



SAINT JOSEPH

Catholic Church, Port Saint Joe, Florida

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 2, 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

Mass Readings & Hymns

Readings: 649

Hymns

Entrance: 575

Offertory: 824

Communion: 612

Recessional: 817

Hymn of the Month

#612 "God's Love Is Everything"

Sponsor Needed

The church is looking for a sponsor for our 2023 calendars. You can be a sponsor and have your ad at the bottom of the calendar or sponsor anonymously. Cost for the ad is \$150.00 for one hundred calendars plus shipping. There could be additional charges if your ad has a special design. Parishioners love these calendars and they go quickly. Please contact the office at 850-227-1417 for more information.

Thank You Altar Society

Thank you to the Women's Altar Society for purchasing new weekday candlesticks for the Altar. The old ones were in very bad condition and needed replacing. These candlesticks are used on the Altar Monday through Friday. The Altar Society works very hard throughout the year to earn money to purchase these much needed items for the Altar through bake sales, yard sales and Advent Dinners. The cost for these two candlesticks alone was \$1,283.00. That's a lot of cookies to bake! Thank you, Altar Society Ladies, for your hard work and all you do for our church. Please be supportive in their future fund raisers.

Refreshments With Our Youth

Starting this weekend, our High School Youth Group will be serving coffee and refreshments in the hall after both the 9:00am and 11:00am Masses. They will be doing this on the first Sunday of each month and are accepting donations to help fund their trip to the Steubenville Youth Conference in Atlanta. This is a great opportunity to visit with fellow parishioners and our youth while helping them fund their youth conference.



Convocation/No Mass

Fr. Mathew will be in Destin for Convocation from Tuesday, October 11 until Thursday, October 13. There will be no daily Mass on those days. Please remember Fr. Mathew and all of the diocesan priests in your prayers.

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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.

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.

Prayer List

Jim Newton	Adolph Ouellette
Jason Richter	Ron Bizek
Callie Holcomb	Franco Bernabe
Mary Springer	Christopher Graber
Chris Williams	Bud Harrison
Marilyn Lavin	Dana Earley
Hilda Atkinson	McGarry
Frank Hardin	MariTe Donoho
Betty Bradley	Greg Klapp
Georgian	Marianne Warhol
Mangione	Darlene Jordon
Will Cribb	Keith Nixon
Charles Radcliff	Kathy Senn
Jerry Hotchkiss	Shirley Creamer
Bertha Hotchkiss	Kerry Creamer
Shelly Hotchkiss	Beth Gray

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

"Faith is to believe what you do not see. The reward of faith is to see what you believe." *St. Augustine of Hippo*

Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory

Weekly Need: \$4,076.00

Last weekend's offertory: \$2,156.99

Year-to-date giving: \$50,436.00

Year-to-date* need: \$52,988.00

**July 2022 - June 2023 fiscal year*

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2022

Pledge Goal: \$20,308.59

Total Pledged: \$22,640.00

Total Received: \$17,232.43

Variance*: -\$3,076.16

Number of Families Pledged: 38

**Variance is Pledge Goal minus Total Received*



Gospel Reflection

Embracing the will of God as a holy “obligation” also enables us to fulfill it more fully. When doing the will of God is seen as something extraordinary, we may not build a proper habit of fulfilling it. But when it’s seen as our duty of love and as the normal act we should fulfill, it’s easier to embrace His will more completely.

Meditation

Reflect, today, on this humble phrase. “We are unprofitable servants; we have done what we were obliged to do.” Try to say it, mean it and let it become the foundation of your daily service of God’s will. Doing so will set you on the “fast track” toward holiness.

Lord, I am an unprofitable servant. When I fulfill Your holy will, I acknowledge that this is a holy obligation of love and my most fundamental duty. Help me to see Your will as the most normal part of my daily life. Help me to embrace it with wholehearted faith and obedience. Jesus, I trust in You. My Catholic Life

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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, October 1, Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00pm - Helen Worthen *by Annelie Smolenski*

Sunday, October 2, Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am -

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

Monday, October 3, Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

12:00pm - Kathleen Eells *by Barbara Eells*

Tuesday, October 4, Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

No Mass, Rosary at 11:00am

Wednesday, October 5, Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

5:30pm - Fr Fausto Stampiglia *by Barbra Eells*

Thursday, October 6, Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

8:00am -

Friday, October 7, Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

8:00am -

Saturday, October 8, Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00pm - Beth Gray *by Mary & Vic Springer*

Sunday, October 9, Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

11:00am - Byron Eells *by Barbara Eells*

To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.

