

NATIVITY *of* OUR LORD CATHOLIC CHURCH

9945 Hillview Drive
Pensacola, Florida 32514
850-477-3221
office@nativityofourlordcc.org

Mass Schedule

Saturday: Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am and 11:00am
Sunday: 4:30pm Catholic Argos Mass
Daily Mass: Monday ~ Friday 8:30am

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Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 3:00pm ~ 4:30pm or by appointment

Parish Office Hours:

Monday to Thursday: 9:00am ~ 5:00pm
Friday: 9:00am ~ 1:00pm

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lechh@clergy.ptdiocese.org

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music@nativityofourlordcc.org

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Harold Sandy, Custodian

Marianna Arden, Rectory Coordinator

Catechetical Sunday

On this day, catechists are
formally commissioned for
ministry to our church family.

September 18





Prayers:

“I believe that everyone of us says some prayers. It may be saying the Hail Mary, or the rosary, or just talking to God. *‘Hello God, how you are doing today! I’m doing OK, I got up this morning had some breakfast, took a shower, changed my clothes and went to work. Thank you for allowing me to be here. Talk with you later’.*”

“ ‘I ask that...prayers...be offered for every-one, for kings and for all in authority’ (1 Timothy 2:1-2). St. Paul is saying that such prayers were necessary not only for the community of believers, but also for the leaders so that they might come to know the Lord.”

“Prayer is the highest expression of our **dependence** on God. It’s asking for what we want. Prayer is **requesting**. We ask and then wait patiently until God gives us what we request – or something more. Prayer is asking for **understanding**. Helping us to comprehend the Scriptures. We depend upon God, by requesting our needs, with an understanding of His Word.”

“Through prayers, God listens, comforts, and instructs us.”¹

¹ The Word Among Us, Daily Meditations for Catholics, September 2022, pg. 39. Our Daily Bread, June, July, August 2021, July Topic, Prayer.

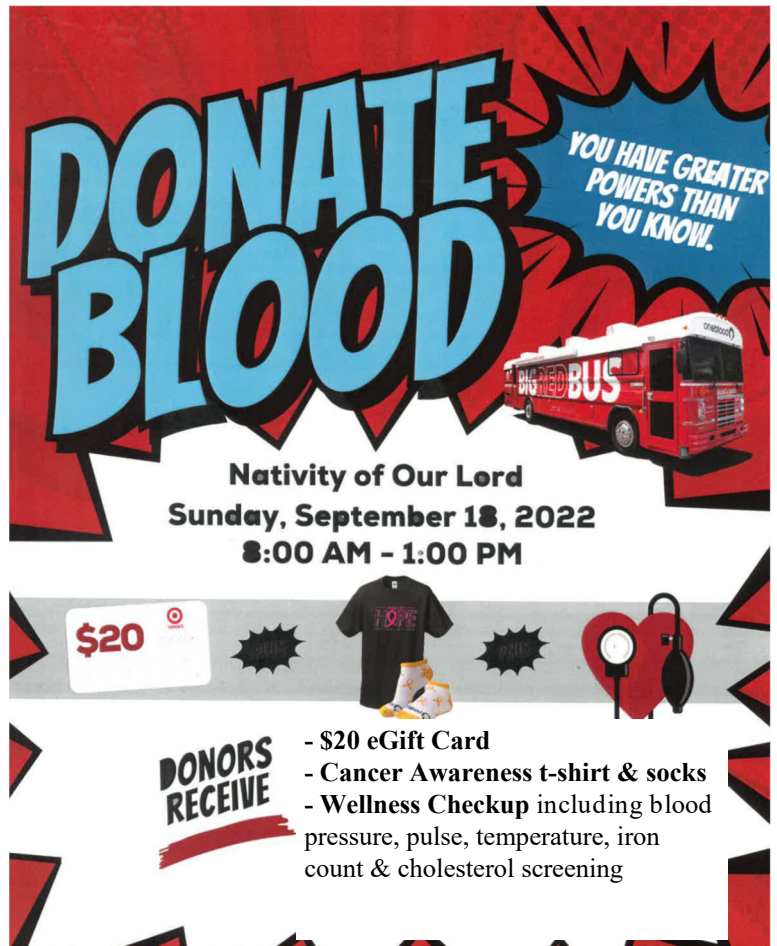



Knights of Columbus

Pancake Breakfast

September 18 between the Masses.
Eggs, sausage, all you can eat pancakes.
\$5 plate/\$15 family

OneBlood Blood Mobile will be here. Donate blood and get a free breakfast!



DONATE BLOOD

YOU HAVE GREATER POWERS THAN YOU KNOW.

Nativity of Our Lord
Sunday, September 18, 2022
8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

\$20

DONORS RECEIVE

- \$20 eGift Card
- Cancer Awareness t-shirt & socks
- Wellness Checkup including blood pressure, pulse, temperature, iron count & cholesterol screening

Father Hank's Pick of the Week September 18

FORMED®

PICK OF THE WEEK

Sept 18, 2021

WATCH

PADRE PIO BETWEEN HEAVEN AND EARTH

Based on the historical records and the personal testimony of his fellow friars, this is the amazing true story of the life of the famous stigmatic monk, St. Padre Pio, a contemporary saint who died in 1968. Filmed on location in Italy, starring Michele Placido in a moving performance, this film tells the whole story of the beloved monk from San Giovanni Rotondo, a place where millions of pilgrims now annually visit Padre Pio's grave.



LEARN

FORMED FOR MISSION: AN APOSTOLIC SPIRITUALITY

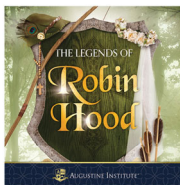


Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp sit down for a weekly show on evangelization and mission. "Evangelizing is in fact the grace and vocation proper to the Church, her deepest identity. She exists in order to evangelize" (EN, 14). We pray that these discussions may help all the faithful be further conformed to Christ and become powerful evangelists in the world today.

LISTEN

THE LEGENDS OF ROBIN HOOD AUDIO DRAMA

The child of a reputable family and a faithful son of the Church, Robert of Locksley had no intention of becoming an outlaw. But the relentless cruelty and tyranny by the elite nobility of England demanded that someone rise up to give answer. And so Robert of Locksley became Robin Hood — a man thrown into a fierce struggle to balance his deep faith with a call to action in a violent age.



Our parish has a FORMED subscription.

To set up your free account visit formed.org/signup and select our parish.



Connect Groups are mid-size groups of people who meet twice a month to foster community and share in faith with one another. Every gathering begins with a meal and conversation and includes time for prayer, witness/testimony, and lecto divina (prayer with Scripture). All are welcome. Whether you can attend one or every gathering. For more information about Connect Groups, please contact Corri Carotti Snigg at corri.carotti@gmail.com

We extend our sympathy Chris Reiter on the death of his father, John Reiter.

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May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Amen.



"O sing unto the Lord a new song" - Psalm 96:1
Nativity of Our Lord Choir is beginning a new season on September 14, 2022 and we would love to have you join us! We are looking for singers in all vocal ranges-no previous choral experience necessary. Ministry in music will not only be very rewarding in your own personal life, but you will also discover a new appreciation for the value of working in unison with others as you focus on glorifying God with "one voice". The choir meets for rehearsal on Wednesdays from 6-7:15pm. The Choir sings for the 11am Mass and major solemnities. For more information, contact Brent Badon at music@nativityofourlordcc.org or meet with Brent or Andrew Gregg after Mass.



If any parishioner or group is willing to provide a meal, in whole or in part, to Catholic Campus Ministry (CCM), please contact Father Raymond at 850-477-3221 or herardr@clergy.ptdiocese.org



CHESTERTON ACADEMY OF THE FLORIDA MARTYRS

Chesterton Academy of The Florida Martyrs is a new, classical high school in the Catholic Tradition planning to open Fall 2023 in Pensacola. Chesterton Academy seeks to give young men and women a broad, liberal arts education with a strong emphasis on the development of Christian virtue and an appreciation of truth, beauty, and goodness. All are invited to attend the upcoming informational meeting:

Saturday, October 1 at 2:00 p.m.
Nativity of Our Lord Catholic Church,
Parish Hall 9945 Hillview Drive,
Pensacola, FL 32514

For more information and to RSVP please visit ChestertonPensacola.org or email info@chestertonpensacola.org.



CATHOLIC
ARGOS



ALUMNI HOMECOMING MASS & DINNER

Dinner tickets available online now!

OCTOBER 20, 2022 @
NATIVITY OF OUR LORD
6:00pm



catholicargos.com/homecoming

NATIVITY
OF
OUR LORD
CATHOLIC CHURCH

LET'S SERVE THE LORD TOGETHER!

On September 24/25, Nativity will hold a
Ministry Fair in the parish hall after the
Masses. Come see how our various
ministries serve our parishioners and our
community.

We are called by the Lord to serve in
His Ministry.

Maybe you'll find a way to fulfill the
calling.

Light refreshments will be served on
Saturday
and donuts on Sunday.

Diocesan Rosary Rally
Saturday, October 8th at 10 am
Seville Square
Pensacola, FL



Come join Bishop Wack in Seville Square in downtown
Pensacola to pray the Rosary for
our Church and our Nation

Bring your own chair if able

Sponsored by
the Knights of Columbus
and
St. Paul Street Evangelization

For more information, contact Tony Giangliullo at
(850) 240-2174 or tsg.napoli@gmail.com

Parish Ministries

Altar Servers

Parish Office, 477-3221

Bereavement Ministry

Jim Guttman, jmguttman2@gmail.com

Burse Club

Charismatic Prayer Group

Jeff Comeau, 476-9139

Garden Ministry

Sherry Atkinson, 850-454-5626

Greeters/Ushers

Parish Office, 477-3221

Homebound Ministry

Deacon John Jacobs, 850-477-3221

Music Ministry

music@nativityoffourlordcc.org

Parish Pastoral Council

John Barberi

Charlie Code

Brad Dale, 850-572-0037

Sandra de la Cruz

Raul Gonzalez-Diaz, 787-608-2684

Gary Lee

Chyloe Morgan

Carol Van Dresar, 850-324-5129

Maritza Arancibia

Parish Finance Council

John Willem, Chairperson

Steve Schroll, Secretary

Steve Peranich

Greg Newchurch

Lectors

Parish Office, 477-3221

Parish Organizations

Knights of Columbus

George Kasztelan, Grand Knight

850-982-2619

Nativity Council of Catholic Women

Barbara Nawrot, President, 210-749-6024

presnativityccw@gmail.com

St. Vincent De Paul

Helpline, 850-377-9829

Parish Reaching Out

Catholic Argos

www.catholicargos.com

Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday of the Month

9:00am ~ 12:00pm in the church

First Monday Confession

5:30pm ~ 6:30pm in the church

First Saturday Bilingual Mass

9:30am followed by rosary

Online Giving

go to: www.nativityoffourlordcc.org and click e-giving"

Faith Formation

Religious Education

faith@nativityoffourlordcc.org

Sunday: 9:30-10:45am 1st ~ 9th grade

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Sunday: 9:30 ~ 10:45am

Catholic Campus Ministries (UWF)

Fr. Raymond Herard, 850-477-3221

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)

Contact the parish office

Sacraments

If you are in need of receiving one of the Sacraments, please call the parish office.

Society of St. Vincent dePaul

Friends of the Poor Walk

September 24, 2022

FREE
Hamburgers, Hot Dogs
Live Music, Facepainting

Pensacola Catholic High School Track

Registration 8:30 am
Walk begins 9:00 am

Nativity of Our Lord St. Vincent DePaul
would like to invite Nativity
Parishioners to walk and support
your Parish SVdP Conference.

If you are unable to walk, please consider
showing your support by being a Spirit Walker.

ALL PROCEEDS RAISED STAY IN OUR CONFERENCE AREA

If you are an existing or prospective altar server and missed the training session on August 28, a make-up session is scheduled for September 25 from 9:30-10:30. All altar servers must have received their First Communion.



*This weekend is the annual **Seton Fund Collection** which benefits our Catholic schools and religious education programs.*

Your sacrificial contribution will help pass on the light of faith to future generations. Please give generously. Thank you.

Mass Intentions

Monday, September 19

† **Henry Betjemann** †

Requested by Dot Boroden

Tuesday, September 20

† **Peter G. Salm** †

Requested by Paul and Lee Salm

Wednesday, September 21

† **Samuel Jackson** †

Requested by Claire Jackson

Thursday, September 22

† **Eddie Paggioli** †

Requested by Valentina Paggioli

Friday, September 23

† **William Geitz** †

Requested by John and Rita Bricker

Saturday, September 24

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

† **Vicki and Dean Yazak** †

Requested by Marie Dalfonso

Sunday, September 25, 8:00am

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

† **Dora and Roland Kerker** †

Requested by Liz and Vete Senkus

Sunday, September 25, 11:00am

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parishioners of Nativity of Our Lord

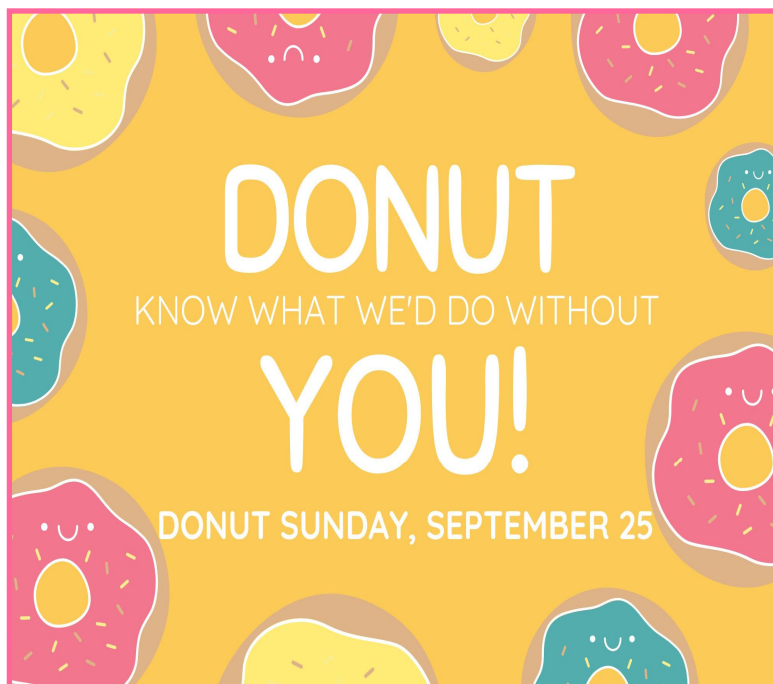
Sunday, September 25, 4:30pm

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Special Intention

Kevin Van Dorn

Requested by Naomi



Stewardship of Treasure

September 10/11

Offertory

ACTUAL	\$ 14,664.00
BUDGETED	\$ 14,732.00

Building Fund

ACTUAL	\$ 316.00
BUDGETED	\$ 800.00

Father Dennis O'Brien is walking the 500 mile the ancient pilgrimage called "El Camino". It starts in southern France and continues to the city of Santiago de Compostela in Spain. Father Dennis is writing a blog once a week starting around September 6th. The blog is called Hikingforchuck.com. You are invited to read his blog until October 9th.

Prayer Petitions:

Donna and Gary Allen, Yuklan Bally, Daisy Bayona, Dennis Cleveland, Dale Dearwater, Edward McKean Dieser, Lucille Falzone, Kathy Goodwin, Brett Gray, Betty Green, Kasey Greeson, Donna Harwood, Kay Hazuga, Jimmy Horowitz, Linn Hyde, Scott Janashak, Donald Kramer, Grace Ann Kramer, Molly Lacasse, Jim Manara, Bill Mann, John Manning, Monica McCullough, Waltraud Melzer, Fr. Mooney, Garner Nichols, Jacqueline Oakes, Sharon O'Neil, Eddie Owens, III, Polly Picken, Christina Powell, Jeannie Reid, John Reiter, Residents & staff at Brookdale, James Rigney, Marietta Roche, Louis Rouillier, Deanna Rupert, Joseph D. Salm, Ann Sloan, Bert and Marlene Smith, Anecia Solano, Angie Stokes, Tamara Sulleman, Glenda Thompson, Daniel Watz

Please call the parish office to add someone to the Prayer List.

Pray, too, for members of our Armed Forces and those living in senior living facilities.

Knights of Columbus Council 8450**Youth Soccer Kick Challenge**

Saturday
September 24, 2022

Nativity of Our Lord Catholic Church
9:00 am – 11:00 am

Boys and Girls ages 9 to 14
Proof of Age Required

Cost to Participate FREE

All boys and girls ages 9 to 14 are invited to participate in the competition for the 2022 Knights of Columbus Soccer Kick Challenge. The local competition will be held at **Nativity of Our Lord Church, Saturday, September 24, 2022.**

Participants may show up between the hours of 9:00 am – 11:00 am. Girls and boys will compete in their respective age divisions and are required to furnish proof of age and written parental consent. **All competitors must register using the attached Knights of Columbus Soccer Kick Entry Form/ Score Sheet (#4578). Proof of age must accompany all entry forms (birth certificate, passport, Florida Identification Card).**

Each contestant receives three penalty kicks followed by 15 consecutive kicks from the appropriate age-designated penalty line.

For entry forms or additional information, contact Charlie Code at email: charlie-code@bellsouth.net. Entry forms can be picked up at Sacred Heart School, Nativity of Our Lord office or in the church's narthex.

CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL

Both Fr. Raymond and I would like to thank everyone who has pledged and given to the Catholic Sharing Appeal. Msgr. Mooney, Fr. Pat and Bishop Holley, have shared with me that Nativity is a very generous parish. They are correct. This year our goal was \$64,692 and we have \$96,236 pledged. When we go over our goal, the parish is able to keep that money for use in the parish. So far, we have been able to purchase the beautiful icon Stations of the Cross for church. There are other plans in the works for the church and hall as well. At this time, 228 families have pledged and given, That number is down from last year. If you have previously pledged and have not yet done so this year, please consider making a pledge. If you are new to the parish, please see Fr Raymond or myself for more information about the Catholic Sharing Appeal.

CSA

as of 9/29/22

Pledged	\$96,476.37
Given	\$86,093.74
Balance	\$10,382.63



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS RAFFLE

09/04/22

Fr. Raymond Herard

A relationship of faith and commitment exists between the Catholic Church and its members and the public, whether they are children, young people, adults or elderly. Sexual abuse in this context, or any other relationship, is a matter of grave concern. Knowledge of such abuse requires a special response in order to facilitate the healing process and assure the safety of the community. With this in mind, The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to healing the hurting hearts of sexual abuse victims and has established Victims Assistance Coordinators, experienced and trained counselors. These coordinators are available to help persons who have been sexually abused by a priest, deacon or other church personnel. VICTIM ASSISTANCE COORDINATORS: Pensacola/Ft. Walton Beach area: Dr. Lewis Makarowski, PhD, P.A. (850)477-7181. Tallahassee/Panama City area: James Gagnon, MSW LCSW (850)877-0205. For Spanish speakers - en Espanol: Deacon Santiago Molina, (850)627-2350. Diocesan Victim Assistance Hotline: (850)435-3536.

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Bulletin #: 386409

Contact: Jackie Blackmon

Please send tracking info:

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lechh@clergy.ptdiocese.org

12:00 noon

9/18/22

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Thank you!