



# SAINT LOUIS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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We the family of St. Louis Catholic Church are committed to live the Words of Our Lord Jesus Christ. As brothers and sisters of Christ we reflect His light and share His Love. We welcome all to join us on our journey back to our Heavenly Father.



## Prayer Schedule

Eucharistic Adoration  
Wed. and Fri. ....7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.  
First Friday of the month ....9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
Charismatic Prayer Group  
Wednesday .....4:30 p.m.  
Rosary  
Before Morning Mass  
Pro-Life Rosary  
Saturday .....10:00 a.m.  
Reconciliation  
Saturday .....3:30 - 4:45 p.m.  
By appointment: 850-262-8155

## Parish Office

Monday through Friday  
9:00 AM to 3:00 PM  
Phone: 850-262-8156

## Pastor

**Fr. Alberic Lazerna**  
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## Parochial Deacons

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## Liturgical Minister

An Minh Bui

## Parochial Secretary

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## Director of Religious Education (DRE)

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## Website

[www.stlouiscatholicchurch.org](http://www.stlouiscatholicchurch.org)

## Schedule of Masses

Tuesday and Thursday.....6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday and Friday.....8:30 a.m.  
Saturday Vigil.....5:00 p.m.  
Sunday Mass.....8:30 a.m. and 10:30\* a.m.  
(Solemn Novus Ordo 1st Sunday of the Month)  
Korean Mass..... 5:30 p.m.  
2nd and 4th Sunday (Fr. Jin Mo Felix Kim)  
Filipino/Tagalog Mass.....12:30 p.m.  
2nd Sunday every other Month

*Easter*

*April 17, 2022*

# Easter Sunday

A close-up photograph of a white lily flower with its green stem and leaves, serving as the background for the Easter Sunday text.

**Mass Intentions****Saturday, April 16***(Holy Saturday)*

8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil

Glyn Dubisson (†)

*Message from the Pastor***Sunday, April 17***Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord*

8:30 a.m.

Barbara Herzog (I)

10:30 a.m.

St. Louis Parish

**Tuesday, April 19**

6:00 p.m.

Lillian and Roy Jackson (†)

**Wednesday, April 20**

8:30 a.m.

Lloyd Dixon (†)

**Thursday, April 21**

6:00 p.m.

Barbara Herzog (I)

**Friday, April 22**

8:30 p.m.

Lori Hocking (I)

**Saturday, April 23**

5:00 p.m.

Keith Walker (†)

**Sunday, April 24**

8:30 a.m.

St. Louis Parish

10:30 a.m.

Peggy Aleman (S)

**Deceased - (†)****Sick - (S)****Special Intention - (I)****Birthday - (B)****Anniversary - (A)****Thanksgiving - (T)**

Happy Birthday!

*Deacon  
Nelson Madera  
April 22nd*

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

Easter is the greatest and the most important feast in the Church. It marks the birthday of our eternal hope. "Easter" literally means "the feast of fresh flowers." We celebrate it with pride and jubilation for three reasons:

The Resurrection of Christ is the basis of our Christian faith. The Resurrection is the greatest of the miracles--it proves that Jesus is God. That is why St. Paul writes: "*If Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is in vain; and your faith is in vain...And if Christ has not been raised, then your faith is a delusion and you are still lost in your sins... But in fact, Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep*" (1Cor 15:14,17,20). If Jesus Christ did not rise from the dead, then the Church is a fraud and faith is a sham. But if Jesus really did rise from the dead, his message is true! Without the Resurrection, Jesus would have remained forever a good person who had met a tragic end. People would remember some of his teachings, and a handful of people might try to live according to them. All the basic doctrines of Christianity are founded on the truth of the Resurrection. "*Jesus is Lord; He is risen!*" (Rom 10:9) was the central theme of the *Kerygma* (or "preaching"), of the apostles. There is a story of two women who stood before Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris. One asked, "Why can't we build structures like this anymore?" Her friend answered, "The people who build this had faith. Today we have only opinions. And you can't build a cathedral with opinions."

Easter is the guarantee of our own resurrection. Jesus assured Martha at the tomb of Lazarus: "*I am the Resurrection and the Life; whoever believes in Me will live even though he dies*" (Jn 11: 25-26). Christ will raise us up on the last day, but it is also true, in a sense, that we have already risen with Christ. By virtue of the Holy Spirit, our Christian life is already a participation in the Death and Resurrection of Christ.

Easter is a feast which gives us hope and encouragement in this world of pain, sorrows and tears. It reminds us that life is worth living. It is our belief in the Real Presence of the Risen Jesus in our souls, in His Church, in the Blessed Sacrament and in Heaven that gives meaning to our personal, as well as to our common, prayers. Our trust in the all-pervading presence of the Risen Lord give us strength to fight against temptations and freedom from unnecessary worries and fears. The Prayer of St. Patrick, the Apostle of Ireland, reads: "Christ before me, never to part."



**OFFERTORY REPORT  
(for Sunday, April 10)**

Offertory This Week	\$7,690.44
Target	\$6,377.62
Collected vs Target for Month	\$1,276.51
Collected vs Target for Fiscal Year	<b>-\$3,112.58</b>
Projected Offertory for Fiscal Year	\$276,009.89
Annual Budget	\$280,000.00
Building Fund This Week	\$895.25
Collected This Month	\$1,922.25
Total Collected for Fiscal Year	\$27,346.13



### HAPPY EASTER

Our CRS Rice Bowl journey has ended, but our prayers, fasting and almsgiving continue as we seek a close relationship with God and our global family. Let us hold in our hearts our sisters and brothers in Guatemala, Bangladesh and Rwanda and commit to share our Easter joy with those in our local community and around the world. Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl at the box located in the back of the church!



### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!

Psalm 100(4) tells us to "serve the Lord with gladness." We are asking some of you to join with us in doing this by becoming part of the "Servants of the Church Ministry." Members of St. Louis meet every Wednesday at 9:00 a.m. to clean the church, the "Lord's house." Working as a group, we are able to complete our tasks in 60-90 minutes. If there are enough of us, each person needs to help only 2 times a month. Members can serve in a variety of ways (i.e., vacuum, dust and polish pews, clean doors and windows, clean bathrooms). This group also helps decorate the church during some of the Holy Seasons. We ask that you pray about this and ask the Lord if he is calling you to become a part of this "servant" group. If you would like to participate and want to learn more about it, please contact Fran Kochan at [kochafra@auburn.edu](mailto:kochafra@auburn.edu) or Betsy Woodward at [carrot-lady3@gmail.com](mailto:carrot-lady3@gmail.com) or call the Parish Office at 850-262-8155.

### PRIESTS CONVOCATION/RETREAT

Diocesan priests will be on retreat the week of April 25-29, 2022. There will be no Masses that week. There will be Communion Service only on April 27 and 29.



### BIG BEND CATHOLICS CARING FOR CREATION

*Heed the Cry of the Earth and the Cry of the Poor.* Easter is the celebration of Christianity through the recognition of the Risen Christ. It is also a celebration of new beginnings and the changing seasons. "Behold, my brothers, the spring has come; the earth has received the embraces of the sun and we shall soon see the results of that love! Every seed has awakened and so has all animal life. It is through this mysterious power that we too have our being and we therefore yield to our neighbors, even our animal neighbors, the same right as ourselves, to inhabit this land." Tatanka Iotaki, Sitting Bull. Contact person for St. Louis is Janis Piotrowski, [janpio@comcast.net](mailto:janpio@comcast.net), 850-556-2284

Come join us... **DAY OF RENEWAL**

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*"Rejoice in your Hope, be Patient in Tribulation,  
be Constant in Prayer."*

*(Romans 12:12 RSV 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition)*

REV TOM DILLON

Celebrant and Keynote Speaker

ST. JOHN the EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH  
1008 Fortune Avenue, Panama City, Florida 32401

APRIL 23, 2022

8:00 A.M.- 2:00 P.M.

*Registration is free and lunch provided.  
Call Rowena @ 850-319-8830 to register for  
seating availability.*

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### BELIEVE IN THE POSSIBILITY OF HELP AND HEALING - **THERE IS HOPE**

Your local Victim Assistance Coordinator is available to help you or anyone who has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church. We will listen to your needs and support you. We will help you make a formal complaint and arrange a personal meeting with the bishop, or his delegate, if desired. We encourage you to come forward and speak out. The Victim Assistance Coordinators in our diocese are: Shannon D. Mullen, PhD CSAT – Tallahassee/Panama City (229) 233-8009 and Louis M. Makarowski PhD, PA – Pensacola/Ft. Walton (850) 477-7181.



Holy King St. Louis, worthy son of our Holy Father St. Francis and patron of the Third Order, intercede for me with our Heavenly Father.

Obtain for me the grace to follow in thy footsteps, to be always a dutiful child of St. Francis, and to observe exactly, all the days of my life, that holy rule which thou loved so ardently and kept so faithfully.

Be my guide and protector, so that I may never stray from the path of virtue but increase daily in holiness and perfection, and finally merit to be numbered among the chosen ones of our Seraphic Father in Heaven. Amen.

O God, Who didst exalt blessed Louis Thy Confessor from an earthly realm to the glory of Thy Heavenly kingdom: grant, we pray Thee, that by his merits and intercession we may be made heirs of the King of Kings, Thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ, Who liveth and reigneth for ever and ever. Amen

### PRAYER FOR CORONAVIRUS

Lord Jesus Christ, our Divine Physician, We ask you to guard and protect us from Coronavirus COVID-19 and all serious illness. For all that have died from it, have mercy; for those that are ill now, bring healing. For those searching for a remedy, enlighten them; for medical caregivers helping the sick, strengthen and shield them. For those working to contain the spread, grant success; for those afraid, grant peace. May your precious blood be our defense and salvation.

By your grace, may you turn the evil of disease into moments of consolation and hope. May we always fear the contagion of sin more than any illness.

We abandon ourselves to your infinite mercy.  
Amen.

### PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Eternal God... Bless your Church with holy and faithful priests, deacons, brothers and sisters. Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of your Son so that in him, with him and through him we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere. With Mary we ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

WELCOME to all new parishioners! If you have not registered, please fill out the following information. Once it's completed, you can simple detach and drop it in the collection basket, drop it off at the office during regular hours, or mail it in to us. You can also use this form to update you information or let us know that you are moving.

Name ----- Date -----

Phone ----- E-mail -----

Address ----- City ----- State ----- Zip -----

- New parishioner or  Update information
- Moving, please remove
- Interested in becoming Catholic
- Information on marriage annulment(s)