

ST JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC CHURCH

315 N. Main Street Woodstock, Virginia 22664

FEBRUARY 11TH, 2024

THE 6TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

PARISH OFFICE

Monday-Friday 9:00am - **2:00pm**

Parish Offices 540-459-4448

Parish FAX 540-459-4406

Website: www.sjbwoodstock.org

**If you should need a Priest
for a Sacramental Emergency please call:
540-333-7379.**

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE / MISAS

Saturday

Vigil at 5:00pm

Sunday

7:30am

9:30am

En Español a las 12:00, mediodía

Weekday Masses:

6:00pm Mondays & Wednesdays

8:30am Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday at 9:00am - Thursday 8:30am

ROSARY & CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

Immediately following Daily Mass

CONFESSIONS

Wednesday at 6:30pm

Saturday at 3:30pm

Or by Appointment - contact the Parish Office

Our Lady of The Shenandoah Mission

Parochial Vicar

Father Robert Ruskamp

571-243-2202, fruskamp@sjbwoodstock.org

240 Fritzel Way P.O. Box 235 Basye, VA 22810

Mass Schedule

Vigil Mass for Sunday: Saturday at 5:00pm

Confessions: Saturday 3:30pm - 4:30pm

Sunday Mass: 8:30am

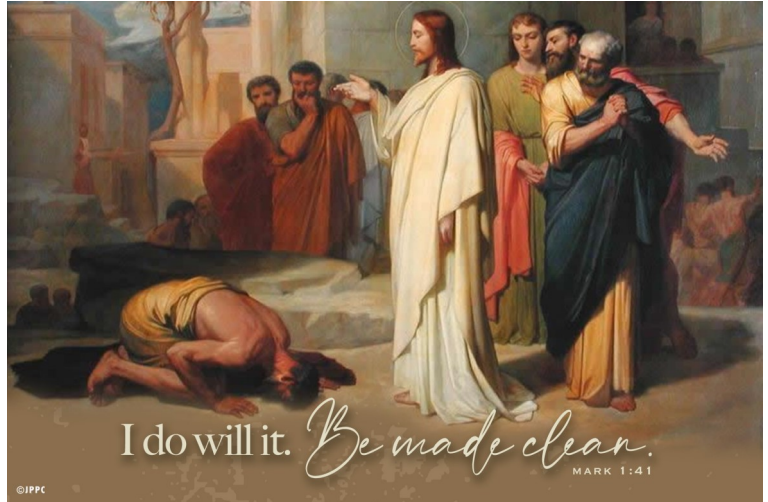
Daily Mass: Mon, Wed & Friday at 8:30am

Tues & Thurs at 6:00pm

Adoration: Wednesdays 3:00pm-7:00pm

Community Holy Hour: Wednesdays 7:00pm

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Thurs 6:30pm



PARISH STAFF

Pastor

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frtran@sjbwoodstock.org

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secretary@sjbwoodstock.org

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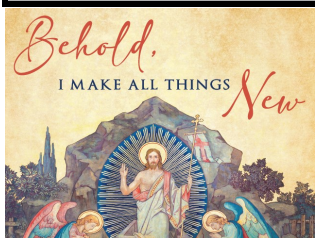
Outreach

Vicki Schmitt

540-624-7902

outreach@sjbwoodstock.org

The Bishop's Lenten Appeal



2024 Bishop's Lenten Appeal (BLA): Behold, I make all things new

This weekend each household is asked to make a BLA pledge or gift. This appeal provides an opportunity to unite as a Catholic family to support programs, ministries and services helping tens of thousands of people. After reflecting upon God's blessings to you, please consider a pledge to the BLA. Each donation is vital to the success of the appeal and the important work that it funds. You may complete a pledge card at Mass, mail in your pledge, go online to www.arlingtondiocese.org/BLA

La Petición Cuaresmal del Obispo de 2024: He aquí que yo haré nuevas todas las cosas

Este fin de semana se pide a cada familia que haga una promesa de contribución o una donación a la Petición Cuaresmal del Obispo. Esta Petición nos ofrece la oportunidad de unirnos como familia católica para apoyar las programas, ministerios y servicios de ayuda a decenas de miles de personas. Después de reflexionar sobre las bendiciones que Dios les ha dado, piensen en la posibilidad de hacer una promesa de contribución a la Petición Cuaresmal del Obispo. Para hacer una ofrenda pueden llenar la tarjeta correspondiente durante la Misa, enviarla por correo postal, hacer la ofrenda en línea en www.arlingtondiocese.org/BLA

Could you not spend one hour with me?
Matthew 23:40



St John Bosco has Eucharistic Adoration

in the Main Church

Tuesdays at 9:00am -Thursdays 8:30am

Please contact Peggy & Lee Santos at 540-933-6777

We are in need of an adorer for Wednesdays at 12noon. If you are available, please contact Lee & Peggy Santos.

Prayer Requests for/Oremos Por

Alyssa Bane Owens
+ Jim Angel



Military & Their Families Prayer Request

Capt. Stephen Dillon

Please keep all our military in prayer.

Tabernacle Candle

Richard Sparks

By donating \$10, the Tabernacle Candle will be lit for an entire week in honor of or in memory of your loved ones.

From the Parish Office

Mass Intentions: We still have Masses open with no intentions!

Parishioners may visit the Office and request Mass intentions for the months of February and March. As a

reminder: Families may request 1 Intention per week and 3 per month.



In Observance of . . .

Presidents' Day
the Parish Office will be closed
Monday, February 19th, 2024

There will be no Daily Mass on
Monday, February 19th, 2024.

From the Pastor's Desk:

Dear Parishioners,

As I mentioned last week, our office manager, Tricia Russman, is leaving. I would like to thank her for all her hard work in serving our parish and for her great support to me. We are sorry to see her go; we wish her well in her future endeavors.

At this time I would like to welcome two new members to our office staff: Valerie Klein, secretary, and Nicholas Marmalejo, office assistant. We will also have a volunteer receptionist, Pattie Clark. Thank you and welcome to the team!

Please be aware that office hours will be changing on Monday. The Parish Office will now be opened Mondays-Fridays 9a-2p. Thank you.

St John Bosco, Pray for Us.
Fr. Augustine Tran

Religious Education

We are in IMMEDIATE need of volunteers!

Hall Monitors: Protect our hallways! Check hall passes, maintain overall good conduct in the corridors and ensure that students are punctual in attending classes.

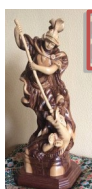
Classroom assistants: help catechists manage student behavior, help in small group activities and be available to substitute for catechists when needed.

All volunteers must be Virtus Compliant.
Please contact the Parish Office or our Coordinator of Religious Education if you are interested in helping.

An Invitation from The Legion of Mary
**Are you willing to make
a sacrifice for Lent?**



From **February 14-March 31**, why not make a sacrifice? Take the Pioneer Pledge to abstain from all alcohol beverages and pray a short prayer twice a day during lent for the end of Alcoholism. Prayer cards will be handed out after all Masses on February 10-11. If you have any questions, please contact our parish's Legion of Mary through Lee & Peggy Santos, leeandpeg@gmail.com.



Bethlehem Woodcarvers

On the weekend of **March 2nd & 3rd**, there will be a display of beautiful olivewood handmade carvings from the Holy Land. These Carvings are made by the Christians of Bethlehem who use them as their source of income. These brothers and sisters of ours are enduring hardships at this moment because of the volatile situation in their home country. Christians in the Holy Land used to be more than 37% of the population. There is less than 1% now because of the situation. As Christians of faith, it is our duty to support our brothers and sisters in The Holy Land. YOU can support them by purchasing some of these beautiful carvings after Masses.

Due to our busy schedule on the weekends, they will be set up in the St Francis Room. Please visit them after all Masses that weekend!



Join us to pray for our priests and for vocations. Our **Praise and Worship Holy Hour** has moved to Wednesdays, 5pm to 5:45pm. Come worship Our Lord, join in songs of praise and in specific prayers for priests and for vocations. Contact John or Nan Alcott at kata@shentel.net for information.

SJB needs more Rosary Makers!

Anyone interested in learning to make Rosaries, please contact the office or Kathy Chunta @ jazkat36@gmail.com. Supplies will be provided.

Father Dobbins Dinner Theater Troupe

Performances: June 7th-9th

Thank you to all who came out for auditions! It's going to be a great show!



Upcoming Rehearsals:

Tuesday, February 13th 7:00pm Hanley Hall

Read Thru—all Cast and Crew

Tuesday, February 20th 7:00pm Hanley Hall

Interested in participating off stage??

Contact Melanie for more info regarding stage crew, costume, makeup, hair, lights, sound, dinner serving!

Lent is on it's way! Are you ready?

Here are some activities to put on your calendar!



Lent is LESS THAN a Week Away!

See BELOW for the Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule and Lenten Schedule.

Remember to put Weekly Lenten Suppers and Stations of the Cross on your calendar.

Starting Fri, Feb 16th at 5:00pm: Lenten Soup Suppers.

Hosts: SJB English Prayer Groups

(Point person: Vicki Schmitt.

Please contact if you would like to help!)



Live Stations

Planning for the 2024 Annual Live Stations has begun!!

We are looking for any *young adults ages 13 to 35* who are interested in participating. There are many different roles, from costume design, actors, sound and "stage" prep.

For more information, contact Liz Parente at youthminister@sjbwoodstock.org.

Rehearsals begin February 25th, 1:30pm in SJEH.

Ash Wednesday

February 14th, 2024

Mass Schedule

8:30am Mass in English

12noon Liturgy of the Word in English

6pm Mass, Bilingual

Ashes will be given out at all Masses & Services.



Lenten Activites

Actividades de Cuaresma



Fridays

5:00pm Stations of the Cross (English)

5:30pm Lenten Soup Supper

Confessions

Following every Daily Mass

Saturdays - After 8:30am Mass & at 3:30pm

Viernes

5:30pm Cena de sopa de Cuaresma

6:30pm Estaciones de la Cruz (Español)

Confesiones

Después Misa de Dia

Primera martes del mes de 7:00pm

Viernes 7:00pm

Sábados después de la Misa de 8:30am y 3:30pm



**MOBILE RESPONSE CENTER
WOODSTOCK, VA**

**IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH**

We will only be distributing to the first 100 families who sign up to receive donations.

You **MUST** sign up to be served Shenandoah county residents only.

Please sign up by visiting the SJB thrift store on Fridays or Saturdays, 10a-1pm or by Facebook Messenger to the thrift store.
DO NOT CALL THE THRIFT STORE.

The first day to sign up is 01/26 and the last day to sign up will be 2/15. Sign up is only for 1 month at a time.

There will be 2 shifts 1030a-1115a & 1130a-1215p.

Please do not show up without signing up.

We will NOT serve anyone who has not done so.

If someone you know is in desperate need of continued support please contact Shenandoah County Social Services at 540-459-6226.

Elizabeth Parente Youth Minister
youthminister@sjbwoodstock.org

The
Upper Room
Squad

All rising 7th-12 graders invited to join URS activities.

February 11th Regular Meeting 3p-5p. Mardi Gras!
Everyone please bring a treat to share.

February 18th Regular Meeting 3p-5p.

St John Bosco Young Adult Group

All young adults 18-25 are welcome!

Adoration at 6:00pm

Food & Fellowship 6:30-7:30

Tuesday, February 13th

Back Room of St John the Evangelist Hall

Contact James & Monica Rossi with any questions.

540-630-5515 jamesdrossi4@gmail.com

Comunidad Española

¿Te gustaría aprender mas Sobre la palabra de Dios?

El grupo Nueva Esperanza te hace la invitación cada viernes, en *“Vengan y lo verán”* el Salón San Juan Evangelista. Se *Jn 1, 39*

impartirán temas interesantes que nos, ayudaran a seguir caminando con Jesús. 7:45p: Todos son bienvenidos

Tema:

16 de febrero Marcos 1, 12-15

23 de febrero Marcos 9, 2-10

La Legión de María Queremos dejar saber a la comunidad hispana que tenemos la legión de María en español en nuestra parroquia. Ahora nos reunimos a las 5:30pm en SJEH a la martes. Por favor Venancio si tienen preguntas o si quieren saber de nuestro trabajo.

Coffee & Creed

Free Coffee!! Free Cookies!!

AND a chance to learn about the Catholic Faith!



MEETS IN ST JOHN'S HALL.

Open to all—parishioners and visitors!

**Join us as we explore the
Catechism of the Catholic Church.**

Today: Morality via Reason
2/18: TBD

Required for those interested in joining the church or completing their sacraments.

For more information: Caroline Haydu 540-335-0053

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Blurbs for the **February 25th Bulletin** is due
February 13th send to bulletin@sjbwoodstock.org



Knights of Columbus
Council #9002

Upcoming Dates:

Every Wednesday 12:30-4p Senior Games in SJEH

Todos los miércoles de 12:30-4p juegos de cartas para ancianos (SJEH)

Grand Knight: Tom Drinkwater, 540-933-6856

Drinkwat1@earthlink.net

MONTHLY CALENDAR IMPORTANT DATES:

FOR MORE INFORMATION

**PLEASE SEE SPECIFIC BLURBS WITHIN BULLETIN*



20 Catholic Charities Mobile Van Unit

20 KofC Officer's Meeting

20 FDTT Play Rehearsal

22 Needles & Threads

23 Parish Lenten Soup Supper

hosted by the Spanish Community

24 Legion of Mary: Lenten Reflection

24 FDTT Play Rehearsal

25 Live Stations Rehearsals Begin!



01 Parish Lenten Soup Supper

hosted by the Parish Staff

SJB MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF
February 12th—18th, 2024

Sat 2/10 8:30am + Steven Reynolds
Sat 2/10 5:00pm + Deceased members of
the Bowers Family

Monday 6:00pm James Marmalejo Jr.
Tuesday 8:30am + Infant Anthony Rucci
Wednesday 8:30am TBD
Wednesday 6:00pm TBD
Thursday 8:30am + Stephen Ward
Friday 8:30am Marie Hostetler
Saturday 8:30am Francois Flippen
Saturday 5:00pm + Harmon Robertson
Sunday 7:30am Jesse Tate
Sunday 9:30am Our Parish Family
Domingo Mediodia Fernando Martinez Jr.

**please see next week's bulletin for updates on TBDs.*

LIT SCHEDULE FOR FEBRUARY 14TH
ASH WEDNESDAY

	8:30am	12noon Lit of the Word with Ashes	6:00pm Bilingual
Lectors	Daily Mass Lector	T. Manthey	S. Tully S. Sediles
Servers	Carlson	No servers needed.	Jose Joel Leo
Ushers	???	???	R. Schmitt
	???	???	L. Tully
	////	////	M. Rincon
EMHCs	Clifford	???	M. Pinales

LIT SCHEDULE FOR FEBRUARY 17TH & 18TH
THE 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

	5:00pm	7:30am	9:30am	Mediodía
Lectors	R. Wester	L. Tully	D. Walsh	G. Bautista Alvarado
Servers	Harman	Parente	Austin B. Brown	Jose Joel Leo
Ushers	J. Haydu	James C.	J. Zaso	M. Morales
	J. Granier	Don J.	C. Stalbird	L.V. Ruiz
EMHCs	C. Wester	E. Long	C. Haydu Andrew B.	M. Pinales

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February 12th—18th, 2024

Saturday 5:00pm Matthew LeDonne

Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule for OLS

8:30am and 6:00pm

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, February 11th

Parish Coffee Hour (SJEH) 8:30am-9:30am
Sunday Bible Study (SJEH) 8:30am-9:30am
RE: All Classes (HH) 10:45am-11:45am
Coffee & Creed (SJEH) 10:45am-1:00pm
FDTT: Play Callbacks (HH) 1:00pm
Clase de bautismo en Espanol (SFR) 1:00pm-2:30pm
URS: Regular Meeting (SJEH) 3:00pm-5:00pm

Monday, February 12th

Martial Arts Group (SJEH) 9:30am-12noon

Tuesday, February 13th

Legión de María (SJEH) 5:30pm-7:15pm
Young Adult Group (SJEH) 6:30pm-7:30pm
Alabanza y Adoración (MC) 7:00pm-8:00pm
FDTT: Play Practice (HH) 7:00pm-9:00pm

Wednesday, February 14th

Legion of Mary (SJEH) 9:15am-10:45am
Senior Games (SJEH) 12:30pm-4:00pm
Childrens' Choir Rehearsal (SFR) 4:00pm-5:55pm
Praise & Worship Holy Hour (MC) 5:00pm-5:55pm
Trail Life (SJEH) 5:30pm-9:00pm

Thursday, February 15th

Divine Mercy Cenacle (SJEH) 9:30am-11:00am
Walking with Purpose (SJEH) 9:30am-11:30am
Youth Choir Rehearsal (MC) 6:00pm-7:00pm
Adult Choir Rehearsal (MC) 7:00pm-9:00pm

Friday, February 16th

Stationsof teh Cross—Engl (MC) 5:00pm
Parish Lenten Soup Supper (HH) 5:30pm-6:30pm
Estaciones de la Cruz—Span (MC) 6:30pm
Spanish Choir Rehearsal (MC) 7:00pm-7:45pm
RE—Spanish Supplement (MC) 7:30pm-9:00pm
Nueva Esperanza (SJEH) 7:45pm-9:00pm

Saturday, February 17th

RICA (DMR) 2:30pm-5:00pm

Looking for the monthly schedule?!

**Please see the previous page for
the Monthly Calendar Updates.**

Ash Wednesday Schedule is on page 3.

