



HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

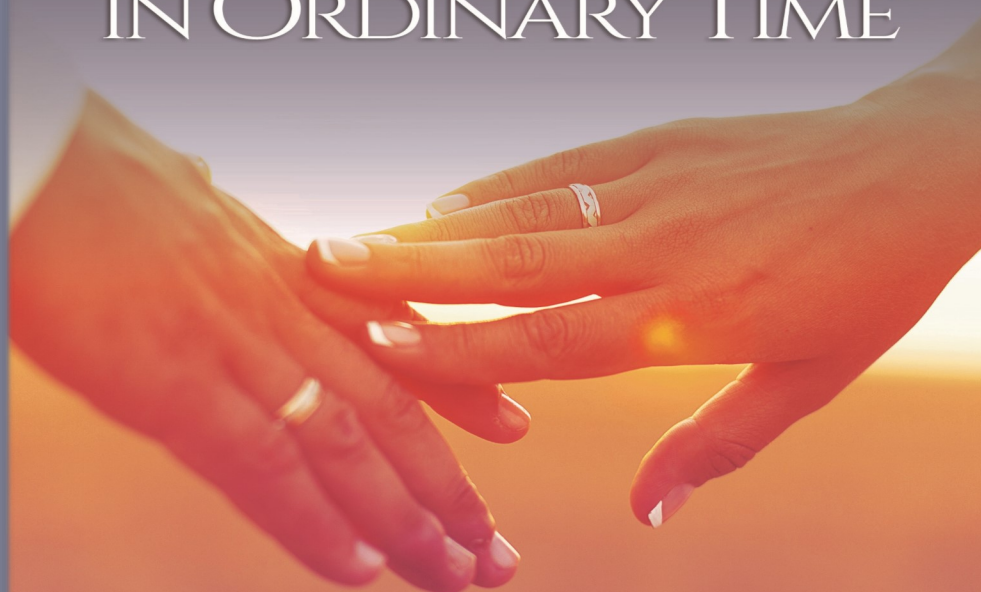


ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH



ST. BERNARD CHURCH

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. So they are no longer two but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, no human being must separate." - Mk 10:7-9

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OCTOBER 7, 2018
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HEALING LOST INNOCENCE

REFLECT

"Whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child will not enter it." This verse is part of a beautiful reflection on childlike faith. We're reminded of the innocence of children, how eager they are to experience life and how quick they are to trust. Rarely do we hear it with the story that immediately proceeds it. The Pharisees question Jesus on the lawfulness of divorce! Hardly the sort of thorny moral conversation one typically has in front of children. Yet here we are.

Jesus' response goes further back than the Mosaic law. "From the beginning, God made them male and female ... the two shall become one flesh ... what God has joined together, no human being must separate." Jesus cites a particular set of passages from Genesis 1 and 2, before the Fall in Genesis 3. Adam and Eve possessed original innocence. How eager they were to encounter one another and to explore the garden! How immediate their initial trust in God. We no longer live in Eden. As we age in our fallen world, our childlike trust is wounded and betrayed. We become hardened to the beauties of life. We're quick to find a way around difficult moments.

In brief, things become complicated as we lose our innocence. The teachings of Christ and the Church on sexuality become more challenging or more objectionable. Jesus recognizes this in today's Gospel. His invitation is not to compromise with our broken reality. It is a return to beauty, to the fullness of life as it was meant to be. We can affirm our trust in God. We can view life with gratitude. We can experience healing of our lost innocence. This is possible today -- now! -- by grace. Indeed, "the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."

IS GOD CALLING YOU?

God is calling new vocations to the priesthood, religious life and the diaconate. Are you one of them?

The Archdiocese of Hartford welcomes inquiries from men seeking to serve the Church as priests or deacons and from men and women who are discerning a vocation to the consecrated life as a religious brother or sister.

To talk about a priestly vocation, contact Father Michael Casey, Vocation Director, at 860-761-7456 or by email at vocations@aohct.org.

For information about religious life and men's and women's religious communities, contact Sister Mariette Moan, Vicar for Religious, at 860-541-6491.

For those seeking information about the diaconate, contact Deacon Robert Pallotti, Director of the Office of the Diaconate, at 860-242-5573 ext. 7447.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS



Just a reminder: There is no CCD this weekend in observance of Columbus Day Weekend.

Confirmation Class time change: On **Sunday, October 14th**, Grade 10 will meet from 4 pm - 5:30 pm at Holy Family Church in Fr. Kerwan Hall.

We are into our 4th week of CCD. If you have not yet registered for CCD, it is not too late. Please contact Mrs. Chase or Mrs. Marco in the CCD Office at 860-745-7770.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO...

- Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- Was baptized Catholic as a child, is an adult but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm accepting setting. We will meet on Tuesday evenings beginning at the end of October. For information please contact Beth Chase, Director of Religious Education at 860-749-2993, or email at sbreled@sijenfield.org.

TRAVELING ROSARY CONGRESS

The Archdiocese of Hartford is holding a Traveling Rosary Congress from **Saturday, October 6th – Friday, October 12th**. What is a Traveling Rosary Congress? Seven days of around-the-clock Eucharistic Adoration and Hourly Rosary, each 24-hour period hosted at a different church in the Archdiocese, in response to Our Lady of Fatima's call to conversion, consecration and prayer.

The purpose of this Rosary Congress is to recall the message of Our Lady to the three shepherd children in Portugal in 1917, when she appeared to them to request that the faithful pray the Rosary every day, make reparation to her Immaculate Heart for the sins committed against her Son, and pray and make sacrifices for the conversion of sinners. We wish to respond now to this message.

The Little Sister of the Poor (1365 Enfield Street) will host on Saturday, October 6th with an Opening Mass at 6 pm, followed by Eucharistic Adoration through Sunday, October 7th at 6 pm.

During this period there will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the chapel, with the Rosary and the Chaplet of Mercy prayed vocally at the start of each hour, followed by silent prayer.

Please consider participating in this special event as we pray in reparation for our families, our Archdiocese, our country, and our world, by volunteering to cover one of the hours of Adoration or stop in to pray for any length of time. Attend on your own, with your family, or with a Parish group or ministry. **We have a particular need for Adorers during the overnight hours from Saturday at 11 pm – 7 am Sunday morning.** To schedule your hour, call Little Sisters of the Poor at 860-741-0791. Our Church and our country need your prayers!

A Closing Mass for the 2018 Traveling Rosary Congress will take place at the Cathedral of St. Joseph in Hartford at 7 pm on Friday, October 12th. All are welcome to attend.

ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH LISTENING SESSION

This is the third and final question addressed at the St. Jeanne Jugan Parish Listening Session held on August 6, 2018 at St. Bernard Church. The first question was published in the September 23rd bulletin and the second question was published in the September 30th bulletin.

Sixty-one (61) parishioners from both churches, St. Bernard and Holy Family, expressed their opinions, in writing and through discussion. Trustee Dr. Claire Bronson led this Session at the request of our Pastor, Father Golas.

The invitation for all St. Jeanne Jugan parishioners to express their opinions on the three critical questions posed by the Archdiocesan *Synod* was published six consecutive weeks in our Parish bulletin. An announcement of the Listening Session and the invitation for participation was made at the beginning of each Mass for six consecutive weekends.

The final report has been submitted to our Pastor and to the Archdiocese, as requested.

QUESTION 3

What are we (as an Archdiocese) not doing that we should be?

- CONTACT WITH OUR PARISHIONERS
 - Direct contact between the Archbishop and people in each parish is lacking
 - ◆ Doesn't feel like one Archdiocese, one Catholic family or a spiritual community
 - ◆ Archbishop should go to the parishes (in addition to Confirmation) and spend time with the people there
 - ◇ Consider coffee sessions, social events or Q & A opportunities
 - ◆ Often Archdiocesan leadership lacks warmth when dealing with the lay parishioners at the Cathedral, out in the field, and when encountering those they shepherd
 - Need to get people excited about being Catholic
- FOCUS ON EDUCATION AND YOUTH MINISTRY
 - Supporting and promoting our Catholic Schools
 - ◆ Create regional Catholic schools, rather than Parish schools
 - ◆ Encourage schools to work together rather than competing
 - ◆ Increase teachers' salaries comparable to public schools
 - ◆ Increase subsidies for students
 - ◆ Create Home Schooling groups
 - Continuing education for Adults (in addition to RCIA)
 - ◆ Teaching on life issues and the official Church position on social issues
 - ◆ Provide refresher courses on Catholicism, Bible studies, etc.
 - ◆ Offering more opportunities for faith development
 - ◆ Program on "How to evangelize"
 - ◆ Conference/programs for grandparents and seniors
 - Youth and young adults
 - ◆ Youth ministry should be a major focus of the diocese
 - ◆ Provide more publicity on the programs in the archdiocese that encourage and support Catholic social interaction
 - ◆ More activities to encourage involvement within and between parishes
 - ◆ Programs for families to assist in educating youth in their Catholic Faith
 - ◆ Common curriculum for CCD programs used in all parishes
 - Assist Pro-Life programs to grow and educate
 - ◆ Help to foster adoption instead of abortion
 - Develop a way to share stories about how God and our faith have helped us to survive in this world
 - Support interfaith meetings to discuss how to better meet the needs of today
- PARISH SUPPORT
 - Increase lay support for parish priests so they may focus more on sacramental duties
 - ◆ Revitalize the Deaconate program
 - ◆ Promote the Priesthood more actively
 - ◆ Provide more Spiritual advisors
 - Emphasize the importance of "belonging" to a parish, and supporting it with one's presence
 - Sponsor more regional group events, such as pilgrimages, bus trips, vacations, to religious places
 - Feature more activities/events from parishes north of Hartford in the *Catholic Transcript*
 - Promote healthcare sharing option (CMF), as opposed to more expensive options
 - Providing Affordable Housing -- Catholic Communities Centered for Adults on low income/no family
 - Increase our support of the diocese by circulating a "Wish List"
- COMMUNICATION
 - Harness the promotion of Catholic-based apps that can be downloaded into iPhone, androids and iPads to educate and support the Faith
 - Make available an easy online resource entry site, such as a "Booklet by Problem" and who to contact in the archdiocese (especially for people in sudden difficulty and needing support)
 - Share with the public the great things priests do



Sacraments

BAPTISM

Baptism Prep class occurs on the first Sunday of the month after the 10:30 am Mass in the Meeting Room. Monthly Baptisms are scheduled for the 3rd Sunday of each month after the 10:30 am Mass or by appointment. For more information regarding baptisms please contact the rectory at (860) 749-8353, and join us for the monthly Baptism prep class. (SB)

Preparation class for parents held monthly. Call Deacon Vincent Motto at 860-745-1865 or email DeaconVince@cox.net to schedule attendance. Baptisms are booked only after all paperwork is on file. Parents must be registered parishioners. (HF)

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 4:00 - 4:30 pm at each church and by appointment.

CONFIRMATION

In the Hartford Archdiocese, students are confirmed in their sophomore year after a year of preparation. Please contact our Religious Education Director for more information.

MATRIMONY

Arrange with pastor at least 6 months before wedding date.

HOLY ORDERS

Young men interested in the priesthood should speak with any priest for more information. Please visit hartfordpriest.com.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Priests are available for anointing either at home or in the hospital. Please contact the parish office to arrange.



THIS WEEK

Location Key:

- HF = Holy Family Church
- SB = St. Bernard Church
- SBS = St. Bernard School
- LA = Little Angels PreSchool

SATURDAY OCTOBER 6

- 8:30 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
- 4 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)
- 5 pm . . . Vigil Mass (Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time) (HF, SB)

SUNDAY OCTOBER 7 (TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

- 7:30 am. . . Mass (HF)
- 8 am . . . Mass (SB)
- 9 am . . . Mass (HF)
- 10:30 am . . . Mass (SB)
- 11 am . . . Mass (HF)
- 11:30 am . . . Pre-Baptism Class (SB Meeting Room)
- 1 pm . . . Reception for Deacon Chris Vigliotta (SB Fr. Fitzmaurice Hall)

MONDAY OCTOBER 8

- 7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)
- 7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB Chapel)
- 8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)
- 9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

TUESDAY OCTOBER 9

- 7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)
- 7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB Chapel)
- 8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)
- 9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
- 12 pm . . . Senior Lunch (SB Fr. Fitzmaurice Hall)
- 2 pm . . . Legion of Mary (HF Rooms 2 & 3)
- 3:30 pm . . . Rosary (HF)

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 10

- 7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)
- 7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB Chapel)
- 8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)
- 9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
- 6:15 pm . . . Bingo Sales Begin • 7 pm . . . Game Begins (HF)

THURSDAY OCTOBER 11

- 8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)
- 9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
- 7 pm . . . Choir Rehearsal (HF Rooms 2 & 3)

FRIDAY OCTOBER 12

- 7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)
- 7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB Chapel)
- 8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)
- 9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
- 9:30 am . . . Exposition and Extended Adoration (HF)
- 3 pm . . . Divine Mercy Chaplet, Benediction (HF)

SATURDAY OCTOBER 13

- 8:30 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
- 4 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)
- 5 pm . . . Vigil Mass (Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time) (HF, SB)

SUNDAY OCTOBER 14 (TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

- 7:30 am. . . Mass (HF)
- 8 am . . . Mass (SB)
- 9 am . . . Mass (HF)
- 10:30 am . . . Children's Mass (SB)
- 11 am . . . Mass (HF)
- 12 pm . . . Rosary Rally (HF)

BOX OF JOY

Box of Joy is here!

On Saturday, September 29th our St. Jeanne Jugan Youth Group, along with Mr. & Mrs. LaJoie, Mr. & Mrs. Michaud, Miss Fitzsimons and Mrs. Rogers assembled over 500 boxes for BOX OF JOY. Thanks to Holy Family parishioners these boxes will be filled with items for children in need and shipped off to Haiti, the Dominican Republic, Nicaragua and Guatemala in time for Christmas. Please stop by Fr. Kerwan Hall to pick up a box this weekend. Our goal is to fill and send 600 boxes. We will be collecting filled boxes and monetary donations after each Mass in October. To volunteer or ask questions, contact Paula LaJoie at paula.lajoie@cox.net or Lorilla Michaud at 860-749-0479.

Help spread the joy!



SENIOR LUNCH

It's time for fall comfort food! Join us on Tuesday, October 9th at noon in Fr. Fitzmaurice Hall at St. Bernard Church for our "Unstuffed Stuffed Cabbage" meal with spice cake for dessert. All are welcome, so bring your friends and your appetite.

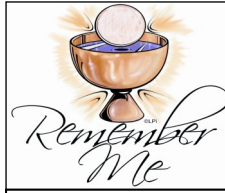
If you did not sign up last month or you haven't joined us for a meal yet, please call and leave a message for Barbara Bird at 860-749-0534 to save your place.

The food is great and the new friends you'll meet and the old friends you'll catch up with are, too!

At St. Bernard Church, the sanctuary candle in the church burns in memory of Bill Snyder, at the request of Ann and Family; there is no intention this week for the chapel candle.



Contact the SB church office for information about having the sanctuary candles burn for your intention.



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY OCTOBER 6

8:30 am. . . Maxine and Leopold Bojerski† (Requested by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zajchowski) - HF

5 pm. . . Helen R. Lempitsky† (Requested by Marie McMullen) - HF

5 pm. . . Thomas Woods† (Requested by Greg and Judy Herr) - SB

SUNDAY OCTOBER 7 (TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF

8 am. . . Robert Vilece† (Requested by his Family) - SB

9 am. . . Carl and Virginia Yurack† (Requested by the Yurack Family) - HF

10:30 am. . . Thomas A. Moore† (Requested by Irene and Children) - SB

11 am. . . Hugh and Lillian Pagani† (Requested by Lucille Ouellette) - HF

MONDAY OCTOBER 8

7:30 am. . . Madeline Hogan† (Requested by Kathleen Albano) - SB

9 am. . . Joseph Tulka† (Requested by the Vaghini Family) - HF

TUESDAY OCTOBER 9

7:30 am. . . The Deceased Members of the Legion of Mary† (Requested by the Legion of Mary) - SB

9 am. . . Caitlyn Angove† (Requested by Tom and Pat Keck) - HF

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 10

7:30 am. . . Irene Ragno† (Requested by Susan Roberts) - SB

9 am. . . Denise Ambrosini†, 1st Anniversary (Requested by the St. Vincent de Paul Conference at Holy Family Church) - HF

THURSDAY OCTOBER 11

9 am. . . William Snyder, Sr.† (Requested by Ann and Family) - HF

FRIDAY OCTOBER 12

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - SB

9 am. . . Mary Conway† (Requested by her Friends and Family) - HF

SATURDAY OCTOBER 13

8:30 am. . . Larry LaRoche† (Requested by a Friend) - HF

5 pm. . . George Palmer† (Requested by Steven Palmer and Family) - HF

5 pm. . . Rose Marek† (Requested by Teresa and Scott Marek) - SB

SUNDAY OCTOBER 14 (TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am. . . Guido Cerilli†, 33rd Anniversary (Requested by Liz and Bill Ballard) - HF

8 am. . . The Connor Family† - SB

9 am. . . John Radziewicz† (Requested by the Perry Family) - HF

10:30 am. . . Lucille Langford†, 12th Anniversary (Requested by her Daughters, Sue Queen and Pat Dupeau) - SB (Children's Mass)

11 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF



THANK YOU FROM THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY Holy Family Church Conference

On behalf of the families that we are blessed to serve, the St. Vincent de Paul Conference of Holy Family Church thanks you for your food and monetary donations these past two weeks. Your generosity allows us to help meet the food and financial needs of over 50 client families that we serve.

DAILY MASS READINGS

MONDAY OCTOBER 8: Gal 1:6-12•Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c [5]•Lk 10:25-37

TUESDAY OCTOBER 9: Gal 1:13-24•Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15 [24b]•Lk 10:38-42

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 10: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14•Ps 117:1bc, 2•Lk 11:1-4

THURSDAY OCTOBER 11: Gal 3:1-5•Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75 [69]•Lk 11:5-13

FRIDAY OCTOBER 12: Gal 3:7-14•Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 [5]•Lk 11:15-26

SATURDAY OCTOBER 13: Gal 3:22-29•Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [8a]•Lk 11:27-28

SUNDAY OCTOBER 14: Wis 7:7-11•Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [14]•Heb 4:12-13• Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

You can access the Daily Mass Readings via our parish app, at our parish Web site (www.sjenfield.org) or by visiting the U.S. bishop's Web site (www.usccb.org).



NORTHWEST CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Northwest Catholic High School invites prospective students and parents to attend their annual Open House on **Sunday, October 28th** from 1 pm - 3 pm. The entrance exam will be offered on Saturday, November 17th at 8 am. A completed application will serve as registration for the exam. You can apply online at www.northwestcatholic.org/apply. Please contact Andrew Selig at aselig@nwccath.org with any questions.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED FOR OVERNIGHTS

Volunteers are wanted for the Enfield Safe Harbor Winter Warming Center located at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 383 Hazard Ave. in Enfield. As we prepare for this coming winter season and it's bitterly cold temperatures, we are in need of volunteers to help make our warming center a warm and safe place for the homeless to get out of the cold. Please consider committing at least one or two nights per month during this winter season. Volunteers are also needed to serve on committees and provide administrative/clerical support. For more information please contact Monica Wright at 860-970-9065 or email mwright.eshwc@gmail.com. Also find us on Facebook/Enfield Safe Harbor Warming Center Enfield People for People/Enfield Safe Harbor Winter Warming Center.

Murder Mystery Dinner

St. Jeanne Jugan Women's Guild

-presents-

**Harvest Moon Cruise
on the**



Dinner, Dessert, and Drama!!! Dress to impress at the Captain's Dinner!!!

Tickets \$20.00 per person

Appetizers, Dinner, Dessert

Chicken Francaise, Rice and Vegetable

Tuesday, October 23rd @ 6:30 pm

Place: Fr. Kerwan Hall

Tickets are available after Masses and in the CCD office at Holy Family

Get in touch

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call 860-741-2101



Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser 2018

Friday **October 12th** 5pm-8pm

Tickets: \$10 adult; \$8 Senior; \$5 Child (12 & under)

Mac & Chez Available

Little Sisters of the Poor
St. Joseph's Residence
1365 Enfield Street • Enfield, CT
860-741-0791

Proceeds will go towards the Capital Campaign 22



CRAFT FAIR

Hand Made Crafts & More
Saturday, October 13, 2018
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Little Sisters of the Poor - St. Joseph's Residence
1365 Enfield Street
Enfield, CT 06082

Food Raffles

Call 860-741-0791
for Vendor Registration Info
10x4 - Space (no table) \$30.00
10x4 - Space (with table) \$40.00

Local Vendors

All proceeds benefit The Residents

ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH SUPPORT

"Happy House" is a free-will collection taken up at HF to fund construction of simple, sturdy houses in Haiti through the Haitian Health Foundation. Gift cards for Dunkin Donuts, Big Y, Stop and Shop, and Shop Rite are sold after Masses at SB with proceeds going to St. Bernard School.


Please note that the weekly and online amounts represent the combined totals from Holy Family and St. Bernard.

WEEKLY: \$9,263
ONLINE: \$1,717
HAPPY HOUSE: \$212 (HF)
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: \$1,833 (SB)
GROCERY CARDS WEEKLY SALES/PROFIT: \$2,875/\$116 (SB)
YEAR-TO-DATE PROFIT: \$3,863 (SB)



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