CLERGY
Fr. John Blum, Pastor
Fr. Emery Longanga, Ph.D., Parochial Vicar
Deacon Joe Grote
Deacon Richard Santello

MASS SCHEDULE

ADVENT–EASTER
Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday: 7 a.m.
Monday–Saturday: 8:15 a.m.
Saturday Vigil: 4 & 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 7, 8:30, 10 & 11:30 a.m.

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DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME
Sunday, March 12, 2017 at 2 a.m.
Don’t forget to set your clocks ahead one hour next Saturday night.

First Sunday of Lent
March 5, 2017
Mass Schedule and Intentions

Week of March 5, 2017

MONDAY  
March 6, 2017  
8:15 a.m.  Joan Bendix †

TUESDAY  
March 7, 2017  
7:00 a.m.  George Brylinke †  
8:15 a.m.  Charles & Cecilia Modry †

WEDNESDAY  
March 8, 2017  
7:00 a.m.  Prayer for Vocations  
8:15 a.m.  Bob Musselman †

THURSDAY  
March 9, 2017  
8:15 a.m.  George Brylinke †

FRIDAY  
March 10, 2017  
7:00 a.m.  Rosemary Thomas  
8:15 a.m.  George Brylinke †

SATURDAY  
March 11, 2017  
8:15 a.m.  George Brylinke †  
4:00 p.m.  Parishioners of St. John Vianney  
5:30 p.m.  Carmella Dragona—Lombardo †

SUNDAY  
March 12, 2017  
7:00 a.m.  Harold & Pauline Holland †  
8:30 a.m.  John & Ruth Hall †  
10:00 a.m.  Deceased Members of the Whalen Family †  
11:30 a.m.  Nicholas Di Stefano †

Denotes deceased: †

2017 Mass Intention Book

Masses are scheduled through the parish office or, via phone by using a credit card as payment.

If you have multiple requests, please call 360.1147 to make an appointment.

The Parish Office is open Monday—Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Welcome

The parishioners of St. John Vianney Catholic Church and School are happy to extend a warm welcome to the many visitors who join us for worship today. Please introduce yourselves to those sitting around you.

Sacraments

Confessions  
Wednesday  6–6:30 p.m.  
Friday  9–9:30 a.m.  
Saturday  10–11 a.m.

Baptism of a Child

We are honored that you would choose St. John Vianney Catholic Church for your child’s Baptism. *Please contact our parish office so that we may help you during this most important time of your child’s life.

Sacraments:  
First Reconciliation: Completed
First Holy Communion: May 21, 2017 at 11:30 a.m.
Confirmation: April 30, 2017 at 11:30 a.m.

To enroll for preparation for these sacraments, please contact Frank Boyle at 727.360.1147, ext. 201.

R.C.I.A.

The R.C.I.A. is a gentle process of welcoming adults into the Roman Catholic Church. Adults who have not been baptized or have been baptized in another Christian Faith are invited to be part of our R.C.I.A. journey. Contact Fr. Emery at 727.360.1147, ext. 211.

Matrimony

Contact the parish office* six months or more prior to the proposed wedding date.

Holy Anointing

If you or a loved one is ill and in need of pastoral care, please call the parish office*.  
*Parish Office Contact: 727.360.1147, ext. 227.
From the Pastor

Fr. Bill Bigelow to celebrate 50th Jubilee of Priestly Ordination

Our friend, Fr. Bill Bigelow of the Diocese of Buffalo, was ordained March 11, 1967 in Innsbruck, Austria. For the next 16 years, Fr. Bill served in various parishes of the Buffalo area. In 1983 he received his first assignment as a pastor for the parish of St. Michael in Warsaw, NY. He also served as Co-pastor and Campus Minister, St. Joseph’s University Parish and at the University of Buffalo, South campus. He served as pastor to several more parishes and at the ordinary retirement age of 70, retired from active ministry in 2010.

Since 2012, Fr. Bill has lived in St. Petersburg, returning to Western New York State in the summer months. He continues to serve parishes both here and in New York. Father is known for his wonderful sense of humor and his love of celebrating the Wednesday morning school Mass here at St. John. The parishioners at weekend Masses are quite enamored with him as well. Fr. Bill loves to visit with parishioners in the church before Mass. He has also been known to do a “show and tell” of vesting and other “mysteries” of the church.

Father is the second oldest child of ten. He began his seminary studies at the newly opened St. John Vianney Seminary in East Aurora, NY. In 1963, he was assigned to theological studies at the Collegium Canisianum in Innsbruck, Austria. In addition to his pastoral and parish assignments, Fr. Bigelow fondly remembers serving on the team of chaplains for the 1980 Winter Olympics in Lake Placid, NY. He has served on numerous boards in service to the poor and needy and was been involved with Marriage Encounter, the Cursillo Movement and various church renewal groups. He continues as a member of the Association of U.S. Catholic Priests, established in 2011, to continue the vision of Vatican Council II which encourages priests to be a voice of Hope and Joy within our pilgrim Church.

Fr. Bill will be celebrating the 4 p.m. Mass on March 11th, his anniversary. The parish celebration will take place Sunday, March 19th. See next weekend’s bulletin for details.

Stations of the Cross
St. John Vianney

Every Lenten Friday
9 a.m. & 7 p.m.

Good Friday—Noon only

Stations of the Cross, March 3–April 7.

Lenten Parish Mission
Redemptorist Fr. Eugene O’Reilly
March 12–15, 2017

Jesus revealed to His disciples the secrets of God’s Kingdom. In a Mission he does the same for you. He reveals that His Kingdom is here and now and that it spells happiness and fullness of life for those who share it. Happiness often seems to elude us. We would like to change our lives, become “new people,” more alive. The Mission offers us this possibility. Can you make this Mission? Decide today to put off anything that may interfere. You deserve this rich new life God offers you.

Sunday, March 12:
Theme—Intimacy with God/Self

Monday, March 13:
Theme—Living the Reign of God Today

Tuesday, March 14:
Theme—God’s Reconciling Love (Includes a Penance Service with Individual Confessions)

Wednesday, March 15:
Theme—Discipleship (Closing Mass)

All Mission events begin at 7 p.m. in the church. We look forward to seeing you at the Mission!
LISTENING SESSIONS WITH BISHOP GREGORY PARKES

Bishop Parkes wants your feedback! Join him at one of the upcoming listening sessions scheduled in our area to share your thoughts on three questions:

1. What are we doing well as a diocese?
2. What things could we improve upon as a diocese?
3. What things in ministry should we be focusing on as a local church?

You may also provide feedback to these questions via an anonymous, online survey available at www.dosp.org.

Dates and locations in our local area:
March 6, 2017, 7–8:30 p.m.
Espirtu Santo Parish, Safety Harbor

April 17, 2017, 7–8:30 p.m.
St. Pete Catholic High School, St. Petersburg

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

Next Sunday, after the 8:30 & 10 a.m. Masses.
Faith Community Nurses will be available for free blood pressure screenings next Sunday in Msgr. Trainor Parish Hall.

The Faith Community Nurses are available to assist our parishioners with health & wellness issues or questions by calling the parish office at 360.1147, ext. 236.

Messages will be retrieved 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday–Friday; calls will be returned within 24–36 hours. If there is an urgent medical situation or emergency, please call your own health care provider or 911.

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ST. JOHN VIANNEY’S 17TH ANNUAL

Fish Fry

Every Friday during Lent, beginning March 3rd thru April 7th, 4:30–6:45 p.m.

Fish Dinner
Fried or Baked Fish
French Fries & Cole Slaw
Choice of Coffee, Tea or Soft Drink
Choice of dessert

Cost
Regular: $10
Hungry Man (Includes Larger Portions): $12
Children 6–12: $5 or 5 & Under: Free

Ravioli Dinner
Baked Cheese Ravioli
French Fries & Cole Slaw
Choice of Coffee, Tea or Soft Drink
Choice of dessert

Cost
Regular: $8
Children 6–12: $5 or 5 & Under: Free

Cheese Pizza Dinner
Pizza, French Fries, Cole Slaw,
Choice of Soft Drink
Choice of Dessert

Cost
Regular (Includes 2 Slices): $8
Children (Includes 1 Slice): $5
Children 5 & Under: Free

Beer and wine are available.
You must be 21 or older to be served.
Donations are gratefully accepted.

For those who wish to dine at home, carry-out is available.
**Prayer List**

Adams, Edna  
Alper, Barbara  
Amidei, Barbara  
Baker, Brittany  
Ball, Kathy  
Bartoli, Dolores  
Beattie, Bruce  
Bickett, Carmen  
Borges, James “Doc”  
Breese, Jack  
Brooke, Caroline  
Brown, Natalie  
Brucie Bowen, Norma  
Burke, James  
Byrd, Douglas  
Canova, Gail & Adeline  
Canpauno, Lillian  
Carlton, Martin & Kathy  
Clancy, Conno  
Coffman, Jill  
Cooper, Timothy  
Curtice, Lori  
Dahlstrom, Mary  
Delaney, Jim  
Diaz, Shaun & Divina  
DiFiore, Fr. John  
Duffy, Sue  
Ferrara, Diane  
Frangipane, Frankie  
Gibbs, Vanessa  
Giebner, JoAnn  
Gillett, Pam  
Gonzalez, Linda  
Graham, Dr. Stephen  
Groeger, Chase  
Gruschke, Catherine  
Haloc, Jennifer  
Hanson, Paul  
Harris, Ty  
Harvey, Mary J. & Toni  
Higgins, Julia  
Hilt, Al  
Hopkins, Debbie  
Jackson, Shannon  
James, Matthew  
Jones, Chelsea  
Kelly, Beverly  
Kiggans, Ann  
Knoernschild, David  
Knoll, Diane  
Krag, Joyce  
Krug, Paulette  
Lamb, Robert  
Lane, Nolan  
LaPlatney, Lori  
Larson, Adrienne  
Lay, Karen  
Leary, Grace  
Lescano, Celia P.  
Lisa, Marilyn Porzio  
Long, Michael  
Lucas, Carol  
Lynch, Cade  
Maloney, Gregory  
Mann, Katherine  
Martin, Cynthia  
Masterson, Tom  
McCarty, Carol  
McCourt, James  
Mercer, William  
Morelli, Michalene  
Morroni, John  
Noppenberger, JoAnn  
O’Connor, Cindy  
Patterson, Ronnie  
Pfefferle, Carol  
Pianesi, Fortunata “Fannie”  
Pyle, Linda  
Quarrington, Jim  
Reaume, Cheri  
Reese, Brenda  
Reynolds, Amber  
Reynolds, Patricia  
Rossi, Andrew, Hope & William  
Rouse, Nancy  
Salerno, Michael  
Sandoval, Marissa  
Scardino, Lina  
Scarna, Betty  
Schinella, Joanne  
Schultz, Dick  
Schuman, Terry  
Sims, Gloria  
Stainforth, Brian  
Tammany, Robert  
Thompson, Carrie Walden  
Tonas, Ludmyla  
Vernotzy, Joan  
von Spiegelfeld, Allen  
Warrek, Debbie  
Weathers, Brooke & Leila  
Weber, Eve  
Weber Jr., Timothy  
Wood, Gail

If you wish to have your name or the name of a member of your family added to the prayer list, please notify the pastoral aide at 360.1147, ext. 232, or email promano@sjvcc.org.

**Armed Forces Prayer List**

All Our Troops

Afghanistan

Spc. Agent Michael Bradley, U.S. Embassy  
Eric Schneider, Army  
Sgt. David Moser, U.S.M.C.  
PFC James Smith, U.S.M.C.  
Sgt. Brian Marx

Iraq

Gary Miller, Diplomat

Middle East

David Arthur Dilegge, U.S. Army Infantry

Saudi Arabia

Jesse Fentross, U.S. Air Force
Lent, that period of 40 days when we are called to fast before we feast in the celebration of Christ’s triumph over sin and death. It is a time when we are called to deepen our relationship with Jesus and exercise our free will in various sorts of discipline. That’s the catch...free will. It is so much easier to choose our own will over God’s will. Pray that this Lent you will choose to follow His will in your life and then be ready to stand back and see the powerful fruit that can result in His will over our will. Go out of your way to spend more time with Jesus in these 40 days. Feed from the banquet of our faith; Stations of the Cross, Eucharistic Adoration, a Rosary, perhaps a Mass during the week. The choice is yours...exercise your free will.

Mark your calendars.
April 29 & 30—Women’s Retreat
Call the parish office at 360.1147.

I’m Not Being Fed
Jeff Cavins explores and responds to some of the reasons why so many people have left the Catholic Church for evangelical Christianity. As he presents the story of his return to Catholicism, Cavins also builds a case for why the Catholic Church is the church founded by Christ.

CD’s and booklets are available in the main entrance of the church. We kindly ask for a $2 donation for each booklet, $3 donation for each CD and $5 for each book to continue this ministry. Please make checks payable to St. John Vianney.

For more information, contact the parish office at 360.1147, ext. 233.
**JUBILEE MASS OF THANKSGIVING**  
Cathedral of St. Jude the Apostle  
Sunday, April 2nd at 3 p.m.  
Celebrant: Bishop Gregory Parkes

This Mass honors all couples throughout the diocese who will celebrate their 25th, or 50th–plus years of marriage during 2017. You must pre-register by contacting the parish office at 360.1147, ext. 227. Deadline is March 16, 2017.

**Consecration to Divine Mercy**  
*33 Days to Merciful Love*

What are you doing for Lent this year? Join us for a parish-wide 6-week retreat preparation for Divine Mercy Consecration.

Everyone is encouraged to participate!

**Purchase books this weekend! Readings begin this week!**

We are asking for a $10 donation for books. Register for optional classes at book tables. The following discussion groups are available:

- **Beginning March 5, 2017:**  
  Sunday mornings, 9:40–11:15 a.m. in the Vianney Center—St. Francis Room

- **Beginning March 6, 2017:**  
  Monday mornings, 10–11:30 a.m. in the Vianney Center—St. Claire Room

- **Beginning March 7, 2017:**  
  Tuesday evenings, 6–7:30 p.m. in the Vianney Center—St. Francis Room

For more information, contact Rebecca at 542.2292 or Frank at fboyle@sjvcc.org, or call 360.1147, ext. 201.

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Save the Date!
Saturday, April 29, 2017
Pasadena Yacht & Country Club
Join us on a beautiful Saturday afternoon! Treat yourself, your client or reward a vendor to a great day of golf at one of the area’s most historic courses.
For more information and sponsorship opportunities, visit www.sjvcs.org or contact Steve Lepley at stevelepley@me.com.
Look in upcoming bulletins for registration information.
All proceeds benefit St. John Vianney Catholic School’s superior academics and athletics!

Religious Education/Faith Formation

Family Faith Formation/CCD/YD
Sunday, March 5th, 9:45–11:15 a.m.
Msgr. Trainor Parish Hall

Faith Formation/CCD
Sunday, March 12th, 9:45–11:15 a.m.
PreK–8th grade in school classrooms.

High School Youth Ministry—YDisciple
Sunday, March 12th, 9:45–11:15 a.m.
Youth Room—Parish Office

Faith Formation/CCD/Sacrament Prep
Sunday, March 26th, 9:45–11:15 a.m.
PreK–8th grade in school classrooms.

High School Youth Ministry
Sunday, March 26th, 9:45–11:15 a.m.
Youth Room—Parish Office
Contact Frank Boyle at 360.1147, ext. 201, or email fboyle@sjvcc.org.

Adult Education and Bible Study

The Prophets
Evening Sessions:
Wednesdays, 7–8:30 p.m.
Day Sessions:
Thursdays, 10–11:30 a.m.
We meet at the Vianney Center
(SW corner of Blind Pass Rd. and 82nd Ave.)

Session 9—March 8/9
Haggai and Malachi: Messengers of Hope
March 15/16
No class due to Mission. Please attend the mission.
For more information, please email Frank Boyle at fboyle@sjvcc.org, or call 727.360.1147, ext. 201.

Men’s Ministry

The Men’s Ministry of St. John Vianney
Parish continues our fellowship and DVD program from Bishop Robert Barron entitled Priest, Prophet, King. You may view the curriculum online at wordonfire.org.
Newcomers and returning snowbirds please join us at any time.
Upcoming meetings will be held on alternating Tuesdays in Msgr. Trainor Parish Hall. Meetings begin at 6 p.m. for pizza, with program presentations 6:30–8 p.m.
March & April meeting dates are as follows:
March 14 we will attend the parish Mission
March 28 in Msgr. Trainor Parish Hall
April 11 in Msgr. Trainor Parish Hall
April 25 in Msgr Trainor Parish Hall
For more information, contact the parish office at 360.1147.
Bicycles Needed
St. Vincent de Paul Society

The St. Vincent de Paul, St. John’s Conference, needs new and used bicycles. These bicycles will be given minor repairs, if needed, and then given to needy people to get to work, doctor’s office, etc.

To donate a bicycle, call 360.1147, ext. 102.

PROCLAIM

10th Annual Youth Conference
July 14–16, 2017

Save your spot!
Group registration now open.
https://avemariauniversity.typeform.com/to/trrwgk

$175 Registration Fee  $150 Early Bird
Includes lodging, all meals, t-shirt and pizza night.

Go forth and make disciples of all nations.
—Matthew 28:19

ST. JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC SCHOOL
Havana Nights—Silent & Live Auction

Saturday, March 25, 2017

Tickets on sale soon!

You don’t want to miss the biggest party of the year. Bring your friends and enjoy an evening in Havana!

Fishing charters, private shopping, parties, wine tasting party, hotel packages, guest DJ spot on Spirit FM, tons of camp packages, private suites at sporting events and concerts!

Want your company logo in the program?
Contact Shannon Powell at sagpowell@gmail.

Liturgical Content for the month of March:

- March 9—Saint Dominic Savio
- March 13—Ann. of the Election of Pope Francis
- March 17—Saint Patrick
- March 20—Solemnity of Saint Joseph
- March 25—Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord

MONTHLY PARISH BREAKFAST
Sponsored by the Seniors’ Ministry

Sunday, March 12, 2017, after the 10 a.m. Mass in Msgr. Trainor Hall.

Everyone is welcome to join us for a hot breakfast! No charge, but donations are appreciated.

All proceeds go to our local St. Vincent de Paul Society.

For questions, call the parish office at 360.1147.

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**SCHEDULED LITURGIES & DEVOTIONS**

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction**
Wednesdays, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass, concluding with Benediction at 6:30 p.m.

**Bereavement—Vianney Center**
The bereavement support group meetings are on 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 9:15–10:15 a.m. Please call Sr. Elizabeth to register at 360.1147, ext. 223.

**Morning Prayer “Divine Office”**
Held in the church Monday–Friday at 7 a.m.

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to the Homebound**
If you are unable to attend Mass and would like an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion to bring Communion to your home or the home of a loved one, call Priscilla at 360.1147, ext. 232.

**Legion of Mary**
Mondays at 9:10 a.m.—Vianney Center

**Miraculous Medal Novena**
Tuesdays, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass

**Rosary**
Monday–Saturday: 7:30 a.m.
Thursday: after 8:15 a.m. Mass

**Rosary for the Unborn**
First Friday of the month, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass. (Sponsored by Legion of Mary)

**Rosary at the Grotto**
*For Persecuted Christians and Conversion of Hearts.*
Every Wednesday at 6:45 p.m. outside St. John Vianney Rectory, Our Lady of Fatima Grotto.

**Rosary for World Peace**
First Saturday of the month, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass (Sponsored by Catholic Daughters of the Americas)

For more information on our weekly scheduled liturgies and devotions, please contact the parish office at 727.360.1147.

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**CHURCH BEQUESTS**
To observe the best method for naming the church in your will or trust, please ask your attorney to use the following terminology:

“I give devise, and bequeath (amount, article, stock, etc.) to Gregory L. Parkes, as Bishop of the Diocese of St. Petersburg, and his successors in the office, for the use of St. John Vianney Catholic Church, 445 82nd Avenue, St. Pete Beach, FL 33706.”

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Due to upcoming holiday, the following bulletins will be sent to the printer earlier than normal. Please take note of the below deadlines.

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**2017 ANNUAL PASTORAL APPEAL**

Assessment: $302,494
Amount Pledged: $76,610
Amount Paid: $48,221

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**Parish Sacrificial Giving**

**Sunday, February 19:**
Offertory: $31,169
School Appeal: $6,660

**Sunday, February 26:**
Offertory: $33,287

Thank you for your generosity!