



SAINT JOSEPH

Catholic Church, Port Saint Joe, Florida

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 27, 2022



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

CONFESSIONS
SATURDAY - 4:30 PM-4:45 PM (MARCH 5)
SUNDAY - 10:15AM-10:45AM

WEEKDAY MASS
MONDAY - 12:00 PM
TUESDAY - No scheduled Mass
ASH WEDNESDAY - 9 AM & 5:30 PM
THURSDAY - 8:00 AM
FRIDAY - 8:00 AM followed by Adoration until
9:30 AM

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Mass Time Change

Starting March 5, the Saturday Mass time is changing to 5pm with Confession from 4:30pm to 4:45pm.

Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday, March 2 Mass
Times: 9am and 5:30pm.

Stations of the Cross

Please join us every Friday during Lent at 6pm for Stations of the Cross as we make a spiritual pilgrimage through contemplation of the Passion of Christ.

Mardi Gras Breakfast

The High School Youth Group will be hosting a Mardi Gras Breakfast after both the 9am and 11am Masses. They will be serving pancakes, eggs and sausage. Cost is by donation only. All donations are going toward their Youth Conference trip in Atlanta. Come and enjoy a lovely breakfast with our youth and help support their trip.



Our music ministry has been working very hard to prepare for the upcoming Easter celebration. To prepare, the choir will have a song of the month that will be played every Sunday until Easter to help parishioners learn them. The song of the month for March is 514, You Have Called Us. We now have 10 members in our music ministry, 7 women and 3 men. It is never too late to join with them. If you are interested, please attend their practice on Tuesdays at 7pm.

Rite of Election

Three adult members of our parish will be traveling to Tallahassee on March 6. They will join with others from around the diocese to participate in the Rite of Election Ceremony and the Call to Continuing Conversion where they will be recognized by Bishop Wack. Our RICA program is proud to send Fr. Mathew, Kathryn Arnold, Nate Moon and Mo Khamee along with their sponsors, godparents, family and friends. They will continue their conversion into the Catholic faith with their initiation at the Easter Vigil. Please keep them in your prayers.

Fence Repair

When it was decided to purchase a rectory instead of build one behind the church, we were left with a fence damaged by Hurricane Michael. The damaged sections have now been replaced and it looks much better.

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Prayer List

Ron Treutel	Jasslyn Raffield
Jim Newton	Kathleen Dowd
Jason Richter	Bobby Miller
Valarie Fabry	Jeremy Cook
Dana Earley	Charles Klapp
McGarry	Hilda Atkinson
Fr Paul Anthony	Jared Arnold
Halladay	Bobby Outlaw
Terry Staab	Lorinda Gingell
Tommy Pitts	Callie Holcomb
Kathleen Walsh	†Carolyn Lee
Mary Petersack	Mel Shamp
Br. David Nichols	Karsyn Kay Anderson

To request that a name be placed on the prayer list, please call or email the parish office. Names will remain on the list for three months. If they need to stay on longer or come off early let us know and we'll take care of it.

End of Year Financial Statements

If you would like an end of year financial statement for your 2021 church donations, please call the church office at 850-227-1417.

Olive Wood Carvers

Little Bethlehem Christians represent over 300 Christian and Catholic families living in Bethlehem, Jerusalem, the Shepherd's Field and the Holy Land area. Take a moment after Mass to view their collection of religious items for sale. The profits go to support the existence of Christianity in the land of Christ.

Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory

Weekly Need: \$3,200.00

Last weekend's offertory: \$4,652.00

Year-to-date* need: \$108,800.00

Year-to-date giving: \$134,686.00

**July 2021 - June 2022 fiscal year*

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2022

Pledge Goal: \$20,308.59

Total Pledged: \$4,665.00

Total Received: \$2,583.64

Variance:*-\$17,724.95

Number of Families Pledged: 16

**Variance is Pledge Goal minus Total Received*

Blessings Bags

Middle school students will be attending the Diocese Middle School Retreat on March 5 in Mary Ester. They will be making Blessing Bags to give to the needy and are asking for the following donations from our parishioners:

Gallon size ziploc bags

8 oz. bottled waters

Soft granola bars or cereal bars (the homeless sometimes can't chew hard things)

Toothbrushes (individually packaged)

Toothpaste (travel size)

Socks

Peanut butter or cheese crackers

AA batteries

All donations are appreciated and may be left in the box at the front entrance to the church.

Second Collection

Next week, our parish will take up the 138th annual National Black and Indian Mission Collection. Our support of this collection helps build the Church in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities from coast to coast. Schools, parish religious education programs, and diocesan ministries depend on your generosity to help them spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2022

Please return your CSA pledge cards either during collection or mailing them directly to the Diocese. All checks must be payable to CSA. If you did not receive your pledge card in the mail, there are more at each entrance. Our pledge goal has increased to \$20,308.59 for this year. Anything over this amount is returned to our parish. Thank you for your support.

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, February 26, Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4pm - Olga Alcodó *by Fran Smith*

Sunday, February 27, Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am - For the People of St. Joseph

11am - Carolyn Lee *by Barbara Eells*

Monday, February 28, Eighth Week in Ordinary Time

12pm -

Tuesday, March 1, Eighth Week in Ordinary Time

No scheduled Mass

Wednesday, March 2, Ash Wednesday

9am

5:30pm

Thursday, March 3, Thursday after Ash Wednesday

8am

Friday, March 4, Friday after Ash Wednesday

8am

Saturday, March 5, First Sunday in Lent

4pm -

Sunday, March 6, First Sunday in Lent

9am -

11am - For the People of St. Joseph

To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.