



**SAINT
JOSEPH** 
Catholic Church, Port Saint Joe, Florida 1925 - 2025

SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

MAY 24, 2026



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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MEMORIAL DAY
 * HONORING ALL WHO SERVED *

Memorial Day Blessings

This Memorial Day, let us remember and pray for the brave men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom, embodying Christ's call to lay down one's life for friends. We pray for the repose of their souls and for comfort for their families, reflecting on the hope of the Resurrection.



Come, Holy Spirit

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful and kindle in them the fire of Your love. Send forth Your Spirit and they shall be created. And You shall renew the face of the earth.

Wisdom of Saints

“To convert somebody go and take them by the hand and guide them.”
 ~ St. Thomas Aquinas

No Weekday Masses

Fr. Mathew will be away from May 25th - Jun 4th. There will be no weekday masses during this time. Fr Paul Stewart will be filling in at our weekend masses. Please welcome Fr. Paul back to our church and pray for Fr Mathew to have a safe trip.



Wind & Fire of Pentecost

Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained.”
 ~ John 20:21–23

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Words for Thought

No amount of guilt can change the past, and no amount of anxiety can change the future.

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 nonperishable food items. If you're visiting the area, and have nonperishable food 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

Joey Saternis	Bunny Miller
Chase Giddens	Saundra Mauro
Greg Klapp	Al Hemmerling
Rosemary OBrien	David Rodrigues
Penny McLemore	Steve Droll
David King	Marianne Warhol
Traci Evans	Mary Petersack
Jim Muir	Winston Wells
Shawna Wood	Dottie Race
Paula Strickland	Dick Race
Michael Bryant	Peggy Heaps
Jim Spence	Shae Eiter
Zee Haranek	Noah Cox
Sarah Di Fiore	Anna Karth
Sam Amerson, Sr	Chris Earley
Voncile Andrews	
Joel Alesi	
Elizabeth Hohn	

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 Monday, by noon, prior to the weekend you would like it to be in the bulletin.

Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory

Weekly Need: \$4,286.00

Last weekend's offertory: \$5,349.00

Year-to-date giving: \$224,401.00

Year-to-date* need: \$194,156.00

* July 2025 - June 2026 fiscal year

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2026

Pledge Goal: \$28,225.00

Total Pledged: \$11,821.73

Total Received: \$9,532.23

Variance: * \$18,692.77

Number of Families Pledged: 28

*Variance is Pledge Goal minus Total Received

RE Dinner In a Bag Collection

This will be the final week for the Dinner in a Bag collection. Thank you to everyone who supported our RE students in this lesson of service to others.



Thank You

Thank you for your generosity toward last week's collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support helps CCC fulfill its mission of love to share the gospel message of hope. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give!

Visit www.usccb.org/cc.

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Donations for Lawnmower

If you are interested in donating toward the purchase of a lawnmower for the church please speak with Fr. Mathew or contact the church office at 227-1417. Thank you for your prayerful support.



Nighttime Chant

Come Holy Spirit come..., *repeat, then*
come fill me,
come teach me,
come protect me,
come renew me.

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, May 23, Solemnity of Pentecost

5:00pm: Annelie Smolenski *by Annelie Smolenski*

Sunday, May 24, Solemnity of Pentecost

9:00am: People of St Joseph

11:00am: Richard Wacksman *by Annelie Smolenski*

Monday, May 25, Monday of the Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

12:00pm:

Tuesday, May 26, Tuesday of the Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

10:00am: No Mass, Rosary

Wednesday, May 27, Wednesday of the Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

5:30pm:

Thursday, May 28, Thursday of the Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

8:00am:

Friday, May 29, Friday of the Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

8:00am:

Saturday, May 30, Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

5:00pm: Noah Cox *by Anne Parrish*

Sunday, May 31, Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

9:00am: Julie Gill *by Linda Hill*

11:00am: People of St Joseph

To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.