

FEBRUARY 25 – SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

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

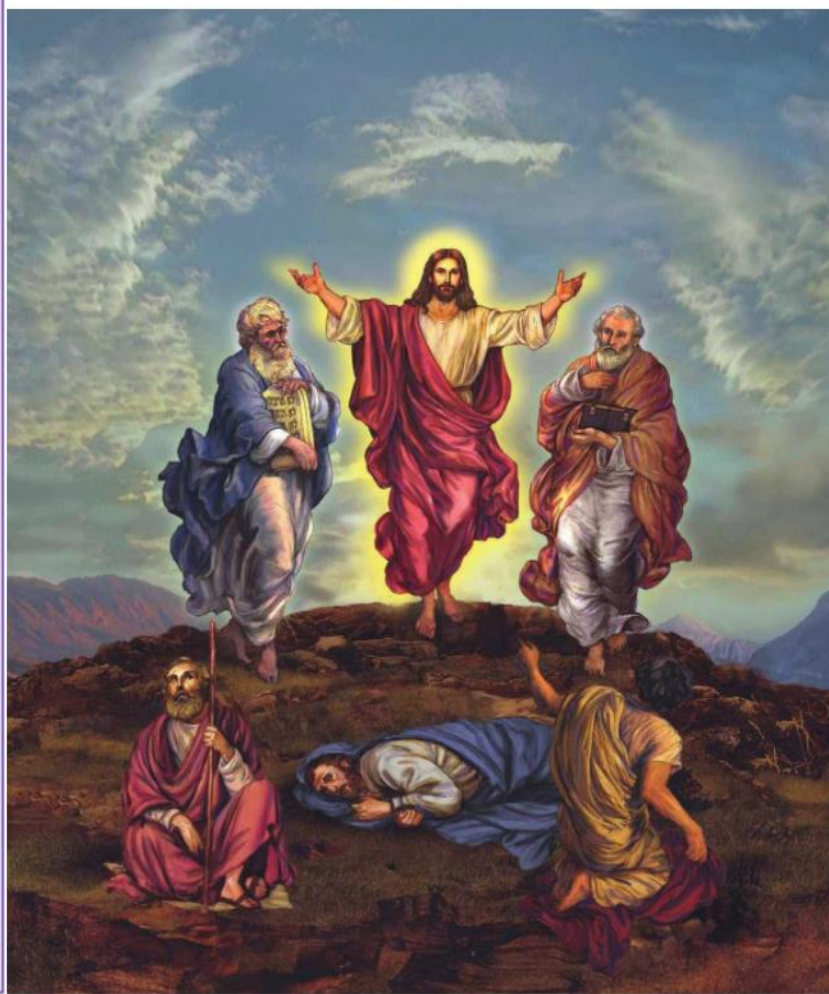
SUN (Historic Church)

20 minutes before each Mass

WED (Historic Church)

6:30 - 7:00 pm

Confessions are also available by appointment – 904-268-5422



TODAY'S READINGS: Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18 | Psalms 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19 | Romans 8:31b-34 | Mark 9:2-10

"I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living."

– Psalms 116

Clergy & Administration

CLERGY

Priests

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

***For scheduling of appointments only. Please do not send any personal or confidential information to this email address.**

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 | Patrick Kinnare, pkinnare@stjosephsjax.org

Facility & Property Maintenance

Director | Gerry Serfilippi

Assistants | John Bohler & Bob Drain

Ministerial

Administrator of Religious Education (ARE) | Lourdes Flemming, lflemming@stjosephsjax.org

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

Baptismal Coordinator | Deacon Bob Repke, dcnbobrepke@stjosephsjax.org

Music Minister | Frank DeProspero

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.MISSALE.NET/OF/2024-02-18/EN/](https://www.missale.net/of/2024-02-18/en/)

WEEKLY PARISH PRAYER INTENTION

In your daily prayers this week, please pray for **those broken in spirit**, that God comfort and heal them.

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

~ Ephesians 5:25-27



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 michelleepeters@hotmail.com.

Becoming Catholic

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.



Saturday, March 2nd, 2024
6:00 PM - 10:00 PM
at the Beautiful Tringali Barn
\$75.00 Per Person
BBQ dinner, dancing,
dessert bar, bourbon bar
and much more!
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Tickets are on sale now @
www.sjaweb.org
Look for Barn Bash Tickets
on the home page.
There you can also register for
the online Silent Auction.

The silent auction will be on line the week of
the event starting February 28th @ 4PM
and will close on March 3rd @ 7pm

**Attendance at the Barn Bash is not
necessary to participate
in the online auction**

[sjabarnbash2024.maxgiving.bid](https://www.sjabarnbash2024.maxgiving.bid)

For questions or sponsorship
opportunities please contact
Jodi Kotrady-Hatin
jodi.hatin@sjaweb.org
904.669.4376



Daily Readings

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26

Daniel 9:4b-10 / Psalms 79:8, 9, 11
and 13 / Luke 6:36-38

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27

Isaiah 1:10, 16-20 / Psalms 50:8-9,
16bc-17, 21 and 23 / Matthew 23:1-12

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Jeremiah 18:18-20 / Psalms 31:5-6, 14,
15-16 / Matthew 20:17-28

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29

Jeremiah 17:5-10 / Psalms 1:1-2, 3, 4
and 6 / Luke 16:19-31

FRIDAY, MARCH 1

Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a
/ Psalms 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 /
Matthew 21:33-43, 45-46

SATURDAY, MARCH 2

Micah 7:14-15, 18-20 / Psalms 103:1-2,
3-4, 9-10, 11-12 / Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

SUNDAY, MARCH 3

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Exodus 17:3-7 / Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 /
Romans 5:1-2, 5-8 / John 4:5-42

The Arm of

ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE

is visiting the United States and is coming to
THE STATE OF FLORIDA

Known as the *Apostle of the Impossible*,
Saint Jude is revered for his unwavering
dedication and steadfast faith. Millions
have experienced his intercession in times
of adversity and need.



DATE: Saturday, March 2, 2024

LOCATION: St. Joseph Catholic Church

ADDRESS: 11730 Old St. Augustine Rd - Jacksonville, FL 32258 (904) 268-5422

SPECIAL MASS IN HONOR OF SAINT JUDE: 1:00 PM

VENERATION OF THE RELIC BEGINS: Immediately after Mass

VENERATION ENDS: 8:00 PM

CHECK THE WEBSITE BELOW FOR OTHER LOCATIONS



THE APOSTLE OF THE
IMPOSSIBLE
TOUR OF THE RELICS OF
ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE



VISIT www.ApostleOfTheImpossible.com FOR COMPLETE DETAILS.



Mass Intentions

SATURDAY – FEBRUARY 24

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

† Richard Brunner – Linda & Robby Drury

5:30 PM (Main Church)

♥ St. Joseph Parish Family

SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 25

8:00 AM (Main Church)

† Rick Brunner – Eileen Bain

10:00 AM (Main Church)

† Romolo Festejo – Festejo Family

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

† Georgina Galena-Chavez – Your Daughter

5:00 PM (Main Church)

† Anna Datres – MaryAnn Datres

MONDAY – FEBRUARY 26

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

† Petronia Encabo – Bantigue Family

12:00 NOON (Historic Church)

† Sofronia Rizada – Rhodora Bantigue

TUESDAY – FEBRUARY 27

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

♥ Priest of the Parish – Special Intention

† Doug Stimac – Judy Measor

♥ Annette & Jim Burk – Judy Measor

12:00 NOON (Historic Church)

† Arthur Kelley – Pam & Steve Kerlin

† Joldi Pjetri – Your Loving Aunt

† Apostolis (Paul) Kriemodis – Marilyn Danner

6:00 PM (Historic Church)

♥ Jackie Gould – I Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Adoration is the most necessary mission to the Church, which has even more need of prayerful souls than of powerful preachers or men of eloquence.

–St. Peter Julian Eymard

WEDNESDAY – FEBRUARY 28

9:00 AM (Main Church)

† Clayton & Jane Pinter – Kaszyk Family

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

† Vernon & Helen Felty – Steve & Sherilyn Bahnemann

THURSDAY – FEBRUARY 29

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

† Charlotte Irvine – Michelle & Jim Clark

† Joldi Pjetri – Your Loving Grandparents

† Bob Cole – Tony & Ann Stone

12:00 NOON (Historic Church)

† Edgar Areche – Your Loving Mother

† Arsenia Arismendi – Silvia Vellon

† Richard Brunner – Linda & Robbie Drury

6:00 PM (Historic Church)

† Luz Perez – Silvia Vellon

FRIDAY – MARCH 1

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

♥ Linda Bertino – Morning Bible Study Ladies

12:00 NOON (Historic Church)

† Eleanor Serich – Susan & John Rezsanya

SATURDAY – MARCH 2

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

† Paul Huskins – Fr. Jhon

5:30 PM (Main Church)

† Cathleen Getty – Mike McAuley

SUNDAY – MARCH 3

8:00 AM (Main Church)

♥ St. Joseph's Parish Family

10:00 AM (Main Church)

† Paul Luc Nguyen – Kim Nuyen

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

† Glenn Gross – Lisa Hellier

5:00 PM (Main Church)

♥ Teresa San Jose – Feliz Cumpleaños

In Loving Sympathy

Please keep the following members of your community in your prayers.

HARTLEY HIND

Family and Friends

MARY SUE KELLEY

Pete Kelley's mom, Family and Friends

DANIEL EDWARD MURPHY

Peggy Chance, Family and Friends

Louis Zemanek

Family and Friends

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

~ Matthew 1:20

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)

Please Pray

FAMILIES AND FRIENDS WHO ARE SICK AND SUFFERING

Jocie Berrios
Linda Bertino
Sandy Bezio
Burt Davison
Eugene Falcon
Larry Gaskin
Ken Griffin
Toni Hess
Mary Ann Keegan
Karen Hurst
Cathy Lester

Augustine Lopez
Peter Maloney
Virgina Mathews
Jim McClintock
Patrick Mickler
Cristina Muñeton
Shaun Michael Nesmith
Paul Thomas
Phil Seldon
Gloria Leslie
Van Pollackov

Diane McMahon
Pat Kowall
Mary Povlak
Lynn Santilli
David Shrout
Chris Sorenson
Cecil Sparkman
Laura Adkinson
Billie Jo Antepencko
Mellisa Adkinson
Benny Lee Woods

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
Laura Lugo
Mary Katherine Truss Mueller
Anne Isaac

Blake Lewis Babadi
Natalie Comeaux Caves
Leonela Russei
Gladis Mejia
Renata Gularte
Avery Marczynski
Jona Guni

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

BAPTISMAL
PACKET



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
Shane Gast, USA



Our next BAPTISM SEMINARS:

ENGLISH: **February 26** at 6:30 pm

ESPAÑOL: **8 de marzo** a las 7:00 pm



Baptism

Come Work With Us!

APPLY NOW



AVAILABLE POSITION

Evening/Overnight Staff

This is an hourly overnight position to direct and oversee activities at the Divine Mercy House from 6:00 pm to 9:00 am daily, beginning at 6:00 pm Sunday to 9:00 am Friday. The evening staff leaves at 9:00 am daily and returns at 6:00 pm that evening. A total of 40 paid hours a week.

To mentor and support the residents, and support the duties of the daytime staff and oversee evening volunteer's activities.

Start date: January 2, 2024.

**Please send resume to:
director@divinemercyhouse.org
to be considered**



Charlotte Marie Dickey

Daughter of Gina Dickey & John Dickey
Historic Church | Rev. Rodolfo Godinez

Invitation

TO COME CLOSER TO JESUS



As members of St. Joseph Catholic Church, we are truly blessed because of its deep devotion to Jesus Christ and the numerous ministries it has to offer. These ministries reach out to build Christian community, help the homeless, the poor, the elderly, and serve in so many other ways. I would like to share with you one of the ministries that is very dear to me: **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**, also known as the **EMHC Ministry**.

Have you ever felt a desire to become closer to Christ? The EMHC may be the ministry God is calling you to get involved with. Serving as an EMHC means holding in your hands the Body and Blood of Christ, and in turn, serving the faithful. We request that our EMHC's strive to serve at the Main Church at least once a month, though some choose to serve more often to be closer to our Lord. Also, many EMHC's utilize opportunities to take Holy Communion to assisted living facilities, hospitals, or to those who are homebound in our community. Serving Holy Communion to the elderly, the sick, and the homebound is a humbling experience and a true gift, both for the one who receives and the one who gives. For those who are not able to come to Mass, this time with you and our Lord means the world to them.

"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace."

– 1 Peter 4:10 NAB

If you feel Jesus is calling you toward this ministry, we require the following:

1. Pray to Jesus about it.
2. Be Catholic and in good standing with the Church. (For clarification on what it means to "be in good standing" please contact me and I will be happy to help.)
3. Send an email to Dcn. Kevin Boudreaux dcnkevin@stjosephsjax.org and myself sjemhc@stjosephsjax.org explaining why you feel Jesus has called you to serve as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion.
4. List all ministries you have served with at St. Joseph's and other parishes.
5. Include any additional information you feel would be worthy of consideration.

St. Joseph will begin serving the Blood of Christ again within the next few months. We need additional EMHCs to assist with serving Holy Communion, not only at the Sunday Masses, but also to the homebound, in nursing homes, and assisted living facilities. If you are already an EMHC and are not currently serving, we would love to have you back. If you have any questions about the ministry, please email me at sjemhc@stjosephjax.org, or call me at (904) 361-1805.

Thank you and God Bless,

Leonard Stewart
Director,
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC)

Lenten Schedule

RICE BOWLS

Given out on Ash Wednesday and the First Sunday of Lent. They will be collected beginning Palm Sunday.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS, EUCHARISTIC ADORATION AND CONFESSION—MAIN CHURCH

7:00 p.m. Each Friday

ST. JOSEPH DAY CELEBRATION—SUNDAY, MARCH 17TH—MAIN CHURCH

Mass 5:00p.m. (courtyard reception to follow)

LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE

Wednesday, March 20th—Main Church 7:00p.m.

OCTOBER 21 – NOVEMBER 2



WITH FR. RUCHINSKI

For information or to make a reservation, contact:

Nicole Lovell (Parishioner) | NML Travel

208-953-1183

bookingwithnicole@gmail.com



Christ took away our infirmities and bore our diseases.

—John 1:41, 17b

PREP PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

PREP class

8th Gr. Bishop Letters Due Date

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6

PREP class

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

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

Thank you

to all of those that came out to the Mary Widows Ministry Bingo. It was a very successful night!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FISH FRY



Friday, Februar 23,2024

Friday, March 8, 2024

Friday, March 22,2024

Time: 5:00pm to 8:00pm



**Cody Family
Enrichment Center
St. Joseph's Catholic
Church**

**Proceeds benefit St.
Joseph's Catholic
Church Capital
Campaign**



Sponsored by
Knights of Columbus
St. Johns River Council #10850

MENU

Fried or Baked Fish

French Fries

Cole Slaw

Onion Rings

Catholic Beans

Iced Tea

Lemonade

Coffee

Adult Beverages Available

\$15.00 - Adult (13+)

\$7.00 - Child(5-12 years)

\$40.00 - Family*

**Children under 5 years eat
for free**

Eat in or take out

*** Family is 2 adults and all
children up to age 16)**



EASTER

• EGG HUNT •



HOSTED BY
PREP

SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2023 AT 1:30 PM

AGES: 1-15

ACROSS THE STREET FROM THE MAIN CHURCH, IN THE GRASSY AREA IN FRONT OF THE RECTORY

FOR EACH PARTICIPATING CHILD, PLEASE DROP OFF ONE DOZEN PLASTIC EGGS AT THE MAIN CHURCH AFTER MASSES, OR AT THE CODY CENTER.

WE ARE ALSO ACCEPTING BAGS OF CANDY OR MONETARY DONATIONS, FOR THOSE WHO CHOOSE TO DONATE.

For any questions please contact Trinkett Mims at 904-536-0222 or Trinkett1274@comcast.net

Please register via the following SignUpGenius QR Code

The Divine Mercy Journey

After Jesus died on the cross at 3 PM, 3 to 4 PM is known as The Hour of Great Mercy. "If you are not able to make the Stations of the Cross, then at least step into the chapel for a moment and ADORE, in the Blessed Sacrament, My Heart which is full of mercy: ... should you be unable to step into the chapel ... IMMERSE yourself in My Passion, particularly in My abandonment at the moment of agony. This is the Hour of Great Mercy for the whole world. I will



refuse nothing to the soul that makes a request of Me in virtue of My Passion." (Diary 1320) During this hour, Jesus wants us to remember His sacrifice & what He did out of love for us. He wants our love in return. We can also pray the 3 o'clock prayer from the Chaplet of Divine Mercy ... "You expired Jesus, and the source of life gushed forth for souls and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty yourself out upon us". (Diary 84) O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fount of mercy for us, I trust in you". (Diary 1319) During this Blessed Hour, a soul could also pray the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary.

Note: These excerpts are from "Divine Mercy Explained" by Fr. Michael Gaitley.



For more information please visit our parish website or scan the QR code.

LOVE

Living Our Virtues Everyday



Our 7th and 8th graders had a blast at the "Stary Night" dance. A night filled of dancing, laughs, and more dancing! So much fun was had by all!

SHINE ON THE WORLD LIKE BRIGHT STARS, YOU ARE OFFERING IT
THE WORD OF LIFE.
PHILIPPIANS 2:15-16



VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:

Kindness

BE KIND TO ONE ANOTHER, TENDERHEARTED, FORGIVING ONE ANOTHER, AS GOD IN CHRIST FORGAVE YOU.

EPHESIANS 4:32

LOOK FOR US: [f](#) St. Joseph Catholic School Jacksonville [@stjosephcs](#)
904.268.6688 • www.stjosephcs.org
Mrs. Fecitt - Principal (rfecitt@stjosephcs.org)



ST. JOSEPH
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

YOUTH MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Donate to St. Joseph's Youth Ministry!

stjosephsjax.org/donate-to-cym

WHERE YOU ARE LOVED, KNOWN, & PRAYED FOR!

YM Shop

Purchase your official St. Joseph Youth Ministry merchandise TODAY!

ORDERING ENDS FEBRUARY 20, 2024

[HTTP://TINYURL.COM/YOUTHMINISTRYSHOP](http://tinyurl.com/youthministryshop)



ST. JOSEPH TRIVIA NIGHT

Tease Your Brain, Win Prizes & Support St. Joseph Youth Ministry

Friday, April 12
Cody Enrichment Center
Doors open at: 0630pm
Game starts at: 07:00pm

\$20 per person or
\$150 per table (seats 8)

For registration & further information
tinyurl.com/youthministrytriviafundraiser

Questions? Contact Katie at kgunkle@stjosephsjax.org



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

Ministry News

MEN'S CLUB :

All men of the parish are invited to attend.

Save the date of April 29 for the Men's Club Golf Tournament.

Questions contact John Voss at jagtor61@att.net or 904-318-0690.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

The Knights of Columbus will hold their next Council Meeting on March 14, 2024, starting with the Family Rosary at 7:00 pm and the Meeting starting at 7:30 pm.



CCW:

Future dates to remember:
Email ccwstjoseph@gmail.com for more information

3/12 Next monthly meeting - join us for Eucharistic Adoration

3/16 Come to the Parish Vendor Sale or help with set up/ take down and food supplies

4/13-14 - DCCW convention - Stay tuned for more details - Forms were emailed. Sign up now for a fulfilling and fun weekend.

4/27 Parish Fashion Show - Get your tickets early!



HOLY FACE OF JESUS CHAPLET:

NEW MINISTRY!

Please join us Tuesdays 8:00 pm in the Kilkenny room to pray the Holy Face of Jesus chaplet. If you have any questions email praydontworry1@aol.com



LADIES BIBLE STUDY:

The Ladies Bible Study has begun their next study entitled "Psalms: The School of Prayer". Meetings are held in the Tally Auditorium of the Cody Center from 9:15 - 11:00 AM on Wednesdays through May 8. The study is offered by AscensionPress.com and is authored by Jeff Cavins, Sarah Christmyer, and Tim Gray. Please sign up for the class by contacting Mary Monfort at maryvictor@comcast.net or call/text 904-651-3567. Workbooks can be ordered through AscensionPress.com.

MANDARIN FOOD BANK:

Our Holiday give aways were very successful. Between Thanksgiving and Christmas we provided over 800 holiday boxes to our clients! Thank you so

much to everyone for your donations! We couldn't do it without you! Now Easter is around the corner. We provide Easter baskets for our clients children. We could use Easter baskets, grass, candy, small basket stuffers and stuffed animals.

Our pantry is low on canned meat, tuna, cold cereal, spaghetti noodles and pasta sauce.

We need after hour bag packers. If you are interested please call Food Bank at 292-1675 and ask for Mary or Bonnie.

We're open Monday, Wednesday and Friday 8:30-11:30 for donations.

Thank you!

MARY WIDOWS MINISTRY

There will be NO meeting in the Cody Center for the month of March. Instead, we have planned on a pilgrimage to Our Lady of La Leche, and visit Father Sebastian. For those who signed up for the trip, please note that the bus will be in front of the Cody Center at 8:30 AM and we will return at 3:00 PM.

Charitable Arts Ministry

Lenten Art Show, 2024. Theme: Personal Inspiration

The Lenten Show of the Charitable Arts Ministry will be hung in the Cody Center Lobby on Feb. 12 and will be open for viewing on Feb. 13. Please visit our show anytime the Cody Center is open until March 8 when the show will be taken down. There will be at least 10 artists participating. Many works will be on sale with a portion of the sales given back to the church.

Please sign our guest book and give feedback on how you liked the show.

For more information, call Becky Colangelo #(904) 294-8400

Comunidad Hispana:

- El grupo de oración Monte de los Olivos se reúne todos los martes a las 7pm en la Iglesia Histórica.
- Vía Crucis viviente se llevará a cabo el Viernes Santo
- Charlas de formación: jueves a las 7pm por zoom. Para recibir el "link" contacte a frjhon@stjosephsjax.org

Para unirte al zoom de el 29 de febrero puedes escanear el código QR.



Volunteers Needed

Have you thought of walking through the church liturgical year as a sacristan? Asking for 2 people to be Sacristan Coordinators this can be either men or women. The sacristans are special people who prepare the essentials for the priest to celebrate the Mass. Sacristans take care of the supplies, linens, and some housekeeping. Please contact Nadine Kwiatek at 904-704-7463 or email kwiatekj@bellsouth.net or contact Patrick Kinnare at the Cody Center office.



Join Now!

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 **March 6.**



Bus to PLANNED PARENTHOOD

Our monthly Parish Church Bus Trip to Planned Parenthood **Saturday, March 2.** Come ride along with us on the St. Joseph Church Bus to pray for the unborn. We'll depart from the Historic Church parking lot following the 8:00 am Mass to pray for an hour in front of Planned Parenthood. 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.

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Scan the QR code to complete your form.



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SPRING 2024 MEETING DATES:
Feb 23 | Mar 15 | Apr 26 | May 17

The St. Joseph Pillar of Families Ministry provides prayer, fellowship, and formation for families.

SCHEDULE

6:00 – 6:45 pm Holy Hour and formational talk in the St. Joseph School Chapel. Confessions will also be heard at this time for adults and older children. (Middle School Youth Ministry will also be going on at this time.)

Young children have play time in the after school care room with Columbiette volunteers.

6:45 – 7:30 pm Adults proceed to the after school care room – reunite with children for potluck and fellowship.

To sign up, go to tinyurl.com/PFM2024Potluck or scan the QR Code. For more information, contact Fr. Michael at 904-268-5422 or frmichael@stjosephsjax.org.



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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.

Cemetery cleanup day



Please join us for a cemetery cleanup day in St. Joseph's Cemetery, Saturday, March 9, 8am – 1pm.

We ask your help with ensuring St. Joseph cemetery remains a beautiful, re-spectful, and calming sacred space. We'll provide lunch and drinks but feel free to bring any goodies you'd like to share. If you haven't participated before, you'll be blessed by the experience. Some of the older graves have no family living to take care of them. Youth will receive service hours for their participation.

Supplies to bring if you can: **soft** bristle brushes and buckets.

If you have any questions please call Bob Drain 904-553-9426 or Angela Drain at the church office 904-268-5422.



CEMENTERY UPDATES:

Glass (including candles) is no longer permitted in St. Joseph's cemetery. For all updates and full rules and regulations please see the updated Cemetery, Columbarium, and Mausoleum Rules and Regulations which are posted in several areas of the cemetery as well as on our website. A hard copy can be picked up in the parish office as well. Thank you for your understanding.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

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

Offerings

For the Weekend of
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| Ash Wednesday | \$ 125.00 |
| Building & Property Maintenance | \$ 1,039.00 |
| Parish Assessments | \$ 398.00 |
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| Children's | \$ 118.41 |
| Faith Direct for the month of January | \$70,977.90 |

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PHASE 1

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PHASE 1 & 2

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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.

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