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Catholic Church, Port Saint Joe, Florida	1925 - 2025

NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

August 10, 2025



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 10:00 AM

WEDNESDAY: 5:30 PM

THURSDAY: 8:00 AM

FRIDAY: 8:00 AM followed by Adoration of

the Blessed Sacrament

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Holy Day of Obligation

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is on Friday August 15. This is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be at 9:00 instead of the usual 8:00 and there will be no Adoration.

Church Directory

We will be making a church directory for our 100th Anniversary. Anyone wanting to be in the directory is asked to send a family or individual picture of themselves. If you are uncomfortable taking your own picture or sending it in, we will have our youth taking pictures between 10:00 and 11:00 on Sundays August 17, 24 and 31. All pictures must be sent in by September 15 to get them printed in the directory on time. Send your images with your names to: web@stjosephpsj.com.



Music Notes

Our parish Jubilee is in October and we will be starting to prepare for that with special Jubilee Choir rehearsals. We welcome anyone interested in trying out for the choir/music program to come and participate! A good way to try it out for a great celebration! Keep a look out for those rehearsal announcements. Thank you for all your help in making our worship beautiful and all for the glory of God. **Questions**? Carolyn 850-899-0022 or crcmc@hotmail.com

Married Couples

Getting ready for school means lots of time spent on your children. After school begins, why not give yourselves some time together? Make a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend! Sign up today to attend an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on September 5-7 2025, in Winter Park, Fl., Feb 13-15 2026, in Tallahassee, or July 31 – Aug 2, 2026, in St Johns, FL. For more information, visit our website at wwme.org or e-mail: Applications@FLCN-wwme.org. Or contact Walt & Viv Paskowski at waltviv.wwme@gmail.com if you have any questions.

St. Joseph Parish Contacts

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Words for Thought

A mistake which makes you humble is much better than an achievement that makes you arrogant.

Prayer List

Joey Saternis Jeff Dalton

Chase Giddens Laurie Bunyea Huggard

Sister Eugenia Debra Watson
Hazel McRory Betsy Abbott
Greg Klapp Laurel Raffield
Mickey Thibodeau Darrin Kretzer
Jessica Bolen Bobbie Miller
Mike Andrews Mitchell Mount
Lina Senn Jean Faliski

Kathy Senn
Sonny Eells
Hotchkiss Family

Connie Munn

Fr Steven Chinnabachini ALOP

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.

Food Pantry 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: \$

 $Last weekend's offertory: \$5,\!382.00$

Year-to-date giving: \$25,496.00

Year-to-date* need: \$

* July 2024 - June 2025 fiscal year

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2025

Pledge Goal: \$25,460.96 Total Pledged: \$16,365.94

Total Received: \$13,057.99

Variance:* -\$12,402.97

Number of Families Pledged: 29

*Variance is Pledge Goal minus Total Received

& John Recell

Second Collection

This weekend we take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America! Many people in Latin America and the Caribbean lack access to church programs and ministries because of a rising secular culture, rugged rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers. Your generosity enables our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbean to share in the life of the Church and grow closer to Christ. Be generous in the special collection! To learn more about how your gifts make a difference visit www.usccb.org/latinamerica.

Why Spiritual Intentions

For our 100 Year Anniversary we are looking for people to sign up for spiritual intentions. What is the point, someone asked. As Bishop Wack shared with Father Mathew, we need to do something spiritual along with the other celebrations planned. We are commemorating a century of our church's presence in this community. We need to offer our prayers, masses, chaplets and adoration for our church. May St Joseph remain strong and standing and be here for many more generations to come. Please sign-up today in the front of the church.

Wisdom of Saints

"A word or a smile is often enough to put fresh life in a despondent soul" ~ St. Therese of Lisieux

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, August 9, Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

5:00pm:

Sunday, August 10, Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00am: People of St. Joseph

11:00am: Pat Osley by Barbara Eells

Monday, August 11, Nineeenth Week of Ordinary Time

12:00pm:

Tuesday, August 12, Nineteenth Week of Ordinary Time

10:00am: No Mass, Rosary

Wednesday, August 13, Nineteenth Week of Ordinary Time

5:30pm: Ron & Angela Barbaris 65th Anniversary

Thursday, August 14, Nineteenth Week of Ordinary Time

8:00am:

Friday, August 15, Nineteenth Week of Ordinary Time

8:00am: Rosie & Bill Abide by Annelie Smolenski

Saturday, August 16, Twentieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

5:00pm:

Sunday, August 17, Twentieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00am:

11:00am: People of St. Joseph

To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.

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