

St. John the Baptist and Holy Trinity

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July 2, 2017

Mass Schedule:

Mon., Tues. & Fri.—12:00 Noon

Saturday Vigil—5:30 pm

Sunday—9:00 am

Reconciliation: Fri. 11:30am. Or by appointment.

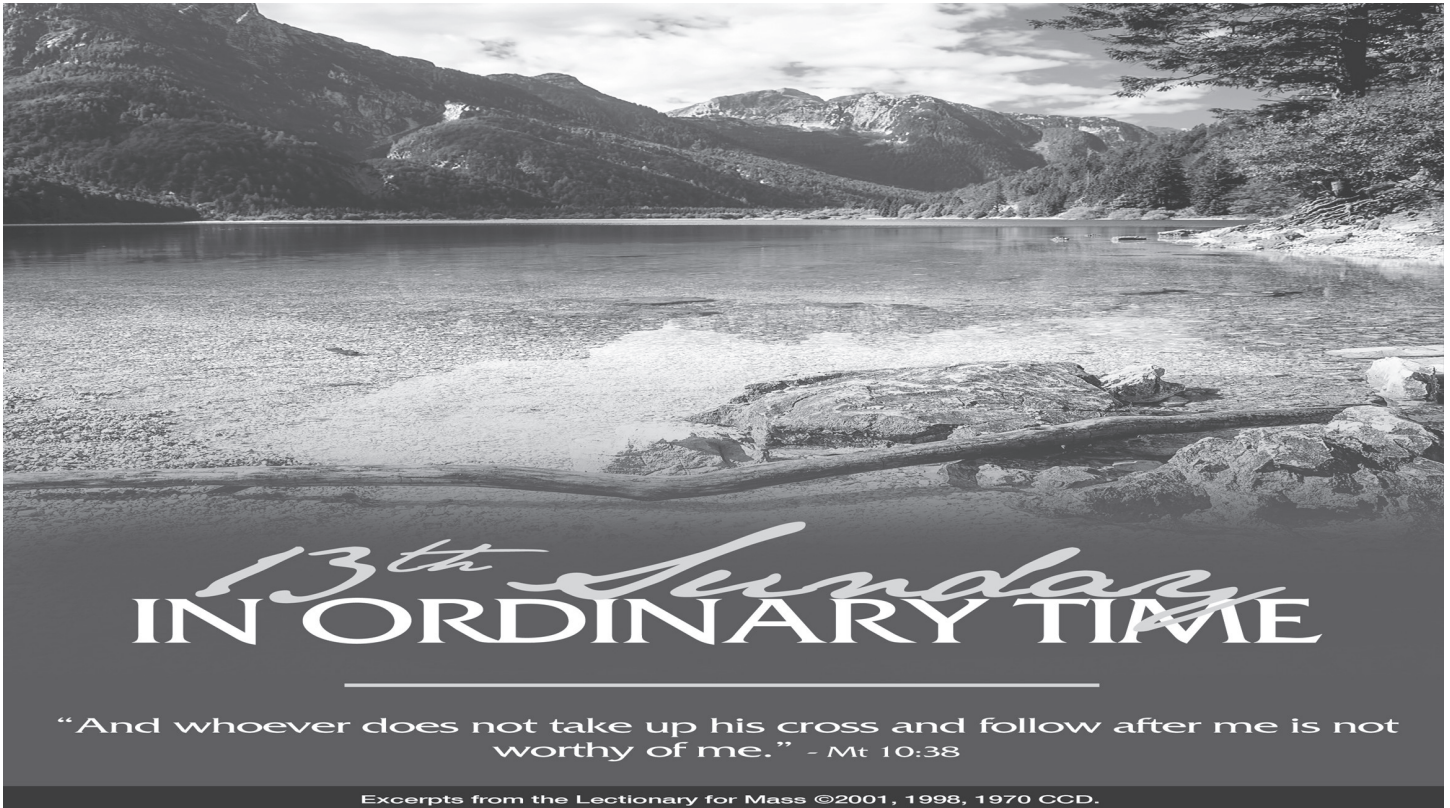
Office Hours for SJB/HT

Mon.-Thurs. 9:00am-4:30pm

Fri. 9:00am-2:00pm

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Web Site - www.stjohnthebaptist-holytrinity.com



13th Sunday In Ordinary Time

"Whoever loses his life for my sake will find it." When Jesus says paradoxical things like this, we can still trust him. Even when he makes claims that, at first glance, seem impossible, we know that he's not talking gibberish. Why? Because Jesus lived the ultimate paradox: he brought life out of death. His resurrection proves for us that things are not always as they appear. The Crucifixion, which looked like the end of Jesus' influence, was actually a tremendous new beginning.

So when Jesus promises that we will find life through a kind of death, we shouldn't question his claim. Of course in today's Gospel, Jesus isn't necessarily talking about physical death, although the "red" martyrs who suffer for him do in fact find their reward in eternal life. "White" martyrdom, on the other hand, is a kind of death to self that doesn't involve bloodshed. It means putting love and generous service ahead of our own self-gratification. It means doing these things for the sake of Christ. When he tells us to love our neighbors as ourselves, this is what he's talking about.

So, how can we be white martyrs today? How can we sacrifice our desire for perfect comfort, or entertainment on demand, or status or pleasure or sleep or whatever else for the sake of serving another person? In our families, in our schools and workplaces, in our parishes, in our neighborhoods and our communities, there are myriad opportunities to "lose our lives" for the sake of Christ. But don't forget, in dying to ourselves, we will find our lives in a new way! The fulfillment Christ offers us in return, both now and in eternity, will be far better than anything we try to cling to on our own.

SJB/HT Office & Church Staff

Pastor Father Daniel Caruso

Secretary/Bulletin Nancy Bergeson

Office Assistant Mary Olmsted

Organist Melissa Berthelot

Cantor Jonathan Howell

Cantor Ryan Boyle

Call the Rectory to arrange for Marriages, arrangements made six months prior to date. Contact our organist and cantor directly. Baptisms and hospital/home visits.



New Mass Schedule

As of **Saturday, July 1, 2017**, this is the new Mass schedule for St. John the Baptist/Holy Trinity and Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter:

SJB/HT will now have a 5:30pm Vigil Mass on Saturday as well as a 9:00am Mass on Sunday.

Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter will now have a 4:00pm Vigil Mass on Saturday as well as 7:30am & 11:00am Masses on Sunday.

The Mass in Vietnamese will be at 8:45am on Sunday at Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter.



Sharing The Gospel

God wants you to love your family and friends. But God wants you to love him even more. Be kind to your mom and listen to her. Help your dad with chores and have fun with him. But also remember to help people who are not in your family. God gets excited when you share his love with others.



Prayer

God, show me ways to help all people who love you.

Something to Draw

Draw yourself bringing homemade cookies to a neighbor who loves Jesus.

Mission for the Week

Together as a family send a care package to a missionary family.



A Family Perspective

Family Life Education

Today's Gospel challenges us to resist the individualism of our culture. Everything we are and have is pure gift which we are expected to share especially to the "lowly ones." What has been freely given needs to be shared freely. No strings attached.

St. John The Baptist 1972 Class Reunion

Join us in our 45th Class Reunion on August 26th at 6:00pm. We will be at The Retreat 302 Vine St. Liverpool, NY. Come and reconnect with your classmates! Food and beverages are available and your choice.



4th Of July Schiller Park Parade

Tuesday, July 4th at 9:30am, meet at the Schiller Park parking lot by the pool. Kids bring your bikes and dress up to join our celebration. Grand Marshals: Uncle Sam, Betsy Ross, Harriet Tubman and Abe Lincoln. Free refreshments at the Pavilion by the Bova Center following the parade.

Sunday Collection June 24th and June 25th

Regular collection	\$2,290.85
Loose collection	\$491.18
Poor collection.....	\$161.00
Peter's Pence	\$181.00



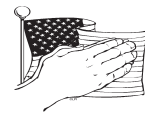
SJB/HT & OLP/SP Clam Bake

The Parish Clam Bake is Wednesday July 19, 2017 1:00-5:00pm at Hinerwadel's 5300 W. Taft Road.

\$45.00 per person which includes Raw Little Neck Clams. We will be taking your reservations after all weekend Masses starting June 24 & 25 or by calling the parish office 315-478-0916. Reservations will be accepted with payment. There will be absolutely **NO** reservations accepted at the door or after **July 9th**. (as per Hinerwadel's request). Raffles and 50/50 will be available. More information will follow in the bulletin for sign up. Please join us in the fun!

Prayer Of Thanksgiving For Freedom

Freedom is enshrined in our US Constitution. The First Amendment of our constitution protects our freedom of speech. However, our speech may not infringe upon another's freedom. Freedom does have its limits. And we must protect everyone's freedoms, not just ours. On this 4th of July, let us remember from whom all our freedoms originate, our good and gracious God. Let us pray...



God, giver of all good gifts,
Help us to be thankful for rest and food,
and remember that, in all we do or say,
you are with us, here this day.
We are thankful for all you do
and for everything you have given us.
But above all we are thankful for our freedoms
and the ability to protect others' freedom.
We are free because of you.
We ask for your continued blessing on all your creation.
Through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

GOD Bless AMERICA



HOPE Appeal

Your HOPE Appeal donations are still being accepted. You can mail or put them in the donation basket, PLEASE do not add HOPE Appeal to regular Church envelopes as well as do not add regular envelope to HOPE Appeal. Thank you to all who have made a donation so far.

Vacation Bible School

St. Daniel Parish will host our annual Vacation Bible School July 10th – 14th from 9 a.m. – Noon in the School of Religion Building. Parents with children entering grades K-7 are encouraged to register them for five fun-filled days of exciting lessons, cool crafts, fun games, upbeat music, creative skits, hands-on activities and delicious snacks. This year's program is Birthday Blast: A Celebration of Life! This Catholic VBS is an exciting PRO-LIFE themed program where kids will learn to discover, respect, protect, serve, and celebrate life! Kids will receive a basic introduction to the Theology of the Body along with lessons on what it means to be a child of God. Please register by July 5th. Cost is \$15 per child / \$25 per family. For information and registration forms, visit www.stdaniel.com or contact St. Daniel Church at 315-454-4946 or stdaniels@syrdio.org



Mass Schedule for

St. John the Baptist/Holy Trinity

Sat. - July 1, 2017 - 13th Sunday In Ordinary Time

OLP/SP 4:00 pm

SJB/HT 5:30 pm - For The People

Sun. - July 2, 2017 - 13th Sunday In Ordinary Time

OLP/SP 7:30 am

SJB/HT 9:00 am - Anthony DelVecchio - Wife & Children

Paul Ferretti - Rosemary Lane

Neil Uicioli - Steven Converso

Maria & Joseph Papa - Mr. & Mrs. Antonio Rosano

OLP/SP 11:00 am

Mon. - July 3, 2017 - St Thomas, apostle

12:00 Noon - Freedom for all

Tues. - July 4, 2017 - Independence Day

12:00 Noon - NO NOON MASS

Wed. - July 5, 2017 - St. Anthony Zaccaria, priest

Thurs. - July 6, 2017 - St. Maria Goretti, virgin & martyr

Fri. - July 7, 2017

11:30 am - Confessions

12:00 Noon - Julia & Francis Schramm - The Family

Sat. - July 8, 2017 - 14th Sunday In Ordinary Time

OLP/SP 4:00 pm

SJB/HT 5:30 pm - Caroline McGuire - Edward McGuire

Chuck McManus - The Family

Anthony Geremia - Anne Marinelli

Dominick Pirozzi - Wife, Pauline & Children

Sun. - July 9, 2017 - 14th Sunday In Ordinary Time

OLP/SP 7:30 am

SJB/HT 9:00 am - For The People

OLP/SP 11:00 am



The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in memory of

Michael Aiello and James Capriolozzi

Requested by The Family

Serving Our Country Always keep in prayer all servicemen and women. From our parish: **Rob Smith and Bryan M. Oakes.**



Remember: Christopher Aldrich, Antonietta Briggs, Bob Brimfield, Lorna Dodge Burton, Rosaria Campolo, Robert Capria, Paul Collins, Catherine Cushman, Grayce Costantini, Linda Deapo, Frank DeYulio, Peter

DiBello, Anthony Drenzo, Marilyn Ferretti, Norma Foody, Shirley Fornito, Beverly Frey, David Galvagno, Gladys Graham, Jeanne Hammond, Mary Isgar, Dory Jones, Shirley Kerr, Jane Kwasigroch, Rosemary Lane, Kay Ledermann, Carolyn Longo, Joanne Loughney, Maria Luisi, Diane Mackey, Norm MacKenzie, Bernice McClelland, David Miccinelli, Peggy Miccinelli, Helen Mnich, Darlene Noyes, Jean Padden, Nancy Pompo, Cathy Galutz Sacco, Patty Schramm, Faith Setzer, Marion Sherwood, Timothy K. Suppes, Reita Suppes, Barbara Traino, Richard Ventrone and Shelly Visco.



Office Closed/No Noon Mass

In observance of Independence Day,

Tue., July 4 the rectory will be closed and there is no Noon Mass this day.

Saturday, July 8th & Sunday, July 9th

LECTORS:

5:30PM ~ Sue Retschle

9:00AM ~ Patrick Minnoe

ALTAR SERVERS:

5:30PM ~ Mary Elizabeth Cusano

9:00AM ~ Ben Chouinard, Luis & Aleda Guerrero

EUCCHARIST:

5:30PM ~ M.A. Bergamo, L. Sanzone, F. Sanzone, G. Larkin,

J. LaVergne, L. Weir, M.E. Cusano

9:00AM ~ M.E. Cusano, F. Brimfield, L. Argiro, R. Warren,

K. Fekete, Michael Dykeman, J. Mott

Congratulations to **Emery Katherine Witherell.**

Emery was baptized Sunday June 18th. Also, to her parents and God parents, we wish you happiness and God's Blessings.



Sun. July 2

Group 4 Money Counters

Sun. July 9

Group 1 Money Counters

Sun. July 16

Group 2 Money Counters

Sun. July 23

Group 3 Money Counters

Sun. July 30

Group 4 Money Counters

Fri. July 7

Group 3 Altar Cleaners

Fri. July 14

Group 4 Altar Cleaners

Fri. July 21

Group 1 Altar Cleaners

Fri. July 28

Group 2 Altar Cleaners

Wed. July 19

SJB/HT-OLP/SP Clambake

Hinerwadel's 1:00-5:00PM

Thurs. July 20

TNT Neighborhood Watch 7:00PM

SJB/HT Parish Center

Wed. July 26

Catholic Golden Ages 7:00PM

SJB/HT Parish Center



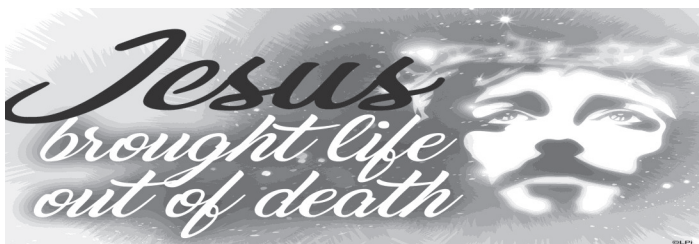
Financial Peace University

Stop living paycheck to paycheck! Finances are the #1 problem contributing to the demise of

marriage. Learn the tools to take control of your money. Discover Financial Peace In The Process. Life changing for all ages. Classes at Holy Family Parish Hall, 124 Chapel Drive, July 11-Sept. 5 6:30PM. Register online at:

<http://www.daveramsey.com/fpu/classes/1041649>.

For more information call Sue at 315-720-0599.



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