

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 18, 2025

Fifth Sunday of Easter



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Gabe Ichniowski
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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."



**St. Rita of Cascia,
Pray for us!**

May 19th: St Peter

Celestine (1210-1296) is the first pope to retire, and was a special patron for Pope Benedict XVI for obvious reasons. A hermit priest, Peter founded a group of Benedictine style hermits called 'Celestines', and was appointed pope at the age of 85. He was utterly unworldly and politically naïve. He simply quit and told the cardinals to get back to work.

May 20th: St Bernardino of

Sienna (1380–1444) How many times have we heard the question, what does IHS mean? This glorious Franciscan priest strengthened his voice so it would carry through even open air pulpits as he denounced gambling, witchcraft, usury and superstition through the power of these three letters. The number of Franciscan vocations increased tenfold.

Saints Alive!

Conversions abound in his steps. IHS? **Iesus Hominum Salvator.**

May 21st: Blessed Charles de

Mazenod (1782-1861) Born in Aix-en-Provence, this bishop of Marseilles founded the missionary oblates of Mary Immaculate. I like him because his parents divorced when he was young-and understands that special kind of family wound the we all know too well.

May 22nd: St. Rita of Cascia (1377-

1457) Augustinian nun and mystic who is the patron saint for desperate cases. Her Husband and their sons were murdered in vendetta attacks. She then went on to become one of the most venerated saints of all times. I have it on good authority that she recently appeared and cast out a demon at a recent exorcism.

May 23rd: SS. Montanus, Lucius and

others (259+) eye-witnesses wrote down the details of their martyrdom in ancient Carthage under Valerian. We know their

exact words from prison cell dictation of Flavian.

May 24th: St. David of Scotland (1085-1153)

When your mom is St. Margaret of Scotland, sainthood was not optional. He strengthened the Scottish church from Perth to Edinburgh; trade flourished across the land. St. Aelred of Rievaulx preached the funeral panegyric in glowing terms.

May 25th: St. Gregory VII Hildebrand (1021-

1085) Pray at his tomb in Salerno and read about his boldness in dealing with secular power. A champion of Church liberty and priestly holiness.

“To everything there is a season...”

“A time to be born...”
Carmela Marie Winslow

“A time to die, a time to mourn...”

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

MaryRose Depperschmidt & John Andrikos
Maria Schwartz & Matthew Uzdavinis

“A time to heal...”

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

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

CPT Brett Gambacorta, USA;
Michael Gill, USA;
LCpl Zachary Gilstrap, USMC;
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LCDR John Taylor Gregg, USN;
Ann Hummel LCDR MSC USN;
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CPL Ryan McLean, USMC;
CPT Andrew Mengle, USA;
Maj T. B. Missler, USMC;
Richard Paul, Jr; SPEC
Ashley Pakatar, 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.



**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.

Upcoming Second Collections:

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

- ♦ 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 24

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

Sunday, May 25

Confessions will be heard during all Sunday Masses!



Eucharistic Adoration & Worship Night



Sunday
May 18, 2025

6pm to 7:30pm
(Doors Open at 5:30pm)

St. Aloysius Church
Leonardtown, Maryland

Mary, Mother of the Eucharist, pray for us!

Adoration
Reflection
Prayer & Quiet Time



Music provided by:

Fiat



Let it be done...



This event is offered to you through the Bread of Life Center for Peace, serving our Catholic community.
Contact us at: (301) 475-7139
www.breadoflifecenterforpeace.org

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Saint John's Charitable Society

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

sjcsvicepres@sjchollywood.org

You can help build hope in your local community!



ST. JOHN'S EVENTS



May 17-18

Cross Catholic Priest In-Town For Weekend Masses

May 18

Donut Social
9-11am

May 22

SJS State of the School
6:30pm

May 26

Rectory Office Closed
Memorial Day

May 29

SJS Golf Tournament

June 1

Pancake Breakfast
8am-11am

Daily Readings

Mass Intentions

Acts 14:5-18
Jn 14:21-26

MONDAY, May 19
7:00am **James G. Wood+**

Acts 14:19-28
Jn 14:27-31a

TUESDAY, May 20
7:00am **James G. Wood+**

Acts 15:1-6
Jn 15:1-8

WEDNESDAY, May 21
7:00am **Ada Marie Joy+**

Acts 15:7-21
Jn 15:9-11

THURSDAY, May 22
7:00am **Richard D. Tippet Jr.+**

Acts 15:22-31
Jn 15:12-17

FRIDAY, May 23
7:00am **Ada Marie Joy+**

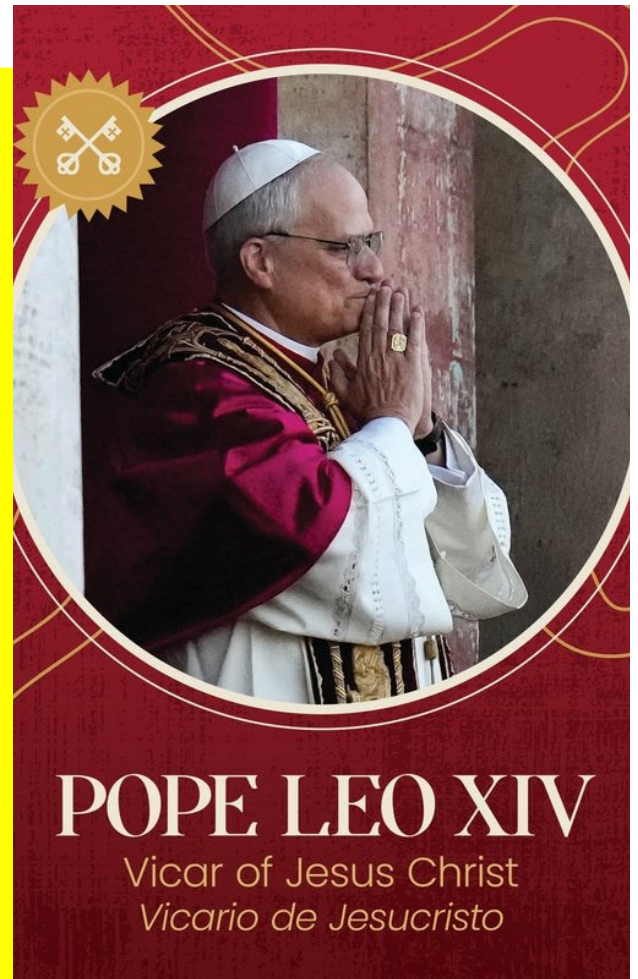
Acts 16:1-10
Jn 15:18-21

SATURDAY, May 24
8:00am **Ada Marie Joy+**
5:00pm **Catherine Christman+ and
Jacob Bauserman+**

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29
Rv 21:10-14, 22-23
Jn 14:23-29

SUNDAY, May 25
7:00am **Daniel D. Hammett+**
9:00am **Bernadette Forte (L)**
11:30am **St. John's Parishioners**

+ Deceased (L) Living



TUESDAY

Apologetics with Deacon Ken Scheiber

5/20 Is there a real Right and Wrong?

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

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
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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**.

Confirmation Congratulations!

Congratulations to our parish and school students who received the sacrament of Confirmation on May 8th. Bishop Evelio Menjivar presided. We would like to also extend a special thank you to Mr. Jonathan DeMauro and Mr. Jerry Swift, the Catechists who prepared our youth, for all of their time and efforts in preparation for this sacrament.

The children are:

Grady Abell
Jennifer Anderson
Kara Angus
Adalyn Baumann
Aubree Brensinger
Arianna Ceasar
Harrison Davis
Cecilia Dempsey
Hudson Farr
Gabriel Gill
McKenzie Guiles
Connor House
Jack Johnson
Natalia Linger
Michael Lisa
Jack Loewe
Trevor Loy
Emily Pilkerton
Catherine Quade
Colton Quade
Mason Raley
Ella Rogers
Helen Rogers
Gianna Semanchick
Jonathan Shill
Austin St. Germain
Laci Tennyson
Addison Wathen
Morgan Welch
Abrielle Widmayer
Jude Williams

Holy Hour for Vocations at St. Aloysius, Friday, June 6

St. Aloysius in Leonardtown will host Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday, June 6, 6:30-7:30 p.m. for the intention of Vocations. All are invited! St. Aloysius Catholic Church is located at 22800 Washington St, Leonardtown MD 20650. Note that St. Aloysius is a Jubilee Year Pilgrimage Site, so take advantage of the special graces offered for praying there! Please plan to join MTVS members and other members of the faithful in asking the Lord for good and holy priests and religious and to bless those currently in formation or in service to the Church. In confident hope, let us ask the Master of the Harvest to send out laborers for His harvest (Mt. 9:38).



Dylan Schneider Orthodontics
Dylan Schneider, DDS, MS, LLC
www.schneiderbraces.com

presents
2025 Annual St. John's School Golf Tournament
Thursday, May 29th, 2025
Breton Bay Golf and Country Club

8:00 am Check in	Prizes
8:45 am Putting Contest	Contests
9:00 am Shotgun Start	Drawings

Breakfast, Lunch, and Beverages Included
Fees: \$125/person, \$500/foursome
Junior players welcome! \$75

Contact us
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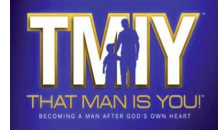
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St John's School Golf Tournament

Come support St John's Catholic School in Hollywood, MD. Your support helps us to preserve education, spirituality, and community. Thank you!

St John's Catholic School | 43927 St Johns Rd | Hollywood, MD | 20636



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

Green Team Tips Leaving your heat pump thermostat at a constant temperature is generally most efficient overall. Setting the temp back for extended days when the house is unoccupied also saves.

Support Local Catholic History!

Join the Maryland House & Garden Pilgrimage

Saturday, May 31, 2025 | 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM (Rain or Shine)

Explore private historic homes and waterfront gardens in St. Mary's County.

This year's event benefits the restoration of St. Ignatius Church in St. Inigoes – one of the oldest Catholic churches in the United States.

Tickets: \$40 | Purchase online:
www.mhgp.org

Questions: Contact Beth Bonifant ,
Email: LBethBonifant@gmail.com
Phone: 301-861-6112



Cross Catholic Outreach Weekend

Please welcome Fr. Kintiba, who will speak at all the Masses on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach, which was founded to forge a stronger and more supportive link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns serving the poor in the Caribbean, Africa, Southeast Asia, and Central and South America. Please be generous in your response to Fr. Kintiba's appeal. Brochures will be provided if you wish to support this worthy Catholic ministry.

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@sjhollywood.org

