



HOLY FAMILY CHURCH



ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH



ST. BERNARD CHURCH

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you.
I do not give to you as the world gives.
Do not let your hearts be troubled
and do not be afraid.

John 14:27

ST. JEANNE JUGAN JOURNAL

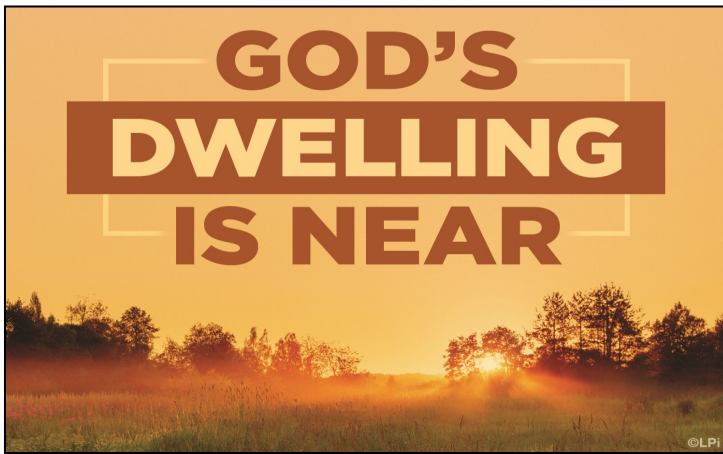
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MAY 26, 2019
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



REFLECT

Theology has two words to describe the space between God and us - transcendent and immanent. When we say God is transcendent, we speak of the One whose ways are not our ways, the placer of stars and maker of mountains. This is God who transcends our understanding, whose being goes beyond what we can know. When we say God is immanent, we mean His nearness to us. This is the way Jesus speaks of himself in today's Gospel. "Whoever loves me keeps my word...and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him."

The Hebrews saw God as intimately involved with the fate of their people. But for all His care, God was still distant to most. He spoke through prophets and was represented in blazes of fire and pillars of cloud. Priests offered animal sacrifice to atone for the nation's sins. While we still know that God is transcendent - any morning's resplendent sunrise confirms this - Jesus introduces us to himself in a new way. Not only does Jesus walk among us, but the Holy Spirit dwells within us. "The Advocate, the Holy Spirit...will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I told you. Peace I leave with you!"

How do you tend to view God? For many of us, the transcendent sense of a distant God might fill our perception. Today's Gospel reminds us of something altogether different, something more intimate. Our God remains with us. He overcomes the confusion of the world and speaks peace to our troubled hearts. Our God is not far from us. The more we remain connected to Him and love as He loved, the more we will experience His nearness. We can have confidence in His presence and rest in His encouragement: "Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid."

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS



Currently enrolled students: Please get your CCD registrations in by mail for the fall.

Anyone new to the CCD program should call Mrs. Nancy Marco in the CCD Office at 860-745-7770 for information.

Wishing all grade K-8 students a very nice spring and summer!

FROM FR. GOLAS,

Baptism program at St. Jeanne Jugan Parish

Beginning June 1st, there will be one Baptismal preparation program for the Parish. The Baptism Prep class is for new parents or parents who have not attended in the last three years. It will be held on the second Tuesday of the month at 7 pm in classroom 2 and 3 of Holy Family Church. I ask parents who want to attend to contact either Administrative Assistant, Kacey at the Holy Family rectory or Sally at the St. Bernard rectory, to register. Deacon Richard, Deacon Vince, and I will be offering the classes alternating each month. Upon completion of the registration form at this class, parents can schedule a date for the baptism or schedule it later by calling Kacey or Sally. Baptisms can be scheduled on any Sunday of the month except on major religious feasts or holidays. This is another step that is being taken to further our Parish merger. It provides for a better usage of our staff and more options for our parishioners. The next class is **Tuesday, June 11th** at 7 pm in classroom 2 and 3 at Holy Family Church.

Religious Education program at St. Jeanne Jugan Parish

I am pleased to report that Pat Keck is the new coordinator of the Parish Religious Education program. Pat has been an active and involved parishioner and will be a welcome addition to our staff. We will pray for God's blessing upon her in this new ministry of service to the Lord.



2019 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL



The Archbishop's Annual Appeal provides help to those in need! Together, we can and do make a profound difference in the lives of many individuals and families, in a way that exceeds anything we could hope to achieve on our own. Please consider supporting this important initiative. Every gift makes a difference. Organizations such as Enfield Loaves and Fishes, Enfield Food Shelf, and Network Against Domestic Violence right here in our own town received funding from the Appeal's Vicariate Outreach Program which serves our local neighbors.

Last weekend was Commitment Weekend across the archdiocese for the 2019 Archbishop's Annual Appeal, **Sharing the Joy of the Gospel for Generations**. If you have not yet made your gift, an Appeal Envelope can be located in the church again this weekend. Please consider donating today. It is not too late to help!

All funds contributed to the Archbishop's Annual Appeal are used exclusively for the purposes outlined in the Appeal literature, which can be found at <https://archdioceseofhartford.org/aaa-2019-last-years-appeal-impact/>.

No Appeal funds are ever used for legal fees or settlements.



St. Bernard School & Little Angels Pre-School



ST. BERNARD SCHOOL CELEBRATES NATIONAL DANCE LIKE A CHICKEN DAY

All students in kindergarten through eighth grade took a few moments throughout the day to celebrate National Dance Like a Chicken Day on Tuesday, May 14th. The students enjoyed the surprise breaks of the famous "Chicken Dance" playing over the intercom and echoing in all the classrooms. This popular dance brought moments of happiness and laughter enjoyed by all.



Students participate in the "Chicken Dance".
Back to Front- Angelina Dunn, Pierce Mahalski, Robert Herdman, and Shelby Nadaud.

ST. BERNARD SCHOOL EIGHTH GRADE CLASS NIGHT

On Saturday, May 11th the eighth grade students along with their parents, guardians, and faculty enjoyed a night of reminiscing, dancing, and good food. The students celebrated their accomplishments and memories from their years at St. Bernard School. This night kicked off their first of many celebrations as they prepare for graduation.



Eighth grade students take a moment to smile before the tears of graduation.



Sacraments

BAPTISM

To register for the Parish's Baptism Prep Class, please call Kacey at Holy Family Church rectory at 860-741-2101 or Sally at the St. Bernard Church rectory at 860-749-8353. Baptism Prep Class occurs on the second Tuesday of the month at 7 pm in classrooms 2 and 3 at Holy Family Church. Baptisms can be scheduled by calling Kacey or Sally once parents have completed the Baptism Prep class. Baptisms can be scheduled on any Sunday of the month except on major religious feasts or holidays.

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 office for more information.

MATRIMONY

Arrange with pastor at least 6 months before wedding date.

HOLY ORDERS

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

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 MAY 25

- 8:30 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
- 4 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)
- 5 pm . . . Vigil Mass (Sixth Sunday of Easter) (HF, SB)

SUNDAY MAY 26 (SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER)

- 7:30 am. . . Mass (HF)
- 8 am . . . Mass (SB)
- 9 am . . . Mass (HF)
- 10:30 am . . . Mass (SB)
- 11 am . . . Mass (HF)

MONDAY MAY 27

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

TUESDAY MAY 28

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

WEDNESDAY MAY 29

- 7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)
- 7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB Chapel)
- 8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)
- 9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
- 5:30 pm . . . Vigil Mass (SB)
- 7 pm . . . Vigil Mass (HF)

THURSDAY MAY 30 (THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD)

- 8 am . . . Mass (SB)
- 8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)
- 9 am . . . Mass (HF)
- 12:10 pm . . . Mass (HF)
- 6 pm . . . St. Jeanne Jugan Carnival (SB)
- 7 pm . . . Choir Rehearsal (HF Rooms 2 & 3)

FRIDAY MAY 31

- 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)
- 12 pm . . . Divine Mercy Chaplet, Benediction (HF)
- 6 pm . . . St. Jeanne Jugan Carnival (SB)

SATURDAY JUNE 1

- 8:30 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
- 4 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)
- 5 pm . . . Vigil Mass (Seventh Sunday of Easter) (HF, SB)
- 6 pm . . . St. Jeanne Jugan Carnival (SB)

SUNDAY JUNE 2 (SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER)

- 7:30 am. . . Mass (HF)
- 8 am . . . Mass (SB)
- 9 am . . . Mass (HF)
- 10:30 am . . . Mass (SB)
- 11 am . . . Mass (HF)

OFFICES CLOSED

Please note that both Holy Family Church and St. Bernard Church offices will be closed on **Monday, May 27th** in observance of Memorial Day.

PRAYER FOR MEMORIAL DAY

God of power and mercy, you destroy war and put down earthly pride. Banish violence from our midst and wipe away our tears, that we may all deserve to be called your sons and daughters. Keep in your mercy those men and women who have died in the cause of freedom and bring them safely into your kingdom of justice and peace. We ask this though Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

ST. JEANNE JUGAN WOMEN'S GUILD ANNUAL BANQUET

When: Tuesday, June 4th, 6 pm

Where: Grassmere Country Club

Cost per ticket \$20.00

Call MaryJo McManus at 860-205-0983 with any questions.

Entertainment: Just Jeannie

BINGO CANCELED WEDNESDAY, MAY 29TH

Wednesday, May 29th is the vigil of the Ascension of the Lord. Mass is at 7 pm at Holy Family Church. Bingo will resume on Wednesday, June 5th with another chance at fun and cash prizes!

Volunteers are needed in the kitchen and on the floor.

See Keith or Wayne on Bingo night for more information.

At St. Bernard Church, the sanctuary candle burns in memory of Msgr. David Liptak; the chapel candle burns in memory of Dorothy Luczai, at the request of her Family.



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

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD (A Holy Day of Obligation)

May 30, 2019

Mass schedule:

<u>May 29th</u>	<u>May 30th</u>
5:30 pm (SB)	8 am (SB)
7 pm (HF)	9 am (HF)
	12:10 pm (HF)

Please note that there will not be a 7 pm Mass on May 30th.

A LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

Are you ready for a change?
Let the Holy Spirit renew you.

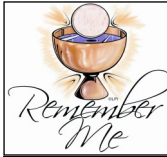
This life-changing program is being held for seven consecutive Tuesdays from **April 23rd to June 4th** in the St. Martha School Cafeteria (Goulet Hall) at 214 Brainard Road in Enfield from 7 pm - 9 pm.

The seminar is offered free of charge and is sponsored by Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Prayer Group. For additional information or registration, please contact Peggi at 860-745-9861.

*Stella Marie Haughn
Henley Logan Kozikowski
Colin Raymond McCurry
James Wellington Vick*



Baptised



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY MAY 25

8:30 am. . . Ronald Sadosky†, 4th Anniversary (Requested by his Wife, Margaret) - HF
5 pm. . . Theresa and Norman LaRose† (Requested by their Children) - HF
5 pm. . . Heidi Vasseur Vaughan† (Requested by Kathryn and Kris Tobey) - SB

SUNDAY MAY 26 (SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER)

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF
8 am. . . Mass of Thanksgiving for the 3rd Wedding Anniversary of Joe and Linda Fallon - SB
9 am. . . Anna Kaleta† (Requested by her Daughter) - HF
10:30 am. . . Msgr. David Liptak† - SB
11 am. . . Paul Gendreau†, 8th Anniversary (Requested by the Gendreau Family) - HF

MONDAY MAY 27

8 am. . . Donald Guillerault†, 12th Anniversary (Requested by his Wife, Patricia) - SB
9 am. . . Jonathan O'Donnell† (Requested by his Daughters and Family) - HF

TUESDAY MAY 28

7:30 am. . . Mass of Thanksgiving for the 20th Wedding Anniversary of Linda and William Mester - SB
9 am. . . Intentions for Larry and Annie Ross on their 3rd Wedding Anniversary (Requested by Alicia Ross) - HF

WEDNESDAY MAY 29

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - SB
9 am. . . Lazara Mendez† (Requested by Alicia Ross) - HF
5:30 pm . . . Fr. Robert Beloint† - SB
7 pm . . . Fr. George Ziezulewicz† - HF

THURSDAY MAY 30 (THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD)

8 am . . . 75th Jubilee Celebration for Sr. Mary Bernard, C.S.S.F. (Requested by Sally Pratson) - SB
9 am. . . Eunice Bankowski† (Requested by Hank and Mary Bankowski) - HF
12:10 pm . . . Frederick and Ruth Olko† and Patrick and Mary Creswell† (Requested by the Creswell Family)

FRIDAY MAY 31

7:30 am. . . Fr. Robert Russo† - SB
9 am. . . Stanley and Severia Polak† and Clare Pepe† (Requested by Kathe) - HF

SATURDAY JUNE 1

8:30 am. . . Mary Gianinoti† (Requested by Mrs. Rucci) - HF
5 pm. . . Bernard and Amelia Comer† (Requested by Bob and June Chagnon) - HF
5 pm. . . Intentions of the Eucharistic Ministers at St. Bernard Church (Requested by Cindy and Ray Kaplan) - SB

SUNDAY JUNE 2 (SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER)

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF
8 am. . . Sheila Cobb† (Requested by Kathy Kane-DiBacco and Family) - SB
9 am. . . Arthur Proteau† (Requested by his Wife and Family) - HF
10:30 am. . . Ronald Szaban† (Requested by the Chwalek Family) - SB
11 am. . . Eileen McGuinness† (Requested by Rose) - HF

DAILY MASS READINGS

MONDAY MAY 27: Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Jn 15:26--16:4a

TUESDAY MAY 28: Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [7c]/Jn 16:5-11

WEDNESDAY MAY 29: Acts 17:15, 22--18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15

THURSDAY MAY 30: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53

FRIDAY MAY 31: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [6]/Lk 1:39-56

SATURDAY JUNE 1: Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10 [8a]/Jn 16:23b-28

SUNDAY JUNE 2: Acts 7:55-60/Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9 [1a, 9a]/Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/Jn 17:20-26

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





MEN'S GROUP MEETING

Men's Group Meeting on the Gospel of Mark will be held on **Tuesday, May 28th** at St Joseph's Residence at 7 pm. This is a good opportunity to learn more about the Gospel and to share thoughts with other men. All men are welcome. Please call Fr. Rousseau at 860-741-0791 with any questions or just show up that evening. Hope to see you there.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

The Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet on **Monday, June 3rd** from 1 pm - 3 pm in Sr. Theresa's office at St. Jeanne Jugan Parish - St. Bernard Church.

ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH CARNIVAL

May 30TH - JUNE 1ST

By now all parishioners have received their Carnival raffle tickets. Your participation and effort to purchase or sell these tickets is essential. If you have not already done so, you may purchase or sell the tickets for \$5.00 each. You are asked to place the raffle returns (ticket stubs and money collected) in the envelope in which you received the tickets. They may be dropped in the collection basket or returned to either Holy Family Church or St. Bernard Church rectory by **May 26th**.

Volunteers are still needed to work any of the three nights whether it be only a few hours one night or all three, we welcome your help! Signup sheets can be found on the tables in Fr. Kerwan Hall at Holy Family Church and on the tables at both entrances to St. Bernard Church.

- First Prize: \$2,000.00 VISA Gift Card**
- Second Prize: \$1,500.00 Target Gift Card**
- Third Prize: \$1,000.00 Stop & Shop Gift Card**

The drawing will be held on Saturday, June 1st at 9:30 pm on the main stage.
Good luck to all! We can't wait to see you there for fun, games and great food!

PURSE BINGO FUNDRAISER

FOR ST. JEANNE JUGAN YOUTH GROUP

The St. Jeanne Jugan Youth Group will be hosting a Purse BINGO fundraiser on **Friday, June 7th** at Holy Family Church. The cost is \$30 per ticket. Tickets will be available after Masses at both Holy Family Church and St. Bernard Church on May 25th and 26th or by contacting Kristen Fitzsimons at SJJYouthMinister@gmail.com or 860-716-8588.

This fundraiser, along with the Candy Bar fundraiser, will help our Youth Group get one step closer to their Steubenville East trip in July 2019.

Your \$30 ticket includes 10 games of Bingo (each game has a corresponding designer purse prize). There will also be basket raffles!

ADDITIONAL bingo cards available for \$2.00 per game.



Get in touch

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PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Dear Parishioners:

We are approaching our first Parish Council elections as one merged Parish. Last weekend nomination ballots were made available in each pew and ballots are still available on the bulletin tables. You are asked to fill in the ballot on the back page with the names of your chosen candidates. On page 2, you will find information on the present Council membership and the eligibility requirements. Please review the nomination instructions in order to facilitate the work of the chairperson of the election process.

An active and dedicated Council can be of great help to any parish. It is our hope that through the good work of our Council, the Parish will be strengthened in fulfilling its role in building up the Mystical Body of Christ, His church, here in Enfield. During the past year, St. Jeanne Jugan Parish Council has been most supportive in their many concerns and it is with much gratitude that we commend them for their interest and advice.

Drop boxes will be placed at all exits to receive your completed ballots. **The nominations must be submitted by Sunday, May 26, 2019.** The election process will take place on June 8, 9, 15 and 16, 2019. Your cooperation is requested in nominating worthy members of the Parish Community.

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 the weekly and online amounts represent the combined totals from Holy Family Church and St. Bernard Church.

WEEKLY: \$9,677

ONLINE: \$1,898

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS CAMPAIGN: \$3,321

HAPPY HOUSE: \$215 (HF)

GROCERY CARDS WEEKLY SALES/PROFIT: \$2,205/\$96 (SB)

YEAR-TO-DATE PROFIT: \$1,912 (SB)



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