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AUGUST 4, 2024

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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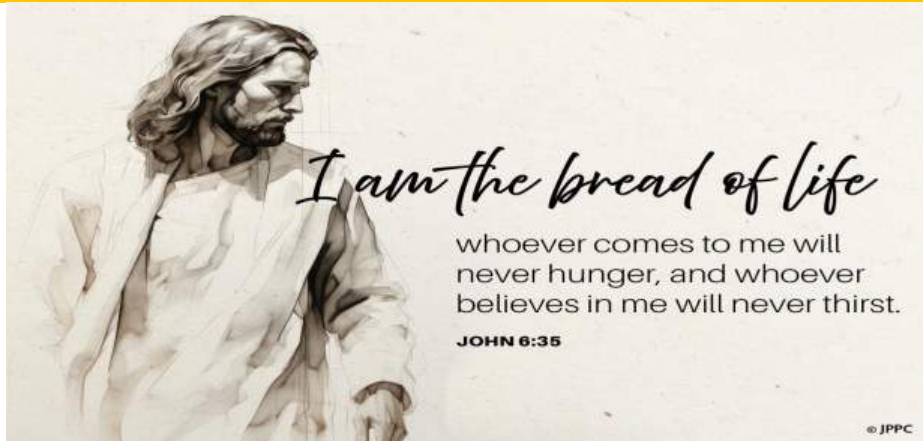
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OUR MASS SCHEDULE

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
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OFFICE HOURS

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

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728 Big Oak Road
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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.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The RCIA 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 Rev. William Monahan at 215-295-4102 for more information, or email at fatherwill@stjohnpa.org.



Sunday, August 4

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30 AM All the Members of our Parish
9:30 AM John Katsock, requested by Vivian and Family
11:30 AM Eleanor Monahan, requested by Ginnie Napolitano

Monday, August 5: The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major

- 8:00 AM Margaret Lynskey, requested by her son's

Tuesday, August 6: The Transfiguration of the Lord

- 8:00 AM M/M Albert DiAngelo, requested by M/M Chambers

Wednesday, August 7: Saints Sixtus II and Cajetan

- 8:00 AM James Patrick Muldowney, requested by David and Jamie Truelove

Thursday, August 8: Saint Dominic

- 8:00 AM Healing intentions for Judith Valentin, requested by Lou and Judy Valentin

Friday, August 9: Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

- 8:00 AM Timothy J. Faherty, requested by Kate and John Drummond

Saturday, August 10: Saint Lawrence

- 8:00 AM Arlene Cook, requested by Jane and Kevin McGinniss & Family
4:00 PM Anthony Canamucio, requested by the Davison Family

Sunday, August 11

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30 AM Claire Boersig, requested by Michaeline Hynoski
9:30 AM All the Members of our Parish
11:30 AM John Rooney, requested by Stefanie Meyrick and Family



Adult Catholic Initiation

A Journey of Faith

Come explore

what a life of faith

within the Catholic community can be!

Small Group Sessions begin in October
here at St. John's.

Adults interested in becoming Catholic
or Catholics wishing to complete their Sacraments
by receiving Confirmation and/or First Eucharist
are invited to begin a journey of faith this October at St.
John's. Our small group sessions will include presentations
on Catholic beliefs, Scripture reading, discussion, service,
and prayer – all in a welcoming and informal setting.

Take the first step to a closer relationship with Jesus
and a new way of life within our parish family.

For details, contact Lori at 856-905-2624.



If a family member is sick or you would like a visit from one of our Pastoral staff, please call our office at 215-295-4102 and we will have one of them return your call and schedule a visit.



Become a part of St. John's Prayer Network! Prayer petitions can be emailed to me and/or emailed to you each week and you can pray them on your own time. No meetings to attend!

Contact Lisa Petrino 267-994-4513; LisaPetrino412@gmail.com

To the Members of St. John's Parish Family

Has a friend, family member, neighbor or co-worker expressed interest in the Catholic faith or in completing their Sacraments? Consider offering them a sincere invitation to participate in our learning sessions and pray for them as they decide. RCIA brochures are available in the church vestibule to share.

"Tell them it is beautiful to be a friend of Jesus and that it is well worth following Him."

- Pope Benedict XVI

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having you as part of our flock



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with us via
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*and all the residents of Yardley Rehabilitation and
Healthcare Center, Arden Court and Heartis*



*On Sunday, July 28, 2024, Reverend William Monahan
Baptized*

Adalynn Grace Watters
daughter of Timothy and Jayme Watters

*into our Catholic faith.
May the blessings of her Baptism Day always keep the
presence of the Lord in her life.*



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CPL Ryan Sellner, USMC

If you have a family member serving in the Armed Forces and would like them to be remembered in our Parish prayers, please call the Parish Office and leave their names, rank and branch of service.



Mass Readings for Next Sunday, August 11, 2024

Reading 1
1 Kings 19:4-8

Responsorial Psalm
Psalms 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9

Reading 2
Ephesians 4:30-5:2

Alleluia
John 6:51

Gospel
John 6:41-51



Social Credit Concerns will again be collecting backpacks and school supplies for children in Kensington during the first 2 weeks of August. See the flyer on the table in the vestibule of Church. Thank you for your support!

Social Concerns Meeting—Wednesday, August 21st, 7PM in the Social Concerns Meeting Room.

Shared Meals—Friday, August 23rd, 4:30-8:00 pm in the Religious Education Center. Please see Sign-up Genius for ways that you can help.



Please save your McCaffrey's grocery receipts and deposit them in our marked box located in the vestibule of the Church. For all receipts collected, McCaffrey's will generously give 1% back to Saint John the Evangelist Church. We greatly appreciate it!

LAST WEEK

Saint John the Evangelist Church

Collections

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Thirtieth Sunday in 2024

Regular Sunday Collection	\$ 8,177
Parish Giving	4,356
Total	\$ 12,533

Thirtieth Sunday in 2023

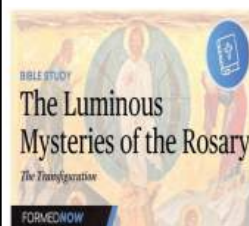
Regular Sunday Collection	\$ 9,456
Parish Giving	3,990
Total	\$ 13,446

YTD Sunday Collection
(July 1, 2024—July 28, 2024) \$ 48,839

Thank you for your continued generosity!

THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Week of August 04, 2024



A Bible Study on the Luminous Mysteries: The Transfiguration (Part 4)

Have you ever wanted to grow in your understanding and devotion to the Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary? Join Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Elizabeth Klein as they walk through the mystery of the Transfiguration, helping you to enter more deeply into its richness.



Our Mother Mary

What is Mariology? Learn about this fascinating topic in this interview with Dr. Mark Miravalle, Saint John Paul II Chair of Mariology at Franciscan University of Steubenville.



Saint Dominic/Catholic Saints

During times of corruption and heresy in the world, great saints arise to bring renewal. Learn about the life of Saint Dominic, who founded the Dominican Order and lived to promote the integration of the intellectual life and the life of poverty.

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Registration for Saint John's/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://holyltrinity.sportngin.com/> to Register

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

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

[Any questions regarding Intramural Soccer or X-Country please contact Doug Bartlett at either 215-295-0279 or TrinityTrack@comcast.net](#)

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](#)

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Saint John the Evangelist
Parish Religious Education Program (PREP)



*August is the Month of the
Immaculate Heart of Mary*

Virtue of the Month

Temperance: Enjoying things in a proper and balanced way

Family Faith Activity of the Month

As a family sing “Immaculate Mary” to Our Blessed Mother each night before you go to bed.

This Week’s Facts of our Faith

262. Q. When and where are the bread and wine changed into the Body and Blood of Christ?

A. The bread and wine are changed into the Body and Blood of Christ at the Consecration in the Mass.

263. Q. What is the Mass?

A. The Mass is the unbloody Sacrifice of the Body and Blood of Christ.

Baltimore Catechism

To God be the Glory



*“This is My Beloved Son.
Listen to Him.”*

-Mk 9:7b

Immaculate Mary

Immaculate Mary, your praises we sing.
You reign now in Heaven with Jesus our King.

Ave, Ave, Ave, Maria! Ave, Ave Maria!

In Heaven the blessed your glory proclaim;
On earth we your children invoke your fair name.

Ave, Ave, Ave, Maria! Ave, Ave Maria!

We pray for our Mother, the Church upon earth,
And bless, Holy Mary, the land of our birth.

Ave, Ave, Ave, Maria! Ave, Ave Maria!

Attention: Children of the Parish

SUMMER WEEKLY ASSIGNMENT

Get your Bibles out and read about the Feast we celebrate on Tuesday, August 6th. It is called the Feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord. Read the Gospel of Mark, Chapter 9, verses 2-10 to your parents.

Write down the 3 Apostles that Jesus took up the mountain with Him. Ask the 3 to help you become a saint!

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

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