

Church Name: St. John Vianney
Cumberland, RI

Church # 387400

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Sunday: November 5, 2017
Special Instruction

NOVEMBER 5, 2017
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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— *Matthew 23:11*

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ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST MARY VIANNEY PARISH
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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STAFF

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Mrs. Patricia Draper - Director
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Mrs. Kim Passanante - Coordinator Grade 7 & 8
Mrs. Erin Blais - Coordinator Confirmation/
Grades 9&10

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 7:00 a.m.
Wednesday: Communion Service at 7:00 a.m.

PARISH STAFF

333-6060

Rev. Raymond C. Theroux
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PRIEST SCHEDULE
NOVEMBER 11/12, 2017

Saturday: 5:00 - Fr Joe
Sunday: 8:30 - Fr Ray
10:00 - Fr Jim
11:30 - PC/Dominican Friars
(schedule may be subject to change)

Mass Intentions



Saturday, November 4
5:00 p.m. Antonetta Desiderato
~by her daughter & son-in-law
Sunday, November 5
8:30 a.m. Frank Byrne
(18th Anniversary)
~by his family
10:00 a.m. Theresa Blais
(Birthday Remembrance)
~by her family
11:30 a.m. William Callahan
~by his wife & family
Monday, November 6
7:00 a.m. Richard Waddington
(10th Anniversary)
~by Carol
Tuesday, November 7
7:00 a.m. Madeleine Dumont
(22nd Anniversary)
~by Claudie
Wednesday, November 8
7:00 a.m. Communion Service
Thursday, November 9
7:00 a.m. Albert Peladeau
~by St. John Vianney Seniors Group
Friday, November 10
7:00 a.m. Patrick Valentine
~by a friend
Saturday, November 11
5:00 p.m. Russell Laboissonniere
~by his wife, Dare
Sunday, November 12
8:30 a.m. Edward Marchetti
~by family
10:00 a.m. Walter & Stasia Masnyk
Alphonse & Thelma Laferriere
~by Richard & Paulette Masnyk, Sr.
11:30 a.m. Michael Lanctot
~by family



ST. JOHN VIANNEY FOR THE NEEDY
On line donations can be made to St. John Vianney For The Needy through our website.

Clothing bins are located behind the Church for your donations.

Food for the needy - Please remember to bring canned goods to help feed the hungry.

Poor Boxes are located at the entrances to the Church. The money collected is used to feed the poor.

WEEKLY EVENTS:

Life in the Spirit prayer meeting meets every Thursday in the church hall at 7 PM.

Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament meets every Wednesday in the church at 7 PM.

Confessions - Saturday from 4:00 p.m. to 4:40 p.m.



SICK AND HOME BOUND

Anyone who is ill or homebound and wishes to receive the Eucharist on Sunday may call Prue Robert at 333-6770.

BAPTISM

To make arrangements to have your child baptized please contact the office at 333-6060 or sjvdenise@gmail.com. If you would like a visit from a member of our Elizabeth Ministry to answer questions or help you prepare for baptism, please call Regina Bamford at (508)878-7045 or Patty Lambrou at (401)339-2975.



THE PRAYER BOX is located in the Gathering Space. There is a place to write down and leave any prayer request you might have. Simply write down your intentions and drop them in the box. We will regularly offer up these intentions during our liturgies.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NOTES

Grade 8 -

- Calling all Parents: We need volunteer teachers for our 8th grade faith formation program. Classes run on Tuesday evenings from January 16th to April 10th. Please contact Kim Passanante for more details at sjvkimp@gmail.com or 847-533-8141
- High School Service Opportunity: We are in need of 10th, 11th and 12th graders to lead groups in the 8th grade faith formation program. It is a great way to learn and share more about your faith and fulfill your need for a service project. Contact Kim Passanante for more details at sjvkimp@gmail.com or 847-533-8141.

Grade 10:

Candidate/Sponsor meeting, Sunday November 5

12:30 - 2:30 pm - Classes of Abilheira, Vela, Bodington & Coutu

1:30 - 3:30 pm - Classes of Passanante, Sawyer, Schmitt, & Aragao

Confirmation, Friday November 17

5:00 pm: Classes of Abilheira, Vela, Bodington, & Coutu

7:00 pm: Classes of Passanante, Sawyer, Schmitt, & Aragao

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THE GREATEST MUST SERVE

Contrast the actions of the scribes and Pharisees with what Saint Paul describes as the leaders' manner with the community in Thessalonica: they were gentle, showed affection for the people, and worked hard in order not to be burdensome. They had taken to heart Jesus' instruction to serve with humility, and as a result the Thessalonians were inspired to believe the word of God. True service is inspirational. Think about the people whom we most readily admire, those who inspire us to greatness. Most often, they are people who lead, not by lording their talent or position over others, but rather by humbly modeling the sort of action to which we aspire. They do not seek adulation or praise, but receive attention because their service is so deeply focused on the other. They glimpse the face of God in those whom they serve; we glimpse the face of God in those who serve with humility. "Whoever humbles himself will be exalted."

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Christmas



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CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

The Children's Christmas Pageant will be held on Sunday, December 31, 2017 at the 11:30 am Mass. Children in grades 1-5 may sign up to be in the Pageant. Grade 6 children may sign up to be readers or narrators. Sign ups begin this weekend, November 4/5, in the church basement at the foot of the stairs, after every Mass, and continue through the weekends of November 11/12 and 18/19. Rehearsals for the Pageant are scheduled for Wednesdays from 4:00-5:30 pm in the Church, beginning November 29th through December 27th.



Baptisms

The Liturgy of Baptism was celebrated recently for the following:

Stella Pamela Barcello
Evan Charles Berthiaume
Benson Edward Besette
Giselle Eliza Castro
Raegan Kate Curtis
Aria Theresa Dextrateur
Jude Lohmann Jensen
Gavin Ronald McLacken
Madelyn Grace Ost
Arabelle Leah Raymond
Talia Grace Spinard
Colby Ellis White
Grace Katherine Vadeboncoeur

We congratulate the parents and welcome these new members to our parish family.

SENIORS GROUP

The November meeting for St. John Vianney Seniors will be held on Wednesday, November 15th. A ham dinner will be served at noon.



Members are requested to bring in gifts for children to be distributed to families in need at Christmas time. We will also have our semi-annual craft and Christmas raffle. Members are always welcome to bring guests.

All reservations should be in to Ann Foisy by the week of November 5th. Checks should be made payable to SJV Seniors and mailed to Ann Foisy, 3910 Diamond Hill Road, Cumberland, RI 02864.

SJV ELIZABETH MINISTRY

Volunteers needed! Would you like to take part in the celebration of birth by visiting with parents who are preparing for baptism? Would you like to offer support and encouragement to a new Mom or Mom-to-be? Are you willing to share your own personal struggles and joys of childbearing? These are some of the ways you can reach out to help families in our parish.



Volunteering for the Elizabeth Ministry will be a rewarding experience that requires very little of your time. You will also get to know many women from our parish who are already involved in this ministry. If you would like more information, please contact Regina Bamford at (508) 878-7045.



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A YEAR WITH MARY OUR MOTHER

November Prayer Intention
*For the Faithful Departed, especially the deceased
members of our families and friends and
our Diocese.*



Prayer to Mary, Mother of Divine Providence

Virgin Mary, Immaculate Mother of
Divine Providence,
protect our life and sanctify us with the gift of grace.

Obtain for us from the Father of mercy and
the God of consolation pardon for our sins,
reconciliation with our brothers and sisters, and
comfort in the midst of afflictions.

Renew our hearts that they may become worthy
dwelling places of your Divine Son, Jesus.

Help us in our struggles against mediocrity,
self-seeking, and pride so we can generously
serve our neighbor.

We entrust ourselves to you, O Mary,
in our pilgrimage in this world.

We invoke you as our guide
and our defense against dangers.

In the present tribulations, give us secure refuge.

O sweet Mother of Divine Providence,
turn your eyes toward us,
you who are our hope on earth.

Grant that we may have you as our Mother
in the glory of heaven.

Amen.

THE CENTURY FUND

The Century Fund is an endowment fund created to ensure the spiritual vitality of our parish for future generations. By supporting The Century Fund we demonstrate our parish's strong commitment and the desire to memorialize our golden jubilee (in 2053) as a parish. The Century Fund will perpetuate its vitality and its future, and we will pass to those who follow us as parishioners an even greater gift than the one bestowed on us.

Methods of giving to The Century Fund:

1. Outright Gift - cash, securities, personal property & real estate
2. Bequest - will or testament trust (eliminates taxation)
3. Insurance Policies (eliminates taxation)
4. Charitable Trusts

We hope that you will consider these options in helping to grow our Century Fund. For more information, contact George DeCotis at sjvgeorged@gmail.com.

THE BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

Several years ago our parish began the practice of writing the names of deceased loved ones into our parish's Book of Remembrance. The Book will be available in the Gathering Space again this year. You are invited to write names into the Book, which will remain in the Church during the month of November.



