

# ST JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC CHURCH

315 N. Main Street Woodstock, Virginia 22664

**SEPTEMBER 22ND, 2024**

**THE 25TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

## PARISH OFFICE

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday

9:00am - 2:00pm

Parish Offices 540-459-4448

Parish FAX 540-459-4406

Website: [www.sjbwoodstock.org](http://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 after Morning Mass and 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](mailto:fruskamp@sjbwoodstock.org)

240 Fritzel Way Basye, VA 22810

\*Please use SJB mailing address.

### **Mass Schedule**

Vigil Mass for Sunday: Saturday at 5:00pm

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

Sunday Mass: 8:30am

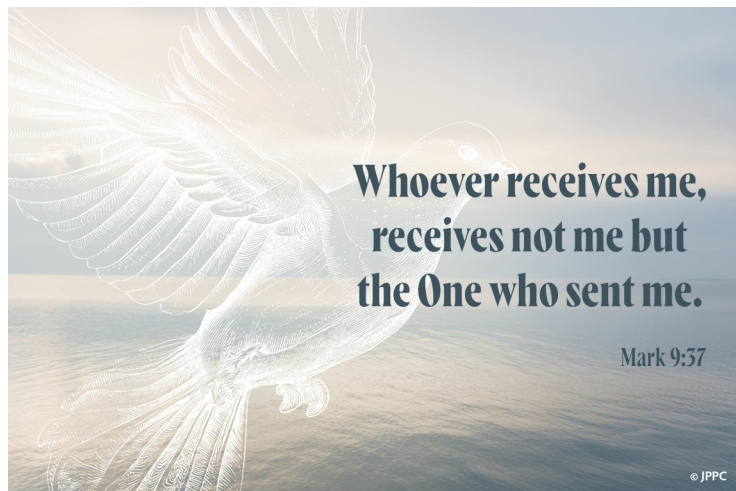
**Daily Mass: Mon, Wed & Friday at 8:30am**

**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



**Whoever receives me,  
receives not me but  
the One who sent me.**

Mark 9:37

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## PARISH STAFF

### *Pastor*

Father Augustine Tran

[frtran@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:frtran@sjbwoodstock.org)

### *Secretary*

Valerie Klein

[secretary@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:secretary@sjbwoodstock.org)

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### *Spanish Liaison*

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### *Director of Music & Liturgy*

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[music@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:music@sjbwoodstock.org)

### *Coordinator of Religious Education*

Elizabeth Powell

**540-459-8014**

[religioused@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:religioused@sjbwoodstock.org)

### *Youth Minister*

Letty Reinitz

[youthminister@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:youthminister@sjbwoodstock.org)

### *Outreach*

Vicki Schmitt

**540-624-7902**

[outreach@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:outreach@sjbwoodstock.org)

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION	INFORMACIÓN SACRAMENTAL
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**OCIA**—If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, please contact the parish office

**Baptisms**—Registered parishioners seeking to have their child baptized need to contact the parish office for sign up information. Baptism classes are on the 2nd Saturday of the month at 10am.

**Marriages**—Please contact the Parish office at least six (6) months prior to the proposed date of the wedding.

**Eucharist for the Homebound**—If you or a Catholic family member are unable to attend Mass for an extended period of time, please call the office to inquire about Homebound Communion.

**RICA**—Si usted o alguien que conoce están interesado en aprender mas, por favor venga el oficina.

**Bautismos**—Miembros registrados en esta parroquia que deseen bautizar a su(s) hijo(s) deben de contactar a la oficina. Clases bautismales son el 1er y 2ndo domingo de cada mes. Para mas información favor de contactar a: Joel Carrera al 333-1594.

**Matrimonios**—Favor de contactar al sacerdote seis meses antes de la fecha de la celebración de la boda.

**Comunión para el Hogar**  
Si usted o un católico que usted conoce no puede asistir a Misa por un período prolongado de tiempo, por favor llame a la oficina para que se lleve la comunión.

**From the Parish Office**

**OCIA Order of  
Christian  
Initiation:  
*A Journey in Faith***



Classes began on Thursday, September 12th. The class will continue to meet every Thursday **9:15am** in the St Francis Room. All are welcome. Father Tran is available to speak with anyone who is interested in the process.

The last day to sign up your children for Religious Education is TODAY! (Sun, Sept 22nd, 2024). Please be sure to stop into the RE Office.  
Thank you!






The world needs courageous men to witness to Jesus Christ.

COR exists to form and strengthen Catholic men in faith and virtue as missionary disciples by drawing them into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ through prayer, formation, and fraternity.

“Consume my heart with that burning fire with which Your Heart is ever inflamed.”  
- Saint John Henry Newman

**COR PROGRAM**

Calling all men of the parish! Join us on **Sunday, October 13th at 10:45am** in the Holy Family Center for a gathering that aims to form and strengthen men in faith and virtue. COR can be a game changer, life enhancer for men as we dive deeper into our faith, build bonds of friendship and become better men for our families, parish and community. Don't miss out. Grab a coffee at the Social Hour and join us in the front half of Hanley Hall on the 13th!

		
<b>PRAYER</b>	<b>FRATERNITY</b>	<b>FORMATION</b>
LIFTING OUR HEARTS AND MINDS TO GOD.	BECOMING LIKE CHRIST	CENTERING BROTHERHOOD ON CHRIST

Could you not spend one hour with me? St John Bosco has

**Eucharistic Adoration**  
in the Main Church

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

**We are always in need of substitutes.**

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

**BULLETIN DEADLINE**

Bulletin blurbs for the October 6th Bulletin are due **Friday, September 27th**. Please send to [bulletin@sibwoodstock.org](mailto:bulletin@sibwoodstock.org).  
*All blurbs are subject to editing and approval.*

**Prayer Requests for/Oremos Por**

*Please contact the Parish Office to be placed on the prayer list.*

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**Military & Their Families Prayer Request**  
*Please keep all our military in prayer.*

**Tabernacle Candle**

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

### **SJB needs more Rosary Makers!**

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



We are in need of help from Lay Ministers. If you think there is a spot for you to help with Masses and Liturgies, please contact Father Tran or

Melanie Griffy. We will find a spot for you! We have so many wonderful volunteers, but our numbers are growing thin. We do not want to over work our volunteers! Come and help out!

## **Outreach Store**

**WE NEED SHOPPERS!**

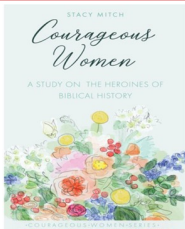
### **Store Hours:**

Friday & Saturday  
9:30am - 2:00pm

The needs of Shenandoah County are great. Please consider shopping with us.

**Variety of Items. Great prices!**

All proceeds go to help the less fortunate of our neighbors and parishioners.



On **Thursday, October 3, 2024 at 9:30am**, the Women's Bible study group will begin the study **Courageous Women: A Study on the Heroines of Biblical History**. This 8-week study is designed to encourage and instruct women through the examples of women in Sacred Scripture. Emphasizing the virtues they personify

and helping women cultivate heroic virtue in their own lives.

**Courageous Women** tells the story of the women of salvation history and explains why their life experiences are relevant for Christians today. In this study, you will encounter Eve, Sarah, Rebekah, Rachel, Rahab, Deborah, Ruth, Bathsheba, Esther, Judith, Mary Magdalene, Mary the Mother of God, and other notable women of Scripture.

For info or to sign-up contact:

**Nan Alcott** at [kata@shentel.net](mailto:kata@shentel.net) [SJB participants]  
**Louise DiBenedetto** at [loudiben@shentel.net](mailto:loudiben@shentel.net) [Our Lady of the Shenandoah Mission participants]

**Note:** **Courageous Women by Stacy Mitch** should be purchased by **September 20<sup>th</sup>** to ensure delivery in time for the study.

The book cost is \$15.95 and can be ordered at The Catholic Company <https://www.catholiccompany.com> or Amazon <https://www.amazon.com>

FOR WHERE TWO OR THREE ARE GATHERED TOGETHER IN MY NAME, THERE AM I IN THE MIDST OF THEM. *Matthew 18:20*

## **SUNDAY SOCIAL HOUR**

It's more than coffee.

It's fellowship!

After the 7:30am and 9:30am Mass in the Holy Family Center.

If you would like to bring some sweet treats to share or host, please contact Zac White to coordinate.

Contact Zac White ([zac.white2@gmail.com](mailto:zac.white2@gmail.com)).



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](mailto:kata@shentel.net) for information.



### **Altar Flowers** Ministry Opportunity

The flowers on the altar beautify our Church and honor our Lord. We need financial donations. If you can help, please contribute to the Altar Flower Fund. Your contributions will provide beautiful arrangements to grace our altar. Thank you!  
*(Please make checks out to St. John Bosco Catholic Church and place them in the collection basket.)*



### **Clases para Bautizos**

el primer Domingo y el segundo Domingo del mes después de la Santa Eucaristía 1:40 a 3:00pm cell:540.333.1594 Joel Carrera


### **Pilgrim Virgin Home Visitation Program**

Because not everyone can go to Fatima, Our Most Gracious Mother comes to you.

The Legion of Mary offers individuals and families a beautiful way to draw closer to God through the prayers of Our Mother. Two members of the Legion of Mary will bring Our Lady of Fatima statue to your home and the statue will stay with you one week. Contact Lee Santos 540-335-4800. Email [leeandpeg@gmail.com](mailto:leeandpeg@gmail.com)




**Diocesis** invites anniversary the Diocese of the Nat Washington a.m.-2: this fre

 Needles & Threads will meet again on Thursday, September 12th in St John the Evangelist Hall from 2pm –4pm. All are welcome! For more information, please contact Kathy Chunta @ [jazkat36@gmail.com](mailto:jazkat36@gmail.com).

**Letty Reinitz** Youth Minister  
[youthminister@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:youthminister@sjbwoodstock.org)




 **WALK FOR LIFE - Saturday 9/28 - Stonewall Jackson HS - 6am or 11am**  
The Shenandoah County Pregnancy Center has asked if our youth group could come help out at their annual Walk for Life. They need help setting up canopies, tables, chairs and manning the breakfast bar and then help cleaning up at the end. October is "Respect Life Month" and this would be a great opportunity to help serve our community and be a witness to Life. Come at either 6 am for setup or 11 am for breakdown or for the whole time! If you're able to make it, let me know as soon as possible so I can give the Pregnancy Center a headcount. We can organize rides from SJB before setup if needed, so please let me know if you need a ride.

 **Knights of Columbus Council #9002**  
**Upcoming Dates:**  
Every Wednesday 12:30-4p Senior Games in SJEH  
Oct 01 Monthly Officers' Meeting 7:00pm  
Oct 15 Monthly Regular Meeting 7:00pm  
Nov 09 Memorial Mass & Widows' Brunch  
Grand Knight: Tom Drinkwater, 540-933-6856  
[Drinkwat1@earthlink.net](mailto:Drinkwat1@earthlink.net)

**Catholic Charities Mobile Response Van**  
The Mobile Van will be at Catholic Outreach in Woodstock on the *Tuesday of the 3rd full week of the month—Tues, October 15th*. They distribute items like cleaning products, diapers, and hygiene products. Please pass on this Information to those in need.  
**You must sign up through the Outreach by Friday, October 11th in order to receive any items.** Please contact the outreach thru their email ([outreach@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:outreach@sjbwoodstock.org)) or phone 540-624-7902.



 **DIVINE MERCY SAID:** "My great delight is to unite Myself with souls. Know, my daughter, that when I come to a human heart in Holy Communion, My hands are full of all kinds of graces which I want to give to the soul." (St. Faustina Diary, 1385)  
"Used with permission of the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception of the B.V.M."  
Please join us on Thursdays in St John the Evangelist Hall after Daily Mass and the Rosary.



**Religious Education**

**Registration for the 2024-2025 School Year will close soon! Please come in and register your children for RE.** Parents/Guardians can stop by the Religious Education office and fill out a registration form. Payment is due at time of registration.  
\$75 per kid with a \$150 family cap

**Upcoming Important Dates:**  
Sun, Sept 22nd All Classes  
**LAST DAY TO REGISTER!!**  
Sun, Sept 29th All Classes  
Sun, Oct 6th All Classes  
Sun, Oct 13th All Classes  

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Sat, Nov 16th Mandatory Confirmation Retreat  
Sat, Nov 23rd Auditions for Nativity Play

**Comunidad Hispana**

**¿Te gustaría aprender mas Sobre la palabra de Dios?**  
El grupo Nueva Esperanza te hace la invitación cada viernes, en el Salón San Juan Evangelista. Se impartirán temas interesantes que nos, ayudaran a seguir caminando con Jesús. 7:45p: Todos son bienvenidos  
**Temas:**  
27 Sept "Vengan y lo verán" Jn 1, 39  
San Marcos 9, 38-43.45.47-48 todo aquel que no esta contra nosotros esta a nuestro favor

**SJB MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF  
September 23rd—29th, 2024**

Monday	6:00pm	+ Tim Cook
Tuesday	8:30am	Patrick Lee
Wednesday	6:00pm	Maria Teresa Sharrow
Thursday	8:30am	Robert Klein
Friday	8:30am	Clara Carlson
Saturday	8:30am	Monica Brill
Saturday	5:00pm	+ Thomas Emmons
Sunday	7:30am	The Chronowski Children & Grandchildren
Sunday	9:30am	Sterling Funkhouser
Domingo	Mediodía	Our Parish Family

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September 23rd—29th, 2024**

*There are no Mass Intention Requests for This week.*

**MONTHLY CALENDAR IMPORTANT DATES:**

*FOR MORE INFORMATION*

*\*PLEASE SEE SPECIFIC BLURBS WITHIN BULLETIN*



**29** URS: Regular Meeting



**01** KofC Monthly Officers' Meeting

**03** Womens Bible Study Meetings Begin

**06** Clase de Bautismo

**06** Practica para Guadalupe

**10** Needles and Threads Meeting

**11** URS: NET Retreat at Sacred Heart

**11** Last Day to sign up for the October Mobile Van

**13** Clase de Bautismo

**13** Practica para Guadalupe

**13** URS: no regular meeting

**15** Catholic Charities Mobile Outreach Van

**15** KofC Monthly Regular Meeting

**19** Parish Pilgrimage to Padre Pio Center

**20** Practica para Guadalupe

**24** Needles and Threads Meeting

**27** Practica para Guadalupe

**LIT SCHEDULE FOR SEPT 28TH & 29TH  
26TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

	5:00pm	7:30am	9:30am	Mediodía
<b>Lectors</b>	Korrigan	S. Tully	D. Walsh	Martínez Alvarado
<b>Servers</b>	???	Carlson	Austin B.	Jose
	???		Thurston	Joel
	???	O. White	Adam B.	Leo
<b>EMHCs</b>	C. Wester	Jon C.	L. Santos	S. Sediles
			???	
<b>Ushers</b>	H. Miller	Joseph C.	R. Schmitt	Bautista
	L. Tully	Don J.	J. Zaso	Carreño

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Sunday, September 22nd**

Parish Social Hour (HH0)	8:30am-9:30a
Sunday Bible Study (SFR)	8:30am-9:30am
Parish Social Hour (HH)	10:30am-11:30am
Religious Education: All Classes	10:45am-11:45am

**Monday, September 23rd**

*No Scheduled Parish Activities*

**Tuesday, September 24th**

ESL (SJEH)	5:45pm-7:15pm
Alabanza y Adoración (MC)	7:00pm-8:00pm

**Wednesday, September 25th**

Legion of Mary (SJEH)	9:15am-10:45am
KofC Senior Games (SJEH)	12:00pm-4:00pm
Children's Choir (SFR)	4:00pm-5:55pm
Praise & Worship (MC)	5:00pm-5:45pm
Trail Life (SJEH)	6:00pm-9:00pm

**Thursday, September 26th**

OCIA (SFR)	9:15am-10:15am
Divine Mercy Cenacle (SJEH)	9:30am-10:30am
Needles & Threads (SJEH)	2:00pm-4:00pm
Legion de Maria (SJEH)	5:30pm-7:30pm
Youth Choir Rehearsal (SFR)	6:00pm-9:00pm
OCIA en Espanol (DMR)	6:30pm-8:00pm
Adult Choir Rehearsal (MC)	7:00pm-9:00pm

**Friday, September 27th**

Coro de Espanol (MC)	7:00pm-7:45pm
Spanish Supplement Re Class (SFR)	7:30pm-9:00pm
Nueva Esperanza (SJEH)	7:45pm-9:00pm

**Saturday, September 28th**

*No scheduled Parish activities*

