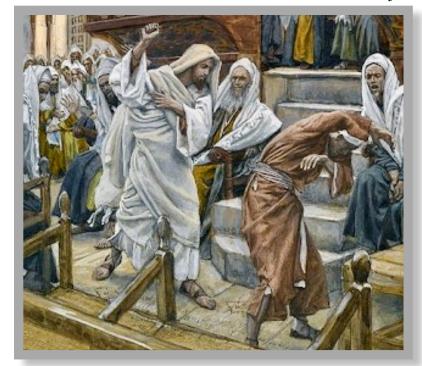


FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 28, 2024



SUNDAY MASS SATURDAY - 5:00 PM SUNDAY - 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM

Confessions Saturday - 4:30 pm-4:45 pm Sunday - 10:15 am-10:45 am Friday -8:30-9:30 am (First Fridays) WEEKDAY MASS MONDAY - 12:00 PM at Sacred Heart Hospital TUESDAY - No Mass, Rosary 11:00 WEDNESDAY - 5:30 THURSDAY - 8:00 AM FRIDAY - 8:00 AM followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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No Monday Mass There will be no Mass on Monday, January 29.

Mardi Gras Breakfast

The High School Youth Group will be hosting another delicious Mardi Gras Breakfast after both Sunday Masses on February 11. They will be serving pancakes, eggs, bacon, sausage and king cake. Cost is by donation only. All donations are going toward their Youth Conference trip in Atlanta. Come and enjoy breakfast with our youth and help support their trip.

Music Corner News

Tuesday Schola at 5:30. Schola means school, a singing school.

Are you interested in learning more about the music we are singing in church? Want to practice the Ordinary (parts of the Mass) that you hear at Mass? Interested in singing with the organ/guitar accompaniment? Please join us on Tuesdays at 5:30.

Contact Caroline Williams for information: 850-899-0022 or <u>crcmc@hotmail.com.</u>

St. Blaise & Blessing of the Throat

In honor of St. Blaise Feast Day, Saturday, February 3, we will have the Blessing of the throat after all Masses on Saturday and Sunday. Fr. Mathew will invite anyone who would like their throat blessed to come up to the altar. St. Blaise is invoked to intercede for us so that God may deliver us from diseases of the throat and all other illnesses.

Adult Religious Study

Please join us on Tuesday evenings at 6:30, for adult religious study, Symbolon Part 2: Living the Faith. This week's topic is **The Mass-Exploring the Sacred Liturgy.** It is all right if you can't attend every class. Class will start with a DVD presentation followed by a discussion. Come and gain a deeper understanding of our faith.

Words for Thought Two things to know for sure. Struggling doesn't last forever and God is always on time.

St. Joseph Parish Contacts

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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

Bailey RishIJoey SaternisVJoey SaternisVKeith LiesemeyerSGreg KlappTJoanne TerhorstTGeorge DoolingJ†Andrew WentzelISandy CravenSBrian CaseySAnthony DiColaGEmily RestadJJerone JobyI

Betty Huckeby Walt Dickson Sal Elia Terry Watson Terrie Warnock Joe Messer Belinda Brown Shelley Le Brun Sue Ward Georgiann Mangione Brenda Garth Doyle Faulkner

Wisdom of Saints

"To join two things together there must be nothing between them or there cannot be a perfect fusion. Now realize that this is how God wants our soul to be, without any selfish love of ourselves or of others in between, just as God loves us without anything in between." *–St. Catherine of Siena*

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: \$4,663.00 Last weekend's offertory: \$5,300.00 Year-to-date giving: \$125,048.00 Year-to-date* need:\$139,890.00

*July 2023 - June 2024 fiscal year

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2023 Pledge Goal: \$16,855.41 Total Pledged: \$19,535.90 Total Received: \$19,435.90 Variance:* \$2,580.49 Number of Families Pledged: 38 *Variance is Pledge Goal minus Total Received

Daily Missals

We have only six daily missals left. If you have taken one of them home please return it. We need them for daily masses and they have to last through the end of March. All missals and hymnals belong to St Josephs and are not to be removed from the church.

Hall Reservations

Please check with the office and make reservations before scheduling the hall for your group. We not only have groups from within our parish but several different groups from the community that reserve the hall for their events. Thank you for being considerate.

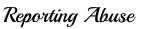
Lenten Retreat Day for Women

Lenten Retreat Day for Women: Leaning into the Word: Scripture as the Soul of Prayer, Saturday, February 24, 2024 from 8:30 am to 3 pm at Our Lady of the Assumption, Pensacola Beach with presenter Dr. Tom Neal. Mass at 9 am followed by talks, small group discussion, quiet time, lunch and Stations of the Cross. Cost is \$30. Registration deadline is February 15. Registration form at: <u>https://ptdiocese.org/fellowshipgroups</u> or contact Nanette at 850-543-0901 or nanettebell@cox.net.

Cover Art: "The Man Possessed of a Devil in the Synagogue," illustration for "The Life of Christ," c.1884-96 by James Jacques Joseph Tissot.

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.



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, January 27, Fourth Sunday in **Ordinary** Time 5:00pm - Robert Paul Treutel Jr by Bob & Nan Treutel Sunday, January 28, Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00am - For the People of St. Joseph 11:00am - Souls in Purgatory by Tim Finnerty Monday, January 29, Fourth Week in Ordinary Time 12:00pm - No Mass Tuesday, January 30, Fourth Week in Ordinary Time 11:00am - No Mass, Rosary Wednesday, January 31, Fourth Week in Ordinary Time 5:30pm - Karl Bowen by Dona Sander Thursday, February 1, Fourth Week in **Ordinary** Time 8:00am - Estela Banez, Ed Toolan & Rogelio S. Nauit Friday, February 2, Feast of the Presentation of the Lord 8:00am - John Rotowski, Edgar N. Atienza & Gloria Badeaux Saturday, February 3, Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:00pm - Kathgerine E. Bouchard, Laura Lee Madden & Chuck Fire Sunday, February 4, Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00am - Saundra Mauro by Melissa & Zee Haranek 11:00am - For the People of St. Joseph To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.