellers: Commission Advantage
www.Options-Realty.com
131 South Union St., Ste E4, Spencerport

SPX FEDERAL CREDIT UNION
Share Certificate Special
1.11% APY 8 Months
1.51% APY 18 Months*
2998 Chili Ave, Rochester 14624
585-247-0724
Membership eligibility required
APY=Annual Percentage Yield. *Rate Money Only
NCUA

"Live a Little" Coach Tony's GOURMET BEEF HOT SAUCE
www.cthotsauce.com
It's a Hit Everytime!
5 Union Pointe
Rochester, NY 14624
TONY PERRY
President
585-729-8281 Cell
585-494-0070 Fx./Ph.
coachtony@frontiernet.net

Your Ad Here
reaches over 550 families in our parish and beyond.
If you are interested in placing an ad in our bulletin, please call the parish office at 352-5481.

Mangia Mangia
RESTAURANT & CATERING
500 S. Union St., Spencerport • 352-7782 Tuesday-Sunday 7am-9pm Mangia-Food.com
Serving • Breakfast • Lunch • Dinner

fg FeltnerGroup
A Legacy of Insurance. Moving Forward.
"Complete Insurance & Financial Services"
191 S Union St. Spencerport, NY 14559
Phone: 585.352.1234 **Fax**: 585.352.1660
www.thefeltnergroup.com

Recycle with our Teen fundraising partner!
2139 N. Union St.
Barefoot Landing Plaza
M-F 11am-6pm and Sat 10am-3pm.
Five & Fast

VENDI EXCAVATING INC.
Septic Tank Pumping
Maintenance, Installation, Repair
$25 OFF
Your next residential Septic Tank Pumping
247-8210
vendiexcavating.com

GATTI PLUMBING
- **24 Hour Service**
- **Complete Plumbing Service**
- **Free Estimates**
- **Sr. Citizen Discount**

441-A Elmgrove Road
Rochester, NY 14606
[tel] 585.426.5068
[fax] 585.429.7307
www.gattiplumbing.com

Westside Eyecare Associates
& Fashion Optical
Dr. David D'Amico - Optometrist &
David DeBellis - Optician
Westside Eyecare Associates &
Westside Fashion Optical
3225 Chili Ave, Rochester, NY 14624
(585)571-9034
Call to schedule an eye exam and stop in to see our new collection of the latest fashions in Eyewear.
Complete Eye Exams—Contact Lenses
Fashion Eyewear—Sports Eyewear
Safety Eyewear
We accept most insurance plans.
30% Discount on eyewear for parishioners.
We accept most insurance plans

Have you found your niche? Call Dave Hodder, 352-4462 for information about the Columbarium at St. John's Cemetery.

WEDGEWOOD NURSING FACILITY
A Hurlbut™ Care Community
- **24-Hour Skilled Nursing**
- **Short term rehabilitation with Physical, Speech & Occupational therapies**
- **Cable, WIFI & phone included**

5 Church Street
Spencerport, New York 14559
P: 585-352-4810
Fax: 585-352-1032
www.HurlbutCare.com
Copyright © 2012 ROHM Services Corporation. All Rights Reserved.
Let our family care for yours

Howard Hanna Real Estate Services
William "Bill" Parkhurst
Licensed Associate Real Estate Broker, SFR
Karpenko · Parkhurst Team
C: 585.704.7147 | O: 585.380.4079
williamparkhurst@howardhanna.com
Contact your Spencerport/ Ogden Howard Hanna Agent!

DO you know of anyone who would benefit from having their ad in our bulletin?
Please call the parish office at 352-5481, with your suggestions.

Jan M Parisi
Agent President
Jan Parisi Agency Inc.
Nationwide Insurance
Nationwide is on your side
Tel 585-349-3592
Fax 585-338-2211
Tel 800-553-4312
parisij1@nationwide.com
24 West Avenue Suite 302
Spencerport, NY 14559
Nationwide One Nation Plaza, Columbus, OH 43215-2220 Nationwide.com
24-Hour Claims: 800-421-3535 Products underwritten by Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company and Affiliated Companies. Life insurance issued by Nationwide Life Insurance Company.

St. John The Evangelist Church

55 Martha St.
Spencerport, NY 14559
585-352-5481
Email: sstjohnc@dor.org
www.stjohnschurchspencerport.org

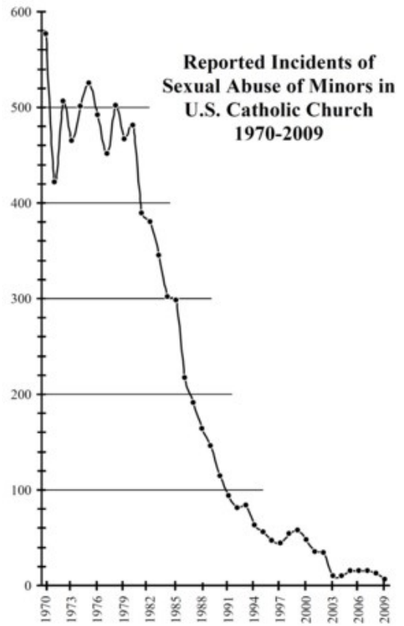
Hours: Monday - Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Closed on Fridays

The Rev. Peter B. Mottola - fr.peter.mottola@dor.org
Deacon Tom Uschold - Parish Deacon
Deacon Craig Stratton - Senior Deacon
Ralph Preish - Finance Director **-** ralph.preish@dor.org
Kathy Cammilleri - Parish Secretary
Barbara Lake - Pastoral Associate for Youth & Spec. Projects
Julie Bailey - Coordinator of Religious Education
Ivan Bosnar - Organist, Music Coordinator
Mike Burke - Maintenance Coordinator

October 21, 2018 The Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Ongoing Response to a Scandal

Earlier this month, I attended the annual convention of the Canon Law Society of America. Normally the content of the talks would not be of general interest, but this year, the ongoing scandal was on everyone's mind, so I thought I might share some things that I heard, which I hope will be an encouragement to you. Since the revelations of the Pennsylvania Grand Jury report detailing atrocities committed over decades and their cover-up, many other states have made interventions to review internal Church records. Here in New York, the eight dioceses of our state were subpoenaed, that is, ordered to hand over relevant records to the state Attorney General. Elsewhere in the country, the intervention has been less friendly. Friends from Michigan shared stories of the raids on diocesan offices: law enforcement officers showed up with a warrant, and asked the bishops of the state to immediately turn over every record in their possession that might be relevant to an investigation.



Thankfully, the serious investigation of past sins is something that is being pursued not only by civil authorities, but also by many who work for the Church, some of whom shared their experience at this canon law conference. One aspect on which the various presenters agreed was that the reforms put in place after 2002 have been extremely effective: the Catholic Church in the United States has pioneered Safe Environment practices which have come to serve as models for other organizations who wish to keep young children safe. Everyone who volunteers at St. John's knows that anyone who works with children or vulnerable adults must complete training and a background check every three years in order to work in any such capacity.

But, although we have made great progress in preventing and responding to the abuse of children, there is much work to be done in related areas of the Church's moral life. Over the course of the conference, several talks focused on our ongoing response to the increasing public availability of the many individual stories of those who were abused by priests and bishops.

A laywoman from Minnesota exhorted us to keep our eyes open for "unworthy values." To her, this would include unnecessary secrecy, or maybe better, unhelpful secrecy that has kept abhorrent behavior of clerics hidden even at the price of not addressing their failure to live out the promise of celibacy made at the time of ordination. We were exhorted to remember that "any attitude that covers up the truth is our enemy."

The bishop of Portland in Maine held an open forum seeking consultation about the hierarchical (i.e., related to bishops) aspect of the recent scandals. One priest made an intervention from the floor expressing his opinion that the only inadequacy with the Church's law is its 'being treated as if bishops don't actually have to follow it.' Another intervention exhorted the bishops to issue a "forceful statement" at their November meeting concerning their negligence. A layman from North Dakota asked that laypeople be able to serve as judges in church trials of clergy (since the year 1172, only priests have been able to serve in this role).

Finally, a permanent deacon from Iowa, upon receiving the society's lifetime achievement award, gave an impassioned speech calling for the radical pursuit of holiness by each and every canonist. It was a really wonderful address that reminded us all that only the love and power of Jesus Christ are able to overcome the problem of sin, no matter how good our policies and procedures become. It was a fitting conclusion to the week's reflections.

I hope that you are encouraged, as I have been, to see how seriously these issues are being taken by many who work in the Church … even to the point of confronting bishops about them!

God Bless,
Fr. Peter

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Church!
If you would like information on Registering at our parish please call the office at (585) 352-5481.

Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 7:45, 9:30 & 11:15 am

Weekday Masses & Holy Day Masses: See Bulletin

Confession: Sat. 3:45 to 4:30, Wed. 5:45-6:15 pm or by appointment.

Baptisms: We look forward to the Baptism of your child. Please call the Parish office to make arrangements.

Sacrament of Marriage: Couples are to meet with the parish deacon at least six months in advance. Pre-Cana attendance is required. Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

Mass Schedule - Week of October 22, 2018

MONDAY — ***St. John Paul II***
8:00am — Michael R. Kram-Lea Richards

TUESDAY — ***St. John Capistrano***
8:00am — Dan Mosher-Dave & Sue Miller
1:00 – 3:00pm — Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

WEDNESDAY — ***St. Anthony Mary Claret***
6:30pm — Osvaldo Perez Canto-Pedro & Candy Diaz

THURSDAY
8:00am — Deceased Members of the Barcomb Family
6:30-8:30pm — Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

FRIDAY — **St. Evaristus**
8:00am — Traditional Latin Mass–In Reparation for the Heinous Sins of Bishops & Priests

SATURDAY
5:00pm — Nelson Almeter-Ann Mazza

SUNDAY — **Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Readings: **Jer 31:7-9, Heb 5:1-6, Mk 10:46-52**
7:45am — Don Mosher-Mary Eichas Gavigan
9:30am — People of St. John's
11:15am — James J. Leby Jr.-Owen, Michelle & Karen Galland & Family

Memorials: This week our sanctuary lamp will burn for Bobbi McCaffery

Requested by: Sal & Pat Cammarata

REMEMBRANCE PRAYER SERVICE
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH AT 2:30 PM

Please note time change to 2:30.
Last weeks bulletin listed the wrong time.

Please join us for our annual Remembrance Prayer Service in honor of our loved ones who have died this year. Names of the deceased will be read and a candle lit in their memory. Anyone may submit their loved one's name and bring a picture for display.
To submit a name or if you are unable to attend and would like a candle lit in memory of your loved one, please call the Parish office at 352-5481 with their name or send a note by e-mail to sstjohnc@dor.org by Thursday, October 25th .

The traditional **Blessing of the Graves** will take place at St. John's Cemetery following the Remembrance Prayer Service. Come join us as Fr. Peter leads us in a short prayer followed by the blessing of individual graves.

Wedding Congratulations to:

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Jackson (Amelia Zaengle)

GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING

Last Week's Collection:…..…..…..……...$7,042.00
Weekly amount needed for budget:...……$8,671.00
Year To Date Collection:…...……...$128,175.66
Year To Date Needed for budget:.……...$138,736.00

October 27/28 Ministry Schedule

5:00 p.m.	7:45 a.m.	9:30 a.m.	11:15 a.m.
Sacristans			
Magin	Tyler Eichas	Taylor	Morganti
Altar Servers (Captains in bold)			
M. Shaw	**D. Eichas**	**J. Gatti-Ezard**	**A. Ferguson**
E. Shaw	M. Zajia	J. Latronica	G. Romano
J. Shaw	M. Eichas	J. Ludlow	E. Stanes
	M. Eichas		T. Walker
Lectors			
Mazza	Flanagan	Taylor	Moyce
	Eichas		

PARISH CALENDAR

Tuesday, October 23		
11:00	Contemplative Prayer Gr	PC Library
7:00	Boy Scouts Troop 165	Scout Rm/Gym
Wednesday, October 24		
9:30	Quilting	PC Dining Rm
7:00	Peace Faith Sharing	PC Dining Rm
7:15	Finance Council	PC Upstairs
Thursday, October 25		
6:00	**Discovering Christ**	School Rm. A
6:30	Cub Scouts Pack 165	Scout Rm.
Friday, October 26		
7:00	Teen Center Open House	PC Basement
Saturday, October 27		
8:00	Cursillo Men's Gr.	PC Dining Rm
9:00	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd	School Atrium
Sunday, October 28		
12:30	GIFT-Fall Fest	All School

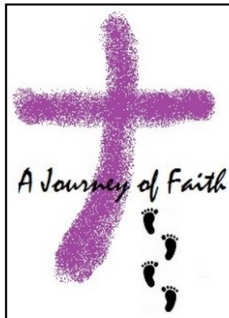
PC = Parish Center

Eucharistic Adoration

There will be Eucharistic Adoration and time for prayer during our Christlife program on Thursday, October 25th, November 1st and November 15th from 6:30pm-8:30pm. Please plan to come spend time with Jesus and pray for the success of our Christlife program.

Discovering Christ Continues

this week with 54 people participating! Please keep them in your prayers for the next 4 weeks as they take their journey.



RCIA

Have you ever wondered about the Catholic Church and the process to become a fully initiated Catholic? These are the stages of instruction to learn about our beautiful Catholic Faith! If you are interested in learning more, please contact Mary Lou Rosien, our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)Coordinator for St. John's, Spencerport and St. Leo's, Hilton at mrosien@me.com.

Period of Inquiry: Now-Nov10th Intake interviews, by appointment. Asking questions, but not necessarily committing to the process, a period of looking into RCIA.

Period of PreCatechumenate November 12th- December 31st. Beginning catechesis (learning the basic teachings about living the Christian life.) *RCIA classes Mondays 6pm-8pm*

Period of Catechumenate Jan 7th- April 7th
Learning the Sacraments of the Church and digging deeper into the faith.

Holy Week April 14th- 20th (Initiation at the ***Easter Vigil Mass on Saturday, April 20th***)
The final period of preparation and purification before entering the Catholic Church.

Period of Mystagogy: Following Easter Vigil
Support in the ongoing faith journey of living as a Catholic Christian.

Killing the Pain, Not the Patient: Palliative Care vs. Assisted Suicide

Read the full version at usccb.org/killing-the-pain.

Assisted suicide is in the news and on lawmakers' agendas. Supporters call it "aid in dying" & claim it's just another option for end-of-life care. But it's radically different from the practice of palliative care, the healing art of relieving pain and other distressing symptoms for patients who are seriously ill.

Palliative care intends to comfort a patient, addressing physical, psychological, emotional, and spiritual needs. Assisted suicide, by contrast, directly intends the patient's death. It ignores any underlying problems, and instead abandons and eliminates the patient who has the problems.

Did You Know?
Medical organizations like the American Medical Association oppose assisted suicide.

As a society and as individuals, we must dedicate ourselves to providing genuinely compassionate care that protects God's gift of life.

This is a summary of a USCCB Respect Life Program article by the same name and is reprinted with permission. © 2018, USCCB, Washington, D.C. All rights reserved.

Poor Box Collections for October will go to the Spencerport Human Needs Fund. Envelopes for the Poor Box can be found at the main entrance of church.

The Spencerport Ecumenical Food Cupboard is in need of the following items: Canned Pasta, Cake Mix, Macaroni & Cheese, Crackers & Hamburger Helper.

G.I.F.T. FAMILY FUN DAY
Sunday, October 28th, 2018
12:30-3:00pm in the School
*Kid-friendly costumes welcome!

During this fun, interactive fall festival, GIFT families will explore …..the Lives of various Saints. As you visit each class room you will meet and learn about the many Saints of the Catholic church!

Volunteer Opportunity: Teenagers, Parents, Grandparents, Young Adults & Old Adults if you would be interested in dressing up as your Favorite Saint and coming to our Family Fun Day we would love to have you come and participate. Please call the office or e-mail Julie Bailey at Julie.bailey@dor.org.

TEEN CENTER OPEN HOUSE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26TH AT 7:00PM!

Don't Forget…This coming Friday is our monthly Teen Night from 7 to 9pm in the Teen Center (basement) where we will celebrate fall. Come grab a slice of pizza, play some games and just hang out! Bring a friend, they don't have to be Catholic to join us! Look for the new edition of the Fall Youth Ministry newsletter on the web and at the doors of the Church. Questions…Call Barbara Lake 352-5481.

GIVING WARMTH FROM HEAD TO TOE

Social Ministry is collecting socks, scarves, mittens and gloves for children and adults as colder days approach. They will be donated to refugees at Mary's Place, migrant workers at Martin Farms, families at House of Mercy and men at St. Joseph's House of Hospitality.
Next Sunday, October 28th we will be wrapping up our collection. Please make sure to bring your donations and leave them in the collection baskets at the entrances of church.

HANDS OF CHRIST NOMINATIONS

Please share the good news of what your high school senior is doing or participated in over the years as we are reviewing criteria for nominations. All nominations are submitted through the parish office (not from parents or ministry leaders).
Please submit information to Barbara Lake, as she is coordinating this effort for our parish teens. ALL nominations are due **by November 15th**. Email: Barbara.lake@dor.org

Save The Date - The March for Life 2019

Can you believe it – **it's 3 months until the 2019 March for Life!**
Will you join us? On January 18, 2019 we will gather in Washington, D.C., our nation's capital, to speak out against the greatest injustice of our time, abortion.
St. John's will join Mother of Sorrows again this year in renting a bus for transportation to and from Washington, DC.
The cost will be Adults $60 and Youth $30.
Mark Your Calendar ...All trip details and how to register will be posted soon!

For Upcoming Events & Parish Registration
Visit St. John's Website:
www.stjohnschurchspencerport.org
Our Parish Calendar Is Now Posted!