



ST. JOSEPH
Catholic Church

Bringing the light of Christ to the people of Mandarin

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Main Church | 11757 Old St. Augustine Rd, 32258

Historic Church | 4124 Loretto Rd, 32223

904-268-5422

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DECEMBER 31 – FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

THE LORD'S DAY

Mass in English

SAT VIGIL (Main Church)

5:30 pm

SUN (Main Church)

8:00 am – Rosary at 7:30 am

10:00 am – Children's Liturgy of the Word

12:00 noon

5:00 pm – Youth Mass

Mass in Polish

2ND & 4TH SAT (Cody Center Chapel)

5:00 pm

Mass in Portuguese

SUN (Main Church)

6:30 pm

Mass in Spanish

SUN (Historic Church)

9:00 am & 10:30 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mass in English

MON, TUE, THU - SAT (Historic Church)

8:00 am

MON - FRI (Historic Church)

12:00 noon

WED (Main Church)

9:00 am

TUE & THU (Historic Church)

6:00 pm – Vespers at 5:40 pm

1st FRI (Cody Chapel)

7:00 pm – Vespers at 6:40; Mass followed by nocturnal adoration

Mass in Spanish

WED (Historic Church)

7:00 pm

2ND FRI (Cody Chapel)

7:00 pm – Followed by nocturnal adoration

Please note: Low-gluten hosts are available at each Mass in the Celebrant's line upon request.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Cody Center Chapel

MON - THU

9:00 am - 9:00 pm

FRI

9:00 am - 6:30 pm

1st FRI

7:30 pm Fri - 7:15 am Sat

2ND FRI

7:30 pm Fri - 7:15 am Sat

LAST FRI (Adoration for Vocations)

7:00 - 8:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

In English

SAT (Marian Center)

4:30 - 5:30 pm

MON, TUE, THU-SAT (Historic Church)

7:30 - 7:55 am

In Spanish

SUN (Historic Church)

20 minutes before each Mass

WED (Historic Church)

6:30 - 7:00 pm

Confessions are also available by appointment – 268-5422



TODAY'S READINGS: Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14 | Psalms 128:1-2, 3, 4-5. | Colossians 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 | Luke 2:22-40

“Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.”

– Psalms 128

Clergy & Administration

CLERGY

Priests

Pastor | Fr. David Ruchinski | frdavid@stjosephsjax.org

Parochial Vicar | Fr. Michael Kieler

Parochial Vicar | Fr. Rodolfo Godinez

Parochial Vicar | Fr. Jhon Guarnizo

Deacons

Dcn. Kevin Boudreaux, dcnkevin@stjosephsjax.org

Dcn. Bob Gardner, dcnbobgardner@stjosephsjax.org

Dcn. Corky Hecht, dcncorky91@yahoo.com

Dcn. Bob Repke, dcnbobrepke@stjosephsjax.org

CHURCH OFFICE – CODY CENTER | Hours: M - F 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. 904-268-5422/904-880-6404

Administration

Parish Administrator | Patrick Kinnare

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Director | Gerry Serfilippi

Assistants | John Bohler & Bob Drain

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Assistant to the ARE | Sylvia Boudreaux, sboudreaux@stjosephsjax.org

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Music Minister | Frank DeProspo

Wedding Facilitator | Genny Cruz, 904-304-4579 or stjosephsweddings@gmail.com

RCIA | Mike & Michelle Peters, 904-710-2508

Youth Minister | Katie Gunkle, kgunkle@stjosephsjax.org

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL | Hours: M - F 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. | 904-268-6688

Principal | Robin Fecitt, www.stjosephcs.org

Business Manager | Jenny Terrill

Office Manager | Lori Rowland

PARISH DIRECTORS

Parish Council | Michael Broach

Stewardship | Karen Rasmussen

Finances/Building | John Alexander

COVER IMAGE: [HTTPS://WWW.PRAYERSANDPETITIONS.ORG/FEAST-OF-THE-HOLY-FAMILY-OF-JESUS-MARY-AND-JOSEPH-30-DECEMBER/](https://www.prayersandpetitions.org/feast-of-the-holy-family-of-jesus-mary-and-joseph-30-december/)

WEEKLY PARISH PRAYER INTENTION

In your daily prayers this week, please pray for **inspiration from the Holy Family**, that the love and faith of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph be examples we may imitate in our own families.

“Christ loved the Church and handed himself over for her to sanctify her, that she might be holy and immaculate.”

~ Ephesians 5:25-27

Becoming Catholic



THE ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (OCIA)
Formerly known as RCIA

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic Church? Are you answering a call to become Catholic but are not sure how or where to begin? If you are, please consider joining the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA).

For more information, please contact Mike and Michelle Peters, OCIA Coordinators, 904-710-2508 or michellecpeters@hotmail.com.

Welcome

Are you New to the Parish? In order to better serve you, please fill out a blue registration card located at the table in the gathering area of the Church and leave it with a greeter or usher, or submit the form on the parish registration page of the website. In order to be a sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation, or to have a Baptism at the Parish, you must be a registered parishioner. Please don't hesitate to call if you have any questions, 904-268-5422.



2024

CONFIRMATION CLASSES



IN ENGLISH

Adult confirmation classes are offered for baptized Catholics, 18 years and older, who have already received their First Holy Communion but have not been confirmed.

- Participants for classes in English, Spanish, or Portuguese must register online at <https://stjosephsjax.org/adultconfirmationregistration>.
- Participants in the English classes must attend the formation classes listed at <https://tinyurl.com/ywm6v5hg>. These classes are held in the Cody Room in the Cody Enrichment Center.
- Relevant and required sacramental documentation must be provided by candidates, also.
- All classes culminate with the diocesan Rite of Confirmation at the Adult Confirmation Mass on Sunday, May 19, 2024, 2:00 PM, at Cathedral Basilica of St Augustine.
- Questions for classes in English may be directed to Deacon Kevin, dcnkevin@stjosephsjax.org or 904-268-5422, ext. 113.
- For schedule of classes in Spanish please contact Angel Kameko, angelkameko@hotmail.com
- For schedule of classes in Portuguese please contact Marcelo Consorte, mconsorte@gmail.com.

God be with you!

The Lord remembers

HIS COVENANT FOR EVER.

PSALMS 105

Daily Readings

MONDAY, JANUARY 1

SOLEMNITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD

Numbers 6:22-27 / Psalms 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 / Galatians 4:4-7 / Luke 2:16-21

TUESDAY, JANUARY 2

MEMORIAL OF SAINTS BASIL THE GREAT AND GREGORY NAZIANZEN, BISHOPS AND DOCTORS OF THE CHURCH
1 John 2:22-28 / Psalms 98:1, 2-3AB, 3CD-4 / John 1:19-28

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3

1 John 2:29-3:6 / Psalms 98:1, 3CD-4, 5-6 / John 1:29-34

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4

MEMORIAL OF SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON, RELIGIOUS
1 John 3:7-10 / Psalm 98:1, 7-8, 9 / John 1:35-42

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5

MEMORIAL OF SAINT JOHN NEUMANN, BISHOP
1 John 3:11-21 / Psalms 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 / Luke 1:43-51

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6

1 John 5:5-13 / Psalms 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 / Mark 1:7-11

SUNDAY, JANUARY 7

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Isaiah 60:1-6 / Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13. / Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6 / Matthew 2:1-12

Christmas OFFERING

DUE TO THE INCREDIBLE GENEROSITY OF OUR PARISH FAMILY, WE ARE ABLE TO CONTINUE THE ONGOING WORK OF MAINTAINING OUR EXPANSIVE CAMPUS. OVER THE PAST COUPLE OF MONTHS, WE HAVE CLEANED THE TILE ROOFS OF THE CODY CENTER AND MAIN CHURCH AS WELL AS THE DOME OF THE MAIN CHURCH. WE HAVE COMPLETED SOME REPAIRS TO THE BELL TOWER OF THE HISTORIC CHURCH AND WILL BE REPLACING SEVERAL LARGE HVAC UNITS IN THE MAIN CHURCH AND CODY CENTER. TO CONTINUE FUNDING THE ONGOING MAINTENANCE NEEDS OF THE PARISH WE ASK YOU TO REMEMBER ST. JOSEPH IN YOUR CHRISTMAS GIVING.

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY – DECEMBER 30

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

† Heather Tiffany Fluehr – Jean Marie Rowan

5:30 PM (Main Church)

† Christopher Gullo – Mary Ann Gullo

SUNDAY – DECEMBER 31

8:00 AM (Main Church)

♥ All those Serving in Our Armed Forces

10:00 AM (Main Church)

♥ St. Joseph Parish Family

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

† Roseann Schliecher – Friends of Barbara & Tony

5:00 PM (Main Church)

† Michael & Patricia Keaveny – John & Susan Rezsonya

MONDAY – JANUARY 1

SOLEMNITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD

10:00 AM (Main Church)

♥ Ken Giddens – Special Intention

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

♥ St. Joseph Parish Family

TUESDAY – JANUARY 2

8:00 AM (Main Church)

† Nancy Clark – Jim & Michelle Clark

♥ Judy Measor – Loving Grandchildren

♥ Richard & Dorothy Sollee – Arthur & Kelly Sollee

12:00 NOON (Historic Church)

† Eduardo Guerra – Shirley & Mark

♥ Laura Waldrep – Claire & Beth Luciano

♥ Ramon Rivera – Happy Birthday

6:00 PM (Historic Church)

♥ Pope Francis

If souls but understood the treasure they possess in the Divine Eucharist the Churches would overflow with adorers no less by night than by day.

–Blessed Dina Belanger

WEDNESDAY – JANUARY 3

9:00 AM (Historic Church)

♥ Elizabeth McNutt & Bill Hamel –Kacy Kaszyk

12:00 NOON (Historic Church)

♥ Fr. Jhon Guarnizo – Special Intention

THURSDAY – JANUARY 4

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

♥ Manuel Arce – Loving Family

♥ Richard & Dorothy Sollee – Measor Family

♥ Fr. Clay Ludwig – Special Intention

12:00 NOON (Historic Church)

♥ Daniel Conde – Santiago & Leyda Garcia

† Terry Evans – Dcn. Bob & Beth Gardner

♥ Christopher Fromm – Susan Fromm

6:00 PM (Historic Church)

♥ Jacqueline Gould – Special Intention

FRIDAY – JANUARY 5

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

† Mary Sheldon

12:00 NOON (Historic Church)

♥ Fr. Rodolfo Godinez – Special Intention

7:00 PM (Historic Church)

♥ Jim & Michelle Clark & Family – Special Intention

SATURDAY – JANUARY 6

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

♥ George & Diane – Comeaux Anniversary Blessings

5:30 PM (Main Church)

† Our Jewish Neighbors – A Devout Catholic

SUNDAY – JANUARY 7

8:00 AM (Main Church)

† Joldi Pjetri – Loving Family

10:00 AM (Main Church)

† Viktor Shkoza – Josefina Shkoza

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

♥ St. Joseph Parish Family

5:00 PM (Main Church)

♥ Michael & Lourdes Flemming – Thanksgiving

Please consider donating Altar or Adoration flowers in memory or honor of a loved one.

904-268-5422

ADORATION: \$35 | ALTAR: \$125 (SMALL), \$200 (LARGE)

“Joseph, son of David, do not fear for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Spirit.”

~ Matthew 1:20

In Loving Sympathy

Please pray for family and friends on the death of their loved one.

BABY CHARLOTTE LUCIANA OSBORN

Parents, Family and Friends

GUERLAIN CARMEDELLE

*Mother of Paul Carmedelle,
Family and Friends*



Adoration Flowers for the week of January 1 to January 6 are in Loving Memory of Don Riederer, Sr. from RC Tuesday Encounter Team.

Please Pray

FAMILIES AND FRIENDS WHO ARE SICK AND SUFFERING

Constant Addition
Sheila Beaupre
Mariela Cammarano
Eugene Claxton
Kathy Cutchens
Thomas Dewitt
Sister Joan Gabbin
Larry Gaskin
Chris Gent
Karyn Hargrove

Bette Hickey
Eileen Hewitt
Charlotte Irvine
Cathy Lester
Mary Ellen Luensman
Jennifer Manning
Lois Marx
Lynn Mayhew
Gloria McPhillips
Jim McClintock

Tom NeSmith
Charles Nofal
Carol Robinson
Voila Rodriguez
Eugene Falcon
Paul Thomas
Marilyn Tweedale
Ann Webster
Annette Windal

If you would like to add your loved one to our prayer list, please contact the office at **268-5422**.

Prayers for the sick and suffering will run four weeks.

For those who wish to have their loved one prayed for beyond that time, we encourage you to utilize the new prayer book, located in the Cody Chapel. Those in the book will be prayed for during Mass.

EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Katy Dionne
Justyna Gleba
Jenna Kehrer
Veronica Levy

Mary Katherine Truss Mueller
Anne Isaac
Blake Lewis Babadi

To request a baptism, parishioners may complete and submit the baptismal packet forms online via our parish website.

BAPTISMAL
PACKET



Blessings

Fr. Michael blessed the St. Michael the Archangel coins and military-grade rosaries being sent to our deployed military listed in the bulletin from our parish's Knights of Columbus.



DEPLOYED MILITARY

Please pray for all our deployed military.

Christian Barraco, USN
Riley Colbath, USN
Lt. Matthew Hayes
Adam Kemper, USA
SSG Justin Pritchard, USA
Richard Ryan, USN
Charlotte Spencer, USA
Bryan Walker, USN
SGT. Michael Donnal, USA
Angelo Relampagos, USN



Our next BAPTISM SEMINARS:

ENGLISH: **January 22** at 6:30 pm

ESPAÑOL: **12 de enero** a las 7:00 pm



Wedding

Baptism

Caden Lee Welch
daughter of
Kelsey &
Daniel Welch

DECEMBER 10, 2023

MAIN CHURCH

DCN. KEVIN BOUDREAUX



Luis David Sánchez & Lesenia Angelic Maldonado

DECEMBER 9, 2023

HISTORIC CHURCH • FR. RODOLFO GODINEZ

Sacraments

ANointING

If you are scheduled to have surgery, or a medical procedure, or are in danger of death and would like to receive the sacrament of the sick, please contact the office at 904-268-5422 to make an appointment with one of our priests.

BAPTISM

If you would like to have your precious child baptized in our parish, please visit our website to fill out a baptism packet form to register for a baptism seminar. Parents must either be registered members of our parish, or present a letter of permission to have their baby baptized outside of your parish. Godparents must be confirmed, practicing Catholics, and at least 16 years old. Sponsor letters for each godparent MUST be signed and sealed by the pastor of the Catholic church they attend, and must be submitted before a date can be chosen.



FIRST COMMUNION

For Children:

Please contact Lourdes Flemming
904-880-6404 ext. 122 or lflemming@stjosephsjax.org

For Teens and Adults:

Please contact Mike and Michelle Peters
michellecpeters@hotmail.com or 904-710-2508

CONFIRMATION

For Children:

Please contact Lourdes Flemming
904-880-6404 ext. 122 or lflemming@stjosephsjax.org

For Teens:

Please contact Mike and Michelle Peters
michellecpeters@hotmail.com or 904-710-2508

For Adults:

Please contact the office – 904-268-5422

HOLY ORDERS

Please contact Fr. Clay at 904-262-3200.

MATRIMONY

To schedule a wedding, an engaged couple must meet with their parish priest or deacon at least eight months before the proposed wedding date. If you would like to have your wedding at St. Joseph's, please contact our Wedding Facilitator, Genny Cruz, at stjosephsweddings@gmail.com or 904-304-4579.

RECONCILIATION

Please see the schedule in this bulletin.

THE ST. JOHNS RIVER COLUMBIETTES #10850
JACKSONVILLE, FL
EST. JAN. 7, 2023



The Columbiettes

CELEBRATING A
ONE YEAR ANNIVERSARY

The Columbiettes are National Fraternal organization of Catholic women dedicated to our Patronesses, The Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Theresa the Little Flower and St. Joan of Arc established in 1939. We are comprised of Ladies Auxiliaries affiliated with the Knights of Columbus.

FOR MORE INFO EMAIL:
THECOLUMBIETTESSTJOHNSRIVER@GMAIL.COM



Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
JANUARY 1-MAIN CHURCH

10:00 AM English
12:00 PM Bilingual-English & Spanish

In the past God spoke to our ancestors through the prophets; in these last days, he has spoken to us through the Son.
—Colossians 3:15a, 16a



This weekend Father Doug Grandon is glad to have the opportunity to visit our parish on behalf of Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS). Fr. Doug is a FOCUS National Chaplain and a priest of the Archdiocese of Denver. He became Catholic in 2003, after serving as a Protestant missionary and pastor for 25 years. In 2008, Pope Benedict granted Fr. Doug permission to be ordained a married Catholic priest. He holds a PhD in Historical Theology. FOCUS is a national organization serving college students at more than 232 campus/locations including eight international locations, 23 parish venues and nine digital expansion campuses. More than 970 FOCUS missionaries invite college students into a relationship with Christ and His Church, while equipping them for a lifetime of Catholic evangelization. Fr. Doug is excited to be with you soon and share the hope of the New Evangelization! To learn more, please visit www.focus.org

**Thank you for welcoming
FOCUS National Chaplain
Fr. Doug Grandon
to St. Joseph the weekend of
December 30-31, 2023**

The Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS) wins the hearts of college students, builds them up in the faith and sends them out into the world.

To make a gift to FOCUS, go to
www.focus.org/parish-talk
or text "FOCUSGive" to 22999.



NEW DAYTIME MEETING

GriefShare®

Grief Support Group

*Help and encouragement after
the death of a loved one*

At a GriefShare group, you'll find understanding, guidance, relief, and a safe place to navigate the challenges of grief. Come join us!

Contact Us Today

Tuesdays: January 9 - April 9, 2024

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Cody Enrichment Center

4152 Loretto Road

Jacksonville, FL 32223

More Info:

904-318-9308 or griefshare.org

2ND EDITION
St. Joseph's
COLORING & ACTIVITY BOOK
produced by the Charitable Arts Ministry and supported by the Stewardship Committee
Available Now for Purchase \$5.00 per book
You will find images, drawn by the Arts Ministry members, of the St. Joseph's campus that you are very familiar with, as well as some that you may have never noticed before. The pages are educational, inspirational, and entertaining.

LOVE

Living Our Virtues Everyday

HAPPY NEW
Year!



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Mrs. Fecitt - Principal (rfecitt@stjosephcs.org)



WELCOME MRS.
BRANDI PETERS



Please welcome our new Assistant Principal, Mrs. Brandi Peters to our St. Joseph family. Mrs. Peters has a Bachelor of Science in Secondary English Education from the University of North Florida and a Masters in Educational Leadership from Saint Leo University. She has spent most of her years teaching Middle School English and will bring a wealth of knowledge to our campus. The majority of her teaching career has been in the Diocese of St. Augustine. We are so blessed to have her join our faculty and staff.

In other news, our campus was buzzing with Christmas spirit! From Tacky Tinsel Day to our annual Jingle Jog fundraiser, our students have had loads of fun gearing up for Christmas Break!

VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:

Prudence

THE PRUDENT SEES DANGER AND HIDES HIMSELF, BUT THE SIMPLE GO ON AND SUFFER FOR IT.

PROVERBS 27:12



ST. JOSEPH
CATHOLIC SCHOOL



YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

YOUTH MINISTRY SCHEDULE

HIGH SCHOOL

1/14/2024 Youth Night
1/21/2024 Youth Night
1/28/2024 Youth Night

MIDDLE SCHOOL

1/26/2024 Movie Night
2/4/2024 7th Grade Retreat
3/8/2024 Youth Night
4/19/2024 Youth Night

Donate to St. Joseph's Youth Ministry!

stjosephsjax.org/donate-to-cym

WHERE YOU ARE LOVED, KNOWN,
& PRAYED FOR!



ST. JOSEPH YOUTH MINISTRY WE GOT OUR SUMMER 2024 CAMP DATES

CAMP COVECREST

*FOR CURRENT 8TH-12TH GRADERS

DATES: JULY 8-13, 2024

COST: \$850

CAMP HIDDEN LAKE

*FOR CURRENT 6TH/7TH GRADERS

DATES: JULY 29-AUGUST 3, 2024

COST: \$750

SPOTS ARE LIMITED /
FUNDRAISING WILL BE AVAILABLE

SIGN-UP AT: tinyurl.com/stjoesysummer24

YOUTH MINISTRY QUESTIONS? Contact Katie at kgunkle@stjosephsjax.org

Ministry News

COLUMBIETTES:

The Rosary & Business Meeting is Monday, **January 8** at 6:30 pm & 7 pm at the Cody Center.

For more information or questions please email us at the columbiettesstjohnsriver@gmail.com

LADIES BIBLE STUDY:

Beginning January 3, we will be doing a video series from the National Eucharistic Revival. No book is needed & there is no fee! We have already watched the first two segments (available to all parishioners on www.Formed.org at no cost). We will finish this study on Ash Wednesday.

If you wish to sign up, contact Mary Monfort at maryvictor@comcast.net or text/call to 904-651-3567. Please let her know if you need childcare.

SEVEN SISTERS APOSTOLATE:

It is a privilege to pray for our priests! Seven Sisters Apostolate has a mission to pray for the individual priests in the parish. This is done in small groups of only seven women, where each chooses a different day of the week and offers one Holy Hour before the Blessed Sacrament. Thus, the priest receives a Holy Hour every day. It is a blessing for the priest and the intercessor! We are in need of seven sisters to pray for our new parochial vicar, Father Jhon Guarnizo. Additionally, we would need one of the seven sisters for Fr. Jhon to become the anchoress for the group.

Father David's group is looking for a sister who can pray for him on Sundays. We are also looking for substitute sisters for the groups praying for all four priests.

If you are interested and would like more information, please contact Wanda Rodriguez-Donham at Wanda.Donham@gmail.com

SEVEN SORROWS OF MARY:

Rosary Ministry

Are you interested in gathering together to pray a special rosary of the Seven Sorrows of Mary?

Please join us on **Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm** in the Kilkenny Room at the Cody Center (downstairs).

QUESTIONS: Contact Monique Gullo at **516-510-9661** or mgullo@fordham.edu



MARY WIDOWS MINISTRY:

Our meeting for the month of January will be on Tuesday, Jan 9th at 1:00 pm in the Cody Center. We will be playing BINGO (for fun only) . Lourdes will be treating us to some delicious snacks, and best of all, we will be praying the Rosary together. Have a Blessed Christmas and a year filled with peace, good health and happiness.

CCW:

Are you interested in learning from and leading other Catholic Women, helping plan or attend days of formation, or utilizing your talents and energy in helping others get to heaven? Let us know as we form our leadership team for the 2024-2025 CCW year. We are always looking for fresh ideas and ways to grow in our faith, hope and love!

Join us for our next monthly meeting on January 9th where the Seven Sorrows of Mary Rosary Ministry group will be our guest.

We meet at 6:30 pm in the Tally Room of the Cody Center with our sisters in Christ with our shared meal at 6:45. Please come early so that we will be able to start the rosary by 7:00 to 7:15. Email ccwstjoseph@gmail.com if you have any questions or if you need a ride to the meeting. We will try to provide transportation where possible.

Future dates to remember:

- 2/13 Fat Tuesday party with Bunco! Celebrate before Ash Wednesday the next day!
- 2/17 DCCW – Attend a beautiful Lenten Day of reflection - Hearts for the Harvest at Christ the King from 9am to 3 pm, Goodwill donation for lunch Email ccwstjoseph@gmail.com for more information.

Email ccwstjoseph@gmail.com for more information.



A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR!

THANK YOU-THANK YOU-THANK YOU

Fr. David is very grateful for all those who gave so generously to make the Living Nativity a success. Come by and enjoy the Christmas Lights throughout the season of Christmas, which lasts until the Epiphany of the Lord, celebrated on January 7.



PARISH BINGO

Bingo Night at St Joseph



GAME DATES: **JAN 13** FEB 10
MAR 9
APR 13

LOTS OF GAMES, 50/50'S & DOOR PRIZES

DOORS OPEN @ 6:15PM

GAMES START @ 7:00PM

Cody Center - Tally Room

PLENTY OF LIGHTED PARKING AND SECURITY ON THE PREMISES. GREAT FOOD, DRINKS, & SNACKS.

NO CHILDREN ALLOWED PER STATE LAWS.

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FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT VINNY AT 904-742-8777 OR VATERLIZZI@GMAIL.COM

HISPANIC DINNER DANCE

Love Edition

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2024

6:00 PM TO 10:00PM

CODY ENRICHMENT CENTER

PRICE: \$40.00 X PERSON

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT

JOSE M. PEREZ @ (978) 994-7755

ALL FUNDS WILL GO TOWARDS THE CAPITAL CAMPAIGN



**Tickets are being sold
after all weekend Masses.**

PREP PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10

First PREP class after Christmas break

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13

First Reconciliation Retreat (Main Church)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17

PREP class



For information about our program, or to volunteer, please contact Lourdes Flemming, A.R.E.:
904-268-5422 ext 122 or lflemming@stjosephsjax.org

First Saturday Bus to

PLANNED PARENTHOOD

Come ride along with us on the St. Joseph Church Bus to pray for the unborn. Our monthly trip leaves from the Historic Church parking lot following the 8:00 am First Saturday Mass, to pray for an hour in front of Planned Parenthood. Our next trip will be **Saturday, January 6**. Just show up at 8:45 am with your rosary and your devotion to Our Lady of Fátima or Our Lady of Guadalupe, patroness of the unborn. The bus will return to the Historic Church parking lot by 10:30 am.

Questions? Please contact Paul Munnell at 941-416-1325 or paulmunnell@gmail.com.

CENA BAILABLE

Edición Amor y Amistad

SABADO, 3 FEBRERO 2024

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This renewal experience offers an opportunity to grow in your relationship with God and a chance to meet other parishioners. For information about the weekends, please contact either Deacon Bob Gardner or Beth Gardner.

Scan the QR code to complete your form.

TRANSPORTATION MINISTRY

IS IN NEED OF VOLUNTEER DRIVERS TO CONTINUE OUR BUS PROGRAM THAT SERVES SENIOR CITIZENS AND DISABLED PARISHIONERS TRANSPORTING THEM TO/FROM THE 5:30 AND 10:00 MASSES. VOLUNTEERS MUST HOLD A VALID DRIVER'S LICENSE, BE 25 YEARS OR OLDER, AND COMPLETE A BACKGROUND CHECK; NO CDL REQUIRED. VOLUNTEERS SERVE ONCE OR TWICE PER MONTH, OR AS AVAILABLE.

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ST. JOSEPH MUSIC MINISTRY

The Music Ministry at St. Joseph is comprised of many wonderful and talented individuals who share a common desire: to praise God through song. Our goal is to create a deeper and more prayerful experience through song for every person who walks through our doors. We hope our music inspires you to worship with your voice and your heart.

If you are interested in joining the choir and are high school age or older, we invite you to join us. We rehearse **Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 pm**.

Our Children's Choir is for those in 1st through 8th grade. They lead the music at the 12:00 pm liturgy twice a month and rehearse **Monday evenings from 6:15 to 7:00 pm**.

Our youth ensemble rehearses prior to the 5:00 pm Youth Mass every Sunday at 4:00 pm.

All rehearsals are in the Main Church. All musicians and singers are welcome! No experience necessary.

Holy Hour for Life

Please join us for a **Holy Hour for Life** every first Wednesday of the month, 7 - 8 pm in the Cody Center Adoration Chapel.

Our next offering of these powerful prayers to sacramental Jesus will be **January 3**.



October 21 – November 2, 2024



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End of Year Note:

Contributions must be received in the parish office no later than 4:00pm on Friday, January 5th to be included on your 2023 Contribution Letter. Contribution letters will be mailed out by close of business on Wednesday, January 31st, 2024. Please make sure we have your correct mailing address in our system. If you would prefer to receive your contribution letter via email, please contact: adrain@stjosephsjax.org. Thank you for your incredible generosity to St. Joseph parish!

Offerings

For the Weekend of
DECEMBER 18

Regular Offering	\$ 38,088.36
Christmas	\$ 3,407.00
Building & Property Maintenance	\$ 1,289.00
Parish Assessments	\$ 2,585.00
Mass in Latin	\$ 9,705.00
Mass in Portuguese	\$ 1,890.09
Mass in Spanish	\$ 1,854.00
Children's	\$ 357.00

Faith Direct for the month of November \$63,050.20

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please submit all announcements no later than 9:00 am two Wednesdays prior to the weekend you would like it to appear in the bulletin.

Announcements should be emailed to Ideliz Perez-Lebron: bulletin@stjosephsjax.org.

St. Joseph's Capital Campaign

PHASE 1

Preserving Our Past, Embracing Our Future

Pledged: \$5,566,849.00

PHASE 2

The Legacy of Fr. Bernie

Pledged: \$1,723,523.50

PHASE 1 & 2

Total Given: \$6,496,512.00

Updated once
a month



Second Collection

THIS WEEKEND
No Second Collection

NEXT WEEKEND
Building and Property Maintenance

Thank you for your generosity and support of your parish!

SEXUAL MISCONDUCT

The Diocese of Saint 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 (904) 262-3200, ext. 129, or the Department of Children and Families at 1-800-96-Abuse (800) 962-2873.

La Diócesis de San Agustín le da seria consideración a toda acusación de mala conducta sexual y dispone de todos dichos casos de manera pronta, completa y confidencial.

Para reportar tal abuso, llame a: Coordinador Diocesano de Auxilio a Víctimas (904) 262-3200, ext. 129 o Departamento de Niños y Familias del Estado de la Florida 1-800-96Abuse (800) 962-2873.

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