St. John Vianney
Catholic Church and School
A Stewardship Parish

—Sixty–seven years of sharing The Living Eucharist daily.

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Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called children of God. Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven.

—Matthew 5:9–10

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 28, 2016
**2017 Mass Intention Book**

Masses are scheduled through the parish office or, via phone by using a credit card as payment.

If you have multiple requests, please call 360.1147 to make an appointment.

The Parish Office is open Monday—Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Thank you!
From the Pastor

Pray the Rosary for our Nation
As we move into the heat of this election year, we find ourselves at another decisive point in our nation. We also find ourselves at a time of a great moral crisis which is impacting the very fabric of our society and culture.

His Eminence, Cardinal Raymond Burke, reminds us of the grave significance of this moment in our nation’s history: There is no doubt that our beloved nation is in one of the worst crises which it has ever experienced, a profound moral crisis which generates division on all levels and results in an ever-greater more pervasive violence and killing. For Roman Catholics, who have always been known for their faith-filled patriotism, the first response to this crisis is fervent prayer and, in particular, prayer through the intercession of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary, Mary Immaculate, who is also the patroness of our nation.

There is a national grassroots movement among certain Catholic groups promoting the praying of a 54-day rosary novena for our nation, specifically between the period of the Feast of the Assumption (August 15) to the Feast of the Most Holy Rosary (October 7). Cardinal Burke has endorsed this particular rosary campaign. These types of campaigns can be helpful and spiritually fruitful in bringing greater awareness and visibility of our needs to offer up prayers for our nation.

Therefore, in light of these recent state of affairs, I want to encourage you, dear parishioners, to pray the rosary! Pray the rosary for our nation, asking the intercession of Mary, the Immaculate Conception, Patroness of our Country, to guard, guide and protect our country. May our devotion and dedication to the rosary and Our Lady give us purity of heart so we might have clarity of mind in this most challenging of times.

For more information about the 54-day rosary novena, go to novenaforournation.com.

Choir Rehearsals are Beginning!
Choir Rehearsals begin September 28th at 7:15 p.m. in the choir balcony.

The adult choir sings every Sunday morning at the 10 a.m. Mass. Rehearsals are every Wednesday evening in the church balcony.

The choir is in need of all voices. We sing a wide range of beautiful sacred songs. Let our voices join together in singing to God.

For more information, contact Crystal Dunn at 360.1147, ext. 105.

Altar Servers Needed
All students—fourth grade through high school—who have made their First Holy Communion, are invited to join us as servers to the Lord. In committing to the Altar Server duties, you truly participate in the Eucharist. It is an honor and a privilege to be a part of this special ministry.

Registration forms can be found in the school office and at the main entrance of the church. Please return completed forms to the school office or the sacristy of the church. There will be three training sessions which will be held in the church. If you can’t make one or all of these, we can work out another time for you.

Week One: Thursday, September 22, 3:15–4:30 p.m.
Week Two: Thursday, Sept. 29, 3:15–4:30 p.m.
Week Three: Thursday, October 6, 3:15–4:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Holly Benfield at 360.1147, ext. 233, or email hbenfield@sjvcc.org.
**YEAR OF MERCY HEALING SERVICE FOR THE DIVORCED, SEPARATED AND REMARRIED**
Cathedral of St. Jude the Apostle

In this Julibee of Mercy, Jesus says to all, *Come to Me, all who are weary and heavy-laden, and I give you rest.* This is especially the case for those who may have experienced the pain of a divorce or separation.

Join Catholic Speaker Rose Sweet as we seek God’s mercy, healing and hope on Sunday, September 18th at 3 p.m. in the Cathedral of St. Jude, 5815 5th Avenue N. St. Petersburg. Free babysitting is available.

Contact the Cathedral of St. Jude at 727.347.9708 or visit [cathedralalive.org](http://cathedralalive.org).

**BLESSED MOTHER’S BIRTHDAY**
Legion of Mary

The Legion of Mary will celebrate our Blessed Mother’s birthday on Monday, September 12th, at the 8:15 a.m. Mass.

After Mass we will recite the rosary. After the rosary, we invite all for fellowship and refreshments in the Vianney Center—St. Francis Room.

All are invited. Please plan on attending this special day to honor Our Blessed Mother.

**PRISON MINISTRIES**

Our monthly diocesan support group for family/friends of the incarcerated will be taking a summer hiatus. Meetings should resume soon. Please check future bulletins.

For more information, contact the Office of Prison Ministry at 344.1611, ext. 5414.

**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS COURT ST. JOHN VIANNEY #1944**
Rosary for World Peace

Don’t forget to join the Catholic Daughters of the Americas on the first Saturday of the month, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass to pray the rosary for World Peace.

Pray the rosary with us on Saturday, September 3rd.

**ROCK THE UNIVERSE**

Universal Studios

September 9 & 10, 2016
4 p.m.–1 a.m.

Parish high school teens are invited to rock, ride and rejoice at Rock the Universe only at Universal Studios. Experience two nights of soul-stirring songs from Christian music’s hottest starts, alongside awesome rides and attractions. It’s an unforgettable weekend of faith and fun.

For more information visit [universalorlando.com/Events/Rock-The-Universe/Event-Info.aspx](http://universalorlando.com/Events/Rock-The-Universe/Event-Info.aspx)

**FREE TRAINING—BE READY TO SAVE A LIFE**
Faith Community Nurses

Most people who experience cardiac arrest at home, work or in a public location die because they don’t receive immediate CPR from someone on the scene.

As a bystander, don’t be afraid. Your actions can only help.

If you are interested in learning hands-only CPR, contact either CJ Johnson at 222.1360 or SJVCC Faith Community Nurses at 360.1147, ext. 236, or email sjvccfcn15@gmail.com.
**Prayer List**

Adams, Edna
Ahern, Maureen
Alper, Barbara
Bache, Chris & Family
Baker, Brittany
Ball, Kathy
Bartoli, Dolores
Beattie, Bruce
Bickett, Carmen
Breese, Jack
Brodil, Jamie & Jackson
Brooke, Caroline
Brown, Charles
Brucie Bowen, Norma
Bryan, Dina
Burke, James
Byrd, Douglas
Canova, Gail & Adeline
Canpauno, Lillian
Capane, Vince
Carlton, Martin & Kathy
Clair, Margaret
Clancy, Connor
Clemente, Maddalena
Cooper, Timothy
Cromwell, Esmerald
Cunningham, Kathleen
Curtice, Lori
Cherchio Curtis, Patty
Dahlstrom, Mary
Delaney, Jim
DiCenso, Steve
Dower, Shirley
Durback, Luke
Fasano, Peter
Fleitz, Sheila
Franklin, Roger
Fron, Ed
Gibbs, Vanessa
Giebner, JoAnn
Gonzalez, Linda
Groeger, Chase
Haloc, Jennifer
Hanson, Paul
Harvey, Mary J. & Toni
Hopkins, Debbie
Huff, Baby Theo
Jacobs, Sue
Knoernschild, David
Krag, Joyce
Kramer, Clara
Lamb, Robert
Langenhahn, Tim
Leary, Grace
Lisa, Marilyn Porzio
Long, Michael
Longanga, Alice
Loughlin, Mary
Mann, Katherine & Jackie
Marin, Randy
Masterson, Tom
McCann, Troy
McCarthy, Carol
McCourt, James
McMenamin, Mickie
Melvin, Lori
Molina, Nina
Morelli, Michalene
Moriss, Sam
Morrison, Marsha
Morrone, John
Noppenberger, JoAnn
Pavisic, Marin
Peters, Vicki
Petitti, Mary
Reaume, Cheri
Reese, Brenda
Reynolds, Amber
Robert, Flo
Rossi, Andrew & William
Rouse, Nancy
Sailer, Verla
Salerno, Addie
Salerno, Michael
Sandoval, Marissa
Santello, Gail
Scardino, Lina
Silva, Armando
Sims, Gloria
Slavik, Donna
Sleyzak, Ed
Sleyzak, John Luke
Stainforth, Brian
Sullivan, Tash R.
Tammany, Robert
Thomas, Connie
Tomas, Ludmyla
Valenzky, Henrike
Van Horn, Julie
Vernotzy, Joan
von Spiegelfeld, Allen
Warrek, Debbie
Weathers, Brooke & Leila
Weber, Eve
Weber Jr., Timothy
Wiktor, Terri

If you wish to have your name or the name of a member of your family added to the prayer list, please notify the pastoral aide at 360.1147, ext. 232, or email promano@sjvcc.org.

**Armed Forces Prayer List**

All Our Troops

**Afghanistan**

Spc. Agent Michael Bradley, U.S. Embassy
Eric Schneider, Army
Sgt. David Moser, U.S.M.C.
PFC James Smith, U.S.M.C.
Sgt. Brian Marx

**Iraq**

Gary Miller, Diplomat

**Middle East**

David Arthur Dilegge, U.S. Army Infantry

**Saudi Arabia**

Jesse Fentross, U.S. Air Force

To add a name, please call the parish office at 727.360.1147.
**WISDOM & WORKS OF MERCY**

*The “One Thing” is Three: How the Most Holy Trinity Explains Everything*

Beginning September 11th.

This is the second stage in the Hearts Afire Program.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches that, by far, the most important mystery of our faith is that of the Most Holy Trinity. It’s the mystery of our faith that’s the source of all the other mysteries and shines light on them all. With humor and ease, Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC, deftly unlocks the “one thing,” the key to the church’s wisdom, and the greatest mystery of the Catholic faith: the Most Holy Trinity.

Far from being a scholarly or academic read, The “One Thing” is Three makes deep theology accessible to every-day Catholics. It’s written as a crash course to understand. What’s more, it makes even what’s familiar or forgotten appear in a way that’s new, exciting and relevant. This is a “crash course” in Catholic theology!

The Trinity is often seen as esoteric, obscure, and outside of normal life. This book is meant to change that. It’s meant to bring the Trinity home to our hearts.

Books will be available for purchase after all Masses this weekend, along with small group sign-up. You can also sign-up using WeShare Online Giving on the parish website.

For more information, contact Rebecca at 727.289.3154 or Frank Boyle at 727.360.1147.

**MOVING OR CHANGING PARISHES?**

When moving in or out of St. John’s Parish, or changing parishes, please notify the Parish Office at 360.1147.

**INTERESTED IN BEING A CANTOR?**

St. John Vianney is in need of cantors to lead the responsorial singing with the congregation.

If you are interested in leading our church during this part of the Mass, please contact Crystal Dunn at 360.1147, ext. 105.

**2016–2017 OFFERTORY BOXES**

*This message does NOT apply to parishioners who receive a bi-monthly packet.*

Annual and 9-month offertory boxes are ready for pick-up.

If you require your envelopes to be mailed, please contact the parish office at 360.1147, ext. 207, so that we may assist you.

**MEN’S MINISTRY**

*The Mystery of God*

The Men’s Ministry of St. John Vianney Parish is proud to announce our continuing DVD program from Bishop Robert Barron entitled *The Mystery of God*. You may view the curriculum for *The Mystery of God* at [http://wordonfire.org/mysteryofgod](http://wordonfire.org/mysteryofgod).

We invite you to join us in this worthy compliment to understanding and expanding your faith. *The more you learn, the more you believe and the more you love.*

Meetings are held on Tuesday nights. Upcoming meetings are August 30, September 13 and September 27. Meetings begin at 6 p.m. for pizza, with program presentations 6:30–8 p.m. in Msgr. Trainor Parish Hall (September 27 meeting is held in the St. Francis Room).

For more information, contact Deacon Richard Santello at 360.1147, ext. 222.
**WeShare**

The stewardship of treasure is made easier than ever with St. John Vianney’s online giving system, WeShare.

Make your one-time or recurring donation using your debit card, credit card, checking or saving account.

Visit [stjohnsparish.weshareonline.org](http://stjohnsparish.weshareonline.org).

*Faith is taking the first step even when you don’t see the whole staircase.*

—Martin Luther King Jr.

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**CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH**

*Amazing Grace*

Your heart is now Christ’s home, and you are different as a result.

Little by little, Jesus is rearranging your priorities.

Little by little you are becoming...more peaceful, less self-focused, more compassionate, less fearful of the future, more forgiving.

Little by little, Jesus’ gracious presence in your life is changing you!

—Author Unknown

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**Lighthouse Catholic Media**

*Seven Deadly Sins—Seven Lively Virtues*

Join noted Professor of Theology and author, Bishop Robert Barron, in this revealing presentation as he sheds light on the *Seven Deadly Sins*—those great spiritual blocks that inhibit our relationship with God and others—and the antidote to them, the *Seven Lively Virtues*! Bishop Barron uses Dante’s Divine Comedy to expose these sinful patterns in our lives and show how they are effectively counteracted by the cultivation of virtue through the development of the gifts of the Holy Spirit. This fascinating journey shows the path that God has designed to lead us to health, happiness and holiness.

CD’s and booklets are available in the main entrance of the church. We kindly ask for a $3 donation for each CD and $2 for each booklet to continue this ministry. Checks may be payable to St. John Vianney.

For more information, contact the parish office at 360.1147.

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**RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults**

Want to learn more about the Catholic faith?

Are you baptized but haven’t received all of your sacraments? Are you interested in becoming Catholic or reconnecting with your Catholic faith?

Join us for an *RCIA Inquiry meeting* on Sunday, September 18th at 9:45 a.m. in the Parish Office.

Contact Frank Boyle, Director of Faith Formation, at 727.360.1147, ext. 201, or email fboyle@sjvcc.org.

Help us welcome the newest members of our faith!

RCIA Sponsors are needed to walk alongside those fully entering the faith.

Contact Frank Boyle for more information at fboyle@sjvcc.org or call 727.360.1147, ext. 201.

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**Bulletin Advertisers**

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Rosary at the Grotto
Every Wednesday at 6:45 p.m.
Outside St. John Vianney Rectory
Our Lady of Fatima Grotto

Please come join us for the rosary
to pray for persecuted Christians, peace and
conversion of hearts. All are welcome!

Altar Flowers
We invite you to donate flower arrangements in memory of a
loved one, to celebrate a birthday, an anniversary, a baptism, any
other special occasion or a church feast.

Donations and the occasion will be published in the church bulletin and announced at Mass.
Please contact the Parish Office at 360.1147.

This week’s pedestal arrangements are donated by
the Anderson Family in memory of Blanca Cecilia
and Winnie Carolyn Anderson.

This week’s altar arrangement is donated by Angela Graff in memory of Michael and Margaret Dugan.

Faith Formation Ministry
St. John Vianney

The Faith Formation Ministry is in need of teachers for our parish children, October–April.

Training and all resources needed will be provided. Teach once, twice or three times per month.
Whatever availability you can offer. It’s easy to volunteer and to teach, and the rewards are immeasurable. All you need is the love of children and a big sense of humor, because this is one ministry that will make your heart smile.

For more information, contact Frank Boyle at 360.1147, ext. 201, or email fboyle@sjvcc.org.

Safe Environment/Level II
The Diocese places two rings of protection around its children,
youth, and vulnerable adults—a criminal history background check and safe environment program training.

Level 2 Criminal History Background Check is required of anyone who wishes unsupervised access to children, youth or vulnerable adults.
A Level 2 Background Check is a check of an individual’s background predicated upon an electronically taken and transmitted set of digital fingerprints matched against prints contained in the FBI’s National Criminal Information Center (NCIC) database and the Florida Department of Law Enforcement’s (FDLE) Volunteer and Employee Criminal History System (VECHS) database.

Safe Environment Program (SEP) Training is required, along with the Level 2 Criminal History Background Check, before an individual can have the care, responsibility, and/or supervision of children and youth or access to vulnerable adults.

If you currently are a volunteer at our church and/or school and the above requirements were met, please be aware that you must be rescreened every 5 years. Please check your paperwork and make sure that these requirements have not expired.

If you would like to volunteer at our church and/or school and are unsure if you need the above, please contact the parish office at

Next Sunday there will be a second collection for the Building Fund.
Church Etiquette
The priest should be the last in, and first out of the church.

St. John Vianney Hurricane Preparation
Tropical Storm/Hurricane Warning
These warnings are issued by the National Weather Service and an alert is normally given 24 hours prior to landfall.

Once the above alerts are issued, all activities at St. John Vianney Catholic Church and School will be canceled.

Masses will be offered, as scheduled, until an evacuation notice is announced.

In the event of an evacuation and the island is closed, Masses will be held at Most Holy Name of Jesus, 5800 15th Avenue S., Gulfport.

Prayer for Protection from Hurricanes
God, our Father, Creator and Lord of the Universe, you have set the earth on its foundation and all elements of nature obey your command. We humbly beseech you to keep us safe from all dangers and to calm the storms that threaten us. May we be secure in your loving protection and serve you always with grateful hearts.

We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy spirit, one God forever and ever.

Amen

Travis Grandlienard’s Luau for Spondylitis Cure
Come out for a night of food, family and fun to benefit Spondylitis research and support.

Saturday, October 1st, 5–9 p.m.
Sacred Lands, 1620 Park Street N., St. Petersburg

Tickets are $30 per person and include a full course BBQ dinner, nonalcoholic beverages and dessert.

Prepare to be dazzled by Polynesian and fire dancing with the Paradise Dancers. Also, dance to the beat of a family friendly DJ, provided by Swing Time Entertainment.

A silent auction with great prizes and a raffle will also be conducted.

Don’t forget to dress in your Hawaiian best!

To purchase tickets:
Call Chris Grandlienard at 727.323.5168

All profits benefit:
The Spondylitis Association of America.
16360 Roscoe Blvd #100, Van Nuys, CA 91406

Presented by Knights of Columbus Council 5131 and the McGivney Foundation

Novena for Our Nation
Praying the 54 Day Rosary Novena for our freedom & faith in America
AUG. 15TH - OCT. 7, 2016
Scheduled Liturgies & Devotions

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction
Wednesdays, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass, concluding with Benediction at 6:30 p.m.

Bereavement—Vianney Center
The bereavement support group meetings are on 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 9:15–10:15 a.m. Please call Sr. Elizabeth to register at 360.1147, ext. 223.

Morning Prayer “Divine Office”
Held in the church Monday–Friday at 7 a.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to the Homebound
If you are unable to attend Mass and would like an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion to bring Communion to your home or the home of a loved one, call Priscilla at 360.1147, ext. 232.

Legion of Mary
Mondays at 9:10 a.m.—Vianney Center

Miraculous Medal Novena
Tuesdays, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass

Rosary
Monday–Saturday: 7:30 a.m.
Thursday: after 8:15 a.m. Mass

Rosary for the Unborn
First Friday of the month, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass. (Sponsored by Legion of Mary)

Rosary at the Grotto
For Persecuted Christians and Conversion of Hearts.
Every Wednesday at 6:45 p.m. outside St. John Vianney Rectory, Our Lady of Fatima Grotto.

Rosary for World Peace
First Saturday of the month, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass (Sponsored by Catholic Daughters of the Americas)

For more information on our weekly scheduled liturgies and devotions, please contact the parish office at 727.360.1147.

Church Bequests
To observe the best method for naming the church in your will or trust, please ask your attorney to use the following terminology:

“I give devise, and bequeath (amount, article, stock, etc.) to Robert N. Lynch, as Bishop of the Diocese of St. Petersburg, and his successors in the office, for the use of St. John Vianney Catholic Church, 445 82nd Avenue, St. Pete Beach, FL 33706.”

2016 Annual Pastoral Appeal
Assessment: $275,114
Amount Pledged: $260,969
Amount Paid: $244,153
Thank you for your support and generosity.

Parish Sacrificial Giving
August 21, 2016
Offertory: $16,255
School Appeal: $3,209
Thank you for your generosity!