

Mass Times

Sunday
7am, 9am, 11:30am

Saturday
8am, 5pm Vigil

Monday-Friday
7am & 2pm TuWeTh

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

Confessions

Saturday
4pm-6pm,
and during Sunday Masses
*Also by appointment

Adoration

Monday-Friday
6-7am

Saturday
6:30-7:30am

Rosary

Monday-Friday
7:30am

Saturday
4:30pm

Sunday
6:30am

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St. John Francis Regis

January 29th, 2023

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Sunday Classes

Grades K-12
10:15am-11:15am

The program starts in
September and ends in May.

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."

Saints Alive!



**St. John Bosco
Pray for us!**

January 28: St. Thomas Aquinas (1225-1274). This radical teenager broke from his parent's wishes and became a Dominican. By the conclusion of his studies in Naples, Paris and Köln, his full genius was apparent to all. He worked a synthesis of all philosophy and theology. He is the angelic doctor! His somber tomb is maintained in the Jacobins in Toulouse. **Bd. Julian Maunoir** (1606-1683). This simple Jesuit labored tirelessly in Brittany to suppress witchcraft and paganism that was still cloaked under Catholic ritual. His mission preaching was fierce; his confessional manner was gentle. **Bd. Joseph Freinademetz** (1852-1908). This Austrian joined the Divine Word Missionaries so he could proclaim the gospel in China. In 6 years he had 1000 in 'RCIA' spread over 30 villages. In

heaven, he hoped that his glorified body would look Chinese and not Austrian!

January 31: St. John Bosco (1815-1888). By the end of his life, Don Bosco had personally inspired 2,000 boys to become priests. 'Nuf said. Visit his relic's shrine in Torino (Turin) and you'll get the picture. **St Francis Xavier Bianchi** (1743-1815). St. Alphonsus inspired him to become a Barnabite priest; he became a holy man of miracles. The Neapolitans carried him to the rim of Mt. Vesuvius to stop flowing lava!

February 1: St. Brigid of Ireland (452-524). This abbess of Kildare (40 miles southwest of Dublin) was so holy – the nuns and the monks put themselves under her leadership in a double monastery. She allowed women to administer the precious blood – a scandal for the year 510!

February 2: St. Catherine dei Ricci (1522-1590). Ecstatic trances, bilocations, reliving the passion, stigmata, and mystical betrothal. This Florentine

Dominican did it all.

St. Théophane Vénard (1829-1861). The story of this French martyr (who died in Tonkin) so moved St. Thérèse de Lisieux that she clung to his relic and picture during her final illness.

February 3: St. Blaise (316+). We will bless throats at every Mass.

Feb 4: St. Rabanus Maurus (784-856) was born in Mainz, educated in Fulda and learned Greek, Hebrew and Syriac to be able to comment on the scriptures in Charlemagne's court library. Oh, and when we sing, veni creator spiritus? Yep, that one was penned by St. Rabanus himself.

one of the most beloved and invoked saints of all times.

“To everything there is a season...”

“A time to be born...”

“A time to die, a time to mourn...”

Patricia Goldsborough

Greg Basta

“A time to embrace, a time to love...”

Roman Burk & Maci Williamson

“A time to heal...”

“A time of peace and a time of war...”

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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.



Daily Readings		Mass Intentions
Heb Mk	11:32-40 5:1-20	MONDAY, January 30 7:00am Michael Kubik +
Heb Mk	12:1-4 5:21-43	TUESDAY, January 31 7:00am James W. Bailey Jr. + 2:00pm Ludovina Cubilla +
Heb Mk	12:4-7, 11-15 6:1-6	WEDNESDAY, February 1 7:00am Benedict XVI + 2:00pm Ludovina Cubilla +
Mal Heb Lk	3:1-4 2:14-18 2:22-40 or 2:22-39	THURSDAY, February 2 7:00am Benedict XVI + 2:00pm Robert & Mary Ann Vendrasco +
Heb Mk	10:32-39 4:26-34	FRIDAY, February 3 7:00am Rose Gatley + George Daidy +
Heb Mk	13:15-17, 20-21 6:30-34	SATURDAY, February 4 8:00am Douglas Bond + 5:00pm James Swift +
Is 1Cor Mt	58:7-10 2:1-5 5:13-16	SUNDAY, February 5 7:00am St. John's Parishioners 9:00am Ron & Dee Artim (L) 11:30am Helen Garrett +

*Please contact the parish office with Mass intentions. \$10 donation per intention



St. John's School OPEN HOUSE!

St. John's School will be hosting an Open House for prospective students in grades Pre-K through 8th grade on Friday, Feb. 3rd from 10am-1pm.

Tours of the school will be given and refreshments will be offered.

Please call the office for further details at 301-373-2142.

Upcoming Second Collections:
(Please make all checks payable to St. John's)

- ♦ Mar. 5th—Revitalization Fund
- ♦ Mar. 12th—Church in the Developing World

Parish Sacramental Life

BAPTISMS	MARRIAGES	SACRAMENT OF THE SICK	R.C.I.A
The Rite of Baptism is celebrated by appointment. Parents are required to meet with one of the priests and attend an obligatory preparation session preferably before the birth of your child. Call the rectory to schedule your appointment.	Arrangements must be made at least 6 months in advance of the ceremony. Please contact the Parish Rectory for more information.	Please notify the rectory when a parishioner would like to receive the sacraments and is homebound, in a nursing home, or in the hospital.	(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 Deacons.

Please contact the parish office for more information.



Tuesday Apologetics with Deacon Ken Scheiber

1/31 In Defense of Relics.

7:00pm

Upcoming Topics:

- 2/7 What is the Kingdom of God?
- 2/14 The Universal Call to Holiness
- 2/21 Why Evangelize?
- 2/28 In Defense of African Catholicism
- 3/7 Defending Catholic Missionary Activity in India
- 3/14 Defending Catholic Missionary Activity in Korea and Vietnam
- 3/21 Defending the Mass
- 3/28 Was the Miracle of the Resurrection of Lazarus real?



St John's 11th Annual Father/Daughter Dance

February 25, 2023
6-9 pm

Monsignor Harris Center
(Parish Hall)

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For More Information:

Dan or Esther Seep derseep@hotmail.com (757) 291-0262

Online: <https://fs2.formsite.com/stjohns/FDD23/index.html>

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At the Door: Tickets will be available at the door

All tickets can be picked up at Will Call tables.

Reid Silverman
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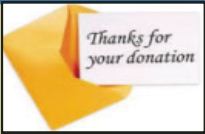
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Annual Donation Reports

Due to the increase in cost for mailing annual donation reports, we will not be doing a mass mailing this year.

If you would like a copy of your annual statement, please email: cannonj@sjchollywood.org or call the rectory at 301-373-2281, Monday-Thursday 9am - 4pm.

If you contribute through Faith Direct, they will send your statement before the end of



4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven." - Mt 5:10-12a

Excerpt from the Lectionary for Mass (©2001, 1996, 1970, CDD)

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Shadow Day At Saint John Paul II Seminary Friday, February 3, 2023

Young men in grades 11 and 12 (ages 15 to 17), who are interested in learning more about the priesthood, are invited to Saint John Paul II Seminary. This is an opportunity to meet, talk, and eat with seminarians; ask questions; attend class, Mass, and Adoration; and play sports. Please register at <https://dcpriest.org/2023-shadowday>.

Please contact Fr. Mark Ivany at vocations@adw.org or 202-636-9020 with any questions.



Quo Vadis Excursion and Hiking in Ft. Washington Park Sunday, February 19, 2023

Young men in high school, grades 9 to 12, who would like to learn more about the priesthood are invited to spend time with seminarians and priests, and other young men who are open to the priesthood.

The day includes Mass, lunch, hiking, and talks, and transportation to and from Ft. Washington Park. Please register at <https://dcpriest.org/2023-ft-washington-excursion>.

Please contact Fr. Mark Ivany at vocations@adw.org or 202-636-9020 with any questions.



BULLETIN INSERTS

Please contact the parish office with any bulletin inserts or announcements 10 days prior to that bulletin date.

Please include any images to add in your email. *Please note, we have a limited amount of space.

Email announcements and inserts to: smiths@sjchollywood.org

The St. John's Charitable Society (SJCS) continues to serve our community through the aid of your donations. Thanks especially to everyone who contributed to the collection to support SJCS on Thanksgiving! Unfortunately, the funds for the St. John's Charitable Society are still rather low.

We need your help to continue to serve the needy in our community. As many local organizations are experiencing heavier than normal volume of calls for help, we are finding that many of our callers need more help financially than we are able to provide.

We ask that you consider donating to the St. John's Charitable Society so we can continue to assist the local St. Mary's residents. At SJCS we are grateful for your continued financial support and prayers as we help those in need. Contributions can be made in the poor boxes around the entrances to the church.

ACCOUNTANT Wanted

St. John's Parish is looking for an Accountant.

This is a full-time, exempt position with retirement and benefits!

If you are interested, send your resume to:
sjfinance@sjhollywood.org.

Please spread the word!

We need your Palms!!



St. John's has a beautiful tradition of burning old palms to create ashes for Ash Wednesday.

Please bring in your old palms and place them in the basket as you enter the front of the church.



Confession

The Sacrament of Confession, also known as Reconciliation, is a beautiful opportunity that allows all of us to renounce the sins we have committed and seek absolution.

In His endless mercy and love, God absolves us of our sins and forgives our mistakes, allowing us to reconcile with the Church and God. The meaning of confession and its value helps you realize your mistakes and cleanse your soul of sin.

For more, please visit: catholicworldmission.org



Bingo Sundays: Doors open at 4:30pm, games start at 6pm! Pull tabs and food for sale.

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