Mass Times

Sunday 7am, 9am, 11:30am

> Saturday 8am, 5pm Vigil

> Monday-Friday 7am

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

Confessions

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

Adoration

Monday-Friday 6am-7am

Saturday 6:30am-7:30am

Rosary

Monday-Friday 7:30am

Saturday 4:30pm

Sunday 6:30am

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St. John Francis Regis

May 4, 2025

Third Sunday of Easter



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Sunday Classes

Grades K-12 0:15am-11:15am

The program 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."

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St. John of Avila, Pray for us!

May 6th: St Francois Laval de Quebec (1623-

1708) was a distinguished French priest who couldn't reach Vietnamese missions so he was appointed to Quebec missions instead. He fought for 49 years in brutal pioneer Quebec to assist the "first peoples", build a seminary as first bishop to the city. We prayed at his tomb in the Cathedral.

May 7th: St Flavia
Domitilla (90+) was the proconsul's niece and was preaching Jesus Christ! The emperor needed to make an example of her and she died in exile, banished to the island of Ponza.

Saints Alive!

May 8th: Bd Catherine of St.

Augustine (1632-1688) is an amazing
Augustinian nun who poured out he life
in Quebec. She exemplifies high
mysticism and exceptional nursing care
to the pioneers of New France. Her
spiritual director was the martyred Saint
Jean de Brebeuf who would appear to her
and from whom she takes dictation.

May 9th: St Pachomius (292-346) is the founder of all coenobitic (community dwelling) monasticism in the world. What an organizer and what a love for scripture! (which he would memorize by heart in long night-time vigils) He would inspire St Benedict of Nursia— and the rest is history!

May 10: Blessed Nicholas

Albergati (1375-1443) The Angel of Peace' was his nickname –because of the uncanny way this Papal Legate and Carthusian monk from Bologna brought mediation to various warring city states. I like him since 1977 when I studied the beautiful reallife portrait of the saint executed by Jan van Eyck.

St. John of Avila (1500-1569) Spanish priest and mystic who just happened to have friends named St. Teresa of Avila and St. Ignatius of Loyola, St. Francis Borgia and St. John of God. He desired to preach in the missions of Mexico, but his bishop saw the success of his preaching and kept him in Andalusia.

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.



"To everything there is a season..."

"A time to be born..."

Ronan Christian Mia Christian Isabelle Christian Aria Lagasse Nora Clarke "A time to die, a time to mourn..."

Regina Jackson

Mary Catherine Clark

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

Bill Orr & Annette Clark James Jordan & Virginia Tolbert

"A time to heal..."

Benjamin Harman, Diane Harmis, Dorothy Baber Harper, Andy Hazel, Karen Henry, Leon Hill, Abby Hoffman, Crystal Howard, Johnita Jackson, Walter Johnson, Juanita Johnson, Albert Johnson, Carolyn Jones, Pamela Jones, Richie Jones, Ranjit Kaur, John Kilroy III, Nancy Lavoie, Ann Lacey, Robin Lawrence, Richard Law, Marie Lefebvre, Aiden Lindemann, Rose Marks, Michelle Mattingly, Maria McGuigan, Natalie Miller, Pat Modlin, Doug Morgan, Ronnie Murphy, Jane Newberry, Debbie Norris "A time of peace and a time of war..."

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LTJG David Berlin, USN;
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We are praying for our military families at home, and abroad.

Parish Sacramental Life

BAPTISMS

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.

MARRIAGES

Couples seeking to be married in the Church are required to contact the parish office and make arrangements at least 6 months in advance of the ceremony.

Please contact the rectory for more information.

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.

O.C.I.A

(Order 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.

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

- May 11 National Shrine Renewal Project
- May 25 Catholic Communication
- June 1 St. John's Revitalization Fund
- June 8 Msgr. Harris Scholarship Fund
- ♦ June 22 Peter's Pence Collection

St. John's Confession Schedule

Saturday, May 10

Confessions will be held from 4-4:45pm.

Sunday, May 11

Confessions will be held during all Masses.



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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Saint John's Charitable Society

To learn more about SJCS, contact us at 240-298-7645 or email us at:

sicsvicepres@sichollywood.org.

You can help build hope in your local community!

Heavenly Presents Catholic Store

Need a gift for your special someone receiving their First Communion or Confirmation. Stop by Heavenly Presents, 22697 Washington Street, Leonardtown, MD. When shopping for a specific item that would need to be special ordered, like a Patron Saint Medal for Confirmation, please be sure to give us ample notice to place the order so that it arrives timely! Managed by volunteers, Heavenly Presents is a Catholic store ministry of the Bread of Life Center for Peace – a non profit Catholic organization serving our Catholic community. Check us on out Facebook or our ministry website: www.breadoflifecenterforpeace.org. We are closed Sunday and Monday. Feel free to call us at (301) 475-9770. Thank you for your support and patronage.



ST. JOHN'S EVENTS



May 4
Pancake Breakfast
9-11am

<u>May 7</u> Conclave Begins in Rome

> May 12-22 Italy Pilgrimage with Fr. Ray

<u>May 7</u> Confirmation Rehearsal & Confessions

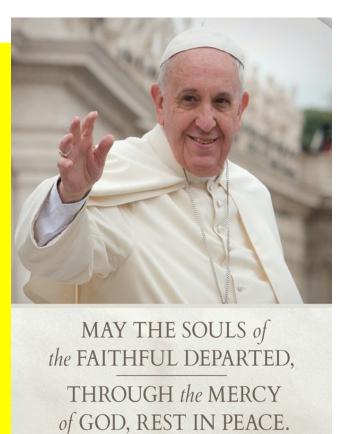
6pm

May 10
First Communion Rehearsal
& Confessions
9am-11am

<u>May 16-17</u> SJS School Musical

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	Daily Readings	Mass Intentions
Acts Jn	6:8-15 6:22-29	MONDAY, May 5 7:00am Richard D. Tippett Jr.+
Acts Jn	7:51-8:1a 6:30-35	TUESDAY, May 6 7:00am Richard Stone+
Acts Jn	8:1b-8 6:35-40	WEDNESDAY, May 7 7:00am Margaret Bowles+
Acts Jn	8:26-40 6:44-51	THURSDAY, May 8 7:00am Larry Forte, Sr.+
Acts Jn	9:1-20 6:52-59	FRIDAY, May 9 7:00am Margaret E. Bowles+
Acts Jn	9:31-42 6:60-69	SATURDAY, May 10 8:00am Margaret E. Bowles+ 5:00pm Laurie Ribeiro+
Acts Rv Jn	13:14, 43-52 7:9, 14b-17 10:27-30	SUNDAY, May 11 7:00am St. John's Parishioners 9:00am Cheryl Drury Norton+ 11:30am Jackie Abell+
		+ Deceased (L) Living



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TUESDAY

Apologetics with Deacon Ken Scheiber

5/6 What is a Deacon?

7 pm - St. Jude Room - Msgr. Harris Center

5/13 Catholic Critiques of Islam

5/20 Is there a real Right and Wrong?

5/27 Evils in the Name of Religion Don't Shake My Faith

HOUSE BLESSINGS - If you would like your home blessed, please call our parish office at 301-373-2281 to make an appointment with Father Ray or Father Braam.

God Bless this Home and All Who Enter



PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9am - 4pm

Closed daily for Lunch - 12:30pm - 1:00pm Parish Office Phone Number: 301-373-2281 Jackie Cannon/Secretary:

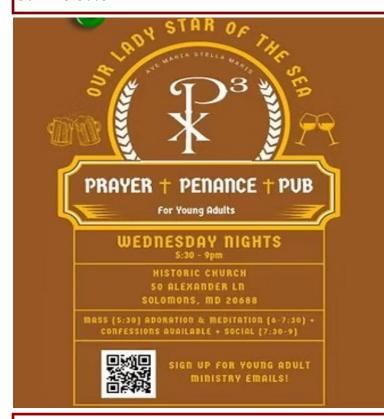
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We are here for you!

CATHOLIC CEMETERY needs your help to maintain the beauty and dignity of the sacred ground by following the cemetery regulations:

- Fresh flowers are welcome all year.
- Artificial flowers allowed only from November 15 until March 15.
- Flowers of any type will be removed by the cemetery grounds keeper when they become unsightly or the particular season/holiday is over.
- Other decorations such as glass containers, candles, lights, metal staffs, benches or chairs, etc. are prohibited and subject to immediate removal.
- Individual planting of trees, shrubs, flowers etc. are not allowed.
- Please keep it simple excess items may be removed.

For more information or assistance, please call Catholic Cemeteries of Southern Maryland directly at 301-475-5005.



Conclave Prayer

O God, eternal shepherd, who govern your flock with unfailing care, grant in your boundless fatherly love a pastor for your Church who will please you by his holiness and to us show watchful care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.



The Kalnasy Concert Series

presents

The Southern Maryland Flute Choir and

The St. Aloysius Handbell Choir

in concert at

St. Aloysius Catholic Church Leonardtown, MD

Sunday, May 11, 2025 at 3:00 PM



Fiat! In conjunction with Paradisus Dei will start our second season on Tues, 2/14/25. "The Ten Virtues of Mary." For more info: tavarez5@att.net



That Man Is You (2 Samuel 12:7)

Saturdays @ 6:00 AM – 7:30 AM Monsignor Harris Center



St. John's Men's Ministry Group (SJMG) Fortes in Fide exists to serve the spiritual needs of men, single & married.

Saturdays @ 6:45am St. Jude's Rm

Contact: Dan Seep, 757-291-0262, Derseep@hotmail.com Proverbs 27:17

May Altars

The Seventh District parishes of Sacred Heart and Holy Angels will host May Altars as a celebration to honor Our Blessed Mother. A May altar is made in each home to honor Our Lady during the month of May. A May altar consists of a small table, tablecloth, and a statue of the Blessed Mother in the center with flowers.

We invite families to view our beautifully displayed May Altars at the Sacred Heart Hall (23080 Maddox Rd, Bushwood) on Saturday, May 10 (2PM-6PM); Sunday, May 11 (7AM-1PM); and Monday, May 12 (10AM-4PM).

Green Team Tips Grass lawns look good but offer minimal environmental benefits. Try to reduce your lawn acreage, let some areas grow a little wild, cut at 3" or more, minimize fertilizing, minimize weedkillers.

Drive-thru-only Dinner

at

Immaculate Conception





Sunday, May 4th, 2025

from 12:00 noon until 3:00 pm

Menu

Fried Chicken, Crab Balls, Ham, Shrimp Salad Parsley Potatoes, Green Beans, Coleslaw, Dinner Roll & Butter and Chunky Applesauce.

\$30.00 per dinner

Please visit ICChurchMD.org/annual-parish-dinner-may
Click on "Parish Dinner" to order and pay for your dinner by
Monday, April 28th, 2025.

Bulletin Requests

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. We do not have room for full page flyers or documents.

Email announcements and inserts to: mattuzdavinis@sjchollywood.org



