

FR. JOHN'S DIGITAL QUILL FOR SPIRITUAL MUSINGS AND PARISH NEWS

In Gratitude

Thank you to all of those who attended or watched the stream from the Parish Meeting last week. I am glad we did it to present where our parish is and to continue to be transparent about what we know about All Things New.

Please remember that our Annual Angel Appeal is now underway! The \$85,000 that we hope to raise represents 6.5% of our school budget this year. Please help us reach our goal in covering this need.

Also, please continue to be generous to the Sunday collection. 8.6% of our school budget is covered thanks to the Sunday Offertory. This means that approximately 20 cents of every dollar that is placed into the collection on Sunday supports the school. Your continued generosity here also means that we will meet the needs of our school this year.

No one here knows what will happen after the announcements related to All Things New are made. But we now have to meet the commitments we have made to our teachers, students, and families. I ask you to prayerfully consider contributing to the Angel Appeal this year.

Forms for the Angel Appeal can be found on the parish website under the parish meeting link or you can contact the parish office if you would like a hard copy.

Bother Father"/Open Office Hours

Here are the upcoming times in September for Bother Father!

Wednesday, September 7, 9:00-11:00am

Monday, September 12, 2:00-4:00pm

Thursday, September 19, 5:00-7:00pm

Also, I was recently asked if "Bother Father" is limited to someone from SRA. While this initiative is directed towards SRA parishioners, I will not turn someone away who is not a parishioner.

Please consider coming up and visiting!

Interested in RCIA?

Are you thinking that you might want to become Catholic? Were you baptized and did not receive any other sacraments? Do you need to be confirmed? If you answer yes to any of these, please check out RCIA! Our sessions are on Wednesday nights at 7:00pm. Please come! No obligation if you just want to come and get some questions answered.

Annulments

If you have any questions about the annulment process or would like to discuss a possible annulment case, know that you can always meet with Msgr. Stehly, Deacon Bob, or me. We are always happy to help answer any questions or to help you begin to present your case.

Usher Meeting

All ushers are invited to a meeting on Tuesday, September 13, at 7:00pm in church. We will formalize a roster of ushers and discuss the ministry. Hope to see you there!

I will see you online or in Church! - Fr. John #SRAstrong





PLEASE JOIN US!

RIDES GAME FOOD

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 5 – 10 P.M.

KARAOKE 7-10 P.M.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 11 A.M. – 9 P.M.

PARADE 9:45 A.M.

OUTDOOR MASS 10:30 A.M.

PRIZE BINGO 11 A.M. – 3:30 P.M.

KID GAME BOOTHS 12 – 5:00 P.M.

PETTING ZOO 1 – 4 P.M.

PHOTO BOOTH 3 – 7 P.M.

HODAK'S CHICKEN DINNER 4 – 7 P.M.

"THE GOOD TIME BOYS" - LIVE MUSIC 6 – 9 P.M.

50/50 DRAWING – 9 P.M.