



# SAINT JOSEPH

Catholic Church, Port Saint Joe, Florida

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 14, 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, **Sacred Heart Hospital**

TUESDAY: No Mass, Rosary at 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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### *Prayers for our High School Youth*

Please keep our seven high school youth and their two chaperones in your prayers as they travel to Orlando to the Steubenville Conference July 11 through 14. May they have a safe and enriching trip as they encounter the love of Jesus Christ.

### *Scam Alert*

Once again we are seeing a scam being sent to text and emails. If you receive one saying it is from Father Mathew needing help, please do not respond. Father Mathew will never send out a text or email asking for help in this way. If help is ever needed he will reach out in person, at Mass or through a personal contact from the church office.

### *Lily of the Mohawks*

The "Lily of the Mohawks" was born in the same village in which three of the North American martyrs met their deaths. This young woman who fell in love with the Lord despite the opposition of her family and clan is the first Native American to be canonized. Her feast day is celebrated today, July 14.

### *Words for Thought*

Where there is no struggle, there is no strength.

*My providential Lord, You always provide for us in every way. You know our every need and always meet those needs. Please help me to trust in You in every way and to learn to rely upon Your providential grace. Please use me as You will and work powerfully through me so that my life produces an abundance of good fruit for Your Kingdom. Jesus, I trust in You!*

### *St. Joseph Parish Contacts*

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### *Prayer List*

Bailey Rish	Mary Halladay
Joey Saternis	Danielle Newton
Keith Liesemeyer	Vince Fabry
Greg Klapp	Jo O'Barr
Sandy Craven	Doyle Faulkner
Jerone Joby	Fr. Ken Ekdahl
Terry Staab	Terry Warnock
Mary Kelly	Steve Solonka
Jeannie Janicki	Loraine Schanback
Juliann Rainford	Dottie Race
Adrian Welle	Leo Pogorzelski
Jimmy Conway	† Lucille Kensinger
Merle Kensinger & family	



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

### *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.

### *Wisdom of Saints*

"Faith is to believe what you do not see; the reward of this faith is to see what you believe."  
– St. Augustine

### *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: \$

Last weekend's offertory: \$6,400.00

Year-to-date giving: \$6,400.00

Year-to-date\* need: \$

*\* July 2024 - June 2025 fiscal year*

#### **Catholic Sharing Appeal 2024**

Pledge Goal: \$19,875.00

Total Pledged: \$20,559.69

Total Received: \$17,558.69

Variance:\* -\$2,316.31

Number of Families Pledged: 39

*\*Variance is Pledge Goal minus Total Received*

### *Church Registration*

We are delighted that you have chosen to become a member of our church family. Please register by stopping in or calling our office (850-227-1417).

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick—no food, no sack, no money in their belts. They were, however, to wear sandals but not a second tunic. Mark 6:7-9

### *Gospel Reflection*

Reflect, today, upon the fact that God wants you to learn to trust Him in all things and to especially trust that He will use you to share the Gospel with others. If you find this fearful, that is a good interior discovery. It means that you have found the fear holding you back. Whatever that may be, step forward in faith and conquer that fear. God will provide for you, giving you what you need to wonderfully fulfill His divine mission in your life.

*- 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, July 13, Fifteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

5:00pm: Ruth Beck by Jane & Denny Hughes

#### **Sunday, July 14, Fifteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

9:00am: People of St. Joseph

11:00am: Jim Lambert *By Barbara Eells*

#### **Monday, July 15, Fifteenth Week of Ordinary Time**

12:00pm:

#### **Tuesday, July 16, Fifteenth Week of Ordinary Time**

11:00am: No Mass, Rosary

#### **Wednesday, July 17, Fifteenth Week of Ordinary Time**

5:30pm: Melissa Toney *by Barbara Eells*

#### **Thursday, July 18, Fifteenth Week of Ordinary Time**

8:00am:

#### **Friday, July 19, Fifteenth Week of Ordinary Time**

8:00am: Mel Wendt *by Annelie Smolenski*

#### **Saturday, July 20, Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

5:00pm: David & Rosalie Tritsch *by Nan & Bob Treutel*

#### **Sunday, July 21, Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

9:00am:

11:00am: People of St Joseph

*To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.*