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### **JUNE 1, 2025**

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### **PLEASE NOTE:**

If any parishioner, a family member, or a loved one are in need of a priest, please call the EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBER at 215-375-0460 and leave a detailed message.

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### **SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

That they may all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you.

JOHN 17:21



### **OUR MASS SCHEDULE**

Sunday Vigil Mass: Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 AM Weekdays Monday - Saturday 8:00 AM

### THE SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Saturdays: 2:45 PM - 3:45 PM Tuesdays: 8:30 AM - 9:00 AM Other times by appointment

## THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Arrangements should be made with the priest at least 6 months before the wedding. Attendance at Pre-Marital Classes required.

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Sunday through Friday-after daily Mass, until 8:00 PM. Saturday -until Vigil Mass.

### **LECTIO DIVINA**

Wednesdays: 8:30 AM in the Chapel

### **MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA**

Saturdays, following 8:00 AM Mass

### **VISITING THE SICK**

If a family member is sick in the hospital, at home, or in a nursing home and they would like to have a short visit by a member of our Pastoral staff, please call the Parish Office at 215-295-4102.

### **PASTORAL LIFE CENTER**

752 Big Oak Road, Morrisville, PA 19067 215.295.4102, 4103 sjeoffices@stjohnpa.org

### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday to Friday 9 AM - 5 PM No office hours on Saturday or Sunday, except by appointment

### P.R.E.P. OFFICE

728 Big Oak Road 215.295.9239

### THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Preparations for Baptism should begin before your child is born. All expectant parents or parents of newborn children are asked to enroll themselves in our Parish Baptism Preparation class. Information will be shared when parents call to register for Baptism. Our small classes are held in our Pastoral Life Center. Baptisms are ordinarily celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month at 1PM.

### ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The OCIA is a process of welcoming new members into our Catholic faith. It also welcomes baptized Catholics who have not yet received the Sacraments of Confession, First Communion or Confirmation. Please contact Lori Miller at 856-905-2624 for more information.



Sunday, June 1 Seventh Sunday of Easter

7:30 AM All the members of our Parish

All Priests and Seminarians, requested by the Blue Army 9:30 AM 11:30 AM Deceased members of the O'Donnell Family, requested by the Nally Family

Monday, June 2: Saints Marcellinus and Peter 8:00 AM Rita and Raymond Schultz, requested by Karen Strzelec

<u>Tuesday, June 3: Saint Charles Lwanga</u> 8:00 AM Audrey Diamante, requested by her daughter, Lisa Petrino

Wednesday, June 4: Easter Weekday 8:00 AM Gary Gladwell, Jr., requested by Anne and Caitlin

Thursday, June 5: Saint Boniface

8:00 AM Darius F. Thomas, requested by his wife, Mary Germaine Thomas

Friday, June 6: Saint Norbert 8:00 AM John Skolka, requested by Cynthia and Jim Kay

**Saturday, June 7: Easter Weekday** 8:00 AM Stanley Lozowski, requested by Vince and Estelle Brogan 4:00 PM Bill and Kate Overberger, requested by the children

> Sunday, June 8 Pentecost Sunday

7:30 AM Tim Klarich, requested by Mary Beth Galvin-Dunsmore

9:30 AM All the members of our Parish

11:30 AM Vincent and Mary Spader, requested by Ivan and Vickie



All are welcome to join us this Sunday, June 1st, 2025 for the Homily of Reverend Mr. Declan Cole at the 9:30 AM Mass at Saint John the Evangelist Church, followed by a reception in the

Beacon James Hartmann Meeting Room, where light refreshments will be served.



On the second Monday of each month, our parish hosts a Bereavement Group. Family members and friends are all invited to attend. Our next meeting will take place on:

> Monday, June 9, 2025 at 7:00 PM in the Pastoral Life Center

Please call Kathy Ross with any questions at 267-230-1224.



It is with much gratitude that I write to inform you that Father Brady will be moving on from Saint the Evangelist Parish. In the recent clergy changes, Father was named as the new Administrator of Saint Stanislaus Parish in Lansdale, PA. This is in addition to his current roles as Vice-Rector of Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary and Professor of Biblical Studies.

For the last eight years Father has assisted with the celebration of Mass on weekends as well as at Christmas and Easter. Many parishioners have spoken well of him during his time with us and I am most grateful to him for his support and friendship.

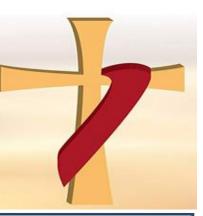
Please join us on Saturday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at the 4:00 PM Vigil for Father's last Mass. A reception will follow in the Deacon Hartmann Room after the Mass.

On behalf of the Parish Family of Saint John's, I wish Father Brady well and God's blessings as he takes on this new assignment.

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**PLEASE PRAY FOR** ALL DEACONS, BUT **ESPECIALLY FOR DEA-CON TOM CUSICK ON** THE ANNIVERSARY OF HIS DIACONATE **ORDINATION:** 

June 11th







### IT IS TIME TO REACH OUT WITH YOUR QUESTIONS...

### What if you were Baptized but never received First Communion?

### What if you were Baptized but never Confirmed?

OCIA invites adults of all ages and backgrounds to prayerfully consider completing these Initiation Sacraments. Now, during the Easter season, is the best time to contact us for individualized answers and advice.

### How can someone who is not Catholic find out more about the Catholic Church?

'Come and see!' Contact us soon. Then a period of Inquiry will introduce you to parish life, allowing you to ask questions and hear the stories of the Catholic faith as you decide whether and when to move forward and join the Church.

### How does one get ready to receive Initiation Sacraments as an adult?

Groups will be forming for various age groups, keeping individual participant needs in mind. With the support of the parish OCIA team and our pastor, the goal is to help everyone to understand and deepen their faith through Scripture, prayer, worship and service to others.

### FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO SEND AN INQUIRY TO THE OCIA TEAM. visit stjohnpa.org and click on the icon on the homepage.

You may also call Lori Miller directly at 856-905-2624. We look forward to hearing from you!



Are you retired and looking for a way to help our Church? The Adult Funeral Servers may be YOUR calling!

The mission of the Ministry of Adult Altar Servers is to enhance, and add to, the reverence and worship of Our Lord at the Mass of Christian Burial services. By assisting the priest in the celebration of the Mass, we attest to those present, the caring and concern of the parish for the loss of their loved one. Our ministry is open to both men and women. All volunteers will be trained. This is a great opportunity to perform a Corporal Work of Mercy and the rewards are immeasurable.

If you feel that you are being called to serve, please contact our Parish Office at 215-295-4102 and leave your name and a phone number where you may be reached. Thank you for prayerfully considering this special ministry!



## PRAYER REQUESTS



Alyssa Adubato Olivia Andrews Ronald Ardenti Alyssa Belardo-Troy Baby Dylan Baby Emmie Karl Bahmiller Maureen Barrett Edward Bowden, Sr. Charles Buiocchi Joan Cope Mary Cordero Ed Cook Dennis DelGrosso Claudia DiBraccio Yolanda DiCicco Christopher Dixon Michael Donahue Jerry Donnell Anna Dubon Grant and Noah Elliot Beth Lynch Joni Elliot

Roselyn Foulke Fidencio Francis Cathy Fuller Dee Galloway Don Garner, Sr. Roger Garceau John Guinter Samantha Rose Haggerty David Hayes Frank Henniger Zane Helsel Mary Hirsch Mary Ann Holt Ethel Humienny Jim Jones Elliott Jacqueline Kay Joseph P. Kirlin, III Theresa Land Carmen Marchesano John Marcucci

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and all the residents of Yardley Rehabilitation and Healthcare Center, Arden Court and Remington.



Social Concerns is looking for a new leader for our Loving Hands group. This busy little group crochets, knits, or sews a variety of items to benefit those in need in different locations. Our leader would need to organize projects using materials supplied by Social Concerns. Many projects are completed at home. If you have time or talent or to lend to this worthwhile group, please email Monica Forst at Mhchalky@gmail.com.

Social Concerns Meeting—Wednesday, June 18th at 7:00 PM in the Social Concerns Meeting Room.

## Saint John/Holy Trinity Fall CYO Sign-Ups

Registration for Saint John/Holy Trinity CYO is open! We urge you sign up quickly as we will need to inform the Lower Bucks CYO which teams we will have. Go to https:// holytrinity.sportngin.com/ to Register.

**Travel Soccer** - The Cost is \$135.00 per child with discount for early Registration. Novice Boys and Girls are Third and Fourth Grades. JV Boys and Girls are Fifth and Sixth Grades. Varsity Boys and Girls are Seventh and Eighth Grades.

Any questions regarding Travel Soccer please contact Pat McMenamin at p mcmenamin@comcast.net

**Girls Volleyball -** The Cost is \$135.00 per child with discounts for early Registration. JV Girls are Fifth and Sixth Grades. Varsity Girls are Seventh and Eighth Grades.

Any questions regarding Girls Volleyball please contact Pat McMenamin at p mcmenamin@comcast.net

Intramural Soccer - The Cost is \$65.00 per child with discounts for early Registration. Peewees are Pre-K4 and Kindergarten and Tykes are First and Second Grades

**Cross-Country** - The Cost is \$65.00 per child with discounts for early Registration. For Boys and Girls born between 2009 and 2018

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| (July 1, 2024—May 18, 2025)  | \$604,415                     |

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## Saint John's Bakery Basket

Please stop by our Bakery Basket, sponsored by our Mass Greeters and Ushers, this Sunday, June 1st, in the Deacon James Hartmann Meeting Room after the 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM Masses. Join us after the 9:30 Mass to congratulate Rev. Mr. Declan Cole on his ordination to the Transitional Diaconate. We will celebrate with a variety of baked goods and refreshments. Whether you are an existing parishioner, new parishioner, or just visiting, you are most welcome!

# St. John the Evangelist

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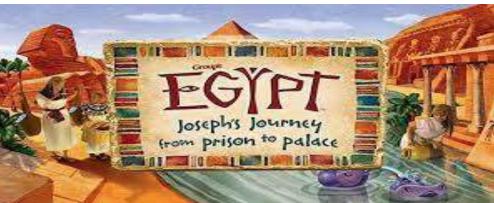


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## June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

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### Virtue of the Month Eutrapelia:

Taking delight in good and honest enjoyment; moderation in the use of recreation.

## Family Faith Activity of the Month

Each night at dinner share one thing from your day that showed Jesus' love.

### This Week's Fact of Our Faith

### Q. Is the Holy Ghost called by other names?

A. The Holy Ghost is called also the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete, the Spirit of Truth and other names given in Holy Scripture.

Baltimore Catechism

### **Attention Children of Parish**

Next Sunday we celebrate Pentecost Sunday.

This is the day when the Holy Spirit came down upon our Blessed Mother Mary and the Apostles.

To get ready, let's commit to heart the 7 gifts of the Holy Spirit.

 $\mathbf{W} = \mathbf{Wisdom}$ 

U = Understanding

 $\mathbf{F} = Fortitude$ 

 $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{Piety}$ 

A = Awe (Fear of the Lord)

 $\mathbf{C}$  = Counsel

K = Knowledge

### To God Be the Glory

Let's continue to remember our Confirmandi in prayer. Let us ask their Confirmation Saints to intercede for them and for us.

> Saint Andrew, pray for us! Saint Anne, pray for us! Saint Bernadette, pray for us! Saint Carlo, pray for us! Saint Cecilia, pray for us! Saint Elizabeth, pray for us! Saint Eulalia, pray for us! Saint Francis, pray for us! Saint Joan, pray for us! Saint Kateri, pray for us! Saint Lawrence, pray for us! Saint Peter, pray for us! Saint Rita, pray for us! Saint Rose, pray for us! Saint Sebastian, pray for us! Saint Sophia, pray for us! Saint Teresa, pray for us!

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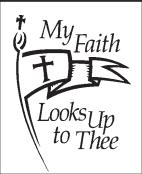


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