Mass Times

Sunday 7am, 9am, 11:30am

> Saturday 8am, 5pm Vigil

> Monday-Friday 7am

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

Confessions

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

Rosary

Monday-Friday 7:30am

Saturday 4:30pm

Sunday 6:30am

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St. John Francis Regis

September 19th, 2021

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

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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."

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September 19:

St. Januarius (305) !San Gennaro! He is the beloved martyred Bishop of Naples, most famous for the liquefying of his blood. We'll see today if his blood boils what with the current state of the Church!

September 20: St. Andrew Kim (1820-1846) is the first native-born Korean priest, ordained in August in Shanghai, arrested in June the following year, and beheaded on this day at Saenamt'o, Korea. He had an impressive personality, intellect, and fluency with languages. 103 martyrs are specially commemorated on this day as well.

September 21: St. Matthew (1st Century) is the evangelist who died of natural causes, and whose

Saints Alive!

relics were taken from Ethiopia to Brittany to Salerno. We love the name changes: he is also called Levi and "son of Alpheus" (But hey, tax changers need to change their names sometimes.) We have grown fond of this crypt relics shrine at Salerno's cathedral.

September 22: St. Felix IV, Pope (530) was crushed between Goths and Byzantines in political intrigue, but found time to craft the glorious teachings about grace at the council of Orange and transform Vespasian's library in the Roman forum into the church of SS. Cosmas and Damian.

September 23: St. Pio of
Pietrelcina (1887-1968). The
people love a wonder-worker
– someone who can bi-locate,
receive the transverberation of
the heart and the stigmata,
read minds, and provide
miraculous cures. But did he
suffer! Intense suffering
accompanies such
preternatural gifts.

September 24: St. Pacifico of San Severino (1653-1721) was a Franciscan priest who, by the age of 35, was becoming deaf, blind and crippled, and yet rewarded with supernatural senses of clairvoyance to compensate.

September 25: St. Vincent
Strambi (1745-1824) became
a Passionist priest and bishop,
known for his insistence on all
priests singing Gregorian
chant. The result: a genuine
liturgically-based fervor in his
diocese.

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..."

Caeli Grace Schwartz

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

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

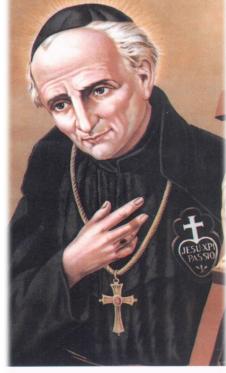
"A time to heal..."

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,
Taylor Theriot, USMC;
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
SSgt JanCarlo Torres, USAF;
Staff Sgt Jason W. Walker, USA;
AIC Jack Whinnery, USAF;
PVT Bradley William, USA.

Daily Readings		Mass Intentions
Ezra Luke	1:1-6, 8:16-18	MONDAY, Sept. 20 7:00am Mike Sharkey+
Ephesians Matthew	4:1-7, 11-13, 9:9-13,	TUESDAY, Sept. 21 7:00am Bobby Vallandingham+
Ezra Luke	9:5-9, 9:1-6	WEDNESDAY, Sept. 22 7:00am Danny Papp (L)
Haggai Luke	1:1-8, 9:7-9	THURSDAY, Sept. 23 7:00am Danny Murphy +
Haggai Luke	2:1-9, 9:18-22	FRIDAY, Sept. 24 7:00am Bobby Vallandingham+
Zechariah Luke	2:5-9, 14-15a, 9:43b-45	SATURDAY, Sept. 25 8:00am Betty & Bill Sharpe + 5:00pm Michael T. Norris Sr. +
Numbers James Mark	11:25-29, 5:1-6, 9:38-43,47-48	SUNDAY Sept. 26 7:00am Brenda & Mike Adams (L) 50th Anv. 9:00am St. John's Parish 11:30am Hellen Mckay + +deceased, (L) Living



S. VINCENZO M. STRAMBI

<u>Up Coming Second Collection:</u>

- Sept. 26th Belize Mission
- ◆ Oct. 3rd St. John's Revitalization Fund (*Please Make all Checks payable to St. John's*)

*Please Note the Mass Schedule Change *
As of September 20th there will be only one daily Mass said.
Mass will be celebrated at 7AM

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

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Would you like to receive any of the sacraments of initiation such as baptism, confirmation, or first communion? If so, the Holy Spirit is trying to speak with you right now! The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) program resumes on Sunday September 12th. Class will meet in the St. Jude Room between the end of the 9am mass and the beginning of the 1130am mass... so 10am-11:15am.

Even if you have completed your sacraments of initiation, please be an evangelist by informing other people of this opportunity to learn more about the faith.

The RCIA program explains the major dogmas of the faith including: the importance of faith and authority, the divinity of Christ, the Trinity, making a good confession, the real presence of the Eucharist, proper understanding of the 10 Commandments.

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.

Come join us in wishing Fr. Nicholas Morrison farewell, as he heads back to Rome to finish his studies. He will be saying his goodbyes after the Sunday Masses this weekend. We will be having a Farewell Reception in his honor after the 9AM Mass. All are welcome to attend.

<u>Calling all young men and</u> 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

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receive a blessed rosary from FIAT! That's it, we will set up everything else.



<u>CATHOLIC MEN</u> <u>Saturday Mornings from 6:30-8:00AM</u>

SOUTHERN MARYLAND

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

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





St. John's Bingo is back! Come join us Sundays. Doors open at 4:30pm with bingo games starting at 6pm. We have pull tabs and food!

Sept 5 Prize Values: -Starburst = \$4,100 -Jackpot = \$5,400

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Status of St. John's/SCN Mission Activities

Mission #15:

The "St. John's Mary Mileto House" has been postponed multiple times due to the COVID-19 pandemic and is currently scheduled for <u>6-12 March 2022</u>. Due to the postponements and the rising cost of materials, an additional \$1,300 was sent for the increased costs.

Mission #16:





Amazingly, St. John's is venturing on the groundwork plans for their 16th mission! So much has been accomplished by St. John's in the last 7 years in so many mission areas throughout the world, and in our own country – Belize City, Belize; Botswana, Africa; Las Flores, Belize; Crow Reservation, Pryor, Montana; Dunbar, Pennsylvania; and Durant, Mississippi. Efforts included building houses, repairing homes, working in desolate school mission areas, painting schools, laying block, pouring concrete, and assisting with disaster relief. You have helped change many people's lives. A request for volunteers will be sought at a later date via the bulletin. It has not been determined whether the next mission will be inside or outside the Continental United States.

Our annual mission collection will be held next weekend, 25-26 September 2021. The current cost to build a 16' x 20' two-room house in Belize has increased to \$8,200, which includes plumbing, aluminum shutters, and electric. Whatever the mission, our focus is on meeting people, learning about other cultures, making friends and sharing faith, while we work side-by-side with people in need. We know it has been a difficult year, but any help you can give would be so appreciated. Make your check payable to St. John's Church and in the memo line write: "Belize Missions".

Any questions, please call Laverne Schaefer at 240-298-2235.

BULLETIN INSERTS

"SJCS HOPE for the HUNGRY" FOOD DRIVE

Help us fight hunger and feed hope here in St. Mary's County!

Every Third Sunday of the Month— September 19th



The following items make up the core contents of an emergency supply of food for families in need and are greatly appreciated to stock local food pantries:

Cereal or oatmeal Shelf-stable 100% juice Applesauce (in plastic)
Shelf-stable milk Peanut butter Pancake mix and syrup

Crackers (saltines) Jelly Cans of vegetables

Soup Rice Cans of fruit

Beef or Chicken Stew Macaroni and Cheese

Spaghetti/pasta Cans of protein (tuna/chicken/ham)

Spaghetti sauce (in cans or plastic)

Please do not donate perishable items or items packaged in glass.

All items are placed in the storage shelves/cubbies outside the sacristy. For more information or questions, please email: until.the.morning.star.rises@gmail.com.

Thank you for making a difference in our community!

TMIY: Becoming a Man After God's Own Heart

That Man is You! is an interactive men's program that combines the latest findings of modern science with the teachings of the Church and the wisdom of the saints to develop authentic male leaders capable of transforming themselves, their families and greater society. Join us for coffee, fellowship and faith [Starting Sept 11th, Saturdays @ 6:00-7:30am, St. John's Church Hall] All men are welcome.

Learn more at tmiy.org, or email StJohnsTMIY@gmail.com for more info.

Register at https://admin.paradisusdei.org/location_details/st-john-francis-regis-hollywood

Fall Catholic College Visits

High school juniors and seniors are invited to join us as we visit six of the most faithful Catholic colleges in the country this fall. With so many confirmed Catholics leaving the Church during college, college selection is more important now than ever before. For more information and to register,

visit https://www.stjohnsparishhollywood.org/2021fallccv.

What are you seeking in a college? Offered by some we visit:

- Free room and board all 4 years to Catholic H.S. grads
- More than half the student body attends daily Mass
 - Sports scholarships
 - Free senior year for nursing majors
 - Named one of the most affordable private colleges in the country with a annual net cost of just \$17,900
 - 40 minutes from west coast beaches and 90 minutes from east coast beaches
 - Just invested \$5M into their engineering program

If you're curious as to which schools offer what, or have other questions, feel free to email Rich Olon at <u>rolon@sjchollywood.org</u>.