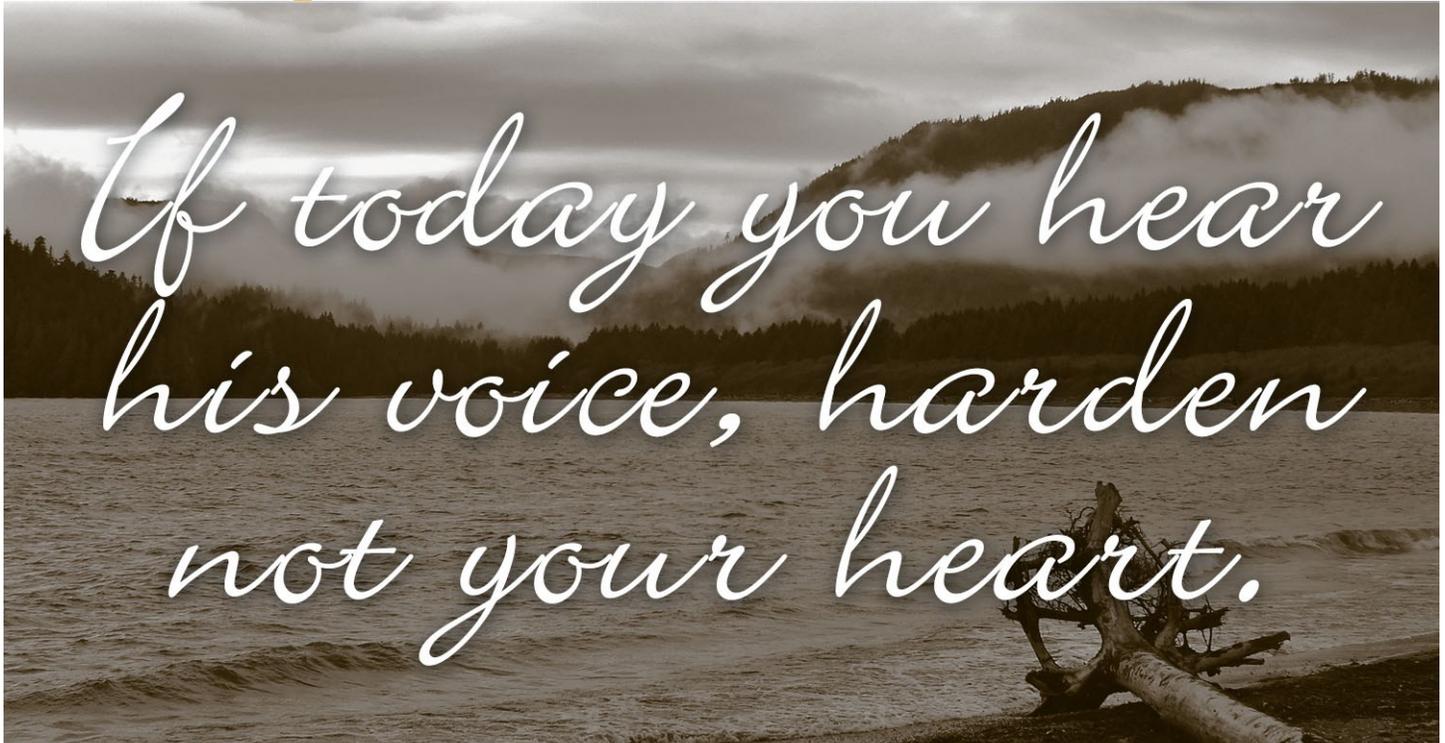




# Saint Anastasia CATHOLIC CHURCH

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*If today you hear  
his voice, harden  
not your heart.*

## 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time October 5, 2025

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### **MASS TIMES**

MONDAY - SATURDAY... 8:15AM

SATURDAY...4:00PM VIGIL

SUNDAY...7:45AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM &  
5:00PM

### **ADORATION CHAPEL**

OPEN 24 HOURS WITH CODE

### **CONFESSION**

SATURDAYS: 3:00PM - 4:00PM

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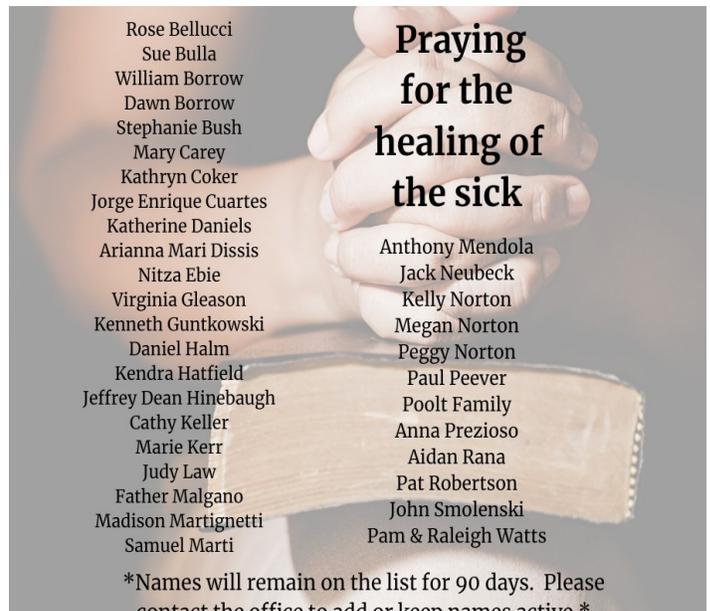
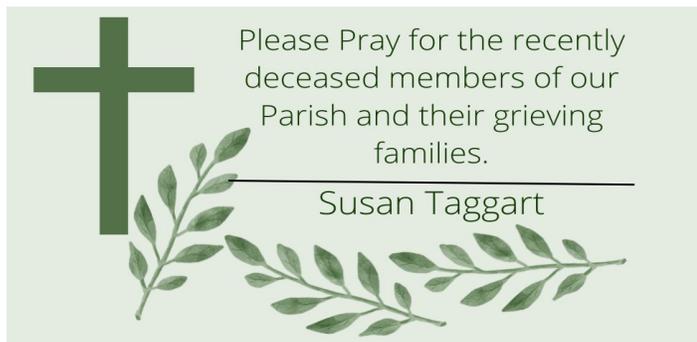
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Sunny Payne 772-461-2233

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**Mass Intentions**  
**October 4 – October 12**

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>October 4</b>
8:15am:	† Dick Lotufo by Virginia Baer <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
4:00pm:	For the healing of Carmela Lee by Jim & Jean Peppers <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>October 5</b>
7:45am:	† Tommy Patton by Beverly Stefko <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
9:30am:	The Parishioners of St. Anastasia and Lisa Champagne, Harper Powell, Daniel Richmond and the Bomar family as new parishioners <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
11:30am:	Giron Family by Karen <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
5:00pm:	Happy Birthday Paulina Napiorkowska by Family <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>October 6</b>
8:15am:	† Happy Heavenly Birthday Emilia Pawlowski by Daughter Lucy † Margarita Rangel by Ferdy & Glynda <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>October 7</b>
8:15am:	The Herrlin Family by Colette Nancy Vaccaro by Joanne <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>October 8</b>
8:15am:	Vita & Garon Families by Family † Peter Esposito by Kozloski Family <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>



SSG William Chenette  
COL Daniel Lee Cornelius  
COL Jonathan Cintron  
LTJG Anwen Dallaire, USN  
LT Mark Dallaire, USN  
SGT Anthony Frantantoni  
SPC Keith Guettler  
CSM Brian Huston  
SSG Gertrudys Rondeau  
SGT Eric N. Rondeau  
Sgt Paul A. Sinnott Jr.  
LT James C. Stapleton  
MSGT Timothy Smith  
SR Evan Vanover  
CPL Breeanna Wilson-Irwin  
LCPL Trinity Wilson-Irwin  
A1C Zachery P. Griffith  
PFC Blaze Harrison

<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>October 9</b>
8:15am:	Kendall Clive by Nana <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>October 10</b>
8:15am:	†† María Eduvigis DeConnell & Afranio Guillermo Molero by Son Allan Connell Happy Birthday Nancy Thomas by Tina Thomas <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>October 11</b>
8:15am:	Anya Dulin by Mom <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
4:00pm:	Wayne and Colin Rondeau By Rondeau Family <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>October 12</b>
7:45am:	† Matthew Noelke by Mom & Dad <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
9:30am:	The Parishioners of St. Anastasia and the Mallon, Diaz and Cyril Jean families as New Parishioners <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
11:30am:	Giron Family by Karen <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>
5:00pm:	Happy Birthday Katrina Dimitroff by Family <i>For the Candle Wall Intentions</i>

### Adoration Chapel Candles

Contact the Parish office at 772-461-2233 to dedicate an Adoration Chapel Candle for your special intention

### Altar Flowers

Contact the Parish office at 772-461-2233 to dedicate the Altar Flowers for your special intention

### Sanctuary Candle

Contact the Parish office at 772-461-2233 to dedicate the Sanctuary Candle for your special intention

### Memorial Bread & Wine

Contact the Parish office at 772-461-2233 to dedicate the Bread & Wine for your special intention

# Faith Formation

Calling all children in  
4th grade and up!  
Here's your chance to serve  
God and your parish in a  
special way by becoming an  
Altar Server at Mass.

Training will be provided  
— no experience needed!

## Become an Altar Server!

### Why Become an Altar Server?

- ✦ Be part of an important parish ministry
- ✦ Learn more about the Mass
- ✦ Meet new friends
- ✦ Grow in faith and responsibility



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Website  
[https://www.stanastasiachurch.org/  
altar-server-application](https://www.stanastasiachurch.org/altar-server-application)  
772-461-2233



Please fill out the  
application and email it to  
katrinahoganprice  
@gmail.com



### Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children ages 3 to 7 who are potty trained are warmly invited to take part in Children's Liturgy during the 9:30 AM Mass.

To participate, please complete a one-time online registration.

For your child's safety, be sure to sign them in each Sunday using the notebook located at the back of the church.

After the Opening Prayer, Father will invite the children to come forward to be dismissed for the Liturgy of the Word, where they'll hear the Gospel in a way they can understand and enjoy.



Are you ready to take the next step in your faith journey—whether it's Baptism, Confirmation, or simply learning more about what Catholics believe?

If this sounds like you or someone you know, the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) may be the perfect next step.

Join us for our next Inquiry Sessions

 Sunday, October 19, 2025

 After the 7:45, 9:30, and 11:30 AM Masses

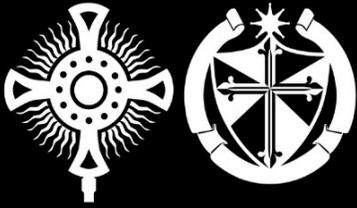
 At the gazebo between the Church and the Parish Center

Have questions? We'd love to hear from you:

 Mitzi Macias: 772-461-2233

 Brian Huston: 564-464-8095

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# Saint Anastasia Catholic Church & School

# Feast Day Celebration

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2025

5-8 P.M.

ST. ANASTASIA PAVILION

MASS AT 4 P.M.

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## Our Core Values

- 😊 Immovable Joy
- ✝️ A Relationship with Jesus
- 🙏 Be Like Mary
- 🌱 Fruitfulness
- 🪨 Petras (Rock)

## OUR GROWING PARISH

Parish Demographics:

- 1133 Families
- 157 New Families this year
- 35% increase in Mass Attendance



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Catholic Church & School

## Facility Updates

- ✨ Outside bathrooms – fully renovated by Jacquin and Sons
- ✨ New roofs on the Parish Center by Vero Beach Roofing and the Wolf and Bergalis Buildings by Rack'D Roofing
- ✨ Front Office of the School – refreshed and updated by McKee Renovations
- ✨ Water proofing of Media Center by Lucas Waterproofing

# St. Anastasia Catholic Church

## SAVE THE DATES

### *Moments of Encounter*

NOV  
8

**Saturday - All Day Trip**  
*Pilgrimage to St. Edwards*

Join Father George on a Pilgrimage to the Minor Basilica of St. Edwards in Palm Beach. This includes transportation, Mass, confession and lunch.

NOV  
11

**Tuesday, 8:15am**  
*Veteran's Day Mass and Celebration*

We warmly invite all veterans in our parish community and their families to join us for a special Veterans Day Mass as we honor and pray for all who have served our country with courage and sacrifice. Please come and join us after Mass for a reception with our St. Anastasia Band in the school courtyard.

DEC  
6-9

**Saturday - Tuesday**  
*Advent Mission with Father Mark Toupes*

We invite parishioners and visitors to enjoy an Advent Mission given by Father Make Toupes from Our Lady of the Isle in Grand Isle, LA. Father Mark will preach at our weekend Masses and on December 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> will deliver a powerful message after morning Masses and again in the evening to inspire you on your Advent journey.

FEB  
6

**Friday, 6:00pm**  
*Building on Faith Gala*

Come celebrate at our Annual Building on Faith Gala that takes place on the waterfront at beautiful Fort Pierce Riverwalk Center. Join us for fellowship through a delectable dinner, cocktails and enjoy our silent and live auctions.

FEB  
17

**Tuesday, 6:00pm**  
*Fat Tuesday Celebration*

Join us before the Lenten season begins at our Fat Tuesday Celebration. Enjoy time to meet new friends and visit with fellow parishioners with music and delicious food.

MAR  
7

**Saturday, 8:15am - 5pm**  
*Lenten Mission with Father Mark Yavarone*

Father Mark will walk you through overcoming spiritual discouragement through a Lenten Mission. Through Mass, practical guidelines from St. Ignatius of Loyola and confession, you will be lead down an Ignatian Path of Hope.

## St. Vincent de Paul Society

Please assist in filling the St. Vincent de Paul boxes situated outside the Parish Center. The most suitable donations are pop-top cans and easily accessible non-perishable food items. These donations are distributed within the local community to support those in need.



God our Father, Creator of the Universe and Lord over all creation, we humbly stand before You as Your children in thanksgiving for Your loving care and protection. We ask that You keep us safe from all hurricanes and illness which may threaten us in the coming seasons. Protect us from all fear and anxiety and give us an ardent trust and hope in Your love and mercy. You alone have the power to command the sea, the wind, and the rain. You alone bring peace, calm, and safety. Father, we thank you in advance, for You are our only Refuge. We ask this through Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. Amen.

Mary, Queen of the Apostles, and Patroness of our Diocese, pray for us.



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Office of  
THE BISHOP

October 3, 2025

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ:

Next weekend, October 11/12, parishes in the Diocese of Palm Beach will conduct a second collection for World Mission Sunday, observed October 19. The 2025 World Mission Sunday theme is "Missionaries of Hope Among the Peoples," which is inspired by the Jubilee of Hope. It is an invitation to bring Christ's light and hope to the world, especially to communities where the Church is young, growing, and often struggling. Join us in this universal mission to spread the Gospel and share the love of Christ.

This annual collection supports more than 1,000 mission territories where the Gospel is being proclaimed for the first time, courageously upheld despite persecution, or brought to communities still discovering Christ's love. By supporting this initiative, we join with many others to assist these missionaries and provide help for some of the most vulnerable regions in the world.

As our Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV, told representatives of the Pontifical Mission Societies in May, "Our world, wounded by war, violence and injustice, needs to hear the Gospel message of God's love and to experience the reconciling power of Christ's grace." Your financial support will increase the Church's ability to "make disciples of all nations" (Matt. 28:19).

With gratitude for your continued generosity and every prayerful wish, I am

Sincerely yours in Christ,

  
Most Reverend Gerald M. Barbarito  
Bishop of Palm Beach

*The Most Precious Blood of Jesus*

## WEINGARTEN

GERMANY



For more than 900 years it has been possible to venerate the relic of a portion of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus at the Benedictine Monastery at Weingarten. According to many historians, the soldier Longinus had carried the relic of the Most Precious Blood of Christ to Mantua. Later the Precious Blood was divided into several portions and given to various rulers of the era, the most famous of whom was Charlemagne, and to different popes.

## Second Collections

The second collections this week, October 5, 2025 are for the Maintenance Fund and the Altar Server Ministry

The second collections next week, October 12, 2025 are for Evangelization and Faith Formation and World Mission Sunday.

*Your Gift is Appreciated*



ODAY'S GOSPEL

LUKE 17:5-10

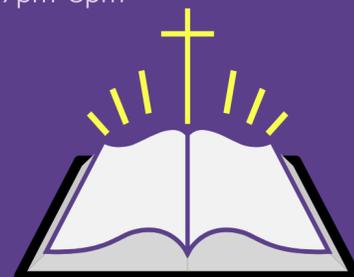
## BIBLE STUDY

WORKSHOP

*Dominick Scotto*

Wednesdays  
9:00am-10:00am  
7pm-8pm

St. Anastasia  
Parish Center









# Annual Financial Report

Description	Actual 2024-2025
<b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>	
Mass Collections and Online Giving	1,023,632.14
Interest Income	44,201.60
Other Revenue	43,083.86
<b>Total Operating Revenue</b>	<u><b>1,110,917.60</b></u>
<b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>	
Church Expenses	284,888.88
Rectory Expenses	36,277.24
Parish Expenses	423,473.36
Office Expenses	359,052.91
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>	<u><b>1,103,692.39</b></u>
<b>Net Operating before Designated Donations</b>	<u><b>7,225.21</b></u>
<b>OTHER REVENUE</b>	
Designated Donations	<u><b>54,801.00</b></u>
<b>TOTAL NET OPERATING</b>	<b>62,026.21</b>
<b>CAPITAL CAMPAIGN</b>	
Capital Campaign Revenue	1,097,356.68
Capital Campaign Expenses	2,130,185.90
<b>Net Capital Campaign</b>	<u><u><b>(1,032,829.22) *</b></u></u>
<b>Total Change in Net Assets</b>	
<b>Equals Net Operating Minus Net Capital Campaign</b>	<b>(970,803.01)</b>

*\*The Net Capital Campaign total includes costs covered by donations and pledges from previous years, reminding us how past generosity continues to build our future.*

*Think of it like planting seeds last season—some of the harvest we’re enjoying now was made possible by gifts from earlier years. That’s what the Net Capital Campaign reflects.*

*We remain deeply grateful to all who pledged to our Capital Campaign—your continuing payments are a blessing that will help us complete the renovations of our church debt-free.*

*All figures on this report are calculated based on transactions during the fiscal year between July 1, 2024 and June 30, 2025.*

**2025-2026 Budget is available upon request**

Please contact Beth Petermeier at the Parish Office at 772-461-2233 with questions