



St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church Parroquia De San Juan Evangelista

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Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ **October 7, 2018** ~ Vigésimo Séptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church is a community of culturally diverse people called to serve God. We fulfill this mission through: celebration of the sacraments, prayer, education, stewardship & evangelization.

San Juan Evangelista Iglesia Catolica es una comunidad de personas culturalmente diversas llamadas a server a Dios. Cumplimos esta mision a traves de: la celebracion de los sacramentos, la oracion, la educacion, el servicio y la evangelizacion.

Welcome To Our Parish! ~ Bienvenido a Nuestra Parroquia!

HE EMBRACED THEM AND BLESSED THEM

Today Jesus stresses how children embody the reign of God. They are trusting and loving and have hearts that are open to love. They are joyful when they are made aware of God's love for them, and are eager to return that love. This is the model Jesus holds out to us if we want to welcome the reign of God. We need to have open, loving hearts. We must drop our defenses, however we came by them, and welcome Christ's love for us with joy. This is impossible for us on our own. Only the grace of God will enable us to do this, but that grace is freely and generously given. We have only to accept it.

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LOS ABRAZÓ Y LOS BENDIJO

Hoy Jesús recalca que el Reino de Dios pertenece a los que son como los niños. Son confiados, tiernos y tienen el corazón abierto al amor. Se alegran cuando se dan cuenta del amor que Dios siente por ellos y están más que dispuestos a retribuir ese amor. Este es el modelo que Jesús nos presenta si queremos recibir el Reino de Dios. Debemos abrir el corazón y amar. Debemos bajar la guardia, sin importar por qué la hayamos montado, y recibir con alegría el amor que Cristo siente por nosotros. Es imposible que hagamos esto sin ayuda. Sólo la gracia de Dios nos permitirá hacerlo y esa gracia se nos concede generosamente y sin condiciones. Lo único que debemos hacer es aceptarla.

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Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Let the children come to me;
do not prevent them, for the kingdom
of God belongs to such as these.

— Mark 10:14

Vigésimo Séptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Dejen que los niños se acerquen a mí
y no se lo impidan, porque el Reino de Dios
es de los que son como ellos.

— Marcos 10:14

Parish Information

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST PARISH CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Campaign Amount	\$427,000.00
Amount Raised To Date <i>We're doing it</i>	\$339,386.48
Balance Remaining	\$ 87,613.52

Please continue to give so we can **repay** the **entire** loan.
 Por favor sigan dando así podemos reembolsar la totalidad del préstamo.

Weekly Offering for September 30, 2018

Attendance	Weekly Goal	<i>Revised 9/19/16</i>	\$11,872.00
53	7 PM Wednesday		\$ 185.00
148	7PM Friday Healing Mass		\$ 448.90
108	5 PM Saturday		\$ 1,030.00
133	7 PM Saturday		\$ 358.00
98	8AM Sunday		\$ 1,108.00
202	10AM Sunday		\$ 1,686.75
575	12:30PM Sunday		\$ 1,415.00
208	7 PM Sunday		\$ 721.32
	Miscellaneous Split Check		\$ 850.00
	Online Giving		\$ 110.00
	Offertory Total		\$ 7,912.97
	Difference		(\$ 3,959.03)
	Spanish Special Campaign Collection		\$ 849.25

St. John the Evangelist Pew Campaign

In an effort to provide our parish with additional pews, we are starting a pew campaign to raise the funds needed. We are asking for donations in different amounts to have a pew or pew section dedicated in honor of a family member, loved one or in memory of a loved one, or donated by different ministries or others who would like to donate to our campaign.

Donation amounts requested:

- For a full 5 section pew \$1,000.00 (or \$250.00 per section)
- For a full 3 section pew (pews in front of the Day Chapel) \$500.00 (or \$250.00 per section).
- For you donation two 2" X 4" plates will be engraved with your message (one on each end of a pew or on each section).

Idea for plate messages:

1. In Honor of Mary Smith beloved Sister and Friend.
2. In Loving Memory of John Doe 1975—2004
3. This Pew Was Donated by Jeff Jones
4. Donated in Honor of Sam and Mary Foxx For All You Do For Our Parish and Community.
5. This Pew Was Presented In Honor of George Hart.
6. Donated in Cherished Memories of our Dad and Granddad, Peter Pan 1919—2007.
7. This Pew Was Donated by The Knights of Columbus, Immaculate Heart of Mary, Council 4420.

Names and relationship will be placed with your information. All pew dedications will be on a first come first served basis. All pews will remain the property of St. John the Evangelist and neither donations, dedications nor plated engravings give dedicated or priority seating privileges in a pew. Amounts raised over the cost of additional pews will be added to the Special Project funds, not the Capital Campaign funds.

You are invited to a movie in honor of Respect Life Month, which is October. The movie is on Friday, October 12 in Gosnell. Please call Jean Hess at 404-808-4256 or email Patricia Hampton at pchamp-ton@comcast.net for more information on movie details the possibility of ride sharing.



Each Mass is celebrated for one special intention only. For **specific** dates, please send your request to the office at least **4 weeks in advance** and include your phone number. Also let us know if the mass intention is for someone Living (L) or Deceased (D).
 Thank you.

**MASS INTENTIONS
 LAS INTENCIONES PARA LA MISA**

Saturday, October 6

- 8:30am All Souls ~ Ninh Family
- 5:00pm Anne Nwiloh (D) ~ Pastor
- 7:00pm **For All Souls In Purgatory**

Sunday, October 7

- 8:00am Celestine Washington (D) ~ Elizabeth Hill
- 10:00am Elizabeth Duru (D) ~ Obedegwu Family
- 12:30pm **For All St. John Parishioners**
- 7:00pm **For All Sick Parishioners**

Monday, October 8

- 7:00am Margaret Misale (D) ~ Mike Misale
- 8:30am All Souls ~ Ninh Family

Tuesday, October 9

- 7:00am Dr. Sheila Nnanabu (L) for her birthday ~ Pastor
- 8:30am Elizabeth Hill (D) ~ Pastor

Wednesday, October 10

- 7:00am All Souls ~ Ninh Family
- 8:30am Grace Egbejimba (D) ~ Pastor
- 7:00pm **For All Sick Persons**

Thursday, October 11

- 7:00am Fr. Michael Onyekuru (L) ~ Bialoglow Family
- 8:30am John Bialoglow (L) Birthday ~ Bialoglow Family

Friday, October 12

- 7:00am John Egbejimba (L) ~ Pastor
- 8:30am Linda Nguyen (L) ~ Pastor

Saturday, October 13

- 8:30am All Souls ~ Ninh Family
- 5:00pm Rosario Robinson (L) ~ Sheila Appling
- 7:00pm **For All Souls In Purgatory**



Cada Misa se celebra por una intención especial solamente. En determinadas fechas, por favor envíe su petición a la oficina al menos 4 semanas de anticipación e incluir su número de teléfono. También déjenos saber si la intención es masivo para alguien que vive (V) o fallecidos (F).
 Gracias.

**2018 Archbishop's Annual Appeal
 Llamamiento Anual del Arzobispo 2018**

Parish Goal	\$41,000.00
Amount Paid	\$33,220.52
Amount Remaining	\$ 7,779.48

234 Pledges already turned in

*This year's theme: Go Therefore And Make Disciples
 El tema de este año: Vayan Pues Y Hagan Discipulos*

*Thank you for your pledges and for your continued support of St. John's!
 Te damos gracias por tus promesas y por su apoyo continuo de San Juan!*

◆ **LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE** ◆

5:00 PM Saturday **October 13, 2018**
 Greeters/Ushers Nick Sauro, Rick Luteran
 Bogie Wallace
 Lectors Grace Cox

8:00 AM Sunday **October 14, 2018**
 Greeters/Ushers Todd Hausman, Extra Rivers,
 Mark Tursich,
 Lector Wendrell Morton

10:00 AM Sunday **October 14, 2018**
 Greeters/Ushers Bob Anderson, Sylvester Brown
 Jude Iuwala
 Lector Michael Tchouaffe
 Ministers of Lerma Anderson, Cathy Asemota,
 Communion Solomon Asemota, Christina Bi-
 aloglow, Maria Bialoglow,
 Chevonne Brawner, John Brown,
 Patricia Bullock, Robert Mize

◆ **Church Cleaning** ◆
 October 20 ~ Ladies of Peter Claver
 October 27 ~ Spanish Community

◆ **Altar Linens** ◆
 October 20 ~ Tuyet Nguyen
 October 27 ~ Tammy Ruppel

***Thank you to all of our Volunteers.
 The best and most blessed in Atlanta!***

If you were baptized in the Roman Catholic Church but failed to receive any other Sacrament of Initiation, such as Penance, Confirmation or Holy Eucharist, and would like to do so, contact Meg Warner at her email mwarner@stjohnevangelist.net or Fr. Thomas Zahuta (tzahuta@archatl.com). More information is available on the Church website www.stjohnevangelist.net.

Si le bautizaran en la iglesia Catolica pero no recibiera los sacramentos de los iniciaciontales comepenitencia, confirmacion o communion y los quisiera recibirlas, entre contacto con por favor Meg Warner Warner (mwarner@stjohnevangelist.net) o Padre Thomas Zahuta (tzahuta@archatl.com). Más información está disponible en el sitio web @ www.stjohnevangelist.net

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Le invitamos a apoyar nuestros anunciantes en la última página del boletín. Hágaes saber que usted es miembro de San Juan cuando usted utiliza sus servicios!

RESPECT LIFE MONTH

October, respect life month, is an opportunity to promote the dignity of all human life and to work toward protecting the most vulnerable in our society. We invite everyone to reflect on this year's theme, "Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent." During the week reflect on what it means to you, personally.

MINISTRIES

Parish Council
 Sheila Appling ~ Sappling76@yahoo.com
 St. Vincent De Paul
 Carla Ross ~ 404-766-3944
 Food Pantry on Tuesday
 Call 404-766-3944 on Tuesday
 From 10:30am – 12:30pm
 For appointment for Financial Assistance
 Prison Ministry
 Deacon Dick Tolcher ~ rtolcher@archatl.com
 Religious Education
 Daphny Keel ~ dapkee@msn.com
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 Cathy Asemota ~ Casemota@bellsouth.net
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 Bob Anderson ~ ander11178@comcast.net
 Knights of Peter Claver
 John Brown ~ brow5161@gmail.com
 Stewardship
 Susan Burroughs ~ sburroughs@stjohnevangelist.net
 Baptism
 Nick Goodly ~ ninjgoodly@aol.com
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 Sue Yarber ~ syarber@comcast.net
 AACCW
 Patricia Hampton ~ pchampton@comcast.net
 Music
 Phillis Baker ~ 404-768-5647 Ext 211
 Carla DeBord & Erica Deloney

Parish Office: 230 Arnold St., Hapeville, GA 30354
 Regular Office Hours: Tues - Fri 9:00 am to 2:00 pm
 Phone 404-768-5647/Fax 404-767-6416
 Website: www.stjohnevangelist.net

School Office: 240 Arnold St., Hapeville, GA 30354
 Office Hours: Mon-Fri 7:30am-3:30pm
 Phone 404-767-4312

Website: www.sjecs.org ~ Mrs. Karen Vogtner, Principal

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SOCTOBER

Winter is almost here and the Women's Guild at St. John the Evangelist has a new campaign called Soctober. The Guild is collecting new socks of all sizes to help the children at Solomon's Temple emergency shelter and toiletries for the adult women residents. Donation baskets will be in the Narthex from October 6th through October 28th. Some of the items needed are: toothpaste, feminine products, soap, lotion, razors, mouthwash, deodorant, first aid kits, shower gel, Vaseline, shampoo, conditioner (Black hair care products welcome), hand sanitizer, oil, gels and moisturizers. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

MASS TIMES***Weekend Masses/Misas Fin de Semana:***

Saturday Vigil/Sábado 5pm (E), 7 pm (S)

Adoracion al Santisimo todos los sabados después de la Misa de 7:00PM. Confesiones despues de misa.
Adoration and confession after 7:00 PM Mass.

Sunday/Domingo 8am, 10am
 Spanish/Español 12:30pm,
 7pm

Weekday Masses/Misas Diarias:

Saturday/Sábado 8:30am
 Monday-Friday/Lunes-Vie 7am, 8:30am
 Spanish/Wednesdays/Miércoles 7pm

Confessions/Confesiones:

Saturdays/Sábados 9am and 4pm

Monthly/Last Friday:

Spanish 7:00pm

**Misa de unción de los enfermos**Cada cuarto Viernes - 7 pm.**Healing mass**Every fourth Friday -7pm.**Asamblea**

Grupo de evangelizacion los invita a la asamblea general cada segundo viernes del mes 8pm.

General Assembly

Evangelism Group invites you to the General Assembly every second Friday of the month at 8pm in the Sanctuary.

Prebautismales Y Prematrimoniales

Para informacion para bautismo, matrimonio, quinceñera, etc. favor de venir a la oficina parroquia los Miercoles y Jueves 10AM a 1PM horario en Espanol. Póngase en contacto con Nick considerable en Ninjgoodly@aol.com bautismo para clases de Inglés.

Prebaptism and Premarital

For information for baptisms, marriage, quinceñeras, etc. please come to the parish office Wednesday and Thursday 10AM to 1PM for assistance in Spanish. Contact Nick Goodly at ninjgoodly@aol.com for baptism classes in English.

Grupo de Adolescentes Parroquial

Jóvenes entre los 14 - 19 años que quieran hacer parte de este proyecto de nuestra Parroquia. Nos reunimos todos los Viernes a las 6 PM en los salones del catecismo.

Parish Youth Group

Youth between the ages of 14 - 19 years are invited who want to be part of this project of our Parish meet every Friday at 6 PM in the parish office.

Grupo de Acólitos

Para todos los que quieran servir en el Altar durante las Misas en Español les recordamos que el grupo de Acólitos se reúne todos los Viernes a las 6 PM en los salones del catecismo primer piso.

Altar Servers

For all those who want to serve on the Altar during Mass in Spanish we remind you that the group of acolytes meets every Friday at 6 PM in the Parish Office on the first floor.

Hombres de Fe

Ministerio Catolico Hombres de Fe los invita a sus reuniones si esta buscando perseverar y conoser mas de la palabra venga cada segundo y cuarto Sabado de mes en los salones de catecismo a las 8PM. No ministerios "grupo" de hombres que intentar vivir mas profundamente su fe y buscan una relacion mas profunda con Jesu Cristo.

Men of Faith

Ministry of Catholic Men ~ Men of Faith are invited to these meetings. If you're looking to persevere and know more about the Word, come each second and fourth Saturday of the month to the catechism classrooms in the Parish office at 8PM. This is not just a ministry, it is also a group of men who try to live their faith more deeply and seek a more intense relationship with Jesus Christ.

**Cursillio**

Men: October 4-7; Women: October 11-14

*Monastery of the Holy Spirit in Conyers GA*More than a simple retreat, this three-day weekend invites Catholics to dive into the well of our faith and personally connect with God's unlimited love. If you are interested in attending or learning more about a Cursillo weekend, please contact Jeanne Marie Mosley (678-592-3132) goodnews37@bellsouth.net or Larry Ruder (404-781-7895) lrunder@msn.com.

Hombres: del 4 al 7 de octubre; Mujeres: del 11 al 14 de octubre

*Monasterio del Espiritu Santo en Conyers GA*Más que un simple retiro, Cursillo juega un papel en el crecimiento de una persona como cristiano. Este fin de semana de tres días invita a los católicos a sumergirse en el pozo de nuestra fe y conectarse personalmente con el amor ilimitado de Dios. Si está interesado en asistir o conocer más sobre un fin de semana de Cursillo, comuníquese con Jeanne Marie Mosley (678-592-3132) goodnews37@bellsouth.net o Larry Ruder (404-781-7895) lrunder@msn.com.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

One of our great treasures is the way the Church has frequently flourished under unfavorable conditions, like the grape ivy on the mantel that refuses to die no matter how infrequently you water it or open the drapes. Like the apartheid laws in South Africa in the last century, the penal laws of Ireland were aimed at depriving the majority population of basic human rights. The Protestant parliament of Ireland enacted laws limiting the practice of Catholicism. The goal was to force conversion from "popery" to the Church of Ireland, and additional laws took aim at Jews, non-Anglicans, and Quakers.

There were laws against intermarriage, laws against Catholics being lawyers (there was a one-hundred-pound fine), a law granting lifelong income to priests who became Protestant, and a ban on weapons. In fact, until 1793, a Catholic man had to recruit and pay a Protestant man to serve in the local militia in his place! As if family life is not complicated enough in any age, the sons of a deceased father could divide his land equally, unless one became Protestant. In that case all would go to him! When allowed, new Catholic churches had to be built of wood, not stone, be off a main road or city square, have no steeple or bell, and be called a "chapel." Catholic "Emancipation" was largely secured by 1829, but even up to the founding of the Irish State in the 1920s, some effects of the laws endured. No wonder that poor Irish immigrants to the United States frequently built gloriously beautiful churches as their first act on free soil!

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-9, 10c; Lk 10:25-37
 Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-15; Lk 10:38-42
 Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4
 Thursday: Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 11:5-13
 Friday: Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-6; Lk 11:15-26
 Saturday: Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 11:27-28
 Sunday: Wis 7:7-11; Ps 90:12-17; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30 [17-27]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time;
 Respect Life Sunday
 Monday: Columbus Day; Canadian Thanksgiving Day
 Tuesday: St. Denis and Companions; St. John Leonardi
 Thursday: St. John XXIII
 Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

BURY YOUR TROUBLES

When I dig others out of trouble, I find a place to bury my own. —Anonymous

ALL WET

To repent and not to amend is like paying a debt by writing a check on water. —Anonymous

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Un viejo chiste relata que una ancianita por más que se apresuraba a llegar al templo, siempre llegaba tarde al rosario. Un día decidió adelantarse para ver por qué duraba tan poco tiempo el rezo del rosario. A la hora establecida salió un ministro de la sacristía y velozmente recitó "Cruz, Bola, bolita, bolita, bolita, Bola . . .".

Esta es una exageración del hecho que muchos rezan el rosario como si fuera una serie de fórmulas que se repiten sin pensar. Esta devoción mariana debe meditar con tranquilidad y en silencio. El enfoque del rezo del rosario son los misterios de la vida de Jesús. Los "Padrenuestros" y las "Ave Marías" nos ayudan a entrar en esa meditación en una forma mas profunda. Esas oraciones deben ayudarnos a penetrar el misterio de un acontecimiento gozoso, luminoso, doloroso, o glorioso de la vida de Jesucristo. Pero, una vez que estamos en presencia del misterio, debemos enfocarnos y contemplar a Dios. Esto no significa que el rosario no deba nunca rezarse en voz alta y en grupo. El rosario también tiene su dimensión comunitaria, pero ésta necesita fundarse en una verdadera meditación. En varias culturas latinoamericanas aún se canta el rosario. Ya sea a solas o en comunidad, rezado o cantado, el rosario es un tesoro de nuestra fe que nos puede facilitar la contemplación del salvador.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Gál 1:6-12; Sal 111 (110):1b-2, 7-9, 10c; Lc 10:25-37
 Martes: Gál 1:13-24; Sal 139 (138):1b-3, 13-15; Lc 10:38-42
 Miércoles: Gál 2:1-2, 7-14; Sal 117 (116):1bc, 2; Lc 11:1-4
 Jueves: Gál 3:1-5; Lc 1:69-75; Lc 11:5-13
 Viernes: Gál 3:7-14; Sal 111 (110):1b-6; Lc 11:15-26
 Sábado: Gál 3:22-29; Sal 105 (104):2-7; Lc 11:27-28
 Domingo: Sab 7:7-11; Sal 90:12-17; Heb 4:12-13; Mc 10:17-30 [17-27]

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Vigésimo Séptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario; Domingo Respetemos la Vida
 Lunes: Día de Colón;
 Día de Acción de Gracias en Canadá
 Martes: San Dionisio y compañeros;
 San Juan Leonardi
 Jueves: San Juan XXIII
 Sábado: Santa María Virgen

SEPULTA TUS PROBLEMAS

Cuando saco a otros de sus problemas encuentro un lugar para sepultar los míos. —Anónimo

PEQUEÑO PLANETA

Mientras vivamos todos juntos en este pequeño planeta, necesitaremos dulzura humana, cariño humano. —Dalai Lama