



ST. JOHN FISHER PARISH

July 2022

Welcome to the SJF Monthly News!

Please share this letter with your family, friends, and neighbors.

This communication will contain brief updates from different groups in our parish each month. Our goal is to keep our parish, school, and community connected.

Questions? Email sifparishchicago@gmail.com

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Mass



Current Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4 pm Sunday: 8 am, 11 am

Weekdays (M-W-F): 8:15 am

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St. John Fisher Parish Website

School



Enjoy the summer, Falcons! School starts again on August 24th. See Mrs. Nash's notes for more information about the 2022-23 school year and about summer camps.

If you are new to the area and want to learn more about our amazing schoool, please watch this **short video**, and see our **website** and **Facebook page**. Call the school if you'd like a tour. 773-445-4737.

Mrs. Nash's Notes SJF School Website

SJF School Facebook Page



Rest in Peace, Father Dan

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Father Dan Tomich, who returned to God on June 25th. We are grateful for the gifts he shared with us at SJF and across the Catholic community.

May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Click <u>here</u> to read Father Dan's death notice.

Pro Labore Dei

Not a surprise at all, but we had a FANTASTIC lunch making session on Saturday, July 2nd, in the rectory basement. It was incredible. 160 lunches in 45 minutes. Thanks to every single volunteer who showed up on this holiday weekend to help make tasty lunches for others and to our awesome donors. St. John Fisher makes the best lunches.

It deserves to be mentioned that each and every Saturday morning we bring a big car load of items brought to the SJF parking lot to the PLD pantry in Posen. A super big thank you to all the contributors to the PLD pantry and food distribution. The pantry shelves are very often pretty bare. It's a constant concern to fill bags for the families that come to St. Stan's in need of food. Thanks for your continuous help.

Any questions, feel free to contact Pam O'Mara (773-612-0281) or Jerry and Pat Hayes (773-239-8428)

> SJF Service Opportunities Facebook Page

Our next lunch making session is **Saturday**, **August 6th at 9:15 am i**n the rectory basement.

We could use the following:

- 10 loaves of bread
- 100 individually wrapped treats (granola bars, cereal bars, etc.)
- 50 individually wrapped bags of chips
- 3-4 cases of water

Whatever you can do would be so appreciated!









PLD School Supplies

Pro Labore Dei is seeking donations of school supplies for the kids in Robbins, Posen and Blue Island. If you are able to help, we are asking for new or gently used backpacks, notebooks, notebook paper, spiral notebooks, pens, pencils, erasers, rulers, safety scissors, glue sticks, crayons and colored pencils. Most of these items can

be found at the dollar (\$1.25) store and book bags can be found at Five Below.

If you'd like to donate, please drop off your donations at the rectory by **Thursday**, **August 11th**. We really appreciate anything you can do to help. Thank you so much!



We extend a warm welcome to Fr. Marty Marren who officially began his ministry as associate pastor here at St. John Fisher and also at our neighboring community of St. Cajetan. Previously, Fr. Marty was pastor at another of our neighboring parishes, Queen of Martyrs. We look forward to having a message from Fr. Marty in an upcoming bulletin and newsletter soon. Please extend your heartfelt welcome to him.







RETURNS IN 2022!!

WATCH FOR DETAILS IN THE WEEKS AHEAD.





Help SJF Reach Financial Goals with Manna!

Mondays 8:00 - 9:00 a.m. Wednesdays 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Saturdays 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

You can buy Manna on-the-go, E-CERTIFICATES or request Ship to Home using the **Raise Right App or Website**.

Help us reach our \$100,000 goal!

Funds raised through Manna help balance the school budget and help SJF maintain competitive tuition rates.

Email sjfmanna@gmail.com with any questions.

SJF Manna Forms and Information

McGann and Jim Flannigan would like to invite St. John Fisher to join them for their special All Over the Place Summer Series! All of the proceeds generated by our community will go back to SJF to offset the cost of the Kane Hall Air-conditioning Project! Anyone can purchase tickets and when they use our special promo code: **SJF** - all the proceeds from their ticket price go back to SJF! **Click HERE to order** tickets.

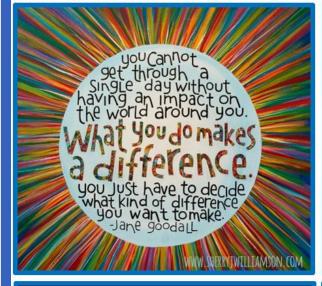


Hellooo SJF Alumni! We are looking for you! Please visit out Alumni Facebook page.

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Just in case you missed it...RENEW MY CHURCH UPDATE

The Archdiocese has decided that SJF will remain an independent parish and school and will share pastor Father Ken with St. Cajetan. For this model to be successful, parishioners must step up and help. Please watch for more information to come. Read the full announcement HERE





I love you and you and you and... -God We might think
we are nurturing our
garden, but of course
it's our garden that is
really nurturing us?

More Ways to Support SJF

Fisher Falcon Education Foundation

Sign up for Online Giving to SJF Parish

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Read all of the bulletins on the parish website. Click below for the most recent bulletins:

Bulletin 7/17/2022

Bulletin 7/10/2022

Bulletin 7/3/2022

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