Mass Times

Sunday 7am, 9am, 11:30am

> Saturday 8am, 5pm Vigil

> Monday-Friday 7am, 9am

Holy Days of Obligation 7am, 9am, 7pm

Confessions

Saturday
4:00-4:45pm,
and after the 5pm Mass
*Also by appointment

Rosary

Monday-Friday 7:30am

Saturday 4:30pm

Sunday 6:30am

*Please be courteous, maintain social distancing, and wear a mask, as mandated by the state.

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St. John Francis Regis

NOV 29TH, 2020

IST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



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Sunday Classes

Grades K-6 and 8-12 10:15am-11:15am Tuesday Classes

Grades 5-8 7pm-8:15pm

The program usually starts in September and ends in May.

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of St. John Francis Regis Parish is to foster a family of faith, built on **yesterday's** foundation,

so that today's spirituality, service, and education

will continue to grow into tomorrow's Catholic community.

"Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and tomorrow."



November 29: St. Saturninus (Sernin) de Toulouse (3rd century). Go to his great

(3rd century). Go to his great basilica and pray at his tomb and you feel the power of this bishop martyr who changed southern France.

November 30: St. Andrew (1st century) Bd. Andrew of Antioch (1268-1348). Fisherman from Bethsaida and brother of St. Peter. Beloved by the Greeks as the first-called among the Apostles.

<u>December 1: St. Eloi</u> (588-660). Bishop of Tournai with a remarkable talent for metal-work as a goldsmith

Saints Alive!

extraordinaire. Several of his works are still in museums. Special love for ransoming slaves and preaching against the work of fortunetellers and practitioners of the occult.

December 2: Bd. Jan van Ruysbroeck (1293-1381). Rhineland mystic whose books in the Brabant-Flemish dialect are extraordinary. He would spend hours in the forest where no human distraction came between his ear and the voice of God.

<u>December 5: St. Nick Stenson</u> (1638-1686) went from Danish Lutheran doctor of anatomy to Catholic bishop

of Munster. His relic shrine is at the Basilica of San Lorenzo in Florence/ What a conversion story!

December 6: St. Nicholas (270-343). I invite you to visit the Christian ruins of Myra in Turkey or the shrine relic in Bari in Italy to get a sense of the real St. Nick.

Bd Peter Pascual (1227-1300) was a bishop imprisoned in Granada for having preached to the Muslims. He was the 6th of his family to be recognized by the Church as canonized martyrs.

"To everything there is a season..."

and a time to every purpose under heaven..."

"A time to be born..."

"A time to die, a time to mourn..."

Eric Kelly, Son of Liz Kelly William Kelly, Father of John Kelly

"A time to embrace, a time to love..."

"A time to heal..."

Jordyn Rose O'Connor, Jalen Penaflor,
Barbara Pilkerton, John & Ethel Pilkerton,
Robin Poe,Frances Powers, Hannah Rainer,
Maria Robey, Hal Richards,
Suzanne Saurel, Shirley Johnson Sellner,
Charlotte Silva, Rosemary Smith, Patricia
Somerville, Samaya Stone, Danny Sweeney,
Nancy Szewczyk, Gwennette Thomas,
William J. Trainor Sr, Alice Viverette, James
Wallace, Ronnie Ward, Johnny Wathen,
Kenny Watts, Laura Wible, Eleanor Wood,
Jill Wood, Damian Worrell and
Luzina Yorkshire

"A time of peace, and a time of war..."

CPT Timothy E. Sartori, USA;
Lt Evan A. Scott, USN;
Sgt Sean B. Scott, USA;
LCDR Christopher S. Servello, USN;
LT Jeffery T. Servello, USN;
2ndLT Matthew Francis Smith, USA;
AEC Stephen Sterns, USN;
CDR Christopher Stearns, USN;
LT John Taylor, USN; Cpl
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SSgt JanCarlo Torres, USAF;
Staff Sgt Jason W. Walker, USA;
A1C Jack Whinnery, USAF;
PVT Bradley William, USA.

Ecclesiastes 3:1-2, 8

For everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under heaven: a time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted. A time to love, and a time to hate; a time for war, and a time for peace.



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Tuesday Dec 1	Wednesday, Dec 2	Thursday, Dec 3	Friday, Dec 4	Saturday, Dec 5	Sunday, Dec 6
6:00 Exposition	6:00 Exposition	6:00 Exposition	6:00 Exposition	6:30 Exposition	6:30 Rosary
7:00 Mass Terry Beers +	7:00 Mass Raymond Dicus +	7:00 Mass Mimi Cuddeback	7:00 Mass Catherine Burkhart +		7:00 Mass Raymond E. Morgan +
7:30 Rosary 7:30 Rosary	7:30 Rosary	7:30 Rosary	7:30 Rosary	7:30 Rosary	
				8:00 Mass End of Abortion	
9:00 Mass Ronald & Early Gatley 9:00 Mass Terry Beers +	9:00 Mass Alexander Shad +	9:00 Mass Jose Majano	9:00 Mass Terry Beers +		9:00 Mass "Meme" Gillaspy +
					11:30 Mass St. John's Parish
				4:00 Confession 4:30 Rosary	
				5:00 Vigil Mass Jay Gatton +	
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MASS READINGS

Monday: Rom 10:9-18, Mt 4:18-22 Tuesday: Is 11:1-10, Lk 10:21-22 Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a, Mt 15:29-37

Thursday: Is 26:1-6, Mt 7:21, 24-27 Friday: Is 29:17-24, Mt 9:27-31

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26, Mt 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8 Sunday: Is 40:1-5,9-11, 2 Pt 3:8-14, Mk 1:1-8

Sacraments

BAPTISMS

The Rite of Baptism is celebrated by appointment. Parents are required to meet with the pastor and attend an obligatory preparation session preferably before the birth of your child. Call the rectory to schedule your appointment.

MARRIAGES

Arrangements must be made at least 6 months in advance of the ceremony.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please notify the rectory when a parishioner would like to receive the sacraments and is homebound, in a nursing home, or in the hospital.

R.C.I.A

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): Those who are interested in becoming Catholic or completing their sacraments are invited to contact the rectory at any time.

*Individual spiritual guidance is offered by our Priests and Deacon.

Please contact the parish office for more information.



St. John's School in Hollywood, MD, is seeking to hire an individual to teach 4th grade for the 2020-2021 school year. Those interested should have a bachelor's degree from an accredited university or college, as well as be Virtus trained. This position would require lesson planning for all content areas to include: Religion, Math, Reading, English,

Social Studies, and Science, as well as being technologically prepared to live stream to students who are attending school "virtually."

Additional duties would be: proper supervision of students, grading and recording classwork and assessments, communicating with families as needed, and other duties as assigned.

Please contact Susan McDonough at 301-373-2142 or mcdonoughs@sjshollywood.org

ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL

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forms.gle/tY6jeBWQDYTjsh28A

PICK AN AVAILABLE DAY TO PAY AND PLAY

CASH PRIZES!!!

Calling all young men and women joining the Military!

St. John's Men's Group would like to present you with a Combat Rosary to protect you during your time in the military.



Please provide your name, email, phone number, service (Army, Navy, Marine, Air Force or Coast Guard) you plan to enter and the approximate date you plan to enter Active Duty to Dan Seep

at 757-291-0262 or email derseep@hotmail.com.

Women, please contact
Mariam at 760-715-9902 or
email fiatdosjfr@gmail.com to
receive a blessed rosary from FIAT! That's
it, we will set up everything else.

SOUTHERN MARYLAND CATHOLIC MEN

Saturday Mornings from 6:30-8:00AM

ST. JOHN FRANCIS REGIS PARISH HOLLYWOOD, MD 43950 St. Johns Rd Hollywood, MD 20636

Want to strengthen your faith in Christ?

Do you desire to be the man God intended?

If so, then we have something in common.

I hope to see you Saturday morning,



in the Saint Jude Room.

Daniel Seep (757) 291-0262

derseep@hotmail.com

Attention Men - Struggling with pornography?

Your local Catholic brothers are here to help with a weekly Men's Recovery Group. This no-cost, laymen led group offers discrete support and accountability. Your name is not required for inquiry. Please call our automated phone line at 240-309- 2556 or email saintjohnsrecovery@gmail.com for more information

We are praying for our military families at home, and abroad.



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Get plugged in and read scriptures with the whole church! Here are some useful apps

Vatican







The Pope App



Laudate





Join us this Christmas season at RC Theaters in California and enjoy some classic Christmas movies and some plain old classic Catholic movies! Please share this info with anyone you think might be interested!

> Visit this link for more information and to reserve tickets https://fs2.formsite.com/stjohns/FilmFest/index.html

Apologetics with Ken Scheiber

2020-21 Class meeting on Monday evenings 7-8:30pm In person come to St John's St Jude Room (just show up!)

or Zoom into the class from home.

Contact: Ken at kenneth.scheiber@smrhs.org to be on the email list of topics, reminders and informational links!

Apologetics Topics coming up: 11/30 Was Constantine good or bad for the faith?

The Origins of Separation of Church and State:

The Investiture Controversy











Nov. 29th

Dec. 6th

Dec. 13th

Dec. 20th

Dec. 27th

Sunday evenings at 7:00pm

RC Theatres - California, MD

Ticket price: Donation

You must reserve your tickets here for these showings. Tickets will not be available at the box office.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Saint John's Charitable Society To learn more about SJCS, contact us at 240-298-7645 sjcsvicepres@sjchollywood.org.

You can help build hope in your local community!

Fiat! Daughters of St. Regis has placed two prayer boxes, one is in the vestibule as you enter into our Church. The second box is located outside the Sacristy. Please write your prayer request on the notepaper provided and drop it in the slot. The notes will be collected weekly for the Fiat! Daughters to pray over. All requests will be held in strict confidence.

BULLETIN INSERTS

Christmas Angel Giving Tree

As with many things this year, the Christmas Angel Giving Tree, sponsored by the St. John's Charitable Society, has had to make some adjustments because of COVID-19. Instead of the traditional tree with tags in the Msgr. Harris Center foyer we are implementing an **online** list. Starting Nov 9th, Parishioners will be able to sponsor a gift using **Signup Genius** available at:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D49ACA622A0F8C70-thegiving. (It is not necessary to have a Signup Genius Account.) If you are unable to sign up online, you also have the option of contacting Tracey at (412)759-1010 or tsnicholson61@gmail.com and she can help you pick out a gift and sign up.

Gift Items and Tag #s will be pre-loaded with details, including description of recipient. If desired, parishioners may signup anonymously. There will be both children and elderly gift options available. All gifts should be returned **Unwrapped**, and if possible, indicate with a piece of paper attached, the **tag number** of the gift.

Once you have purchased your gift and are ready to return it, you have the following options:

Box located in Msgr Harris Center foyer before 5 PM Sat Masses till after 11 AM Sun Masses starting the weekend of <u>Nov 14-15</u> and ending the weekend of <u>Dec 5-6</u>

Box in the school (for students/staff use only) on Dec 4th Two Dates for Drive-by Drop Offs in front of Msgr Harris Center:

> After Masses on Nov 22nd (8:00 AM to Noon) After School on Dec. 4th (3:15 PM to 5:00 PM)

For some, Christmas can be a season of anxiety and hopelessness. Please help turn their pain into one of joy and renewed faith in the kindness of others!

