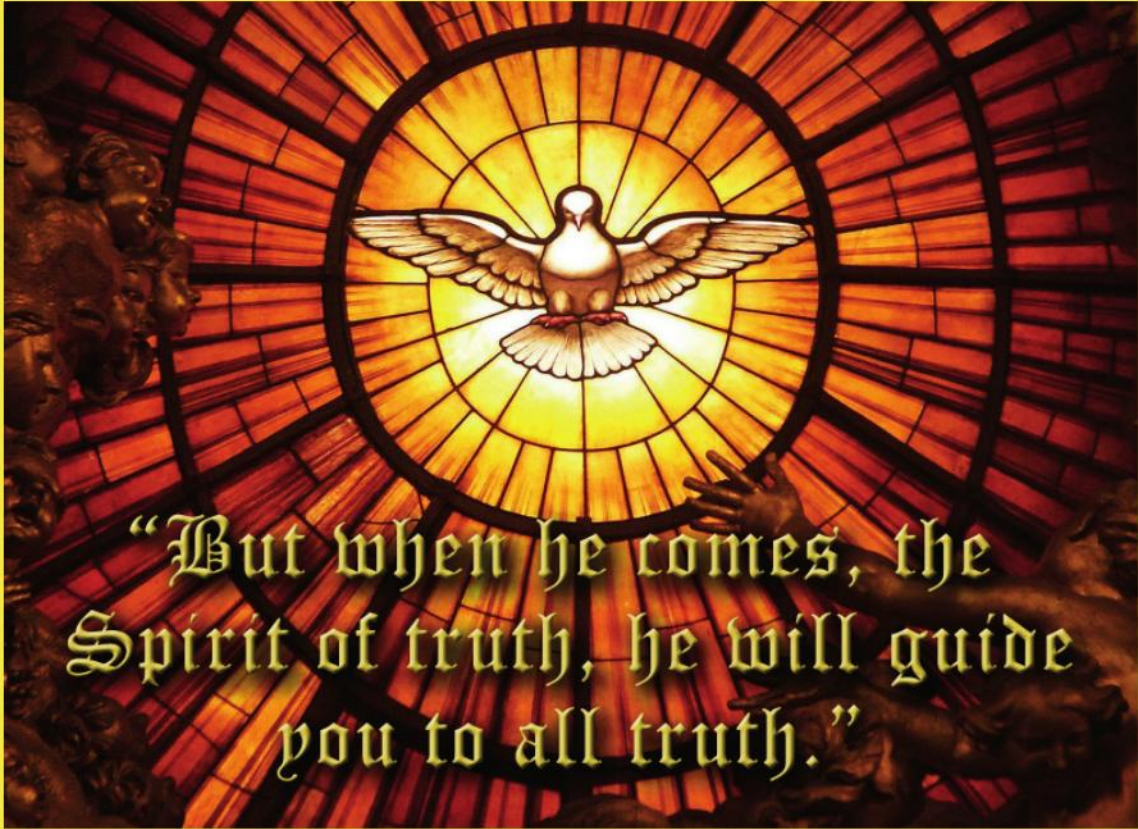




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**Pentecost Sunday**  
**May 19, 2024**

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■ **MASS TIMES**

Saturday 4:00 PM Vigil  
 Sunday 7:30 AM, 10:00 AM (livestreamed) & 5:30 PM  
 Weekdays Monday - Thursday 8:30 AM  
 Friday 8:05AM

■ **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Tuesday—Friday After Mass  
 Saturday 2:00 PM—3:30 PM  
 All others times by appointment only.

■ **BAPTISMS**

Please call the parish office in the early months of pregnancy.

■ **WEDDINGS**

Contact parish priest at least six months prior to anticipated date of wedding.

■ **CARE OF THE SICK** Notify the parish office.

**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

Our mission as the Body of Christ in the parish of St. Jean Vianney is to model the love of Jesus by discerning and doing God's will, consciously Sharing the Word and Eucharist at worship, educating in faith all ages, evangelizing our parishioners for Christ's mission, and serving justly God's people, our sisters and brothers within our parish boundaries, our larger Baton Rouge community, and into the world.

## Reflection

Question of the day.... There is an automotive repair shop around the corner from my house. They have a sign that reads, " We have gluten free oil changes." I didn't know you could have one for your car? I can't wait to see how my car performs after this. I just hope it's not too expensive! If you decide to get one, let me know. Why, because this is my first step in being an "influencer" to others...LOL

From the readings on Pentecost Sunday from the Book of Acts, we hear about the Apostles speaking to the various people in their native language. What puzzles the people is that they hear them speaking fluently in a language that would be foreign to most Jewish people. Remember in Jesus' time, there would have only been a few people that spoke more than one language. If they did, they would have been very wealthy people who traveled to these lands to do business. How did they do it? Easy, they were filled with the Holy Spirit in the image of tongues of fire! We don't hear what the apostles thought after preaching to these people. What their reaction was to their own miracle. What an impressive example of what Jesus can do in our lives.

So, the question today is, what "miracles" have we done in our lives? Since we are all baptized, the Holy Spirit is inside of us in our hearts. We are also reinforced with "supernatural steroids" ( I got this from Fr. John Riccardo – look him up) also known as the Eucharist. If we think about some situations in our lives, it was the grace of God that helped us. It should also inspire us to realize with God's help we can carry out much more/ However, our work that we do should be what God wants us to do and not what we want to do. Our efforts should always bring glory to God!

One of my pet peeves is that we don't hear the words, "thank you" very much these days! I encouraged the students at school to make a real effort in thanking people every day. For example, thank your parents for loving you, putting food on the table and providing a place to sleep; make sure you thank the teachers, administrators, and support people at school for giving you an environment to learn. Who then, do we need to "thank" in our lives? The first person we need to thank is God! Then our spouses (if you're married), family members, friends, co-workers, and list could go on.

Let us go and look for opportunities to "thank" those people who have helped us become the person we are today and continue to inspire us to be the face of Christ to others!

Remember...Be Good....Be Safe...  
Be Christ to Someone !!!

Deacon Richard



## *Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them O' Lord*

*We offer our sympathy to our  
parishioners who have recently lost a  
loved one.*

To Ryan Neustrom and her family on the death of  
his mother, Lydia Neustrom.

To the family of Sean Viator upon his death..



We welcome to our parish family

Parker Andre Smith  
Son of Andre and Caroline Smith

Jean-Luc Eric Bissel  
Son of Lucas and Carley Bissel

Micah Aaron Mills  
Son of Robert and Ashley Mills

Giorgia Marie Canelas  
Daughter of Cory and Natalia Canelas

## **VBS REGISTRATION is now open!** We need PARTICIPANTS and VOLUNTEERS!

Anyone who is participating can sign up  
using this link or QR code.

Any questions? Contact Kerry Ferrara at  
the church office.

[kferrara@stjeanvianney.org](mailto:kferrara@stjeanvianney.org)  
753-7950

<https://vbspro.events/p/df5331>



# St. Jean Vianney ACTS

Registration now open!



**Men's ACTS Retreat #1: July 11-14, 2024**

**Registration is NOW OPEN!**

**First Come/ First Served/ SJV Preference**

**Men's Registration Deadline is June 1st**

**Men's Link to Register**



OR

**Questions?**

**Contact Retreat Director @**

jack.dirks@gmail.com

## **What is an ACTS Retreat?**

An ACTS Retreat is a parish-based event which offers parishioners an opportunity to experience the love of Jesus Christ and in turn foster a desire for intentional discipleship. ACTS Retreats are given by parishioners for parishioners, with support of parish clergy, and in this way, serve to build Christian community within the parish.

*ACTS* is an acronym based on the activities and fruits of the retreat.

**Adoration** – Responding through prayer and worship to receiving God's gifts of grace, mercy, and love.

**Community** - Participating in the One Body of Christ as Church.

**Theology** - Deepening our relationship with God in order to better understand and fulfill His will for our lives.

**Service** - Answering the call to discipleship by following the model Christ gave us.

## **The Retreat Experience:**

While utilizing prayer, service, and teaching, the ACTS Retreat meets people where they are in their spiritual journey and invites them to experience God in a manner that is both personal and communal. In this way, the ACTS Retreat fulfills the mission of "Spreading the Gospel of Jesus Christ among Catholic Communities through ACTS."

## **It's a Spiritual Reflection & Spiritual Surrender:**

The ACTS Retreat experience is rooted in the Pascal Mystery in that retreatants are invited to reflect on the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Throughout the weekend, they are invited to prayerfully consider how they can respond to His love by spiritually surrendering to Jesus in order to have new life with Him.

**Women's ACTS still has openings!!**  
**Scan code to register.**

**Women's Link to Register**



## SJV CALENDAR

**Monday, May 20**  
**Tuesday, May 21**  
 10:00am Knitting Ministry  
 6:00pm Adoration  
**Wednesday, May 22**  
 Bulletin Articles due 6/2  
**Thursday, May 23**  
**Friday, May 24**

**Saturday, May 25**  
 The Most Holy Trinity  
 2:45pm Reconciliation  
 3:20pm KC Rosary  
**Sunday, May 26**  
 The Most Holy Trinity  
**Monday, May 27**  
 Memorial Day  
 Parish Office Closed

### The Rosary

Our Knights of Columbus lead the rosary at 3:20 PM on Saturdays before the 4 PM Mass. All are invited.



### Parish Office Closed

The office will be Monday, May 27 for Memorial Day.

## Parish Stewardship Summary Fiscal Year to Date

**July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024**  
**Weekend of May 12, 2024**

	Goal	Amt. Rec'd
Year to day Offertory	1,216,332.00	1,194,842.00
Weekly Offertory	26,442.00	18,792.00

**Average weekly Goal 26,442.00**

#### Tithing Options:

**Automatic Bank Draft:** Call the parish office, 753.7950

**Online Giving:** [www.stjeanvianney.org](http://www.stjeanvianney.org) click on Online Giving logo or scan



## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, May 20**  
 8:30am Dominic Hoang  
**Tuesday, May 21**  
 8:30am John Kim  
**Wednesday, May 22**  
 8:30am Sean Viator  
**Thursday, 23**  
 8:30am Ralph Trouard  
**Friday, May 24**  
 8:05am Emile Jacquin

**Saturday, May 25**  
 4:00pm Pierre Lignieres  
 Terry Rozas  
 Emile and Frances Noto  
 Bailen Walsh  
 Mark Blacharski  
**Sunday, May 26**  
 7:30am For Parishioners of SJV  
 10:00am Claire Goudeau  
 Adrian Sepeda  
 Ty Babin  
 Michael Haskins  
 Rosie Young  
 5:30pm Raymond and Betty  
 Montalbano

### SANCTUARY LAMP

May 20 - May 26, 2024  
 Cameron Whaley

### REMEMBER ST. JEAN VIANNEY PARISH IN YOUR WILL

Please consider remembering St. Jean Vianney Parish in your will. Contact Father Eric for more information. (753.7950)

## STEWARDSHIP OF PRAYER

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday** Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7; Jn 19:25-34  
**Tuesday** Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-8, 9-10a, 10b-11a, 23; Mk 9:30-37  
**Wednesday** Jas 4:13-17; Ps 49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11; Mk 9:38-40  
**Thursday** Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-15ab, 15cd-16, 17-18, 19-20; Mk 9:41-50  
**Friday** Jas 5:9-12; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12; Mk 10:1-12  
**Saturday** Jas 5:13-20; Ps 141:1-2, 3 and 8; Mk 10:13-16  
**Sunday** Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20

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