<u>Mass Times</u> Sunday 7am, 9am, 11:30am

> Saturday 8am, 5pm Vigil

Monday-Friday 7am, 9am

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

### **Confessions**

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

<u>Rosary</u>

Monday-Friday 7:30am

> Saturday 4:30pm

Sunday 6:30am \*Please be courteous, maintain social distancing, and wear a mask, as mandated by the state.

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# St. John Francis Regis

Feb 7th, 2021

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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#### Sunday Classes

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

# **Tuesday Classes**

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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St. Josephine Bakhita

# 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.



#### Feb 7: St. Richard, "pilgrim king" (720). I prayed at his

tomb at San Frediano's church in Lucca. He and his two sons travelled from England to Rome on pilgrimage; the father died here. Then the extraordinary miracles happened at this tomb defied description.

# Feb 8: St. Jerome Emiliani

(1481-1537) imprisoned in chains, he prayed for delivery and was set free; he made good his vow and opened a new congregation to teach orphan boys in the north of Italy between Milan and Venice. The first to create "question and answer" catechisms. But wait! St. Josephine Bakhita (1868-1947). A new 'awareness day" is on the calendar – the awareness of human trafficking – thanks to St. Josephine's gracious movement from slavery to

# Saints Alive!

religious life : from the Sudan to Italy. Her forgiveness of the Muslim slave traders is hauntingly grace-filled.

**Feb 9: St. Apollonia** (249+) a "wonderful old lady" and deaconess of the church of Alexandria had every tooth pulled from her head...then she raced to the funeral pyre and her own death in ancient Alexandria, Egypt.

**Feb 10: St Scholastica** (547) twin sister of St. Benedict of Nursia is really known from one story: how she asked God for inclement weather, so as to prolong the sweet spiritual conversation she was having with her brother, just before her death. I visited her tomb in Monte Cassino three times. **Feb 11: St Evagrius Ponticus** (345-399) is a super spiritual writer from Asia Minor who was friends with all the Cappadocian fathers; he gave us a clear description of acedia - the noonday devil – a disgust for spiritual things. But wait! What about St. Pascal I Pope (824)? He's the one who found the incorrupt body of St. Cecilia when he fell asleep during prayer at St. Peter's and dreamed aright how to find her! Lifetime portraits in mosaic tile can be found of him in two Roman churches: S. Maria in Domnica and Santa Prassede.

### 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).

# "To everything there is a season..."

"A time to be born..."

Larson Grace Bauer

**"A time to die, a time to mourn..."** Bob Parker, Grandfather of Parker Norris Sara Lynn Hockaday

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

#### "A time to heal..."

Denise Abell, John Abell, Belle Absher, Chuck Anderson, Bob Andrews, Maya Ashton, Judy Faye Bakewell, Jackie Barnes, Chris Battle, Beverly Bowles, Claire Broadhead, Margaret Bush, Frances Butler, Dr. Stephen Cafferty, Amanda Campbell, Joan Carter, Leroy Chapman, Diego Chesley, Betty Clark, Linda Clarke, Raymond "Buddy" Combs, Joseph Cullison, Linda Czarzasty, Mary Delozier, Eric Dexter,

Mark Duke, William Dunn, Richard Edgington, George Fairfax, Cherri Fearns, Pauline Fitzgerald, Terry Fitzpatrick, Brian Galpin, Joseph Gardiner, Tyler Gardiner, Isaac Garity and Katie Gatley

#### "A time of peace and a time of war..."

WOI James M. Adkins USA; Ray Alvey, USMC;
PVT Bradley Anderson, USA; SFC Kyle Bennett, USA; LTJG David Berlin, USN;
CPL Matthew Burgan, USMC;
PFC James Kelly Butler, USA;
SrA Gregory M. Casanova, USAF;
Christopher Scott Childers, USA;
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LTJG Ryan Dishman, USN;
LCpl Jack Dugan, USMC;

#### FEB 7TH,2021

# Daily Readings

Genesis 1:1-19, Mark 6:53-56

Genesis 1:20—2:4a, Mark 7:1-13

Genesis 2:4b—9, 15-17, Mark 7:14-23

Genesis 2:18-25, Mark 7:24-30

Genesis 3:1-8, Mark 7:31-37

Genesis 3:9-24, Mark 8:1-10

Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46, 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1, Mark 1:40-45

**Mass Intentions** MONDAY, Feb. 8 7:00am Communion Service 9:00am Allen Lacev + TUESDAY, Feb. 9 7:00am Communion Service 9:00am Thomas Grav + WEDNESDAY, Feb. 10 7:00am Communion Service 9:00am Joseph Cullison + THURSDAY, Feb. 11 7:00am Communion Service 9:00am William B. Clarke + FRIDAY, Feb. 12 7:00am Communion Service 9:00am The Holy Souls in Purgatory SATURDAY, Feb. 13 8:00am The Homebound of our Parish 5:00pm John & Elizabeth Cameron + + SUNDAY, Feb 14 7:00am St. John's Parish 9:00am Thomas Gray + 11:30am Joseph Eric Kelly + +deceased, (L) Living

# Apologetics with Ken Scheiber

2020-21 Class meeting on Monday evenings 7-8:30pm In person come to St John's St Jude Room (just show up!) or Zoom into the class from home.

Contact : Ken at <u>kenneth.scheiber@smrhs.org</u> to be on the email list of topics, reminders and informational links!

# Apologetics Topics coming up:

2/8 The Buddha vs. Jesus

2/22 Do you have a soul?

3/1 Martin Luther from the Catholic Perspective

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

# HAPPY 87TH BIRTHDAY FR. DIGNAN! MAY YOU HAVE MANY MORE!

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.

# ASH WEDNESDAY SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR **ST. JOHN'S CHARITABLE SOCIETY (SJCS)**

The Ash Wednesday Collection, on February 17th, provides a unique opportunity for parishioners to share their material blessings with those who are poor and vulnerable here in the local community.

Your contributions enable SJCS to assist those in need by: Keeping electricity and water on Providing heating oil/gas Preventing eviction.

# Your gift is a Gift of Hope!



# **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

Saint John's Charitable Society To learn more about SJCS, contact us at 240-298-7645 sjcsvicepres@sjchollywood.org.

You can help build hope in your local community!

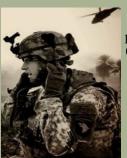


Fiat! Daughters of St. Regis has placed two prayer boxes, one is in the vestibule as you enter into our Church. The second FIAT write your prover request on the notepaper write your prayer request on the notepaper

provided and drop it in the slot. The notes will be collected weekly for the Fiat! Daughters to pray over. All requests will be held in strict confidence.

# Calling all young men and 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 to

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

# SOUTHERN MARYLAND **CATHOLIC MEN** Saturday Mornings from 6:30-8:00AM

ST. JOHN FRANCIS REGIS PARISH HOLLYWOOD. 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

# Attention Men -Struggling with pornography?

Your local Catholic brothers are here to help with a weekly Men's Recovery Group. This no-cost, laymen led group offers discrete support and accountability. Your name is not required for inquiry. Please call our automated phone line at 240-309- 2556 or email saintjohnsrecovery@gmail.com for more information.

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



#### FEB 7TH, 2021



# Knights of Columbus Drive-Thru Breakfast, Sunday Feb 7, 2021

- The Knights of Columbus are hosting a drive-thru breakfast on Sunday, Feb 7, following the 7 AM Mass, so from 8:00 to 11:00 AM.
- Each meal includes: scrambled eggs, hash browns, two sausages, two pieces of bacon, and three • pancakes. Napkins and utensils available upon request.
- Cost \$5 per person, \$20 maximum per family. Proceeds to benefit St. John's School, Charitable Society and CCD Program. Donations encouraged.
- We are taking preorders (number of meals and time of pick up). Please email to Mike Thompson at: mikeandbarbarat@gmail.com.

To order on site, simply drive up to St. John's School's main door, where you will order and pay. Then pull ahead to the corner door (between School and Msgr. Harris Center) for pick up. Walkups can order and pay at the Msgr. Harris Center doors.



# **BULLETIN INSERTS**

Please contact Mary Pat at 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: kirkm@sjchollywood.org



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