ST JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2024

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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At that time, John said to Jesus, "Teacher, we saw someone driving out demons in your name, and we tried to prevent him because he does not follow us." Jesus replied, "Do not prevent him. There is no one who performs a mighty deed in my name who can at the same time speak ill of me." - Mk 9:38-39

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Welcome Home





Thank you to everyone who completed the Adult Faith Formation Survey last weekend!

If you didn't have time to complete yours or missed the opportunity, please use the above QR Code or visit our website:

https://www.sjalisle.org/adult-faithformation

Paper copies will also be available in the Narthex.

Eucharistic Encounter Evenings

4:00-5:00pm Sunday October 6, 2024 Sunday November 3, 2024 Sunday December 1, 2024

The format for the evenings will entail Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Sunday Vespers (evening prayer), silent adoration - concluded by Benediction.



Throwback—Margaret Barouski and World Youth Day



In 1990, Margaret Barouski was hired as Youth Minister, and for 22 years touched the lives of so many of our youth, including one who chose the priesthood and another who became a contemplative nun. Margaret also served on the Liturgy Committee and was involved in the Environment and the Arts Ministry. Additionally, Margaret was in charge of religious formation for Junior High students and Confirmation for a period of three years. Fr. Roman appointed Margaret as head of the Altar Servers Ministry, responsible for the formation and training of all altar servers, responsibilities she continued to hold as Liturgy Coordinator.

Margaret also led St. Joan of Arc youth on three World Youth Day (WYD) celebrations. Initiated by Pope John Paul II in 1986, World Youth Day is a worldwide encounter centered on Jesus Christ, held in a different country about every three years. The first WYD that St. Joan of Arc youth attended was in Paris in 1997 accompanied by Fr. Gabriel, then our Associate Pastor (left photo). The second WYD was in Toronto in 2002. By the time of the third WYD pilgrimage to Cologne, Germany in 2005, Margaret was a "pro." In preparation, she organized monthly meetings of prayer, German language and cultural instruction, and a retreat for 25 high school and college youth (right photo).

Margaret recalled the many "God-filled" moments, such as the times spent in prayer, participating in the Eucharistic celebration with the newly-elected Pope Benedict, and the sobering experience at Dachau. She added that the experience "blessed us with a spiritual awakening."



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Church News and Updates

The following couple will exchange marriage vows this coming month at St. Joan of Arc Saturday, October 5, 2024

Ryan Coyle and Devon Robbins

We wish this couple God's blessings as they prepare for their lives together.

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord; and let the perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Amen. We wish to offer our sympathy and a promise of prayers to the family and friends of: Paul Rittgarn and Marlene T. Biehl

Pestilence

God created all things on earth including insects. Many lovely birds of summer that we enjoy so much need insects to survive. We are reminded in Matthew 3:4, even John the Baptist had eaten certain insects for survival in the desert. This time of the year we seem to have many critters to manage. The transition between the hot summer and the cool autumn coupled with harvest season and increase in outdoor activity in the milder weather create an environment ripe for dermatologic issues. Even though most of us do not live on a farm or woodland, the Asian beetles, Stink Bugs, and other beneficial aphid consumers can still be bothered by these insects as they are disturbed by crop growers during harvest time. They are harmless to humans but will try to sneak into homes to stay warm as winter approaches. The "assassin bug" or wheel bug is a slow moving cousin of the stink bug. They

have a marking that resembles the "tool icon" located on its back. Please don't touch it, this little guy does sting. Bees are very busy collecting the last of the pollen supply. They can be irritable this time of year so refrain from swatting. Ticks are another insect to avoid as they are still on the prowl. This time of year they are typically the size of a sesame seed. They can transmit Lyme disease, and other long term illnesses. If you find one attached to the skin, follow instructions on the CDC website for safe removal <u>www.cdc.gov/ticks</u>. Then please seek medical attention, as an "ounce of prevention is truly worth a pound of cure" in the case of Lyme disease, since at a certain

point there is no cure. Mosquitoes are fewer this time of year as cool days become more frequent. However; those cool days will also encourage spiders to sneak into your home without invitation. There are 34 species of Illinois spiders, some are harmless and others such as the brown recluse, and black widow have a venomous bite. So shake out any shoes, or jackets left outside before putting them on. The pest of the year award goes to the Cicada. Although, for the most part they have all completed their above ground life cycle by this time. However, they have left us with an abundance of oak leaf itch mites. These mites had been feeding on Cicada larvae left on the trees. They are so small they are invisible to the naked eye. There can be 400 thousand of them blowing in the wind around trees each day. They can blow into our homes through screens. But rest assured they DO NOT infest beds or homes. But they will bite any area of exposed skin, so consider covering well, when in wooded areas. There are not any products that exist that can completely rid a yard or area of these itch mites. Their bite can take 10-16 hours to manifest, but when it does you will know it. They are extremely itchy, very red, often raised weltlike appearance and can last 2-3 weeks. Scratching these bites easily leads to skin infection. Following care instructions and seeking medical attention especially if skin is inflamed is highly recommended. The CDC does not have an information page on this topic, but you can find information at www.WEBMD.com/skin-problems-andtreatments/. The good news is that these mites will be gone with the first frost. Remain vigilant with taking precautions and ENJOY these last days of Summer! We are reminded in Psalms 91:3-4 "surely he shall deliver thee from the snare of the fowler, and from the noisome pestilence.

Kindest Regards & Blessings;

Pat Pusateri, RN Parish Nurse

SJA School News & Events Visit https://school.sjalisle.org/golf-outing **ST JOAN OF ARC SCHOOL NEWS** for our entire list of sponsors! Thank you to our 2024 SJA Charger Open **Premier Sponsors ORE!** the Kide t. Joan of Arc Schoo Platinum SHANAHAN THE CENTER FOR Sports Orthopaedics, P.C. Naperville FAMILY 847 884-7771 LISLE SAVINGS BANK BUICK GMC Gold Silver KRISTI GORSKI 6 Gibson Anselmo & PROXIMO An EMCOR Company ENJOY WHAT'S NEXT 630-991-7186 usbank

Religious Education

Our first day was AMAZING! Thank you so much to all of our families and catechists! Our students were right on time and ready to learn! Everyone did a fantastic job with our new protocols! Students and catechists met, got to know each other and had an overview of what they will be learning this year! Religious Education classes meet on Sundays right after our 9:30 am Mass from 10:45 am until noon. We have classes for each grade level Kindergarten through Eighth Grade. We are looking forward to an AWESOME year!





Outreach Ministries



ITEMS INCLUDE: DIAPERS (ALL SIZES) WIPES RECEIVING BLANKETS ONESIES CLOTHING SHAMPOO AND LOTION FORMULA BOTTLES FITTED CRIB SHEETS (FOR SHARING CONNECTIONS) STROULEPS





October is Respect Life Month, and we are collecting needed items to distribute to Caring Network, Mary's Closet, and Sharing Connections on the weekend of October 5th and 6th. These needed items will go to support women in crisis pregnancies. St Joan of Arc Magi Tree 2024

THE MAGI TREE CHRISTMAS GIFT PROGRAM IS COMING SOON. IF YOU KNOW A FAMILY IN NEED THIS YEAR WHO WOULD BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM, PLEASE CONTACT MATT ZUREK, OUTREACH MINISTRIES COORDINATOR AT 630-353-4533 OR MZUREK@SJALISLE.ORG







Jesus himself provided an example of service for us to follow. We are blessed to have an Adoration Chapel which requires cleaning. The Martha Ministry provides that service. To do this, those in the ministry rotate through the weeks of the year. Cleanings occur weekly on Saturday mornings and take about 1 hour. There are also 2 deep cleanings during the year which are done collectively. If you feel called to join this ministry, please contact Alex

Gervacio at agervacio@sjalisle.org or call the parish office. Many hands make light work.



Parish Events



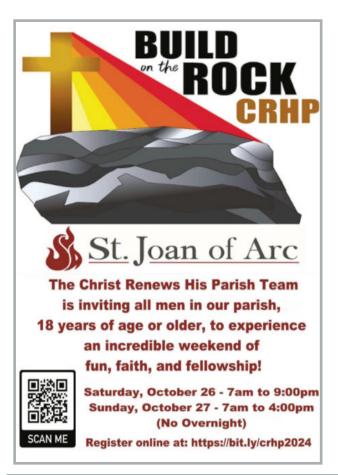
SJA FREE FLU AND VACCINE CLINIC

Pharmacist from Osco will be present after all masses to provide the following immunizations, free of charge in the Link, for adults and children; Flu Vaccine COVID Vaccine Pneumonia Vaccine

Please RSVP to Pat Pusateri RN, our parish nurse at 630-353-4526 and leave a message with your names, mass attending and exactly which vaccines you wish to receive and whether it is for a child or adult. Please bring your ID and insurance card for the pharmacist information.

Wellness begins with prevention.

OCTOBER 20TH 8:30AM-1:00PM





Our next Lunch Club will be held on October 17th from Noon until 1:30pm.

Our sponsor will be Jennifer from Lilac House. Her presentation will be about the benefits associated with unique alternatives to standard assisted living facilities. All adults are invited to join us for a free lunch and presentation.

Please RSVP to the SJA parish office

630-963-4500.

Prayer, Worship & Sharing our Gifts

Celebrant Schedule for Next Weekend

Mass Celebrants for Saturday, September 28, 2024 Mass 8:15am Father Gabriel Reconciliation 9:00am Father Gabriel Mass— 4:00pm Father Radek & Deacon Paul

Mass Celebrants for Sunday September 29, 2024 7:30am Father Radek 9:30am Father Gabriel & Deacon Jack 11:30am Father Gabriel

Collection Update: August Totals

Collected at Masses From Mail Sub Total	\$29,146.71 \$18,848.00 \$47,994.71
Online via We Share	\$39,246.12
Grand Total w/online	\$87,240.83

We appreciate your generous donations to the 100th Anniversary Capital Campaign! Please remember to make your installment payments at your earliest convenience. You can use the QR Code below to access WeShare to take care of it. Thank you!





Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is observed in the Parish Center Adoration Chapel on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 9am-9pm. On Mondays and Fridays from 8am-5pm, the monstrance door will remain closed, but all are welcome to come and pray before the Blessed Sacrament enclosed in the tabernacle. Contact: Alex Gervacio gervacio@sjalisle.org or Readings for the week of September 22, 2024 can be found at https://bible.usccb.org/daily-bible-reading OR use this QR Code:



Thank you!

To donate on-line through WeShare scan the QR Code!



Media Ministry Volunteers Needed

We are still in need of a few more volunteers for our Media Ministry. These volunteers would help with the use of technology (primarily the laptop and screen) during our liturgical celebrations. Prior experience with computers is NOT required. The primary requirement for volunteers would be to arrive at least 15 minutes before the assigned weekend liturgy. The instructions are scripted, so it is simply a matter of following the script to display the appropriate images/lyrics. Scheduling can be flexible, with regards to individual availability.

We are in need of additional volunteers for ALL Masses.

Please consider volunteering for this ministry. For additional information or to volunteer, please contact Mr. Jim Susic, Director of Music, via email at jsusic@sjalisle.org.

Prayer, Worship & Sharing our Gifts



SJA Events Ministry provides an opportunity for parishioners to put their time and talent to use for the events and activities of the parish that require "helping hands". Our events often require the help of many people to organize, set-up, run and clean up afterwards. This ministry is made up of a pool of parishioner volunteers, from teens through any age. The volunteers are called or emailed when a need arises. At that time, one can either accept or decline one of the opportunities to serve. Needs change with each event, but may include: Running a segment of an event; Door greeting;

Doing dishes; Setting-up the event; Cleaning-up after the event; Running for the needs of a Speaker; Ushering; And so much more... Once a volunteer has agreed to a certain position, all the details will be explained. Then the volunteer will be responsible for making sure they are present (with a smile and joyful heart) at the required times to fulfill their commitment. Each volunteer will need to complete Protecting God's Children and register through the Virtus platform. Additional steps may be necessary to be complaint.

The goal is to have many helpers so that there is never a need for just a few people to handle everything; but rather, there are enough people to rotate so that no one would need to be involved and working at every event.

Thank you in advance for your consideration! Please contact Denise Petty at petty@sjalisle.org to join this ministry.

PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE OF FATIMA PARISH VISITATION

Where:

Holy Trinity Catholic Parish 111 S. Cass Ave Westmont, IL 60559

When:

October 18th: 8am-8pm

Schedule:

- 8:15am Procession of the Statue with Knights of Columbus.
- Crowning of the Blessed Mother by Father Rafal Wasilewski, C.R.
- Holy Mass
- Rosary (Every 2 Hours)
- 10:00am Rosary/ Litany of the Blessed Mother (Joyful Mysteries)
- 12:00pm Rosary/Litany of the Blessed Mother (Luminous Mysteries)
- 2:00pm Rosary/Litany of the Blessed Mother (Sorrowful Mysteries)
- 4:00pm Rosary/Litany of the Blessed Mother (Glorious Mysteries)
- 6:00pm Angelus and Scapular Enrollment – Deacon Tony Lenard
- 7:00pm Benediction/Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy-Novena
- 8:00pm Closing/Farewell Procession of the Blessed Mother

SJA Councils & Members

Pastoral Council Doug Becker Michael Budd Maureen Cunningham -President Tom Kmieciak Jacqueline Skelly Brad Vaupel Dick Webb Mitch Whorlow

Finance Council

Kevin Bayci Cathy Cawiezel Jeremy Jackson Nicholas Landiak Andrew Marks Deb O'Connor Nancy Schulz School Advisory Board

Michael Anselmo Joelle Dzikowicz Oscar Giraldo Brendan Hannigan Erin Hudetz—President Corey Humphreys Jeremy Jackson Andrew Marks Elizabeth Minor Ross Sciacca Jimmy Shanahan Rich Weigel

We are grateful for the dedication and hard work of all our council members! Your commitment and service makes our community stronger and more vibrant.

Thank you for all that you do!

Prayer & Worship

We pray for our sick and shut-ins and their courageous families who care for them.

Jose Almaguer Harry Berryman Bob Barouski Patti Brooks Maria Cervantes **Catherine Feltes Raymond Feltes** Robert Fleischer Craig Davies Siobhan Dopek Bob Dore Mike Derose Dan Gasbarro Lori Gasbarro Edita Gervacio Barbara Green Esmeralda Guerrero James C. Hagearty II Margaret Hagearty Carly Jacobs Becky Jirka Jeffrey Kulek Maria Lopez

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Please call the Parish Nurse at (630) 353-4526 to place yourself or a loved one on our prayer list. <u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> [New] names of the sick that are to be announced at weekend Masses must be received by the Parish Nurse on Tuesday at 10am. Names received after Wednesday will be announced at the following weekend Masses.

Please remember in Prayer our Men and Women serving in the Military

U.S. Air Force Staff Sergeant Truitt LoDolce Lt Col. Mark Schriner A 1 C Reilly Mulligan

U.S. Army 1st Lt. David Angelus Sgt. Brian Bardsley, Jr. Capt. Eric Boenitz Sgt. Andres Bravo WO 2 Matthew Dunn Jacob Gallo **Robert Gates** Col Monica Gorzelnik Ryan M. Hickey, SPC Matthew Hnatiuk Pvt. Kyle Hooczko Capt. George Hughbanks Capt. John Hupp Ken Jacobs Michael Miceli Sgt. Aaron E. Miera 1st Lt. Sean Morrow S. SG Erika Olson Col. Tim Plackett Sgt. Bart Ross John Stankowiak Sgt. Kenneth Van Houten Capt. Scott Van Zee - 300thQM 1st Lt. Allen Von Plinskey 1st Lt. Anthony Von Plinskey Sgt. Craig M. Watkins

> U.S. Navy Lt. Brian Callan Ens. Jason Czarnik Lt. JG Christopher

James Feehery Anthony Giglio E-5 Seaman Daniel Jaimes Ens. Jason P. Meyers Kevin Pero, (MA3) Joshua Quilici E-3 Seaman Mason Schindler

U.S. Marine Corps Capt. David Adamiec Sgt. Robert M. Brown Anthony Donahoe **Corporal Jon Forsner** Capt. Daniel Hajek Cpl. Mark Hartman Ethan Kloppman Col. Berne Krueger 2nd Lt. Andrew Lewaniak Adam Luecke Lance Cpl. Jacob McDonald 1st Lt. Aidan J. O'Dea LCPL David Rodriguez Col. Tim Shindelar Cpl. Bruce Wachowski Cpl. Daniel Wieczorek National Guard Air Nat'l. Guard Cmd. Sgt. Major Steven Krause, Army Nat'l. Guard LCPL Kevin Lewis, Army Nat'l. Guard Major Patrick Meek, Army Nat'l. Guard Also Serving Anthony PignatoRaki Taylor

We invite parishioners who have family members currently serving in the military to add their names to our prayer list. Please call the Parish Office at 630-963-4500 with the following information: Name, Rank, and Branch of Service. (If your serviceman or woman has completed his/her tour of duty, please contact the Parish Office.)

Mass Intentions

Monday, Sept. 30 - St. Jerome

8:15AM +Loretta Saul (Req. by Nancy Askwith)
Tuesday, Oct. 1 - St. Therese of the Child, Jesus
8:15AM +Rosalie M. Pripusich (Req. by Pripusich Family)
Wednesday, Oct. 2 - The Holy Guardian Angels
8:15AM +Gus Vrettos (Req. by Carpino-Koon Family)
Thursday, Oct. 3
8:15AM +Bill Flood (Req. by Kathy Schipitsch)
Friday, Oct. 4 - St. Francis of Assisi
8:15AM +Collin Rexer (Req. by Lynn Bell)

Saturday, Oct. 5 - St. Faustina Kowalska, Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos

8:15AM +Antonio Caminar (Req. by Franco Caminar) Saturday, Oct. 5 - Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 4:00PM +Living and Deceased Members of the Dolansky Family (Req. by John Dolansky)

Sunday, Oct. 6 - Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30AM +Loretta Saul (Req. by Jay & Marie Walsh) 9:30AM +James Susic, Sr. (Req. by The Gamache Family) 11:30AM For Parishioners

This Week at SIA

Monday, September 30 8:15am - Mass - CHURCH **Tuesday, October 1** 8:15am - Mass - CHURCH 6:00pm - Music Ministry (Parish Choir Rehearsal) 7:00pm - Parish Pastoral Council Meeting/ Room#24 7:00pm - CRHP Team Meeting/Room#23 Wednesday, October 2 8:15am - Mass - CHURCH Thursday, October 3 8:15am - Mass - CHURCH 10:00am - Visitation/Paul Rittgarn---Church 11:00am - Funeral Mass/Paul Rittgarn---Church 5:15pm - Grief Support Group Meeting/Room#23 Friday, October 4 8:15am - Mass - CHURCH 6:00pm - Wedding Rehearsal/Coyle/Robbins/Church Saturday, October 5 Pro-Life Walking with Moms in Need - Link 7:00am - Brothers in Christ - Room #22 8:15am - Mass - Church: 9:00am - Confessions 9:00am - Blessing of The Pets/Church Courtyard 2:00pm - Wedding Coyle/Robbins Church 4:00pm - Mass - Church 6:00pm - Young Adult Bonfire Night/Link and Firepit Sunday, October 6 Pro-Life Walking with Moms in Need - Link Donut Sunday/LINK--8th grade Helpers 7:30am; 9:30am; 11:30am Mass - CHURCH 4:00pm - Eucharistic Encounter Evenings - Church

6:00pm - IMPACT Formation/Room#22

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Parish Librarian

Sue Ekins 630-353-4513 sekins@sjalisle.org

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY Those who reside within our parish boundaries and are in need of financial/ material assistance may call the St. Vincent de Paul Society voicemail line at 630-353-4522. A member of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will return your call within 24 hours. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul offers service to those in need by providing financial support and additional resources. They meet on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month at 9am in the Parish Center. For more information on this organization, contact Matt Zurek at 630-353-4533 or mzurek@sjalisle.org.

St. Joan of Arc School 630-969-1732 4913 Columbia Ave., Lisle, IL 60532 PRINCIPAL Michelle Picchione picchione@sjalisle.org

Eucharistic Adoration:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is observed in the Parish Center Adoration Chapel on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 9am-9pm.

On Mondays and Fridays from 8am-5pm, the monstrance door will remain closed, but all are welcome to come and pray before the Blessed Sacrament enclosed in the tabernacle. Contact: Alex Gervacio agervacio@sjalisle.org or 630-353-4569.

Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday: 8:15 AM

Saturday: 8:15 AM and 4:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM

Holy Day: Please consult the bulletin or website.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 9:00 - 10:00 AM or by appt.

Baptisms: Parents are asked to call the Parish Office to make arrangements for Baptism. Please be advised that each godparent is required to submit a sponsor eligibility form prior to the parents receiving a date for their child's baptism. Parents of children to be baptized are required to attend a Baptism Prep class.

Marriages: Contact the Parish Office before making any other commitments. The diocese requires a minimum preparation time of six months between the first conference with the Pastor and the wedding.

Parish Membership: Registration forms can be obtained on the parish website, at the Resource Center desk in the Narthex, or by contacting the Parish Office.

Becoming Catholic/Adult Confirmation:

We welcome any adult interested in becoming a Catholic and/or have not yet been Confirmed to contact Mathew Krumdrick at 630-353-4531 or mkrumdrick@sjalisle.org regarding sacramental preparation.

Pastoral Ministers of Care: Trained Ministers of Care are pastoral ministers who visit the sick, elderly, physically or emotionally challenged in hospitals, nursing homes, and individual homes. These ministers pray with them and bring them Holy Communion. Please call the Parish Nurse, Pat Pusateri, at 630-353-4526 to make arrangements.

Sick Calls: Call the Parish Office anytime. Please let us know if anyone in your family is ill so that a priest may visit them.

Funerals: Please make arrangements with the church before any publication in the newspaper. Please be aware that we do not permit Eulogies to be given at the Funeral liturgy but we do recommend they be offered at the wake service.

Bereavement Support: An adult grief support group is available for those who have lost a spouse, family member or close friend through death. For more information, contact Pat Pusateri, at 630-353-4526 or ppusateri@sjalisle.org.

Prayer Network: This is a ministry of volunteers, who, through a phone tree, pray for the parish community and anyone in need of prayer, especially those who are sick or have passed on. Contact: Dorothy Walker at 630-290-6833.

Brothers in Christ: This ministry for men 21 and up meets Saturdays at 7am for morning prayer, small group discussion, and reflection on the Sunday readings. Leader: Deacon Jack Hayes, jhayes@sjalisle.org.

Knights of Columbus: This Catholic fraternal organization is dedicated to promoting and conducting educational, charitable, religious and social welfare works, rendering mutual aid and assistance to the sick and needy, members and their families, and providing insurance products and annuities to benefit members, wives and children. Practicing Catholic men, at least 18 years of age, are invited to join as members. Contact: Mike Czech at 630-638-1805



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