NATIVITY OUR LORD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

Mass Schedule

Saturday: Vigil 4:00pm Sunday: 8:00am and 11:00am Sunday: Catholic Argos Mass resumes 8/20/23 Daily Mass: Monday ~ Friday 8:30am

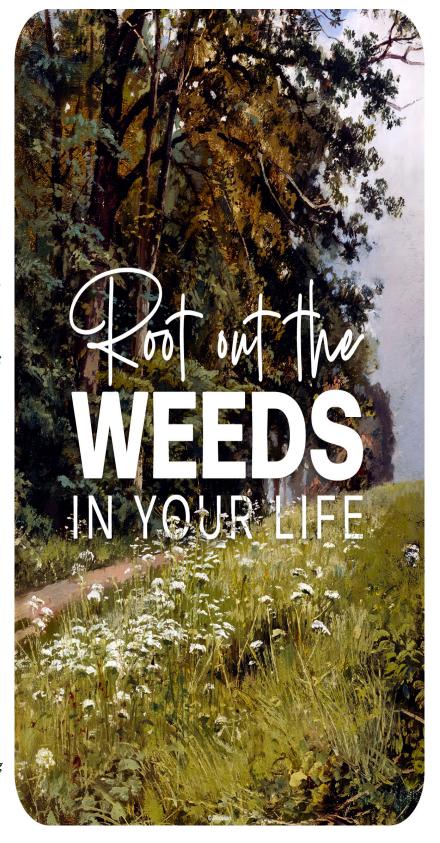
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 2:00pm ~ 3:30pm or by appointment

Parish Office Hours:

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

Office Staff:

Father Hank Lech, Pastor *lechh@clergy.ptdiocese.org* Father Raymond Herard, Parochial Vicar herardr@clergy.ptdiocese.org Deacon John Jacobs Jackie Blackmon, Business Administrator admin@nativityofourlordcc.org Pat Shea, Administrative Assistant office@nativityofourlordcc.org Katie Johnson, Campus Ministry Coordinator ccm@nativityofourlordcc.org Taylor Linn, Faith Formation Director faith@nativityofourlordcc.org Brent Badon, Music Minister music@nativityofourlordcc.org Richard Badon, Maintenance Manager maintenance@nativityofourlordcc.org



Marianna Arden, Rectory Coordinator

Harold Sandy, Custodian



Deacon's Blog

Nutrients:

"We all feel discouraged at times by the 'littleness' of our faith or the seeming lack of fruit we bear for Christ. Yet we are told 'the kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that a person took and sowed in a field' (Matthew 13:31). Even a mustard seed needs to be nourished. It needs water and sunshine."

"In the Gospel reading today, we learn that the wheat must grow and bear fruit despite the weeds that are grown alongside them and that they are competing for resources from the same soil. We, too, must persevere in giving good and abundant fruit. How can we compete with the weeds? It is not so easy for us to be loving and patient with those who have hurt us."

"In a garden, you need water, sunshine and nutrients. What nutrients are available to us? They are the sacraments. The greatest and most powerful gift (nutrient) is the Lord himself, in the Eucharist. Sometimes, we need to have our sins forgiven in the sacrament of reconciliation. And finally, as Paul reminds us, there is prayer. There are times when we don't know what or how to pray. This is when the Holy Spirit will intercede for us."

"As we prepare to give thanks and praise to the Lord for all he has done for us, let us use the nutrients to help us along our way." 1

¹ Daily Homilies, for Sunday and Weekday Masses, Faith Catholic, July 2023, pg. 255-256.



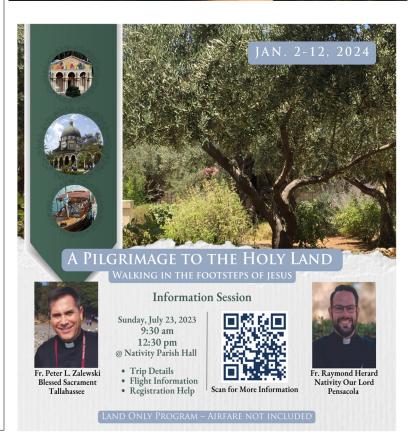
Healing Mass

Nativity of Our Lord will be offering a Healing Mass on August 8 at 6:00pm. We invite all those who are in need of prayer, anointing and healing to attend this special celebration.

The ministry of healing is among the central works of the Church, as it was for Jesus himself. As Pope Benedict XVI remarked, "Healing is an essential dimension of the apostolic mission and of Christian faith in general...(It is) a religion of healing". During Mass, we will celebrate the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. Jesus, our Divine Physician heals body, mind and spirit.

There will be an opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Adoration before the Mass begins.







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Father Hank's Pick of the Week



Week of July 23, 2023



Sts. Joachim and Anne | Sacred Art

In this episode on FORMED Now, Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp discuss the parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary in this famous painting "Joachim and Anne Meeting at the Golden Gate."



The Way of Saint James

This documentary follows the journey of several pilgrims who differ in culture and religious faith but are united in their journey across the Camino de Santiago. Each of them is traveling toward the shrine of St. James the Apostle, whose feast day we celebrate this week.



Catholic Parenting Tips w/ Catholic Sprouts | FORMED Now

Join Taylor Kemp and Nancy Bandzuch, who founded Catholic Sprouts alongside her husband Bill, for tips for raising Catholic children!

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Own T-Shirt
to wear to the game

you bring the t-shirt, we'll supply the stencil & the paint* Sunday, July 30 at 12:00 in the parish hall

> *for best results, t-shirts need to be light colored and atleast 50% cotton.

Stewardship of Treasure July 15/16 Offertory ACTUAL \$ 14,011.00 BUDGETED \$ 15,032.00 Building ACTUAL \$ 493.00 BUDGETED \$ 613.00

CSA

7/14/23

Goal \$64,786.00

Pledged \$92,806.21

Given \$77,112,54

of parishioners participating 225

Week at a Glance

Monday, July 24

6:00pm Spanish Rosary

6:30pm Exodus Men's Group

6:30pm Grupo de Hombres en Espanol

Tuesday, July 25

9:00 Tuesday Morning Craft Group

Wednesday, July 26

Thursday, July 27

9:00am Altar Care Committee

6:00pm GriefShare

6:45pm Prayer Group

Friday, July 28

Office closes at 1:00pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 8450 MONSIGNOR RAYMOND J. MULLINS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Council 8450 will be awarding up to five (5) \$500 Scholarships to active Catholic students whose families are members of Nativity of Our Lord Catholic Church. The scholarships will be awarded to students who have been accepted to, or are a member in good standing, of a college or university. Students who have received a scholarship in previous years are eligible to reapply.

The selection criteria are based upon working with charitable organizations, volunteering for community service, participation in campus organizations, athletics, and attendance at weekly Mass. Academic record (G.P.A.) will also be considered.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 8450 MONSIGNOR RAYMOND MULLINS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PLEASE ANSWER EVERY THING COMPLETELY (Only Typed Applications Accepted)

Name:

Address:

Parent(s) Name:

Parent(s) Address:

Applicant's phone:

E-Mail:

College / University / Trade School:

Date accepted / entered:

Current G.P.A.

Estimated Date of Graduation from College / University / Trade School:

Major Course of Study:

- 1. Academic Awards / Recognitions Received:
- 2. Describe your participation in campus activities and/or athletics:
- 3. Describe any involvement you have in community or charitable service:
- 4. List the activities you have participated in with Nativity of Our Lord Youth Group or a Catholic Campus Ministry Organization:
- 5. Describe how your involvement in Catholic ministries has benefited your spiritual and personal growth.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED BY August 1st

E-MAIL (Subject) SCHOLARSHIP TO: flyerdc8@att.net

OR PRINT and MAIL TO:

E. JOHNSON

ATTN: SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE 3417 ARGYLE DRIVE PACE FL 32571

Parish Ministries

Altar Servers

Parish Office, 477-3221

Bereavement Ministry

Jim Guttmann, jmguttmann2@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

 $5:30pm \sim 6:30pm$ in the church

First Saturday Bilingual Mass

9:30am followed by rosary

Online Ğiving

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

Faith Formation

Religious Education

faith@nativityofourlordcc.org Sunday: 9:30-10:45am 1st ~ 9th grade

Sunday: 9:30-10:43am 1st ~ 9th grad Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

<u>Sunday</u>: 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.



Prayer Petitions:

Adriana Ayala, John Bartoszewicz, Daisy Bayona, Dot Boroden, Deb Bush, Tony Butera, Dan Carapellucci, Candy Connolly, Greg Dryja, Kathy Goodwin, Ray Goodwin, Isabelle Greehy, Cecilia Guenther, Virginia Habel, Kay Hazuga, Don Hirth, Jim Hudson, Bill and Sandy Kambic, Frank and Ginny Kelly, Brin Kloster, Dick Lacasse, Molly Lacasse, Johanna Lae, Pat LeBlanc, Tharon LeBlanc, Waltraud Melzer, Roger Merritt, Fr. Mooney, James Rigney, Christopher Roan, Cheryl Robertson, Linda Seidl, Vete Senkus, Josephine Jean Simpson, Ann Sloan, Bert and Marlene Smith, Anecia Solano, Lee Steffensmeier, Angie Stokes, Thayer Family, Glenda Thompson, Roxanna Watson, Daniel Watz, Bill Webster

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

Mass Intentions

Monday, July 24 † Tom Moulyet † Requested by Paul Salm

Tuesday, July 25 † Fr. Onesmo† Requested by Roslyn Guyette

Wednesday, July 26 † Noriko Sengoku † Requested by Peggy and Leonard Temme

Thursday, July 27
† Shirley Hanson †
Requested by Deacon John and Karen Jacobs

Friday, July 28 † Deacon John Bartoszewicz † Requested by Paul Salm and Family

Saturday, July 29 † Sam Jackson † Requested by Steve and Kathi Von De Bur

Sunday, July 30, 8:00am Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time † Dan Flahiff † Requested by Steve and Kathi Von De Bur

Sunday, July 30, 11:00am Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Parishioners of Nativity of Our Lord



NATIVITY OF OUR LORD COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

Annual Diocesan Burse Collection "For the education of future Priests"

Will take place after Mass Saturday & Sunday July 29th & 30th

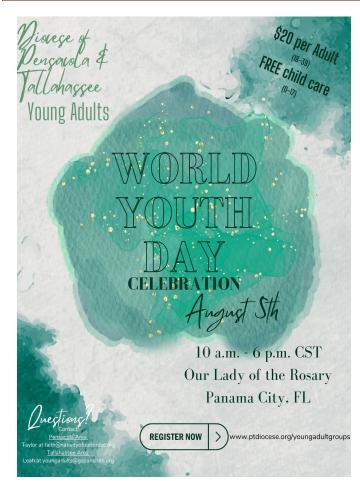
Thank you in advance for your continued support!



"The Lamb of God," "The Bread of Life," "The Body and the Blood of Christ...these are phrases we know from the Mass. But do we understand what they mean in the greater and deeper context of Scripture and Church teaching? We'll discover firsthand how Christ's Body and Blood are an integral and wondrous part of God's plan for our Salvation. Please join us as we dig down to the biblical roots of the Eucharist, through its foreshadowing in the miraculous events of the Old Testament, the Gospels, and the Apostolic teaching.

The series begins on Wednesday, 2 August 2023 in the Parish Hall from 0930 to 1130 and will continue on 9, 16, 23 and 30 August.
Please sign up in the Narthex to receive a study guide for this series.

[This series will run again in the evenings at 6:30 to 8:30 pm beginning 29 August 2023, 5, 19, 26 September and 3 October 2023.]







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 is 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.