

St. John Vianney Parish

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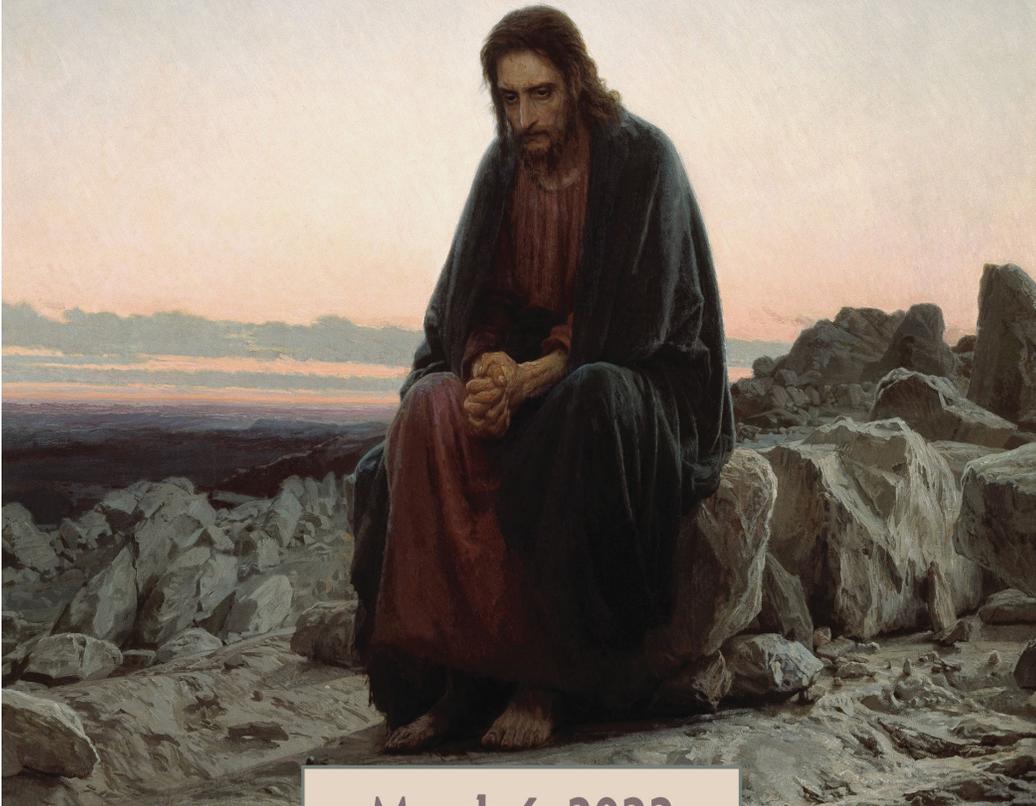
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First Sunday of **LENT**

Filled with the Holy Spirit,
Jesus returned from the Jordan
and was led by the Spirit into
the desert for forty days,
to be tempted by the devil.

Luke 4:1-2



March 6, 2022

PARISH STAFF

401-333-6060

Rev. Joseph A. Pescatello
Pastor

Rev. Raymond C. Theroux
Pastor Emeritus

Mr. Denis Robichaud
Director of Music Ministry

Mr. George DeCotis
Accountant

Mrs. Denise Carlucci
Secretary

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

401-333-2347

Mrs. Regina Bamford - Grades 1 - 5

Mrs. Kim Passanante - Grade 6 & 7

Mrs. Erin Blais - Confirmation/
Grades 8 - 9

ADORATION CHAPEL

401-333-6060

Martha Anne Macari

Maureen Parmenter

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Thursday: 7:00 am

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,
and 11:30 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday from
4:00 p.m. to 4:40 p.m.



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**MARCH 6, 2022
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**

SECOND COLLECTION



There will be a second collection next weekend for the Catholic Youth Ministry. The Youth Ministry in our diocese exists to support parishes and Catholic schools in their efforts to form youth in the life and mission of the Church.

The donations received at St John Vianney will help the Father Marot CYO Center in Woonsocket to provide programs for the spiritual formation and leadership development of our youth. Please be generous!



This Lent let's not focus on what we give up. Let's focus on who God wants us to become.

Join us for this year's Dynamic Catholic's BEST LENT EVER. Sign up and receive a short video from Matthew Kelly sent directly to your inbox every morning of Lent, meant to inspire and encourage you on your personal Lenten journey.

This year Dynamic Catholic is offering TWO options for BEST LENT EVER. Every day, you will receive two short, practical and inspiring videos in your inbox, each representing a pathway leading toward a better version of you and a closer relationship with God. Why did we double up? Well, the world has changed. You've changed. And in order to offer a truly transformative experience, we developed two pathways designed specifically to meet you where you are, no matter where you are in your spiritual journey.

**2022 CATHOLIC CHARITIES
APPEAL
KICK-OFF WEEKEND
MARCH 12 & 13**



Next weekend Jim Jahnz from the Diocesan Office of Social Ministries and Catholic Charities will speak at all of the Masses to kick off the 2022 Catholic Charity Appeal in our parish.

You may have already received a pledge envelope in the mail, but if you have not, envelopes will be available in the back of the church beginning next weekend. You can also make a gift quickly and securely by going online to givecentral.org/2022CCA.

Our parish goal for this year is \$128,250.00

Saturday, March 5, 2022

5:00 p.m. Bob Walker
(7th Anniversary)
~by family

Sunday, March 6, 2022

8:30 a.m. Kenneth Corvese
~by his wife & children
10:00 a.m. Alexander Tuchapsky
(15th Anniversary)
~by his wife & daughter
11:30 a.m. John J. Partington
(Birthday Remembrance)
~by family

Monday, March 7, 2022

7:00 a.m. Nina Sciarrino
~by the Pierce Family

Tuesday, March 8, 2022

7:00 a.m. Bernadine Magnus
~by friends

Wednesday, March 9, 2022

7:00 a.m. Teresa H. Monti
(29th Anniversary)
~by family

Thursday, March 10, 2022

7:00 a.m. Stephen Patrick Murray
(7th Anniversary)
~by family

Saturday, March 12, 2022

5:00 p.m. Raymond Mathieu
~by friends

Sunday, March 13, 2022

8:30 a.m. Nicholas Carlucci
(Birthday Remembrance)
~by family
10:00 a.m. James D'Ambra
Thomas & Mary D'Ambra
~by family
11:30 a.m. Francisca Khimatian
~by the Simmons Family

**DYNAMIC CATHOLIC'S
FEED YOUR SOUL
GOSPEL REFLECTIONS**



Is your soul hungry? Do you have a sense that something is missing in life? We invite you to sign up for Dynamic Catholic's Feed Your Soul Gospel Reflections and start to engage the gospels in a new way. Through this new email program, you'll receive free video Inspirations every Thursday from Matthew Kelly and Allen Hunt. What better nourishment is there than diving deeper into the Sunday Gospels! Get ready to walk into each Sunday feeling a little bit closer to spiritual satisfaction.

Sign up today at www.DynamicCatholic.com.

FAITH FORMATION CLASS NOTES

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 6 - 12

GRADES 2 & 3 - Regular Sunday morning schedule
GRADES 4 & 5 - Regular Monday afternoon/evening schedule

GRADE 6 - No Class

GRADE 7 - Class Tuesday, 6:15-7:30 pm

GRADE 8 - No Class

GRADE 9 - Class Sunday, 6:30-7:45 pm

2022/2023 FAITH FORMATION

REGISTRATION UNDERWAY FOR CLASSES - GRADES 1-9

To register for 2022-2023 faith formation classes for grades 1-9, please visit our parish website: sjvparish.org. Families currently enrolled in the program should have received an email with more detailed information. The deadline for registration is March 31st. Any registration received after the deadline will incur a late fee. If you have any questions, please contact the Faith Formation Office at 401-333-2347 or email Regina Bamford at sjvreginab@gmail.com.

FAITH FORMATION SCHEDULE

Grade 1: Children participate in a home program one on one with their parents.

Grade 2: Students meet in small groups on Sunday mornings at 8:30am.

Grade 3: Students meet in small groups on Sunday mornings at 9:45am.

Grade 4: Students meet in small groups on Monday afternoons at 5:00pm.

Grade 5: Students meet in small groups on Monday evenings at 6:15pm.

Grade 6 and 7: Students meet on Tuesday evenings in the church hall in alternating weeks.

Grade 8 & 9: Students meet on Sunday evenings in the church hall in alternating weeks.

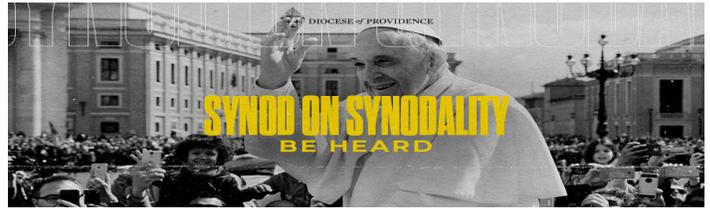
THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The RCIA program for adults preparing for the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist) will meet this Wednesday, March 9th, at 6:30 pm in the Office Building.



CHILDREN OF THE LIGHT PRAYER MEETING

will be meeting Thursday evenings 6:30-8:30 pm in the Church Hall, Room C. All are welcome!



Pope Francis has called for a universal synod of the church, convening bishops from around the world. In preparation for this event, he has asked every diocese across the world to involve as many people as possible, Catholic, other Christians and non-Christians, during the "listening phase" by responding to a survey and attending regional listening sessions. We encourage you to fill out the survey and if possible, attend one of the regional meetings.

Gatherings

We have planned four Regional Gathering Sessions to contribute to the diocesan phase in preparation for the Synod of Bishops that will meet in 2023. The dates, times, and locations of the gatherings are below.

What is the goal of the gatherings?

These regional gatherings will give us the opportunity to hear from Catholics about their experience of journeying toward the face of Christ. The Vatican's document, Process for Facilitating Synodal Consultations, states the following: "Participants should share their meaningful experiences (not opinions on each other's experiences) of the local Catholic 'journeying together' in ministry" (9). The goal is to prayerfully discuss what the Church is doing well and what the Church can improve upon as we journey together.

What this is not...

The Synod Gathering Sessions are not an opportunity to point out all of the flaws of the Catholic Church without providing reasonable solutions that are rooted in truth. We are guided by the principle *caritas in veritate*, charity in truth.

What this is...

The Synod Gatherings Sessions are an opportunity to share your perspective. Be prepared to also offer solutions and share elements of parish life that lead people into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church.

Please note that we are asking you to pre-register for planning and hospitality.

Regional Gatherings Sessions:

March 8, 2022 - 7:00 - 9:00 PM

St. Aidan Church, Cumberland

March 28, 2022 - 7:00 - 9:00 PM

St. Mary of the Bay Church, Warren

April 4, 2022 - 7:00 - 9:00 PM

Cathedral of Ss. Peter and Paul

To register for the Gathering Sessions, visit discovercatholicfaith.org/synod-gathering-sessions.

To take the survey, visit dioceseofprovidence.org

If you have any questions, contact the diocesan synod committee at faithformation@dioceseofprovidence.org or 401-278-4646.

Please take the Synod Survey if you have not already. Encourage your friends and family to take the survey as well. Thank you.

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for this weekend.