

St. John the Baptist and Holy Trinity

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May 22, 2022

Mass Schedule:

Mon., Tues., Fri. - 12:00 Noon
Saturday Vigil - 5:30 pm
Sunday - 9:00 am
Reconciliation OLP/SP Wednesday 4:00-5:00pm
SJB/HT Thursday 4:00-5:00pm

Office Hours for SJB/HT

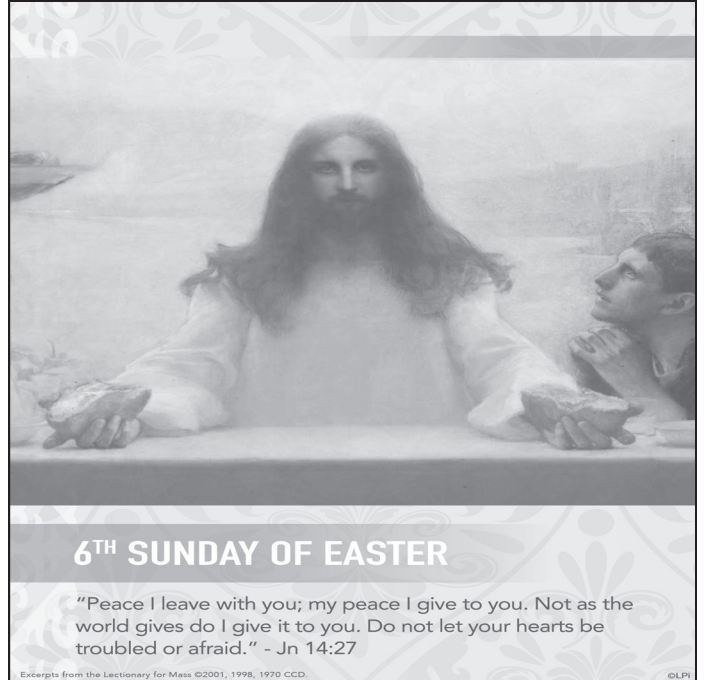
Mon.-Thurs. 9:00am-4:30pm
Friday 9:00am-2:30pm
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St. John The Baptist/Holy Trinity

Saturday Vigil 5:30pm
Sunday, 9:00am
Monday, Tuesday & Friday Noon in Church

Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter Church

Saturday, 4:00pm ~~~~~ Saturday, 6:00pm Vietnamese
Sunday, 7:30am, 11:30am & 5:00pm
Sunday, 9:30am Vietnamese
Tuesday – Friday 9:00am in Church



6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid." - Jn 14:27

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Gospel Meditation

May 22, 2022 6th Sunday of Easter

Jesus tells his disciples, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you." The peace that Jesus gives is far different than the kind that comes from the absence of war, conflict, or affliction. The peace that God offers is found alongside suffering and hardship, not necessarily in their absence. St. Teresa of Avila offers us a bit of wisdom regarding peace: *"May today there be peace within. May you trust God that you are exactly where you are meant to be. May you not forget the infinite possibilities that are born of faith. May you use those gifts that you have received and pass on the love that has been given to you. May you be content knowing you are a child of God. Let this presence settle into your bones and allow your soul the freedom to sing, dance, praise, and love. It is there for each and every one of us."*

In order for us to experience the divine peace that Jesus offers, we have to allow God's presence to settle into our bones! It is only when this happens that we can be truly taught by the Holy Spirit to discern the true path to peace and find ourselves with untroubled hearts. The world and our lives are so unpredictable and changeable. If we look for a source of lasting and real peace only there, our search will never be satisfied. Something will always unsettle and disturb us. The Jewish disciples could really relate to what Jesus was saying about peace (shalom). They already knew that it was more a matter of achieving wholeness and wellbeing than anything else.

Wholeness and wellbeing are precisely what is uncovered when we begin to really see and know the height, depth, and breadth of God's presence and promise. The elegance of God's Divine life flows through our blood and the marrow in our bones. It is that close and deep. As we breathe in and exhale God's life, peace becomes what we know within and what is exhaled out. This remains in the midst of intense conflict, persecution, suffering, rejection, and even death.

SJB/HT Office & Church Staff

Pastor Father Daniel Caruso
Secretary/Bulletin Nancy Bergeson

Senior Priest in Residence Fr. Lester Smith

In Residence Fr. Paschal Anionye
Office Assistance Mary Olmsted

Buildings/Grounds Robert Warren

Religious Education Betty Warren

Music Director/Organist James Stanley



What Is Back To "Normal"

A few things have resumed during Mass at SJB/HT. Our ushers will now take up the collection during the Masses. The candle stands have been put back into the Church. But, only at the St. Joseph Altar and at St. John the Baptist statue. Candles have already been placed inside each holder, you no longer will need to go into the Sacristy to get a candle. We ask that you use the starter lighter or taper sticks available to light the candle you wish. Your donation, \$2.00, we ask that you put into the collection box near the piano. Again, you no longer will need to enter the Sacristy for candles. No candle stand has been placed at the Blessed Mother as confessions will still be heard in this area. We are not filling the Holy Water basins at the entrances yet. We did fill and bless the Holy Water in the tank located in the Parking Lot entrance. You will need to bring in your own jars. We have removed the blue tape from the floor of the Church. Marks were left behind. We will try our best to see if they can be removed. If anyone has any hints to share, please let us know. Finally, we will keep the left side of the Church, St. Joseph side, as mask only and social distance seating, with the right side of the Church, Blessed Mother side, as your choice, mask not mask and open seating.

Live The Liturgy - Inspiration For The Week

Everyone wants to experience peace. When we look to the world to provide this for us, we can easily get disappointed. We associate peace with an absence of war and conflict, good relationships between neighbors and coworkers, the achievement of success and even the absence of noise! While all of these are worthy endeavors, pursuing them exclusively as a path to experiencing peace sets us up for failure. When we look for peace outside of ourselves, it will never be found. True and lasting peace is something that comes from within and not something we can produce on our own or receive from others. Peace is discovered when we experience an inner wholeness and harmony. It is born of a sense of connectedness with a God who is larger and greater than ourselves, gifting us with His presence. It is the only peace offered by the Risen Christ that can settle our hearts and calm our fears. Regardless of the degree of turmoil around us, this sense of completeness that Jesus gives anchors our boats and prevents us from sinking.



Jesus said to his disciples: "The Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you." — Jn 14:26-27a

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Ascension Of The Lord

Thursday, May 26, 2022

Masses for this Holyday will be: 9:00am OLP/SP, 12:00 Noon SJB/HT and 5:30pm SJB/HT.



A Family Perspective Family Life Education

Today Jesus gives this advice: "Do not let your hearts be troubled." Worry and anxiety can consume our lives preventing us from seeing the love which surrounds us and binds us to one another. Don't miss the forest for the trees. We are living today what we worried about yesterday.

With so much heartbreak and violence in our world



Remember: Anthony Aldrich, Christopher Aldrich, Shawn Babcock, Nancy Bailey, Rosaria Campolo, Robert Capria, Catherine Cushman, Grayce Costantini, Linda Deapo, Joni Uva DelGiorno, Gen DiMento, Ginny & Erin Donovan, Aaron Doty, Mary Ann Felicia, Marilyn Ferretti, Ellen Gangemi, Gladys Graham, Robert Greenwood, Joseph Guinto, Jeanne Hammond, Keith Horton, Josephine Indelicato, Mary Isgar, Dory Jones, Shirley Kerr, Rosemary Lane, Kay Ledermann, Jackie Limeri, Maria Luisi, Diane Mackey, Dick Marsh, Norm MacKenzie, Peggy Miccinelli, Darlene Morga, Diane Moro, Jean Padden, The Pavia Children, Philomena Piraino, Sandy Pisani, Joe Ruggeri, Cathy Galutz Sacco, Faith Setzer, Marion Sherwood, John Sobon, Timothy K. Suppes, Carmen Surface, Barbara Traino, Shelly Visco, Maryann Vigliotti and Matthew Watkins.

Sacrificial Giving

Please contact Fr. Dan if you have any questions about our parish finances.

Week May 7th & May 8th

SJB/HT Collection: \$4,017.00 OLP/SP Collection: \$8,170.00

Week May 14th & May 15th

SJB/HT Collection: \$2,803.00 OLP/SP Collection: \$8,588.00

Thank you to all those parishioners who have faithfully been mailing their envelopes because they still cannot attend Mass. If you have been away or have been unable to attend Mass, please remember to send your donation to the Parish Office. We appreciate whatever you can do to help with expenses.

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.

Mass Schedule for SJB/HT & OLP/SP

Saturday, May 21, 2022

4:00pm OLP/SP - Nick Meola - Frank & Sue
Gaetano Piraino - John Piraino
Benny & Terry Cimino - Son, Joseph
Marianna D'Ambrosio - Frank & Sue
Frank Carapella & Laura Pallotta - Anne
Joseph S. Mento - Cindy & Jim Spinella
Victoria Giannantonio & Marianna DeLorio - Frank & Sue
Michael Canestrare, Johanna Duell & Ronald Canestrare -
The Romano Family
5:30pm SJB/HT - Marie Salinski - SJB Friends

Sunday, May 22, 2022

7:30am OLP/SP - Dean Overand - Mary Scarfino
9:00am SJB/HT - Albert Bleskoski - Fran & Judy
Catherine Mott - The Mott Family
Angelo & Lorraine Coppolla - The Family
11:30am OLP/SP - Deceased Caruso Family
Cindy Caruso - The Family
Angela Manfredi - Daughter, Rose
Antoinette Leonardo - Sister, Jennie
Giuseppe C. Liborio - Isabella Greco
Phil & Sharon Catalino - Pam & Gary
Mary & Anthony Catalino - The Family
Dr. George C. Heitzman - Wife, Gina & Family
Domenica Maria LaFace - Son, Lorenzo & Family
Friends Brenda McCabe & Paulette DeFuria - Pam & Gary
5:00pm OLP/SP - For the people

Monday, May 23, 2022

12:00pm SJB/HT - For the people

Tuesday, May 24, 2022

9:00am OLP/SP - Robert Klaska - Son, Paul
12:00pm SJB/HT - Mr. & Mrs. James Baker -
Lawrence Baker

Wednesday, May 25, 2022

9:00am OLP/SP - Concetta Piraino - John Piraino
4:00pm-5:00pm OLP/SP Confession

Thursday, May 26, 2022 - The Ascension of the Lord

9:00am OLP/SP - For the people
12:00pm SJB/HT - For the people
5:30pm SJB/HT - For the people
4:00-5:00pm SJB/HT Confession

Friday, May 27, 2022

9:00am OLP/SP - Nancy Rossi - John & Angela Berardi
12:00pm SJB/HT - Richard Stinziano -
Peter & Maureen White

Saturday, May 28, 2022

4:00pm OLP/SP - Erik Heisler - Sandy, Dan & Danny
Benny & Terry Cimino - Son, Joseph
Anne DeSantis - Sandy, Dan & Danny
Mary Discenza - Kay & Frank Procopio
Joseph S. Mento - Richard & Marilyn Correia
Philomena Albanese Rosati - Cominick & Family
Victoria Giannantonio & Marianna DeLorio - Frank & Sue
5:30pm SJB/HT - Mary Schnipp - the Schnipp Family
Thomas C. Schnipp - The Schnipp Family



Rectory Closed and No Noon Mass

In observance of the Memorial Holiday, SJB/HT and OLP/SP rectories will be closed. There is no Noon Mass at SJB/HT for this day as well. Have a Happy and Safe Memorial Weekend.

Lector Schedule - May 28th & May 29th

4:00pm OLP/SP: TBA
5:30pm SJB/HT: Annette Marchbanks
7:30am OLP/SP: TBA
9:00am SJB/HT: Patrick Minnoe
11:30am OLP/SP: TBA
5:00pm OLP/SP: Fr. Caruso



Our Health Care Workers: Please pray for all health care workers of our parish serving in this crisis of COVID 19. That God helps to guide their decisions and to keep them safe as well. **Dr. Patrick Abt, Alisa Albanese, PA., Christopher Jacques, EMS, Lynda Keller, Nurse, Ross Mathewson, Joseph & Rita Nicoletti, Nurses, Robert C. Palucci, Nurse, Dr. Alyssa Toia, Stacy Toia, Nurse and Lauren Townley, Nurse.**

Serving Our Country: Always keep in prayer all servicemen and women. From our parish: **Anthony Cangemi, Richard L. Cooper, Jack McAndrew & Matthew McAndrew, Bryan M. Oakes & Rob Smith.**



ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You.
Amen.



6th SUNDAY OF EASTER



Sunday, May 29, 2022

7:30am OLP/SP - Anne Marie DiBello -
Joe & Joanne Corasaniti
9:00am SJB/HT - Antonio McLaughlin - Mother
Giorgio DelVecchio - Anna DelVecchio & Family
Maria & Rocco Rosano - Mr. & Mrs. Antonio Rosano
11:30am OLP/SP - Gregory Snyder - Mom
Dan Scarfino - Wife, Pixie
Annette Delgiorno - Joanne Merola
Graziella Ianno - Daughter & Family
Theresa & Nicholas Russo - The Family
Angelrosa Vigliotti - Antomo & Maryann Vigliotti & Family
5:00pm OLP/SP - For the people

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