

NATIVITY of OUR LORD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: Vigil 4:00pm

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 2:00pm ~ 3:30pm or by appointment

Parish Office Hours:

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

Friday: 9:00am ~ 1:00pm

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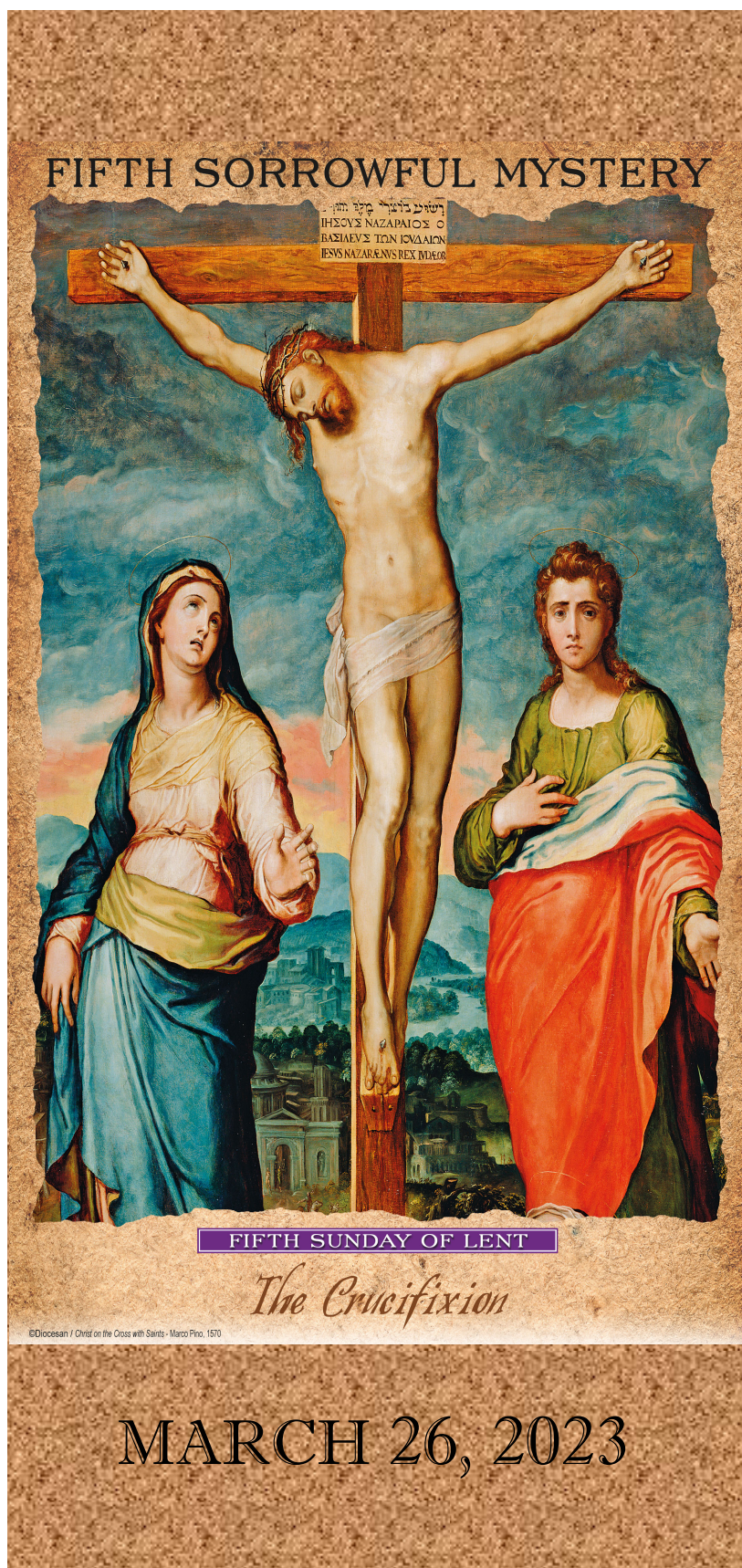
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Harold Sandy, Custodian

Marianna Arden, Rectory Coordinator





The Family of God:

“Just think: every time you enter the doors of Nativity, we enter not just a building but a sacred space set apart for a community of believers. We pray together at Mass to celebrate the Lord’s Supper. We gather together as a family to share the Body and Blood of Christ.”

“We intercede for one another and gather at special times to experience the Stations of the Cross or pray the Rosary for the needs of our family members. These actions show that we care for one another – we share our love with each other. From the first community of believers in Jerusalem, we now have countless groups of believers, both large and small, across the globe.”

“But the family of believers is more than a group of people who share similar beliefs and practices. Through our Baptism, we have become a family. And with this kinship comes the call to stay united in the Lord. There are times in our lives that we may have fallen into darkness. But these are the times that the need of family gives us assistance and support. To help us move forward into God’s loving and compassionate care past that darkness. Thus, we become a true family of God.”¹

¹ The Word Among Us, Daily, Catholic Mass Readings and Daily Meditations, Daily Meditations for April 9-May 31, Easter 2023, pg. 9.

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Spring Cleaning?
Not sure where to bring your unwanted items?

NATIVITY COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

is currently planning for one of our largest annual fundraisers – our Rummage Sale.

Drop off at the Parish Hall will run from

MO April 17th through FR April 21st

(9A & 12P)

Proceeds are donated to charities.

Watch the weekly bulletin for more information about our upcoming sale.

Thank you!

(No clothes, shoes or large electronics can be accepted.)

Bilingual Mass

MONTHLY FIRST SATURDAY
Primer Sabado del mes

APRIL 1, 2023
Nativity of Our Lord Catholic Church

9:00am Rosario
9:30am Bilingual Mass
10:30am Cafe/Donas at Parish Hall





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Father Hank's Pick of the Week

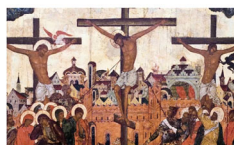
THIS WEEK ON
FORMED

Week of March 26, 2023



The Hour of Our Death | Eternal Rest | Episode 3

The Anointing of the Sick is one of the seven sacraments of the Church. This session, we discover the role of this sacramental anointing in the spiritual struggle during serious illness, the final stages of our temporal life, and the hour of our death.



The Paschal Mystery: The Mystery of Jesus' Death

Through Jesus's Death on the Cross, God reveals himself most profoundly as the God who is love. Christ's sacrificial love saves us from sin and shows us the pathway to true human happiness. We are made to live like Christ: in total, self-giving love.



Living Lent as a Family (Part 4 of 4)

Dr. Ben Akers sits down with Kevin and Lisa Cotter to discuss liturgical living during Lent as a family. They discuss together about a variety of topics, including having a prayer space in the home and decorating the home according to the liturgical season.

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FISH

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LAST LENTEN FISH FRY

MARCH 31
5:00-7:00PM

MENU

MULLET OR BASA
FRENCH FRIES
COLE SLAW
HUSH PUPPIES
DRINK
YOU ARE WELCOME TO BYOB

VIA CRUCIS Y ROSARIO

TODOS LOS LUNES DE LA CUARESMA A LAS 5:30PM
DIRECTAMENTE AL FRENTE DE LA IGLESIA DE
NATIVITY OF OUR LORD

FECHAS:

- 3/6
- 3/13
- 3/20
- 3/27
- 4/3

Para más información.



4:30 Mass

**There will be no
4:30 Mass on
Easter Sunday**

Stewardship of Treasure

March 18/19

Offertory

ACTUAL	\$ 14,211.00
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BUDGETED	\$ 14,732.00
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Building

ACTUAL	\$ 610.00
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BUDGETED	\$ 800.00
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Upcoming Easter & Holy Week Events

Bilingual Mass 4/1, 9:30am

Parish Workday 4/1, 10:00am

1st Monday Confession 4/3, 5:30pm

Chrism Mass (at the Cathedral)

4/4, 10:00am

Mass at Azalea Trace 4/4, 2:00pm

Last Chance Confession 4/5, 10am-12

Holy Thursday 4/6, 7:00pm

Good Friday 4/7

Veneration of the Cross 3:00pm

Outdoor Stations 6:00pm

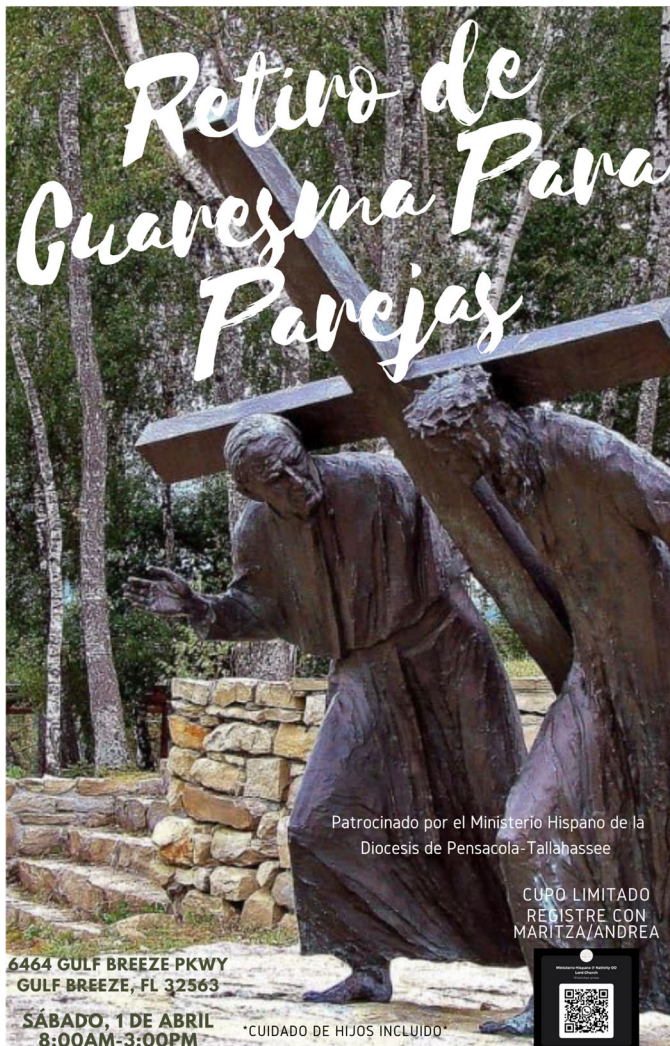
Holy Saturday 4/8, 7:30pm

Easter Sunday 4/9, 8:00 & 11:00am

Easter Egg Hunt 4/9, 9:36am

Office Closed 4/7, 4/10, 4/11

Divine Mercy Chaplet 4/16, 3:00pm



*Retiro de
Cuareisma Para
Parejas*


Patrocinado por el Ministerio Hispano de la
Diocesis de Pensacola-Tallahassee

CUPO LIMITADO
REGISTRE CON
MARITZA/ANDREA

6464 GULF BREEZE PKWY
GULF BREEZE, FL 32563

SABADO, 1 DE ABRIL
8:00AM-3:00PM

CUIDADO DE HIJOS INCLUIDO



Parish Ministries

Altar Servers

Parish Office, 477-3221

Bereavement Ministry

Jim Guttman, jmguttman2@gmail.com

Burse Club

Charismatic Prayer Group

Jeff Comeau, 476-9139

Exodus 90 Men's Group

Brad Dale, 850-572-0037

Greeters/Ushers

Parish Office, 477-3221

Homebound Ministry

Deacon John Jacobs, 850-477-3221

Music Ministry

music@nativityofourlordcc.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

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.nativityofourlordcc.org and click e-giving"

Faith Formation

Religious Education

faith@nativityofourlordcc.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.



Please Join Us for Our Lenten Program:

MARCH 29 ~ 9:30AM

MARCH 30 ~ 6:30PM

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE
TO VOLUNTEER **CHURCH
WORKDAY**

SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 10:00 AM-12:30PM

CHURCH: DUST CHURCH, CLEAN WINDOWS,
POLISH/VACUUM PEWS, CLEAN CARPET
RUNNERS

HALL: CLEAN WINDOWS, VACUUM AND
CLEAN CARPET

RECTORY: CUT PALMS, PRESSURE WASH
SIDEWALK, REMOVE FRONT YARD SWING

EXTERIOR: PRESSURE WASH SIDEWALKS

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

21st Annual Gala

Supporting the homeless and those in most need in Escambia and Santa Rosa
County communities.

Friday April 21st at 5:30pm

Sanders Beach Community Center, 913 South I Street

To get information and to make payments and reservations login to the event website at

Qtego qtego.net/qlink/ssvdp

Mass Intentions

Monday, March 27

Special Intention

Father Chuck

Requested by Naomi

Tuesday, March 28

† **Noriko Sengoker** †

Requested by Peggy and Leonard Temme

Wednesday, March 29

† **Donna Layton** †

Requested by Angela Vomund

Thursday, March 30

Special Intention

Anita Sennott

Requested by Grant Sennott

Friday, March 31

Special Intention

Father Jay

Requested by Naomi

Saturday, April 1, 9:30am

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Special Intention

David Bondi

Requested by Deacon John and Karen Jacobs

Saturday, April 1, 4:00pm

† **Ramona Ann Inkel** †

Requested by The Inkel Family

Sunday, April 2, 8:00am

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

† **Colleen Agnes Hennings** †

Requested by Ken and Harry

Sunday, April 2, 11:00am

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

† **Gloria Redmond** †

Requested by Claire Laurion

Sunday, April 2, 4:30pm

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Parishioners of Nativity of Our Lord



Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee

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Holy Thursday is the anniversary of the Institution of the Sacred Priesthood. The spiritual formation and education of future priests for the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee are of the utmost importance. A collection will be taken on Holy Thursday, April 6, for this purpose.

Good Friday, April 7, is the annual Pontifical Good Friday Collection, made on behalf of the Holy Father. This collection provides critical support for Christians in the Holy Land for parishes and schools, outreach to the poor, assistance to refugees and pilgrims, as well as maintenance of the holy shrines visited by pilgrims annually. Through this collection, you join with Catholics around the world to stand in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land.

Stations of the Cross

Fridays in Lent

5:30pm

followed by Mass

6:15pm

Prayer Petitions:

Donna and Gary Allen, Franz Bachmann, Patricia Ball, Yuklan Bally, Daisy Bayona, Dot Boroden, Wendy Boyer, Tony Butera, Edward McKean Dieser, Kalypso DeRito, Lucille Falzone, Enrique Gonzalez, Kathy Goodwin, Ray Goodwin, Dave Granchi, Brett Gray, Betty Green, Kasey Greeson, Kay Hazuga, Jimmy Horowitz, Jim Hudson, Linn Hyde, Scott Janashak, Ginny Kelly, Donald Kramer, Grace Ann Kramer, Tessa Kuntz, Dick and Connie Lacasse, Molly Lacasse, Pat LeBlanc, Tharon LeBlanc, Bill Mann, John Manning, Monica McCullough, Waltraud Melzer, Roger Merritt, Fr. Mooney, Garner Nichols, Jacqueline Oakes, Sharon O'Neil, Polly Picken, Christina Powell, Bill Putman, Jeannie Reid, Residents & staff at Brookdale, James Rigney, Marietta Roche, Deanna Rupert, Vete Senkus, Josephine Jean Simpson, Ann Sloan, Bert and Marlene Smith, Anecia Solano, Joy Star, Lee Steffensmeier, 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 in senior living facilities.

Pilgrimage to Shrine of the Blessed Sacrament

The Widows or Widowers (WoW) of St. Rose are planning a pilgrimage to the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, Alabama April 19-21, 2023. This shrine is hidden away in northern Alabama and is a peaceful place of spiritual renewal and prayer. Mass, confessions and tours will be offered. WoW members will visit the EWTN in Irondale, Alabama on the 19th, the Shrine on the 20th, the Ave Maria Grotto on the 21st. Accommodations will be at the St. Bernard Retreat in Cullman, Alabama.

If interested, contact Jim Guttman at jmguttman2@gmail.com or 850-860-8354.

Rooms at the St. Bernard Abbey Retreat can be reserved for \$75 by calling 256-734-3946.

alamshrine.com

Lent

- Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence.
- Fasting is to be observed by all Catholics ages 18-59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal as well as two smaller meals that together do not equal a full meal.
- Abstinence from meat is binding from age 18 and up.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SCHEDULE

*Holy Thursday, April 6, 7:00pm ***

*Good Friday, April 7 ***

Veneration of the Cross, 3:00pm

Outdoor Stations, 6:00pm

Holy Saturday, April 8, 7:30pm

Easter Sunday, April 9

8:00am and 11:00am

No 4:30 Mass

*** No Daily Mass*

CSA

3/17/23

Goal \$64,786.00

Pledged \$67,580.24

Given \$46,773.16

of parishioners participating 157

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.