

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 26, 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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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.

Rosary

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.

Communion to the Homebound

Sacraments are available to all Catholics who would like to receive, but are unable to attend Sunday Mass due to injury, illness or advanced age. If you are in need of a visit, please call the office and request Communion at home, in the hospital, nursing home, or assisted living facility.

Meditation

When the days for Jesus' being taken up were fulfilled, he resolutely determined to journey to Jerusalem, and he sent messengers ahead of him. Luke 9:51-52a

Jesus was "resolutely determined" in His mission to travel toward Jerusalem. The significance of this line can easily be lost.

There are two things to point out about this passage. First, Jerusalem was the destination where He would ultimately die for the sins of the world. It was His place of glorification through the Sacrifice of the Cross. Thus, the disciples did not want Jesus to go to Jerusalem since they knew it was a risk. But Jesus saw through the suffering He would soon endure to the future glory of the Sacrifice He would offer.

Second, the fact that Jesus was "resolute" in His determination to go to Jerusalem and sacrifice His life reveals His courage and perfect love. He did not fear what would happen to Him because He had the bigger picture in mind. He saw the good fruit of the salvation of many souls and this overshadowed any temptation to be deterred from His divine mission.

We can learn much from Jesus' determination to sacrifice His life in Jerusalem for the salvation of the world. Certainly we should see the fruit of this sacrifice and be eternally grateful for it. But we should also see it as an invitation to imitate Jesus' actions. In our own lives there are many opportunities we are given to choose a life of selfless sacrifice for the good of others. These opportunities come in many forms, but in the end they are always opportunities of love and self-giving. Though sacrifice will tempt us to flee in a different direction, if we keep our eyes upon the good fruit of all selfless sacrifice, we will be encouraged to be resolute in our determination of love. *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 Roy Harper Iim Newton Sarah Harper Kari Summers **Jason Richter** Valarie Fabry Lisa Combs Buster Taunton Dana Earley McGarry Tanya Osley Fr Paul Anthony Sally Childs Halladay Cletus Heaps III Tommy Pitts Millie Morales Charles Klapp Betty Lewis Jared Arnold Doyle Faulkner Callie Holcomb Rita Sikora Chris Beatty Juliann Rainford Rosa Watkins

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

"If God sends you many sufferings it is a sign that He has great plans for you, and certainly wants to make you a saint." *St. Ignatius of Loyola*

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.

Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory

Weekly Need: \$3,200.00

Last weekend's offertory: \$3,171.00 Year-to-date* need: \$163,200.00 Year-to-date giving: \$205,864.00

*July 2021 - June 2022 fiscal year

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2022

Pledge Goal: \$20,308.59 Total Pledged: \$22,640.00 Total Received: \$13,476.52

Variance:*: -\$6,832.07

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

Meditation

Reflect, today, upon whatever your "Jerusalem" is. What is it that you are invited to sacrifice your life for out of love. When you discover what it is, look also at your willingness to embrace this sacrifice for the good of others and strive to imitate the firm determination of our Lord.

My determined Lord, I offer my life to You and accept Your invitation to offer my life for the good of others. Give me the courage and determination I need to see the value of selfless living and fill me with unwavering love of Your holy will. Jesus, I trust in You. My Catholic Life

Second Collection

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Francis. Take the opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/ en.html.

Holy Water

The holy water fonts are now filled at each entrance of the church for those who would like to use them.

Cover Art: "Come, Follow Me," by Brent Borup

Online Giving

Online giving is available for our parish. It is a quick and easy way to donate to the church. If you are interested, please go to our website at **www.stjosephpsj.com** and click on online giving to sign up.

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, June 25, Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00pm - Kathleen Walsh by Barbara Eells

Sunday, June 26, Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am - For the People of St. Joseph 11:00am -

Monday, June 27, Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time

12:00pm -

Tuesday, June 28, Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time

No Mass, Rosary at 11:00am

Wednesday, June 29, Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

5:30pm -

Thursday, June 30, Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00am -

Friday, July 1, Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00am -

Saturday, July 2, Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00pm -

Sunday, July 3, Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am -

11:00am - For the People of St. Joseph

To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.

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