



HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH

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“You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come.” - Lk 12:40

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AUGUST 11, 2019
NINETEENTH SUNDAY
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REFLECT

Tickets booked, packing list double-checked, itinerary set - how do you know you're prepared for a trip? Being ready requires plenty of practical preparation. Do we give the same care to our spiritual preparedness? "Your Father is pleased to give you the kingdom," Jesus tells us. In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus reminds us to have the right attitude for the gifts and callings he wants to give us!

Clear out your clutter! "Where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." Jesus reminds the disciples that earthly standards of security and success will wear out in time. If our lives are structured around values that don't align with the kingdom of God, we'll miss opportunities to receive God. If we're so concerned with our child's success in sports that we miss Sunday Mass for their tournaments, we're missing out receiving the sacraments and building a consistent community of faith. If our quest for the promotion takes us away from family commitments, we won't be able to fully receive the love intended in our closest relationships.

Set faith-based priorities. "Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival." Our conflicting commitments can cause any routine to slip from time to time. All the more reason to make sure faith is a priority. Pray as a family before meals. Bring your children regularly to the sacrament of confession. Make room in the schedule for faith enrichment activities offered by your parish. Volunteer once a month. "At an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come." When will the call come to care for an ailing parent? To take on a new leadership position? God speaks to us through the circumstances of our lives. He calls each of us to greater love, sometimes in very concrete ways. This week, take some time to consider: Will you be ready?

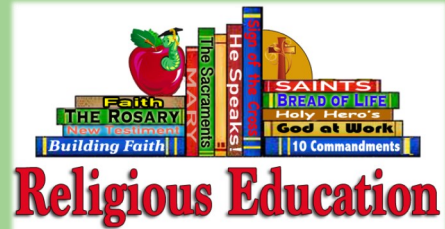
2019 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

The Archbishop's Annual Appeal helps provide the critical funding needed to feed the hungry, shelter the homeless, counsel those in despair, offer much-needed assistance to the unemployed, and make medical care available to those without health insurance. Your gift to the 2019 Appeal will help to continue these and other vital ministries, services, and programs that reach out to so many in need.

To learn more about the ways your gift makes a difference and to make your gift today, visit the Appeal website at www.archdioceseofhartford.org and follow the link **Sharing the Joy of the Gospel for Generations**. All pledges may be paid through December 31, 2019 towards this year's Appeal.

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.



All registrations are now due for grades K - 8. Please contact the Religious Education Department at 860-745-7770 if you have not received your registration form.

CLASSES BEGIN

- Saturday morning program: September 14th at 9 am at St. Bernard School.
- Sunday morning program: September 15th at 9:15 am at St. Bernard Church.
- 10th grade Confirmation class: Sunday, September 15th from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm at Holy Family Church.
- 7th and 8th grade: Thursday, September 19th at 7 pm at St. Bernard Church.
- 9th grade: Sunday, October 27th at 6:30 pm at St. Bernard Church.

Confirmation Registration for the Fall is also now due as well as Confirmation packets that were handed out in the Spring.

LAST MINUTE REGISTRATION SIGN-UPS

Sunday, August 18th

- After the 8 am Mass at St. Bernard Church in Fr. Fitzmaurice Hall from 9 am - 10 am.
- After the 11 am Mass at Holy Family Church in Fr. Kerwan Hall from 12 pm - 1 pm.

THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM IS LOOKING FOR CCD TEACHER VOLUNTEERS

If you are looking for a rewarding way to spend time serving our Parish, please come join our volunteer CCD staff. We are looking for a 3rd grade teacher volunteer for the Sunday morning program and a 6th grade teacher volunteer for the Saturday and Sunday program.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

There will be a parent/teacher meeting with book pick-up on Monday, September 9th at 7 pm at Holy Family Church in Fr. Kerwan Hall or on Tuesday, September 10th at 7 pm at St. Bernard Church in Fr. Fitzmaurice Hall.

Catechetical Sunday is September 15th at the 10:30 am Mass at St. Bernard Church. Blessing of all catechists by Fr. Golas. Fellowship to follow in Fr. Fitzmaurice Hall.

Please contact Pat Keck, Coordinator of Religious Education, at 860-745-7770 or 860-749-2993 for questions regarding registration, classes, or an interest in teaching.

PRAYER FOR THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Almighty and everlasting God,
You have taken up body and soul
into the heavenly glory the Immaculate Virgin Mary,
Mother of Your Son: Grant, we beseech You,
that, ever intent upon heavenly things,
we may be worthy to be partakers of her glory.
Through Jesus Christ Your Son, our Lord,
who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit,
One God, forever and ever. Amen.



GOD IS CALLING! ARE YOU LISTENING?

The Office of Vocations for the Archdiocese of Hartford is committed to fostering quality, faithful, and lasting vocations to the priesthood. To this end, the men in our formation program must be committed disciples of Jesus Christ willing to form their lives in His likeness. St. John Vianney says, "The priest is first of all a man of prayer." Our vocation program places priority on daily prayer. As our world becomes more materialistic and secular, the people of God need priests who, by word and example, promote the universal call to holiness which is born out of a devoted prayer life, centered in Sacred Scripture and Eucharistic oblation. Authentic devotion to the Blessed Mother is essential as well, because it leads men in the path of her divine Son.

God is calling men to the priesthood. Are you one of them? The noise and distractions of our culture can cause a spiritual deafness. The Office of Vocations would like to help you hear God's voice and discern His will for your life. If you think God is calling you the time to act is now!

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

See Office of Vocations web site, hartfordpriest.com

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

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

For those seeking information about the diaconate, contact Rev. Kevin Donovan, Director, at 860-242-5573 ext. 7447 or by e-mail at fr.donovan@aohct.org.



Sacraments

BAPTISM

To register for the Parish's Baptism Prep Class, please call 860-973-1717 to speak with Kacey at the Holy Family Church rectory or Sally at the St. Bernard Church rectory. 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 - 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 AUGUST 10

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

SUNDAY AUGUST 11 (NINETEENTH 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)

MONDAY AUGUST 12

7 am . . . Rosary (SB Chapel)
 7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB Chapel)
 8:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)
 9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
 7 pm . . . Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Marian Reflections presented by Fr. John Gancarz (SB)

TUESDAY AUGUST 13

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)
 7 pm . . . Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Marian Reflections presented by Fr. John Gancarz (HF)
 7 pm . . . Baptism Prep Class (HF Rooms 2 & 3)

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 14

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 AUGUST 15 (THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY)

7:30 am . . . Rosary (HF)
 8 am . . . Daily Mass (SB)
 9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
 12:10 pm . . . Mass (HF)
 7 pm . . . Mass (SB)

FRIDAY AUGUST 16

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)

SATURDAY AUGUST 17

8:30 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)
 4 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)
 4:30 pm . . . Rosary with Legion of Mary (SB)
 5 pm . . . Vigil Mass (Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time) (HF, SB)

SUNDAY AUGUST 18 (TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am . . . Mass (HF)
 7:30 am . . . Rosary with Legion of Mary (SB)
 8 am . . . Mass (SB)
 9 am . . . Mass (HF)
 10:30 am . . . Mass (SB)
 11 am . . . Mass (HF)

Legion of Mary Annual Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto - in Litchfield, CT



Please join us on the beautiful grounds at Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto on Saturday, **September 7th.**

The bus will leave from St. Joseph's Residence at 8 am and return at 5 pm. The program includes Mass, Confession, a short talk, Stations of the Cross by hiking at one's own pace, or watching a video. The day concludes with Benediction. You may bring your lunch or purchase lunch in the cafeteria. A gift shop is available and purchases will be blessed.

For reservations call Pat Guillerault at 860-749-0159 or Camille Boucher at 860-745-6048 by Monday, August 12th.

BINGO CANCELLED AUGUST 14TH

Bingo will be cancelled on Wednesday, August 14th. Bingo fun will resume on Wednesday, August 21st. So grab a friend and get your dabbers ready! August 21st might be your lucky night to win Bingo!



Teresa Ann Mosher
Maximilian Gaaniko Rubino



At St. Bernard Church, the sanctuary candle burns in memory of Jean-Paul Paquette, 5th Anniversary, at the request of Monique Marquis; the chapel candle burns in memory of Carmen Scavotto.



Contact the St. Bernard Church office for information about having the sanctuary or chapel candles burn for your intention.



HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
(A Holy Day of Obligation)

Wednesday, August 14th

5:30 pm - St. Bernard Church
7 pm - Holy Family Church

Thursday, August 15th

8 am - St. Bernard Church
9 am - Holy Family Church
12:10 pm - Holy Family Church
7 pm - St. Bernard Church

EXPOSITION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT AND MARIAN REFLECTIONS

Most blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. - Luke 1:42

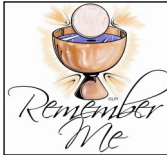
Brothers and Sisters,

As we prepare for the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary on August 15th, we will be hosting two opportunities for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Marian reflections by Fr. John Gancarz. They will be held on Monday, August 12th at St. Bernard Church and Tuesday, August 13th at Holy Family Church. Both will last approximately one hour, from 7 pm until 8 pm. As Saint Maximilian Kolbe tells us, "Never be afraid of loving Mary too much. You can never love her more than Jesus did!"

Monday, August 12th: St. Bernard Church at 7 pm.
Reflection Topic: The Honor of the Assumption.

Tuesday, August 13th: Holy Family Church at 7 pm.
Reflection Topic: The Power of the Rosary. (Followed by the praying of the Rosary)

Come for an hour of prayer and to learn more about our Blessed Mother, who ceaselessly guides us closer to her son, Jesus Christ.



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY AUGUST 10

8:30 am. . . Francis Daglio† (Requested by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keck) - HF
5 pm. . . Julie Meskell† (Requested by the Crosson Family) - HF
5 pm. . . Marie Hilliard†, 8th Anniversary (Requested by Jerry Hilliard and her Children) - SB

SUNDAY AUGUST 11 (NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF
8 am. . . Richard Krebs† (Requested by Karen and Patrice Krebs) - SB
9 am. . . Mary and Larry Colton† (Requested by the Cormier Family) - HF
10:30 am. . . Frank Wentworth, Jr.† and Frank Wentworth, III† (Requested by their Family) - SB
11 am. . . Benjamin St. Pierre†, 2nd Anniversary (Requested by his Mother, Janet) - HF

MONDAY AUGUST 12

7:30 am. . . John Hilliard†, 28th Anniversary (Requested by Jerry and Loida Hilliard) - SB
9 am. . . George and Emily Davist† (Requested by their Family) - HF

TUESDAY AUGUST 13

7:30 am. . . Amador Galindo†, 27th Anniversary (Requested by Loida and Jerry Hilliard) - SB
9 am. . . Francis Gannuscio†, 6th Anniversary (Requested by his Wife and Children) - HF

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 14

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - SB
9 am. . . Sharon† and Anita† (Requested by the Wigmore Family) - HF
5:30 pm. . . Patrick and Rose McCann† (Requested by Patricia Sagon) - SB
7 pm. . . Stanley Olender† (Requested by the Olender Family) - HF

THURSDAY AUGUST 15 (THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY)

8 am. . . Carmen Scavotto† (Requested by the Scavotto Family) - SB
9 am. . . Bill Ouellette†, 4th Anniversary (Requested by Mary and Family) - HF
12:10 pm. . . Barbara Olko† (Requested by the Creswell Family) - HF
7 pm. . . Fran and Anne Dwyer† (Requested by the Ballard Family) - SB

FRIDAY AUGUST 16

7:30 am. . . For the Intention of Sr. Mary Apollonia on her 70th Anniversary as a Felician Sister (Requested by Sally Pratson) - SB
9 am. . . Marie Martin, S.J.† (Requested by Mary Ann) - HF

SATURDAY AUGUST 17

8:30 am. . . John Bossidy† (Requested by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keck) - HF
5 pm. . . Ronald G. Marcotte, Sr.† (Requested by the Margavich Family) - HF
5 pm. . . Carmen Scavotto, 2nd Anniversary (Requested by his Wife, Jean and Family) - SB

SUNDAY AUGUST 18 (TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am. . . St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF
8 am. . . Daniel "DJ" DeGray† (Requested by the Timpone Family) - SB
9 am. . . Bill O'Regan† (Requested by a Friend of the Family) - HF
10:30 am. . . William Martinez†, 6th Anniversary (Requested by his Family) - SB
11 am. . . Edward LaJoie, Sr.† (Requested by Joe and Lou Michaud) - HF

DAILY MASS READINGS

MONDAY AUGUST 12: Dt 10:12-22•Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 [12a]•Mt 17:22-27

TUESDAY AUGUST 13: Dt 31:1-8•Dt 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12 [9a]•Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 14: Dt 34:1-12•Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17 [cf. 20a and 10b]•Mt 18:15-20

THURSDAY AUGUST 15: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2•Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14 [8]•1 Cor 15:54b-57•Lk 11:27-28.

Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab•Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16 [10bc]•1 Cor 15:20-27•Lk 1:39-56

FRIDAY AUGUST 16: Jos 24:1-13•Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 and 24•Mt 19:3-12

SATURDAY AUGUST 17: Jos 24:14-29•Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11 [cf. 5a]•Mt 19:13-15

SUNDAY AUGUST 18: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10•Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18 [14b]•Heb 12:1-4•Lk 12:49-53

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).



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING

The St. Vincent de Paul Conference of St. Bernard Church will be meeting on **Monday, August 19th** at 7 pm in the Meeting Room at St. Bernard Church.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come." Prepare your marriage for the coming of the Lord by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. The next weekends are **October 18th - 20th** in Albany, NY and **November 1st - 3rd** in Manchester, CT. For more information, call Pat and Mary Jo McLaughlin at 860-315-2127 or visit them at <https://www.mectw.org/>.



IT'S PICNIC TIME!



The 2nd Annual St. Jeanne Jugan Parish Picnic is almost here. Clear your calendars for Sunday, August 25th and prepare to enjoy some good summer food, friends and fun! We'll have hot dogs, hamburgers, ice cold soda and water, music, games and more! If you missed it last year, don't miss out this year. Bring a friend or two, bring the family, bring your appetite! Tickets will be on sale after Mass the weekends of August 10th and 11th and August 17th and 18th.

Volunteers are still needed to make our picnic a success. Please e-mail Kristen Fitzsimons at SJJYouthMinister@gmail.com, sign up after Masses, or use this link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050c45afae2ca2f49-stjeanne> if you would like to become a volunteer. It's a great way to be active, help the Parish, have fun and meet new people.



The Retrouvaille Program is for Married Couples Facing Difficult Challenges in their Relationship.

- A Marriage program that helps couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship.
- A Christian marriage program, Catholic in origin, where couples of all faiths or no faith background are encouraged to attend.
- Primarily a practical program to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect.
- Presenters are not trained marriage counselors, but rather couples sharing their personal stories of marital struggles and the tools they used to rediscover their love.

Retrouvaille offers tools needed to rediscover a loving marriage. Tens of thousands of struggling marriages headed for cold, unloving relationships or divorce have successfully overcome their marriage problems by attending the program, which begins with a Weekend Experience that is followed by a series of follow-up sessions to help keep your healing on track and further develop the tools learned.

For more information call **1-800-420-2230** or visit their website at www.helpourmarriage.org.

No marriage is beyond hope.

GET IN TOUCH

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contact the rectory at Holy Family Church



Fall
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Because so many asked, the Women's

Guild is having a

Fall into Winter

Rent a Table/Space Bazaar

at Holy Family Church

St. Jeanne Jugan Parish, Enfield, Ct.

Sat. - November 16, 2019 ... 9am to 3pm.

For an application - call Carolé at 860-741-0485.

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 St. Bernard Church 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: \$8,881

ONLINE: \$1,928

HAPPY HOUSE: \$354 (HF)

GROCERY CARDS WEEKLY SALES/PROFIT: \$2,085/\$82 (SB)

YEAR-TO-DATE PROFIT: \$2,751 (SB)



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