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Resurrection of Jesus

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#### From the desk of Fr. Jose Panthaplamthottivil



# The Lord is Risen, Praise the Lord!

The great Hollywood producer Cecil B. DeMille (1881-1959) is best known for his 1956 film The Ten Commandments. He had earlier made a film under the same title in 1923. However, his most widely seen movie is *The King of Kings*, produced in 1927, about the life of Jesus. (Later, Nicholas Ray directed a movie about Jesus under the same title in 1961.)

Over 800 million people had the privilege to watch *The* King of Kings, produced by DeMille. With H. B. Warner

in the role of Jesus, DeMille gave us a classic view of Jesus as portrayed in the Gospels. After this movie was released, DeMille received thousands of letters from all over the world from people who truly enjoyed this great movie.

Of the many letters he received, the one he liked the most was from a woman dying of cancer. She wrote, "Thank you, thank you for The King of Kings. It has changed what is about to happen from a terror to a glorious

anticipation." Jesus Christ's promise of eternal life and his resurrection from the dead, as portrayed in the mov- he met them after his resurrection. ie, gave hope to this dying woman.

When she saw the resurrection of Jesus, she knew it was a guarantee of her own resurrection. That was why she lost her fear of death and looked forward to sharing in the glory of the Risen Lord.

To those who believe in Jesus, death is no longer something to be afraid of. On the contrary, it is something that we need to look forward to as it is a passageway for us to receive a share in the glory of Jesus. The suffering, death, and resurrection of Jesus have made a radical impact on our life and death. Because of the death and resurrection of Jesus, now we can also look forward to our death with glorious anticipation.

However, to receive a share in the glory of Jesus in heaven, we need to do his will as he did his heavenly Father's will while he was here on earth. In the Gospel of John, Jesus says, "I tell you the truth,

me has eternal life and will not be condemned: he has crossed over from death to life" (5:24). These words of Jesus remind us of the need to obey his teachings to receive the gift of eternal salvation. At the same time, they also remind us of the great promise of eternal life by Jesus.

In the same Gospel, Jesus also says, "I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in me though he will die, will have eternal life" (John 11:25).

> We believe in Jesus as we have accepted him as our Lord and Savior. It is because we believe in him that we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus on a grand scale every year. In fact, it is the most important feast in our liturgical calendar.

Every time Jesus appeared to his disciples after his resurrection, he always greeted them, saying, "Peace with you!" Jesus knew the most important thing they needed at that time was peace because they were con-

fused and scared, and that is what he gave them when

The most important thing the world needs today is peace. Since Jesus is the only one who can bring peace to this world, let us now turn to him and ask him to bless us and the whole world with peace. In the name of all the priests, deacons, and staff members of our church and school, I wish you a Happy Easter filled with peace and joy. May the Risen Lord bless us abundantly.

#### Funny story



**Confession:** Recently, a man in Amsterdam felt that he needed to confess, so went to his priest: "Forgive me, Father, for I have sinned. During WWII, I hid a refugee in my attic." "Well," answered the priest, "that's not a sin." "But I made him agree to pay me 20 Gulden for every week he stayed." "I admit that wasn't good, but you did it for a good cause." "Oh, thank you, Father; that eases my mind. I have one more question..." "What is that, my son?" "Do I have to tell him the war is over?"



# Desde el Escritorio del Pastor, Padre Jose Panthaplamthottiyil

# El Señor Ha Resucitado,¡Alabado Sea El Señor!

El gran productor de Hollywood Cecil B. DeMille (1881-1959) es mejor conocido por su película de 1956 *Los Diez Mandamientos*. Anteriormente había realizado una película con el mismo título en 1923. Sin embargo, su película más vista es *El Rey de Reyes*, producida en 1927, sobre la vida de Jesús. (Más tarde, Nicholas Ray dirigió una película sobre Jesús con el mismo título en 1961).

Más de 800 millones de personas tuvieron el privilegio de ver *El Rey de Reyes,* producido por DeMille. Con H. B. Warner en el papel de Jesús, DeMille nos dio una visión clásica de Jesús como se describe en los Evangelios. Después del estreno de esta película, DeMille recibió miles de cartas de todo el mundo de personas que realmente disfrutaron de esta gran película.

De las muchas cartas que recibió, la que más le gustó fue la de una mujer que se estaba muriendo de cáncer. Ella escribió: "Gracias, gracias por El Rey de Reyes. Ha cambiado lo que está a punto de suceder de un terror a una gloriosa anticipación". La promesa de Jesucristo de la vida eterna y su resurrección de entre los muertos, como se muestra en la película, dio esperanza a esta mujer moribunda.

Cuando vio la resurrección de Jesús, supo que era garantía de su propia resurrección. Por eso perdió el miedo a la muerte y anhelaba compartir la gloria del Señor Resucitado.

Para aquellos que creen en Jesús, la muerte ya no es algo a lo que temer. Por el contrario, es algo que debemos anhelar, ya que es un pasaje para que recibamos una parte de la gloria de Jesús. El sufrimiento, la muerte y la resurrección de Jesús han tenido un impacto radical en nuestra vida y muerte. Debido a la muerte y resurrección de Jesús, ahora también podemos esperar nuestra muerte con gloriosa anticipación.

Sin embargo, para recibir una parte de la gloria de Jesús en el cielo, necesitamos hacer su voluntad como él hizo la voluntad de su Padre celestial mientras estuvo aquí en la tierra.

En el Evangelio de Juan, Jesús dice: "De cierto os digo, el que oye mi palabra y cree en el que me envió, tiene vida

eterna y no será condenado; ha pasado de la muerte a la vida» (5,24). Estas palabras de Jesús nos recuerdan la necesidad de obedecer sus enseñanzas para recibir el don de la salvación eterna. Al mismo tiempo, también nos recuerdan la gran promesa de vida eterna por Jesús.

En el mismo Evangelio, Jesús también dice: "Yo soy la resurrección y la vida; el que cree en mí, aunque muera, tendrá la vida eterna" (Juan 11:25).

Creemos en Jesús porque lo hemos aceptado como nuestro Señor y Salvador. Es porque creemos en él que celebramos la resurrección de Jesús a gran escala cada año. De hecho, es la fiesta más importante de nuestro calendario Litúrgico.

Cada vez que Jesús se aparecía a sus discípulos después de su resurrección, siempre los saludaba diciendo: "¡Paz con vosotros!". Jesús sabía que lo más importante que necesitaban en ese momento era paz porque estaban confundidos y asustados, y eso es lo que les dio cuando los encontró después de su resurrección.

Lo más importante que el mundo necesita hoy es paz. Puesto que Jesús es el único que puede traer la paz a este mundo, volvámonos ahora a él y pidámosle que nos bendiga a nosotros y al mundo entero con la paz. En nombre de todos los sacerdotes, diáconos y miembros del personal de nuestra iglesia y escuela, les deseo una Feliz Pascua llena de paz y alegría. Que el Señor Resucitado nos bendiga abundantemente.

#### Historia Divertida



Confesión: Recientemente, un hombre en Ámsterdam sintió que necesitaba confesarse, así que fue a su sacerdote: "Perdóname, Padre, porque he pecado. Durante la Segunda Guerra Mundial, escondí a un refugiado en mi ático". "Bueno", respondió el sacerdote, "eso no es pecado". "Pero le hice aceptar pagarme 20 Florines por cada semana que se quedó". "Admito que no estuvo bien, pero lo hiciste por una buena causa". "Oh, gracias, Padre; eso me tranquiliza. Tengo una pregunta más..." "¿Qué es eso, hijo mío?" "¿Tengo que decirle que la guerra ha terminado?"







#### Do Escritório do Padre José Panthaplamthottivil



# O Senhor ressuscitou, Iouvado seja o Senhor!

O grande produtor de Hollywood Cecil B. DeMille (1881) condenado; passou da morte para a vida» (5, 24). Estas -1959) é mais conhecido pelo seu filme de 1956, *Os dez* Mandamentos. Ele já tinha feito um filme com o mesmo título em 1923. No entanto, o seu filme mais visto é *O Rei dos Reis*, produzido em 1927, sobre a vida de Jesus. (Mais tarde, Nicholas Ray dirigiu um filme sobre Jesus com o mesmo título em 1961.)

Mais de 800 milhões de pessoas tiveram o privilégio de ver O Rei dos Reis, produzido por DeMille. Com H. B. Warner no papel de Jesus, DeMille deu-nos uma visão clássica de Jesus como retratado nos Evangelhos. Depois deste filme ser lancado, DeMille recebeu milhares de cartas de todo o mundo de pessoas que realmente gostaram deste grande filme.

Das muitas cartas que recebeu, a que mais gostou foi a de uma mulher que morreu de cancro. Ela escreveu: "Obrigada, obrigada pelo Rei dos Reis. Mudou o que está prestes a acontecer de um terror para uma gloriosa antecipação." A promessa de Jesus Cristo de vida eterna e a sua ressurreição dos mortos, como retratado no filme, deu esperança a essa mulher moribunda.

Quando viu a ressurreição de Jesus, soube que era uma garantia da sua própria ressurreição. Foi por isso que perdeu o medo da morte e desejou participar na glória do Senhor Ressuscitado.

Para aqueles que crêem em Jesus, a morte não é mais algo a temer. Pelo contrário, é algo que precisamos esperar, pois é uma passagem para recebermos uma parte da glória de Jesus. O sofrimento, a morte e a ressurreição de Jesus tiveram um impacto radical na nossa vida e morte. Por causa da morte e ressurreição de Jesus, agora também podemos esperar a nossa morte com gloriosa expectativa.

No entanto, para receber uma participação na glória de Jesus no céu, precisamos fazer a Sua vontade como Ele fez a vontade do Seu Pai celestial enquanto Ele estava aqui na Terra. No Evangelho de João, Jesus diz: "Eu vos digo a verdade, todo aquele que ouve a minha palavra e crê naquele que me enviou, tem a vida eterna e não será

palavras de Jesus recordam-nos a necessidade de obedecer aos seus ensinamentos para receber o dom da salvação eterna. Ao mesmo tempo, recordam-nos também a grande promessa de vida eterna de Jesus.

No mesmo Evangelho, Jesus também diz: «Eu sou a ressurreição e a vida; aquele que crê em mim, embora morra, terá a vida eterna" (João 11:25). Cremos em Jesus como O aceitamos como nosso Senhor e Salvador. É porque cremos n'Ele que celebramos a ressurreição de Jesus em grande escala todos os anos. De facto, é a festa mais importante do nosso calendário litúrgico.

Cada vez que Jesus aparecia aos seus discípulos depois da sua ressurreição, sempre os saudava, dizendo: "Paz esteja convosco!" Jesus sabia que a coisa mais importante que eles precisavam naquela época era paz, porque estavam confusos e assustados, e foi isso que Ele lhes deu quando os encontrou após a sua ressurreição.

A coisa mais importante que o mundo precisa hoje é paz. Uma vez que Jesus é o único que pode trazer a paz a este mundo, dirijamo-nos agora a Ele e peçamos-Lhe que nos abençoe a nós e ao mundo inteiro com paz. Em nome de todos os sacerdotes, diáconos e funcionários da nossa igreja e escola, desejo-vos uma Feliz Páscoa cheia de paz e alegria. Que o Senhor Ressuscitado nos abençoe abundantemente.

#### Anedota



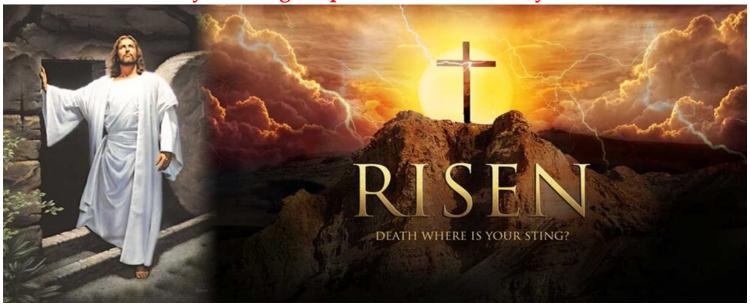
Confissão: Recentemente, um homem em Amsterdão quiz-se confessar, e foi ao seu padre: "Perdoe-me, Pai, porque eu pequei. Durante a Segunda Guerra Mundial, escondi um refugiado no meu sótão." "Bem", respondeu o padre, "isso não é pecado". "Más eu fiz com que ele concordasse em me pagar 20 Gulden por cada semana." "Admito que não foi bom, mas você fez isso por uma boa causa." "Oh, obrigado, Pai; isso tranquiliza-me. Tenho mais uma pergunta..." "O que é, meu filho?" "Acha que tenho que lhe dizer que a guerra acabou?"



recent visit by the Bishop to our school.



# Sunday Readings Explained - 196- Fr. Tony Kadavil



Easter Sunday: ACTS 10:34a, 37-43; Colossians 3:1-4; John 20: 1-9

# Our Call to be an Easter People

#### Introduction

most important feast in the Church. It marks the can't build a cathedral with opinions." birthday of our eternal hope. "Easter" literally means "the feast of fresh flowers." We celebrate it with pride to be the case of the control of the case of and jubilation for three reasons:

Christian Faith, for it proves that Jesus is God. That is will raise us up on the last day, but it is also true, in a why St. Paul writes: "If Christ has not been raised, then sense, that we have already risen with Christ. By virtue our preaching is in vain; and your Faith is in vain... And of the Holy Spirit, our Christian life is already a particiif Christ has not been raised, then your Faith is a pation in the death and Resurrection of Christ (CCC delusion and you are still lost in your sins... But in fact, #1002, #1003). Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep" (I Cor 15:14, 17, 20). In the words of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*: "The Resurrection of Jesus is the crowning truth of our Faith in Christ, a Faith believed and lived as the central truth by the first Christian community; handed on as fundamental by Tradition; established by documents of the New Testament; and preached as an essential part of the Paschal mystery along with the cross..." (CCC # 638).

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"), There is a story of two women who of the apostles. stood before Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris. One asked, "Why can't we build structures like this

anymore?" Her friend answered, "The people who built Significance of Easter: Easter is the greatest and the this had Faith. Today we have only opinions. And you

- 2. 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 1. The Resurrection of Christ is the basis of our Me will live even though he dies" (Jn 11:25-26). Christ
  - 3. 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 the gives meaning to our personal, as well as to our common prayers. Our trust in the all-pervading presence of the Risen Lord gives 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, Christ beside me, Christ within me, never to part."

Reasons why we believe in the Resurrection of Jesus: (a) Jesus himself testified to his Resurrection from the dead (Mark 8:31; Matthew 17:22; Luke 9:22). (b) The tomb was empty on Easter Sunday (Luke 24:3). Although the guards claimed (Matthew 28:13) that the disciples of Jesus had stolen the body, every sensible Jew knew that it was impossible for the terrified disciples of Jesus to steal the body of Jesus from a tomb guarded by a 16-member team of armed Roman soldiers. (c) The initial disbelief of Jesus' own disciples in his Resurrection, in spite of his repeated apparitions.

20:19) into men who were confident and bold witness- the Holy Spirit as he spoke and then were baptized. es of the Resurrection (Acts 2:24, 3:15, 4:2). (e) The Jews and the Romans could not disprove Jesus' Resur- In the second reading, St. Paul, bearing witness to his rection by presenting the dead body of Jesus.

f) The apostles and early Christians would not have faced martyrdom if they were not absolutely sure of Jesus' Resurrection. (g) The Apostle Paul's conversion from a persecutor of Christians into a zealous apostle, preaching the Good News of Jesus throughout much of the Gentile world supports the truth of Jesus' Resurrection (Galatians 1:11-17, Acts 9:1, Acts 9:24-25, Acts 26:15-18). (h) The sheer existence of a thriving, empire-conquering early Christian Church, bravely facing three centuries of persecution, supports the truth of the Resurrection claim. (i) The New Testament witnesses do not bear the stamp of dupes or deceivers.

The apostles and the early Christians were absolutely sure about the Resurrection of Jesus. (Check these articles for expert reasoning:1)http:// www.holyspiritinteractive.net/ columns/markshea/sheavings/

theresurrection.asp (By Mark Shea)2) https:// www.magiscenter.com/historical-evidence-of-jesusresurrection/3) http://apologeticspress.org/ apPubPage.aspx?pub=1&issue=583).

#### Gospel Reading, John 20:1-9

The Resurrection of Jesus had certain special features. First, Jesus prophesied it as a sign of His Divinity: "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up" (Jn 2:19). Second, the founder of no other religion has an empty tomb as Jesus has. We see the fulfilment of Christ's promise on the empty cross and in the empty tomb. The angel said to the women at Jesus' tomb: "Why are you looking among the dead for One Who is alive? He is not here but has risen" (Luke 24:5-6). The real proof, however, is not the empty tomb but the lives of believers filled with His Spirit today!

The third special feature is the initial disbelief of Jesus' own disciples in his Resurrection, in spite of his repeated apparitions. This serves as a strong proof of his Res- hearts.

This serves as a strong proof of his Resurrection. It ex- urrection. It explains why the apostles started preachplains why the apostles started preaching the resurrect- ing the Risen Christ only after receiving the anointing of ed Christ only after receiving the anointing of the Holy the Holy Spirit on the day of Pentecost. Proclamation Spirit on the day of Pentecost. (d) The transformation and witness-bearing are the main themes of today's of Jesus' disciples: The disciples of Jesus were almost readings. In the first reading, St. Peter shares his own immediately transformed from men who were hope- experience of Christ's Resurrection and its joy with the less and fearful after the crucifixion (Luke 24:21, John members of the pagan Cornelius' family who received

conversion experience and Faith in the risen Lord, re-

minds the *Colossians*, "you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God! When Christ your Life, appears, then you, too, will appear with Him in glory." Today's Gospel explains the emptytomb Resurrection experience of Mary Magdalene, Peter and John. Mary Magdalene proclaims her personal experience: "I have seen the Lord."

Life messages: 1. We are to be Resurrection people: Easter, feast the Resurrection, gives us the joyful message that are a "Resurrection people." This means that we are not supposed to lie buried in the tomb of our sins, evil habits, and dangerous

addictions. It gives us the Good News that no tomb can hold us down anymore - not the tomb of despair, discouragement, doubt or death itself. Instead, we are expected to live a joyful and peaceful life, constantly experiencing the real presence of the Risen Lord in all the events of our lives. "This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad" (Psalm 118:24).

2. We need to seek our peace and joy in the Risen Jesus. The living presence of the Risen Lord gives us lasting peace and celestial joy in the face of the boredom, suffering, pain, and tensions of our day-to-day life. "Peace be with you!" was Jesus' salutation to his disciples at all post-Resurrection appearances. For the true Christian, every day must be an Easter Day lived joyfully in the close company of the Risen Lord.

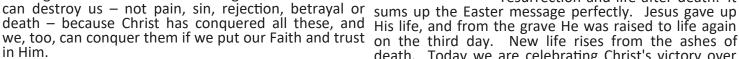
3. We are to be transparent Christians: We are called to be transparent Christians, showing others, through our lives of love, mercy, compassion and selfsacrificing service, that the Risen Jesus is living in our



Jesus: Our awareness of the all-pervading presence of think we want most are not granted to us. What we the Risen Lord in and around us, and the strong convic- get instead is an experience of God's new ways of tion of our own coming resurrection, help us *control* our thoughts, desires, words and behavior. This salu- Resurrection. When those moments come, we must tary thought inspires us to honor our bodies, keep- spread the news--just as Mary did: We have seen the ing them holy, pure and free from evil habits and addic- Lord! tions. Our conviction about the presence of the Risen Lord in our neighbors, and in all those with whom we Anecdote come into contact, should encourage us to respect them and to render them loving, humble and selfless service.

5. We need to remember Easter in our Good Fridays: Easter reminds us that every Good Friday in our lives

we display our love of others, we share in the Resurrection. Each time we face a betrayal of trust and with God's grace forgive the betrayer, we share in the Resurrection of Jesus. Each time we fail in our attempts to ward off temptations – but keep on trying to overcome them - we share in the Resurrection. Each time we continue to hope even when our hope seems unanswered – we share in the power of Jesus' Resurrection. In short, the message of Easter is that nothing



6. We are to be bearers of the Good News of **Resurrection power**. Resurrection is Good News, but at the same time, it's sometimes painful because it involves death. Before the power of the Resurrection can take hold in our own lives, we're called to die to sin, to die to self. We may even have to die to our own dreams, so that God can do what He wants to do with our lives. Resurrection is about seeing our world in a new way. Early that Easter morning, Mary did not find what she was looking for, the dead body of Jesus. But chronic sadness, but his Faith in the Risen Lord opened she found something better than she could have his eyes to new visions of life.

**4. We need to live new, disciplined lives in the Risen** imagined: The Risen Jesus. Sometimes, the things we working in the world. That's the power of the

The Phoenix: The late Catholic Archbishop of Hartford, John Whealon, (d. August 2, 1991)., had undergone cancer surgery resulting in a permanent colostomy when he wrote these very personal words in one of his last Easter messages: "I am now a member of an association of people who have been wounded by canwill have an Easter Sunday, and that Jesus will let us cer. That association has as its symbol the phoenix, a share the power of his Resurrection. Each time bird of Egyptian mythology. The Greek poet Hesiod,

who lived eight centuries before Jesus was born, wrote about this legendary bird in his poetry. When the bird felt its death was near (every 500 to 1,461 years), it would fly off to Phoenicia, build a nest of aromatic wood and set itself on fire.

When the bird was consumed by the flames, a new phoenix sprang forth from the ashes. Thus, the phoenix symbolizes immortality, resurrection and life after death. It

sums up the Easter message perfectly. Jesus gave up His life, and from the grave He was raised to life again death. Today we are celebrating Christ's victory over the grave, the gift of eternal life for all who believe in Jesus. That is why the phoenix was one of the earliest symbols of the Risen Christ. The phoenix also symbolizes our daily rising to new life. Every day, like the phoenix, we rise from the ashes of sin and guilt and are refreshed and renewed by our living Lord and Savior with His forgiveness and the assurance that He still loves us and will continue to give us the strength we need." Archbishop John Whealon could have lived in a gloomy tomb of self-pity, hopeless defeat, and



# Stewardship Reflections

The great feast of Easter has begun, Christian stewards. Let us rejoice and be glad! Just as we embraced the discipline and fasting of Lent, let us fully embrace the joy and feasting that the next 50 days offer. We are called to be good stewards of the Easter season. Our first reading, from Acts, gives instruction on how to do this. Here, St. Peter says that our Lord, "commissioned us to preach to the people and testify that he is the one appointed by God as judge of the living and the dead... that everyone who believes in him will receive forgiveness of sins through his name."

How do we ordinary people preach and testify to all God has done? We do so through how we live our or-

dinary lives — through the intentional use of our time, talent, and treasure for the kingdom of God. Putting God and others ahead of ourselves in every aspect of our lives is the most eloquent preaching we can do. Boldly and joyfully embracing a stewardship way of life is our most powerful testimony. As Christian stewards, we are the modern-day witnesses of an incredible miracle prompted by unfathomable love — the death and Resurrection of our Savior for us.

Let us rejoice and be glad and let's make sure our lives are a testimony to this amazing grace!

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# Plantation Bay Golf and Country Club

# **Divine Mercy Novena**

The Divine Mercy Novena will begin on Good Friday: The Lord told St Faustina "These nine days of prayer before Divine Mercy Sunday are like the nine days of prayer in the upper room before the day of Pentecost. I desire that you bring souls to the fountain of My mercy, that they may draw therefrom strength and refreshment and whatever grace they may need in the hardship of life and especially at the hour of death". Offer these intentions listed for each day when saying the Divine Mercy chaplet:

Good Friday – Today bring Me all mankind, especially sinners, and immerse them in the ocean of My mercy. Day 2- Today bring Me the souls of priests and religious and immerse the in My unfathomable mercy. Day 3-Today bring me all devout and faithful souls, and immerse them in the ocean of My mercy. Day 4- Today bring Me the souls who do not believe in God and those who are yet to know Me. Day 5- Today bring Me the souls who have separated themselves from the Church. Day 6- Today bring Me the souls of the meek and the Humble and the souls of the little children and immerce the in My mercy. Day The meek and the Humble and the souls of the little children and immerse the in My mercy. Day 7- Today bring to me the souls of those who especially venerate and glorify My Mercy and immerse them in my mercy. Day 8- Today bring Me the souls who are detained in purgatory and immerse them in the abyss of My mercy. Day 9-Today bring me souls who have become lukewarm and immerse them in the abyss of My mercy.

#### Be Merciful even as Your Father is Merciful:

Be Merciful even as Your Father is Merciful:
Jesus Christ taught that man not only receives
and experiences the mercy of God, but that he is
also called to practice mercy towards others.
"Blessed are the merciful for they shall obtain
mercy" Mathew 5:7 Our Lords words to St
Faustina "If a soul does not exercise mercy
somehow or other, it will not obtain my mercy
on the day of Judgement. Oh, if only souls knew
how to gather eternal treasure for themselves,
they would not be judged, for they would forestall My judgement with their mercy" (#1317)

Spiritual Works of Mercy: Admonish sinners, Instruct the uninformed, Counsel the doubtful, Comfort the sorrowful, Bear wrongs patiently, Forgive Offenses, Pray for the living and the dead

Corporal Works of Mercy: Feed the hungry, Give drink to the thirsty, Clothe the naked, Shel-ter the homeless, Visit the sick, Bury the dead, Comfort the imprisoned

# **Divine Mercy Sunday**

Sunday, April 16, 2023 Time: 2:00 p.m./Place: Church Schedule is as follows:

2:00 Divine Mercy reflection/Blessing of the Image/Popes Intention2:30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament3:00 Divine Mercy Chaplet3:30 Veneration of The Divine Mercy Image



# **SEAS School News**







**Science at SEAS** 







☐ Live Entertainment



Please contact the parish office if you have changed your phone number or address (especially if you have changed from a landline to a cell phone) to update your info in our files. It is important to have current information on file in the event of an emergency. Thank you.

# Tickets Are Available for Eucharistic Revival Pilgrimage 2024

The Eucharistic Revival Committee purchased the maximum number of group tickets we were able to purchase before Christmas. We are working with a travel agent to put together packages for the pilgrimage to Indianapolis in July 2024. We just received information on our hotel block. We will have the package ready shortly with costs and other information. A JotForm registration will be available and pilgrimage packages will be offered on a first-come, first-served method.



This ministry is open to all people outside the parish, so please invite your family and friends.

To follow on Social Media or for more info, visit the SEAS website. at seaspcfl.org/community-

# Bible Study on St. Paul's Letter to the Ephesians



The adventure continues...The Great Adventure Bible Study continues with the book of Revelation. Join us for a 11 week session on the book of Revelation The Kingdom Yet to Come. After 830AM Mass most Saturday Mornings in the Rectory Meeting Room.

# **Listening for God**

The 'Listening for God' Ministry will be on the first Friday of the month from 7pm –8pm in the Rectory Meeting Room. For more info call the rec-

# Cursillo-Ultreya

Please join us on Wednesday, April 19, 6:30 in the Russo Room for Ultreya. Please bring a covered dish to share! Join us for a night of witness song and fellowship! Aprop



witness, song and fellowship! Anyone interested in making a Cursillo weekend is encouraged to attend our meeting!

#### **SEAS Black Catholic Members**

This is just a reminder that our April General Meeting has been rescheduled for **Tuesday, April 18th** at 1pm in Seton Hall. Bring a friend and come a little early to enjoy refreshments and fellowship time. All are welcome.

### **Tortugas Baseball and BBQ**

Jackie Robinson Stadium on Thursday May 11

Game starts at 6:35pm

All you care to eat BBQ from 5:30pm to 7:00pm



Hot dogs, hamburgers, pulled pork, chicken, baked beans, potato salad, peanuts, water, ice tea and Pepsi at the covered 'Bull Pen' overlooking the 1st base line.

Tickets are \$30 per person.

(Includes BBQ and a reserved seat behind home plate)
Parking can be purchase at the park \$5 per car.
Men's Club will be selling tickets after all masses
April 16, 23 and 30

Contact Chris Daley (512)567-7763 for more info.

#### **Jazz Concert**

The SEAS Black Catholic Guild presents "An Evening of Jazz" with the "UNF Jazz Combo" on Saturday, May 6, 2023, from 7pm-9pm in Seton Hall. Tickets are \$25 and are now available in the Rectory Office. Tickets will also be available for purchase after all the weekend Masses from April 15<sup>th</sup> to April 30<sup>th</sup>. For more information, please call Frank (386) 313-2892 or Made-

#### **Secular Franciscans**

The Secular Franciscans meet monthly on the first Saturday of the month at 9:30 in the Cody Room.

# **Knights of Columbus Auxiliary**

The Knights of Columbus Auxiliary meets the third Thursday of the month at 11.00 a.m. in the rectory meeting room. Come join us and be a part of this organization of the Knights of Columbus, which does so much for our parish.

# Ladies Guild BAZAAR is Coming Saturday, April 23rd from 8 to 5 PM

Ladies Guild will be collecting gently used home decor, linens, small appliances, jewelry, puzzles, glassware, lamps, books, CD's, arts and crafts, purses and sporting goods for our annual Bazaar.

Our collection dates are on Thursday April 13th and 20th from 3 to 5 PM in Seton Hall.

Vendors will also be available as well as chances to win prizes. Refreshments will be available as well as bake sale items to take home.

Look forward to your participation and donations. Come and have FUN

#### Our Lady of Fatima **Portuguese Committee**

Meetings are at 7:00pm on Wednesdays in the Rectory Meeting Room.

# All are Welcome to Kerygma Meeting

The Kerygma Group meets at 6 pm in the Church on the first Tuesday of every month. The session begins with praise and worship music, followed by a talk on a spiritual topic. The meeting ends after discussions and more praise and worship music. All are welcome to join. For more information, contact: Deacon Mike McKenna, deaconmike430@gmail.com

### Seasons of Hope

For those who have lost a loved one, the Grief Support Group meets on Mondays at 6:00pm and Wednesdays at 10:00am in the Rectory Meeting Room. To sign up please call (386) 445 -2246 or contact Healthministry@seaspcfl.org



# **Sunday Scripture Prayer Group**

You are invited to join a group of parishioners on Fridays at 1pm to prepare for Mass on Sunday. We read scripture, share & pray together in the

Rectory Meeting Room. For information call Pat at 445-2246

### Cursillo-Ultreya

Meetings are on the second Wednesday of each month at 6:30pm in the Russo Room.

#### St. Joseph & Sorrowful Mother **Rosary Makers Ministry**

We have resumed our weekly meeting in the Rectory Meeting Room on Mondays at 9:30 am.

View this bulletin online at www.DiscoverMass.com



### **Rosary Cenacles**

The Rosary Cenacles is in response to Our Lady's call which was made known in her message to Fr. Stefano Gobbi. We pray for the Holy Father and his intentions, for priests, to end abortion and for world peace. We say fifteen decades of the rosary. All are welcome to attend weekly meetings on Wednesday's at 1:00pm.

For more information call Marie Estabrook 386 447-0847

# **Legion of Mary**

The Legion is a lay apostolic organization that meets every Tuesday at 9:30am in the Rectory Meeting Room.



### **Charismatic Prayer Group**

Please join us on Thursdays at 1:30pm in the Russo Room

# **Mother Seton Rolling Library**

The aim of this library is to spread the word of our faith via Catholic books. The cart is available in the Gathering Space after all weekend masses. These books are free. Monetary donations are graciously accepted and will be used for our school scholarship program. New/gently used Catholic books/bibles man be donated at the cart or rectory. Meetings are on Fridays at 10:00am in the Rectory Meeting Room.

# **Caregiver Support Group**

Support groups create a safe, confidential, supportive environment for participates to develop informal mutual support and social relationships as they deal with a loved one suffering from Alzheimer's/Dementia. We meet the 2nd & 4th Monday at 3:30pm in the Rectory Meeting Room.

# **Padre Pio Prayer Group**

Our St. Padre Pio Prayer Group will meet every Second Friday of the month at 9:30 am until 10:30 am. in the Russo. Please join us. All are welcome!



# Diocese of St. Augustine- How to Report Abuse

ATTENTION: The Diocese of St. Augustine treats all allega-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 the police or the Department of Children and Families at (800) 962-2873. Or call the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (904) 208-6979 or email inquiries@dosafl.com. To report abuse by a bishop, call (800) 276-1562 or visit www.reportbishopabuse.org.

ATENÇÃO: A Diocese de St. Augustine toma muito sériamente todas as alegações de má conduta sexual e resolve todas as alegações de forma rápida, confidencial e completa. Para dealegações de forma rapida, confidencial e completa. Fara de-nunciar abuso(s), ligue para a polícia ou para o Department of Children and Families pelo (800)962-2873. Ou ligue para o Di-ocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator pelo (904)208-6979 ou por e-mail inquiries @dosafl.com . Para denunciar abusos co-metidos por um bispo ligue para (800)276-1562 ou visite a web-site www.reportbishopabuse.org.

ATENCION: La Diócesis de San Agustín trata seriamente todas las acusaciones de conducta sexual inapropiada, de manera rápida, confidencial y minuciosa. Para reportar Abuso, llame a la policía o al Departamento de Niños y Familias al (904) 962-2873. O llame al Coordinador Diocesano de Asistencia a Víctimas (904) 208-6979 o envíe un correo electrónico a inquiries@dosafl.com. Para denunciar abuso por parte de un obispo, llame al (800) 276-1562 oviwww.reportbishopabuse.org

PAUNAWA: Ipinagbibigay alam na lubos na pinahahalagahan ng Diyosesis ng San Agustin ang mga paratang sa anumang uri ng abusong sekswal, at agad na masusing sinusuri ang anumang alegasyon habang pinananatiling kumpidensyal. Kung meron kayong nalalamang alegasyon tumawag agad sa Pulisya o kaya ay sa Department of Children and Families (800) 962-2873. O tawagan ang Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator sa (904) 208 -6979 o kaya ay mag-email sa inquiries@dosafl.com. Kung ang irereport nyo naman ay isang Obispo, tumawag sa (800) 276-1562 o kaya ay tumungo sa www.reportbishopabuse.org



Monday, April 10

7:00am John & Julia B. McVarish

8:30am Zunilda Fuentes

Tuesday, April 11

7:00am Elizabeth R. Adinaro 8:30am **Dorothy McNicholas** 

Wednesday, April 12

7:00am Robert Francis Alberton

8:30am Ana Becerro

Thursday, April 13

7:00am James Weinert 8:30am Intentions of

Ciara Nicole deLeon

Friday, April 14

7:00am John Rapick Jr.

8:30am Billy & George Ramos

Saturday, April 15

51st anniversary intentions of 8:30am

David & Emma Kintanar

4:00pm Margaret & Joseph Kolasa

6:00pm\* Dorceus family 6:00pm(P) Girolamo Pugliesi

Sunday, April 16

8:00am Fernando Fiorentino 10:00am **SEAS Parishioners** 12:00pm **Christos Zoas** 5:00pm(S) James B. Mcallen

5:00pm\* Peggy Fiore

\* St. Stephens



# Prayer Garden

Our Prayer Garden is a peaceful place for prayer and meditation. Purchasing a brick in the Prayer Garden for someone who has died is a wonderful way to remember that the person is still with you in thoughts and through prayer. The purchase of a brick is \$100.00; please consider honoring a loved one. Contact the Rectory Office for more details.

# In Memoriam

We remember all our departed brothers and sisters with love and gratitude.

Phyllis E. Rotunno

March 22, 1929 -March 23, 2023

Eternal rest, grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.



donated this week

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Eileen Byrnes in memory

of **Donald Byrnes** 



#### Readings for the Week of April 9

Sunday The Resurrection of the Lord

Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10 or Lk 24:13-35

Monday Monday in the Octave of

Easter

Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Mt 28:8-

15

Tuesday in the Octave of Tuesday

Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 & 22; Jn 20:11-18 Wednesday in the Octave

Wednesday

of Easter

Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6 -7, 8-9; Lk 24:13-35 Thursday in the Octave of

**Thursday** 

Easter Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab and 5,

6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:35-48 Friday in the Octave of

Easter

Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a; Jn 21:1-14 Saturday Saturday in the Octave of

**Easter** 

Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1 & 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21; Mk 16:9-

Divine Mercy Sunday Acts 2:42-47; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 Pt 1:3-9; Jn 20:19-Sunday

The Rectory office will be closed on Good Friday and Easter Monday. Have a blessed Easter.

### No Borders For Hope

Drive-Through **Mobile Pantry** FREE FOOD

When: Saturday, April 15 Time: 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Where: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church

#### The Auxiliary of the **Knights of** Columbus

**Friday** 

is selling tickets for the raffle of a large Easter basket.

Tickets are \$5.00 each and are available after the weekend masses in the gathering place. April 17 5:00pm Seton Hall



There will be NO **Coffee/Donuts** on Easter Sunday

# Mark Your Calendar



April 15, 2023, 9 am **Health Ministry Fair** April 23, 2023, 2 pm: **First Holy Communion** 

May 13, 2023, 6 pm:

Marian Gala to honor mothers at Plantation Bay **Country Club** 

May 14, 2023, 6.30 pm:

**Concert by Marty Rotella in Seton Hall** 

October 20-22, 2023 **SEAS Community Fall Festival** 



#### **Ten Candles Burning in the Holy of Holies**

April 8-April 14

#### **IN MEMORY OF:**

Jim & Roseann Bradley; Joseph Szerbinski; Vincent Positano; David Jose Tavares; Gloria Calobrisi; Lauren Anderson; Robert Inciarrano

#### **FOR INTENTIONS OF:**

Paul Tavares; Amina Painson; Lara Family

In our Holy of Holies, we have ten candles always burning around the tabernacle, just as in the temple in Jerusalem there were ten lights always burning around the Ark of the Covenant. They indicate the presence of our precious Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

The candles used are seven day candles and may be purchased either in memoriam or for the intentions of a loved one for a \$10 donation through the Seton Shop. This space lists the names of those for whom candles have been purchased.

# **Please Pray for Our Military**

Although we pray for all of our military, space does not permit everyone's name to be printed.

Please advise when a person below is no longer deployed so we can remove their name from our list. Please contact the parish office if you wish to have the name of someone listed for 4 weeks. As a courtesy please notify the office when the name can be removed or if you wish to have the name continued. Be sure to get the person's permission first! God bless them all & continue to pray for them!

> Charles Salerno TSgt (US Air Force/Germany) CPT. Brendan Leonard (US Army) Stephen Hayes (US Air Force/Iraq) Kevin Daley (US Navy) LCP Dylan Vanore. USMC

Very early in the morning after the Sabbath, Mary Magdalene went to the tomb to anoint Jesus' body with precious oils. The reward of this good and conscientious steward was to be among the first to know that Jesus had been raised from the dead! Alleluia!



# **Please Pray for Our Sick**

Aquilda Bleakley Anna Maria King Ariana Marcette Ashley Cooper Beatriz Quintero Bill Lippa Bryanna Carmen Theiling Cash Krempecki Charlie Salerno Charles McCloskey Charles Piligian **Charles Scott** Christine Salerno Cynthia Blake David Leonard Deanna Cardillo Derek Patrick Freeman Doug Drohan Earl Ruddy Elizabeth Cretella Fran L. Thong Gary Martin George Bley Hank Theiling Henry Gardner Jake Romaine Janine Kerry Jennifer Cabral Jim Popour Joan Carter John Frangipane John Kortas John Medeiros John Relgan John Sandor Jonathan Schofield Joseph Robert Keating Joseph Vacellaro Judy Vershave Karen Murphy Kathleen Theiling

**Kevin Higgins** Larry DeCamillo Linda Colantuono Lisa Robak Liza Mulcahy Lori Flanagan Loretta Holmes Louis Lubin Madison Hope DeVane Maria Barros Maria Lebone Maria Stewart Marie Bernadette Lamarre Marie Berry Marilyn Betau Mary Callaghan Mary Dineen Mary Doris Kolesar Máry Jane Wahw Mason Brian DeVane Michell Pinto Mina Bico Myrtha Darboux Nancy Wright Nathaniel Burgess Nivia Sandoval Pat Meenan Patricia Derrig Paul Masi Phil Gainey Renee Verostek Richard Heinrich Rita Morris **Robert Storme** Roger Reid Ruby Strickland Stan Dunayer Tara Handsman Teresa Kinert Theodore Simmons **Thomas Hemstreet** 



Please contact the parish office if you wish to have the name of someone listed for 4 weeks.



Timothy O'Connell

As a courtesy please notify the office when the name can be removed or if you wish to have the name continued.

Be sure to get the persons permission first!

#### Mass on TV for the Homebound

https://www.ewtn.com/tv/schedule Sunday Mass-8:00am



DIRECTV—Channel: 370/DISH—Channel 261
SPECTRUM— Channel 169/ATT U-Verse Channel 562
SIRIUS Radio—Channel 130 /XM/SPECTRUM—Channel 20

# **Health Ministry**

The Health Ministry has resumed monthly meetings at 9:30 AM on Tuesdays in the Cody Room. We will be working on planning our Health Fair for April 2023. Anyone interested in joining us is welcome to attend. Please call Louise Kummer for more info at 386-235-5310

#### Secular Franciscans

The Secular Franciscans meet monthly on the first Saturday of the month at 9:30 in the Cody Room. If you are interested in learning more about the Secular Franciscans, please join us. Please call Pam Cowles 386-523-7152 for more information.



The Lord Has Risen. He has conquered Death.

As the Easter Season begins, it is a perfect time to reflect on how awesome and precious LIFE is. As Easter People we are renewed and alert to any opportunities to show respect for life. Not sure what to do or pray for: please stop by the Respect Life table at the SEAS Health Fair, Saturday, April 15 between 9 and 3 in Seton Hall. Besides information on local pregnancy centers, post-abortion healing, church teaching on assisted suicide, human trafficking, end of life directives, Florida legislative priorities, the annual SEAS Respect Life Committee activities, Alpha Prayer Warrior applications and Choose Life license plate information, there will also be FREE magnets, bumper stickers, bookmarks, 12 week fetal models, baby feet pins and balloons. Members will be present to answer guestions and just LISTEN to your opinions and concerns. With knowledge, we can make more informed decisions.

#### \*\*\*Important Date\*\*\*

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat - post-abortion healing call 904-221-3232 or e-mail rachelsvine-yardjax@yahoo.com -- April 14 - 16, 2023

#### **Contact Information**

Pregnancy Help Line - 800-848-LOVE(5683) National - all services Free

Alpha Women's Center - Palm Coast - 386-586-0210 St. Gerard's Campus - St. Augustine - 904-829-5516 Human Trafficking Hotline - 888-373-7888

Project Rachel - post-abortion healing counseling - 904 -923-9203

Florida Legislative activity - flaccb.org

SEAS Respect Life Coordinator - Priscilla Positano 352-

### 2023 Florida Eucharistic Congress, Jun. 9-10

Save the date for the events happening on Jun. 9 at Queen of Peach Catholic Church, 10900 SW 24 th Ave., Gainesville and Jun. 10 at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 11757 Old St. Augustine Rd., Jacksonville. There will be English/Spanish tracks, Young Adult track (Jacksonville) and speakers include Bishop Erik Pohlmeier, Bishop Emeritus Felipe Estévez, Father Rafael Capó and Paulist Father Steven Bell. Contact Erin McGeever at emcgeever@dosafl.com or go to https://tinyurl.com/vs6xu9ax for scheduled event times.

# Daily Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed on the altar for adoration after all the weekday Masses at 8.30 am till 10 am. Kindly join us and adore the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

#### **Eucharistic Adoration Hours**

The hours of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament are from 9 am to 9 pm, seven days a week.

The Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Fridays also are from 9 am to 9 pm. The Blessed Sacrament is also exposed on the altar for adoration on other weekdays after the 8.30 am Mass till 10 am.



Please remember that if the Holy of Holies is filled you are encouraged to pray in the main worship area of the church.

We are asking that you contact Gilda Sadio, (386 225–7261 or gilda.sadio@yahoo.com) our Adoration Facilitator, and select ONE hour which you will commit to. There's no limit to how many parishioners can be present every hour since it's in the Church not the Holy of Holies, we just want to be sure that there's at least one or two persons who will be present every hour.

Anyone interested in spending time with Our Lord in Adoration should call Gilda Sadio-Kow at 386-225-7261 for availability and information.

# **Saturday Group Adoration**

All are invited to join the Group Eucharistic Adoration led by one of the deacons on Saturdays at 9:15 am. Adoration booklets will be available. For more information, contact Marilou Mallada at 609-468-1477.



# Las Reunionés del Comité Hispano

son el último martes del mes a las 6:30pm en el Cody Room adjunto al salón social. Éste comité sirve para hablar todos asuntos de la comunidad hispana de la parroquia. Todos son invitados. Para más información llamen a Marina Medina, 386-445-2200.

# Noches de Formación de Fe para Adultos

son cada miércoles a las 6:30pm en el Rectory Meeting Room en el edificio de la Oficina Parroquial. El propósito de estos seminarios son para ampliar y profundizar nuestro conocimiento y experiencia de la Fe. Incluyen series en estudio bíblico, teología y misión. Todos son invitados. Para más información llamen a Marina Medina, 386-445-2200 o al Padre Rob Trujillo, 386-445-2246 ext. 105.

#### **Sacraments**

#### **Baptism**

Every First and Third Sunday of the month after Noon Mass. One preparation class is required. Classes are offered every second Monday of the month at 7 pm in the Rectory Meeting Room. Please contact the Rectory office in advance.

#### **Holy Matrimony**

Please contact the Rectory office at least 8 months prior to wedding.

#### **Anointing of the Sick**

If you or your loved one is in need of the Sacrament of Anointing please call the Rectory office. We also have dedicated Eucharistic Ministers to bring Holy Communion to the sick and the homebound.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 2:45-3:45pm, Sunday 30 minutes before Mass, & by appt.

#### **Devotions**

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

6 am to 9 pm every day except during the time of Mass. Exposition and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 9 am on Fridays till 9 pm.

#### Rosary

8 am on weekdays; 4:30pm on Sundays (Spanish)

Miraculous Medal Novena

After 8.30 am Mass every Tuesday.

Novena to St. Joseph

After 8:30am Mass for the Year of St. Joseph

# **Religious Education**

#### Parish Religious Education Program (PREP)

Classes for Grades 1-8 on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 6.15 pm to 7.30 pm. For more information, please contact the Director of Religious Education at the Rectory office (386-445-2246; extension 112)

#### Children's Catechism Classes

All children from 1st through 8th grade who are not attending Catholic school should be attending PREP classes. Children preparing for the Sacrament of the Eucharist or Confirmation need to attend a two-year catechetical program.

#### First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion

Children preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Sacrament of the Eucharist need to attend a two-year catechetical program which includes six Sunday classes of Sacramental preparation prior to each Sacrament.

#### **Confirmation Formation**

Children preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation need to attend a two-year catechetical program which includes three Sunday classes of Sacramental preparation and the annual Confirmation retreat.

For more information about Catechism, First Holy Communion or Confirmation, please contact Katie Allio at 386-445-2246 extension 112.

#### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Please call the Director of Christian Formation at the Rectory office if any non-Catholic is interested in joining the Catholic Church (386-445-2246; extension 112). Classes will begin in October.

# Holy Orders and Religious Life

If you believe that you or someone you know has a vocation to the priesthood or religious life, please contact Fr. Jared DeLeo at frjared@saccfl.org

Travel with Deacon Edward Wolff, of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Palm Coast, Florida on our Pilgrimage to Italy Regular with Fr. Arul.

Where: Rome, Assisi, Tuscany, Florence, Venice Trip Dates: Jul 22-30, 2023 Cost: \$4,299.00 Airfare and ALL-Included.

To register, please contact (855) 842-8001 or (508) 340-9370. You can also register online proximotravel. com.

This trip is not sponsored by nor associated with St. Elizabeth Ann Seton or the Diocese of St. Augustine. Neither the Parish nor the Diocese makes representations or guarantees concerning this trip.

# Homebound and Living Alone?

Do you have a friend or a family member who is a parishioner, homebound, and living alone? If you think they would like to get a phone call from a member of our parish, please give us a call, and we will make arrangements to have someone CALL them.

#### Cenáculo La Llama de Amor del Inmaculado Corazón de María"

Cuando: Martes Hora: 7:00pm
En persona Salon Ruso Plataforma Zoom: Zoom.us
(Bajar Zoom en las aplicaciones) Meeting ID:
2239918037 clave: lallama Preguntas:
Alba Dimas, 939-332-5615
Norma Maisonet, 917-834-6181
email: flameoflovepcfl@gmail.com



### Seton Shop Hours

#### **OPEN**

Tues/Thurs after 8:30am Mass, Saturdays after 4:00pm Mass Sundays after ALL Masses

#### CLOSED Mon/Wed/Fri

The Seton Shop is offering First Holy Communion items for boys and girls, with a variety of choices, veils, ties, missals, jewelry, rosaries, etc.

Stop by and see what we have.

See you in the shop!



597-3359 Open Mon, Wed, Fri 10am - 1pm



Poor Box Donations

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Thank you for your continued support!

Food donations may be dropped off in the large boxes by the exit doors of the church.

#### This Week In Our Parish

#### **SUNDAY, April 9**

1:30pm Easter Egg Hunt— Church Grounds

#### MONDAY, April 10

Exposition & Adoration after 8:30am Mass

until 10:00am-Church

9:00am Rosary Makers-Rectory Meeting Room

Alzheimer's Caregivers Support Group—Rectory Meeting Room Seasons of Hope/Grief Support Group-Rectory Meeting Room 3:30pm 6:00pm

Baptism Class—Rectory Meeting Room 7:00pm

#### **TUESDAY, April 11**

9:00am Exposition & Adoration after 8:30am Mass until 10:00am-Church

9:00am Legion of Mary Meeting-Rectory Meeting Room

10:00am Ladies Guild Arts/Crafts—Russo Room

Spanish Choir Practice—Church 5:00pm

6:00pm Portuguese Rosary Society-Rectory Meeting Room

Mens Club General Meeting—Men's Club 6:00pm Cenaculo La llama de Amor-Russo Room 7:00pm

#### WEDNESDAY, April 12

Exposition & Adoration after 8:30am Mass until 10:00am-Church 9:00am

10:00am Seasons of Hope/Grief Support Group- Rectory Meeting Room

1:00pm Rosary Cenacle—Rectory Meeting Room

5:00pm Spiritual Life Committee Meeting—Cody Room

Cursillo Group Ultreya Meeting—Russo Room 6:30pm 7:00pm Portuguese Prayer Group—Cody Room

THURSDAY, April 13

Exposition & Adoration after 8:30am Mass until 10:00am-Church 9:00am

Ladies Guild Meeting—Seton Hall 9:15am

Cancer Support Meeting—Rectory Meeting Room 9:30am

Charismatic Prayer Group—Russo Room 1:30pm 7:15pm Divine Mercy Cenacle (Spanish)—Cody Room

#### FRIDAY, April 14

9:00am Exposition & Adoration after 8:30am Mass until 10:00am-Church

9:30am Padre Pio Prayer Group—Cody Room

1:00pm Sunday Scripture Prayer Group—Rectory Meeting Room

#### **SATURDAY, April 15**

Exposition & Adoration after 8:30am Mass until 10:00am-Church 9:00am

9:00am Adoration Prayer Group—Church

9:00am Health Fair- Seton Hall

9:30am Great American Bible Study—Rectory Meeting Room

#### **SUNDAY, April 16**

9:00am Coffee & Donuts—Seton Hall

11:00am SEAS Youth Group Summit—Cody Room

2:00pm Divine Mercy—Church

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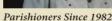


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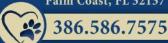
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