



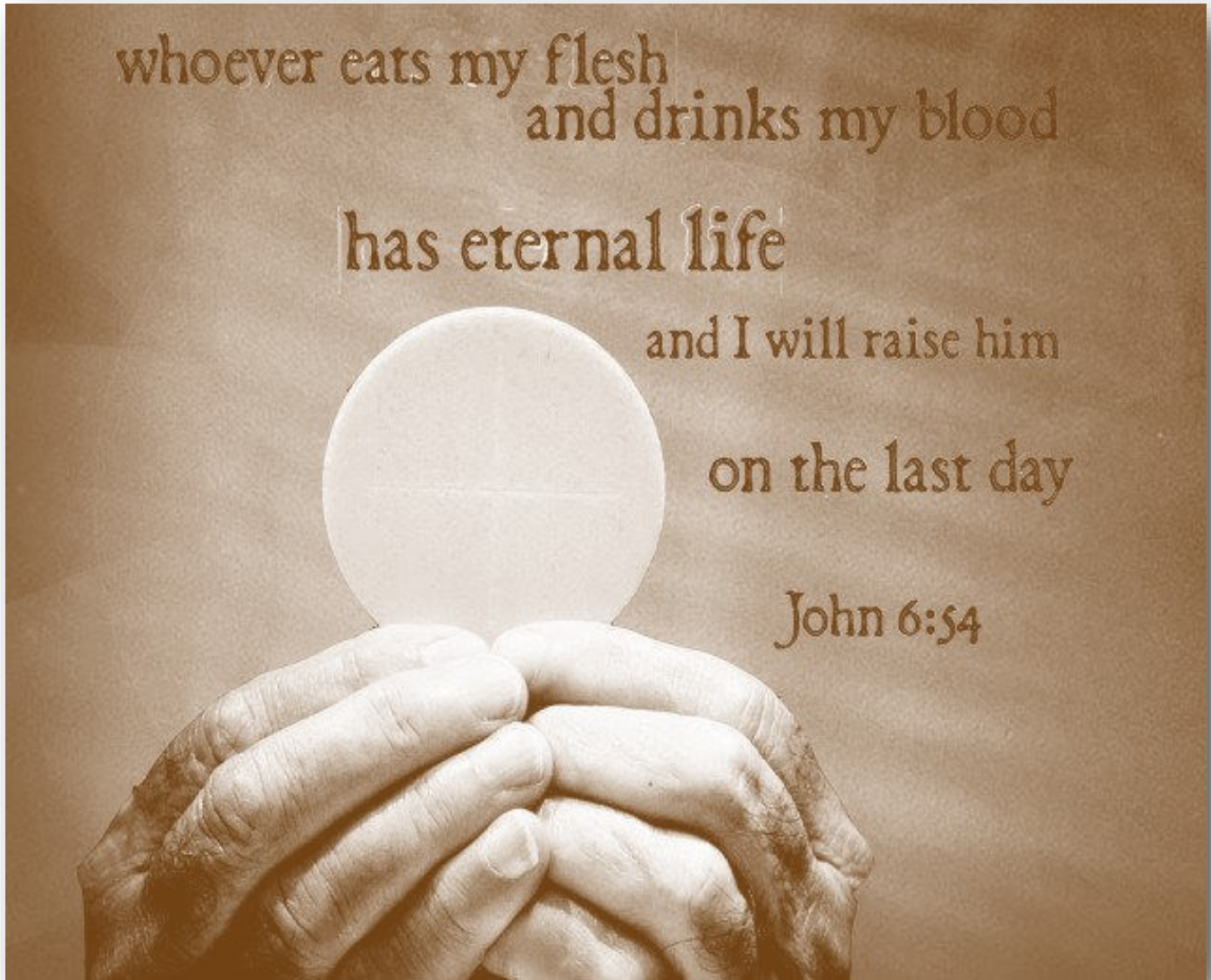
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AUGUST 19, 2018
TWENTIETH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME



REFLECT

In this Sunday's Gospel, the conflict escalates in the Bread of Life Discourse. Confusion is mounting in the crowd. "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" Their minds were thinking literally, not mystically. Jesus doesn't seem to help, however, and only drives his point home with more emphasis. "Unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you." Jesus would later institute the Eucharist at the Last Supper. There he would definitively establish the sacramental reality in which bread and wine become substantially his own Body and Blood. We celebrate this sacrament in the Mass.

Perhaps we do not always understand what we receive. "My flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink." What is the essence of food and drink? Food nourishes our bodies, providing essential calories for our survival. Water is used throughout the body to cushion joints, regulate body temperature, and protect sensitive tissues like the brain. When we receive the Eucharist, we receive the spiritual equivalent of these essential elements. Like water, the Eucharist strengthens the sanctifying grace moving through us. "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him." The Eucharist connects us intimately to Jesus and confirms our union with him. That is why we abstain from the Eucharist while in a state of mortal sin. It would be a contradiction and deep disrespect to these words of Jesus. To receive the Body and Blood of Jesus is not a right but a gift we receive with deep humility.

As we receive the Bread of Life, grace strengthens our love, separates us from sin -- even wiping away venial sins -- unifies us with the universal Church, and helps commit us to humble service. Together we are nourished for our mission in the world!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS



CCD REGISTRATIONS: There will be CCD registrations held on Saturday, **August 18th at 9 am at Holy Family Church** in the CCD Office, and Sunday, **August 19th after the 10:30 am Mass at St. Bernard Church** in the Religious Education Office. Please bring previously mailed registration forms, or come in for new forms. If your child is new to the program, please bring a copy of their baptism certificate.

CCD Teacher Meeting: There will be a Catechist Meeting on Tuesday, **August 21st** from 6 - 8 pm in Fr. Kerwan Hall. All catechists should plan to attend. Dinner will be served, and Loyola Press will join us for a presentation on the new Religious Education text books we will be using. We will also discuss upcoming catechist training dates.

CCD Office Staff and Crossing Guard Meeting: We will have a brief meeting on Monday evening, **August 27th** at 6:30 pm at St. Bernard School, located at 232 Pearl Street. All CCD Office Staff and Crossing Guards should plan to attend.

WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT



The South Windsor Catholic Community St. Junipero Serra Parish is sponsoring a Women's ACTS retreat September 20th - 23rd at My Father's House in Moodus, CT. The ACTS retreat is a three day, three night Catholic lay retreat presented by women.

This is a simple, reverent, Catholic retreat that begins on Thursday evening, September 20th and will end on Sunday, September 23rd with a morning Mass and reception.

For detailed information visit actsct.org or contact MaryAnn Harris at 860-280-7798.

ADORATION – GOD'S CALL, YOUR ACCEPTANCE OF, AND RESPONSE TO GOD.

COMMUNITY – LOVE AND CARING FOR EACH OTHER.

THEOLOGY – STUDYING GOD THROUGH SCRIPTURE AND OUR CATHOLIC FAITH.

SERVICE – TO GOD AND HIS PEOPLE.

FROM FR. GOLAS,

I want to update you on the progress of the roof replacement over Fr. Kerwan Hall and adjacent areas at Holy Family Church. In mid-July, the Parish received permission to proceed with the project with Allied Roofing & Sheet Metal contracted for the work from Archbishop Blair. A requirement of the permission was a review of the contract by the diocesan attorneys. Since then, the attorneys of the diocese and Allied have been in contact about various provisions of the contract. It has involved several exchanges with clarifications. Before receiving the permission, it was recommended that we hire a consultant to advise on the project. Patrick Moore, an architect from Manchester has been retained on a limited basis to assist us with this project. I am hoping the contract will be ready to sign shortly. We have been working to clarify and settle all issues. I have expressed my concern to the diocesan attorney of the urgency of this project. In addition, I have made an effort to keep the Parish facility members informed of the status of the project. I would like to commend our maintenance staff, Greg and Jim, for keeping track of and handling the expanding leaks that are occurring as well as their efforts to help get this project under way. When I have more definite news, I will let you know.

I am pleased to announce that Pat Keck has volunteered to become the Parish coordinator for worship and Parish life. This involves all aspects related to liturgy with the Eucharist being the most important liturgy that is celebrated in the Parish continuously. It would also include para liturgies and other sacramental services. Pat will coordinate the various ministries that serve the Parish at Mass. In addition, she will be the liaison between the various groups and ministries and me. I found this past year hectic trying to keep up with the activities, committees and scheduled events that occur in this critical area of Parish life. I want to thank Pat for offering her time and energy to this important ministry. Pat has also agreed to undertake further study through the Office of Education, Evangelization, and Catechesis of the Archdiocese (OEEC). This office has a formation program called Elm leadership. This program involves Evangelizing Catechesis, Lifelong Formation, and Missionary Discipleship. The program provides the human, spiritual, intellectual, and pastoral formation for those in ministry. Courses are offered through Catholic universities. I want to thank Pat for her willingness to undertake this role of lay ministry on behalf of our Parish. We can all pray for God's blessing for Pat's generous spirit of commitment.

CHILDREN'S PAGE

Welcome to the Children's Page! We encourage the children of our Parish to take the bulletin home, color the picture, put their name and age on it and place it in the collection basket the following week. We will hang the pictures in the vestibules of Holy Family Church and St. Bernard Church. We hope all our younger parishioners will have fun coloring while learning about the Gospel!

The St. Bernard School and Little Angels Pre-School page will return on August 26th.

Open Enrollment is available for grades K-8 for the 2018-2019 school year. If you are looking for a family community, warm and nurturing environment where your child will succeed academically, spirituality, socially and emotionally, call for a tour and we will be happy to show you what SBS has to offer your child and family. Tuition assistance available to families. Do not let cost stand in the way of your child's future success! Private tours are available. Call us at 860-745-5275. We would love to meet you and your child.

We are accepting applications for 2018-2019.

Name:

John 6:51-58

Age:





BAPTISM

Baptism Prep class occurs on the first Sunday of the month after the 10:30 am Mass in the Meeting Room. Monthly Baptisms are scheduled for the 3rd Sunday of each month after the 10:30 am Mass or by appointment. For more information regarding baptisms please contact the rectory at (860) 749-8353, and join us for the monthly Baptism prep class. (SB)

Preparation class for parents held monthly. Call Deacon Vincent Motto at 860-745-1865 or email DeaconVince@cox.net to schedule attendance. Baptisms are booked only after all paperwork is on file. Parents must be registered parishioners. (HF)

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 4:00 - 4:30 pm at each church and by appointment.

CONFIRMATION

In the Hartford Archdiocese, students are confirmed in their sophomore year after a year of preparation. Please contact our Religious Education Director for more information.

MATRIMONY

Arrange with pastor at least 6 months before wedding date.

HOLY ORDERS

Young men interested in the priesthood should speak with any priest for more information. Please visit hartfordpriest.com.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Priests are available for anointing either at home or in the hospital. Please contact the parish office to arrange.



THIS WEEK

Location Key:

HF = Holy Family Church

SB = St. Bernard Church

SBS = St. Bernard School

LA = Little Angels PreSchool

SATURDAY AUGUST 18

8:30 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

4 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)

4:30 pm . . . Rosary with Legion of Mary (SB)

5 pm . . . Vigil Mass (Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time) (HF, SB)

SUNDAY AUGUST 19 (TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am . . . Mass (HF)

7:30 am . . . Rosary with Legion of Mary (SB)

8 am . . . Mass (SB)

9 am . . . Mass (HF)

10:30 am . . . Mass (SB)

11 am . . . Mass (HF)

11:30 am . . . August Baptisms (SB)

12 pm . . . Pre-Baptism Class (HF Rooms 2 & 3)

MONDAY AUGUST 20

7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)

7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB Chapel)

8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

7 pm . . . St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting (SB Meeting Room)

TUESDAY AUGUST 21

7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)

7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB Chapel)

8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

2 pm . . . Legion of Mary (HF Rooms 2 & 3)

3:30 pm . . . Rosary (HF)

6 pm . . . CCD Teacher Meeting (HF Fr. Kerwan Hall)

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 22

7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)

7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB Chapel)

8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

6:15 pm . . . Bingo Sales Begin • 7 pm . . . Game Begins (HF)

THURSDAY AUGUST 23

8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

FRIDAY AUGUST 24

7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)

7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB Chapel)

8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

9:30 am . . . Exposition and Extended Adoration (HF)

3 pm . . . Divine Mercy Chaplet, Benediction (HF)

SATURDAY AUGUST 25

8:30 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

4 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)

5 pm . . . Vigil Mass (Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time) (HF, SB)

SUNDAY AUGUST 26 (TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am . . . Mass (HF)

8 am . . . Mass (SB)

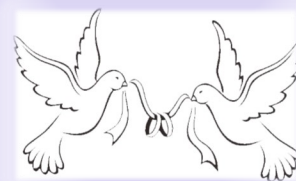
9 am . . . Mass (HF)

10:30 am . . . Mass (SB)

11 am . . . Mass (HF)

12 pm . . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parish Picnic (HF)

Wedding Banns



I Stephanie Simmons + Michael Libby

II Jessica Hagen + Charles Wolfe

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING

The St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Bernard Church will be meeting on **August 20th** at 7:00 pm in the Meeting Room at St. Bernard Church.

Legion of Mary Annual Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto - in Litchfield, CT



Please join us on the beautiful grounds at Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto on Saturday, **September 8th.**

The cost for the bus is \$20.00

The bus will leave from St. Joseph's Residence at 8 am and return at 5 pm.

The program includes Mass, Confession, a short talk, Stations of the Cross by hiking at one's own pace, or watching a video. The day concludes with Benediction. You may bring your lunch or purchase lunch in the cafeteria. A gift shop is available and purchases will be blessed.

For reservations call Pat Guillerault, 860-749-0159 or Lillian Sheridan, 860-219-9715.

At St. Bernard Church, the chapel candle burns in memory of the deceased members of the Hains Family, at the request of their Family; the sanctuary candle in the church burns in memory of Bertrand Grondin, at the request of his Wife, Lisette.



Contact the SB church office for information about having the sanctuary candles burn for your intention.



WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

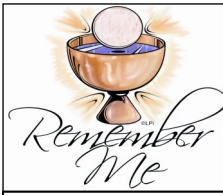
Taste and see the goodness of the Lord. Put Christ's love into your relationship by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. The next weekends are September 14th - 16th in Huntington, NY and November 2nd - 4th in Manchester, CT. For more information, call Pat and Mary-Jo McLaughlin at 860-315-2127 or visit them at <https://www.mectw.org/>.

2018 ARCHDIOCESAN WOMEN'S CONFERENCE



The Office of Education, Evangelization and Catechesis of the Archdiocese of Hartford is pleased to announce the second annual Archdiocesan Women's Conference - a day to celebrate our Roman Catholic faith. The event will take place on Saturday, **November 3rd** at the beautiful Hartford Marriott Farmington in Farmington, CT and run from 10 am - 5 pm — a full day of inspiration, spiritual nourishment, and sisterhood.

This is for women of ALL ages and stages who might enjoy this inspirational and empowering day. Please visit www.CatholicEdAOHCT.org for more information and to register for this very affordable and inspirational opportunity.



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY AUGUST 18

8:30 am. . . Saint Rocco (Requested by the Iocco Family) - HF
5 pm. . . Gerard Ayotte (Requested by Theresa and Steven LaRoche and Family) - HF
5 pm. . . Ewa Pawlowicz (Requested by Stanley Pawlowicz) - SB

SUNDAY AUGUST 19 (TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF
8 am. . . Thomas F. Connor - SB
9 am. . . Bill Ouellette (Requested by his Wife) - HF
10:30 am. . . Carmen Scavotto, 1st Anniversary (Requested by Jean and Family) - SB
11 am. . . Mary Ellen Scalia (Requested by Mr. and Mrs. John Rago) - HF

MONDAY AUGUST 20

7:30 am. . . Patricia Krebs (Requested by Karen and Patrice Krebs) - SB
9 am. . . Kenneth and Ellen LaPlante (Requested by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sweeney) - HF

TUESDAY AUGUST 21

7:30 am. . . Paz Claros Galindo (Requested by Loida Hilliard) - SB
9 am. . . Mary Conway (Requested by her Friends and Family) - HF

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 22

7:30 am. . . Intention for Father John P. Melnick - SB
9 am. . . Aunt Camille and Uncle Reggie Chenard (Requested by the Chenard Family) - HF

THURSDAY AUGUST 23

9 am. . . Marge Blowers (requested by Lisa and Randy Kellarson) - HF

FRIDAY AUGUST 24

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - SB
9 am. . . Roland Rivard (Requested by his Wife and Family) - HF

SATURDAY AUGUST 25

8:30 am. . . Cindy Smuda (Requested by her Mother, Kay Kelly) - HF
5 pm. . . Denise and Grandparents (Requested by the Kadis Family) - HF
5 pm. . . Sherry Stevens (Requested by Elizabeth Tortora and Charles Rinaldi) - SB

SUNDAY AUGUST 26 (TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF
8 am. . . Mary Cimino (Requested by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cappiello) - SB
9 am. . . Rena Mae Emonds, 2nd Anniversary (Requested by her Husband) - HF
10:30 am. . . William Martinez, 5th Anniversary (Requested by his Family) - SB
11 am. . . Jane Piccoli (Requested by her Daughters, Carla and Tina) - HF

DAILY MASS READINGS

MONDAY AUGUST 20: Ez 24:15-24•Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21 [cf. 18a]•Mt 19:16-22
TUESDAY AUGUST 21: Ez 28:1-10•Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab [39c]•Mt 19:23-30
WEDNESDAY AUGUST 22: Ez 34:1-11•Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]•Mt 20:1-16
THURSDAY AUGUST 23: Ez 36:23-28•Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [Ez 36:25]•Mt 22:1-14
FRIDAY AUGUST 24: Rv 21:9b-14•Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]•Jn 1:45-51
SATURDAY AUGUST 25: Ez 43:1-7ab•Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 10b]•Mt 23:1-12
SUNDAY AUGUST 26: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b•Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23
[9a]•Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32•Jn 6:60-69

You can access the Daily Mass Readings via our parish app, at our parish Web site (www.sjjenfield.org) or by visiting the U.S. bishop's Web site (www.usccb.org).

LAST CHANCE!

Your last chance to buy tickets is this weekend after all Masses at both Churches. No tickets will be sold on the day of the picnic.



Tickets on sale, at both churches, after all masses:

Aug. 5th, 12th & 19th

\$5 each

(under 3 free)

Volunteers are needed to help set up for the picnic. Please meet at 8 a.m. on Saturday, August 25th in the parking lot at Holy Family Church if you are able to help.

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A Note from the President of the St. Jeanne Jugan Women's Guild

I would like to take this opportunity to tell you about the St. Jeanne Jugan Women's Guild. We are a group of women that meet **every third Tuesday of the month** during the months of September through May. Our main focus is to assist our Parish where we are needed, build relationships, support each other and have fun along the way! Whether you're 18 or 118, you are welcome in the Guild!

Our Membership Drive will begin the second and third weekends in September at both St. Bernard Church and Holy Family Church. Membership is \$5 for the year. Please consider joining and bringing a friend!

This year in September is our annual Pot-Luck, October is a Murder Mystery and November is a "special kind" of Bingo. That is just a little bit of what we do! If you have any questions, please call me, Pat Keck at 860-749-3175. Please check the bulletin for monthly meeting times and events!

THE MIRACLE of FRIENDSHIP

There's a "Miracle called Friendship"
that dwells within the heart
And you don't know how it happens or
when it gets its start...
But the **happiness** it brings you always
gives a special lift,
And you realize that
"FRIENDSHIP" is
God's most precious gift!!

ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH SUPPORT

"Happy House" is a free-will collection taken up at HF to fund construction of simple, sturdy houses in Haiti through the Haitian Health Foundation. Gift cards for Dunkin Donuts, Big Y, Stop and Shop, and Shop Rite are sold after Masses at SB with proceeds going to St. Bernard School.

Please note that the weekly and online amounts represent the combined totals from Holy Family and St. Bernard.

WEEKLY: \$10,299

ONLINE: \$1,495

HAPPY HOUSE: \$65 (HF)

ST. BERNARD SCHOOL MONTHLY COLLECTION: \$973

GROCERY CARDS WEEKLY SALES/PROFIT: \$2,175/\$115 (SB)

YEAR-TO-DATE PROFIT: \$3,356 (SB)



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