

# ST. JOHN VIANNEY

## CONNECTIONS

### OUR MISSION

*As followers of Jesus Christ, and as full members of the Roman Catholic Church, we, the Parish Community of St. John Vianney, joyfully proclaim our Savior risen.*

*Through prayer and sacramental celebration of life in Jesus, we join as co-creators in his mission of justice and peace, through the power of the Holy Spirit for the glory of God.*

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#### CELEBRATION OF THE EUCCHARIST

Sunday  
8:00am 9:30am &  
11:30am

Monday & Tuesday  
7:00pm  
Wednesday - Friday  
9:30am

Saturday  
5:00pm



#### CELEBRATION OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday  
4:00pm - 4:45pm  
(and after our  
Weekday Masses)

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm  
Closed from 12:00pm - 1:00pm for lunch





## **SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY & FATHER'S DAY**

**“Glory be to the Father, and to the  
Son, and to the Holy Spirit...”**

Today, on this Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, the Church invites us into the heart of our faith, not merely a doctrine to be explained, but a divine mystery to be adored and lived.

In today's readings (Proverbs 8:22–31, Romans 5:1–5, and John 16:12–15), we glimpse the eternal dance of love between Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Proverbs reveals Wisdom, understood by many as a poetic prefigurement of Christ, rejoicing with God before creation. Romans reminds us that the Holy Spirit pours God's love into our hearts, uniting us with Christ and giving us peace with the Father. And in John's Gospel, Jesus promises the Spirit of truth, who will guide us into all truth, revealing the divine life that flows from the Father to the Son and now to us.

The Trinity is not a puzzle to solve, but a relationship to enter. **“God is not solitude,”** said Pope Benedict XVI, **“but perfect communion.”** In the Trinity, we discover that love is not something God has, but something God is. And we, made in this triune image, are invited to mirror this love in our relationships with God, one another, and the world.

As St. Catherine of Siena once wrote: **“You, eternal Trinity, are a deep sea: the more I enter you, the more I discover, and the more I discover, the more I seek you.”** Let us worship this God of communion and love, and let the mystery of the Trinity transform how we live and love each day.

### **Happy Father's Day**

On this special day, we also honor and bless all fathers: biological, spiritual, and father figures, whose steady love, quiet sacrifices, and guiding hands reflect the fatherhood of God. May your hearts be filled with joy, and may you find strength in the example of St. Joseph, the foster

father of Jesus, whose silent faithfulness continues to inspire.

### **A Very Special Word of Thanks to Fr. Innocent Okozi**

As we celebrate Father's Day, we also pause to express deep gratitude and heartfelt blessings to **Fr. Innocent Okozi**, who has journeyed with us at St. John Vianney Parish this past year.

In his calm presence, welcoming smile, and deep spirituality, Fr. Innocent has truly embodied the heart of a spiritual father. His gentle homilies, reverent liturgies, and listening heart have touched many lives, quietly but powerfully.

Though we will deeply miss him, we rejoice that his journey continues as he begins a new chapter as a faculty member at **St. Augustine's Seminary**. There, he will form and guide future priests with the same compassion, wisdom, and joy we have been blessed to experience.

Fr. Innocent, thank you for everything—for the sacraments you celebrated, the hands you held in prayer, the tears you comforted, the smiles you shared, and the Christ you made visible among us.

May the Most Holy Trinity, whom you have served so faithfully, continue to guide and bless you. And may the words of St. Paul be your strength: **“I thank my God every time I remember you... for all your partnership in the Gospel from the first day until now.”** (Philippians 1:3-5)

With love and gratitude,

***St. John Vianney Parish Family***



Please join us after **ALL** the Masses this weekend for a **Farwell Fellowship for Fr. Innocent**. There will be cake and refreshments provided. Please take this opportunity to stop by and say farewell to our beloved Associate Pastor.

## Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Saturday June 14 <sup>th</sup>	5:00 pm † <b>Fransisco DaSilva</b> Requested by: Terry
	5:00 pm † <b>Francis Miceli</b> Requested by: Joseph Miceli
Sunday June 15 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 am For the special intentions of <b>Fr. Innocent Okozi</b> Requested by: Arleen & Vilma Chee Foon
	9:30 am † <b>Joseph Hien Tran &amp; Anton Anh Nguyen</b> Requested by: The Tran & Nguyen
	11:30 am For the deceased members of <b>The Knights of Columbus</b>
Monday June 16 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 pm † <b>Ralph Cacace</b> Requested by: Maria Aloise
Tuesday June 17 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 pm † <b>Laura Garrido &amp; Frank Picolino</b> Requested by: Ana Gonsalves
	7:00 pm † <b>Cheryl Quinn</b> Requested by: The St. John Paul II School Community
	7:00 pm For the special intentions of <b>Kyle Ramdial</b> Requested by: Natasha Ramdial
Wednesday June 18 <sup>th</sup>	9:30 am † <b>Larry White</b> Requested by: Family
Thursday June 19 <sup>th</sup>	9:30 am † <b>Lawrence Kim &amp; Family</b> Requested by: Anna Kim
Friday June 20 <sup>th</sup>	9:30 am † <b>Ron Collingbourne</b> Requested by: JJ Murphy Assembly
	9:30 am † <b>Richard Sutton</b> Requested by: Maria Aloise
	9:30 am † <b>Fred Aloise</b> Requested by: Maria Aloise
	9:30 am For the special intentions of <b>Fr. Innocent Okozi</b> Requested by: Gina Paquete
	9:30 am For the special intentions of <b>The Cremin Family</b> Requested by: Family



### WELCOME WEDNESDAY

Please come join us at our Welcome Wednesday Drop-In for videos, activities and plenty of conversation. We meet every Wednesday from 10:00 am – 1:00 pm.



### PARISH FAMILY PHOTO DIRECTORY

#### MORE DATES ADDED!!!

If you have not already signed up, please visit the Welcome Desk after Mass.

#### ALSO...

We are looking for friendly volunteers to help welcome parishioners during these photo sessions. If you can lend a hand for a few hours, please sign up at the Welcome Desk after Mass. Your help will make this a warm and organized experience for everyone in our parish community.

### 🔔 Parish & Youth Announcements

#### 👯 Zumba Fitness Night

Tickets are still available for a fun-filled evening of movement and music with our parish community!

💡 If you feel called to support the event, **donations are warmly appreciated** — whether you plan to dance or simply cheer from the sidelines!

#### 🍷 Edge Summer BBQ Potluck! 🍷🎉

Wednesday, June 18 | 6–8 PM | SJV Church Hall  
Youth in Grades 5–8 — join us for food, games, outdoor fun, and a prayer for a safe summer!  
Grade 4 students can get a sneak peek of Edge before fall.

#### 📖 Bible Church Camp

Registration is now open for children in JK to Grade 5!

🌱 Give your children a faith-filled summer full of learning, laughter, and love.

#### 🕒 Registration closes Sunday, June 22nd!

👋 For more information or to register, please visit our **Youth Minister, Kelly**, in the church hall after the 9:30 or 11:30 AM Mass.

### REMEMBRANCE ANNOUNCEMENTS

† Maria Pushavetz, † Patrick O'Reilly  
† Anton Bader,  
† Michael Byczko and † Gerald Lubinski



*Please pray for those who are sick:*

Kyle Ramdial & Susan Jibin



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