

# ST JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC CHURCH

315 N. Main Street Woodstock, Virginia 22664

**NOVEMBER 19TH 2023**

**THE 33RD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

## PARISH OFFICE

Monday-Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm

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

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## 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](mailto: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*

Father Augustine Tran

**540-459-4448**

### *Office Manager*

Tricia Russman

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

### *Spanish Liaison*

Miguel Pinales

**540-459-8014**

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### *Director of Music & Liturgy*

Melanie Griffy

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LeAnn Dishart

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### *Youth Minister*

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

### *Outreach*

Vicki Schmitt

**540-624-7902**

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## From the Parish Office



In Observance of . . .

**Thanksgiving**  
the Parish Office will be closed  
**Thurs, Nov 23rd & Fri, Nov 24th, 2023**

There will be no Eucharistic Adoration, Tuesday - Thursday, November 21st-23rd. No habrá Adoración Eucarística, del martes al jueves, del 21 al 23 de noviembre.

## The Feast of the Immaculate Conception

December 8th is a

*HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION,*

Holy Mass will be celebrated:

Thursday, December 7th, Vigil Mass at 6:00pm *Bilingual*

Friday, December 8th, Holy Mass at 8:30am in *English*

Friday, December 8th, Holy Mass at 6:00pm in *English*



**The Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe**  
Tuesday, *December 12th* is not a Holy Day of Obligation

Las Mañanitas at 5:15am in Hanley Hall

Daily Holy Mass at 8:30am in *English*

Daily Holy Mass at 7:00pm in *Spanish*



## **Christmas Poinsettias for the Altar**



Parishioners can donate money towards the purchase of Flowers (i.e.\$15 per Poinsettia) for the Altar during the Christmas Season. You can do this in honor of, or in memory of a loved one. Please make checks out to SJB and put "Altar Decorations" in the memo line. They can be dropped off in the parish office during normal business hours. Last day to get names in to the parish office is **Sunday, December 10th, by 4:00pm.**

## Prayer Requests for/Oremos Por

Our Parish Family



### Military & Their Families Prayer Request

Capt. Stephen Dillon

Captain Galen Rohr

*Please keep all our military in prayer.*

### Tabernacle Candle

+ Joseph Collins



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

On Sunday, December 3rd, 2023, Bishop Burbidge will be visiting to help us celebrate the **50th Anniversary of the Dedication of St John Bosco.** The Mass Schedule for that weekend is as follows:

Saturday, December 2nd 5:00pm Vigil in *English*

Sunday, December 3rd 7:30am *English*

Sunday, December 3rd 9:30am *Bilingual*

*There will be no Spanish Mass at 12:00pm.*

***No habrá misa en Español a las 12:00p el domingo 03 de diciembre.***

There will be a reception following the 9:30am Mass with a Blessing of the newly renovated Hanley Hall. All are welcome. Please see below regarding information of potluck food and volunteers needed.

All the parish is welcome!

## **Come Help Us Prepare & Celebrate!**

*The 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration is fast approaching...*

The committee will be asking for volunteers in many ways, to help make our Celebration a joyous time of Worship, Food, and Fellowship. We ask that everyone who can participate, be kind enough to bring an appetizer, side dish, salad, or dessert to share. Ham and Chicken will be prepared by the committee, as well as Potatoes and 2 side vegetables.

HOW CAN YOU HELP? We are in need of:

- People for Set-up, on Friday Dec 1, time TBD
- Kitchen help, & Cooking
- Decorating, & Serving and clean-up.

Please let coordinator, Dianne Labadie know how you can help. Call 540-436-3357 or 774-266-5307, leave message.

***Let's make this a joyous celebration to welcome the next 50 years!***

Could you not spend one hour with me?  
Matthew 26:40



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 adorers for the hours of:  
Tuesday 10p-11p & Thursday 5a-6a.**



When: Friday, December 1st  
Time: 6:30pm  
Space available for parade watching. Choirs from SJB will be singing from the KofC Float and come join us for Cocoa, cookies and a Christmas Movie.

## CHRISTMAS PARADE

### Enthronement your home in preparation for the Feast of Christ the King on Nov 26<sup>th</sup>

#### Sacred Heart Enthronement

Father Mateo Crawley-Boevey, the great Apostle of the Sacred Heart preached that through the enthronement of the Sacred Heart as King of the home, families are preserved and sanctified. Jesus promised St. Margaret Mary: "I will establish peace in their homes." Love and devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus strengthens families under the kingship of Christ.

By enthroning our homes to the Sacred Heart, we honor Jesus and Mary daily as the King and Queen of our homes. Father Mateo's idea was that by entering a picture or a statue of the Sacred Heart into homes, each household member would be permeated with the love of Christ and would show it by a truly Christian family life.

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To enthrone your home please contact Legion of Mary member Lee Santos 540-335-4800 [leeandpeg@gmail.com](mailto:leeandpeg@gmail.com)



#### DIVINE MERCY'S MOTHER SAID:

"The soul's true greatness is in loving God and in humbling oneself in His presence, completely forgetting oneself and believing oneself to be nothing, because the Lord is great, but He is well – pleased with the humble. He always opposes the proud."

(St. Faustina Diary, 1711)

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Please join us on Thursdays in the St. Francis Room after Daily Mass and the Rosary.

## Coffee & Creed

Free Coffee!! Free Cookies!!

AND a chance to learn about the Catholic Faith!



MEETS ON SUNDAYS 10:45a-11:45a  
ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST HALL.

Open to all—parishioners and visitors!

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

Today's Topic: Did Christ establish the Catholic Church?

11/26 Topic: What are the Four Last Things?

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

For more information: Caroline Haydu 540-335-0053

### SJB's Annual "Keep Christ in Christmas Nativity Play"

Auditions—November 25th at 9:00am, November 26th at 10:45am in the Hanley Hall.

For all children 13 years old and younger. If you cannot make auditions, must meet with Melanie BEFORE Nov 24th.

Rehearsals: Tuesday, November 28th 5:00pm

Saturday, December 2nd 2:00pm

Tuesday, December 5th 5:00pm

Saturday, December 9th 2:00pm

Monday, December 11th 5:00pm

Saturday, December 16th, 1:00pm (Dress Rehearsal)

Sunday, December 17th at 4:00pm (Costume Check)

Performance December 17th at 6:00pm

Contact Melanie Griffy for more information. Please see the bulletin board for a list of characters and a copy of the rehearsal list.



### Book of Remembrance

"Then those who feared the LORD spoke to one another, and the LORD gave attention and heard it, and a book of remembrance was written before Him for those who fear the LORD and who esteem His name." Malachi 3:16

The month of November is dedicated in a special way to pray for the souls of the faithful departed. A book of remembrance will be placed in the front of the church on October 31st. Please write the names of the deceased you wish to be remembered at Holy Mass throughout the month of November.

### Comunidad Española

#### ¿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

*"Vengan y lo verán"*  
Jn 1, 39

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

Tema:

Nov 24

San Mateo 25, 31-46

**La Legión de Maria** Queremos dejar saber a la comunidad hispana que tenemos la legión de Maria en español en nuestra parroquia. Ahora nos reunimos a las 6:00pm en SFR a la martes. Por favor Venancio si tienen preguntas o si quieren saber de nuestro trabajo.

**Legión de Maria** Como todos no podemos ir Fátima a visitar a nuestra Madre, Ella puedes ir a visitarte a tu casa. La Legión de Maria ofrece La Virgen visita domiciliar individualmente o a a familia. . Esta es una forma maravillosa para acercarnos a Dios a través de las oraciones a Nuestra Madre. Dos miembros de la legión le llevarán la Virgen a su casa. La virgen se queda en su casa una semana. Para más información pueden contacto ya Miguel Pinales al número (301) 442-3029 [mpinales39.mp@gmail.com](mailto:mpinales39.mp@gmail.com)



## PARISH LIFE



### Knights of Columbus Council #9002

Join the Knights at: [www.kofc.org/joinus](http://www.kofc.org/joinus)

Agent code: DEVANS First year of membership Free!

Congratulations to our two newest members: Miguel Pinales and Juan Espinozo!!

#### Upcoming Dates:

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

Keep Christ in Christmas Card sales begin Nov 4 & 5th.

Nov 21 6:30pm Social, 7pm Rosary,  
7:30pm Regular Meeting

Dec 05 7:30pm Officers' Planning Meeting  
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Únite a los caballeros: [www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org)/Agenté Code: DEVANS  
membresía primer año!! Felicitaciones a nuestros dos miembros mas nuevos: miguel Pinales y Juan Espinozo!!

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

Nov 21 6:30p tiempo social; 7p rezar el rosario  
seguido por la reunión regular

Dec 05 7:30p Reunión de planificación de oficiales

Nov 4 y 5 mantener a Cristo Ventas de tarjetas de Navidad

Grand Knight: Tom Drinkwater, 540-933-6856

[Drinkwat1@earthlink.net](mailto:Drinkwat1@earthlink.net)

### Feast Day Prize Calendar

The Knights are holding a new, charitable fundraiser with all net proceeds supporting the Council's activities and events. This fundraiser is a Feast Day Prize Calendar for \$20: offering 98 potential daily prizes between Christmas Day and Easter Sunday. Contestants select their lucky 3-digit number (no duplicates). Winning numbers are drawn from each afternoon's Pick3 Virginia Lottery. You can win more than once! Payout checks will be issued and mailed each week.

**Sales begin 11/25 through 12/17 after all Masses in the Narthex.**

THESE FEAST DAY PRIZE CALENDARS MAKE  
EXCELLENT CHRISTMAS GIFTS AND STOCKING  
STUFFERS!

\*\*\*Must be 18 Years or older to purchase.\*\*\*

**WE NEED YOU!** SJB Outreach is in desperate need for volunteers on Saturdays to work the shop, help move furniture and/or collect items from households. Please contact Vicki Schmitt at [outreach@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:outreach@sjbwoodstock.org).

**Martial Arts & Tai Chi Instruction** for Special Needs and Senior Communities to improve health and foster fellowship. Meeting in St. John Evangelist Hall on Mondays from 9:30-10:30 Martial Arts 10:30-11:30 Tai Chi. For more information, please contact Joseph Haydu, 540-750-4431 or Tom Grant, 540-409-6810.

**Elizabeth Parente** Youth Minister  
[youthminister@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:youthminister@sjbwoodstock.org)

The  
**Upper Room**  
Squad

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

**November 11-19th Diaper Drive** for Shenandoah County Pregnancy Center. Thank you to all who donated!!

**Nov 19th** Meeting at Sacred Heart 6:30p-8p—we will leave SJB at 5:30pm. Topic: Vocations and Deus Vult game.

**Nov 26th** No Meeting—Happy Thanksgiving!

**Dec 3rd** No Meeting

**Dec 10th** Regular Meeting 3-5p

**Dec 17th** Advent Party after Nativity Pageant.

Registration for **Life is VERY Good Rally** is going on now! \$35. Thursday Jan 18th—Friday, Jan 19th.

**Early Bird Sign-Up for Mt 2000** ends soon! If you are interested please contact our Youth Minister! Mount 2000 is at Mt St Mary's Seminary February 2nd-4th, 2024.



Needles & Threads will begin meeting the 2nd & 4th THURSDAYS of the month from 2-4p in St. John the Evangelist Hall starting September 14. We make prayer shawls & quilts for the sick, homebound & grieving. Attendance is not required. Projects may be done at home & brought to the Office or to the N&T Thursday meeting. All are welcome! For more information, please contact Kathy Chunta @ [jazkat36@gmail.com](mailto:jazkat36@gmail.com).

### BULLETIN DEADLINE

Blurbs for the **December 10th Bulletin** are due Fri, November 24th send to [bulletin@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:bulletin@sjbwoodstock.org)

### On Campus Meeting during Holidays

Ministries are reminded that when the office is closed and/or Mass will not be celebrated—on-campus-activities are also cancelled, unless prior arrangements have been made, for that specific date, through the Parish Office and approved by Father Tran.

### 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.



### Votive & Vigil Candles

recommended offering

**\$5.00 large candles & .50 small candles**

Please help us defray the cost of the candles with your donation.

**SJB MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF**  
**November 20th-26th, 2023**

Monday	6:00pm	+ Arthur Portzer
Tuesday	8:30am	Gianna Parente
Wednesday	6:00pm	The Carreño Family & Friends
Thursday	8:30am	+ Teresa Ortiz Moreno
Friday	<i>NO Daily Mass</i>	
Saturday	8:30am	The Frazier Family
Saturday	5:00pm	Our Parish Family
Sunday	7:30am	Bob Hamilton
Sunday	9:30am	+ Etienne Barabey
Sunday	12:00pm	Gerardo Perez Sediles y Sandra Sediles

**OLS MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF**  
**November 20th-26th, 2023**

*No Mass Intentions this week.*

**LIT SCHEDULE FOR NOVEMBER 25& 26TH**  
**CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY**

	5:00pm	7:30am	9:30am	12:00pm
<b>Lectors</b>	Korrigan	Shelton	Cammack	Alvarado S. Sediles
<b>Servers</b>	Tully	O. White ???	Austin B. Thurston	Jose Joel
<b>Ushers</b>	H. Miller Stalbird	T. Taylor James C.	Cammack J. Zaso	F. García C. Caldera
<b>EMHCs</b>	V. Stewart	Jon C.	???	M. Pinales C. Haydu

New Liturgy Minister Schedules will be available soon.  
Please check your emails. If there are empty slots, please  
volunteer as soon as possible. Thank you!

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Sunday, November 19th**

KofC Parish Coffee Hour (SJEH)	8:30am-9:30am
Sunday Bible Study (SJEH)	8:30am-9:30am
Food Sale (Patio)	9:00am-1:30pm
RCIA: Coffee & Creed (SJEH)	10:45am-11:45am
RE: All Classes	10:45am-11:45am
URS: Regular Meeting	3:00pm-5:00pm

**Monday, November 20th**

Martial Arts Group (SJEH)	9:30am-12:00pm
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**Tuesday, November 21st**

Parish History/Anniversary Meeting	9:30am-11:30am
Catholic Charities Mobile Van	11:30am-1:00pm
Legión de María (SJEH)	5:30pm-7:15pm
KofC Monthly Meeting (SJEH)	6:00pm-9:00pm
Alabanza y Adoración (MC)	7:00pm-8:00pm

**Wednesday, November 22nd**

Legion of Mary (SJEH)	9:15am-10:45am
Senior Games (SJEH)	12:30pm-4:00pm
Praise & Worship Holy Hour	5:00pm-5:55pm

**Thursday, November 23rd**

Divine Mercy Cenacle (SJEH)	9:30am-11:00am
Walking With Purpose (SJEH)	9:30am-11:30am
Needles & Threads (SJEH)	1:00pm-3:00pm
Adult/Youth Choir Rehearsal (MC)	6:00pm-9:00pm

**Friday, November 24th**

RE—Spanish Supplement (MC)	7:30pm-9:00pm
Nueva Esperanza (SJEH)	7:45pm-9:00pm

**Saturday, November 25th**

Nativity Play Auditions (HH)	9:00am
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**MONTHLY CALENDAR IMPORTANT DATES:**

FOR MORE INFORMATION

\*PLEASE SEE SPECIFIC BLURBS WITHIN BULLETIN



25 Nativity Play Auditions

26 Nativity Play Auditions

26 NO RE, URS

28 Nativity Play Rehearsal



01 Woodstock Parade, followed by Cookies & Movie

02 Nativity Play Rehearsal

03 50th Anniversary of the dedication of the Church  
Mass & Reception

03 NO RE, RCIA, URS

03 Clases para Bautizos en Espanol

03-11 Virgen de Guadalupe Novena

05 Nativity Play Rehearsal

05 KofC Officers' Meeting

07-08 Feast of the Immaculate Conception

09 Nativity Play Rehearsal

10 Clases para Bautizos en Espanol

10 URS: Regular Meeting

11 Nativity Play Rehearsal

14 Needles & Threads

