

SANTA MARIA del MAR CATHOLIC CHURCH —SURSUM CORDA—

CATHOLIC PARISH by the sea

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

MORNING PRAYERS:

WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY, 8:45 AM

BENEDICTION:

TUESDAY, 5:45 PM

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 4 PM

SUNDAY MASSES:

9 AM & 11 AM 2 PM YOUTH MASS

TUESDAY MASS: 6 PM WED-FRI MASS: 9 AM

DAILY ADORATION:

TUESDAY: 3-6 PM

WEDNESDAY: 9:30 AM-12 PM THURSDAY: 9:30 AM-12 PM FRIDAY: 9:30 AM-12 PM

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

TUESDAY, 3 PM

CONFESSIONS:

FRIDAY. 8:30 AM & SAT. 3-3:45 PM AND BY APPOINTMENT.

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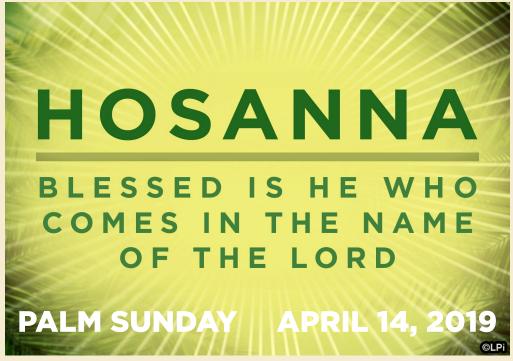
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MSGR. MICHAEL SERVINSKY FR. JAMES MAY





April 14—Palm Sunday 9am, 11am & 2 pm Palm Sunday Masses (procession 15 minutes before every Mass)

April 16—6pm Mass followed by adoration (adoration ends at Wed 9 am Mass)

April 17—6:30pm Passion Play

April 18—Holy Thursday 9am Morning Prayers **6pm** Holy Thursday Mass with washing of the feet **8pm** Adoration (through 8:45 am Friday)

April 19—Good Friday 9am Morning Prayers

3pm Stations of the Cross **6pm** Good Friday Service

April 20—Holy Saturday 9am Morning Prayers & Blessing of Easter Food Baskets 6pm Easter Vigil

April 21—Easter Sunday Easter Sunrise Mass, 6:30 -8am, Herschel King Park, 1000 Grady Prather Jr. Cove, 32137 All parishioners invited. Bring chairs & blankets!

9am & 11am *Easter Sunday Masses*

Easter Egg Hunt after 9am

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WEEKLY REFLECTION

My Dear Family of Santa Maria del Mar,

The Church celebrates today as both **Palm Sunday** and Passion Sunday. It is on Palm Sunday that we enter **Holy Week**, and welcome Jesus into our lives, asking him to allow us a share in his suffering, death and Resurrection. This is also the time we remember and relive the events which brought about our **redemption and salvation**.

That is why the Holy Week liturgy presents us with the actual events of the dying and rising of Jesus. The liturgy also enables us to experience vicariously, here and now, what Jesus went through then. In other words, we commemorate and relive during this week our own dying to sin and selfishness and rising in Jesus, healed, reconciled to God and each other, and redeemed by His death and rising for us. No wonder Greek Orthodox Christians greet each other with the words, "Kali Anastasi" (Good Resurrection), not on Easter Sunday but on Good Friday. They anticipate the Resurrection

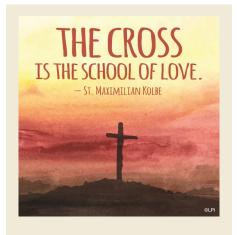
Just as Jesus did, we, too, must lay down our lives freely by actively participating in the Holy Week liturgies. In doing so, we are allowing Jesus to forgive us our sins, to heal the wounds in us caused by our sins and the sins of others and to transform us more completely into the image and likeness of God. Thus, we shall be able to live more fully the Divine life we received at Baptism. Proper participation in the Holy Week liturgy will also deepen our relationship with God, increase our Faith and strengthen our lives as disciples of Jesus. But let us remember that Holy Week can become "holy" for us only if we actively and consciously take part in the liturgies of this week. This is also the week when we should lighten the burden of Christ's passion as daily experienced by the hungry, the poor, the sick, the homeless, the lonely and the outcast through our corporal

and spiritual works of mercy. The Palm/Passion Sunday liturgy combines contrasting moments, one of glory, the other of suffering: the welcome of Jesus into Jerusalem and the drama of his unjust trial and suffering, culminating in his crucifixion and death. We are challenged to examine our own lives in the light of some of the characters in the story like Peter who denied Jesus, Judas who betrayed Jesus, Pilate who acted against his conscience and condemned Jesus to death on the cross. Herod who ridiculed Jesus and the leaders of the people who preserved their positions by getting rid of Jesus. The reading reminds us that Jesus died for our sins.



Are we willing to follow Jesus, not just to Church but in our daily life? Are we willing to entrust ourselves to Him even when the future is frightening or confusing, believing God has a plan? Are we willing to serve Him until that day when His plan for us on earth is fulfilled? These are the questions of Palm Sunday. Let us take a fresh look at this familiar event. We might be surprised at what we see. It could change us forever.

In Loving Hearts of Jesus and Mary, Fr. Kaz-Pastor



TODAY'S READINGS

PROCESSIONAL GOSPEL:

They proclaimed: "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord." (Lk 19:38a)

FIRST READING:

The Lord GOD is my help, therefore I am not disgraced. (Is 50:7a)

PSALM:

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me? (Ps 22)

SECOND READING:

He humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. (Phil 2:8)

GOSPEL:

Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Father, into your hands I commend my spirit"; and when he had said this he breathed his last. (Lk 23:46)

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SACRAMENTAL LIFE

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Expectant parents are encouraged to contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment to attend the required Baptism Class taught by Deacon Senger. Parents must be registered parishioners and should be attending Mass regularly. Baptisms are performed on Sundays during the 11am Mass.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Receiving God's pardon and peace through the acknowledgment of our sins, contrition of heart, absolution from sins and doing penance. This sacrament is celebrated every Saturday from 3-3:45pm or in the case of personal needs, you may contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Newly engaged couples must contact Cari Anne Carrube at the Parish Office at least <u>8 months prior</u> to their wedding date to ensure church availability and to begin the required marriage preparation courses. Cari Anne will help with the initial stages of fulfilling the Church's require- ments for a Christian Marriage.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

For those who are in need of the Lord's sacramental touch and blessing in times of sickness. This sacrament is intended for those who are ill or infirm. Please contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment to celebrate the healing rites of the Church with you and your loved ones.

HOLY ORDERS

Men and women who wish to find out more about Religious Life should contact the Parish Office and speak with the Pastor for more information.

SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

This sacrament is normally celebrated in the Second Grade (7-years-old). Children must be registered in the Faith Formation Program and families must be registered parishioners. For more information, please contact Denise Collins, denise@smdmcc.org or the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

This sacrament is normally celebrated in the Eighth Grade. Candidates must be Baptized, have already received sacraments of Eucharist and Reconciliation and must be enrolled in the Faith Formation Program. Families must be registered parishioners. For more information, please contact Denise Collins, denise@smdmcc.org or the Parish Office.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION

If God has stirred your desire to learn more about the Catholic Church and its lived faith and practices and the wish to become full and active participants, Please contact Deacon Bill Senger, willsenger@comcast.net, or the Parish Office to learn more about the process of the RCIA.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

If you need help in making arrangements for a loved one's funeral, or would like to pre-plan your own funeral, the parish staff is here to help. Please contact Cari Anne Carrube in the Parish Office, cari@smdmcc.org. We will work together with your funeral home of choice to prepare a beautiful and fitting liturgical remembrance of your loved one.

STATEMENT ON HOLY GHOST FATHER WILLIAM MALONE

Credible allegations of sexual abuse of a minor have been made against Father William Malone, a Holy Ghost Father who served in the Diocese of St. Augustine from January 1982 to March 1992.

The abuses occurred in the early 1980s at Sacred Heart Parish in Jacksonville.

A thorough review of the allegations was conducted by an independent investigator. Based on his report, the Diocesan Review Board found the allegations to be credible. The report has been shared with local law enforcement. Bishop Felipe Estévez has met with the victim to express his deep sorrow for the pain the victim has suffered, and he apologized on behalf of the church.

Father Malone served as an associate pastor at Sacred Heart Parish in Jacksonville from 1982 to 1991, and associate pastor at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish in Palm Coast from 1991 to 1992. He moved to the Holy Ghost Fathers community in Long Island, N.Y. in March 1992. In Sept. 1993 he returned to the Ireland Province of the Holy Ghost Fathers where he remained until his death in 2003.

If you or someone you know has been harmed by someone representing the Catholic Church, call the police. You can report abuse to the Florida Department of Children and Families by calling 1-800-962-2873. You may also contact the diocesan Victim Assistant Coordinator, Tina Nugent, by calling (904) 208-6979 or email

inquiries@dosafl.com.

ATTENTION: The Diocese of St. Augustine treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with all allegations in a prompt, confidential and thorough manner. To Report Abuse, call: Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (904) 262-3200, ext. 129, or Dept. of Children and Families at 1-800-96-Abuse (800-962-2873).

THIS WEEK AT SANTA MARIA DEL MAR

MONDAY, APRIL 15

Bread of Life Ministry, Hall 5-6:30pm

6:30pm NA meeting, LCPP

TUESDAY, APRIL 16

10-11:30am Centering Prayer, LCII

11:15am BINGO, Hall

3-6pm Daily Adoration, Chapel

3-3:30pm Divine Mercy Chaplet, Chapel

3-7:30pm Knights 4th Degree General Business

Meeting, Hall

5:45pm Benediction of the Most Blessed

Sacrament

MASS 6pm

Overnight Adoration, Chapel (ends 6:30pm

before 9am Mass Wednesday)

7-8pm Always Our Children, LCMt

7-8pm ALANON, LCPP

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

8:45am Morning prayers

9am **MASS**

9:30am-2pm Weight Watchers, LCJJ, LCB 9:30am-12pm Daily Adoration, Chapel Bereavement Ministry, LCL 10-11am

10-11:30am Scripture Study, Church, All Welcome!

11am Chrism Mass, Cathedral Basilica,

St. Augustine

12-1pm ALANON, LCL 6:30pm Passion Play

THURSDAY, APRIL 18 HOLY THURSDAY

8-9:30am Rotary, Hall 9-9:30am Morning Prayers David O'Byrne, LCMt 9am-6pm 9:30am-12pm Daily Adoration, Chapel

10-11:30am Overeaters Anonymous, LCMkL

4-5:30pm Choir Practice, Church 5:30-7pm Life Teen Holy Hour, Chapel 6pm

Holy Thursday Mass with washing of

feet

6:30-7:30pm NA Meeting, LCPP

Holy Thursday Adoration (ends before 8pm

morning prayers on Good Friday)

FRIDAY, APRIL 19 **GOOD FRIDAY FASTING AND ABSTINENCE**

8:30-9am Sacrament of Reconciliation,

Confessional

9-9:30am Good Friday morning prayers 9:30am-12pm Daily Adoration, Chapel Legion of Mary, LCMkL 10am Rosary Makers, LCB 10am-12pm

Stations of the Cross, Church 3pm

5:30-7pm ALANON, LCMkL

Good Friday Service, Church 6pm

SATURDAY, APRIL 20 HOLY SATURDAY

9am Holy Saturday Morning Prayers with

Blessing of Easter Food Baskets to

follow

3-3:45pm Sacrament of Reconciliation,

Confessional

6pm **Easter Vigil, Church**

SUNDAY, APRIL 21 EASTER SUNDAY

6:30am **SUNRISE MASS, Herschel King Park** 9am MASS (followed by Easter Egg Hunt)

11am

LC is the Learning Center. The following abbreviations are for individual rooms within the Learning Center: PP—Peter & Paul JJ—James & John B—Bartholomew L—Luke Mt—Matthew Mk—Mark BMR—Blessed Mother Room

MASS INTENTIONS

4/16, 6pm Patricia Doege, Lou Luceri

4/17, 9am Ruth Morrissey,

Lillian Capitano, Audrey M. Groos

4/18, 6pm Leslie Boivin,

Allison Curran

4/20, 6pm For Our Parish Family

4/21, 6:30am For Our Parish Family

4/21, 9am For Our Parish Family

4/21, 11am For Our Parish Family

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, April 15: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14 [1a]/|n 12:1-11

Tuesday, April 16: Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17 [cf. 15ab]/ln 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday, April 17: Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34 [14c]/Mt 26:14-25

Thursday, April 18: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18 [cf. 1 Cor 10:16]/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15

Friday, April 19: Is 52:13--53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25 [Lk 23:46]/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/ln 18:1--19:42

Saturday, April 20: Vigil: Gn 1:1--2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 [30] or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22 [5b]/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Ex 14:15--15:1/Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 [1b]/Is 54:5-14/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/ls 55:1-11/ls 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 [3]/Bar 3:9-15, 32--4:4/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [Jn 6:68c]/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 [42:2] or ls 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [3] or Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/Rom 6:3-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Lk 24:1-12

Sunday, April 21: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 [24]/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or Lk 24:13-35

PRAY TROOPS



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Col. Andrew Morgado (US Army/South Korea) Jay Matthews (US Navy) Sgt. Benjamin Wurtz (US Army/ Ft. Hood, TX) Honor Otmar (US Air Force), Matthew Callegari (USCG)

Jayson Trucksess (US Navy), **Chief Gregory Worman** (US Navy) Joshua Raffaele (USMC) Sgt. Zachary T. Smith (US Army National Guard/Afghanistan) Rachel Mincey (US Navy),

LCDR Brandon Aten (USCG), Joseph Otmar (USMC), Casey Henrikson (US Navy), **Chad M.R. Schuch** (US Air

Emma J. Schuch (US Navy), Lt. Col. Daniel O'Connor (USMC) **Sgt. Sean Collins** (US Army)

If you have a family member in the military and would like us to pray for them, call the parish office to have their name added to the bulletin, or email your request to Christine Sudano at christine@smdmcc.org. Please advise when a person above is no longer deployed so we can remove their name from our list. God bless them all & continue to pray for them!

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK OF OUR PARISH IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Heal us, Lord, and we shall be healed; save us, and we shall be saved; for it is You we praise. Send relief and healing for all our diseases, our sufferings and our wounds; for You are a merciful and faithful healer. Blessed are You Lord, who heals the sick.

- Joyce Aitkens
- Blake Alberto
- Maria Amaral
- Iim Anderson
- Michael Anella
- Christopher Anello
- Michelle Barrett
- Tracy Barth
- · A.J. Bella
- Ivan Berke
- Jackie Berry
- Mary Ann Betz
- Paulino Botelho
- Mary Bowe
- Hugh Bowman
- Aimee Buddingh
- Bryon Campbell
- Ken Capitano
- Roger Carey Dellis Sr.
- Roger Carey Dellis Jr.
- **Bruce Carey**
- Larry Caruso
- Joe Celiberti
- Gerald Chabon
- Ioe Chiarello
- Maria Cino
- Cheryle & Wally Correa
- Cicilia de Romero
- Maria Deausen
- Diane
- Larry Doege
- Renee Donaghy
- Thomas Donaghy Sr.
- Donna
- Beckett Draft (baby)

- Greg Everett
- Tony Favara
- Lydia Fernandez
- Jeff Gearhart
- Linda Geiger
- Edmund Giancola
- lames Green
- Roger Gronert
- Susan Gronert
- Kathleen Hinchey
- Joyce Hoffman
- Stacee Farrell Hyde
- Jack Kemper
- Elinor Kish
- lackie Kuki
- James T. Lainge
- Vicki LaMar
- Linda Lane
- Louie
- Ma Family
- **Beverly Maggio**
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- Dina Mancuso
- Frank Mancuso
- TR Mancuso
- Evangelina Mandel
- Bill Mania
- Kenneth Maple
- Ray Masbad
- James McMonagle
- Vivian McMonagle
- Giorgio Meloni
- Rosemarie Meloni
- Nancy Miller
- Deacon Mike Moody

- Mary Morello
- Lee Mulvihill
- Toni Ann Musselman
- Heriberto Ocasio
- Dorothy Perez
- Jeremy Perez
- Whitney Pirnat • Charles Prellwitz
- Edward Ranieri
- Mary Ann Reddin
- Regine
- Thomas Rocco Sr.
- Lucia Rothove
- Eileen Ruddy
- Karl Rupp
- John Rybacki Jo Schwankl
- Julia Sine
- Sharon Spitale
- Stevens Brooke
- Louis Raymond Stevens
- Gina Stokes
- Jennifer Taylor
- Juan Karlos Teron
- David Thomas & Family
- Lucille Toto
- Jennifer Triano
- lim Vitrano
- Marie Waehler
- Diedre Williamson
- lack Wittwer
- Carol Woodard



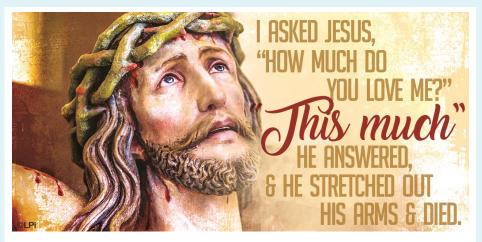
WE COMMEND TO **GOD'S LOVING EMBRACE**

Receive, Lord, in tranquility and peace, the souls of your servants who have departed out of this present life to be with you. Give them the life that knows no age, the good things that do not pass away; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

† CHRIS BAMBRICK

STEWARDSHIP ~ A WAY OF LIFE

REFLECTIONS ON STEWARDSHIP



The remarkable events of this week teach us much about Jesus and His love for us. At the Last Supper, Jesus is telling Judas that He loves him, even though the Lord knows full well what Judas has already done, and Judas certainly is aware of what he has done as the betrayer. This love is the first thought which should permeate us as we hear the Passion. Jesus' love for us is so profound, and we are called to respond by loving Him and one another as *good stewards*.

LOVE ONE ANOTHER AS I HAVE LOVED YOU.

THIS MONTH'S MINISTRY SALUTE

IN GRATITUDE FOR GOD'S GIFTS OF TIME AND TALENT TO US, WE GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGE AND SALUTE:

LADIES F.U.N.N. MINISTRY and Mary Comiskey

And we'll have FUNN, FUNN, FUNN 'til SMDM takes this ministry a-w-a-y! This year more than 90 members meet each first Thursday of the month in the Parish Hall, September through May. At the first meeting of the year, we begin with Mass, wine and cheese, and then select activities and chairpersons. Activities might include Bunco, BINGO, cards and games, bus trips, luncheons, and seasonal parties. Past trips have been to dinner theaters, Amelia Island, Savannah, wineries, national shrines, and Nights of Lights. Dues are \$15 annually and all ladies of the parish are invited. New members are always welcome and "snowbirds" join us when they are in town.

If you need more FUNN in your life and want to make some new friends, contact Mary Comiskey at marycomiskey18@gmail.com or 386-597-6963.



STEWARDSHIP OF OUR TREASURE

Your offering of as little as one hour's wage will help us meet our daily needs.

March 23-24

GENERAL OFFERTORY
COLLECTION: \$20,948.00
ONLINE GIVING:\$ 1,770.00
WEEKLY TOTAL: \$22,718.00



"The obligation to provide justice for all means that the poor have the single most urgent economic claim on the conscience of the nation."

(Economic Justice for All, US Catholic Bishops, 1986)



APRIL 15

Vincent Arnelli, Samuel Barnier, Jill Cicacci, Phyllis Cox, Jean Daignault, Rosemary Gehl, Ronald Johnson, Joseph Leonard, Antonio Luis, Rocco Maresca, April Marshall, Luis Rivera Sr., Elizabeth Tatto, Florence Taylor, Olivia Whitten, Debra Wingo

APRIL 16

Suzanne Ahern, John Balseiro, Lauren Butera, Zackary Caronna, Steven Edwards, Mark Kimmel, Manuel Martins, Paul Ruggiero, Rudy White

APRIL 17

Amelia Amaral, Giselle Brocksmith, Ann Corcoran, Gail Durkin, A.J. Fernandez, Joan Flaherty, Karen Karas, Debra Kutik, Silvestre Moura, Bryant Perszyk, Tammy Shoemaker, Virginia Smith, Julie Sovia, Decio Tenreiro

APRIL 18

Lucy Checchio, Carmela D'Angelo, Peter Gambino, Brenda Gutierrez-Avila, Joseph Pozzuoli, Edwin Rodriguez, Carol Schwarzlow

APRIL 19

Sabrina Aloia, Ethan Burke, Damari Jackson, Honor O'Reilly, Denise Santa Maria, Julianna Savone, David Steiner, James Terlizzo, Samantha Wozniak

APRIL 20

Jose Albujar, Erin Andersen, Chloe Ascone. Sandra Campbell, John Marin, Aisling Valdez, Jorge Vega, Charles Waldner, Summer Worley

APRIL 21

John Bagi III, Marilyn Cichock, Miguel DaCosta, Mary Gabriel, Drake Goodman, Sterling Leja, Marc Nilsen, Nancy O'Byrne, Matt Saylor, Killian Shaw

MINISTRIES AND SUPPORT GROUPS

BEFRIENDER MINISTRIES

The BeFriender Ministry at Santa Maria del Mar is a lay pastoral care program where trained volunteers provide a listening presence to others by entering into a caring relationship with those in need, providing emotional and spiritual support.

Information shared between BeFrienders and those they befriend is strictly confidential. BeFriender Ministry volunteers are screened and trained and receive on-going support through the BeFriender Leaders.

If you need a BeFriender visit, would like to suggest a BeFriender for someone else, are interested in becoming a BeFriender volunteer, or simply have questions about the BeFriender Ministry, please contact Jeannie Johnson in the parish office at email jean@smdmcc.org or office phone (386) 439-2791.

ROSARY MAKERS

Every Friday at 10 am in the LC, Bartholomew Room

This ministry makes and provides rosaries for the Missions and for parish family members. Rosarymaking supplies are furnished, and beginners are given instructions in how to make a rosary.



ALWAYS OUR CHILDREN SUPPORT GROUP

Every third Tuesday, Learning Center/Matthew Room, 7-8:30pm

"We have to find a way to help parents stand by their son or daughter." - Pope Francis

A ministry dedicated to providing an environment of compassionate listening and support for parents who have children with a homosexual orientation. All conversations are protected by the guidelines of Christian confidentiality. Family Members Welcome! Please contact Fr. Kaz at 386-439-2791 or Karyn Jacobs at 386-503-1710. You may also email icanletgo@gmail.com

CENTERING PRAYER GROUP

The Centering Prayer ministry is dedicated to fostering the process of transformation in Christ through the practices of the Centering Prayer, Lectio Divina, reflection/ sacred sharing, and enrichment experiences. Centering Prayer is simply a wordless, trusting opening of self to the divine presence. While it is about the simplest form of prayer there is, it allows us to get in touch with our natural intimacy with God deep within us that often gets lost in the busyness of life. Weekly Centering Prayer sessions are held in the Learning Center. If you are interested in learning more, we are happy to talk with you and email you an informational packet. Please contact Sue McBride, 956-9012.

SING TO THE LORD A NEW SONG!

Are you interested in hearing or joining one of our choirs? Check out the information below for Mass times served and rehearsal times. For information, contact Kim Cazzaniga: kim@smdmcc.org, 386-931-8710.



Adult Choir 1st Sun.: Off 2nd/4th Sun.: 9am Mass 3rd Sun.: 11am Mass Rehearsal: Thurs. 4-5:30pm.



Life Teen Choir Every Sunday at the 2pm Mass.



Children's Choir Masses (Meet at 11am in Church) May 5 Rehearsals (Meet at 11am in Hall) Apr. 28 Special Events May 11 (1st Communion Mass)

EVENTS



THE BLESSING OF EASTER BASKETS:
A Catholic Tradition Reflects Global Solidarity
It's a tradition in many Eastern European
countries to have a basket of food blessed
on Holy Saturday. Now Catholics of all ethnic
backgrounds enjoy this special custom. The
food basket contents will depend on the
region one is from and the family's
preference for their Easter meal. This is a
wonderful testimony to our universal
church's Global Solidarity. We are one
human family around the world. Please join
us on Saturday, April 20 after 9am
Morning Prayers to have your Easter
Baskets blessed.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST Last Sunday of the month after 9 am Mass The Knights of Columbus sponsors a

Pancake Breakfast (includes omelets and sausage). Come join us!



We welcome Dr. Schneider back to our parish for a special Lenten concert of inspiring harp music and commentary on Lenten Scriptures.

FREE WILL DONATIONS ACCEPTED

Easter Sunrise Mass at Herschel King Park ALL PARISHIONERS INVITED! SUNDAY, APRIL 21

6:30 am - 8:00 am
Bring Chairs and blankets!



From SR 100, go north on Colbert for 3.2 miles to Herschel King Drive on the right and then go one mile straight to the park (1000 Grady Prather Jr. Cove 32137).

FAMILY PASTA DINNER TO BENEFIT PAWS

The Knights of Columbus Assembly 2810 is sponsoring a Family Pasta Dinner to benefit PAWS of War organization on Tuesday, May 21 from 4:30-6:30 pm.

Public invited! First come, first served!

Cost: \$10 Adults: \$5 Children ages 5-12 Under 5 free.

Menu: Pasta and Meatballs, Salad, **Bread & Butter.** Refreshments/Coffee. Takeouts available. Please bring a dessert to share.





The PAWS of WAR Mission: to train and place dogs to serve and provide independence to our United States military veterans who suffer from the emotional effects of war, such as PTSD. In turn, veterans can experience the therapeutic benefits and love that only an animal can bring.

A service or comfort dog is a catalyst to restore confidence and peace of mind to the veteran. Each dog is carefully matched with the veteran in need. All canine candidates come from shelters. Please help support our cause and attend the Family Pasta Dinner.

STARS FOR OUR TROOPS

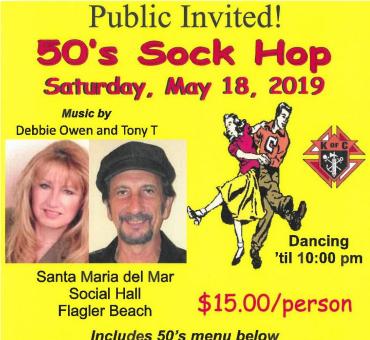
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE

The Knights of Columbus Assembly 2810 will be giving a star to active military and veterans after Mass on Memorial Day weekend, May 25-26. If you are a Veteran, Reservist, National Guard, On Active Military Duty or know someone who is, we invite you to take a "Star 4 Our Troops."

"I am part of our American flag that has flown over the USA. I can no longer fly. The sun and winds caused me to become tattered and torn. Please carry me as a reminder that You are not forgotten."

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BINGO

Jackpot up to \$200! Every Tuesday at the SMdM Parish Hall. Doors open at 11:15 am. A free lunch is served at 11:30 am when you buy a BINGO pack for only \$13. BINGO starts promptly at 12:15 pm. Contact E.Y. Walter at 986-1163 for more information.



Hot Dogs - Chili Dogs - Chili Cheese Dogs Saurkraut Dogs - Cheeseburgers - Hamburgers French Fries - Root Beer Floats Continuous serving from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Reservations please!

E.Y: 386-986-1163 Stan: 386-569-1068

SERVICE

FOOD DONATIONS

Food donation bags will be distributed after each Mass on the last weekend of each month. Please remember to bring your filled food donation bags back to the Gathering Area the following weekend (first weekend of each month). Thank you for your generosity!



FAMILY TO FAMILY2019 Food Donation Dates

May 2, June 6, July 11, August 1, September 5, October 3, October 31, December 5

WARM HANDS, WARM FEET

The Church's

response to donating brand new socks has been fantastic and greatly needed! Some of the places the socks have gone to are: The Cold Weather Shelter, Salvation Army, DAV for Veterans, Bread of Life Community Supper, Halifax Urban Ministry in Daytona, St. Vincent de Paul, and the Kite Shop at the beach is passing them out to the homeless down by the pier. Please keep up the wonderful job of donating brand new socks for men, women and children!

BREAD OF LIFE COMMUNITY SUPPER

We serve supper to the homeless and people struggling financially, on Mondays from 5-6:30 pm in the Parish Hall. Our many homeless guests need your help. DONATIONS NEEDED PLEASE. Camping tents, men's and women's socks, toothpaste, toothbrushes, toilet paper, bars of soap. Donations may be delivered to the Parish Office. For information or to volunteer. please call or text Larry Madama at 386-264-1511.

FREE TAX PREPARATION AND FILING

AARP Tax-Aide offers free tax preparation and filing by Certified IRS volunteers - now to April 15. Open to All Area Residents. AARP Membership Not Required.

- **Monday:** First Baptist Church, Palm Coast.
- Tuesday: Gov't Services Bldg, Bunnell.
- Wednesday: First Baptist Church, Palm Coast & Gov't Services Bldg, Bunnell.
- **Thursday:** Flagler County Library, Palm Coast.
- **Friday:** Realty Exchange, Palm Coast & Flagler Beach Library.
- **Saturday:** Realty Exchange, Palm Coast.

Appointments Required: Call 386-313-4048, Mon-Fri 9am-4pm.



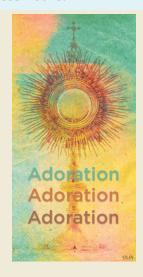
Palm Sunday

Encounter Our Neighbors

We encounter Jesus this week in Jerusalem, a community he knew well. We prayerfully enter our own communities too, encountering those who are hungry and thirsty, and those who need our help. How does our Lenten journey motivate us to serve those we meet in our daily lives?

Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

The Social Justice Ministry will collect rice bowls on the Sunday after Easter, or you may return them to the parish office during business hours.



With transforming mercy, Jesus makes our heart one with His.

"He proposes His own example to those who come to Him, that all may learn to be like Himself, gentle and humble of heart, and to seek not their own interest but those of God."

(Pope Paul VI, Mysterium Fidei)



PREGNANT & NEED HELP?

ALPHA WOMEN'S CENTER
OF PALM COAST

4751 E. Moody Blvd., Ste 5, Bunnell, FL 32110 info@alphawomencenter.org Phone: 386-586-0210 Free pregnancy tests, infant & maternity clothes, diapers, formula, parenting classes, post -abortion support, adoption & social services referrals, and referrals for Medicaid and WIC.

There is no need to feel alone when real help is available during an unplanned pregnancy. Caring Choices at (866) 901-9641 offers help through counseling, support, education, and resources. This is one decision not to face alone!

Struggling with emotional or spiritual pain following an abortion? Rachel's **Vineyard** is a post-abortion healing ministry that will lovingly help to transform your pain to hope and reconciliation. For more info call (904) 221-3232

Please join the Respect Life Ministry every first Friday to say the Rosary for Life. We will start at 8:30 am, right before the 9 am Mass.

RESPECT LIFE

The U.S. Senate recently failed to pass the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act—legislation that prohibits infanticide by ensuring that a child born alive following an attempted abortion would receive the same degree of care to preserve her or his life and health as would be given to any other child born alive at the same gestational age. Please join us in prayer for an end to infanticide:

Jesus, Lord of life, transform the hearts of all elected leaders to recognize that infanticide is wrong and must not be tolerated. Open hearts and minds to recognize and defend the precious gift of every human life.

BEACH CLEAN UP

The Environmental Committee held a beach clean up on Saturday, March 30. Thirty volunteers worked from South 6th to North 15th Street picking up 18 bags worth of trash, 6 bags of recyclables, and hundreds of cigarette butts. After the clean up, they shared their experiences over a light lunch and a viewing of a short video on Pope Francis' concerns for the environment.







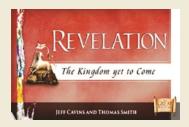




SANTA MARIA del MAR CATHOLIC CHURCH —SURSUM CORDA—

SPIRITUAL UNIVERSITY—SPRING 2019 SCHEDULE

REVELATION: THE KINGDOM YET TO COME



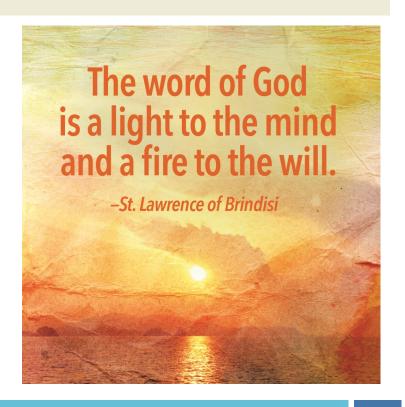
BEGAN APRIL 4 | \$25

Thursdays, 6 pm, Learning Center, James & John Apr. 18, 25, May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, June 6, 13 For more information, please contact John Pires at 439-1678. Registration forms for all classes will be available in the Gathering Area and the Parish Office. You can drop off your registration form and payment to the Parish Office.

WEDNESDAY SCRIPTURE STUDYWednesdays from 10-11 am in the Church

Join us after the 9am Mass for a time of reflection on the Sunday Gospel readings. What is he calling you to? How is God speaking to you? Where is he touching your heart? Come listen, reflect and share as we break open the Word.

Questions? Contact Theresa at 386-517-3739 or tmclean7@aol.com, OR Judy at 407-491-4982 or judyncih@yahoo.com



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OCTOBER 15 - 24, 2019

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Price is Per Person Based on Double Occupancy

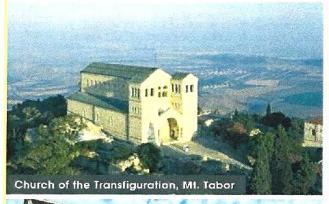


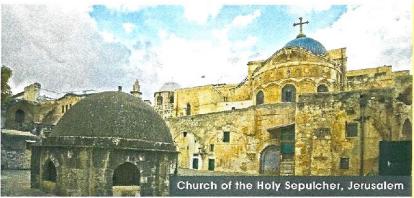
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GUIDE: SISTER MAGDALIT BOLDUC













PASSION PLAY & LIVING STATIONS

Inviting all families and their children!
Contact Kim Cazzaniga to sign up today!
kim@smdmcc.org or (386) 931-8710

April 14 3-6pm, Palm Sunday (Full Cast Run Through)

April 15 6–8:30pm, Dress Rehearsal

(5pm Costume Room opens...be in costumes and ready to go by 6 pm...on campus...start in Learning Center)

April 16 6-8pm, Main Characters only (in the church)

April 17 6:30pm, Passion Play (Arrive in Costume by 5pm)

April 21 6:30am Sunrise Easter Mass at Hershel King Park (1000 Grady Prather Jr. Cove, Palm Coast, FL 32137)



Passion Play

Wednesday, April 17, 6:30pm, Starting Outside





















First grade enjoyed a special visit from Mr. Tom and learned how this Saint Bernard shares his talents and works as a therapy dog!





Our 2019 5K was another HUGE SUCCESS!

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