

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church
Parroquia De San Juan Evangelista

Welcome to our Parish ~ Bienvenidos a nuestra Parroquia

April 23, 2023 Third Sunday of Easter



St. John the Evangelist is a community of culturally diverse people called to serve God.
We fulfill this mission through: celebration of the sacraments, prayer, education, stewardship and evangelization.

San Juan Evangelista es una comunidad de personas culturalmente diversas llamadas a servir a Dios. Cumplimos esta misión a través de: celebración de los sacramentos, oración, educación, mayordomía y evangelización.

Mass Schedule / Horario De Misas

SATURDAY

CONFESSIONS @ 3PM
MASS @4pm (English)

SUNDAY

9:00am (English)
12:00pm (Spanish)
4:00pm (Spanish)

WEEKDAY

Monday - Friday 8:30am (English)
Wednesdays 7:00pm (Spanish)

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PARISH AND MASS INFORMATION

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MASS INTENTIONS

INTENCIONES MASIVAS

Saturday

April 22

4:00pm Hannah Price & Family (L) - Cepull Family

Sunday

April 23

9:00am Louise & Wayne Shaw (D) – Douglas Family

& Chinekwu Obidegwu (birthday) – Obidegwu Family

12:00pm For All Parishioners of St. John the Evangelist

4:00pm Pacita Robinson (D) - Pastor

Monday

April 24

8:30am Luke Hohmann & Family (L) - Pastor

Tuesday

April 25

8:30am Maria Nguyen T. Nep (D) – Ninh Family

Wednesday

April 26

8:30am Tim Hohmann & Family (L) - Pastor

7:00pm For All the Souls In Purgatory

Thursday

April 27

8:30am Sofia Lozano Eusevio (D) - Pastor

Friday

April 28

8:30am Lorenzo Ninh Q. Huy (D) – Ninh Family

Saturday

April 29

4:00pm Geneva Thomas (D) - Pastor

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EMMAUS AND THE MASS

Emmaus might as well be Brigadoon. We hear of it in this one story—and it's only in Luke—and then it disappears. The journey to Emmaus is one of the most beloved stories about Jesus, and yet the town is probably "mythical" in the truest sense. Like so much of life, this story is about the journey, not the destination. Running away from Jerusalem and their fears, probably going home in disillusionment, two of Jesus' disciples encounter a stranger on the road who, like a rabbi, is able to help them understand their experiences using his deep knowledge of scripture. Later, sharing a meal with him, they recognize the stranger as Jesus, and they return to Jerusalem to tell the others. How like our Mass—we hear the scriptures and an explanation of them, we share a meal, and then we go out to tell the good news.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — God has raised the crucified Jesus, who now pours forth the Holy Spirit upon us (Acts 2:14, 22-33).

Psalm — Our God shows us the way to live (Psalm 16).

Second Reading — Our faith and hope are in God who raised Jesus from the dead (1 Peter 1:17-21).

Gospel — Through his words and in the breaking of the bread, the risen Christ made himself known to two disciples on their way to Emmaus (Luke 24:13-35).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17; Mk 16:15-20

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69

Sunday: Acts 2:14a, 36-41; Ps 23:1-6; 1 Pt 2:20b-25; Jn 10:1-10

PARISH AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION

BAPTISM/BAUTISMO

SJE Baptism Preparation Classes are held at 10:00 am on the 2nd Saturday in May, and July at the

Parish Office.

Las clases de preparación para el bautismo de SJE se llevan a cabo a las 10:00 am el 2do sábado de mayo y Julio en el

Oficina Parroquial

Please contact the Parish Office for instructions /Por favor, póngase en contacto con la Oficina Parroquial para obtener instrucciones @

404-768-5647.

The celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism will take place at SJE on the 3rd **Saturday of** :
May and July~ 9AM for Spanish
and 10AM for English.

La celebración del Sacramento del Bautismo tendrá lugar en SJE el 3er sábado de:
Mayo y Julio~ 9AM para español
y 10AM para inglés.

Parishioners in good standing with the SJE (Must be registered with the church for at least six (6) months): In order to baptize a child as a Catholic, at least one of the parents must be Catholic.

Feligreses al día con el SJE (debe estar registrado con la iglesia durante al menos seis (6) meses): Para bautizar a un niño como católico, al menos uno de los padres debe ser católico.

SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES

If you have a sacramental emergency and need to speak with a priest after office hours
Please call: 470-985-9496.

This number is **NOT** to be used for any other purpose.



Last weekend Offertory 4/16/2023

Offering from all Masses	\$6,912.00
Online Giving from VANCO	\$230.00

Donate Online or feel free to send in your offertory by mail. If you don't already do so, please consider it. Click on the 'Tithe Online' button on our Parish website

www.stjohnevangelist.net and set up a profile, or call Parish Office for envelopes.

Please Donate!! Thank You!!



St. John Damascene gave a classic definition of prayer: "Prayer is the raising of one's mind and heart to God or the requesting of good things from God" (CCC, no. 2559, citing St. John Damascene, *De Fide Orth.* 3, 24).

The *Catechism* clearly defines prayer as a "vital and personal relationship with the living and true God" (CCC, no. 2558). Prayer is Christian "insofar as it is communion with Christ" (CCC, no. 2565), and a "covenant relationship between God and man in Christ" (CCC, no. 2564).

It is important to remember that we understand prayer through our celebration of the Sacraments and in the Liturgy of the Hours. The word *liturgy* comes from a Greek term meaning "public work or work done on behalf of the people."

A work, then, done by an individual or a group was a liturgy on behalf of the larger community. All the worshipers are expected to participate actively in each liturgy, for this is holy "work," not entertainment or a spectator event. Every liturgical celebration is an action of Christ the High Priest and of his Mystical Body, which is the Church. It therefore requires the participation of the People of God in the work of God.

Liturgy is centered on the Holy Trinity. At every liturgy the action of worship is directed to the Father, from whom all blessings come, through the Son in the unity of the Holy Spirit. We praise the Father who first called us to be his people by sending us his Son as our Redeemer and giving us the Holy Spirit so that we can continue to gather, to remember what God has done for us, and to share in the blessings of salvation.

From the *United States Catholic Catechism for Adults*

New and unique upcoming retreat opportunities at Ignatius House.

April 26 thru May 24 @ 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Start of a Five-Week Series: Reel Spirituality – Encountering God in the Movies

Facilitated by Darija Pichanick. Join us for a five-week series that offers an opportunity to encounter God in contemporary films. Through the lens of Ignatian Spirituality, we will journey through the modern cinematic storytelling and explore God's constant mercy and love for us.

To register: <http://bit.ly/3KA2kKw>

Weekend Retreat: Science & Religion

May 5 @ 6:00 pm - May 7 @ 12:00 pm

Ignatius House 6700 Riverside Dr., Sandy Springs, GA

During this retreat, Georgia Tech professor John Cressler, will unpack the fascinating, evolving dialogue between science and religion/spirituality. Dr. Cressler covers scientific topics in a friendly, easy-to-understand format that explores the marvels of modern science (e.g. cosmology, biology, the quantum realm, etc.) and what those discoveries mean for religion/spirituality and the future of humanity. During this captivating retreat, Dr. Cressler emphasizes the use of scientific findings to deepen and enhance our own spirituality. You've never heard science and spirituality discussed like this before!

To register: <https://bit.ly/3T26Mp6>

Weekday Ignatian Retreat

May 11 @ 6:00 pm - May 13 @ 12:00 pm

Ignatius House 6700 Riverside Dr., Sandy Springs, GA

Great Mother's Day gift! A 2-night weekday retreat at Ignatius House. Retreats at Ignatius House introduce participants to important principles of Ignatian prayer and engage them in meditations based on key aspects of the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola. The retreats combine elements of both guided prayer experiences and individual one-on-one spiritual conversations with a spiritual director as well as opportunities for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist. This is a silent retreat. Directed by Andy Otto, MA To register: <https://bit.ly/3KYf3lj>

Retiro en idioma Español/Retreat in Spanish Language

May 19 @ 6:00 pm – May 21 @ 12:00 pm

Ignatius House 6700 Riverside Dr., Sandy Springs, GA

Dirigido por el P. Bill Noe, SJ

Trae tus deseos, miedos, preocupaciones, dolores, esperanzas. ¡Ven con todo lo que tienes o guardas en tu corazón, porque todo lo que prestas atención a Dios también atiende atender! Lo que sea que te esté sucediendo, y cualquiera que sea la etapa de manejo de esa situación en la que te encuentres, ven a la Casa de Ignacio y ponlo en este lugar de oración donde Dios puede escucharte y tú puedes escucharlo a él; donde tienes la oportunidad de entrar en una relación cercana e íntima con Dios y encontrarlo... en todas partes. Este es un retiro espiritual para ti, sin importar tu situación o lo que esté sucediendo en tu vida: • ¿Qué te preocupa? • ¿Qué estás celebrando? • ¿Qué te está lastimando? • ¿Qué esperas? • ¿Qué te aqueja? Este retiro se realiza en silencio. A menos que se indique lo contrario, los participantes mantienen un silencio sagrado durante todo el retiro, incluidas las comidas.

To register: <http://bit.ly/414Jwd9>

Peace

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