



HOLY FAMILY CHURCH



ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH



ST. BERNARD CHURCH

*"I saw the Spirit come down
like a dove from heaven and
remain upon him."*

John 1:32



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REFLECT

On the cusp of fame, power, or influence, would you turn it down? Today's Gospel again features John the Baptist. Controversial but popular, John has gathered quite a group of followers. He has disciples. People come from near and far to be baptized by him. Pharisees and government leaders are drawn to his preaching. If John was another man, a lesser man, he would have claimed his own greatness. Instead, John the Baptist is a witness to humility.

"The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and said, 'Behold the Lamb of God . . . he is the one of whom I said, 'A man is coming after me who ranks ahead of me.' . . . the reason why I came baptizing with water was that he might be made known.'" Rather than point to himself, John points to Christ. John could have grasped at what he had accumulated. He could have seen Jesus as a Messianic competitor. Instead, John knows who he is. He knows his place as forerunner. Because John knows who Jesus is. *"I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God."*

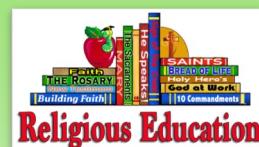
A life of humility, a life for others, can be challenging to live. So much of our culture is built around achievement and individualism. We can justify it, too, in pursuit of "greater goods" and higher ideals. In the process, however, we might miss our own participation in the kingdom of God. John, for all of his humility, was not an afterthought. In another Gospel passage, Jesus calls him "the greatest prophet," even the greatest of men. Why? Because he fulfills the mission given to him by God: to announce the coming of the Messiah. We too are prophets and forerunners. Our witness to the Gospel is meant to point people to Jesus. Consider your own mission this week. To whom are you called to announce the good news of the Son of God?

ARCHDIOCESAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS

January 25th/26th

When the High School Collection occurs in all Parishes of the Archdiocese on the weekend of January 25th/26th, we ask for your participation in helping us reach our 2020 goal of \$250,000.

Your investment will yield significant results, since our Catholic high schools offer students exceptional academics, solid faith formation, and a true spirit of service. We deeply value your support of Catholic high school education as we continue to form another generation in the faith.



New Retreat Information for Grade 9 students:
Date changed to **Sunday, February 23rd**. Details to Follow.

The sacrament of First Reconciliation will be **Saturday, January 25th** at 10:30 am at Holy Family Church for students in the Saturday program and at 1 pm at St. Bernard Church for St. Bernard School and students in the Sunday program.

Please contact Pat Keck, Coordinator of Religious Education at 860-745-7770 or 860-749-2993 for any questions.

FROM FR. JOHN GOLAS,

The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord is the end of the Christmas season in which the Church celebrates the birth of Our Lord. From this point until Ash Wednesday, February 26th, the Church is in Ordinary Time as we celebrate these weeks before Lent.

Ordinary Time is in contrast to the Advent and Christmas seasons and Lent and Easter seasons which celebrate the central and saving beliefs of our faith. Ordinary does not mean routine or without meaning. For followers of Jesus, all time is in relation to the coming of Jesus in history, in our lives now and at the end of time. Every day is an opportunity to deepen our faith and love for the Lord. The Sundays of Ordinary Time offer an understanding of how we are called to live according to the values of the Kingdom of God and imitating the example of Jesus. May this be a time of God's Blessing.

I will be away from the Parish from January 26th - February 6th. I am attending the Priest's Winter Institute at St. Vincent de Paul Regional Seminary in Boynton Beach, Florida from January 26th - 31st. I am taking the rest of the time for vacation. Fr. Maroney, Fr. Padelli, Fr. Bruno, and Fr. Rousseau will be offering the scheduled Masses.

PRO-LIFE COMMITTEE

My name is Donna Doyker and my husband, Al and I have agreed to restart the Pro-life committee and message in our Parish.

As you have undoubtedly heard, the NY legislature's new law allows mothers to kill their babies right up to birth. To start off the New Year with a truly Blessed Resolution, we hope to gather together an active group of Pro-Life members who will really work to change hearts and save lives.

Please call us at either 860-749-6203 or 860-463-7826 and let us know if you are willing to help. If you can write letters, or make phone calls to our State officials, have ideas or even the ability to lead prayers, you are needed. Depending on interest, meetings will be held starting in January, one a month at our home.

We ask you to please consider helping these confused mothers and innocent babies.





St. Bernard School & Little Angels Pre-School



OPEN HOUSE

Open House at St. Bernard School

Sunday, January 26th
1 pm - 3 pm
and

Tuesday, January 28th
9 am - 2 pm



Open House at Little Angels

Sunday, January 26th
1 pm - 3 pm

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Saturday, January 25, 2020

Doors Open at 6:30 pm

St. Bernard School Gymnasium

Bring your own bottle and snacks.

Tickets: \$35

Reserve a table for 10 and get 10 free bingo games.

Contact Caitlin D'Ambrosio at 860-573-6776



BAPTISM

To register for the Parish's Baptism Prep Class, please call 860-973-1717 to speak with Kacey at the Holy Family Church rectory or Sally at the St. Bernard Church rectory. Baptism Prep Class occurs on the second Tuesday of the month at 7 pm in classrooms 2 and 3 at Holy Family Church. Baptisms can be scheduled by calling Kacey or Sally once parents have completed the Baptism Prep class. Baptisms can be scheduled on any Sunday of the month except on major religious feasts or holidays.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 4 - 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 office for more information.

MATRIMONY

Arrange with pastor at least 6 months before wedding date.

HOLY ORDERS

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

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 JANUARY 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 (Second Sunday in Ordinary Time) (HF, SB)

SUNDAY 19 (SECOND 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 - Commissioning of ACTS Women's Retreat Team (HF)

10:30 am . . . Mass (SB)

11 am . . . Mass (HF)

12 pm . . . Altar Server Training (HF)

MONDAY JANUARY 20

7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)

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

8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

TUESDAY JANUARY 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 pm . . . Divine Mercy and Rosary (HF)

7 pm . . . Women's Guild "Bring a Friend to Game Night" (HF Fr. Kerwan Hall)

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 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 JANUARY 23

8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

1 pm . . . Red Cross Blood Drive (HF Fr. Kerwan Hall)

7 pm . . . Choir Rehearsal (HF Rooms 2 & 3)

FRIDAY JANUARY 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)

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

SATURDAY JANUARY 25

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

10:30 am . . . First Reconciliation (HF)

1 pm . . . First Reconciliation (SB)

4 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)

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

SUNDAY JANUARY 26 (THIRD 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)

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

Nothing to do on a Wednesday night? Have the mid-week blues? We have the solution!

Gather your friends and come join us for a fun night of Bingo! Get caught up in the excitement of the game and maybe you could turn your mid-week blues green by winning cash prizes!

Bingo is held every Wednesday at 7 pm at Holy Family Church in Fr. Kerwan Hall.

Come play!!

Looking for a volunteer opportunity? The Bingo kitchen could use your help.

WINTER POLICY

The winter policy for St. Jeanne Jugan Parish is in effect for daily Masses Monday – Friday.

The policy states that when Enfield Public Schools cancel or delay school on that day, the daily 7:30 am Mass at St. Bernard Church and the daily 9 am Mass at Holy Family Church will be cancelled for that day. The policy is for the safety of all.

The intentions for the Masses will be rescheduled at a mutually agreeable time.

"BRING A FRIEND TO GAME NIGHT"

We would like to welcome all women to join us at our Women's Guild January meeting. We're starting off the new year with "Bring A Friend to Game Night". Any member who brings a non-member friend will receive a raffle ticket and so will their friend. Everyone is welcome, even without a member friend. We will also be playing Left, Right, Center.

Please join us on **Tuesday, January 21st** at 7 pm in Fr. Kerwan Hall at Holy Family Church. Don't forget to bring a friend!

At St. Bernard Church, the chapel candle burns in memory of John Chwalek, at the request of the Chwalek Family; the sanctuary candle burns in memory of Fred Ferreira, at the request of his Wife, Laura and his Daughters.



Contact the St. Bernard Church office for information about having the sanctuary or chapel candles burn for your intention.



MARCH FOR LIFE BUS TRIP

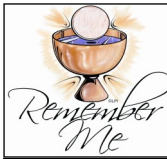
Mary, Gate of Heaven Parish in Windsor Locks will sponsor a bus trip to the MARCH FOR LIFE in Washington, D.C. on **Friday, January 24th**. This is the 47th annual national pro-life march to return the God-given right to life to our defenseless and unborn babies. The bus leaves Thursday, January 23rd at 10:30 pm and returns the next day, around midnight. Departure and return from "Park and Ride" Lot, (Exit 42, I-91, north and south).

Reservations and details can be obtained through Bus Captains Hal Larson, 860-292-1914 or Bob Starvish, 860-214-0148. Bus Cost is \$55 for adults and \$30 for teens. There is no cost to clergy. Anyone under 18 needs an adult chaperone. If you can help sponsor a marcher, donations and sponsorships are needed for those unable to afford to go.

Mary, Gate of Heaven Parish Pro-Life Committee will ask God's blessings for a safe and successful trip at a MASS FOR LIFE INTENTIONS on **Monday, January 20th** at 7 pm, at St. Mary Church, 42 Spring St., Windsor Locks. The holy Rosary will be prayed at 6:30 pm. A light reception next door will follow Mass. All are welcome.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING JANUARY 19TH

There will be an Altar Server training session on **Sunday, January 19th** at noon at Holy Family Church. Training will take about an hour to an hour and a half and there will be pizza for the children (and parents) afterwards. If you are in grade 4 or higher and are thinking about becoming an Altar Server, please join us for this training session.



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY JANUARY 18

8:30 am. . . Venard Brooks† (Requested by the Marco Family) - HF

5 pm. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF

5 pm. . . Frieda C. Shanahan†, 15th Anniversary (Requested by John and Fe Shanahan) - SB

SUNDAY JANUARY 19 (SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am. . . Tom Vandevanter† and Michael Cleary† (Requested by their Family) - HF

8 am. . . Henry E. Smith, Jr.† - SB

9 am. . . Bob Burnham†, 11th Anniversary (Requested by his Family) - HF

10:30 am. . . James E. Shanahan† (Requested by John and Fe Shanahan) - SB

11 am. . . Heriberto Castrillón† (Requested by Tom and Pat Keck) - HF

MONDAY JANUARY 20

7:30 am. . . Joseph Zawistowski, Sr.†, 43rd Anniversary (Requested by his Family) - SB

9 am. . . Nancy Brown† and Flower May Brown† (Requested by Regina Chambers) - HF

TUESDAY JANUARY 21

7:30 am. . . Deceased Members of the Hains Family† (Requested by the Duquette Family) - SB

9 am. . . Venard "VJ" Brooks† (Requested by Marie Keck) - HF

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 22

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - SB

9 am. . . Evelyn Tersavich† (Requested by her Family) - HF

THURSDAY JANUARY 23

9 am. . . Sandy Mandzuk† and Joan Bernier, SND† (Requested by the Linehan Family) - HF

FRIDAY JANUARY 24

7:30 am. . . Fr. Thomas Campion† - SB

9 am. . . Stephen Haley†, 17th Anniversary (Requested by his Family) - HF

SATURDAY JANUARY 25

8:30 am. . . Florence Rosselle† (Requested by the Marco Family) - HF

5 pm. . . Hervé Mathieu† (Requested by Pam and Jeff) - HF

5 pm. . . Richard Krebs†, 18th Anniversary (Requested by Karen and Patrice Krebs) - SB

SUNDAY JANUARY 26 (THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF

8 am. . . Jeanne C. Smith† - SB

9 am. . . Stefie Wcislo† (Requested by the Holy Family Church Choir) - HF

10:30 am. . . James J. Shanahan† (Requested by John and Fe Shanahan) - SB

11 am. . . Emily Gallacher† (Requested by her Grandmother, Ella) - HF

DAILY MASS READINGS

MONDAY JANUARY 20: 1 Sm 15:16-23•Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]•Mk 2:18-22

TUESDAY JANUARY 21: 1 Sm 16:1-13•Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28 [21a]•Mk 2:23-28

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 22: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51•Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 [1]•Mk 3:1-6

THURSDAY JANUARY 23: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7•Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13 [5b]•Mk 3:7-12

FRIDAY JANUARY 24: 1 Sm 24:3-21•Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11 [2a]•Mk 3:13-19

SATURDAY JANUARY 25: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22•Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]•Mk 16:15-18

SUNDAY JANUARY 26: Is 8:23—9:3•Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]•1 Cor 1:10-13, 17•Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

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).



END HUMAN TRAFFICKING

January is Human Trafficking Prevention Month

With 21 million victims worldwide, there are more slaves today than at any time in history. What can you do? Consider attending one of the following:

- **January 23rd** – 7 pm . . . “BLIND EYES OPEN” (Movie) A Christian documentary on sex-trafficking at Buckland Hills 18, 99 Redstone Road, Manchester and Regal Brass Mill, 495 Union Street, Waterbury.
- **February 7th** – 6 pm . . . PRAYING THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS FOR VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING, offered by St. Josephine Bakhita Parish at St. James Church 767 Elm St., Rocky Hill.
- **February 9th** – 3 pm . . . Prayer Service at St. John XXIII Parish (St. Louis Church), 89 Bull Hill Ln., West Haven.

THANK YOU!

We'd like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Brian Gallant, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mcguire, and Mr. and Mrs. Gil Vasseur for their donation of a Commemoration Sugar Maple tree and a Saucer Magnolia tree that were planted in front of St. Bernard Church and Rectory. We look forward to seeing them bloom in the Spring!

MEN'S GROUP MEETING

Pizza, beer and Bible for men!

How about some beer, pizza and Bible discussion? On **Tuesday, January 28th** men are invited to gather for some pizza and beer (or soda if you prefer) and to talk about (or wrestle with) the Gospel of Mark.

See you at St Joseph's Residence at 6:45 pm. Come and bring your appetite and your openness to be fed by God's Word . . . as well as by some pizza.

Please let Fr. Rousseau know if you are coming by calling 860-741-0791 so that he can have plenty of pizza.

BLOOD DRIVE

The American Red Cross will host a Blood Drive on **Thursday, January 23rd** at St. Jeanne Jugan Parish - Holy Family Church in Fr. Kerwan Hall from 1 pm - 6 pm. To choose a specific time, go to <https://www.redcross.org/give-blood.html>.

This is your chance to give a gift that could save a life!

GET IN TOUCH

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9am-12pm Fri)

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YEAR-END REPORT OF GIVING 2019

If you would like a report of your contributions to St. Jeanne Jugan Parish — Holy Family Church or St. Bernard Church for the year 2019, please complete and return this form to the rectory or place the form in the collection basket. If you use Online Giving, your year-end total is accessible via the portal.

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ENVELOPE #

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 St. Bernard Church with proceeds going to St. Bernard School.

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

WEEKLY: \$13,170

ONLINE: \$1,605

ST. BERNARD SCHOOL: \$2,766

HAPPY HOUSE: \$187 (HF)

GROCERY CARDS WEEKLY SALES/PROFIT: \$540/\$21 (SB)

YEAR-TO-DATE PROFIT: \$41 (SB)



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