Our Mission

We are a welcoming Eucharistic community committed to growing together as disciples of Jesus Christ. As both a parish and the Mother Church of the Archdiocese, we serve as a beacon of faith, a patron of the arts and a haven and advocate for people who are poor and marginalized.

Mass Schedule

Sunday, the Lord’s Day
5:15 pm
(Saturday, Mass of Anticipation);
9:00 am and 11:00 am

Weekday Mass
Monday through Saturday Morning
(in the Day Chapel)
at 7:45 am and 5:15 pm

Becoming a Parishioner

Do you attend Mass or other events at the Cathedral on a regular basis? Would you like to become a parishioner? Registration takes place at First Sunday Coffee the first Sunday of the month or online by visiting www.stjohncathedral.org.
Parish Survey – Catholic Leadership Institute

The Cathedral of Saint John the Evangelist is participating in a parish survey about discipleship conducted by the Catholic Leadership Institute! We need your help.

Please help us by participating in a 10-15 minute survey online. The survey will be available from February 23 to March 23 and will ask you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide feedback on our parish’s efforts to help you grow. All responses will be confidential and the parish will only receive information about the community as a whole.

Please use this online link for the survey: www.DiscipleMakerIndex.com. The survey is available in English or in Spanish. Paper copies of the survey can also be completed in the back of the Cathedral if you would prefer.

We are trying to get the highest response rate possible. This information will be invaluable to Bishop Jeff and Father José and our various ministries as we plan for the future and strive to be the best disciples we can be. We will receive the results this spring/summer at which time we will share what we have learned with the entire parish.

Thank you for helping with this important project!

Financial Stewardship Update

Parish Support –

February 24, through March 1, 2020

Envelope Giving: $5,846.00
Electronic Giving: $5,131.00
Offertory: $1,103.08

Budget updates

Fiscal Year July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020

Year to Date Contributions: $412,945.74
Year to Date Budget: $429,080.00
Year to Date Difference: ($16,134.26)

You have not lived until you have done something for someone who can never repay you. — John Bunyan

Easter Flower Memorials

We are currently accepting memorial donations for the season of Easter. If you would like to remember a loved one or donate in honor of an individual during the Easter season, please send your memorial to the parish office, either in the envelope provided in your monthly packet or in an envelope marked “Easter Flower Memorial.” Memorial donations made through Monday, April 13 will be included in our annual listing on the Second Sunday of Easter, April 19. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Please be assured of our prayers for your loved ones.

Music & Fine Arts

this Week at the Cathedral

Sunday • March 8, 2020
11:00A Mass • Cathedral Choir

Wednesday • March 11, 2020
12:15P Concert • Tyler Kivel, piano

Sunday • March 15, 2020
9:00A Mass • Voces Mundi
11:00A Mass • Cathedral Choir

Scripture with Scholars

“Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God”
The Penitential Psalms, Human Weakness, and the Season of Transformation (Lent)

Dennis Sylva, Ph.D.
Wednesday, March 11, 2020
7:00 - 8:30 pm - Atrium

For more information please visit:

Vespers and Stations of the Cross Schedule

Vespers will be held at 5:15 pm on Sundays, March 8, 15, 22, 29 and April 5. Stations of the Cross will be held on Fridays, March 13, 20, 27 and April 3 at 5:45 pm.

Easter Flower Memorials
Doing Time Together

A Support Group for Families Experiencing Incarceration

Doing Time Together is an interfaith support group dedicated to working through the issues faced by those whose family members and loved ones are currently incarcerated.

This free, confidential group is open to all.

Meetings are held every 2nd Saturday of the month

Time: 9:30 - 10:45 am

Place: Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist
831 N Van Buren St, Parish Offices

Please contact Deacon Tom Hunt at 414/276-9814 with any questions. We regret that we are unable to provide child care.
Lux Mundi
Young Adult Group

Fridays – 6:30 – 8:00 pm in the Center Meeting Room
All are welcome – ages 18 – 35

We are God’s disciples, as a family we work towards social justice through the formation of our faith and prayer. This is an English speaking youth group. Please join us! For more information, please contact Maria Ramirez at ramirez53215@gmail.com or Evelyn Rios at evelynrios0198@gmail.com.

Giving Opportunity

Thank you for your ongoing generosity to the Open Door Café! Chef Al, our Kitchen Manager, requests donations of mustard, barbecue sauce, spaghetti, juice boxes and snacks. Please consider donating juice boxes as well as individually wrapped snack packages for our bag lunches. Our hygiene kit program is in need of toothpaste (4 ounce), deodorant, personal size packages of Kleenex, and travel size shampoo. Please place your donations in the blue bins in the Atrium or Cathedral Gift Shop on the weekends, or drop them off at the Parish Center reception desk during the week. Thank You!

Who’s New in the Pew?

We welcome the following individuals or families who registered at the Cathedral in recent weeks:

Maria Joaquin
Ramon Barba and Adan Mercado

Welcome!

Readings for the Week of March 8

SUN: Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9
MON: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [cf. Ps 103:10a]/Lk 6:36-38
TUE: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mt 23:1-12
WED: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28
THU: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5a]/Lk 16:19-31
FRI: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
SAT: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
SUN: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42
St. Joseph’s Tavolata

Three Holy Women Parish
Sunday, March 15, 2020
Following 10:30 am Mass
Raffle begins at 1:30 pm
Holy Rosary Church Hall
2011 N. Oakland Ave

The Christian Women Society invites you to experience this Italian tradition through which the parish honors St. Joseph and raises money to help those in need.

According to legend, St. Joseph’s Tavolata (Table) began as a means of giving thanks to St. Joseph for his intercession during difficult times in the Middle Ages. The wealthy in the community provided tables filled with food, and those in need of that food were invited to share in the banquet.

Italians still honor St. Joseph by preparing a banquet table (tavolata) each year on (or near) his March 19th feast day.

This year at Three Holy Women parish, the celebration will take place on Sunday March 15th. It includes a beautifully adorned table filled with donated meatless dishes, breads and sweets. After a blessing, the food is sold to attendees. A specially prepared cake is cut and shared with those present. Participants receive a free bread roll and a bowl of pasta with a meatless sauce, with or without fish. A raffle is held, with a variety of prizes including gift certificates, and cash prizes! Proceeds from the food sales, raffle and free will offerings are donated to the parish’s social justice ministry as well as other organizations or projects in the community that provide services to people needing help.

We are grateful to those devotees of St. Joseph who donate time and money to preserve this tradition for our parish. Admission is free. Please come to take part in this wonderful tradition at Holy Rosary Hall.

Questions? Contact any member of the Christian Women Society or Pat Suminski, 414/271-8723 or ptsumins@hotmail.com.

SPARC

An Invitation to a Gathering of Senior Adults at the Cathedral

The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist invites you to the monthly gathering of SPARC to be held on Wednesday March 18 at 12:45 pm in the Cathedral Atrium.

The SPARC Ministry is composed of a group of senior adults gathering together monthly to enjoy the company and friendship of peers. Camaraderie, special guests and lively conversation are what will make this a worthwhile way to spend your afternoon. Besides, Lunch is Served!!!!

‘Tis the time for the wearing of the Green! We are celebrating St. Patrick’s Day! Join us for an afternoon of music, song and fun. There will be Gaelic music and song presented by a musical group calling themselves “Music from the Hart”. This is a group of senior men and women from Hart Park Senior Center who love to sing and play musical instruments. They have entertained at varying nursing homes and senior centers in Milwaukee and surrounds. This group will favor us with a special St. Patrick’s Day performance to entertain and inspire us all to join in song. Remember – music keeps an aging brain healthy and makes us happier!

GREEN is the color of the day but we do accept ORANGE!

Please do join us and bring a friend. There is no charge for the luncheon. A Free Will Offering is gratefully appreciated. There is a concert this day. Matt Annin, Horn, Christine Annin, violin and Steven Ayers, Piano.

Reservations must be made to ensure your place at the table. Please do RSVP by Friday, March 13 to jimtrzebiatowski at 414/276-9814, ext. 308 or via email: jimtrzebiatowski@stjohncathedral.org. Please remember to include your name in the RSVP. Thank You.

Lenten 2020 – Fraternal Charity Giving

Alms giving during this time of Lent is a way to share ourselves with others in the same way that Christ gave his life for our salvation. In this 2020 Lenten time, the Cathedral Parish Human Concerns Commission has designated our alms giving to go to two of our outreach ministries that we support thorough out the year. They are Eastside Senior Services and our sister Parish La Sagrada Familia “Youth Programs”. For more information, please visit: stjohncathedral.org/documents/NewsandEvents/FraternalCharity.pdf

Envelopes are available to make your financial contributions at all exits of the Cathedral or you can make a financial contribution online at: stjohncathedral.weshareonline.org/.

Blessings and thanks in advance for your generosity

Cathedral Human Concerns Commission

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Pastoral Care

Are any among you sick?

The Pastoral Care Phone Extension (414/276-9814, ext. 603) is a special line dedicated exclusively to receiving requests for ministry and service to those who are sick, hospitalized, home-bound, residents of nursing homes or health care facilities or in need of the Sacraments and prayer.

The Prayer Link (ext. 604 or prayerlink@stjohncathedral.org) is a line/email address dedicated to receiving requests for prayer by other parishioners and friends of the Cathedral.

If you would like to be part of the Prayer Link and pray for parishioners please contact Pat Wisialowski, Pastoral Associate.

To arrange for a priest, deacon or lay minister to visit a loved one who is sick, homebound, or hospitalized, please contact the parish office. Because of HIPAA policies, a hospital cannot notify the Cathedral of an admittance, so a family member must take the initiative. Anointing is also offered the second Saturday of the month at the 5:15 pm Mass.
Welcome to the Cathedral

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Mass Schedule & Sacramental Celebrations

Eucharist:
Sundays: Saturday, 5:15PM (Mass of Anticipation) 9:00 & 11:00AM
Daily: 7:45AM and 15:00PM (Cathedral Day Chapel)
Holy Days: As published in the bulletin.
Reconciliation: 4:30 to 5:00PM Monday-Friday or by appointment.
Infant Baptism: Baptism preparation sessions are held for already registered Cathedral parish parents for the Catholic commitment they are making for their child. Please contact Pastoral Associate.
Christian Marriage: Marriages are scheduled for parishioners who have been registered for at least one year. Preparation sessions with a priest begins no later than six months before the marriage date.
Communion for the Sick: Parishioners who are confined to their home may have the Eucharist brought to them. Call the parish office and ask for the Pastoral Care extension, 603.
Sacrament of Anointing: Make arrangements at anytime. Communal anointing celebrated on the second Saturday of each month at the 5:15PM Mass (unless otherwise noted in the bulletin).
Confirmation (Adult Catholics): Preparation begins each January. Please contact the Pastoral Associate.
Initiation into the Catholic Church (RCIA): Please contact the Pastoral Associate.
Annulment Support: Thinking about an annulment? Want more information on the process? Please contact the Pastoral Associate.

Looking for a Parish?

If you are new to the area or are looking for a parish, please consider joining us.
Call the parish office to receive more information. New Parishioner Registration takes place after all Masses the first weekend of each month.

Parish Office/Parish Center Hours

Parish Office: 8:00AM - 4:30PM
Parish Center: 8:00AM - 7:00PM Monday-Thursday
8:00AM - 4:00PM Friday

Bulletin submissions are due by 9:00 a.m. Monday morning to Cathy Quandt at BulletinEditor@stjohncathedral.org.