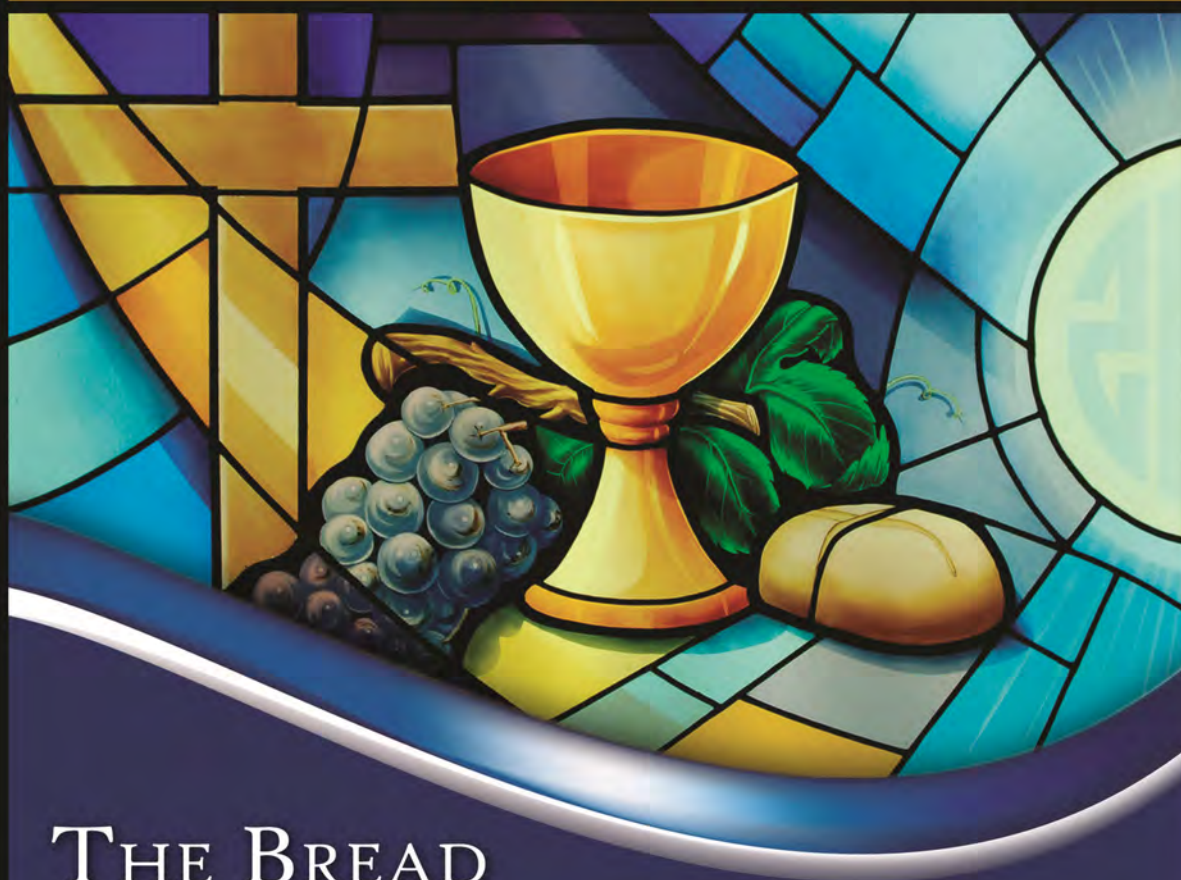


St. John Fisher Church

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 12, 2018



THE BREAD
THAT I WILL GIVE
IS MY FLESH FOR THE
LIFE OF THE WORLD.

John 6:51

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Love God. Love All People. Make Disciples.

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LOST AND FOUND

Please stop by the Parish Office for lost items. Our shelf is filled with items such as eye glasses, umbrellas, cell phones, etc. Items not picked up will be donated to PV Resale.

Welcome To Saint John Fisher

We are a welcoming Parish. Whatever your present status in the Catholic Church, whatever your current family or marital situation, whatever your past or present religious affiliation, whatever your personal history, age, background, race or color, sexual orientation, whatever your self-esteem: you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved, and respected by the Catholic Community of St. John Fisher.

Pastoral Council Meeting - August 15

All parishioners are invited to attend the Pastoral Council meeting on Wednesday, August 15 at 7:00 pm in the Fireside Room. We will discuss the following agenda:

Pastor

- Welcome
- First 15
- Parish Life
 - ◇ PV Street Fair
 - ◇ Whispering Winds Retreat - Cancelled
 - ◇ Capital Campaign
 - ◇ Our Pastoral Plan
 - ◇ Our Objectives for 2018-2019

Chair/Vice-Chair

- Approval of June Minutes
- LGBT Update
- PC September 15th Meeting
- Other

Closing Prayer: Prayer of St. John Fisher Parish

Mission Co-Operative Collection today!

Let us welcome Fr. John Bosco Musinguzi from the Diocese of Nyundo in Rwanda, preaching on behalf of Mission Co-Operative. The Diocese of Nyundo lost 35 priests during the Rwandan Civil war and is working on finishing the construction of a church that was destroyed killing over 2500 people inside. The Christians have made great efforts to rebuild their church, but now they need our help. In addition, the Diocese of Nyundo has been operating an orphanage since before the war housing over 600 children. Each year they add a class to create more space serving children through 6th grade. Once the elementary school is completed, they will focus on adding a Junior High. God bless you all for your love, sacrifice, and generosity.

Youth Ministry Assistant Needed

St. John Fisher is seeking a part-time, year-round, Youth Ministry Assistant to assist with Confirmation, Youth Ministry, and Religious Education activities. This position is paid hourly, approximately 20-25 hours per week, including Sundays, Monday evenings, Tuesday afternoons, Friday afternoons, and some Saturdays. Minimum age required is 21 years. For a complete job description, or to submit a resume, please email Gayle Plecha at gplecha@sjf.org.



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The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary



Wednesday, August 15 is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a Holy Day of Obligation. The Mass times will be Tuesday at 5:30 pm, and Wednesday at 6:30 am, 8 am, and 7:30 pm. Adoration will end before the 7:30 pm Mass.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE



Michael Magpayo-Caroline Motus
Gabriel Hungerford-Meagan Brazil

MASS SCHEDULE

AUGUST 11, SATURDAY

8:00 am Gallila Gallegos†

5:00 pm Ron Gillett†

Fr. Kalu

AUGUST 12, SUNDAY

7:30 am Joan Allinson†

9:00 am Ray Ceragioli†

10:45 am Parishioners

12:30 pm Peggy Lang†

5:00 pm Sandra Moore†

Fr. Musinguzi

Fr. Kalu

Fr. Aguilar

Fr. Musinguzi

Msgr. Sork

AUGUST 13, MONDAY

8:00 am Patricia Cunningham†

5:15 pm Julia Piatak†

AUGUST 14, TUESDAY

8:00 am Terry Brannigan†

5:15 pm Natividad Cariño

AUGUST 15, WEDNESDAY

6:30 am Parishioners

8:00 am Mary Agnews†

5:15 pm Ann Lucille Rutkosky†

AUGUST 16, THURSDAY

8:00 am Sharon Osselaer†

5:15 pm Mile Rasic†

AUGUST 17, FRIDAY

8:00 am Bettina Furio†

5:15 pm Ray Ceragioli†

AUGUST 18, SATURDAY

8:00 am Scott Alan Powell†

5:00 pm Patricia Black†

Msgr. Sork

AUGUST 19, SUNDAY

7:30 am Ernesto Vicera, Jr†

9:00 am Teodora Gonzalez†

10:45 am Marguerite Wilkie†

12:30 pm Joren Lagmay†

5:00 pm Parishioners

Fr. Kalu

Msgr. Sork

Fr. Aguilar

Fr. Kalu

Fr. Aguilar

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: Ez 2:8 — 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28, Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Thursday: Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62; Mt 18:21 — 19:1

Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15

Sunday: Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-7; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Evening Vigil Mass

5:00 pm

Sunday

7:30 am

9:00 am, Contemporary Choir

10:45 am, Parish Choir

12:30 pm

5:00 pm, Youth Choir

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday-Friday 8:00 am, 5:15 pm

Saturday, 8:00 am

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Morning Prayer

Monday-Saturday 7:45 am

Chapel of the Blessed Mother

HOLY DAYS

Vigil: 5:30 pm

Mass: 6:30 am, 8:00 am, 7:30 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Monday, Wednesday through Friday, 4:45-5:10 pm;

Tuesday, 7:00 pm; Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 pm or by appointment.

BAPTISMS

Contact Parish Office for details

MARRIAGE

Arrangements should be made with the Priest at least six months in advance.

PARISHIONERS WHO ARE ILL/HOMEBOUND

If you would like to receive the Sacraments of Communion, Reconciliation, or Anointing of the Sick, please call **310-377-5571**.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Spend an hour in the Chapel in honor of the Real Presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Regular adorers are needed Monday to Friday from 8:45 am to 9:00 pm. For information, contact Carlyn Quinto at **310-377-5571** or Rose Loggin at rloggin@aol.com

NEED A CARING LISTENER?

Call the Stephen Ministry Hotline at **310-541-1403**.

PRAYER TREE

Contact Bev Fink at **310-377-5571** or penhimom@hotmail.com. Please write "SJF Prayer Tree" in the subject line.

FAITH FORMATION

CHILDREN



Home is Holy: Eternal Life

Jesus calls all who believe to eternal life. Belief is not a feeling, but a decision we make daily. We are called to trust God in thought, word, and deed. How do you help your children make the choice to have faith and trust in God? First, make the choice yourself—and then talk about the ways in which you see God’s presence in your life. Just practicing gratitude—we are blessed in so many ways—is a great example for your children. Today children at the 9 am Mass will receive a fan in the shape of a butterfly—a symbol of eternal life, and a nice way to keep cool too!

Have you registered for Religious Education?

The summer days are getting shorter, and before long the children will be heading back to school. Back-to-school time is also back to Religious Education time. Religious Education classes begin the week of September 23. Have you registered your children? To register for Religious Education, just go to <https://tinyurl.com/SJF-RE2018-19>.

We are looking for catechists!

Your children love to see you involved in their soccer, scouts, and other activities. Why not get involved in sharing faith with your children? Catechists (Religious Education teachers) are particularly needed for Sunday morning Preschool, Grades 4 and 5. Training, resources, and lots of support are provided, and you can work in a team with your friends. Contact Margaret Johnson for more information!

Margaret Johnson | Director of Religious Education K-8 | (310) 377-4573 ext 136 | mjohnson@sjf.org

HIGH SCHOOL TEENS

Time to Register for Confirmation Classes

Our 2-year Confirmation program will begin in September, so now is the time to get your incoming 9th, 10th, or 11th graders registered to receive this important sacrament. Please contact Ricardo at rmata@sjf.org to get a registration packet. Also, all Year 2 students returning will need to re-register on SchoolSpeak.

High School Students Attend City of Saints

About 20 people attended City of Saints at UCLA last weekend. The teens were inspired by dynamic presenters like Mike Patin, Fr. Augustino Torres, and Katie Prejean. They ate delicious food in the cafeterias and stayed in the college dorms. Live music, Adoration of the Holy Eucharist, and Mass with Archbishop Gomez were also included.



Gospel Recap: “Food to Share with the World”

Jesus makes it clear in this reading that he gives his bread for “the life of the world.” This means that every Mass ever said is for our entire world. Mass feeds us and all others -- feeding our deepest hungers so that we can take strength, hope, and peace out into the world. Some Catholics don’t see the connection between Sunday and the other six days of the week, but it’s definitely there. Classmates need our acceptance, family members need our forgiveness, athletic opponents need our sportsmanship, and the poor and the sick people need our compassion and love.



Thank you to our Fixit Ministry!

On behalf of SJF School, I would like to thank the amazing Parish Fixit Ministry! I don't know what we would do without them each year! This summer they added solid wooden shelving to middle school student lockers, assembled cupboards, and multiple other tasks! A huge thank you to our angels: Mick Bouckaert, John Taylor, Bill Howe, and Art Bourgeois.

Thank you to our custodial staff:

Jesus, Raul, Jose, Noel and our Plant Manager, Angel Garcia. The school office received a 'makeover' during the summer break with new countertops and painting, the classrooms and office floors were waxed, all carpets and rugs were cleaned, doors and walkways power washed, and other miscellaneous repairs completed.

Tours of the School

The new school year begins on **August 27, 2018**. We are still accepting applications and giving tours of the school. Please do not hesitate to call and learn how St. John Fisher School can make a difference in your child's education.

Anne-Marie Hudani
St. John Fisher School Principal
(310) 377-2800 principal@sjf.org

PRAY FOR SICK

Robert Kennedy

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR...

Anton Acherman	Edwina Mangianeli
Seyi Adisa	Dave and Joan Matson
Josephine Appel	Kathleen Mattis
Brooke Bagdasar	Frank McCormick
Robert Barry	Mary McDonough
Raymond Bodine	Maura McGuinness
Sylvia Cheong	Thadd McNamara
Michelle Clark	Kay Milo
Troy Dante	Pablo Nastas Molina
Margarita David	Manuel A. Morales
Robert Denni	Teresa Morales
Don Duperon	Clare Nolan
Lenny & Gloria Fink	Allie Panetta
Jacob Finnucan	Laura Penate
Erik Fleming	Margot Rios Richardson
Msgr. Eugene Gilb	William H. Sheridan
Maria Gilbert-Kempf	Joan Sing
Thomas Koo	Hy Sing
Sadru Hudani	Marie Lucas Soto
Ilana Jesse	Beverly Wolfe
Margaret Majid	

PRAY FOR DECEASED

Rodolfo N. Dolores, Brother-in-law of Blessie Dolores
Carolyn H. Druffel
Ruth Martinez
Barbara Moore, Mother of Tom Moore
Antolin Paule
Linda Rios

PRAY FOR MILITARY PERSONNEL AND FAMILIES

Danny Bender, USN Seal
Scott Bender, USN Seal
James D. Cheatham, USN
Capt. Hannah Thomas, USA
Daniel Vasquez, US Army
Capt. JAG Rachel Walkup, USA

If you have a loved one deployed overseas serving in the Military and would like his/her name on the prayer list and/or picture on the Military Board, please contact the Parish Office **310-377-5571** or Howard Schneider **310-377-5571** Pictures should be approximately 4" x 5," and may be dropped off at the office, ATTN: Military Board. IMPORTANT: Please include a contact name and phone number. The Military Board is in the church narthex.

COMMUNITY

STEWARDSHIP OF OUR TREASURE

August 5, 2018 \$38,975.08

August 6, 2017 \$28,445.19

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY

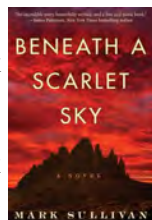
Eucharistic Adorers Needed

We still need additional adorers for the following hours: Monday 10 am; Tuesday 12 pm and 2 pm; Wednesday 9 am and 10 am; Thursday 10 am, 11 am, and 12 pm; and Friday 12 pm and 8 pm. For more information, contact Carlyn Quinto **310-377-5571** or Rose Loggin rloggin@aol.com.



Summer Book Discussion

Have you read *Beneath a Scarlet Sky* by Mark T. Sullivan? It tells the story of a hero in the underground in Italy during World War II. Bring your opinions to boost the parish book discussion on Tuesday, August 21 at 7 pm in Rm 108 (Parish Library). For our upcoming books go to goodreads.com, search for "SJF Book Club," then find us under groups. For more information email Martha Newton at sjfbookclub@gmail.com.



Thank you from SJF Devotional Ministries



The SJF Devotional Ministries are thankful and appreciative of the interest, turnout and response to the film presentations "Finding Fatima" on July 16 and "Ignacio de Loyola" on July 31.

They would like to thank for their support Monsignor Sork and Fr. Kalu, the parish staff and the custodial staff. Also, to our donors and volunteers who provided technological support and enabled us to serve refreshments, many thanks.

Sacred Heart Retreat Camp Work Weekend



Come help the Sacred Heart Sisters at their retreat camp in Big Bear Lake. Working days are Saturday, Sept. 1 from 8:00 am to 7:30 pm and Sunday, Sept. 2 from 9:00 am to 1:30pm. Sunday Vigil Mass and meals are included. Your help is a blessing to us: moving furniture, painting, cleaning, sewing, construction etc. Teens are welcome to come for service hours but must have an adult chaperone. Please contact us at **909-866-5696** to RSVP or for further information visit www.sacredheartretreatcamp.com

Did You Know? Watch for signs of anxiety in your child

Everyone has had an anxious moment or two in their lives, but many people — even kids — struggle with daily anxiety. Anxiety can be a contributing factor in depression, and even if it's not that severe, it can make day-to-day activities tough. Kids who suffer from anxiety may exhibit physical symptoms like asthma and stomach aches, or could have trouble eating, sleeping, or going to the bathroom. If your child is showing signs of anxiety, it's important to ask why, and then to help your child address the cause and manage the associated feelings. For a copy of the complete VIRTUS© article, "The Age of Anxiety in Children: Implications for Providing Safe Catholic Schools, Part II," visit <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>. *Parish Safeguard the Children Contact: Margaret Johnson, 310-377-4573 x136, mjohnson@sjf.org.*

Celebration in Honor of Our Lady of the Angels



The Queen of Angels Foundation invites you to celebrate the City of Los Angeles' 237th Birthday and to honor Our Lady of the Angels, the city's namesake and patroness, with a Votive Mass at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels, presided by Archbishop José H. Gomez on Saturday, August 25 at 3 pm. The Mass will be followed by a Grand Marian Procession featuring banners, flags, color guards and bagpipers to the Our Lady Queen of Angels Church "La Placita" (535 N Main St, Los Angeles, CA 90012) for a blessing. The event will end with a Fiesta in La Plaza de Cultura y Artes. For more information, visit www.thequeenofangels.com or www.archla.org/qoa.

Congress of Mercy



Join the San Pedro Pastoral Region in their 4th Regional Apostolic Congress of Mercy on Saturday, August 25th from 8 am-5 pm at St. Philomena Church (21900 S. Main St, Carson). Registration is \$15 with lunch included. For more information, contact Beth Basilio at **562-842-6910**.

Employment Opportunity



The Wayfarer's Chapel is looking for a part-time gift shop assistant to help 2-3 days a week (including some weekends) at \$14 per hour. The gift shop is open from 10 am to 5 pm. If interested, contact Dan Burchett at **310-377-1650**.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This Week At St. John Fisher

Sunday, 8/12
Fr. Musinguzi preaches for Mission Co-Op at all Masses
Monday, 8/13
7:25 & 8:30 am Rosary – Blessed Mother Chapel
Tuesday, 8/14
7:25 & 8:30 am Rosary – Blessed Mother Chapel 9:30 am Senior Fitness Class – Gym 6 pm Queen of Peace Prayer Group – Blessed Mother Chapel
Wednesday, 8/15
7:25 & 8:30 am Rosary – Blessed Mother Chapel 9:30 am Catholic Update Group – Cityside Room 7 pm Pastoral Council Meeting – Fireside Room 7 pm Adult Basketball – Gym
Thursday, 8/16
7:25 & 8:30 am Rosary – Blessed Mother Chapel 9:30 am Senior Fitness Class – Gym 10 am Seekers Men's Group – Cityside Rm 5:50-6:15 pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy – Church
Friday, 8/17
7:25 & 8:30 am Rosary – Blessed Mother Chapel 6 pm Charismatic Prayer Group – Rectory Meeting Rm
Saturday, 8/18
7:25 & 8:30 am Rosary – Blessed Mother Chapel Holy Land Olivewood Sale after 5 pm Mass
Sunday, 8/19
Holy Land Olivewood Sale after all Masses

Save the Date!

Family Promise of the South Bay – September 2-9
Food Pantry Bag Distribution – September 8-9
Fall Kick off & Knights of Columbus BBQ – September 9
Growing in the Word: Deuteronomy – September 10
One Heart LGBT Ministry – September 11 – St. Lawrence Martyr
Food Pantry Bag Collection – September 15-16
Penance Service – September 17
Word on Fire: Catholicism: The New Evangelization – September 19
To Life! A Panel Discussion – September 26
Respect Life Showers of Love Flyer Distribution – September 29-30
Mary, a Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother – October 2-November 13
The Sultan and the Saint Movie and Panel Presentation – October 2
Women's Council Movie Night – October 5
The Bible Timeline: The Story of Salvation – October 5
Blessing of the Animals – October 6
Respect Life Showers of Love Collections – October 6-7
One Heart LGBT Ministry – October 9 – St. Lawrence Martyr
Word on Fire: Catholicism: The New Evangelization – October 17
PV Resale Christmas Boutique – November 2-3
Military Ministry USO Collection – November 3-4
Veterans Day Breakfast – November 11
One Heart LGBT Ministry – November 13 – St. Lawrence Martyr
Word on Fire: Catholicism: The New Evangelization – November 21
Food Pantry Bag Distribution – November 24-25
Anointing of the Sick – December 1
Food Pantry Collection – December 1-2
Giving Tree Gift Collection – December 1-17
One Heart LGBT Ministry – December 11 – St. Lawrence Martyr
Penance Service – December 17
Giving Tree Gift Distribution – December 17
Word on Fire: Catholicism: The New Evangelization – December 19
Simbang Gabi – December 22

If you'd like your meeting or event listed

on the calendar or "Save the Date" column, please email to info@sjf.org:

- Event or group name (optional: a few words of description)
- Meeting date and time
- Meeting place
- Point of contact

Your announcement may run for up to 4 bulletins. Space limitations prevent permanent or standing announcements. If you wish to place an announcement on the community page of the bulletin, please submit it to your group's pastoral staff liaison for approval.



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Are you or someone you know interested in becoming Catholic? Are you missing some of your sacraments, such as First Communion or Confirmation? Our RCIA program runs September through April with classes taking place on Sunday mornings. Adult Confirmation classes are offered in the fall. Inquiry sessions are offered all year and take place the first Sunday of each month in the Parish Conference Room at 10:30 am. Our next session, on Sept. 9th, is about the “Books of the Church.” All are welcome, reservations are not needed. Questions: please email Misty at mjesse@sjf.org.

Growing in the Word: Deuteronomy

The book of Deuteronomy provides the foundation for much of the Old and New Testaments and is the fifth in the five books of Moses also referred to as the Torah or the Pentateuch. This four week series will be held on Monday evenings in the auditorium, 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm., Sept. 10– October 1st. Flyers are available in the narthex and also in the parish office. For questions please call Misty, **310-377-4573** ext. 130

Catholicism: The New Evangelization

The Legion of Mary will present Bishop Barron’s four-part series on the New Evangelization. Presentations will be on the third Wednesday of the month, 7:00pm to 8:30 pm. in the Fireside room. The first presentation, “Introduction and New Ardor” is on Sept. 19th. Flyers are available in the narthex and also in the parish office. Each presentation includes the viewing of a DVD followed by a facilitated discussion.

Misty Jesse
Director of Evangelization
(310) 377-4573 x130 | mjesse@sjf.org

Stewardship Moment

“Get up and eat, else the journey will be too long for you!”
1 Kings 19:7

Jesus knows that our stewardship journey will be difficult; we are not designed to do it on our own. Fortunately, Jesus gave us the greatest gift of all, the gift of the Eucharist; His own body and blood. When we join our sacrifices with the sacrifice of the Mass, we find the strength and courage to be His joyful disciples.

Light House Kiosk

Have you checked out the selection of DVDs, CDs, and books offered in our Light House kiosk, located in the narthex of the Church? This wonderful evangelization tool is a great resource for families, friends, and visitors to our church. Cost of the items is reasonable and payment is based on the honor system. This is a great way to share the “Good news!”

Fall Kick-Off, Sept. 9, 8 am-1 pm

Join us for a morning of fun, food and fellowship as we return from summer vacations and head back to school. Knights of Columbus will have a barbecue with proceeds going to help seminarians. Fair Trade vendors will have items for sale perfect for Christmas gifts. Several of our ministries will be hosting tables and distributing flyers on upcoming events and there will be games and activities for children. The Fall Kick-Off will be located on the Welcome Area, in the Parking Lot, and also in the Gym. We hope to see you there!



A Prayer for Travelers

O God, our heavenly Father, whose glory fills the whole creation, and whose presence we find wherever we go: Preserve those who travel; surround them with your loving care; protect them from every danger; and bring them in safety to their journey's end; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Remember to bring God with you on your vacation:

www.MassTimes.org