

Church Name: St. John Vianney
Cumberland, RI

Church # 387400

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Sunday: November 12, 2017
Special Instruction

NOVEMBER 12, 2017
THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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—Matthew 25:13

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST MARY VIANNEY PARISH

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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 18/19, 2017

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

Mass Intentions



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
Monday, November 13
7:00 a.m. Stanley & Malvina Obremski
~by Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Bussiere
Tuesday, November 14
7:00 a.m. Louis Foti
~by the Scala family
Wednesday, November 15
7:00 a.m. Communion Service
Thursday, November 16
7:00 a.m. Alice Remington
~by Steve & Sue Paquette
Friday, November 17
7:00 a.m. Maria R. Daluz
~by Joy Moran
Saturday, November 18
5:00 p.m. Christine Albright Dahrooge
(Birthday Remembrance)
~by her family
Sunday, November 19
8:30 a.m. Rose Sullivan
(5th Anniversary)
~by her husband & family
10:00 a.m. Larry C. Tedeschi
(1st Anniversary)
~by his wife & family
11:30 a.m. Louis J. Speroni
(Birthday Remembrance)
~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 2:

Teacher Meeting, Wednesday, November 29th, at 7:00 pm in the Church

Grade 10:

Confirmation, Friday November 17

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

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

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 will continue in the church basement at the foot of the stairs, after every

Mass through the weekends of November 11/12, 18/19 and 25/26. Rehearsals for the Pageant are scheduled for the following Wednesdays from 4:00-5:30 pm in the Church: November 29th, December 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th. The final rehearsal is Saturday, December 30th from 10 am - 12 noon. Children must attend all rehearsals.

MENS GROUP

The Men's Group will meet this Thursday, November 16th, at 6:00 pm in the Church Hall. All men in the parish are welcome to attend!



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SJV ELIZABETH MINISTRY

The SJV Elizabeth Ministry offers support, prayers and understanding during the joys and sorrows of the childbearing years. The women of our parish ministry share their presence, stories and experience in the hope that these will encourage another woman and her family.



We enable our parish to:

- Welcome families to our parish and visit families who are preparing for baptism
- Give reassurance and encouragement to women who are pregnant or are caring for a newborn
- Reach out to women who experience a miscarriage, infant or child death
- Respond at times of infant and child crisis

If you would like more information, please contact Patty Lambrou at (401)339-2975 or Regina Bamford at (508)878-7045.

OFFICE CLOSED

The church offices will be closed Monday, November 13, in observance of Veteran's Day.



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BE WISE, BE READY

This urging to be ready for Christ's return is not intended to frighten us, but rather to focus our attention on the things that matter. Wisdom lies in seeking God in all things. With the Psalmist, the wise person prays, "My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God" (Psalm 63:2b). Christ's way is not hidden from us, as though we are playing a game of hide and seek. It is "readily perceived" (Wisdom 6:12) by all who love God. We know the way through the Ten Commandments, the Beatitudes, Christ's great command to wash one another's feet, to love and serve with glad hearts. To act accordingly is to be wise, and those who are wise will be ready.

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SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

Next week, our second collection will be for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Over 46 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to lift themselves out of poverty. By supporting this collection you give people a hand up, not a hand out. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

SENIORS GROUP

The November meeting for St. John Vianney Seniors will be held this 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.

ELECTRONIC GIVING

St. John Vianney offers an Electronic Giving option. Contributions can be deducted from checking or saving accounts or processed using credit or debit cards. To set up a onetime or a recurring contribution, visit our website at www.sjvparish.org and click on the Donate button on the homepage. *Please contact the office to make arrangements for cancelling your budget envelopes.*

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.



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Project Hope, a diocesan agency serving the Blackstone Valley area, sponsors the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program, which prepares free tax returns for income-qualified individuals and families from late January through mid-April. Please consider donating a few hours of your time each week to serve as a VITA preparer or greeter. Participants receive IRS training and certification. If you would like more information, please call Mike Speidel at 617-645-1584.



THE LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR are holding their Annual Christmas Bazaar at the Jeanne Jugan Residence in Pawtucket on Saturday November 18th, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. There will be baked goods, hand-made crafts, Christmas items, gift baskets, "nearly new" tables, raffles, and drawings galore. Do your Christmas shopping while supporting the Sisters' Mission at the same time.

THE CHURCH OF ST MARY IN PROVIDENCE is having their Bazaar on Broadway, Saturday November 18th, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm at the Paul Cuffee School behind the church. There will be a Christmas Café serving breakfast and lunch, as well as Christmas decorations, hand-crafted gift items, holiday confections and more.

SPRED

Come share your faith with people with developmental and cognitive disabilities. Many are waiting for someone to help them grow and journey in faith. This ministry offers spiritual growth in the love of God for parishioners who answer "Yes" to this call as well as the people with disabilities who join a SPRED parish small faith community. For more information, call Matthew Perry at 529-3783. Training is provided by the Diocesan SPRED office.

PARISH RECORDS

New Parishioners

Welcome to our new parishioners. You may register with our parish by visiting our website, www.sjvparish.org, and selecting the **New Parishioner Registration** link or by contacting the office at 333-6060 or sjvdenise@gmail.com. We hope you will become an active part of our parish community.

Existing parishioners are also asked to contact the office when changing your address and/or contact information or if you are leaving the parish to help us keep our records current. Thank you!

