

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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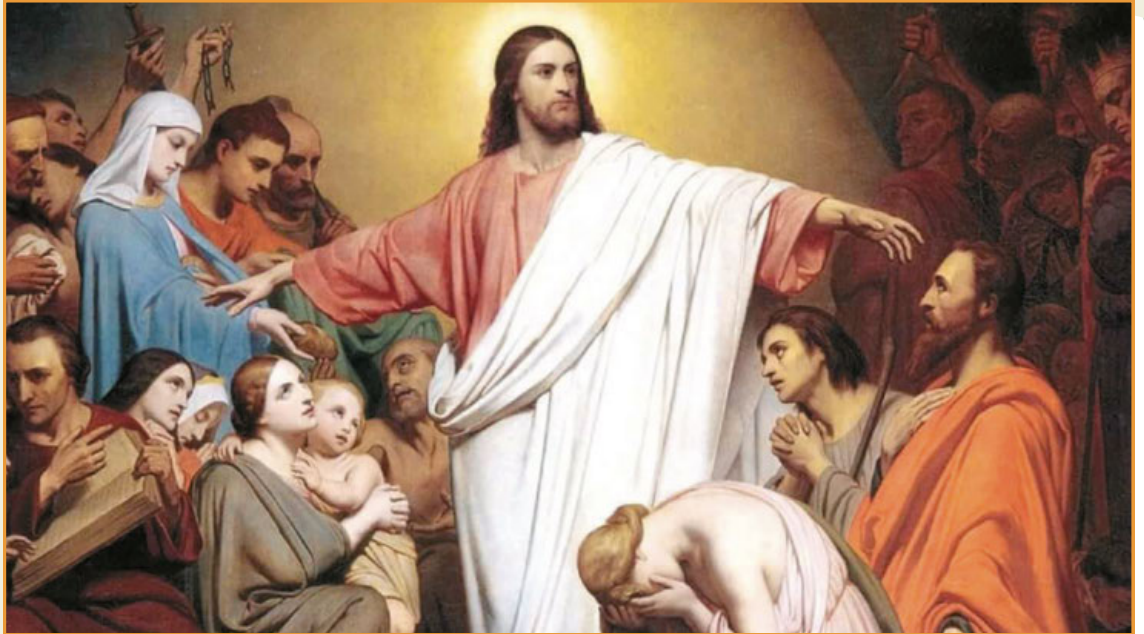
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Monday-Thursday: 9am-4pm

St. John Francis Regis

February 12th, 2023

Sixth 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. Claude La Colombière
Pray for us!

Feb 13: Bd. Jordan of Saxony (1177- 1237). The German second-in-command of the Dominican Order, provided significant material on St. Dominic but has also left detailed insight into his personality through a series of letters written to Bd. Diana d'Andalo (whose relics we venerate in Bologna).

Feb 14: St. Cyril (827-869) and **St. Methodius** (815-884). These brothers are venerated as the apostles to the southern Slavic peoples. They created the Slavonic language and alphabet for the purpose of worship. St. Cyril died this day in 869 and is buried in the church of San Clemente (since he discovered the relics of Saint Clement, pope.) When in Rome, pray before the tombs of Cyril, especially if Slavic blood flows through your veins!

Feb 15: St. Claude La Colombière (1641-1682). A

gracious and kindly Jesuit who spent years preaching in my beloved second home in Avignon, but whose life was transformed by the conversations with his spiritual directee in Paray le Monial, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque. We have the devotion to the Sacred Heart today, because he believed her. He was almost martyred in London. His time in jail destroyed his health: he died at 41 years of age.

Feb 17: 7 Founders of the Servite Order (13th century) were a great group of men from Florence who were bound together out of love for Mary, under the title of Our Lady of the 7 Sorrows. But what about the martyr **St. Francis Régis Clet** (1748- 1820)? A Lazarist priest from Grenoble who worked for 30 years in the interior of China in Wuchang, in the province of Hupeh. He was tortured and slowly strangled to death at the age of 72. I was given his relic which I will always expose for veneration on this day.

Feb 18: Bd. John of Fiesole (1400-1455) is known to the world as Fra Angelico (a painter so fine they even named a liqueur after him) Visit his marvels at the San Marco 'museum' in Florence; pray at his tomb at Sopre Minerva in Rome. His spiritual father is St. Antoninus -- his artistic father is Lorenzo Monaco. He blends art and Dominican spirituality effortlessly. in London.

Feb 21: St. Peter Damian (1007-1072) This cardinal of the Church who was born in beautiful Ravenna, offered stinging rebukes to the pope: his major work, the Book of Sodom, is a book that could have been written in the 1980's instead of the 1050's. He is now a doctor of the Church.

“To everything there is a season...”

“A time to be born...”

“A time to die, a time to mourn...”

Benetierose Fernandes

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

John Padgett & Kayla Hayden

Jacob Norris & Megan Heinrich

“A time to heal...”

Jordyn Rose O'Connor,
Jalen Penaflor, Barbara Jean Pilkerton,
John & Ethel Pilkerton, Robin Poe,
Frances Powers, Hannah Rainer,
Maria Robey, Hal Richards, Judy Roa,
Suzanne Saurel, Shirley Johnson Sellner,
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Viverette, James Wallace, Ronnie Ward,
Johnny Wathen, Francis Watts, Laura Wible,
Eleanor Wood, Jill Wood, Damian Worrell
and Luzina Yorkshire

“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.



Parish Sacramental Life

<p>BAPTISMS</p> <p>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.</p>	<p>MARRIAGES</p> <p>Arrangements must be made at least 6 months in advance of the ceremony.</p> <p>Please contact the Parish Rectory for more information.</p>	<p>SACRAMENT OF THE SICK</p> <p>Please notify the rectory when a parishioner would like to receive the sacraments and is homebound, in a nursing home, or in the hospital.</p>	<p>R.C.I.A</p> <p>(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.</p>
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*Individual spiritual guidance is offered by our Priests and Deacons.
Please contact the parish office for more information.
301-373-2281*



2023 Annual Appeal: Many Ministries, One Church | This weekend parishioners are being asked prayerfully to consider making a gift to the 2023 Annual Appeal. Please complete or take a commitment form at Mass this weekend, or make your gift at give.adw.org. Visit appeal.adw.org to learn more about how the Annual Appeal benefits our parish and serves people in need throughout the archdiocese. It is our goal that every parish family will participate this year. All gifts will be credited towards our parish goal. Thank you in advance for your generous response to the 2023 Annual Appeal.

 * Prayer of the Faithful *
 * 'That we may see the work of the Annual Appeal as an opportunity *
 * to extend ourselves in love and service beyond the boundaries of *
 * our parish, let us pray to the Lord.' *



give.adw.org

Daily Readings		Mass Intentions
Gn Mk	4:1-15 8:11-13	<u>MONDAY, February 13</u> 7:00am Joseph Bowles +
Gn Mk	6:5-8; 7:1-5 7:1-13	<u>TUESDAY, February 14</u> 7:00am Benedict XVI + 2:00pm St. John's School Staff
Gn Mk	2:4b, 915-17 8:14-21	<u>WEDNESDAY, February 15</u> 7:00am James W. Bailey Jr. + 2:00pm Patricia Anne Goldsborough +
Gn Mk	9:1-13 8:27-33	<u>THURSDAY, February 16</u> 7:00am Margaret Kuhn + 2:00pm Benedict XVI +
Gn Mk	11:11-9 9:2-13	<u>FRIDAY, February 17</u> 7:00am Benedict XVI
Heb Mk	11:1-7 8:1-10	<u>SATURDAY, February 18</u> 8:00am Dickie Norris + 5:00pm John & Elizabeth Cameron +
Lv 1Cor Mt	19:1-2, 17-18 3:16-23 5:38-48	<u>SUNDAY, February 19</u> 7:00am Richard P. Fundstein + 9:00am St. John's Parishioners 11:30am Jim Bailey +

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



KING CAKE PICKUP TIMES

Saturday, Feb. 18

9:00am-12:00am

Monsignor Harris Center

Upcoming Second Collections:

(Please make all checks payable to St. John's)

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

**Tuesday
Apologetics with Deacon Ken Scheiber**

2/14 The Universal Call to Holiness

7 pm

St. Jude Room - Msgr. Harris Center

Upcoming Topics:

2/21 Why Evangelize?

2/28 In Defense of African Catholicism

3/7 Defending Catholic Missionary Activity in India

Check out St. John's Upcoming Events!

2/18 - King Cake pick-up 9am — 12:00pm & KOC Contra Dance 1pm - 9pm

2/19 - K of C Donut Social - 9am - 11:00am

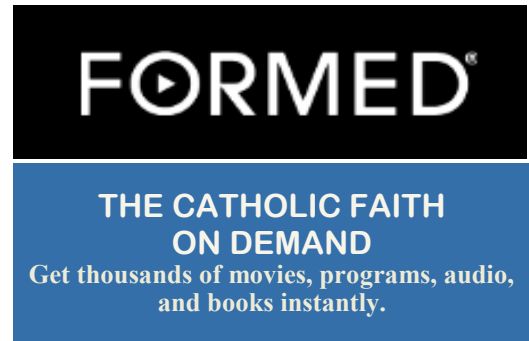
2/20 - Parish Office Closed for President's Day. K of C Council Mtg & District Free Throw Contest - 8:00am - 3:00pm

2/21 - Shrove Tuesday Pancake & Palm Burning 5:30pm - 7:30pm.

2/22 - Ash Wednesday Masses: 7am, 2pm, 5pm, & 7pm.

Great Parish Resource: FORMED

To start, go to formed.org, click "Sign up as a Parishioner," enter either our zip code (20636) or St John Francis Regis, enter your name and email address, and then start enjoying the free Catholic movies, books, podcasts and talks, bible studies, daily reflections, and so much more content.



CHESTERTON ACADEMY OF ST. MARY'S
 Middle School
 Movie Night
 Friday, February 24, 2023
 6:00 - 8:00

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 or Scan QR Code
 Movie and 1st Popcorn are free!
 \$2 Hot Chocolates with full hot chocolate bar
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Don't forget to bring in your old 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.

Care Net Baby Shower

The annual **Care Net Baby Shower** is **Sunday, February 26th** following the 11:30AM Mass. Please bring new baby items (unwrapped) to donate and have a complimentary lunch provided by the Knights of Columbus. Donate baby items all of February by dropping them in the pack n play in the MHC lobby. Come join us for an uplifting afternoon affirming the **sanctity of life!**

Fiat!
Ponder
 Tuesdays @ 7:00pm - 8:15pm,
 Msgr. Harris Center

That Man Is You (2 Samuel 12:7)
The Battle Over the Bride
 Saturdays @ 6:00 AM – 7:30 AM
 Msgr. Harris Center

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@sjhollywood.org

The St. John's Charitable Society (SJCS) continues to serve our community through the aid of your donations. Unfortunately, the charitable funds throughout the community including here at the SJCS are running 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.

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.



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!

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@sjhollywood.org or call the parish office at 301-373-2281, Monday-Thursday 9am - 4pm.

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



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

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