



ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH

SERVING THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES OF ENFIELD, CT



SUNDAY, JANUARY 8th, 2023 | THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

HOLY FAMILY

23 Simon Rd, Enfield, CT

Mass Times

Thu-Sat: 9:00AM
Sat (vigil): 4:30PM
Sun: 9:00AM, 11:30AM

ST. BERNARD

426 Hazard Ave, Enfield, CT

Mass Times

Mon-Wed: 9:00AM
Sun: 7:30AM, 10:30AM

ST. PATRICK

64 Pearl St, Enfield, CT

Mass Times

Thu-Fri: 8:00AM
Sat (vigil): 4:00PM
Sun: 8:00AM, 10:00AM

ST. MARTHA

214 Brainard Rd, Enfield, CT

Mass Times

Mon-Wed: 8:00AM, Wed: 7:00PM (TLM),
1st Fri: 7:00PM (TLM), Sat: 9:00AM (TLM)
Sat (vigil): 4:00PM (SP)
Sun: 9:00AM, 11:00AM (TLM)

St. Adalbert Church is also included, but is closed at this time

TLM = Traditional Latin Mass | SP = Spanish Mass

HOMAGE



They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage.

MATTHEW 2:10-11A

St. Jeanne Jugan Parish Offices

Holy Family Office (860-962-4001): Mon-Fri 9:00AM to 4:00PM | St. Bernard Office (860-962-4001): Mon-Thu 9:00AM to 2:00PM, Fri 9:00AM to 12:00PM

St. Patrick Office (860-745-2411): Mon-Fri 9:00AM to 2:00PM | St. Martha Office (860-745-5616): Mon-Fri 9:30AM to 12:00PM; 1:30PM to 4:30PM

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THIS WEEK AT ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH

Location Key:

HF = Holy Family Church • SB = St. Bernard Church • SM = St. Martha Church
SP = St. Patrick Church • SA = St. Adalbert Church • SBS = St. Bernard School

SATURDAY JANUARY 7

- 2:30 pm . . . Confessions (SM)
- 3:00 pm . . . Confessions (SP)
- 3:30 pm . . . Confessions (HF)

SUNDAY JANUARY 8

- 5:45 pm . . . Youth Group (SB Library)

MONDAY JANUARY 9

- 1:00 pm . . . Prayer Shawl Ministry (SB Meeting Room)
- 6:30 pm . . . Adult Faith Formation Scripture Sharing (HF Room 1)
- 7:00 pm . . . Men's Group Scripture Study (SM Classroom 11)

TUESDAY JANUARY 10

- 12:00 pm . . Senior Luncheon (SB Fr Fitzmaurice Hall)
- 2:00 pm . . . Holy Family Church Legion of Mary (HF Room 5)
- 6:00 pm . . . Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Charismatic Prayer Group (SM St. Nicholas Classroom)
- 7:00 pm . . . Baptism Preparation Class (SB Good Shepherd Meeting Room)

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 11

- 9:30 am . . . Adult Faith Formation Scripture Sharing (SB Meeting Room)
- 6:15 pm . . . Bingo Sales Begin • 7 pm . . . Games Begin (HF)

THURSDAY JANUARY 12

- 6:30 pm . . . Pro-Life Meeting (HF Room 5)
- 7:00 pm . . . Holy Family Church Choir Practice (HF Rooms 2 & 3)

FRIDAY JANUARY 13

- 9:30 am . . . Adoration (HF)

SATURDAY JANUARY 14

- 2:30 pm . . . Confessions (SM)
- 3:00 pm . . . Confessions (SP)
- 3:30 pm . . . Confessions (HF)

SUNDAY JANUARY 15

No Events

SACRAMENTS



BAPTISM

To register for the Parish's Baptism Prep Class, please call your respective Church rectory. Baptism Prep Class occurs on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00PM in the Good Shepherd Meeting Room at St. Bernard Church. Baptisms can be scheduled once parents have completed the Baptism Prep class and all required paperwork is received in the rectory office. Baptisms can be scheduled on any Sunday of the month except on major religious feasts or holidays.

PENANCE

Saturdays from 2:30PM to 3:30PM at St. Martha Church, 3:00PM to 3:30PM at St. Patrick Church and 3:30PM to 4:00PM at Holy Family Church, and by appointment.

EUCARIST

In the Archdiocese of Hartford, students receive their first Holy Communion in the second grade. Please contact our Religious Education office for more information.

CONFIRMATION

In the Archdiocese of Hartford, 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 visit www.hartfordpriest.com, or speak with any priest for more info.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Priests are available for anointing in the home of those in need. Please contact the parish office to arrange.



UNDERSTANDING THE SCRIPTURE

A friend of mine is a young priest who teaches high school physics at a Catholic boys' prep school. Like many today, the boys often think science and religion are enemies. So, he delights in their raised eyebrows when he reminds them his first full-time job as a priest was to be an astrophysicist. He cataloged the size, shape, and matter of distant stars. He tells them, "Science gave me more love for God, not less."

The Magi were something like scientist-astronomers. Like today's scientists, they employed disciplined methods of discovering dependable patterns in the world. Their rigorous commitment to the truth led them to the joy of discovering Jesus. Their love for knowledge leads them to worship the Source of all knowledge. Luke says of them, "They were overjoyed at seeing the star."

We may see the universe as cold and empty and feel sad. But why should we do that? The Magi, like my priest-friend, show us there is another way to experience the world. We use our intelligence to discover the beautiful patterns in the world — in mathematics, physics, astronomy, biology, neuroscience, and so on — and allow this to lead us to greater love for God. So, my fellow Magi: the world needs us to be overjoyed at finding God in science and, finally and fully, in Jesus.



WINTER POLICY



The winter policy for St. Jeanne Jugan Parish is in effect for daily Masses Monday through Friday.

The policy states that when Enfield Public Schools cancel or delay school on that day, the Daily Mass at Holy Family, St. Bernard, St. Martha, and St. Patrick Churches will be cancelled for that day as well; this includes the livestream for these Masses. This policy is in place for the safety of all.

The intentions for these Masses will be rescheduled at a mutually agreeable time. You may call the rectory of the Church where your Mass intention was scheduled to discuss a new date.



At St. Martha Church the sanctuary lamp burns for Special Intentions.

REST IN PEACE



St. Jeanne Jugan Parish mourns the loss of our parishioners

Frank Onofrio
Geraldine Swift

*May they rest in the arms of the Lord,
who formed them from the dust of the earth.*

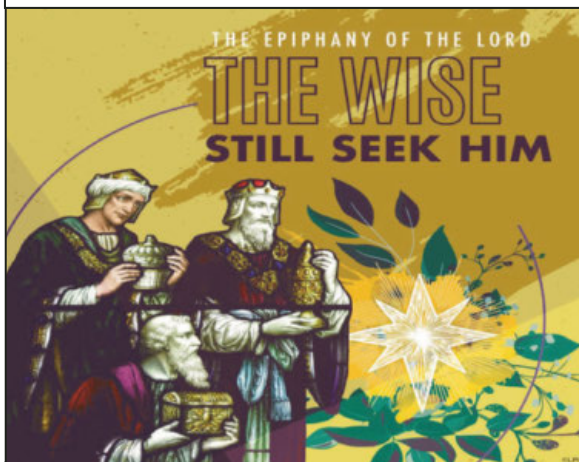
BAPTISMS



St. Jeanne Jugan Parish congratulates the family of

Donovan Andrew McAuliffe

who was baptized at Holy Family Church on Sunday, January 1st.



DAILY MASS READINGS

SUNDAY JANUARY 8: Is 60:1-6•Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 (see 11)•Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6•Mt 2:1-12

MONDAY JANUARY 9: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Acts 10:34-38•Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 (11b)•Mt 3:13-17

TUESDAY JANUARY 10: Heb 2:5-12•Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9•Mk 1:21-28 or Heb 1:1-6 and 2:5-12•Mk 1:14-20 and 1:21-28

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 11: Heb 2:14-18Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9•Mk 1:29-39

THURSDAY JANUARY 12: Heb 3:7-14•Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11•Mk 1:40-45

FRIDAY JANUARY 13: Heb 4:1-5, 11•Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8•Mk 2:1-12

SATURDAY JANUARY 14: Heb 4:12-16•Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15•Mk 2:13-17

SUNDAY JANUARY 15: Is 49:3, 5-6•Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10•1 Cor 1:1-3•Jn 1:29-34

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



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY JANUARY 7

9:00 am . . . For the Intentions of St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF

9:00 am . . . Joseph Cobb† | Requested by Troy Henke - SM

4:00 pm . . . Tommy Sacco† | Requested by Judy Sullivan - SP

4:00 pm . . . Linda Sacheli† | Requested by Elise and Pedro Sanchez - SM

4:30 pm . . . Karen Kennedy† | Requested by Nancy Kalyan - HF

SUNDAY JANUARY 8 (THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD)

7:30 am . . . For the Intention of Fr. John Golas - SB

8:00 am . . . Jozef, Katarzyna and Lech Paluch† | Requested by their Family - SP

9:00 am . . . Benedicto Mendez†, Lazara Mendez† and Renato Mendez† | Requested by Alicia Ross - HF

9:00 am . . . Marion Brodtman† | Requested by Dot Skinner - SM

10:00 am . . Charles M. Harris† | Requested by his Son - SP

10:30 am . . Bruce Fitzgerald† | Requested by Frank Siana - SB

11:00 am . . For the Intention of Jannalyn Bailey , Birthday Blessings | Requested by her Parents - SM

11:30 am . . Toni Sanzo† | Requested by the St. Jeanne Jugan Parish Women's Guild - HF

6:00 pm . . . Msgr. Gene Gianelli† - SB

MONDAY JANUARY 9

8:00 am . . . Jill Williams† | Requested by the Family - SM

9:00 am . . . For the Intention of St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - SB

TUESDAY JANUARY 10

8:00 am . . . Jill Williams† | Requested by the Family - SM

9:00 am . . . The Deceased Members of the Hains Family† | Requested by the Duquette Family - SB

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 11

8:00 am . . . Jill Williams† | Requested by the Family - SM

9:00 am . . . Bruce Oppenheimer†, 11th Anniversary | Requested by the Gomeau and Oppenheimer Families - SB

7:00 pm . . . Gaetano and Isabe Aiella † | Requested by the DiBacco Family - SM

THURSDAY JANUARY 12

8:00 am . . . Anna Novak Cummings†, 38th Anniversary and Philip Cummings†, 19th Anniversary | Requested by their Daughter - SP

9:00 am . . . For the Intention of Fr. John Golas | Requested by the Legion of Mary - HF

FRIDAY JANUARY 13

8:00 am . . . Edna Cummings†, 20th Anniversary | Requested by her Niece - SP

9:00 am . . . Warren Flebotte† | Requested by Jane LaRocca - HF

SATURDAY JANUARY 14

9:00 am . . . Steven Pietrowicz† | Requested by Joseph and Linda Forino - HF

9:00 am . . . Rosemary Hetzer† | Requested by Rory Rosencrans - SM

4:00 pm . . . Maria Campisi† | Requested by Pietro and Antonina Spallino - SP

4:00 pm . . . Parish Intentions - SM

4:30 pm . . . Rosemary Cashin†, 1st Anniversary and Helene Griffin†, 1st Anniversary | Requested by Dan and Maureen Griffin and Family - HF

SUNDAY JANUARY 15 (SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am . . . Henry E. Smith, Jr. † - SB

8:00 am . . . Katarzyna and Antoni Barszcz† | Requested by their Granddaughter - SP

9:00 am . . . For the Intention of Mary Ellen Gleason | Requested by Pat Guillerault - HF

9:00 am . . . Clara O'Brien† | Requested by the Kedzior Family - SM

10:00 am . . Antoni Bujnowski†, 1st Anniversary and Pawel Bujnowski†, 3rd Anniversary | Requested by their Family - SP

10:30 am . . Bernard J. Gomeau, Sr.†, 3rd Anniversary | Requested by the Gomeau and Oppenheimer Families - SB

11:00 am . . Ann Pomellitto† | Requested by the Family - SM

11:30 am . . Linda Sacheli† | Requested by the St. Jeanne Jugan Bereavement Ministry - HF



St. Bernard School & Little Angels Pre-School



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Attend Our Upcoming Open House for Prospective Families!

Sunday, February 5th, 2023 | 1:00PM to 3:00PM

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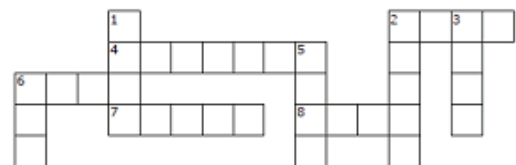


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PRIESTS	MYRRH	BETHELEHEM	KING	CHRIST
GOD	CHILD	HOUSE	INCENSE	MARY
STAR	MAGI	TEACHERS	WORSHIP	MOTHER
WORSHIPED	EAST	SEARCH	BORN	HEROD



ACROSS

- The wise men who visited Jesus and Mary and Joseph shortly after Jesus was born
- A substance that is burned to produce a sweet smell
- To come into existence by birth
- Presents which are given without cost to the one receiving them
- A twinkling point of light in the night sky

DOWN

- A male ruler of a country
- A sticky substance with a strong smell which is used in making perfume
- A valuable, shiny, yellow metal used to make coins and jewellery
- The direction which is opposite to west
- To kneel or bend the head or body forward as a show of respect

MAGI	BOW	STAR	GOLD	KING
GIFTS	EAST	BORN	MYRRH	INCENSE



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THEME	OBJECT	SCRIPTURE
Wise men today still seek the Savior.	"Seeking the Savior Map"; Marker; Star stickers .	Matthew 2:1-12

DISCUSSION

(Make a simple map from your starting place to two other places in your room. This will be your "Seeking the Savior Map. Hide the star stickers somewhere in your room. Place a star sticker on your map for that place. Choose two other places where your map will take kids in your room. Then use symbols on your map to signify those two places, such as a book for a bookcase. After your map has three places on it, wad it up and unwad it to make it look more realistic.)

If we were planning to go visit someone in another town, we might first ask someone who knew how to get there to give us directions. They might give us some general directions and suggest the best roads to take. Another thing we might do is look at a map or use our GPS to show us exactly how to get where we want to go.

Today we have a map to help us seek or find something. (Show kids the map.) I have two things you need to do. #1: You will go with me to seek the star that is hiding in our room. And #2: Every time you hear me say the word "star," raise your hands and say "Shine, shine, bright star." Ready?

Let's look at our map and go to the first place. Where do you think we go based on this first picture?

(Lead children to that area.) After Jesus was born, some wise men, also called Magi, saw a star (Pause for kids to say "Shine, shine, bright star.") in the sky which they believed announced the birth of a king. They traveled to Jerusalem and began to ask, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw His star (Pause for kids to say "Shine, shine, bright star.") as it rose, and we have come to worship Him."

Herod heard about the Magi and their search for a king and he was deeply disturbed. So Herod called for a private meeting with the wise men and said to them, "Go to Bethlehem and search carefully for the child. And when you find Him, come back and tell me so that I can go and worship Him, too!"

(Have children look at the map and then go to the second area.) As you know, the wise men did not have a map to guide them to Bethlehem, but they had something even better — they had a star (Pause for kids to say "Shine, shine, bright star.") to guide them. So the wise men followed information that the priests had given to Herod and the star (Pause for kids to say "Shine, shine, bright star.") that God had given to guide them and it led them right to Jesus. When they found Him, they gave Him gifts and bowed down and worshiped Him. (Matthew 2:1-12)

(Have children look at the map and then go to the third area to find the star. Give each child a star sticker when they find them.) Wise men, women, boys, and girls are still searching for Jesus. There are people who want to help -- people like pastors and Sunday school teachers. The Bible is the map and star (Pause for kids to respond say "Shine, shine, bright star.") that will lead to Jesus. All of us can read it every day to make sure we are headed in the right direction to find Jesus!

Dear Jesus, we seek You today because we want to worship You and crown You as our King. Thank You for the Bible that leads us to You. In Jesus' name, Amen.

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OPEN POSITIONS

We are currently looking to fill vacant teaching positions at Little Angels and St. Bernard School!

Little Angels has an immediate opening for a **Part-Time Teacher** Monday through Friday mornings.

St. Bernard School is looking to fill a **Long-Term Substitute** position, for a maternity leave. The position would need to be filled through the end of the school year in June 2023.

If interested in either position, please contact Mrs. Charlene Mongillo at (860) 745-5275, or principal@sbsenfield.org.



PRO-LIFE

For more information, contact Al and Donna Doyker at (860) 749-6203, (860) 463-7826, or lizack2000@cox.net

"The right to health, to home, to work, to family, to culture, is false and illusory if the right to life, the most basic and fundamental right and the condition for all other personal rights is not defended with the maximum determination," - St. John Paul II



The **P.A.L. (Protect All Life)** meeting will be held on the third Thursday of each month at 6:30PM in Classroom #5 at Holy Family Church. The next meeting will be on **Thursday, January 12th, 2023** (the second Thursday) at 6:30PM in Room 5 at Holy Family Church, so that our members may attend the march for Life Rally in Washington, D.C. on Thursday, January 19th. February will return to the third Thursday. Our next meeting will be about practicing responses to pro-choice talking points.

Please consider joining us as we have a very passionate group!

Respect for Life Mass at Mary, Gate of Heaven Parish in Windsor Locks

Mary, Gate of Heaven Parish Pro-Life Committee will host the annual Mass for Life on **Monday, January 16, 2023 at 7:00PM**, St Mary Church., 42 Spring St. Windsor Locks, Conn. Prior to Mass, there will be a recitation of the rosary at 6:30PM to pray for an end to the scourge of abortion in our state, nation and throughout the world. Especially in our state.

This year the committee has invited Fr. John Golas, Pastor of St. Jeanne Jugan Parish, Enfield, Conn. to be the main celebrant and homilist, Fr. Tim O'Brien, Pastor of Mary Gate of Heaven Parish will concelebrate Mass. Following Mass, Deacon Hank Szumowski, who is currently serving at Mary Gate of Heaven Parish, will be the Pro-Life speaker.

The evening will conclude with light refreshments in the parish center.

All are welcome and heartily encouraged to attend!

For more information, please contact Regina Klundt, Parish PLC Leader, at (860) 752-0149.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS



****Celebrate the New Year with the SJJ Seniors****

When: Tuesday, January 10th, 2023

Where: Fr. Fitzmaurice Hall at St. Bernard

Time: Doors open at 11:30AM.
Lunch served promptly at Noon

Menu: Special Italian meal.

Donation: \$3 is appreciated.

All parishioners and friends are welcome.
Please call Donna Honan at (860) 749-4582,
if you did not already sign up at the
December luncheon.

If the forecast is for bad weather, the cancellation will be announced at Weekend Masses.

The mission of the Prayer Shawl Ministry is to provide hope, comfort, and healing to those who most need a reminder of God's love, mercy, and compassion for both the recipient and the crafter.

The next St. Jeanne Jugan Prayer Shawl Ministry meeting is on **Monday, January 9th, 2023** from 1:00PM to 3:00PM in the Meeting Room at St. Bernard Church.

Current members should bring any completed items and current projects.

New members are always welcome!



**Knights of Columbus Rev. John B. O'Connell
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The K of C meet at St. Martha on the 2nd Tuesday and 4th Monday of the month at 7:00PM.



The Giving Store

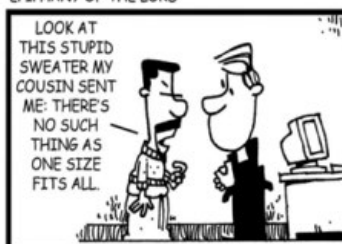
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Store open for donations:
Friday, January 13th @ 11:00AM.

As we start to settle into 2023 we have an abundance of shoppers who are new to your store. Through your generosity we currently have a good inventory of adult winter jackets and coats but have a need for children's. Because of the very cold weather we recently experienced, our supply of blankets is also very low. Any assistance you offer will be greatly appreciated.

*Thank you for your continued support and
God Bless you and yours in the coming year!*

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



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Youth Minister: Kristen Fitzsimons, sjyouthminister@gmail.com

CLASS SCHEDULE & INFORMATION

Grades K-5:

- Saturday Mornings 9:00AM to 10:00AM at the **St. Jeanne Jugan Faith Formation Center at St. Martha Church** on Brainard Road.
- Grades 2-5 Only: Assessments will be administered on **Saturday, January 28th.**

Grades 6-7-8:

- Thursday Evenings 7:00PM to 8:10PM at the **St. Jeanne Jugan Faith Formation Center at St. Martha Church** on Brainard Road.
- Assessments will be administered on **Thursday, January 26th.**

Grade 9:

- Sunday, January 8th, 6:00PM to 8:00PM at **St. Bernard Church**. Please arrive promptly for class.

For further questions or additional information, please contact Pat Keck at the Religious Education Office, (860) 962-4001, ext. 117



Our next Children's Mass is **Sunday, January 8th** at the **11:30AM Mass** at **Holy Family Church**.

All students in the Religious Education program are requested to attend.

Fellowship afterwards in the Parish hall.

Please Note: Due to this being a Children's Mass, it will not be live-streamed.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION SCRIPTURE SHARING

To continue our Adult Faith Formation, we will hold two scripture sharing groups: Monday evenings at Holy Family Church and Wednesday mornings at St. Bernard Church.

This week's meetings are:

- **Monday, January 9th at 6:30PM - HF Room 1**
- **Wednesday, January 11th after the 9:00AM Mass - SB Meeting Room**

If you did not attend the informational meeting, you are more than welcome to join us to explore the Sunday scripture readings.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

We are sponsoring a bus trip to the Blessed Michael McGivney Pilgrimage Center on **Wednesday, January 25th.**

Join us to see the trees decorated by area school children, lovely Christmas creches, and so much more.

We will depart from St. Bernard's at 10:00AM, enjoy lunch and should return by 4:30PM.

More information to follow.



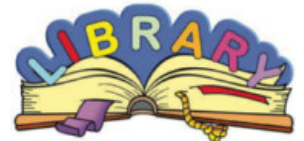
Contact Carolyn Dague at (860) 962-4001, ext. 141, or by emailing adultfaithformation@sijenfield.org.

The **SJJ Faith Formation Center Library** is now OPEN!

Hours of Operation:

- M-T-Th-F: 11:00AM to 3:00PM
- Closed Wednesdays
- Saturday Morning: 10:00AM to 10:30AM for Religious Education students and families.

Donations of Catholic books are appreciated! Books must be in good condition and can be dropped off at the SJJ Faith Formation Center at St. Martha Church.



Scripture Study Group w/ Fr. Robert Rousseau

Monday, January 9th, 2023

7:00PM to 8:30PM

Topic: The Church Fathers and the Bible

Fellowship – Coffee – Discussion

SJJ Faith Formation Center
at St. Martha Church Classroom #11

TEEN MASS

Music by: **Voices for God**

The Teen Mass will be held at St. Bernard Church on the first Sunday of each month at 6:00PM.

Please join us in celebration this month on **Sunday, January 8th.**



OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

COME PRAY

DIVINE MERCY AND ROSARY

Come to Holy Family Church to pray the Divine Mercy and Rosary for our Archdiocesan bishops and priests on the third Thursday of each month from 2:30PM to 3:30PM.

Please join us in prayer this month on **Thursday, January 19th.**

Our bishops and priests need our prayers and support. Please join in this hour of prayer.

DIVINE MERCY

ST. BERNARD CHURCH

At St. Bernard Church, Divine Mercy is held on the first Friday of each month from 3:00PM to 4:00PM.

Please join us next month on **Friday, February 3rd.**



ROSARY

ST. MARTHA CHURCH

Come to St. Martha Church to pray the Rosary after daily Mass on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.



Please join us in prayer this week on **Monday, January 9th, Tuesday, January 10th, and Wednesday, January 11th.**



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For questions, please call Flo Radziewicz at (860) 216-7471.

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(860) 416-9600

1st Sunday of the month at St. Martha from 1:00PM to 3:30PM.



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St. Martha Church Prayer Shawl Ministry

Every 3rd Monday of the month at 6:30PM

Join us this month on **Monday, January 16th.**

Contact: Betty Joaquim at (860) 745-2667

St. Martha Church Bereavement Resources

Contact: Susann Douglas at (413) 454-8702

Communion to the Homebound

To schedule, please contact the St. Martha Church Rectory.

DEVOTIONS

DEVOTION TO ST. JOSEPH at ST. MARTHA CHURCH

Come to St. Martha Church for devotion to St. Joseph, every Wednesday after the 8:00AM Mass.

Please join us in prayer this week on **Wednesday, January 11th.**

DEVOTION TO MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP at ST. PATRICK CHURCH

Come to St. Patrick Church for devotion to the Mother of Perpetual Help, every Thursday after the 8:00AM Mass.

Please join us in prayer this week on **Thursday, January 12th.**

PRAYER LINES

ST. RAYMOND OF PENAFORT PARISH & ST. MARTHA CHURCH

Are you or someone you know in need of prayer? Why not call the St. Raymond of Penafort Parish Prayer Line or the St. Martha Church Prayer Line?

The lines are easy to use and the request can be as specific or as general as you wish!

The Prayer Line works like this: the request goes out through a network of members who will then pray for and pass on the request to their individual groups, thus forming a "prayer line."

If you have a request for the St. Raymond of Penafort Parish Prayer Line, please call (860) 745-6492 between the hours of 9:00AM and 9:00PM. If you have a request for the St. Martha Church Prayer line, please call the parish office at (860) 962-4001, ext. 142 during office hours.



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OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences, some on weekends and some on seven weekdays. Couples will explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church.

Registration is limited and a \$100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call Frank & Margie Pearson at (860) 337-2447 or visit them at <https://wwmectw.org/>.

What better gift can you give your spouse for Christmas than to tell them you want to attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience together:

- Feb 3-5, 2023 in Huntington, NY,
- Mar 10-12, 2023 in Upton, MA, and
- Jun 23-25, 2023 in Huntington, NY.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter está patrocinando una variedad de experiencias matrimoniales en persona y virtuales, algunas los fines de semana y otras los siete días de la semana. Las parejas explorarán su relación entre ellos, Dios y la Iglesia.

El registro es limitado y se requiere una tarifa de solicitud de \$100. Para más información o para aplicar, llame al Felipe y Rosa Ruano Teléfono 203-979-6109 o renuevatumatrimonio.org.

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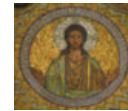
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- Pre-packaged snacks, apple sauce, fruit cups, cup of soups, and pop top soups
- Instant Oatmeal
- Hot Chocolate, Tea, Instant Coffee, Powdered Creamer, Sugar

For more information, please visit our website at www.enfieldsafeharbor.org.

La Comunidad Fuerza de Dios los invita todos los Lunes de 7:00PM a 9:00PM en el Salóm St. Francis de nuestra parroquia St. Martha, a una reunion mas de alabanza, oracion y compartir la Palabra de Dios.

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EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

The story of the Wise Men bringing gifts to Jesus, the newborn King, is a great one, isn't it? They had a great big star in the sky to lead the way. I am no Boy Scout, so I am not sure how well I would do following a star like that. But the important point here is that God led them to the manger. The manger was a place that unless God specifically showed you this was where the Christ Child was born you wouldn't have believed it. You would have passed on by.

In our lives, there are no big stars in the sky leading us where we need to go. It isn't so easy sometimes discerning where God is leading us. We may seek to use our gifts wisely, but in what manner and to what end is not always clear.

This is where prayer can make a huge difference. If we seek to cultivate a prayer life where we are mindful of the presence of God throughout our day, then the call is easier to discern. We can help the process by intentionally offering to God in the morning the entirety of the day to come: all our actions, all our time, and all our decisions. In the evening, we can examine the past hours of the day and reflect on when we responded well to Christ's call and when we fell short. Then we resolve to begin again tomorrow, inviting Christ to be with us every step of the way. God may not offer a star in the sky to lead us, but if we invite Him on our journey each day, the path will be much clearer. - LPI

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOLY FAMILY RETREAT

There is still time to register for a January retreat at Holy Family Retreat Center!

The upcoming retreat will take place Friday, January 27th to Sunday, January 29th. Retreats will begin with a buffet dinner from 6:00PM to 7:30PM on Friday evening and conclude Sunday with the celebration of Mass at 10:45AM and a hot brunch at Noon. The suggested offering is \$350.00; more if you can, less if you can't.

Take some quiet time away to start the new year and start the new year searching for the "Missing Piece" in our lives; which is this year's theme.

Jesus wished peace for us. In the Gospel of John, just before He departs this earth, He says to His friends: "Peace I leave with you, my peace I give you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled or afraid." (John 14:27)

Peace is something we crave, something we seek, and something that seems so elusive. We rarely find true peace, and when we do, it lasts but a short time. We speak about inner peace, world peace, and the promise made by Jesus for eternal peace. But peace often seems missing in our lives. Let us find, together, "A Missing Peace" for which we all long.

For more information, please visit www.holyfamilyretreat.org or contact Liza/Ted at (860) 521-0440. The Parish promoter, Jeanette Flora, can also be reached at (860) 416-5577.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society of Holy Family Church has been selected as the February 2023 recipient of the Stop and Shop Bloomin' 4 Good Program. For every Bloomin' 4 Good bouquet purchased from Stop and Shop in Enfield a \$1 donation will be made to the Society during the month of February.



The members of **Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Charismatic Prayer Group** welcome you to join us in prayer, song and personal sharing every Tuesday evening from 6:00PM to 8:00PM.

Place: St. Martha Church,
St. Nicholas Classroom

Please come experience the peace and joy of the Holy Spirit!

We look forward to meeting you!



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HOW TO REPORT AN INCIDENT OF SEXUAL ABUSE TO THE ARCHDIOCESE OF HARTFORD

If you have knowledge or suspect that a minor or vulnerable adult (an adult with an intellectual disability) has been sexually abused, in any manner, by personnel of the Archdiocese of Hartford, you are urged to report this information to:

Kathleen D. Nowosadko
Victim Assistance Coordinator
1-860-541-6475
kathleen.nowosadko@aohct.org

In addition, you will be asked to follow up in writing with a detailed description of the facts involved in the incident. Specifics of this written report can be found in the [Policies and Procedures of the Archdiocese of Hartford Relating to Allegations of Sexual Misconduct Involving Minors and Vulnerable Adults](#). This document is also available online at www.archdioceseofhartford.org. The Archdiocese of Hartford will report any and all incidents to the proper civil authorities.

Mandated reporters in the State of Connecticut are required by law to report any incident of sexual abuse involving a minor or vulnerable adult. We encourage any Non-Mandated persons to report such incidents to the proper authorities as well. We support your right to do so.

Incidents involving sexual abuse of minors (persons under the age of 18) should be reported to:
State Department of Children and Families Care-line | 1-800-842-2288

Incidents involving sexual abuse of vulnerable adults aged 18 – 59 should be reported to:
Connecticut Department of Developmental Services – AID Division for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities | 1-844-878-8923

Incidents involving sexual abuse of vulnerable adults aged 60 and over should be reported to:
Department of Social Services for the Elderly | 1-888-385-4225

Once a written report of an incident of sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult has been received, an investigation will be undertaken by, or on behalf of, the Archdiocese of Hartford.



YEAR-END REPORT OF GIVING 2022

If you would like a report of your contributions to St. Jeanne Jugan Parish – Holy Family Church or St. Bernard Church, or for St. Martha Parish or St. Raymond of Penafort Parish for the year 2022, please complete and return this form to the rectory or place the form in your offertory envelope. If you use Online Giving, your year-end total is accessible via the portal.

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ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH SUPPORT

“Happy House” is a free-will collection taken up at Holy Family Church to fund construction of simple, sturdy houses in Haiti through the Haitian Health Foundation.

A limited supply of gift cards for Big Y, Geissler’s, and Shop Rite are available at the St. Bernard Rectory. Proceeds will go to St. Bernard School.

Please note the weekly and online amounts represent the combined totals from all churches within St. Jeanne Jugan Parish.

THANK YOU to all those who mail their weekly offertory to the rectory office.

WEEKLY (ALL): \$26,313.40 (12/25) | \$20,472.22 (1/1)

ONLINE (ALL): \$5,911.00 (12/25) | \$1,509 (1/1)

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RELIGIOUS RETIREMENT FUND (HF): \$55.00 (12/25)

SOLEMNITY OF MARY (SM): \$1,622.00 (1/1)

CHRISTMAS (ALL): \$9,423.75 (12/25) | \$2,060.00 (1/1)

HAPPY HOUSE (HF): \$10.00 (12/25) | \$220.00 (1/1)

ST. BERNARD SCHOOL (HF/SB): \$110.00 (12/25) | \$30.00 (1/1)

If you have been making checks out to St. Raymond of Penafort, please continue to do so until otherwise notified. Thank you!

Please consider making your weekly offertory online. Visit www.sjjenfield.org or go to www.osvhub.com/sjjenfield/giving/funds to learn more.



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