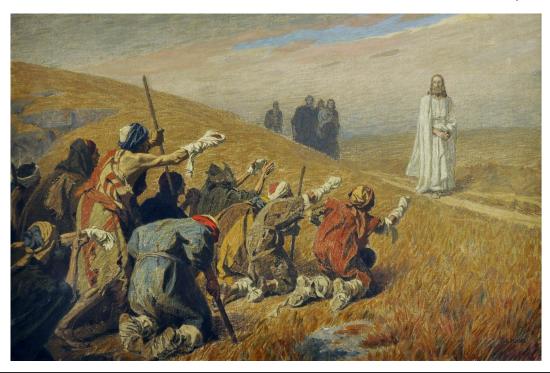
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TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 12, 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  $10:00~\mathrm{AM}$ 

WEDNESDAY: 5:30 PM THURSDAY: 8:00 AM

FRIDAY: 8:00 AM followed by Adoration of

the Blessed Sacrament

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## Directory Postponed

The directory has been postponed until a little later to try and get a few more parishioner pictures in it. If you haven't sent in your picture yet please send it as soon as possible to web@stjosephpsj.com.

#### 100 Year Celebration Committees

One more week until the big celebration! We are in the final stretch. All committees should have everything finalized. Please notify the office or Fr Mathew if there is anything you need help with.



# New Deacon for St Joseph

We would like to give a big welcome to Deacon Paul Schueth and his wife Betsy. They moved here and Deacon Paul is now cleared from our Diocese to help Fr Mathew in our church. What a Blessing it is to have our very own Deacon here at St Josephs!

### 100 Year Celebration Mass

Please join us for our 100 Year Celebration Mass and reception with Bishop Wack next Sunday, October 19th, at 11:00.

## Altar Society Meeting

The Women's Altar Society will meet on Monday, October 20th at 5:30. Anyone wanting to join for a potluck before the meeting please be there at 5:00. All ladies are welcome to attend.

# Adult Religious Study

Please join us on Tuesday evenings at 6:00 for our adult religious study. These classes will cover "Blue Collar Apologetics" by John Martignoni. Come learn how to explain and defend our Catholic Faith! It is all right if you can't attend every class. Join anytime, each class is a different topic. Come join us and gain a deeper understanding of our faith.

## St. Joseph Parish Contacts

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Betsie Welle, 850 339-3170

Music: Carolyn Williams,

850-899-0022, crcmc@hotmail.com

# Words for Thought

Because I carry it well doesn't mean it's not heavy.

## Prayer List

Joey Saternis Fr Steven Chinnabachini Chase Giddens †Bryan Blankenship Melba Council Greg Klapp Mike Andrews Emma Brown Jeff Dalton Rosemary OBrien Laurie B. Huggard †Maty Kuhn Debra Watson Ada Diaz Penny McLemore Betsy Abbott Darrin Kretzer †Joe Morales Bobbie Miller Betty McGowan Richard Rainford †Mitchell Mount Jackie Pollock Iean Faliski

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

†Sister Carole Wells

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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 Pantry Donations

Ellen Fabry

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.

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### Stewardship of Treasure

### Offertory

Weekly Need: \$4,286.00 Last weekend's offertory: \$4,438.00

Year-to-date giving: \$64,247.00 Year-to-date\* need: \$60,004.00

\* July 2025 - June 2026 fiscal year

### Catholic Sharing Appeal 2025

Pledge Goal: \$25,460.96 Total Pledged: \$17,333.85 Total Received: \$15,213.78

Variance:\* -\$10,247.18

Number of Families Pledged: 32

\*Variance is Pledge Goal minus Total Received

#### Burse Club

Thank you to all that donated to the Burse Club and who pray for our Seminarians. With your help we were able to collect \$465.00. If you did not contribute it is not too late to help the twenty-four seminarians in our diocese. Just put your donation in an envelope marked Burse Club and drop it in the offertory. Please make checks out to the Burse Club please.

### Second Collection

Next weekend, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Leo invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses around the world, where priest, 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 second collection to support the life-giving presence of the Church among the poor and marginalized in more than 1,100 mission dioceses.

# Wisdom of Saints

"A saint was once asked, while playing happily with his companions, what he would do if an angel told him that in a quarter of an hour he would die and have to appear before the judgment seat of God. The saint promptly replied that he would continue playing because he was certain these games were pleasing to God." ~ St. John Bosco

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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 11, Twenty-Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

5:00pm: Joe Morales by Barbara Eells

Sunday, October 12, Twenty-Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

9:00am:

11:00am: People of St Joseph

Monday, October 13, Twenty-Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

12:00pm:

Tuesday, October 14, Twenty-Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

10:00am: No Mass, Rosary

Wednesday, October 15, Twenty-Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

5:30pm:

Thursday, October 16, Twenty-Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

8:00am:

Friday, October 17, Twenty-Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

8:00am:

Saturday, October 18, Twenty-Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

5:00pm: Sister Carole Well by Barbara Eells

Sunday, October 19, Twenty-Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

9:00am: People of St Joseph

11:00am: Kathleen Morton by Annelie Smolenski

To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.

5t. John Bosco