



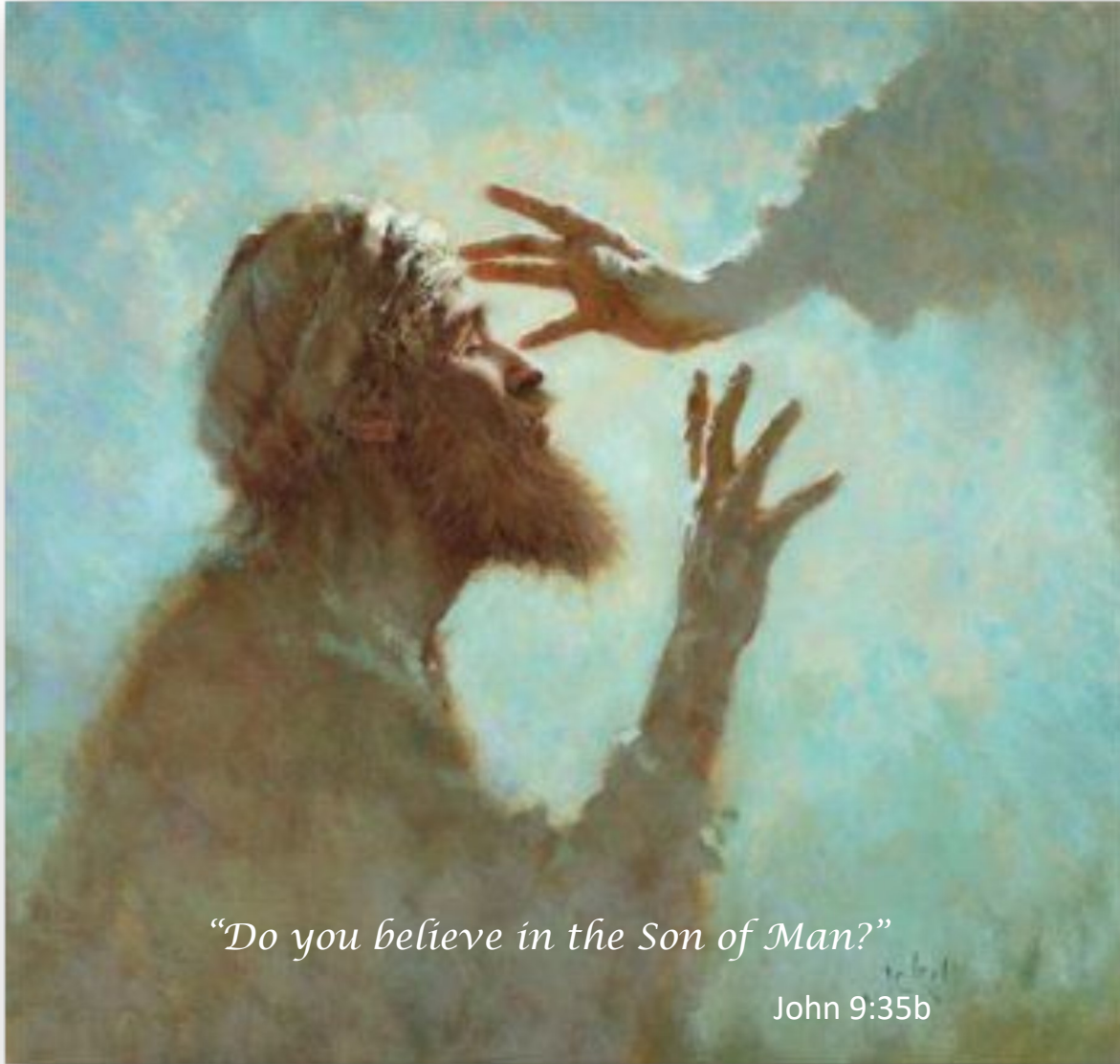
HOLY FAMILY CHURCH



ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH



ST. BERNARD CHURCH



“Do you believe in the Son of Man?”

John 9:35b

ST. JEANNE JUGAN JOURNAL

MARCH 22, 2020
FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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SEEING IS BELIEVING

REFLECT

“Do you believe in the Son of Man?” Jesus wants to motivate each one of us to see the truth. After developing a relationship with Jesus, the blind man “sees” as someone very special. The Pharisees, due to the blindness caused by their ignorance, prejudice, and need for self-preservation, still remain blind. Presuppositions, prejudices, assumptions, and our needs can easily blind us to truth. We see what we want or need to see and not what is really there. In addition, our stubbornness continues to convince us that we are right and that our vision is perfect. Only God can complete the picture.

Look around at our world. So much of what is happening today is due to the reluctance of folks to allow themselves to be stretched and brought to see what is really there. Many react to what life presents to them more with the lenses of ignorance than lenses of clarity. The Gospel carries great transformative value. With it, God corrects our vision and replaces our limited sight with the fullness of his sight. God opens our eyes so that we can see that it is not about preserving what we have created but of living in the immensity and wonder of God’s kingdom.

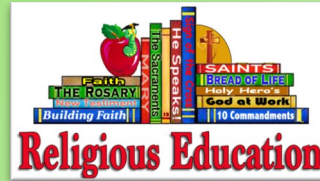
Through a simple, loving relationship with God, we can break through the tethers of prejudice, eradicate fear, dispel the darkness of hatred and sin, discover freedom, live in peace, work for justice, be effective stewards of creation, assist the migrant and the immigrant, and safeguard our economic systems and policies so that they truly serve all of God’s children. What we see is often an artificial lie. Our truth is much bigger than what our limited sight believes it to be. Allow God to work in and through you. Do not be afraid. Be open and be humble enough to know that you need help. Many human beings are living with severe cataracts that produce sight that is at best blurred. Are you one of them?

2020 ARCHBISHOP’S ANNUAL APPEAL

In just a few short weeks, our parish has raised \$38,165 for the 2020 Archbishop’s Annual Appeal. The Archbishop’s Annual Appeal supports many important ministries and programs. Gifts are allocated towards religious education programs, youth ministries, local charities, the education of our seminarians, our retired clergy, our Catholic schools, and the many ministries provided by the Archdiocese. If you have not made a gift, please prayerfully consider making a pledge or one-time gift. Join us, your parish community, and **Growing in Faith, Giving in Love**, by sharing your blessings.

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/appeal/>.

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



CHANGES IN THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM AT ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH

Dear Parents of the St. Jeanne Jugan Religious Education Program:

Beginning in September 2020 for the School Year 2020-2021, the St. Jeanne Jugan Religious Education Program K-10 will be as follows:

- **Kindergarten** will be at Holy Family on Sunday during the last Mass of the morning.
- **Grades 1-5** will be at St. Bernard School on Saturday morning from 9 am to 10 am.
- **Grades 6-7-8** will be on Thursday evenings at St. Bernard School from 7 pm to 8:10 pm.
- **9th Grade Confirmation** program will be at St. Bernard Church on Sunday evenings, as per the set calendar for the year, from 6 pm to 8 pm.
- **Grade 10** will be at Holy Family Church. The Sunday night schedule will be determined when the Confirmation date for Fall 2020 is announced.

The Parent Meeting and Registration for Incoming K-7 on Saturday, March 21st and the 8th Grade and 9th Grade Registration on Thursday, March 26th have both been postponed. New dates will be announced.

Early registration for the School Year 2020-2021 will reserve a seat for your student and help the Religious Education program have an accurate number of students in each class and teachers to accommodate all grades. Thank you for your cooperation and we appreciate all your support in this new year to come!

Please contact Pat Keck, Coordinator of Religious Education at cre.reled@sjjenfield.org 860-973-1717, ext. 117 with questions.

A MESSAGE FROM FR. GOLAS:

Lent has been unpredictable and unsettling due to the COVID-19 virus and the effort to contain it. With no scheduled Masses and events canceled, it seems like parish life has come to a halt. Yet, as believers, we make our Lenten journey with the Lord to Calvary. We take up the crosses we carry with the Lord. This is a time for prayer, fasting and almsgiving to the extent we are able. May we not lose sight of the Lord who is with us and carries us with loving care. We make this spiritual journey with hope in the Lord’s promise that he is with us. I encourage prayer, Bible reading, and other devotions to the saints to help us keep our focus on the Lord.

Both Holy Family Church and St. Bernard Church will be open daily from 10 am to 4 pm. I ask you to observe social distancing while in these sacred places. The journey to Calvary leads us to the new life of the Resurrection. May we continue to follow the Lord’s way at this time.

FROM FR. GOLAS:

PARISH MISSION WITH FR. LEE HAVEY IS CANCELED

After speaking with Fr. Havey, we have agreed that in light of COVID-19 it is best to cancel the parish mission at this time.

PARISH BUS TRIP TO EXPERIENCE A DRAMATIC MUSICAL VERSION OF THE PASSION OF CHRIST

The bus trip originally scheduled and advertised for April 8th has been canceled.

EASTER FLOWER OFFERING

If you would like to make a contribution to the St. Jeanne Jugan Parish Easter Flower Fund, you will find "Easter Offering" envelopes at each church. The money collected will be used to purchase flowers to decorate Holy Family and St. Bernard Churches for the Easter season. Please deliver your contribution to either rectory.

If you would like your contribution recorded, please write your envelope number on the outside of the "Easter Offering" envelope. Thank you!



LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Living Stations of the Cross that was to be presented on **Friday, April 3rd** at Holy Family Church has been canceled.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

AT ST. BERNARD CHURCH

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS FOR THE REMAINING TWO WEEKENDS OF LENT HAS BEEN CANCELED.



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VIRTUS TRAINING

THAT WAS SCHEDULED FOR MONDAY, MARCH 30, 2020 HAS BEEN POSTPONED. ONCE A NEW DATE HAS BEEN SET, THE ANNOUNCEMENT WILL APPEAR IN THE BULLETIN.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Due to the coronavirus pandemic, and the severe shortages of certain foods and paper goods, the St. Vincent de Paul St. Bernard Church Conference will be giving out gift cards this Easter to the families we serve. Please consider purchasing a gift card for a needy family this Easter. Gift cards may be brought to the St. Bernard Rectory during their business hours. We truly appreciate the generosity shown to those in need.



CONFESSION DURING LENT

Sometimes, the first step to Reconciliation is praying for the person with whom we need to be reconciled. Make a commitment this Lent for quiet prayer and the Sacrament of Reconciliation for all of the situations in your life that need the healing grace of Jesus' love.

This Lenten season, in addition to the 4 pm - 4:30 pm Saturday confessions, our parish will have confessions available **every Monday from 6 pm to 7 pm at both Holy Family Church and St. Bernard Church.**

If you have been reluctant to come to the sacrament, have been away for some time, or just find it difficult to get to a Saturday afternoon confession time, this is a wonderful opportunity to reconnect with Christ and his Church.





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 MARCH 21

8:30 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

4 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)

5 pm . . . Vigil Mass (Fourth Sunday of Lent) (HF, SB)

SUNDAY MARCH 22 (FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT)

7:30 am . . . Mass (HF)

8 am . . . Mass (SB)

9 am . . . Mass (HF)

10:30 am . . . Mass (SB)

11 am . . . Mass (HF)

MONDAY MARCH 23

7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

6 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)

TUESDAY MARCH 24

7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

WEDNESDAY MARCH 25

7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

THURSDAY MARCH 26

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

FRIDAY MARCH 27

7:30 am . . . Daily Mass (SB)

9 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

SATURDAY MARCH 28

8:30 am . . . Daily Mass (HF)

4 pm . . . Confessions (HF, SB)

5 pm . . . Vigil Mass (Fifth Sunday of Lent) (HF, SB)

SUNDAY MARCH 29 (FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT)

7:30 am . . . Mass (HF)

8 am . . . Mass (SB)

9 am . . . Mass (HF)

10:30 am . . . Mass (SB)

11 am . . . Mass (HF)

All Masses will be offered by the priest with no congregation present. Please see page 5 for the Important Directive from the Archdiocese of Hartford.

THANK YOU!

The St. Vincent de Paul Conference of Holy Family Church extends our heartfelt thanks to everyone who donated food and money to help out over 40 needy, food-insecure families. Your support allows us to help meet some of the needs of our clients. We are humbled by your gracious donations. On behalf of our clients we extend a big THANK YOU.

God bless each of you.

EASTER CLEANING HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

In preparation for Easter we will be cleaning Holy Family Church on **Monday, April 6th** after the 9 am Daily Mass. Please save your cloth rags for polishing. Paper towels and cleaning products will be supplied. There will be refreshments following the cleaning of the church. If you are able to help us out with an hour or two of your time to prepare our church for Easter Sunday, please call Elaine at 860-749-9596. Thank you for your assistance.

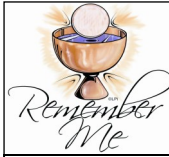


*Evelyn Hope Nelson
Maddison Grace Nelson*

At St. Bernard Church, there are no intentions noted this week for the chapel or sanctuary candles.



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



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY MARCH 21

8:30 am. . . June Arrowsmith† (Requested by Maureen and Family) - HF

5 pm. . . No Mass offered. Intention rescheduled. - HF

5 pm. . . Deceased Members of the Lesniak and Zawistowski Families†
(Requested by Evelyn) - SB

SUNDAY MARCH 22 (FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT)

7:30 am. . . No Mass offered. Intention rescheduled. - HF

8 am. . . No Mass offered. Intention rescheduled. - SB

9 am. . . No Mass offered. Intention rescheduled. - HF

10:30 am. . . No Mass offered. Intention rescheduled. - SB

11 am. . . Fr. Francis Kerwan†, 4th Anniversary - HF

MONDAY MARCH 23

7:30 am. . . Walter and Lorene Gorna† (Requested by Bill and Sue Cotter) - SB

9 am. . . Heather Gaiot† (Requested by her Family) - HF

TUESDAY MARCH 24

7:30 am. . . Shirley Rudolph† (Requested by Pat and Cal Folmsbee) - SB

9 am. . . Rev. Louis Ouellette† (Requested by Mary and Family) - HF

WEDNESDAY MARCH 25

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

9 am. . . Angela Opito† (Requested by Mr. and Mrs. James Daigle) - HF

THURSDAY MARCH 26

9 am. . . Theresa and Norman LaRose† (Requested by their Family) - HF

FRIDAY MARCH 27

7:30 am. . . For all those who are sick and affected by the Coronavirus - SB

9 am. . . Frank Manafort† (Requested by Joe and Linda Wolodko) - HF

SATURDAY MARCH 28

8:30 am. . . Rena Jane LaValley† (Requested by Maureen and Family) - HF

5 pm. . . Mary Pierce† (Requested by her Family) - HF

5 pm. . . Mary Sawyer† (Requested by her Family) - SB

SUNDAY MARCH 29 (FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT)

7:30 am. . . No Mass offered. Intention rescheduled. - HF

8 am. . . No Mass offered. Intention rescheduled. - SB

9 am. . . No Mass offered. Intention rescheduled. - HF

10:30 am. . . No Mass offered. Intention rescheduled. - SB

11 am. . . No Mass offered. Intention rescheduled. - HF

DAILY MASS READINGS

MONDAY MARCH 23: Is 65:17-21•Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b [2a]•
Jn 4:43-54

TUESDAY MARCH 24: Ez 47:1-9, 12•Ps 46: 2-3, 5-6, 8-9•Jn 5:1-16

WEDNESDAY MARCH 25: Is 7:10-14; 8:10•Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11 [8a and 9a]•
Heb 10:4-10•Lk 1:26-38

THURSDAY MARCH 26: Ex 32:7-14•Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23 [4a]•Jn 5:31-47

FRIDAY MARCH 27: Wis 2:1a, 12-22•Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23 [19a]•
Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

SATURDAY MARCH 28: Jer 11:18-20•Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12 [2a]•Jn 7:40-53

SUNDAY MARCH 29: Ez 37:12-14•Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [7]•Rom 8:8-11•
Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

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).

ADULT ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED

Adult Altar Servers, male or female, are needed to serve at funerals at both Holy Family Church and St. Bernard Church. If you would like to become a part of this special ministry or would like more information, please contact:

Holy Family Church: David Goyette
860-749-7645
davidgoyette33@gmail.com

St. Bernard Church: Sally at St. Bernard Church office
860-973-1717 x 121
sbadmin@sjenfield.org

SPRING CEMETERY CLEAN-UP

Clean-up at St. Patrick's King Street Cemetery and St. Adalbert Cemetery will begin the week of **March 30th**. We ask that all urns, containers and decorations be removed at this time and taken with you if you wish to retain them.

Reminder: artificial flowers are not allowed after April 15th since it is during the growing season. Check the [Cemetery Rules](#) sign or please call the Cemetery Office at 860-745-2411 with any questions.

IMPORTANT DIRECTIVE FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE OF HARTFORD

In response to the recent advisories from the CDC and Governor, the Archdiocese of Hartford has directed that effective **Tuesday, March 17th through Friday, April 3rd**, all daily and weekend Masses will be canceled. **Priests will continue to offer a daily Mass with no congregation present.** Therefore, any Mass Intention requested will still be offered, with the exception of weekends. Only one Mass will be offered each weekend. If you have a scheduled Mass Intention on a weekend and it is not offered, the church where it was scheduled will contact you to reschedule to a later date. Please call the rectory with questions in this regard.

A schedule of televised Masses are available below:

- **ORTV** - Broadcast seven days a week at 10 am on WCCT-TV (WB20) and WCTX-TV (MyTV9). It can also be seen Saturday and Sunday at 5 am on WCCT-TV.
- **EWTN** - The daily Mass is televised at 12 am, 8 am, 12 pm and 7 pm.
- **Salt + Light TV** - The daily Mass can be found streaming on <https://saltandlighttv.org/live> at 6:30 am, 9:30 am, 11 am, 3 pm, and 10:30 pm.
- **CatholicTV** - The daily Mass can be found streaming on www.catholictv.org/watch-live at 9:30 am, 12:30 pm, 7 pm, and 11:30 pm.

Tired of winter weather?
Time to look forward to . . .

6TH ANNUAL IT'S SPRING BAZAAR

April 25th from 9 am to 3 pm

Holy Family Church in Fr. Kerwan Hall & Classrooms

Come meet our 45 Quality Artisans & Crafters

Enjoy the Tea Cup Raffle & Refreshments

Sponsored by the St. Jeanne Jugan Parish Women's Guild

For Information call Carole at 860-741-0485

All available Artisan and Crafter spaces are sold out! This means that there is a large variety for you to choose from.

Come see! Come enjoy! Come shop!

REASON FOR HOPE

In our young adult world it's not hard to find reasons to become anxious about the future: student loan debt, a culture where relationships are barely screen-deep, etc. Is that all our generation will be known for? Or, are we called to hope in something greater? To hope in Someone greater?

On **June 13th**, join Crossroads4Christ in finding our Reason for Hope in the person of Jesus Christ, and learn how to share this Hope with the world. We will have a full day filled with inspiring keynotes, practical breakout sessions, opportunities for spiritual nourishment, ample time to connect with other young adults, and amazing entertainment to cap off the night. Open to all young adults between the ages of 18-39; scholarships are available! If you are not a young adult, we invite you to help us share this event and consider donating a scholarship ticket!

If you are between 18-39, married or single, grounded or struggling in your faith life, we urge you to visit www.crossroadsforchrist.org and watch the five minute video. This video will inspire you to want more details and registration information. Register now - early bird pricing ends on March 31st!

For questions, more details or to find out about giving a scholarship, please contact conference20@crossroadsforchrist.org. For sponsorship/vendor information, contact sponsorships@crossroadsforchrist.org.

We're ready to find our Reason. Are you?

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contact the rectory at Holy Family Church

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An announcement was made online regarding the CT March for Life scheduled for April 15, 2020. It reads in part:

The sponsors of the Connecticut March for Life, with deep regret, have made the difficult decision to cancel the April 15th Connecticut March for Life. This decision was made out of concern for the health of those planning to attend and in line with the Governor's Executive Order #7, which bans large events. We know many people will be disappointed with the cancellation of the Connecticut March for Life, so we will be exploring options for holding the event at a future date. We are committed to ensuring that the pro-life voice be heard by the Governor and our legislators.

Please stay tuned for future announcements.

Sincerely,

National March for Life
The Connecticut Catholic Public Affairs Conference
Family Institute of Connecticut

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: \$6,335

ONLINE: \$2,140

EASTER FLOWER OFFERINGS: \$390

HAPPY HOUSE: \$26 (HF)

GROCERY CARDS WEEKLY SALES/PROFIT: \$1,725/\$86 (SB)

YEAR-TO-DATE PROFIT: \$782 (SB)



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