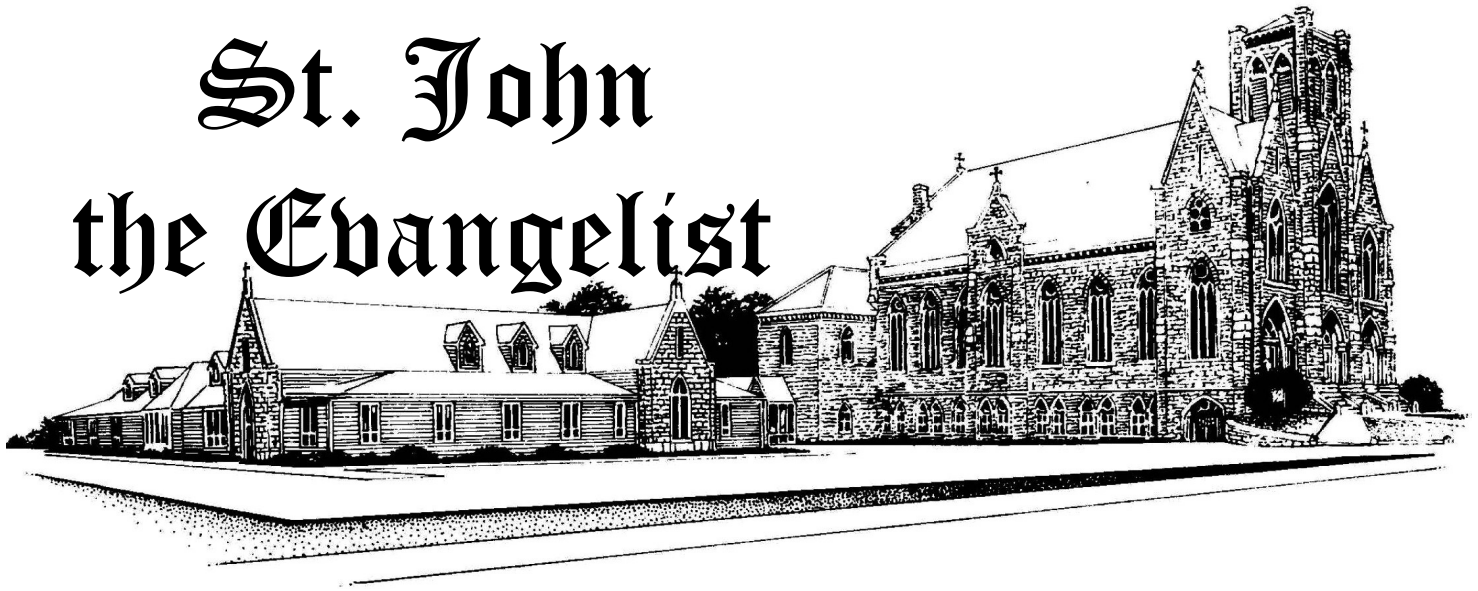


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WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

Please introduce yourselves. We hope to know and serve you. We hope you become an active part of our Parish Community.

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Very Rev. Richard E. Cannon, V.F.
508-435-3313x21

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Ken Lysik, 9 & 10

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Parish Center Manager
Catherine Kniaz
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SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM and 6:30 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday through Friday at 9:00 AM
Saturday 8:00 AM

HOLY DAY MASSES:

See inside bulletin for Holy Day Mass schedule

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 8:30-9:15 AM in the lower chapel

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Second and fourth Sundays of the month at 11:30 AM
Please call for information

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Arranged at least 6 months in advance

ORGANIST/MUSIC DIRECTOR

Bernadette Nadeau
momandberni@gmail.com

PARISH "NEWS" DEADLINE

All copy must be submitted in writing no later than Monday noon. (Holiday weeks may require a longer lead time.)

ST. JOHN'S ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

For those that need a little help,
please call: 508-435-3313x27



“If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to be with you always, the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot accept, because it neither sees nor knows him. But you know him, because he remains with you, and will be in you.” - Jn 14:15-17

Readings for **NEXT** Sunday, May 17, 2026:
Acts 1:1-11/ Ps 47: 2-3, 6-7, 8-9/ Eph 1:17-23/ Mt 28:16-20

The readings for this weekend’s Masses begin on page 177 in the pew missal.



SATURDAY, MAY 9	4:00 PM	All the Holy Souls in Purgatory
SUNDAY, MAY 10	8:00 AM	Catherine Sullivan
	10:00 AM	For all mothers
	6:30 PM	Parishioners of St. John’s
MONDAY, MAY 11	9:00 AM	Ronald Buttarazzi
TUESDAY, MAY 12	9:00 AM	For the conversion of sinners
WEDNESDAY, MAY 13	9:00 AM	All the Holy Souls in Purgatory
	4:00 PM	Parishioners of St. John’s
THURSDAY, MAY 14	9:00 AM	Richard and Margaret Markert
	7:00 PM	All the Holy Souls in Purgatory
FRIDAY, MAY 15	9:00 AM	Jean Scarlata
SATURDAY, MAY 16	8:00 AM	John Coffey
	4:00 PM	Parishioners of St. John’s
SUNDAY, MAY 17	8:00 AM	Special Intention
	10:00 AM	The Mystical Mothers of Priests Mission
	6:30 PM	Special Intention

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament follows the 9AM Mass in the lower church every Tuesday and Friday, beginning with the Litany to our Blessed Mother. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is recited at 11:45AM followed by Benediction. Please feel free to drop in for a visit.

Join Us For Coffee, Donuts and Conversation
COFFEE HOUR

St. John’s parish family invites you to join us for coffee and conversation in the parish center following the 10AM Mass this Sunday.

2nd collection **NEXT** weekend
Parish Upkeep & Maintenance

ASCENSION
of the Lord

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The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, a holy day of obligation, will be celebrated **THIS Thursday, May 14.**

HOLY DAY MASSES

Wednesday, May 13, at 4PM
 Thursday, May 14, at 9AM & 7PM

Divine Mercy Prayer Group

There will be a holy hour of Divine Mercy every Monday from 6:30-7:30PM in the lower church. All are welcome.

Holy Hour for the Conversion of Sinners and Prayers for the Dying

There is a holy hour here at St. John’s parish for the conversion of sinners and prayers for the dying on **Thursdays at 6:30PM in the lower church.**



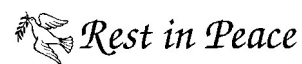
Please Remember in Prayer

All confined, all in need of healing...Please pray for all deceased and their families...Our servicemen and women, and their families, and all who suffer in embattled countries.

Did you Know?

St. John’s has an AED (Automated External Defibrillator) on site! It is located in the **lower Sacristy** in the main church on the east wall in a white box. Should a cardiac event occur, the unit will walk you through the steps for use. Do you know where the closest exit is in the event of a fire? Did you know a fire pull box is located in the narthex north-side (left when leaving) and the lower Sacristy next to the AED? Additionally, we have multiple pull boxes and extinguishers in the Parish Center. Take a moment to look around. Thank you, The staff of St. Johns

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated 8:30-9:15AM in the lower church THIS Saturday, May 16.



Phyllis Hill
 Grace Melvin
 Muriel Lacroix

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

If you are new to the Parish, please introduce yourself. We want to know and serve you. We hope you will support your parish with your prayers, your presence and your talents. Please call the Parish Office (435-3313x20) to register.

Monday Zoom Rosary

Monday evenings at 7PM. This 30 minutes once a week provides a quiet and reflective time. You also pray in the comfort of your home but with a community of faith praying with you. Try it out. All are welcome! Contact Deacon Guy (deaconguy@verizon.net) for more information and Zoom link.



Knights of Columbus

Mother's Day Carnation Drive

The Knights of Columbus, Bishop Rice Council, will be handing out carnations to honor mothers as they exit Mass **THIS WEEKEND, May 9 & 10.** The Knights will be accepting donations to support Birthright International, a pro-life organization, who is dedicated to the support and protection of girls and women who find themselves faced with an unplanned pregnancy, the mother as well her child, both unborn and born. For more information on Birthright, please visit <https://birthright.org/framingham>. Thank you in advance for your donations which will help us support Birthright's mission. Any questions, please contact Bishop Rice Council #4822 Past Grand Knight, Bill Muench, at 508-259-3382 or william.muench@comcast.net.

St. John the Evangelist Pro-Life Initiative

Massachusetts 2024 Abortion Report Released:

What it Reveals (cont.)

"According to this report, in 2024, Massachusetts was responsible for the intended deaths of 49,450 innocent human beings. That's equivalent to the populations of Arlington, Barnstable, Pittsfield or Leominster; it accounts for 25,095 more abortions than the state reported in 2023 While the governor insists that abortion is not only health care but a human right as well, Massachusetts Citizens for Life maintains that life itself is the first and most important human right. And we have learned once again that our state consistently denies this basic human right to our most vulnerable.

<https://www.masscitizensforlife.org/>

[massachusetts-abortion-report-confirms-maura-healey-pl-edge](https://www.masscitizensforlife.org/massachusetts-abortion-report-confirms-maura-healey-pl-edge)



2026 RUMMAGE SALE

Mark your calendars! St. John's annual Rummage Sale will be held on **June 12, 13, 15, and 16.** Donations will be accepted from 9AM-4PM, Monday through Friday, from May 26 through June 10. No items will be accepted on Sundays. For a list of items that can and cannot be accepted, please check St. John's website. Many thanks!



Thank You

To all our volunteers!

The biggest thank you for volunteering your time and energy to St. John's Parish this past year. Your help and talent do not go unnoticed. Our parish is lucky and grateful to have you in whatever area you volunteer. You have made our parish better and have possibly changed the lives of some. We wish you all well.

Graduate Mass & Dinner

High school seniors and their families are invited to attend a Graduation Mass **NEXT Sunday, May 17, at 6:30PM** followed by a light meal in the Parish Center. Invitations have been sent to graduating senior's parent's emails. **Please RSVP by May 12.**

SUMMER BIBLE ADVENTURE

See the parish website for more information and to register.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Congratulations to the following students who recently received Jesus for the first time:

Aimee Ballas	Ian Lindquist
Emma Ballute	Charlotte Lombardi
Graham Bortolussi	Henry Mannix
Grace Carley	Finn Manzella
Emilia Cherry	Vivienne Marino
Charles Crowe	Hadley Martin
Thomas DeCandia	William Mastroianni
Sophia Dell'Orco	Samantha McIntyre
Alexandra DiSegna	Connor Moyan
Thomas Doshna	Mason O'Kula
Jacob Douglass	Gabriel O'Leary
Caleb Dugan	Josephine Pfeiffer
Quinn Elliott	Liliana Pope
Hannah Finneran	Madelaine Powers
Nolan Hartman	Amaya Rose Raval
Parker Huezo	Oliver Su
Jameson Hurley	Gavin Vanik
John Jones	Preston Weable
Jonah Joseph	Florence Zwilling
Ella Koerner	

MAY 10, 2026

PRAYER FOR MOTHERS

Heavenly Father,
from the beginning you have chosen to entrust
the human person to mothers in a special way.
We thank and praise you for the gift of mothers;
for their tenderness, care, and compassion,
for their intuition and encouragement,
for commitment and sacrifice.
Bless all mothers this day.
Keep, strengthen, and refresh them
in your loving care.
May they be blessed by our open-hearted
love and gratitude.
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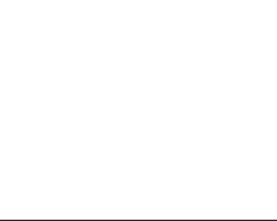
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