

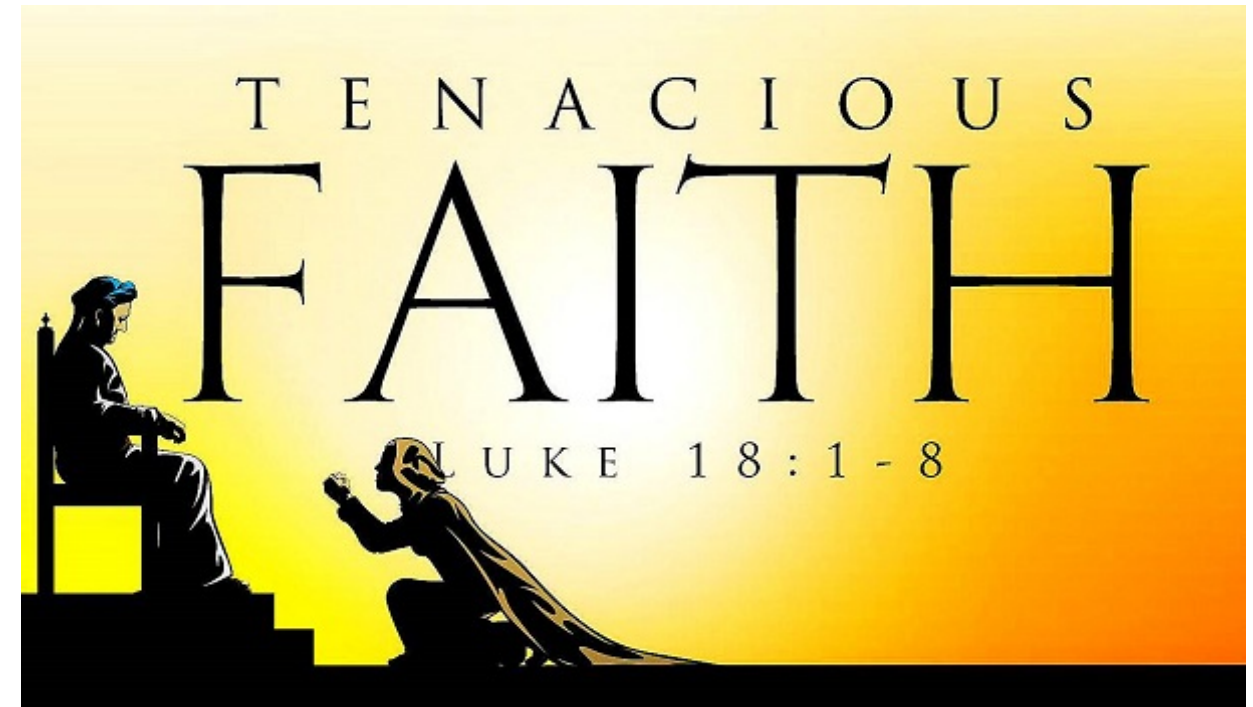


SAINT JOSEPH

Catholic Church, Port Saint Joe, Florida

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 16, 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 (NO MASS OCT.12)
THURSDAY - 8:00 AM (NO MASS OCT. 13)
FRIDAY - 8:00 AM followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mass Readings & Hymns

Readings: 654

Hymns

Entrance: 612

Offertory: 673

Communion: 760

Recessional: 671

Hymn of the Month

612 God's Love is Everlasting

Altar Society Meeting

The Women's Altar Society will be starting their monthly potluck meetings on Monday, October 24. Potluck will start at 6:00pm followed by the meeting at 6:30pm. All ladies are welcome to attend.

Gospel Reflection

Jesus used this story to teach a lesson about the necessity "to pray always without becoming weary" (Luke 18:1). It's interesting that the image of the judge is one "who neither feared God nor respected any human being" (Luke 18:2). But Jesus uses this image of an unjust judge to reveal the power of persistence and to reveal the depths of God's mercy. *My Catholic Life*

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.

Refreshments

Please join us in the hall after the 9:00am Mass for coffee, refreshments and wonderful fellowship.



Oktoberfest

Our High School Youth Group invites you to their Oktoberfest on Saturday, October 29 from 6-9pm in the parish hall and courtyard. This event will be a fundraiser for their Steubenville trip to Atlanta in the Summer of 2023.

Come, eat some brats, hot dogs and other goodies. Play yard and board games and spend time in community. Have some fun while supporting our youth! Cost for this fun filled event is by donation only.

Fr Mathew Vacation

Fr. Mathew will be on vacation from October 18 to October 20 and October 22 to October 26. There will be no weekday Masses on Thursday, October 20, Monday, October 24 and Wednesday, October 26.

Altar Flower Donation

Last week's altar flowers were donated by Kathlene Arnold in memory of Eve.

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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	Dana E. McGarry
Jason Richter	MariTe Donoho
Callie Holcomb	Greg Klapp
Mary Springer	Marianne Warhol
Chris Williams	Darlene Jordon
Marilyn Lavin	Keith Nixon
Hilda Atkinson	Shirley Creamer
Frank Hardin	Kerry Creamer
Betty Bradley	Beth Gray
Will Cribb	Georgian Mangione
Charles Radcliff	†Darlene Spencer
Jerry Hotchkiss	Julie Myers
Bertha Hotchkiss	Brenda Richards
Shelly Hotchkiss	Cody Biom
Adolph Ouellette	Lisa Combs
Ron Bizek	†Bill Coran
Franco Bernabe	Jackie
Christopher Graber	†Ryan Cyr
Bud Harrison	

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

"Fear not, I am with you; be not dismayed; I am your God. I will strengthen you, and help you, and uphold you with my right hand of justice." *Isaiah 41:10*

Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory

Weekly Need: \$4,076.00

Last weekend's offertory: \$3,294.00

Year-to-date giving: \$58,972.00

Year-to-date* need: \$61,140.00

**July 2022 - June 2023 fiscal year*

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2022

Pledge Goal: \$20,308.59

Total Pledged: \$22,640.00

Total Received: \$17,292.43

Variance*: -\$3,016.16

Number of Families Pledged: 38

**Variance is Pledge Goal minus Total Received*

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.

Second Collection

Next weekend, October 22 & 23, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses around the world, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's mission in your prayers and be generous in next week's collection to support the life-giving presence of the Church among the poor and marginalized in more than 1,100 mission dioceses.

Meditation

Reflect, today, upon how persistent you are in your prayer. The prayer you must seek to live is primarily a prayer of total trust and abandonment to God. You do not change God's mind by begging Him. Rather, your prayer must be so persistent that it opens you to the will of God and allows His grace to flow in accord with His perfect will.

Lord, I beg of You that Your perfect and holy will be done in my life. I abandon all to You, dear Lord. Do with me as You will. Jesus, I trust in You. My Catholic Life

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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.

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 15, Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Sunday, October 16, Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am -

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

Monday, October 17, Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time

12:00pm -

Tuesday, October 18, Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time

No Mass, Rosary at 11:00am

Wednesday, October 19, Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time

5:30pm -

Thursday, October 20, Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00am - (No Mass)

Friday, October 21, Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00am -

Saturday, October 22, Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00pm - Stephen Noel *by Beth Noel*

Sunday, October 23, Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

11:00am -

To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.

