

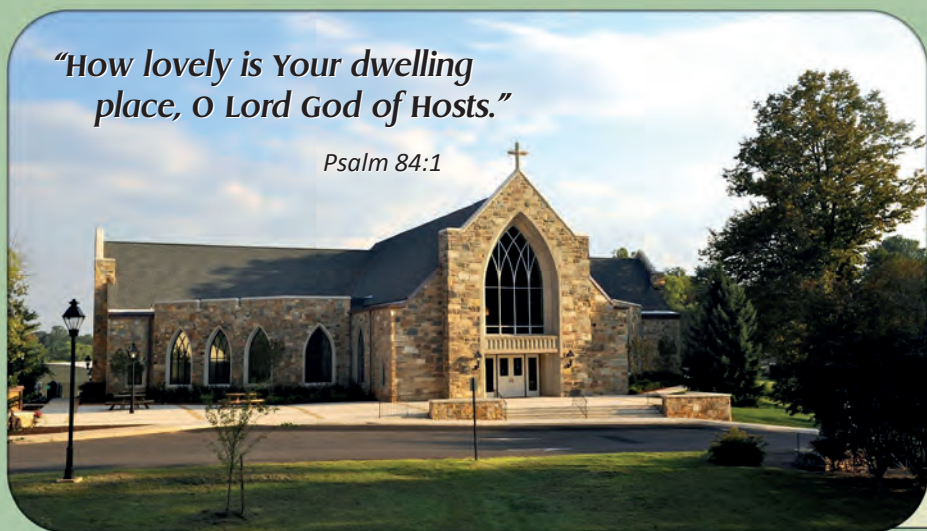


# St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

271 WINCHESTER STREET ✕ WARRENTON, VIRGINIA 20186

*"How lovely is Your dwelling  
place, O Lord God of Hosts."*

*Psalms 84:1*



**THIRD SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME  
JANUARY 21, 2024**

## PASTOR

Rev. Charles Smith

## PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Nicholas Blank  
Rev. Brian McAllister

## DEACONS

Rev. Mr. J. D. Williams  
Rev. Mr. Don Libera  
Rev. Mr. Ken Galvin

## MASS SCHEDULE †

Saturday Vigil ..... 5:00 & 7:00 pm (*Spanish*)

Sunday ..... 7:30, 9:00, 10:45 am,  
12:30 & 5:00 pm

Weekdays..... 6:30 & 8:30 am  
(*Saturday 8:30 am only*)

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesday ..... 9:00 am - 8:00 pm

Thursday 9:00 am -through- Saturday 8:15 am

## CONFESSIONS

Wednesday ..... 7:00 - 7:30 pm

Saturday..... 9:00 am, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Sunday ..... ½ hour before every Mass

**PASTORAL STAFF.....540-347-2922**

### Office Manager

Mrs. Rosemary Coakley .....ext. 202

### Director of Music

Mr. James W. Noakes .....ext. 206

### Director of Religious Education

Mrs. Sherin Murphy.....ext. 209

### Youth Director

Mrs. Chris Galvin .....ext. 109

### School Principal

Mr. Temple Macdonald .....540-347-2458

### Director of Pre-School

Ms. Stephanie Lynch.....540-347-5341

## PARISH REGISTRATION

If you live within our parish boundaries and have not yet registered, please contact the parish office. Parish registration is required before the parish can issue a sponsorship certificate for those asked to be sacramental sponsors or godparents. You must be a registered, contributing member for at least three months before a certificate is provided.



## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**Monday - Friday** ..... 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Phone**..... 540-347-2922      **Fax**..... 540-347-1274

**On the web** ..... [www.sje1.org](http://www.sje1.org)

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Contact the Parish Office at 540-347-2922 to make arrangements.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Couples wishing to be married **MUST** contact the Parish Office at least six months prior to wedding or making any wedding arrangements.

**Para Informacion en Espanol, Llame 540-347-2922.**

**SICK CALLS:** Please notify the Parish Office for visits and/or Communion calls to the sick and shut-ins.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** **Submissions are due in writing at 12:00 pm Friday, nine days prior to the Sunday of publication.** All pulpit announcement requests for the following Sunday must be submitted in writing by 12:00 noon, Thursday.

**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL:** 540-270-6774

**FACILITIES SCHEDULING:** Use of all facilities must be scheduled through the Parish Office.

**WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS****Monday, January 22nd**

6:30 a.m. - Bernice + & Norb Endres +  
8:30 a.m. - Maurice + & Joyce Current +

**Tuesday, January 23rd**

6:30 a.m. - Kevin Deery +  
8:30 a.m. - Mary Cochran +

**Wednesday, January 24th**

6:30 a.m. - John Jablonski +  
8:30 a.m. - John Moretti Jr. +

**Thursday, January 25th**

6:30 a.m. - Elliott & Page Kosin  
8:30 a.m. - Ben Shealy +

**Friday, January 26th**

6:30 a.m. - Patrick Farr +  
8:30 a.m. - The Novacosky Family

**Saturday, January 27th**

8:30 a.m. - Catherine Stouffer +  
5:00 p.m. - Eleuterio Burgos +  
7:00 p.m. (Spanish) - Pablo de Jesus Mendez +

**Sunday, January 28th**

7:30 a.m. - St. John's Parishioners  
9:00 a.m. - Fr Thomas Shannonhouse +  
10:45 a.m. - Almeda Schulte +  
12:30 p.m. - Jay Modolo +  
5:00 p.m. - Susan Tooley +

**MEETINGS & ACTIVITIES****Sunday, January 21st**

Youth Group Cross-Walk - 6:00 p.m. Youth Room

**Monday, January 22nd**

RCIA - 7:00 p.m. Mercy Hall  
Spanish RCIA - 7:00 p.m. School Library

**Tuesday, January 23rd**

Bible Study - 7:00 p.m. KoC Hall  
Spanish Choir Practice - 7:00 p.m. Art Room

**Wednesday, January 24th**

Food Pantry - 9 a.m. KoC Hall  
Legion of Mary - 1:30 p.m. KoC Hall  
Jr. Legion of Mary - 7:00 p.m. Office Library  
(Office Basement on 2nd Wednesdays)

A.A. meeting - 8 p.m. Mercy Hall

**Thursday, January 25th**

Food Pantry - 9:00 a.m. KoC Hall  
High School Guys Group - 7:00 p.m. Youth Room  
Adult Choir Rehearsal - 7:30 p.m. Office

**Friday, January 26th**

Childrens Choir Rehearsal - 3:30 p.m. Office  
Patricians Meeting - 7:00 p.m. Mercy Hall  
Spanish Legion of Mary - 7:00 p.m. Office Basement  
Spanish Adult Formation - 7:30 p.m. School Library

**Saturday, January 27th**

Men's Prayer Group - 7:30 a.m. Office Library  
Winter Garden Day 9:30 a.m.  
First Penance - 10:15 a.m. Mercy Hall

**Sunday, January 28th**

Youth Group Cross-Walk - 6:00 p.m. Youth Room  
National Catholic School Week Begins



**Business Owners and Generous Parishioners!**  
*We are in the process of transitioning to a new bulletin provider*  
**John Patrick Publishing.**  
*The Parish would welcome your support.*

**CONTACT ME**  
**Marsha Haney**

**mhaney@jppc.net**  
**(941) 445-0778**


**HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY****For the Gift Of Diversity In The Church**

Let us pray that the Holy Spirit helps us recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community, and to discover the richness of different ritual traditions in the heart of the Catholic Church.

**PARISH DEVOTIONS**

**Rosary:** Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m.  
**Children's Holy Hour:** Wednesdays, 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.  
**Divine Mercy Holy Hour:** Fridays, 3 p.m. - 4 p.m.  
**Miraculous Medal Holy Hour:** Wednesdays 7:00 p.m.  
**Teen Holy Hour:** 4th Tuesday of the month 7:00 p.m.

**FROM THE BISHOP****Pastoral Message on National Human Trafficking Prevention Month 2024**

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

January marks Human Trafficking Prevention Month. Few crimes embody the depravity and cruelty of sin like human trafficking. The human person was created in God's image and likeness, born with the hope of having the opportunity to flourish and grow. Sadly, some in our world see people only as a commodity providing a means to an end, rather than as a unique individual with intrinsic value.

Innocent lives are harmed by human trafficking in many forms. Some are trafficked for physical labor or domestic servitude, while others are sexually trafficked and mistreated in the most unimaginable ways. While it may seem as though these atrocities only occur in faraway lands, law enforcement professionals emphasize that this modern-day slavery hides in the shadows of every society, even in our own communities. The most unlikely of people may be trapped in the cruelty of a trafficked existence.

Human Trafficking Prevention Month is a presidentially designated observance, instituted with the hope that the public, empowered with information and education, can help prevent and respond to human trafficking in our midst. As people of faith, this is certainly something we should take seriously and understand. United to all people in the love and life of Christ, we must decry these crimes committed against the most vulnerable among us.

I ask all in the Diocese of Arlington to research the resources made available by the [Department of State](#), the [United States Conference of Catholic Bishops](#), and other entities, which provide toolkits and educational materials on human trafficking and identifying trafficked individuals. In addition, we must all be willing to report suspicious behavior. Those trapped in the depravity of human trafficking deserve our best efforts to free them from their enslavement, so they may obtain the liberty all people deserve as children of God.

Most fundamentally, please pray regularly for those who are being trafficked, that they would be freed and healed from their trauma. And for traffickers, pray that they would turn from their ways, see God's love, and seek to live in the light of Christ. As Christians, we know that even the most hardened of hearts are capable of conversion and repentance.

Joined in prayer, may we work together for the total eradication of human trafficking.

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**Mensaje pastoral con motivo del Mes Nacional de Prevención de la Trata de Personas, 2024**

Estimados hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

En enero se conmemora el Mes Nacional de Prevención de la Trata de Personas. Pocos delitos encarnan la depravación y crueldad del pecado como la trata de personas. El ser humano fue creado a imagen y semejanza de Dios y nació con la esperanza de tener la oportunidad de prosperar y crecer. Lamentablemente, algunas personas en nuestro mundo ven a otras solo como una mercancía que ofrece los medios para lograr un fin, en lugar de verlas como seres únicos con valor intrínseco.

La trata humana perjudica de muchas maneras la vida de personas inocentes. Algunas son objeto de trata como fuente de mano de obra física o de servidumbre doméstica y otras son víctimas de trata con fines de explotación sexual y de maltrato de las formas más increíbles. Aunque parezca que estas atrocidades ocurren únicamente en tierras lejanas, los profesionales del campo de aplicación de la ley recalcan que esta esclavitud moderna se oculta en las sombras de todas las sociedades, aun en nuestras propias comunidades. Jamás nos imaginamos que algunas personas pueden quedar atrapadas en la crueldad de una existencia enmarcada en la trata.

El Mes Nacional de Prevención de la Trata de Personas, instituido por designación del Presidente de los Estados Unidos, se observa con la esperanza de que el público, empoderado con información y educación, pueda ayudar a prevenir y combatir la trata de personas en nuestro medio. Como pueblo de fe, obviamente esto es algo que debemos entender y tomar en serio. Unidos a toda la gente en el amor y en la vida de Cristo, debemos denunciar estos delitos cometidos contra las personas más vulnerables de nuestra sociedad.

Les ruego a todos en la Diócesis de Arlington que investiguen los recursos facilitados por el [Departamento de Estado](#) (inglés), (español), la [Conferencia de Obispos Católicos de los Estados Unidos](#) (inglés), (español) y otras entidades, que ofrecen manuales y materiales educativos sobre la trata de personas e identifican a las víctimas. Además, todos debemos estar dispuestos a denunciar cualquier comportamiento sospechoso. Quienes están atrapados en la depravación de la trata de personas merecen que hagamos nuestros mejores esfuerzos para liberarlos de su esclavitud, con el fin de que puedan alcanzar la libertad que todos merecemos como hijos de Dios.

Como acto fundamental en sumo grado, les ruego que recen regularmente por las personas sujetas a la trata para que puedan liberarse y sanar del trauma sufrido. Oramos para que los tratantes abandonen su forma de actuar, vean el amor de Dios y busquen vivir en la luz de Cristo. Como cristianos, sabemos que aun el más duro de los corazones puede lograr la conversión y el arrepentimiento.

Unidos en oración, trabajemos juntos por la erradicación total de la trata de personas.



## EDUCATION & FAITH FORMATION



Please join us for **National Catholic School Week**, our annual celebration of what makes education at Saint John the Evangelist Catholic School and Preschool outstanding. Starting with Sunday Mass on January 28, we have a whole week of activities planned to show what our students are accomplishing and to celebrate the community we have built to educate tomorrow's citizens and church leaders.

The theme of our celebration is "United in Faith and Community." The theme encompasses the core products and values that can be found in Catholic Schools across the county. Not only are we teaching students to become future servant leaders, faith-filled disciples and enriched citizens in our communities, educators are growing with them. In Catholic schools, we are all learners, servants, and leaders. These shared qualities are what make Catholic Schools work. They are what make Catholic schools succeed. The theme also focused on key elements of Catholic education: faith development, academic excellence, and dedication to service. These elements set Catholic Schools apart from other educational options. They are why families make sacrifices to provide their children with a Catholic education.

I hope you will visit us during National Catholic School Week to enjoy the student's enthusiasm and learn about their faith development and community service projects at our annual Open House scheduled for Saturday, February 3, 2024, from 9am – 11am. Please bring your friends and neighbors, particularly those who may be considering Catholic education for their children.

I am grateful every day for our parishioners, as well as the teachers, staff, parents, and volunteers who make our school a success. National Catholic Schools Week is a good time for all of us to thank them for their dedication and service.

Temple Macdonald  
SJES Principal

Saint John Elementary is excited to share our annual **Day of Giving will be on Tuesday, January 30 - January 31st!** Our students are ready.....are you?! We would love to have you participate to help us with our goal of \$15,000. For more information, please visit our website at [sjesva.org](http://sjesva.org) or call 540-347-2458. Elementary School - Mrs. Kimberly Gay at [kgay@sjesva.org](mailto:kgay@sjesva.org) or Preschool Mrs. Cynthia Chapman at [cchapman@sjesva.org](mailto:cchapman@sjesva.org).

### ST. JOHN SCHOOL

Greetings,

January to April is always an interesting time of year as things begin to take shape for the 2024-2025 school year. Current families will confirm their continuous enrollment and we will meet and welcome many new families following our Catholic Schools Week Open House on Saturday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>. If you are interested in learning more about Catholic education, a Sign-Up Genius is available on our school website to select a time that is convenient for you.



Please note that applications for tuition assistance may now be submitted. The application deadline for elementary schools remains the middle of March but please complete the necessary paperwork as early as possible. Those that do not meet the qualifications remain eligible for financial assistance through the parish and school tuition assistance program.

#### Prayer

Please bless us with good health. Please let us forget the anger we had in the previous year and move forward with healed hearts into a new year filled with endless opportunities. Let us keep God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit in our hearts daily as we enter this new year. May God bless us as we embrace God's love. AMEN.

Mr. Temple Macdonald  
SJES Principal



### ST. JOHN'S HOME EDUCATORS

*Are you a homeschooling family, or interested in homeschooling?*

Please check out [sjehomeschool.com](http://sjehomeschool.com) or email [sjehomeschool@gmail.com](mailto:sjehomeschool@gmail.com) to learn more about the faithful, friendly group of parishioners who homeschool their children.



### Spiritual Power

As Lent is approaching, let us rediscover the power of prayer and fasting in our spiritual lives. How does fasting deepen our relationship with Christ? Can fasting be of help to my family members that are out of church? Would we fast more if we understood how helpful it is? Come and join the Legion of Mary at our next Patricians Meeting on Friday, **January 26 at 7 PM** in Mercy Hall for a discussion of this topic. No reservations are needed. Light refreshments will be served and free literature will be distributed. Patricians are Catholics who meet to aid and strengthen the understanding of our Catholic Faith. Knowing our Faith helps us to articulate, teach and explain our faith to others.

For more information email:  
[dochearing@yahoo.com](mailto:dochearing@yahoo.com).

## PARISH NEWS &amp; EVENTS

## 2024 Virginia Pro Life Day



Mark your calendars and plan to join statewide Pro Lifers for the third annual VA Pro Life Day on **February 21, 2024!** Mark your calendars and plan to join statewide Pro Lifers for the third annual VA Pro Life Day on February 21, 2024! This is our chance to meet with our legislators in their Richmond offices to discuss this year's pro life agenda and goals. Stay up to date for all the details by signing up for email updates at: <https://vaprolifeday.org> You can also sign up with the Virginia Catholic Conference to follow the General Assembly highlights at <https://vacatholic.org/action-center/>.

## THE CORTANA FOUNDATION



Beloved in Christ,

Mothers embody God's love, guiding their children's paths. However, single mothers facing financial challenges often encounter additional difficulties. The Cortana Foundation provides financial, material, and spiritual assistance to these mothers, aiming for a brighter future. We invite you to learn about The Cortana Foundation and consider contributing to our cause. Together, with faith in God's plan, we can support and give the necessary resources for single mothers to thrive.

For more information or to donate, please visit [cortonafoundation.org](http://cortonafoundation.org) or contact us directly. Let's build a bridge of love, resilience, and hope, reflecting God's boundless compassion for His children.



God bless,  
The Cortana Foundation



### Thank you for supporting our December blood drive!



The Red Cross received 45 pints of much-needed blood. There continues to be a shortage in VA. Please consider donating at a local drive. Our next drive will be on **February 20 in Mercy Hall from 12:00 to 6:00**. Please visit [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org) to schedule an appointment.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE ILL AND THEIR CARE GIVERS, INCLUDING

William Shanley  
Jo Ann Duron  
James Patrick  
Mary Carlisle  
William Pell IV  
Mary Lormand  
Josh Brown

### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR ACTIVE MILITARY PERSONNEL

Marine Gunnery Sgt. Eric Schneider  
USMC Corporal Adam Abrahams  
Major Patrick Timothy Drury, USA  
Paul M Pechie, 1st LT, USMC  
2nd Lt Army Helicopter pilot, Andrew Colegrove  
USMC PFC Noah D. Lenky  
USMC PVT Andrew Wiles  
USMC PVT Carla Saldana  
USMC PVT Alex Zeamer  
Andrew Bishop, LT USN  
USMC Michael Lehman  
US Army PVT Patrick L. Berry  
USMC PVT - Aiden Curley  
US Army CPT Dan Koehr-Kuwait  
USN Fr. LTJG Sean Koehr- USS Roosevelt  
USN LT Brendan Koehr-China Lake  
USN LT Patrick Koehr-Japan

### PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED, INCLUDING

John Lemoine  
Rear Admiral (LH) James E. Koehr, USN (Ret.) 1937-2023

*Names of the sick will be listed for four weeks. Names of active duty military personnel will be listed for three months. If you would like to add or reinstate a name to the list, email [bulletin@sjesva.org](mailto:bulletin@sjesva.org).*



### ST. JOHN'S IS ON FLOCKNOTE

Don't miss a thing... sign up for the St. John's Flocknote today!

Visit: <https://stjohntheevangelist14.flocknote.com/>



### WINTER GARDEN DAY

Saturday, January 27, 2024  
9:30AM-12:30PM

Come help us prune trees/shrubs and weed in preparation for Spring blooms!

No experience necessary. Will happen in most weather conditions--sunny, cloudy, and light precipitation. (Will cancel for extreme cold, precipitation, or wind.)

If you own any, please bring your gloves, chain saws/saws, trowels, shovels, rakes, wheelbarrows and anything else you find helpful!

Questions?

Please contact Kathryn Thompson  
[Thompson.km116@gmail.com](mailto:Thompson.km116@gmail.com)

## PARISH NEWS &amp; EVENTS



**Knight's Roundtable**  
Knights of Columbus  
Council 5561  
[www.vakofc5561.org](http://www.vakofc5561.org)



### Upcoming meetings and activities (21 Jan – 23 Feb 2024)

**25 January @ 7:30 PM** – KoC Business Meeting Council Chambers  
**2 February @ 3:00 PM** – CC Chili Cooking in Mercy Hall  
**3 February @ 9:00 AM** – CC Chili Packaging in the Social Room  
**3 & 4 February after 5:30 PM** (Sat) & 7:30, 9 & 10:45 AM (Sun) – CC Chili Sales on the Plaza  
**8 February @ 6:00 PM** – Social Gathering for the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary in Mercy Hall  
**8 February @ 7:30 PM** – LA Meeting in Mercy Hall  
**10 February @ 6:15 PM** – Ladies Appreciation Dinner in Mercy Hall  
**11 February following 7:30 and 9 AM Masses** – Parish Breakfast in Mercy Hall  
**13 February 5:30-7 PM** – Shrove Tuesday Meal in Mercy Hall  
**15 February @ 7:00 PM** – Council Officers Meeting in the Knight's Chambers  
**17 February @ 11:00 AM** – Knights of Columbus Exemplification Ceremony  
**22 February @ 7:30 PM** – Council Business Meeting in the Knight's Chambers  
**23 February** – Lenten Soup Supper in Mercy Hall

### Calling Catholic Men: Put Your Faith in Action

Knights provide a rich set of opportunities for service to our community as well as spiritual growth. If you see something of interest, ask a Knight or email [5561.gk@gmail.com](mailto:5561.gk@gmail.com).

Faith	Family	Fraternity
Weekly Adoration hours Monthly Holy Hours Annual Spiritual Retreat Prayer intentions and support to brothers in need	Ladies Auxiliary for wives Monthly dinner with Ladies Auxiliary Soccer and basketball free throw challenges Insurance & Financial Savings Program Annual Widow's Brunch	Social hours Monthly meetings Outings 4th Degree Patriotic Order: Support to Veterans
Parish & Community	Pro-life and Support to Needy	
Oktoberfest Picnics and other events Monthly parish breakfasts Sub sandwiches & Council Cuisine Ushers for Mass Support to St. John's School & St. John's Trail Life scouting	Computers for Haiti school children Feed the Hungry Food Baskets Support to Warrenton Pregnancy Center Annual March for Life (Washington, DC)	

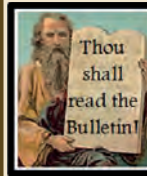
Do you know someone looking for opportunities to live out our Faith as a Catholic gentleman? If so, please contact us at [5561.gk@gmail.com](mailto:5561.gk@gmail.com)

Are you a Third Degree Knight and interested in joining the Patriotic Degree – the 4th Degree – of the Knights Columbus? If so, please contact Sir Knight and Assembly 2888's Faithful Navigator, Ed Cook at [fn@kofc2888.faith](mailto:fn@kofc2888.faith) or Faithful Admiral Michael Reilly at [mfreilly0072@gmail.com](mailto:mfreilly0072@gmail.com).

**Blessed Father Michael McGivney, Pray for Us!**  
**St. Joseph, Terror of Demons, Pray for Us!**  
**Mary, Queen of Peace, Pray for Us!**

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & FAITH FORMATION

### Religious Ed News



The Diocese now requires that **Birth Certificates as well as Baptismal Certificates** be on file with the Parish Office for ALL Sacraments. We ask that these forms are turned in to the Parish Office ASAP to ensure that all Sacraments are recorded correctly and in a timely manner. The Religious Ed Office is expecting to process approximately over 250

Sacraments this school year alone. Your help in this manner will greatly help all of us in the Parish Office. **Thank you!**

**All Sponsors are required to turn in to St. John's Parish Office a Certificate of Eligibility from their Parish. This form needs to be turned in ASAP. Thank you!**

### Religious Ed Classes

REMINDER: more than 5 unexcused absences from RE classes will jeopardize this year's completion and the advancement to the next grade level. Parents need to send via email or bring a written excuse for every absence and need to ensure that all missed class work is reviewed at home and all homework is made up and turned in to their Catechist.

It's not too early to remind everyone: In case of inclement weather, please check your emails and the parish website at [www.sje1.org](http://www.sje1.org). For Monday evening sessions, the RE program will follow Fauquier County Schools' "After School Cancellations due to weather" announcements.

### Confirmation 2024

Please see above regarding **Birth and Baptismal Certificates!**

**If you have not turned in all items as listed, we will assume that you are not wishing to be Confirmed in 2024.**

Upcoming Dates:

**Confirmation Interviews have begun** for all those who have completed all requirements and have attended or have signed up for a Confirmation Retreat. For those unable to make our retreat, please reach out to surrounding parishes to attend one of theirs, as attending a "Confirmation Retreat" is required. Attachments in the SignUpGenius for our retreat show the Spring Confirmation Retreat schedule. **Interviews** are scheduled through SignUpGenius ~ please look for emails from SignUpGenius. At least one parent is to accompany the candidate for the Interview. **All Interviews must be completed prior to the end of February.** Take time to prepare NOW.

**Confirmation Date: Wednesday, April 17, 2024, beginning at 7pm.** Practice will be held the night before at 6pm, beginning in Mercy Hall and conclude in the church.

### First Penance

**First Penance** for all 2<sup>nd</sup> graders and RCIC 2A: **Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> 10:15am** in Mercy Hall (Snow date February 10)

### Confirmation 2025

Please turn in your completed first four pages (C1-C4) that were due **BEFORE 11/1<sup>st</sup>**. **Make sure we have your current email(s) - please write it on page C1** so we can email opportunities through SignUpGenius. SignUpGenius Service opportunities will be emailed, so look for opportunities ~ don't forget: 5 hours are to be done at home (read the guidelines in your packet!). Please see above regarding **Birth and Baptismal Certificates!**



## PARISH NEWS &amp; EVENTS

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Our Sunday Highschool meeting at the **CROSSWALK** is January 21 @ 6-8 PM in the Youth Room. Join up with some awesome teens to prepare for "Lighting the Beacons" and spreading the WORD!

The next monthly WORK CAMP mandatory meeting is Tuesday, February 13th. Mark your calendar!



Our next Middle School Youth Meeting will be Saturday, February 17th. We'll share the evening with the SPARKS drama club workshop and celebrate our upcoming year! Keep watch for more news!

To receive weekly updates and reminder emails, contact Chris Galvin at [youthdirector@sjesva.org](mailto:youthdirector@sjesva.org)



## ST. JOHN'S MOM'S GROUP

**Starting February 3rd**, the Mom's group will be meeting monthly on first Saturdays at 10 a.m. in Mercy Hall in addition to our bi-weekly meetings on Wednesdays. Light refreshments served.

Please feel free to email [Natalie.t.lacoe@gmail.com](mailto:Natalie.t.lacoe@gmail.com) for more information.

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



We are in need of more adorers to sign up for a weekly hour! Please consider one of the following hours of

greatest need:

**Wednesday**

3 pm

**Thursday**

9 am

3 pm

**Friday**

12 noon to 1 pm

1 pm to 2 pm

2 pm to 3 pm

4 pm to 5 pm

5 pm to 6 pm

6 pm to 7 pm

**Saturday**

1 am to 2 am

2 am to 3 am

For more information, please contact Christy Williams at: [adorejesusatstjohns@gmail.com](mailto:adorejesusatstjohns@gmail.com) (540)272-0028



## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



"All those who love the poor in life, will have nothing to fear from death."

- St. Vincent de Paul

As Catholics and as Vincentians, we are encouraged and expected to follow the two great commandments:

*You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself.*

-Matthew 22: 38-39

Jesus was clear in his message calling us to service:

*None of those who cry out, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the Kingdom of God but only the one who does the will of My Father in heaven.*

-Matthew 7:21

This year, consider putting your faith in action by joining us as we work towards our salvation by serving the least among us. We need loving volunteers willing to visit those in need in their homes to bring them tangible witness of God's love.

No experience necessary!

**For more information, please call**

**Art Fairweather**

**240-405-8602**

**[arthurfairweather@icloud.com](mailto:arthurfairweather@icloud.com)**

**2023 Tax Letters have been mailed! If you notice any discrepancy, please email Nicki at [nickineil@gmail.com](mailto:nickineil@gmail.com)**



## TORCH Drama Club News!

**"ASLAN IS ON THE MOVE!"**

Tickets are now on-sale for this timeless C.S. Lewis Allegory **The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe** on February 2-4!! Enjoy spectacular scenery, epic battle scenes, and larger-than-life puppetry right here on St. John's Stage! Only four shows and some are already SOLD OUT, so don't miss this one! \$15/person; \$20 priority (limited reserved platform seating).

High School & College Actors - If you missed the January 20th Workshop, your last chance to meet those involved in our Spring **NEWSIES** will be Friday, February 17th! Don't be shy, learn to shine on-stage with some seasoned TORCH veterans and make way to *Carry the Banner*!

For Workshop and ticket reservations visit **[Torchdramaclub.org](http://Torchdramaclub.org)**.

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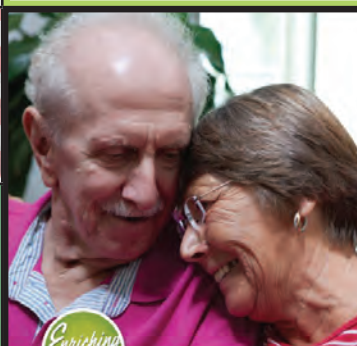
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