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Faith Journey*

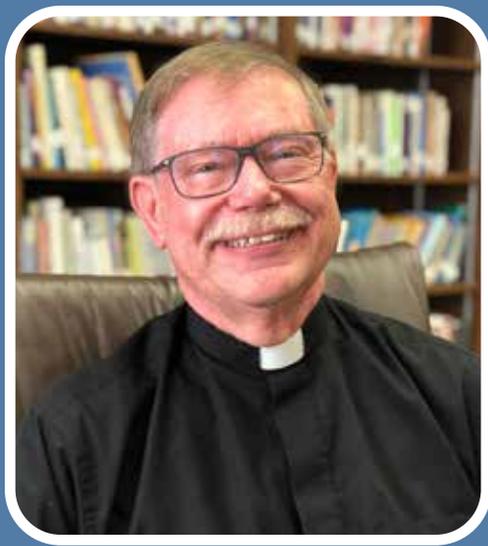


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*Ministry & Service
Handbook
2023*





Dear Friends in Christ,

On behalf of your priests, parish council and ministry leaders, we thank you for your goodwill, hard work and generous spirit during this past year. The efforts by many were crucial and enabled St. John Vianney Parish to keep moving forward in our important ministry work.

This year we ask you to Go Beyond in your spiritual life in Jesus. More than ever before, we are being called to defend and support our Catholic faith in a world which is increasingly distanced from God's plan. All of us are called to mission and that mission is to become and nurture disciples of Christ.

But you cannot give what you do not have, and so, I ask you first to strengthen your personal relationship with Jesus through individual prayer and participation in the sacraments of the Church. After you have answered your calling to a closer love of God, consider what you are called to do for our St. John Vianney parish family. Everything we do is only available because someone, like you, answered the call to serve.

Thank you and God bless!

Very Rev. Edwin Kornath
Pastor



*There is always a next step to take
as you grow in your faith.*

† **BECOME A PARISH MEMBER**

This is the place to care for others and be cared for; a place to impact our community and the world.

† **JOIN A SMALL GROUP**

Small Groups is where our large church gets small. Meet to discuss faith, go deeper in the weekly message, and support one another.

† **READ THE BIBLE**

Reading the Bible is an important part of being a disciple growing in love and worship of Jesus. It is where we come to know God and discover his plan for our life and salvation.

† **SERVE AT ST. JOHN VIANNEY**

Each week hundreds of people just like you give their time to serve and we call them ministers. Whether it is greeting guests, serving meals, or helping kids learn about God on their level, every volunteer minister is making a difference at our church.

† **SACRAMENTS**

We care about your spiritual journey and growth. Sacraments are visible rites seen as signs and channels of the grace of God to all those who receive them.

† **SERVE IN MISSIONS**

We make church matter by influencing our world for Christ. We believe that a healthy outreach is built on relationships - a solid connection between people in our community with those outside our church. By building relationships in communities locally and globally we aim to empower others to glorify God and live with dignity.

† **CARE & SUPPORT**

You matter to God. You matter to us. We have a dedicated group of ministers that can help you through tough times. Your financial support allows us to love as Christ loves and to do his good works.

Please communicate your ministry and service commitments by completing the Parish Renewal Commitment Form and returning it in the collection baskets at Mass or drop it off to the Parish Office.

You may also submit your form online at:

www.stjohnv.org/parish/parish-renewal

Thank you!

Our good God has created each one of us with unique strengths, personalities, interests and challenges. All are His gifts to us. And all are meant for good, the good of others and His glory. Isn't that an amazing truth?

Consider these words the Lord is speaking to you today, "It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name He may give you. This I command you: love one another" (John 15:16-17).



During this moment of renewal and commitment, think about the gifts that the Lord has given you and your family and ask Him how you can use them to love others in gratefulness for His goodness to you.

St. John Vianney has a ministry for every skill and interest!



Find a quiet place and time.
Maybe spend some time in Adoration.



Pray.
Ask the Holy Spirit to guide, inspire, and help you to discern your call to ministry.



Reflect.
Do a self-assessment of your gifts. What are my charisms, talents and skills? What are my likes? Do I have any special abilities or experience, including life experience? What are my dislikes?



Review the following ministry pages.
Sometimes just looking at what is available will provide the revelation you need to make a choice and get involved. What grabs my attention or piques my interest? How would I like to grow or what would I like to learn? How might my gifts, charisms, talents, abilities, experience and skills be used in one of these ministries? Where is God calling me to serve?

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Leadership & Administration

PARISH LEADERSHIP

Volunteers may discern to be on leadership committees in the spring beginning with Nomination Weekend. If you have an interest in these committees, contact the committee chairperson for more direction.



Pastoral Council

Kathy Barutha, 414-779-0155, kltbarutha@gmail.com

Pastoral Council is a nominated body of 9 parishioners who serve a 3 year term. The mission of the council is to play a co-responsible and collaborative role of leadership in our parish, alongside the pastor, staff and the parish community. Meetings are held monthly and new members are nominated in May.

Finance Council

Mark Czarnecki, 262-352-5904, markczarnecki7720@gmail.com

Finance Council is a nominated body of parishioners who provide advice and guidance to the pastor in the administration of parish assets. They prepare the budget, financial statement review/audits and are the consultative body in all parish financial matters.

Formation Committee

John Schlick, 262-790-2680, john.schlick@businfodesign.com

Working as an advisory committee, members partner with the Christian Formation staff to support formation classes and activities and parish programming for children, youth and adults, which include educational, service and social opportunities.

Human Concerns Committee

Pamela Beckman Westermann, 262-408-9775, pambeckwest@gmail.com

Promote service and social action in the parish and beyond. Study current issues in light of Catholic social teaching.

School Committee

Greg Herrle, 262-894-0994, greg.herrle@milliman.com

Discerned board members define and develop policies that govern the operation of educational programs at the parish school and support the principal in the implementation of these policies. Develop budget; write policies; coordinate advancement and development opportunities and long-range plan for the school.

Stewardship Committee

Greg Riener, 414-708-3523, gregriener@wi.rr.com

Develop and implement an active and vibrant parish renewal program within the parish to help members generously share gifts of time, talent and treasure. Develop ongoing programs to enhance total stewardship formation of members including - prayer, ministry and offerings. Coordination of planned giving program and new member orientations.

Worship Committee

Kay Curtis, 262-527-7585, kcurtis02@yahoo.com

Nourish and offer direction to the liturgical aspect of parish life by ensuring that parishioners are provided with opportunities to deepen their faith through a variety of prayer experiences and liturgical celebrations. Offer direction through reflection of readings and seasonal attributes.



Common Leadership Night fellowship.

ADMINISTRATION

Athletic Committee

Michelle Prudlow, 262-844-2651, mjprudlow@wi.rr.com

Direct an athletic program for youth of the parish in grades 5 - 12 and their families that fosters Christian values and promotes community. Coordinate aspects of the SJV athletic program - concessions, coaching, managing teams, tournaments and gym scheduling and supervision. Current athletic programs include: volleyball, basketball, track, cross country and tennis.

Building and Grounds Committee

Todd Prudlow, 414-840-1892, todd@honeycreekhomes.com

Assist parish administration and maintenance department with planning and maintaining the physical plant and surrounding areas. Evaluate short and long term needs of the parish as they pertain to the building/grounds, continually monitor the facility, and make recommendations to Pastoral Council.

Festival Committee

John Clarke, 262-794-3738, wiclarkes@gmail.com; Joe Czukas;

Larry Hipp, 262-821-6669, Larryhipp2000@yahoo.com

Promote and build parish unity and raise funds for the parish. Planning, set-up, festival operation and clean-up. The festival is held in June, two weeks after Memorial Day weekend.

Friends of St. Zita

Christine Schendzioles, 262-796-3946, christines@stjohnv.org

Clean the church on Fridays with other volunteers. Vacuum, mop tile floors, straighten, etc.

Human Resources Committee

Robb Lied, 262-796-3940, robbl@stjohnv.org

Develop policies, programs and provide advice on aspects of human resource management for the parish and school. Meets only as needed.

Technology Committee

John Genske, 262-717-9133, john.genske@outlook.com

Advise and support the parish and school on technology related issues. Assist with planning and providing hardware/network support and managing the SJV website.

Photographer/Videographer

Angela Bravata, 262-796-3947, angelab@stjohnv.org

Capture the vitality, spirituality and community of St. John Vianney through still photos and video recordings. Photograph events for the weekly bulletin or special features and projects such as the annual report.

Grow & Explore Your Faith

Bible Study

John Thompson, 262-796-3944, johnt@stjohnv.org

Further education in scripture via a Catholic Bible study group. Group meets to study a book of the Bible each year, on Thursday mornings during the school year.

Catechists for K4-High School

Janlyn Carvalho, 262-796-3944, janlync@stjohnv.org

Dave Baudry, 262-796-3944, daveb@stjohnv.org

Teach the Catholic faith to children K4-Grade 10. Teach classes Sunday mornings from September to March.

Children's Liturgy of the Word Presiders

Janlyn Carvalho, 262-796-3944, janlync@stjohnv.org

Celebrate the Liturgy of the Word with children K4-4th grade. Proclaim the Word of God and help the children understand the Gospel once a month at the Sunday 11:00 AM Mass.

Eucharistic Adoration

Marianne Kazmier, 262-821-9295

Adoration every Friday from 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. New adorers always welcome - 30 minute time slots of commitment. Adoration is open to everyone.

Mondays with Molly

Molly O'Connell, 262-782-5823, mollyjerry@yahoo.com

A faith sharing group of adult women, offering camaraderie, forgiveness and acceptance. Group meets most Mondays at 9:30 AM.

Novel Idea Book Club

Sandy Huhn, 262-853-5922, shuhn8@gmail.com

Christian fellowship. Reading and discussion of the book as a group.

Parish Mission Team

Beth Dobrazynski, 262-844-3742, bethdobrazynski@me.com

Plan and facilitate 3-day Parish Mission. Work to plan all aspects of the Parish Mission to further deepen the parish faith community.

Small Group Faith Sharing

Kathy Uy, 262-366-3810, kathyuy@wi.rr.com

Small groups of people share faith and form a

community. Meet as frequently as each small group decides. Each meeting focuses on a study book, Scripture or topic. Group leaders are needed to facilitate the new groups.

YARD

Rose Wegner, 262-798-9139, rsmrwegner@yahoo.com

YARD (Young Adult Religious Development) is a program designed to meet the spiritual needs of persons with developmental disabilities. YARD Catechists provide monthly spiritual and socially guided sessions for young adults (20-32 years of age.)

Vacation Bible School (VBS)

Janlyn Carvalho, 262-796-3944, janlync@stjohnv.org

Plan and coordinate a week-long summer event for children ages K4 through 5th grade to learn about God in a fun, casual and interactive way. Music, games, stories, crafts and snacks are incorporated into a morning of learning where both adult and youth volunteers are needed. Volunteers are needed to work with the director to recruit and train adult and youth volunteers, organize games and activities, facilitate outreach project, create an atmosphere of fun and learning, order supplies and work within a budget.

Youth Group - God Squad

Dave Baudry, 262-796-3944, daveb@stjohnv.org

High school teens gather for social, prayer and reflection activities. Format varies; activities include Bible study, discussion about putting faith into action, experiences for prayer and faith formation.

Young at Heart

Rose Wegner, 262-798-9139, rsmrwegner@yahoo.com

Dedicated to serving the senior (50+) members of our parish in the areas of fellowship in a faith community, development of interests, and growth in spirituality. They meet September through May (except for January and February) on the second Monday of the month from 12:30 to 2:30 PM in the Church Hall. Events are based on the voting of the members and may include a variety of speakers, musical entertainment, an ice cream social, a variety of luncheons and outside cultural events. Current dues are \$10 a year.

Serve & Support

All Saints Meal Program

Debbie Potter, 262-786-3651, canddpotter77@gmail.com
"For I was hungry and you gave me food..." Mt 25:35
We at Saint John Vianney Parish live that Bible verse. Join our group of volunteers to provide, prepare and deliver food to the poor. The meals are served the third Thursday of the month at All Saints Catholic Church, 26th & Capitol Drive. Any level of participation is welcome. Find out how you can live this Bible verse too!

Caregivers Support

Arlyne Jacoby, 262-792-1225, ajlynn7@wi.rr.com
The Caregivers Support ministry is sponsored by Catholic Charities with the intention of providing support to those who are caretakers of spouses, family members or other loved ones suffering from illness. Meetings are held monthly and provide fellowship and support for those who are facing the challenges of providing care. Meetings are the first Tuesday of the month from 9:30 to 11:30 AM. Christian men and women who are looking for support and a monthly respite for several hours are welcome.

Divorce Ministry (Single Again)

Mary Janowak, 262-366-6125, mjanowak@gmail.com
A tri-parish support group for those in the process of divorce and beyond. It is open to men and women from any parish or none, does not require registration, and is free.

Centering Prayer

Marianne Kazmier, 262-782-5586, mkazmier@wi.rr.com
The Centering Prayer group meets weekly on Tuesdays at 1:00 PM. They support and inspire those who practice Centering Prayer.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Shelagh Roell, 262-784-3554, Shelaghroell@yahoo.com
A ministry to give support to those in our community and surrounding areas who are suffering through illness, grieving or any hardship. Knitters and crocheters gather four times a year to discuss their projects and attend a Mass to bless their finished prayer shawls. Pattern may be provided, as well as yarn. Creativity is welcome. Each shawl is as unique as the people who make them and those who receive them.



Elizabeth Ministry

Amy Wucherer, 262-789-0902, awucherer@wi.rr.com
Ministry of women to women around all issues related to childbirth, pregnancy, infertility and loss of a child. Volunteers offer help to others based upon their own experience and ability.

ERAs Senior Network

Heather Uzowulu, 262-522-2404, Heather.Uzowulu@ERAs.org
Faith-centered non-profit organization serving Waukesha County residents in need due to age or disability. Help people stay in their homes through telephone reassurance, home visits, transportation, shopping and chores, help with forms and non-medical respite care. Training provided.

Firm Believers

Debbie Strachota, 414-303-0083, strachtalk@wi.rr.com
Pam Lessiter, 262-786-8069, lessitep@lesspub.com
Join the "ultimate moving experience!" Firm Believers is a ministry of improving the body and fellowship amongst its members. All ages are welcome! Dance aerobics on Monday, Wednesday and Friday with Yoga on Tuesday and Zumba on Thursday. Class starts every weekday at 8:00 AM. We close with a faith-filled reading every day with stretching and a prayer circle weekly.

Funeral Reception Committee

Mariann Van Winkle, msvanwinkle24@gmail.com
The Funeral Reception Committee ministers to grieving families by assisting in the set-up, serving, and clean-up at funeral receptions at SJV on a flexible, as-needed basis. Training is provided.

Grief Ministry

Mariann Van Winkle, msvanwinkle24@gmail.com
Give support to parishioners who have lost a loved one. Contact the grieving family and provide an offer for prayer and support. A special 4-week series is offered periodically to those who are grieving, and there are additional events in the Brookfield-area parishes.

Prayer Line

Mary Jane Schank-Doney, 262-786-8672
Pray for people who have requested prayers due to illness, loss of job or other special occurrences in their lives. People are broken into small groups and given names of people to pray for.

Reception Committee

Diane Scott, 414-852-7750 *texts preferred, djfowlerscott@gmail.com
Plan, organize and serve at receptions and events that are held throughout the year. Provide food for ongoing programs such as RCIA meetings and new parishioner breakfasts. Good cooks, bakers and party planners are especially welcome.

Respect Life Committee

Maria Schloemer, 262-717-9626, mschloemer@sbcglobal.net
Regular meetings for planning and formation on the full spectrum of life issues, opportunities for prayer, education and action. Monitor legislative and community developments that affect the dignity of human life.

Ronald McDonald House Brunch

Debbie Potter, 262-786-3651, canddpotter77@gmail.com
We know it's horrible having a sick child, but having a very sick child in the hospital is a parent's worst nightmare. We have a ministry that offers a nutritious meal to families at the Ronald McDonald House. Once a month we serve between 50-80 people a hot, delicious meal. (Food donations are welcome.) *Suspended due to COVID

St. Dismas Jail Ministry of Waukesha County

Tom Pipines, 262-547-2726, dismas@svdpwaukesha.com
"I was in prison and you came to me." Mt 25:36
Help people and their families who struggle with the justice system, yet seek the light of Christ. For more information, see our website at:
www.stvincentwaukeshacounty.org/jail-ministry/

St. Hyacinth's Food Pantry

Steve Pollock, 414-909-9223, sthyapan@gmail.com
At the pantry, volunteers help sort and distribute food, clothing, and hygiene items which are then distributed to the needy on the south side of Milwaukee. St. Hyacinth's Food Pantry is located at 1414 West Becher Street, Milwaukee.

St. Vincent de Paul Meal Program

Dick Fedler, 262-814-0288, rfedler@aol.com
Jesus said to feed the poor. In answering the call, parish members purchase, make and serve food at a meal program. Help is needed preparing, delivering and/or serving food.



St. Vincent de Paul Society

Mike Lechtenberg, 262-786-8960, michael.lechtenberg@gmail.com
An international Catholic lay organization that leads men and women to join together to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to the needy and suffering in the tradition of its patron, St. Vincent de Paul. SVDP members, known as Vincentians, strive to see the face of Christ in those served, and to reflect the face of Christ to them. Vincentians visit the homes of needy persons in order to provide food, friendship, and financial help. The SJV conference maintains a food pantry at the parish supported by regular "reverse collections" and financial contributions from parish members. We also serve meals to the poor at SVDP meal programs in Milwaukee and Waukesha, provide holiday food baskets to families, and collect clothing and household goods for its Waukesha area stores. Conference members meet twice per month for spiritual growth and to discuss how to respond to requests for assistance.

Veterans' Group

Edward Tyre, 262-797-7953, ednliz2@sbcglobal.net
Give veterans and their families and friends a chance to talk with each other about their experiences in the military and to support one another. Meet monthly at the Parish Social to socialize, share information and swap stories.

Outreach & Missions

Angel Tree

Beth Dobrzynski, 262-844-3742, bethdobrzynski@me.com
Be a Christmas Angel. Embrace the joy of Christmas giving by providing gifts to the innocent children of incarcerated parents. Angel Tree is a ministry fellowship whereby parishioners help match and deliver Christmas presents to appropriate-aged children in the Milwaukee area.

Immersion/Outreach High School Service Trip

Dave Baudry, 262-796-3944, daveb@stjohnv.org
A week-long experience of providing service to communities undergoing hardships in the U.S. and abroad. This involves repairing homes and simple construction to allow people to remain or return to their homes.

Immersion/Outreach Middle School Service Trip

Dave Baudry, 262-796-3944, daveb@stjohnv.org
Offers an immersion/service experience for middle school students entering 7th, 8th and 9th grades. It combines service work with community building and social activities as well as faith-filled leadership opportunities. Variety of service in and around Milwaukee/Waukesha.

Outreach Committee

Tim Warner, 262-785-0996, twpacher@gmail.com
Research organizations and award grants that meet the needs of direct service, justice education, empowerment and advocacy. Meets quarterly.

Summer Service Series

John Thompson, 262-796-3944, johnt@stjohnv.org

Offers individuals and families various opportunities to participate in hands-on service ministry with a wide variety of organizations in the greater Milwaukee community. Volunteers may organize, lead or participate in a variety of offerings.

Twining - International - Santísimo Sacramento, Peru

Sandy Becker, 262-780-1012, becker0762@sbcglobal.net

Organizes and coordinates activities and events with our sister parish in Peru, Santísimo Sacramento, including mission trips to Peru and supporting the people there.

Twining - Local - Prince of Peace/Principe de Paz

John Thompson, 262-796-3944, johnt@stjohnv.org

Help build a sister relationship with our twinning parish, Prince of Peace. Many activities have been undertaken: multicultural faith-sharing groups, school/Christian Formation collaboration, joint prayer/worship



Peru Family to Family connections are life changing for all!

opportunities, service projects, exploring immigration issues, person-to-person or family-to-family connections. On Tuesdays and Saturdays, Hispanic adult English as a Second Language classes are provided with financial and teaching resources from our parish.

Sacrament Preparation



Baptism Gowns

June Beiermeister or Christian Formation Office, 262-796-3944,

johnt@stjohnv.org

Make baptism apron used during the celebration and given to parents at the baptism of a child. Sew baptism aprons as needed.

Baptism Preparation

John Thompson, 262-796-3944, johnt@stjohnv.org

Prepare parents for baptism of a child. Leader couples present a video series and lead further discussion. These sessions are offered 11 times per year.

Confirmation - Adult

John Thompson, 262-796-3944, johnt@stjohnv.org

Prepare adults, age 19 and up, for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Sessions rotate among quad parishes, meeting on Tuesday evenings the six weeks before Pentecost to gain an adult understanding of faith.

Confirmation - Youth

Dave Baudry, 262-796-3944, daveb@stjohnv.org

Prepare high school juniors for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Classes meet eleven times from September through May on Sunday evenings.

Ministry to Engaged Couples

Fr. Edwin Kornath, 262-796-3951, edwink@stjohnv.org

Help engaged couples prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage. Married couples assist engaged couples in taking and discussing the pre-marriage inventory. Training is provided through the archdiocese.

Rite of Christian Formation for Adults & Children (RCIA)

Dave Baudry, 262-796-3944, daveb@stjohnv.org

Prepare individuals to become Catholics. This process includes Liturgical Rites, meetings on Sunday mornings and Monday evenings for theological reflection and learning about the faith.

Child Ministry Sacramental Preparation

Dave Baudry, 262-796-3944, daveb@stjohnv.org

Provide second grade children and families additional opportunities to grow in the sacraments of Eucharist and Reconciliation. Adults and teens are invited to assist with sacramental preparations at Family Retreat Night, Joy Day, the Church Tour, or serve at First Reconciliation and First Communion celebrations.



The Sunday Experience

Altar Server

Gerry Offenbacher, 262-786-4323, gjoffx2@gmail.com
 Assist the presider and assembly at liturgy. Youth from grade 5 through adult assist the celebrant during Mass. Weekday/Funeral/Wedding servers open to adults in addition to students.



Cantor

Josh Chandra, 262-796-3946, joshc@stjohnv.org
 Serve as leaders of sung prayer at liturgy. Sing at weekend liturgies with an additional 1/2 hour rehearsal during the week.

Choir - Funeral

Josh Chandra, 262-796-3946, joshc@stjohnv.org
 Men and women sharing their musical talents to lead the congregation in sung prayer. Members are contacted when a funeral is scheduled. If available, arrive 15 minutes prior to funeral liturgy.

Choir - Handbell

Josh Chandra, 262-796-3946, joshc@stjohnv.org
 The Handbell Choir consists of 11 auditioned ringers who ring on a regular basis as part of the Sunday liturgies, major feasts and special occasions. They rehearse on Thursday nights at 5:30 PM from September through May.

Choir - Parish

Josh Chandra, 262-796-3946, joshc@stjohnv.org
 Men and women who use their musical talents to lead the congregation in sung prayer. Sing every week from September through May, along with major feasts and special occasions. Alternate singing among the 4:30 PM, 9 AM and 11 AM Masses. Rehearsals on Thursdays from 7 - 8:30 PM.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Kathy Barutha,
 Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion assist with the distribution of the Eucharist at Mass. One training session. Eucharistic Ministers may serve at Mass as often as they would like.

Funeral Liturgy Ministers

Angela Bravata, 262-796-3947, angelab@stjohnv.org
 Assist with the celebration of a funeral Mass. Help as Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Sacristan and Altar Servers. Need notified when funeral occurs.

Homebound Ministry

Helen Fliss, 262-860-0945, h.fliss.wi@gmail.com
 Take Eucharist to and visit those unable to attend Mass. Eucharistic visits to include the sharing of fellowship and friendship with our homebound parishioners.

Hospitality Ministry

Lee Crooks, 262-781-8292, leecvo1@gmail.com
 Assist the assembly at liturgy on weekends and Holy Days. Greet in the narthex before Mass and hand out orders of worship and bulletins, seat people, handle collections, and mild church clean-up.

Instrumentalists

Josh Chandra, 262-796-3946, joshc@stjohnv.org
 Instrumentalists share their musical talents during liturgy to inspire the assembly to active participation. All ages are welcome! Play at designated weekend liturgies and Holy Day liturgies.

Lectors

Ed Wucker, 262-938-6747, ewucker@gmail.com

Proclaim the Word of God. Lectoring during Masses on weekends and holy days.

Liturgical Environment Committee

Angela Bravata, 262-796-3947, angelab@stjohnv.org

To create an environment conducive to worship. Idea development, sewing, building, set-up/clean-up, floral design, etc.

Parish Social

Leni Kahler, 262-786-7874

Offer parishioners a chance to socialize and meet one another. Set up and provide coffee, donuts and juice for parishioners on the second Sunday of each month after the 7:30 AM, 9 AM, and 11 AM Masses. Free-will offering accepted.

Sacristans

Sue Schmidt, 262-786-1247, pschmidt72@wi.rr.com

Assist with the general upkeep of the Sacristy and physical preparation needed for the celebration of Mass. Prepare the altar with hosts, wine, bowls and cups.



School Support



4th of July Parade

Open

Coordinate with Boy Scouts and SJV school families for presence in the Brookfield 4th of July Parade.

Back to School Social

Anna Huppler, 608-354-2537, ahuppler@gmail.com

Katie Sterricker, 414-331-1501, katiens331@yahoo.com

Plan the first school social. A large committee is needed to serve food, coordinate children's games and supervise the evening.

Battle of the Books

Carol Lyle-Schwarz, 414-530-2779, ckschwarz@yahoo.com

Kelly Mangan, 414-403-6623, nd_uw@hotmail.com

Work with middle school students, coaching them for a multi-school competition based on novels they have read.

Bids for Kids Biannual Auction

Shannon Wessing, 414-350-4248, sswessing33@gmail.com

Liz Lawrence, 414-416-1840, ecchudy8@yahoo.com

Major fundraiser for the school every other year in March. Co-chairs begin meeting 15 months prior to plan the auction. Committee chairs and members are needed for many sub-committees. Meetings are held monthly.

Birthday Board

Mary Culligan, 414-704-1907, marycculligan@gmail.com

Recognize student, staff and faculty birthdays. Design, create and maintain the birthday board in the hall by the cafeteria.

Box Tops/Amazon Smile

Open

Collect and submit Box Tops for added income to the school. Box Tops are organized, counted and submitted in October and February. Market program within parish and school.

Breakfast with Santa

Cari Dries, 262-442-4695, cweber@uwalumni.com

Pancakes for families with guest appearances by Santa and Mrs. Claus. Student music and holiday entertainment provided.

Carnival

Open

Middle School students create games and activities to build relationships between the older students and younger students. The event is held on the Friday of Catholic Schools Week.

Catholic Schools Week

Colleen Gilbert, 773-485-2655, colleengilbert22@gmail.com

Stacey Krahn, 414-708-3939, hauptstacey@hotmail.com

Celebrate Catholic Schools Week. Generally held the last week of January/first week of February, this committee plans the Sunday Open House and other special student events during the week long celebration.

Dine Out for SJV

Erin Bubolz, 414-336-5047, erinrenee82@yahoo.com

Jackson Bubolz, 262-722-0235, ejacksonb@gmail.com

Parish-wide fundraiser. Organize "SJV Night" one night each month at designated restaurants to earn money for the school.

Daddy Daughter Dance

Courtney Houfek, 262-352-7076, courtney.houfek@gmail.com

Kelli Melzer, 636-734-0123, kelli_krimmel@hotmail.com

Fathers and daughters come together for a special evening of music and dancing.

Festival Children's Games

Toni Genske, 414-426-5149, jtgenske@gmail.com

Coordinate SJV school family volunteers to staff the children's games at our parish festival - always the second weekend after Memorial Day.

Fine Arts

Laura Russell, 414-758-6264, lwrusselldds@gmail.com

Encourage and develop extra-curricular student interest in the Arts. Coordinate the annual fall talent show and spring musical. Chairs run auditions and rehearsals as well as lead make up, props, scenes, etc. for the events.

Golden Shamrocks

Ann Stith, 414-345-8514, annstithpt@gmail.com

Monica O'Brien, 262-641-5601, m_wigchers@hotmail.com

Coordinate the monthly meetings of SJV Grandparents including refreshments, speakers and short entertainment, generally held after the All School Liturgy.

Grandparents Day

Megan Fenlon, 262-716-3331, meganfenlon521@gmail.com

Monica O'Brien, 262-641-5601, m_wigchers@hotmail.com

Ann Stith, 414-345-8514, annstithpt@gmail.com

Coordinate variety of activities for important persons of all ages beginning with All School Liturgy, classroom visits, refreshments and a visit to the Book Fair.

Health Room

Janelle Peterson, 262-796-3942, janellep@stjohnv.org

Help coordinate volunteers to work in the school health room.

High Interest Day

Sarah Briggs, 414-840-2075, sbichanich@gmail.com

Jennie Minessale, 414-350-9340, jennie.minessale@gmail.com

Highlight extra-curriculars, hobbies, special interests for students through hands-on activities. Coordinate and solicit presenters for a one day event. Committee members assist chairs with logistics, room monitoring and communications with presenters.

Holiday Pizza & Popcorn Party

Julie Laur, 414-688-8128, juliemlaur@gmail.com

Monica O'Brien, 262-641-5601, m_wigchers@hotmail.com

Coordinate Rocky Rococco's pizza and popcorn for school by homeroom, typically just before Christmas.

Home & School

Liz Prudlow, 262-402-2030, eprudlow@outlook.com

An organization working to enhance the educational and spiritual environment of St. John Vianney School. Coordinate committee activities in communications, enrichment, resources, social, spiritual, and ways and means.

Library Manager

Kathryn Nova, 262-364-6637, kathrynknova@hotmail.com

Stephanie Jacobs, 414-915-9096, stephanieendsley@gmail.com

Coordinates classroom volunteers, assists with book selection, and organizes events and projects in the library.

Lost & Found

Kate McRae, 262-227-5184, kwasileski@gmail.com

Gather lost and found items for display at conferences and donate unclaimed items to St. Vincent de Paul.

Mother Son Dance

Maggie Enlund, 262-899-0045, maggie.enlund@gmail.com

Kellie VanRixel, 414-651-0233, kellievr@stjohnv.org

Mothers and sons come together for a special evening of music and dancing.

Mother and Daughter Event

Andrea Burie, 561-714-8831, andrearburie@gmail.com

Mothers and daughters come together for a special event.

Playground Equipment

Kate McRae, 262-227-5184, kwasileski@gmail.com

Work with staff to assess supply and toy needs for students. Also maintain supplies, toys and storage areas.

Robotics

Jennie Minessale, 414-350-9340, jennie.minessale@gmail.com

Parent coaches for grades K5 - 8. Experience not needed with FIRST Lego League, just a willingness to coach. The program comes with a self guided workbook for the coach and for each of the students.

Room Parents

Jen Schulz, 414-690-5198, jennifergschultz@gmail.com

Kelli Melzer, 636-734-0123, kelli_krimmel@hotmail.com

Coordinate a room parent for each classroom. Coordinate and ensure staffing for classroom parties, cleaning and assist with communication regarding teacher gifts.



Scholastic Book Fair

Emily Kieu, 920-980-7146, emilyk.kieu@gmail.com

Coordinate with Scholastic to plan for the book fair. Recruit volunteers to work the fair and publicize the event.

School Supplies

AnnMarie Hoyme, 262-505-5080; hoymecrew@gmail.com

Coordinate school supply orders through School Pak. Parents order school pak supplies online.

Scouts

Girl Scouts—(1st grade) MaryAnn Cooke, 815-988-7769

(3rd grade) Jen Radtke, 262-894-5366, radtkfamily2022@gmail.com

Amanda Urrea, 414-312-1757, adomaszek@yahoo.com

Cub Scouts—Chad Smith, 414-630-2423, cdsmith22@gmail.com

Boy Scouts—Tom Nichol, thomas.nichol@gmail.com

Provide an educational experience based on values, designed to build character, physical fitness, practical skills and service. Age appropriate activities, rank advancements and camping/field trips.

SCRIP

Tanya Baynes, 414-403-0863, hobbsnclvn@yahoo.com

Ashley Smith, 414-688-4832, algsmith33@gmail.com

Maria Schloemer, 414-217-4198, mschloemer@sbcglobal.net

Gift card fundraiser for Home and School. Coordinate weekly orders for gift cards on Mondays and distribute on Thursdays.

School Excellence Fund

Peter Thomas, 262-796-3940, ext. 1108, petert@stjohnv.org

Supports the mission of our school by providing funds for (1) the professional development and retention of highly-educated professionals and staff; (2) 21st Century education technology and upgrades, including mobile learning; and (3) tuition assistance for current and prospective students.

Secret Santa Shoppe

Julie Laur, 414-688-8128, juliemlaur@gmail.com

Shop year-round for inexpensive gifts for students to purchase as Christmas gifts. Help with set-up, pricing and help the day of the event.

Spirit Wear

Allison Rusch, 262-784-0087, parusch@ameritech.net

Maureen Fiedler, 414-313-6962, molearyfielder@yahoo.com

Promote SJV through wearables. Coordinate inventory and special orders for parish and school Spiritwear. Promote Spiritwear at Orientation Day, Catholic Schools week and throughout the year.

Strings and Band Supporters

Band—Amy Sloane, 414-708-7594, amy.m.sloane@jci.com

Strings—Katie Nova, 262-364-6634, kathrynknova@hotmail.com

Coordinate parental support for band and orchestra programs. Communicate, coordinate and schedule parents for set-up, transportation, chaperoning and clean-up of activities.

Sunshine

Kelli Melzer, 636-734-0123, kelli_krimmel@hotmail.com

Jen Schulz, 414-690-5198, jenniferschultz@gmail.com

Send cards/gifts to personnel for occasions such as birthdays, get well, anniversaries, etc. Coordinate birthday cards and gifts for SJV school staff.

Teacher Appreciation

Andrea Burie, 561-714-8831, andrearburie@gmail.com

Celebrate SJV teachers during Teacher Appreciation Week in May. Coordinate week-long daily activities celebrating SJV's outstanding teachers.

Teacher/Staff Luncheons

Ruth Herrle, 262-309-9232, ruth.herrle@gmail.com

Celebrate teachers by serving lunch. Volunteers bring and serve food for four luncheons.

Trivia Night

The families of the Bergins, Culligans, Hoymes, Minessales, Russells, and the Schmidts.

Parish-wide social event. Coordinate evening activities for annual fundraising event.

Uniform Resale

Kate McRae, 262-227-5184, kwawileski@gmail.com

Maria Maida, 414-759-5100, mariagmuida@gmail.com

Recycle gently-used school uniforms. Coordinate a sale during the last week of school for families to bring gently-used uniforms for resale. Left-over clothes are donated to other organizations.

Veterans Day

Tanya Baynes, 414-403-0863, hobbsnclvn@yahoo.com

Coordinate variety of activities throughout the school and environment to honor parish & school family veterans. Flag ceremony and a TAPS bugle play.

Welcome

Sara Dwyer, 414-331-2272, saradwyer421@gmail.com

Alison Parkinson, 920-217-1455, alacombe@msn.com

Welcome new families to St. John Vianney School. Match new school families with a mentor school family to help navigate through the first year. Plan and coordinate a new family events PRIOR to the start of school.



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