

April 19, 2026

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The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to healing the hurting hearts of sexual abuse survivors and established Victim's Assistance Coordinators to help those who have been sexually abused by a priest, deacon, or other church personnel. Louis M Makarowski, PhD, PA is the Coordinator for Pensacola. His phone number is (850) 477-7181.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 18th - 4:00 PM
PRO POPULO

Sunday, April 19th
8:00 AM - JEFF KNIGHTON (LIVING)
Req. By: The Knighton Family

10:00 AM - CHRISTOPHER HARDEN (LIVING)
Req. By: The Harden Family

Monday, April 20th - 7:30 AM
PATTI DYE +
Req. by: Judy Pace & Family

Tuesday, April 21st - 7:30 AM
REGGIE THORPE +
Req. by: Joe Buehler

Wednesday, April 22ND - 7:30 AM
HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY
Req. by: Mary Rosasco

Thursday, April 23rd - 7:30 AM
CHARLES MINER HARRELL +
Req. by: Judy Pace & Family

Friday, April 24th - 7:30 AM
PAUL LOUIS ROSASCO +
Req. by: Mary Rosasco

Saturday, April 25th - 4:00 PM
DIANE KANE
Req. By: The Kelly Family

Upcoming Events



Ladies Altar Society
Sunday, April 19th | 9:00 AM



Children's Holy Hour
Friday, May 1st | 9:00 AM

1 hour of Adoration in Church
 followed by a picnic on the
 lawn (bring snacks or lunch)



**First Saturday Mass
 & Rosary**
Saturday, May 2nd

First Saturday of the month,
 Mass is celebrated at 9:00 AM
 and the Rosary is recited at 3:30 PM



More Faith Night
Wednesday, May 6th | 5:30 PM

Last Faith Night of the Year!
ALL PARISHIONERS INVITED!

Dinner provided in the parish hall
 followed by a theological talk
 and discussions.
 Children and Adult options.



This is combined with
*Sacramental Preparation
 for children in need of
 First Holy Communion
 or Confirmation.*

Knights of Columbus
Tuesday, May 12th | 6:30 PM



**Men's Father/Son
 Retreat**
St. Brendan's Center
May 15/16

Featuring:
 Mass
 Post Lenten Reflection
 Morning Prayer Evening Prayer
 Talks Sports Bon Fire Meals

Space is Limited
 \$25
 RSVP by 5/10
 Alex Bader
 561-685-3097

We love seeing kids play and enjoy the parish grounds. Climbing the trees, however, can easily lead to injuries, and we do have a responsibility for what happens on our property. For everyone's safety—including the parish's—we ask that children not climb the trees. Thank you for your cooperation.



Pastor's Corner

Celebrating Holy Week and Easter with you has been a true joy. These days remind us that everything we do flows from the Resurrection of Christ.



When people ask how I like my new parish, after mentioning the quality of the people and families here, I often say that St. Thomas More feels like the perfect parish size, not too big, not too small, but just right. And I've heard many of you say the same.

As we continue through the Easter season, I'd like to introduce a small adjustment at the 10:00 AM Mass. It was brought to my attention recently that this Mass was previously celebrated *ad orientem*, with priest and people facing the same direction during the Eucharistic celebration. In the coming weeks (with the exception while I am away), I'd like to incorporate this posture again.

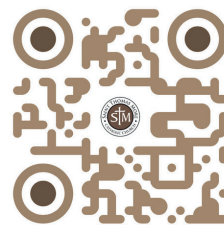
Why now? Because the season of Easter reminds us that the Risen Christ goes before us. Turning together toward the Lord is a simple but powerful sign that we are united in worship and following Him. It's not about turning away from one another, but about standing side by side, directed toward God.

We'll take it step by step, and I'll be attentive to your feedback as we go.

Thank you for your faith and openness. Please feel free to share any thoughts or questions.

Peace,
- Father Luke

Giving Made Simple
Scan QR Code



St. Thomas More Parish Update:

Goal: \$54,517.00
Pledged: \$51,931.41
Given \$46,538.10
Family Count: 86

Better than Netflix?

Formed. Now free for our parish!
The Catholic Faith on Demand



To Register:

1. Formed.org/signup
2. Select our parish by searching "Saint Thomas More Parish" in Pensacola, FL
3. Enter your name and email address
4. You will receive a link to begin enjoying FORMED

Pray for the sick in our parish

Gavin Andrews	Ray Averill
Richard Beecher	Nedda Brazwell
Janet Briggs	Anna Christco
Johnnie Clopton	Jim Davis
Joyce DeVore	Wendy Emeny
Kassandra Falcone	Richard Hahner
Lee Hual	Regina Kaufman
Buddy Merrit	Neddy Mitchell
Paul O'Donnell	Nelson Ortiz
Dan Owczarczak	Damion Rampersaud
Veronica Reilly	Naomi Singh
Patricia Suchy	Lynn VanNatter
Theresa Westcott	Jinann Wey
Maureen Westmoreland	Morgan Wyatt

Diocesan Events:

Diocesan Charismatic Commission
Day of Renewal
April 25

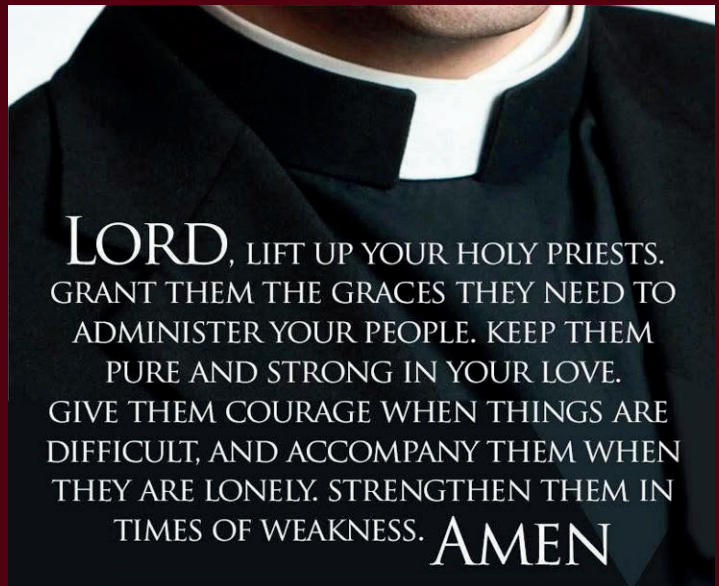
“Sanctified by the Holy Spirit”
1 Peter 1:2

Our Lady of the Rosary
Catholic Church
5622 Julie Dr., Panama City

Mass 9:00 a.m.
Praise and Worship
Talks by:
Rev. Paschal Chester.

The Day of Renewal is a free event;
breakfast snacks, coffee, water, and
lunch are provided.
You must register by April 23 to attend.

To register or more information, visit
<https://ptdccr.org/>.



LORD, LIFT UP YOUR HOLY PRIESTS.
GRANT THEM THE GRACES THEY NEED TO
ADMINISTER YOUR PEOPLE. KEEP THEM
PURE AND STRONG IN YOUR LOVE.
GIVE THEM COURAGE WHEN THINGS ARE
DIFFICULT, AND ACCOMPANY THEM WHEN
THEY ARE LONELY. STRENGTHEN THEM IN
TIMES OF WEAKNESS. **AMEN**

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS

Priest Retreat

Our Pensacola-Tallahassee
Diocesan Priests
will be on retreat this week.
Please pray for them this week
and **Every Day!**



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