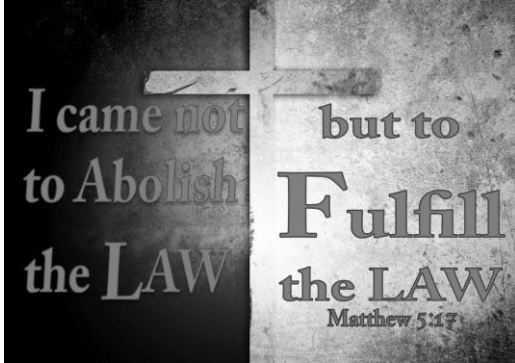


# ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

A Roman Catholic Community since 1932

16 February 2020

## 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time



### SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

23 February 2020

Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18  
Psalm 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13  
1 Corinthians 3: 16—23  
Matthew 5: 38—48

### FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

1 March 2020

Genesis 2: 7-9; 3:1—7  
Psalm 51: 3-6, 12-14, 17  
Romans 5: 12—19  
Matthew 4: 1—11

#### CELEBRATIONS OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST / MASS:

Occasionally due to funerals or other unforeseen and extraordinary events, even sometimes at the very last minute, the schedule may have to be modified. Please contact the parish office to make certain.

Tuesday—Friday: 9:00 AM

NOTE: First Friday Mass / 6 March 9:00 AM

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:30 AM & 11:30 AM

Misa en español (cada primer y tercer domingo): 5:00 PM

Holy Days: 9:00 AM & 7:00 PM

The **BULLETIN** is **ONLINE!** Check us out at [www.stjohnevan.com](http://www.stjohnevan.com) for breaking news, our ministry schedule, past bulletins, diocesan resources, and more! The bulletin is published every two weeks. Copies available while they last.



**SCHEDULE CHANGES & ANNOUNCEMENTS WILL BE POSTED AS SOON AS THEY ARE AVAILABLE. CHECK FREQUENTLY AND CHECK OFTEN.**

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[www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org)

for when you're on vacation, and Sunday Mass still matters

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Saturday: 4:00 until 4:40 PM, or by appointment.

**Rosary:** Friday: 9:45 AM

**Eucharistic Adoration:**

Friday: 10:00 AM-7:00 PM

#### **The Prayer Tree:**

Call (540) 949-7611 or  
(540) 221-4162 for  
special prayer requests

**Pastoral Care:** Please contact the Parish Office if you are aware of parishioners who are in the hospital or are sick, frail, or grieving at home, or in area rehab, convalescent, or retirement facilities.

### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

**We strive to Proclaim the Gospel & to Love One Another  
... RIGHT HERE ... RIGHT NOW.**

**CHURCH MAILING ADDRESS:** 344 Maple Ave. Waynesboro VA 22980

**WEBSITE:** [www.stjohnevan.com](http://www.stjohnevan.com) **OFFICE:** (540) 949-6145




**Parish Office Hours:** Monday through Friday 9:00 AM—3:00 PM

**RECTORY:** (540) 943-4051 (SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES ONLY after office hours; call office during daytime hours for other needs)

**PARISH INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY:** In the event of inclement weather during the week, we follow the Waynesboro School System closings. If the city schools are closed due to the weather, the Parish Office will be closed and Eucharistic Adoration will be cancelled (if it is a Friday). On Sundays, Christian Formation cancellations are called into WHSV channel 3 and can also be found by checking the Parish Website: [www.stjohnevan.com](http://www.stjohnevan.com)

A warm welcome to all worshipping with us today. If you need a Worship Guide, please ask an usher.




**Please note: children 12 years of age and under must be accompanied by an adult to the restroom during Mass or any church event!**

FEB 15 SATURDAY	FEB 16 SUNDAY	FEB 17 MONDAY	FEB 18 TUESDAY	FEB 19 WEDNESDAY	FEB 20 THURSDAY	FEB 21 FRIDAY	FEB 22 SATURDAY
11:00 AM † Nancy John 5:00 PM † Mary Frye	8:30 AM People of the Parish 11:30 AM † Leticia Alcántara 5:00 PM <b>SPANISH</b> People of the Parish	 PRESIDENTS' DAY	9:00 AM † Gertrude Hughes	9:00 AM † Harry Endres	9:00 AM † Gib McGough	9:00 AM † Luke Pittman	5:00 PM † King Noe Doctor
7:00—8:30 AM, CA Men with a Mission	10:00—11:05 AM, OA Breaking Open the Word	9:00—10:30 AM, FR "Catholicism" Book Study	9:45—11:00 AM, FR Divine Mercy		9:45 AM—12:00 PM, FR Centering Prayer	9:30 AM, CA Food Pantry	<b>NEW PARISHONER REGISTRATION WEEKEND</b>
2:00—4:30 PM, CA First Eucharist Prep	10:00-11:15 AM, SC & FR Youth Christian Formation	7:00 PM, FR Haiti meeting	10:00 AM—12:00 PM, SC Sewing		9:45 AM—12:00 PM, CA Clothes Closet	10:00 AM—7:00 PM, CH Eucharistic Adoration	
4:00—4:40 PM, CH Confessions	12:30—3:30 PM, FR Confirmation Prep	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED IN OBSERVANCE OF PRESIDENT'S DAY	6:30—8:30 PM, SC LEARN		7:00—8:00 PM, CA Cub Scouts	7:00 PM, CH CHAIR OF ST. PETER 	
 <b>BABY MOSES BASKET WEEKEND</b>			7:00—8:30 PM, CA Scouts Troop 25			4:00—4:40 PM, CH Confessions	7:00—8:30 AM, CA Men with a Mission
			7:00 PM, FR Respect Life			6:00—8:00 PM, CA Youth Group	12:00 AM—3:00 PM, CA Scouts Pinewood Derby

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:** Peggy Bischof, Judy Kohle Boyd, Steve Brady, Jeanne Branch, Walt Brodowitz, Richard Bronski, Bill Christman, Cindy Davis, Diane Fosnocht, John Freeman, Kelsee Hoy, Matt Matera, Donald Narducci, Beverly Campbell Ondich, Del Pardee, Janet Paynter, Gary Peltier, Easter Pitzer, Estelle Steele, Walter Wade;

**DECEASED:** Monica Bayonet, Donald Toft; **IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY:** Sr. Airman Michael Brown USAF, Jimmy Negrete, LCDR Christopher Farkas USN, Sgt. David Grennan US Army, Maj. David Hildebrand US Army, Sgt. Christopher Kennedy, Maj. Shawn Pardee, LCDR Megan Piotrowski USN, LCDR David Piotrowski USNR, Maj. Benjamin Sprouse, and all who go unnamed.



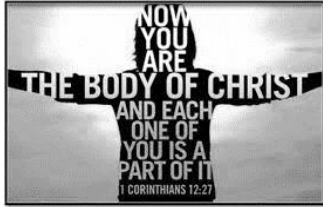
FEB 23 SUNDAY	FEB 24 MONDAY	FEB 25 TUESDAY	FEB 26 WEDNESDAY	FEB 27 THURSDAY	FEB 28 FRIDAY	FEB 29 SATURDAY	MARCH 1 SUNDAY
8:30 AM † Virginia Trykowski 11:30 AM People of the Parish		9:00 AM † Daniel Calder	9:00 AM People of the Parish	9:00 AM † Kelly Claman	9:00 AM † William Fitzpatrick, Sr.	5:00 PM People of the Parish	8:30 AM † Tracy Aitcheson 11:30 AM † James Dzialo 5:00 PM <b>SPANISH</b> † Javier Pina Hernandez
10:00—11:05 AM, OA Breaking Open the Word	9:00—10:30 AM, FR Catholicism Book Study	9:45—11:00 AM, FR Divine Mercy	 ASH WEDNESDAY	9:45 AM—12:00 PM, FR Centering Prayer	9:30 AM, CA Food Pantry	7:00—8:30 AM, CA Men with a Mission	10:00—11:05 AM, OA Breaking Open the Word
10:00-11:15 AM, SC Youth Christian Formation, grades 1-8 ONLY		10:00 AM—12:00 PM, SC Sewing	6:30 AM, CH Distribution of Ashes (Liturgy of the Word)	9:45 AM—12:00 PM, CA Clothes Closet	10:00 AM—7:00 PM, CH Eucharistic Adoration	1:00 PM, CH Calderon/Peglow Wedding	10:00-11:15 AM, SC & FR Youth Christian Formation
12:30—3:30 PM, FR Confirmation Prep		6:30—8:30 PM, SC LEARN	12:00 PM, CH Distribution of Ashes (Liturgy of the Word)	7:00—8:00 PM, CA Cub Scouts		2:00—4:30 PM, CA Reconciliation Prep	12:30—3:30 PM, FR Confirmation Prep
4:30—6:00 PM, FR RCIA		7:00—8:30 PM, SC Scouts Troop 25				4:00—4:40 PM, CH Confessions	

**DEAR FATHER ROLO AND THE COMMUNITY OF ST. JOHN'S,** your gift is a reminder each day of the sacredness of the season we enjoy. It is also, daily, a reminder of my brothers and sisters in Christ who have become my spiritual family. My sincere gratitude to you is immeasurable but deeply felt. Thank you, *Rosemary Shimer*



**DEAR ST. JOHN'S,** thank you for your prayers, support, cards, and meals during my illness and treatment. My family is blessed to have such dear friends and a strong church family. God bless you all.  
—Diane Fosnocht and family

**I WOULD LIKE TO THANK** everyone at St. John's for their prayers during my recovery from neck surgery. —Del Pardee



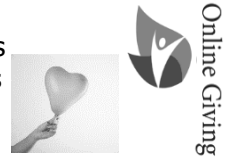
**BELONGING MATTERS EVEN MORE:** There are significant parallels between our life as a church family and our life as biological families and local civic communities. The human bonds we establish in the family and community bring certain reasonable expectations and commitments. As we interact with one another, we see the need for loyalty, compassion, communication, patience, and forgiveness, which all contribute to forming and nurturing our life together. But we sometimes forget that God plays a vital role right where our lives intersect. We are people of faith, and we believe that our gracious and loving God is present and active in our lives and in the world. So our families and communities do not come together by mere chance. We do exercise some conscious choices in their formation and growth, but we are also active participants in God's design for human society. Knowledge of this truth enables us to see how God calls us to give witness to his mercy and contribute to establishing his Kingdom on earth. In these next two weeks we will explore our role in God's awesome grand design. God has a plan, and it extends beyond us and this present moment in history to the generations that follow after us wherever people of faith are found unto the ends of the earth.

**CURRENTLY OUR CLOTHES CLOSET** is overwhelmed with donations. We appreciate your generosity, and we ask that you take them instead to other local agencies until further notice.

**FOR IT IS IN GIVING THAT WE RECEIVE.**



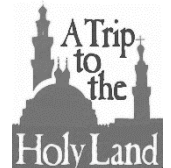
Online Giving can help you, it makes giving so simple and easy. Your information is safe and secure, and your automated donation by credit card or debit card assures the continuity of parish support. Visit St. John's website at [www.stjohnevan.com](http://www.stjohnevan.com) and click on the Online Giving icon at the top or bottom of the home page.



**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC (RCIA), WE INVITE YOU TO COME SEE.** St. John's Christian Initiation for Adults is year-round and tailored to each individual's needs. Contact Fr. Rolo if you wish to explore full and active participation in the Catholic Church. We look forward to assisting you on your journey of faith! Don't wait. We will get you started whenever you (and the Holy Spirit) are ready.

**ADULT FAITH FORMATION "BREAKING OPEN THE WORD" (BOW).** Do you wish to grow closer to Jesus? Get to know Him better by breaking open His Word. Join BOW every Sunday morning from 10:00—11:10 AM in the Office Annex for lively discussions and explorations into the meaning and lessons in each Sunday's readings. All are invited!

**ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND.** Brochures and registration forms are available at the entrances of the church, and registrations continue to arrive at our travel agency. Space on our pilgrimage is limited, and it will be first come-first listed. So if you are interested, send in your registration form and deposit as soon as possible. You may download a brochure and registration form at [www.GoCatholicTravel.com/20034](http://www.GoCatholicTravel.com/20034). Contact Jeanne Branch with any questions.



**RESPECT LIFE EVENT: SAVE THE DATE!** The Sanctity of Life by Dr. John Seeds, Emeritus Professor of Virginia Commonwealth University in the O'Brien Family Room (11<sup>th</sup> St entrance) on Saturday, March 21 from 11:30 AM—3:00 PM. Lunch will be provided. Signup at the church entrances. No cost to attend. This event is sponsored by Respect Life and Young at Heart. For more information, contact Lucy Pardee (540) 337-3490 or Diane Butler (540) 221-6160.

**CALLING ALL CURSILLISTAS!** We are holding a workshop for anyone who has ever attended a Cursillo EVER. The workshop "Deeper Dive" takes place Saturday, February 29 from 8:30 AM—4:00 PM, at the Stone Chapel of Incarnation Parish. This is a free event (breakfast and lunch included) to provide Leadership Training for those discerning a leadership (Team) role AND to take a deeper look into the Cursillo Weekend and subsequent 4th Day. Please RSVP by February 22 at [valleycursillo@gmail.com](mailto:valleycursillo@gmail.com).



**"THE GIFT OF WOMANHOOD"** A Lenten Retreat: Women of all ages are invited to join the Sisters of Life for a 1-day Women's Retreat at St. Francis of Assisi Parish in Staunton, on Saturday, March 7. Take time to encounter the love, peace, and mercy of Jesus Christ in a new way. The retreat will begin with Mass at 8:00 AM, and includes conferences by the Sisters of Life, Eucharistic Adoration, and an opportunity for Reconciliation. The registration fee is \$12, which includes a continental breakfast and lunch. Please register by March 1 at [stfrancisparish.org/retreatreg.html](http://stfrancisparish.org/retreatreg.html).

**THE SECULAR ORDER OF DISCALCED CARMELITES** are lay people inspired by the Holy Spirit to answer the call to holiness through prayer, study, and apostolic works of charity. Their formation is founded on the writing and teachings of the Carmelite Saints: St. Teresa of Jesus, St. John of the Cross, and St. Therese of Lisieux, under the protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary, our Lady of Mount Carmel. If you desire to learn more about this way of life, the Secular Community of St. Elizabeth of the Trinity meets at St. Francis of Assisi in Staunton on the second Sunday of each month at 11:30 AM. For more information, please pick up a brochure at the front entrance of church or call Rosita (540) 609-8030.



**CELEBRATE MARDI GRAS** with us! Tuesday February 25 @ 6:00 PM in the Cafeteria. Sign up at the entrances of church. See the bulletin for more information.

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER.** Therefore, if you bring your gift to the altar, and there recall that your brother has anything against you, leave your gift there at the altar, go first and be reconciled with your brother, and then come and offer your gift." Learn the tools of forgiveness and healing at the next WWME Weekend. Join us from February 21-23 in Virginia Beach, and March 20-22 in Fairfax. For more information, visit <https://renewmarriage-vasouth.org/>.

**ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A DEEPER DIVE INTO YOUR SPIRITUAL JOURNEY AS A CATHOLIC WOMAN?**

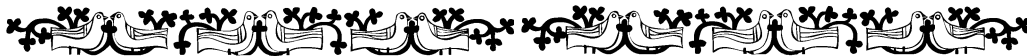
Consider attending a Cursillo to refresh your soul! Our next Women's Cursillo Weekend is Thursday evening, April 30 (7:00 PM)—Sunday, May 3 (5:00 PM) at Camp Overlook in Keezletown VA. A Cursillo is a 3-day course in spirituality and teaches an awareness of Christ in every moment of your life. We emphasize our Catholic sacraments and the richness they bring to our faith. Pope Francis made a Cursillo and recognizes how "Cursillos help people encounter Jesus, helping them understand that living in the Grace of God is beautiful." Come walk this journey alongside other Catholic women and be filled with the JOY Christ offers us. Information about Cursillo and applications are available at [www.valleycursillo.com](http://www.valleycursillo.com). Deadline is April 16. All applicants must have a sponsor. Contact Karen and Roy Norville at (540) 246-2371 for assistance.



**HAITI MINISTRY.** Thank you for your continued support of the people OF St. Louis King of France parish in Pointe-a-Raquette, LaGonave, Haiti. Construction of the requested enclosure of St. Anthony House has begun, visible in the photo here. This structure will afford the people of SAH dignity, protection and opportunity to plant a small garden. Decisions regarding the completion of SAH are made locally in Haiti and supported by St. John as parishioners determine their personal level of support. Mesi anpil.

**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR FEBRUARY 17 — FEBRUARY 22, 2020** (view online at [www.usccb.org/bible/readings](http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings))

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17 • James 1:1—11 • Psalm 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76 • Mark 8:11-13  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18 • James 1:12-18 • Psalm 94:12-15, 18-19 • Mark 8:14—21  
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19 • James 1:19—27 • Psalm 15:2-5 • Mark 8:22-26  
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20 • James 2:1—9 • Psalm 34:2-7 • Mark 8:27-33  
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21 • James 2:14—24, 26 • Psalm 112:1-6 • Mark 8:34—9:1  
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22 • 1 Peter 5:1-4 • Psalm 23:1-6 • Matthew 16:13-19

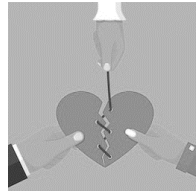


**FAITH FORMATION QUESTION OF THE WEEK**

**6º DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO  
MATEO 5: 17—37**

**Children:** When have you taken the first step to make up with someone who has hurt you or whom you have offended?

**Adults:** How do you reconcile with those who have offended or hurt you?

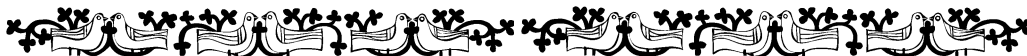


**Niños:** ¿Cuándo has dado el primer paso para reconciliarte con alguien que te ha lastimado o que te ha ofendido?

**Adultos:** ¿Cómo se reconcilia con aquellos que te han ofendido o lastimado?

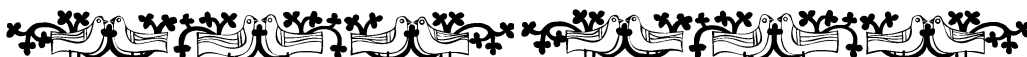
**6TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME  
MATTHEW 5: 17—37**

**LA FORMACIÓN DE LA FE PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA**



**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR FEBRUARY 24 — FEBRUARY 29, 2020** (view online at [www.usccb.org/bible/readings](http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings))

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24 • James 3:13-18 • Psalm 19:8-10, 15 • Mark 9:14—29  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25 • James 4:1—10 • Psalm 55:7-11, 23 • Mark 9:30—37  
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26 • **ASH WEDNESDAY**  
Joel 2:12-18 • Psalm 51:3-6, 12-14, 17 • 2 Corinthians 5:20—6:2 • Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18  
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27 • Deuteronomy 30:15-20 • Psalm 1:1-4, 6 • Luke 9:22-25  
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28 • Isaiah 58:1—9 • Psalm 51:3-6, 18-19 • Matthew 9:14-15  
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29 • Isaiah 58:9-14 • Psalm 86:1-6 • Luke 5:27-32

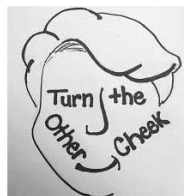


**FAITH FORMATION QUESTION OF THE WEEK**

**7º DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO  
AÑO A, MATEO 5: 13-16**

**Children:** Who are the people you find it most difficult to forgive?

**Adults:** What is the point of "turning the other cheek" in an argument, and why is it so hard to do?



**Niños:** ¿Quiénes son las personas que les resultan más difíciles de perdonar?

**Adultos:** ¿Cuál es el punto de "poner la otra mejilla" en una discusión, y ¿por qué es tan difícil de hacer?

**7TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME  
YEAR A, MATTHEW 5: 13-16**

**LA FORMACIÓN DE LA FE PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA**

**"IF TODAY YOU HEAR HIS VOICE, HARDEN NOT YOUR HEARTS."** Are you discerning a call to follow Him? Contact Fr. Brian Capuano (804)-359-5661 or [vocations@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:vocations@richmonddiocese.org).