

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 29, 2022



SUNDAY MASS

SATURDAY - 5:00 PM

SUNDAY - 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM

CONFESSIONS

SATURDAY - 4:30 PM-4:45 PM

Sunday - 10:15am-10:45am

Friday - 8:30-9:30am (First Fridays)

WEEKDAY MASS

MONDAY - 12:00 PM

TUESDAY - No Mass, Rosary 11:00 AM

WEDNESDAY - 5:30 PM

Thursday - 8:00 am

FRIDAY - 8:00 AM followed by Adoration of the

Blessed Sacrament

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Welcome Bishop Wack

Bishop William Wack is visiting our church at the 11:00am Mass. A reception will follow in the hall.

Rosavy

If you would like to sign up to take a turn in leading the rosary on Tuesdays at 11:00am, please sign up on the calendar at the entrance of the church.

Baptism

At the 11:00am Mass next weekend June 6, we will be celebrating the baptism of Maverick Raypher Robles, son of Raymond Robles and Callie Harridill and godparents, Cathlyn Robles and Harley Jenkins.



Gospel Reflection

Prayerfully imagine standing on the mountain of the Ascension with our Lord. As you gaze upon Him, imagine that you were also present with Him throughout His public ministry. Imagine witnessing His many miracles, the way that He converted the hardest of hearts, the authority with which He spoke, His arrest, torture, death and then His Resurrection. Imagine seeing His hands and feet, once pierced, now radiating glory from those wounds. As you see our Lord in this way, imagine Him looking at you with love and saying to you that He has chosen to send you forth to the world to be a witness to Him and to all that you have seen and encountered. You are to go forth sharing the Good News of His life, death and resurrection with all whom you come in contact with.

First, our Lord has, indeed, shared His entire life with you. By reading the Gospels, you become a firsthand witness to all that Jesus did and accomplished. His Word is alive, and it reveals His very Person to you, just as it did to His first followers. Second, Jesus does call you to go forth and to share this living Gospel with the world. Therefore, it is important to ponder how you can do such a thing. How can you give witness to the Resurrection of Christ? How can you change lives? How can you continue the mission of Jesus Himself? *My Catholic Life*

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Bulletin Announcements

If you have an announcement for the bulletin, you may send it to office@stjosephpsj.org. Please keep it to 100 words or less and submit it by the Monday prior to the weekend you would like it to be in the bulletin.

Prayer List

Ron Treutel Barbara Mays Iim Newton Beth Cooper Rosa Watkins Jason Richter Valarie Fabry Roy Harper Sarah Harper Dana Earley McGarry Ricky Toney Kari Summers Fr Paul Anthony Halladay Lisa Combs Tommy Pitts Buster Taunton Charles Klapp Tanya Osley Jared Arnold Sally Childs Callie Holcomb Cletus Heaps III Chris Beatty Millie Morales Linda Wood

To request that a name be placed on the prayer list, please contact the parish office.

"Mary, who is the Virgin Most Pure, is also the Refuge of Sinners. She knows what sin is, not by the experience of its fall, not by tasting its bitter regrets, but by seeing what it did to her Divine Son." *Venerable Fulton Sheen*

Food Donations

Don't forget our food basket at the entrance of the church which is open daily. It is there all year for dropping off nonperishables. If you're visiting the area, and have nonperishables that you didn't use, consider donating them before you make your trip back home. Thank you for thinking of those in need.

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Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory

Weekly Need: \$3,200.00 Last weekend's offertory: \$3,144.00 Year-to-date* need: \$150,400.00 Year-to-date giving: \$192,006.00

*July 2021 - June 2022 fiscal year

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2022

Pledge Goal: \$20,308.59 Total Pledged: \$22,640.00 Total Received: \$11,888.44 Variance:*: -\$10,751.56

Number of Families Pledged: 38 *Variance is Pledge Goal minus Total Received

Meditation

Reflect, today, upon the particular mission that God has given to you. Prayerfully look at Jesus as He stands on the mountain of the Ascension and looks at you. As He does, let Him reveal to you not only His very Person, but also your particular sharing in His ongoing mission of sharing the Good News to the ends of the earth. Receive that mission with courage, joy and holy fear. Reverence it, savor it, ponder it and accept it. Commit yourself to this glorious sharing in the life of Christ by committing yourself to become a witness to Christ until the end of your life on earth.

Second Collection

Today, we take up the collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign(CCC). Your support helps CCC engage and build Catholic communities in the United States and around the world using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half the funds we collect remain here in our diocese to support local efforts. Be a part of this campaign to spread the Gospel message. Support the collection today!

My ascended Lord, as You entered body and soul into the full and glorious presence of Your Father, You handed on to your disciples the duty of completing Your mission on earth. I hear Your call in my life, dear Lord, and commit myself to the glorious task of continuing that mission on earth. Please use me as You will and fill me with power from on high so that I may help share Your saving Word to the ends of the earth. Jesus, I trust in You. My Catholic Life

Cover Art: "The Ascension of Christ," by Brian Jekel.

Altar Flowers

If you would like to donate altar flowers for a special occasion or in memory of a loved one, please contact the office at least 2 weeks in advance.

Reporting Abuse

The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to the healing of sexual abuse victims. It has established Victims Assistance Coordinators, experienced and trained counselors. who are available to help persons who have been sexually abused. The coordinator for the Panama City/Tallahassee area is Dr. James Gagnon, MSW, LCSW. He may be reached at (850)877-0205. Or call the Florida Child Abuse hotline: (800) 962-2873.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 28, The Ascension of the Lord

5:00pm - Aunt Bobbi by anonymous

Sunday, May 29, The Ascension of the Lord 9:00am - For the People of St. Joseph

11:00am - Lt. John Joseph Monaghan *by Mary Amann*.

Monday, May 30, Seventh Week of Easter 12:00pm -

Tuesday, May 31, Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

No Mass, Rosary at 11:00am

Wednesday, June 1, Seventh Week of Easter 5:30pm -

Thursday, June 2, Seventh Week of Easter 8:00am -

Friday, June 3, Seventh Week of Easter 8:00am -

Saturday, June 4, Solemnity of Pentecost 5:00pm -

Sunday, June 5, Solemnity of Pentecost 9:00am -

11:00am - For the People of St. Joseph To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.

