

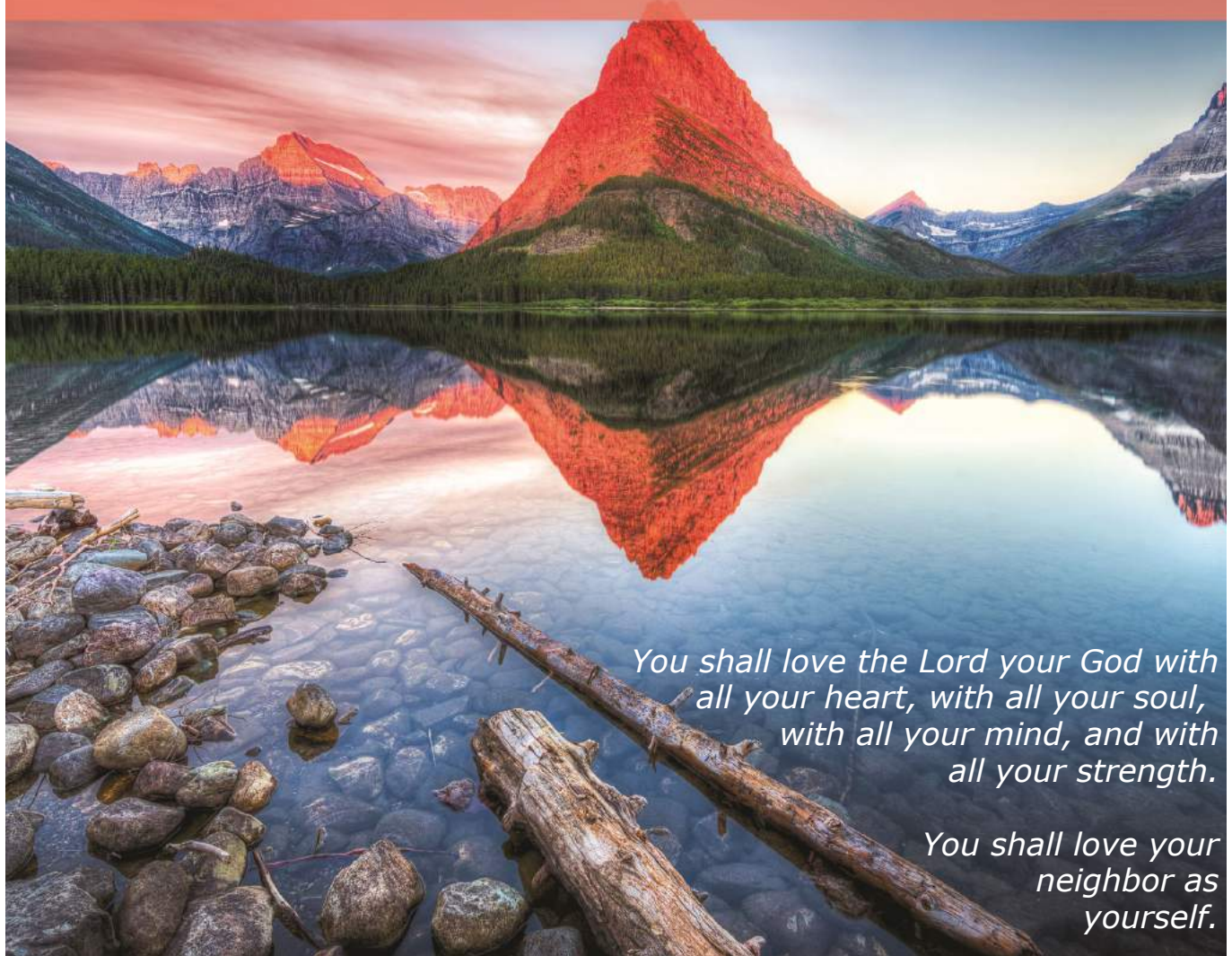
Saint John the Baptist Catholic Church

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NOVEMBER 4, 2018

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



*You shall love the Lord your God with
all your heart, with all your soul,
with all your mind, and with
all your strength.*

*You shall love your
neighbor as
yourself.*

Parish Clergy

Rev. Monsignor Vincent T. Kelly, Pastor

Reverend William H. Bowles

Reverend John Callan, Sch.P.

Office Hours: Monday 12pm—4:00pm,
Tuesday—Friday 8:30am—4:00pm

Confession: Saturdays from 4-5pm

† Mass Schedule †

Weekend Masses:

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00, 10:30, Noon & 5:00pm

Daily Masses:

Monday-Friday: 7am and 8:45am

Saturday: 8:45am



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, November 3

8:45am Thanks to the Blessed Mother and
✠ Tom Ashcraft

5:00pm ✠ Betsy Russo and Mary Ellen Winningham

Sunday, November 4

7:30am **Int.** Veronica Gonzalez and
✠ Joseph Bacigalupi

9:00am **Int.** Billy & Bev Green and
Jared & Adam Fallick

10:30am **Int.** Parishioners of St. John the Baptist and
✠ Chris "Bubba" Walker

12:00pm ✠ Carmelo Ingrassi and
Gjergj (George) Markaj

5:00pm ✠ Rose Doran and
Steve & Jody Langsenkamp

Monday, November 5

7:00am ✠ Kellen O'Neil and Betty Schwantes

8:45am ✠ Bertha Javor and **Int.** Eileen Borman

Tuesday, November 6

7:00am ✠ Tan Hoang

8:45am ✠ Carlos A. Moncada and Bertha Javor

Wednesday, November 7

7:00am **Int.** Dennis Frisco

8:45am ✠ Leonard Tomczak and Bertha Javor

Thursday, November 8

7:00am ✠ Susan Kanelidis

8:45am ✠ Bertha Javor and **Int.** Eileen Borman

Friday, November 9

7:00am **Int.** Scott Mooney

8:45am ✠ Bertha Javor and John J. Hurley, Sr. KM

Saturday, November 10

8:45am ✠ Phillip A. Caruso and Bertha Javor

5:00pm ✠ Joan & Brad Winningham and
Dr. Robert Dublis

Sunday, November 11

7:30am **Int.** Tony Fillichio Family and
✠ Roy Deffler

9:00am ✠ Joe Ferguson and Donna Yohanan

10:30am **Int.** Parishioners of St. John the Baptist and
✠ Joseph Doyle

12:00pm ✠ Mariano Salas and Linda Schultze

5:00pm ✠ Pat Desmarais and Maureen Foris

Nov. 10 & 11	Celebrant	Lector	Extra-ordinary Ministers
Sat. 5:00pm	Fr. Bowles	Charles Russo	Eileen Borman Gigi Wiborg Alicia Holloway
Sun. 7:30am	Fr. Bowles	Kitty Rotella	Maureen Buffington Eileen Higgins
Sun. 9:00am	Fr. Kelly	Armand Rodriguez	Lisette Rodriguez Bill Rotella Judy Tight
Sun. 10:30am	Fr. Callan	Sarahnell Murphy	Kris Ahern Bob Read Vicci Read
Sun. 12 Noon	Fr. Wiesmann	Dean McGrady	Mary Dellaporta Pam Jabbour
Sun. 5:00pm	Fr. Naughton	Denis Merz	Cathleen Mascarenhas

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of St. John the Baptist Parish is to nurture a community of faith in Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior. By means of worship, study, service, and community, each individual is invited to participate in the life of the parish family. Every person has a benefit to receive and gifts to share for the overall good of souls in this location of the Kingdom of God.



Four habits that will transform your life

Featuring: **DOMINICK ALBANO**

When: **November 16, 2018**
6:30 PM - 10:30 PM

Where: **Little Flower Catholic Church**
1805 Pierce Street
Hollywood, FL 33020

What are your habits? Are they helping you become the-best-version-of-yourself or some second-rate-version-of-yourself?

Our lives change when our habits change. Based on Matthew Kelly's book *The Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic*, this half-day event will introduce you to four simple habits that will help you reach your full potential.

Tickets: **\$25.00**
Purchase your tickets at
DynamicCatholic.com
or call 859-980-7900

“Got That Love in Your Heart?”

What word has been used (perhaps overused or even abused) so much in life as the word "love"? Symbolizing an attachment, an emotional feeling, a degree of commitment and a host of other personal feelings, it is possibly the most beautiful word we use to describe our emotional and intellectual attachment to another. As happens when words begin to become generically used, their over usage makes them hackneyed. Through commercialism, efforts have regrettably abused, distorted and redefined "love" for many in our country today. However, humanly we all yearn for the purity, dignity and reliability of the ideal of love.

For many, the dimension of love is merely a human creation. It is an attachment which they initiate and sustain and then decide the intensity and longevity of such love. This is a somewhat simplistic view of love. To do justice to the tremendous power of love, we must see it in its origin and its sustenance. It all began with God. As the Scriptures tell us (1 John 4), "God is love and he who abides in love abides in him."

For true love then you must consider the Lord. He alone is the originator of love. Because of the infinite love he has for us, he created us and sustains us on this earth. His plan was that we reflect the love he has placed in our hearts. Thus we attach ourselves to others. In so doing, we radiate the love God intended, keeping us connected through love and faith. Given the superb nature of the source of all love, we must endeavor to keep it on a lofty plain and not debase it in any way.

Our ultimate goal in life is to voluntarily love our God and as an expression of this that we love the creatures he has made: Love God; Love yourself; and Love your neighbor.

Blessings,
Father Vincent T. Kelly



It is our privilege and responsibility to participate in our election process. Please exercise your constitutional right and vote on November 6, 2018.

Kindly encourage others to vote, also.



Women's Guild Annual Holiday Bazaar November 17 & 18



The Women's Guild Annual Holiday Bazaar will be Saturday, November 17 from 4-7pm and Sunday, November 18th from 8am-2pm. The ladies are hard at work to make this event spectacular! If you would like to donate baked goods, please call: Bertha Martos at (954) 267-9854. Please plan on stopping by to jumpstart your Christmas shopping and purchase your Thanksgiving desserts!



We invite you to our
ANNUAL ITALIAN DINNER
sponsored by the
St. John's Men's Club on
**Saturday, November
10th**—doors open at 6pm.

Tickets are \$15 in advance and \$20 at the door (if available) and can be **purchased before and after masses this weekend.**

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST WOMEN'S GUILD

The Women's Guild monthly meeting will be on Wednesday, November 14 at 9:30 am in the Parish Hall. The guest speaker will be Elisa Stone from Covenant House Florida. We will be collecting wine and spirits for the Holiday Bazaar baskets of cheer and gently used items.

In this month of November, we remember all those we love who have died. Please use the All Souls envelopes located on the tables by the exits to honor your friends and family members who have passed. The names will be kept on the altar for the month of November.



Respect Life's 2nd Annual *Precious Life Luncheon*
Please join us and enjoy an afternoon to support the
Central Broward Pregnancy Help Center
Friday, November 9, 2018 from 11-2:30pm at



Hugh's Culinary
4351 NE 12th Terrace, Oakland Park
\$100 per person, RSVP:
Joyce Rose at (954)491-4897