



**ST. JOSEPH**  
Catholic Church

*To be and to bring the light of Christ to the people of Mandarin*

Mailing Address (Office) | 11730 Old St. Augustine Rd, 32258

Main Church | 11757 Old St. Augustine Rd, 32258

Historic Church | 4214 Loretto Rd, 32223

**904-268-5422**

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**OCTOBER 13 – XXVIII SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | 13 DE OCTUBRE – XXVIII DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO**

## 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

2<sup>ND</sup> & 4<sup>TH</sup> 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)

8:00 am

TUE & THU (Historic Church)

6:00 pm – Vespers at 5:40 pm

1<sup>ST</sup> FRI (Cody Chapel)

7:00 pm – Mass followed  
by Nocturnal Adoration

**PLEASE SEE INSIDE FOR MASS CHANGES.**

### Mass in Spanish

WED (Historic Church)

7:00 pm

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

1<sup>ST</sup> FRI

7:30 pm Fri - midnight Sat

2<sup>ND</sup> FRI

9:00 am Fri - 7:30 am Sat

LAST FRI (Adoration for Vocations)

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

## RECONCILIATION

### In English

SAT (Marian Center)

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

MON, TUE, THU-SAT (Historic Church)

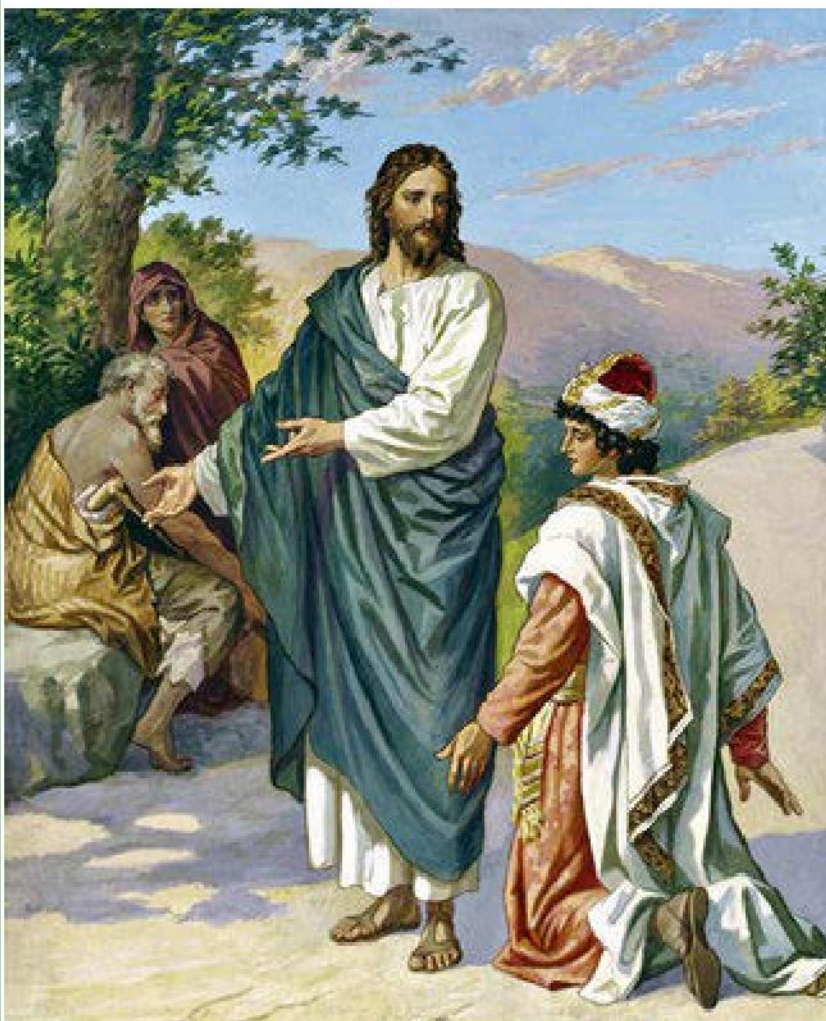
7:30 am - 7:55 am

### In Spanish

WED (Historic Church)

6:30 pm - 7:00 pm

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



TODAY'S READINGS: Wisdom 7:7-11 | Psalms 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 | Hebrews 4:12-13 | Mark 10:17-30

***"Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!"***

– Psalms 90

# Clergy & Administration

## CLERGY

### Priests

**Pastor | Fr. David Ruchinski | [pastor@stjosephsjax.org](mailto: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](mailto:dcnkevin@stjosephsjax.org)

Dcn. Bob Gardner, [dcnbobgardner@stjosephsjax.org](mailto:dcnbobgardner@stjosephsjax.org)

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Dcn. Bob Repke, [dcnbobrepke@stjosephsjax.org](mailto: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 / Director of Activities | Patrick Kinnare

Receptionist | Jackie Gould, [jgould@stjosephsjax.org](mailto:jgould@stjosephsjax.org)

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### Cemetery

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### Facility & Property Maintenance

Director | Bob Drain

Assistants | John Bohler & Owen Guernick

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Music Minister | Frank DeProspo

Wedding Facilitator | Genny Cruz, 904-304-4579 or [stjosephsweddings@gmail.com](mailto:stjosephsweddings@gmail.com)

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Youth Minister | Katie Gunkle, [kgunkle@stjosephsjax.org](mailto:kgunkle@stjosephsjax.org)

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

Interim Principal | Kathy Boice, [www.stjosephcs.org](http://www.stjosephcs.org)

Assistant Principal | Brandi Peters

Business Manager | Jenny Terrill

Office Manager | Lori Rowland

### **PARISH DIRECTORS**

Parish Council | Michael Broach

Stewardship | Karen Rasmussen

Finances/Building | John Alexander

## WEEKLY PARISH PRAYER INTENTION

In your daily prayers this week, please pray for the **Jews commemorating the high holy days of Yom Kippur**, that their pursuit of repentance brings spiritual refreshment and a renewal of hope to their hearts.

***“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, [ocia@stjosephsjax.org](mailto:ocia@stjosephsjax.org).

COVER IMAGE: [HTTPS://CATHOLICSTRIVINGFORHOLINESS.ORG/JESUS-AND-THE-CHILDREN-MK-1013-16/](https://catholicstryingforholiness.org/jesus-and-the-children-mk-1013-16/)

# 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.



# Daily Readings

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 14

Galatians 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1 / Psalms 113:1B-2, 3-4, 5A AND 6-7 / Luke 11:29-32

## TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15

Galatians 5:1-6 / Psalms 119:41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 48 / Luke 11:42-46

## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16

Galatians 5:18-25 / Psalms 1:1-2, 3, 4 AND 6 / Luke 11:42-46

## THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17

Ephesians 1:1-10 / Psalms 98:1, 2-3AB, 3CD-4, 5-6 / Luke 11:47-54

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

2 Timothy 4:10-17b / Psalms 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 / Luke 10:1-9

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19

Ephesians 1:15-23 / Psalm 8:2-3AB, 4-5, 6-7 / Luke 12:8-12

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

Isaiah 53:10-11 / Psalms 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 / Hebrews 4:14-16 / Mark 10:42-45



## 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!

Surviving the Holidays

Saturday, November 16, 2024

Time: 10:00 am -12:00 pm

Cody Enrichment Center

4152 Loretto Rd., Jacksonville, FL 32223

Contact Info: 904-318-9308 OR

[griefshare.org](http://griefshare.org)

## The Divine Mercy Journey:

is best understood and loved when we have knowledge and are acquainted with God's chosen messenger, St. Maria Faustina. From the Introduction to The Diary we read ... :

To all external appearances nothing betrayed her extraordinarily rich mystical life. ... Her entire life was concentrated on constant striving for an even fuller union with God and on self-sacrificing cooperation with Jesus in the work of saving souls. "My Jesus" ... "You know from my earliest years I have wanted to become a great saint; that is to say, I have wanted to love You with a love so great that there would be no soul who has hitherto loved You so."

(Diary 1372) It is in her diary that she reveals to us the depths of her spiritual life. An attentive reading of records offer a picture of the high degree of the soul's union with God. As lavishly gifted as she was, this is what she wrote:

"Neither graces, nor revelations, nor raptures, nor gifts granted to a soul make it perfect, but rather the intimate union of the soul with God. ... My sanctity and perfection is based upon the close union of my will with the Will of God."

(Diary 1107)

## PARISH BINGO

### Bingo Night at St Joseph



GAME  
DATES:

OCT  
12

NOV 9  
JAN 18

**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. 849.0931(10)(A)  
FOR YOUR SAFETY, SECURITY WILL BE PRESENT DURING THIS EVENT.**

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

# Mass Intentions

## SATURDAY – OCTOBER 12

**8:00 AM** (Historic Church)

† John J. Ruddy – Family

**5:30 PM** (Main Church)

♥ St. Joseph Parish Family

## SUNDAY – OCTOBER 13

**8:00 AM** (Main Church)

† Edward Fish – Roger & Linda Lestina

**10:00 AM** (Main Church)

♥ Christian Bantigue – Loving Parents

**12:00 NOON** (Main Church)

† Barbara Marcinkowski – Florence Sciortino

**5:00 PM** (Main Church)

† Cheri O'Neill – The Revels Family

## MONDAY – OCTOBER 14

**8:00 AM** (Historic Church)

† Frank Allsup – Pam & Steve Kerlin

**12:00 NOON** (Main Church)

† Fred Andriesse – Home Bound Ministry

## TUESDAY – OCTOBER 15

**8:00 AM** (Historic Church)

† Louis Kobylarczyk – Helen Mae & Beverly

† Elena Lana – Your Loving Family

† Karyn Hay – Carol Chodzko

**12:00 NOON** (Main Church)

† Souls in Purgatory – Anonymous

† Alex Dodi – Joseph & Carol Dodi

† Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Brassard – The Thomas Family

**6:00 PM** (Historic Church)

† Richard Hurtak – Horning Family

JOIN US FOR

## Sung Office of Compline

with Adoration & Benediction

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25 @ 8:00 PM**

**ST. JOSEPH HISTORIC CHURCH**

Join us for the Sung Office of Compline, a venerable tradition in the Church's nightly prayers. This ancient form of night prayer, dating back to the early centuries of Christianity, will be celebrated in our Historic Church. Experience the rich heritage of Compline through sacred chant, as we seek the peace and grace of our Lord at the close of the day. All are invited to partake in this beautiful and time-honored devotion.



*. Do you want the Lord to give you many graces? Visit Him often. Do you want Him to give you few graces? Visit Him rarely. Do you want the devil to attack you? Visit Jesus rarely in the Blessed Sacrament. Do you want him to flee from you? Visit Jesus often!*

–St. John Bosco

## WEDNESDAY – OCTOBER 16

**8:00 AM** (Main Church)

† Becky Turnwald – Gloria & Howard Alford & Family

**12:00 NOON** (Marian Church)

† Edgar Acuna – Patricia Acuna

## THURSDAY – OCTOBER 17

**8:00 AM** (Historic Church)

♥ Maria Behan – Happy Birthday

♥ Michelle Clark – Happy Anniversary

† Souls in Purgatory

**12:00 NOON** (Main Church)

† Gladys Hosseini – The Areche Family

† Stan McClain – Santiago & Leyda Garcia

† John Libasci – Carolyn Laing

**6:00 PM** (Historic Church)

† Kathy Amos – Knights of Columbus

## FRIDAY – OCTOBER 18

**8:00 AM** (Historic Church)

♥ Irma Gutierrez (Thanksgiving)

**12:00 NOON** (Main Church)

♥ Joe & Pam McMillian – Happy Anniversary

## SATURDAY – OCTOBER 19

**8:00 AM** (Historic Church)

† AdaLuisa Hernandez Sanches – Loving Daughter-Maribel

**5:30 PM** (Main Church)

† Patricia McCarthy – Robert & Heidi Reano

## SUNDAY – OCTOBER 20

**8:00 AM** (Main Church)

† Brandon Lee Smithburger – Special Intention

**10:00 AM** (Main Church)

♥ Isabella Hutchins – Happy Birthday -Love Mom

**12:00 NOON** (Main Church)

♥ St. Joseph Parish Family

**5:00 PM** (Main Church)

♥ Amy & Michael Woodward – Happy Anniversary

**Attention: Starting Oct 14 the noon mass will be moved to the Main Church.**

**“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	Thomas De Witt	Raymond Joseph Skiba III
Linda Harris	Lee Butler	Kathleen Mc Ginnis
Thanh Nguyen	Norma Orfano	William Rupard
Theresa Imhoff	Frank Clayton	Caroline Newman
Linda Cole	Derek Harter	Katrina Evans
Maya Metrik	Mike McDaniel	Ted Mayhew
Nick Skiadas	Mary Ellen Luensman	Raymond Joseph Skiba III
Sandy Bezio	Jean Terlizzi	Marilyn Charles
Ginny Brunzel	John Holechek	William Rupard
Herland Guillory	Kathleen Biggins	Kathleen Mc Ginnis
Katie Gunkle	Courtney Grey	Caroline Newman
Tim Gardner	Theresia Fiorelle	
Roy Sherrer	Theresa Muir	
Jon Taylor	Ted Mayhew	

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

Leonela Russei	Meghan Arend
Gladis Mejia	Kelly Piwowarczyk
Jona Guni	Kelly Nichols
Angelica Lomeu	Becky Marron
Jamie Davis	Amparo Iturriaga Frees
Tessa Buckley	Gaby Tonolli
Megan Riederer Weaver	Danielle Chase
Ashley Ortiz	Krista Chapas
Brittany Lavergne	Ali Chapas
Bri Nowak	Raina Armbruster Stallmack
Renata Gularte	

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.*

Riley Colbath, USN	Ryan Joseph Bantigue, USAF
Lt. Matthew Hayes	Jonathon Sanchez, USAF
Adam Kemper, USA	Corbitt Decordova, USN
SSG Justin Pritchard, USA	Capt. Colin Culver, USAF
Charlotte Spencer, USA	Lt. Andrew Stoner USN
Bryan Walker, USN	Michael Ryan, USA
SGT. Michael Donnal, USA	David Kelly, USN
Angelo Relampagos, USN	
Shane Gast, USA	

### Our next BAPTISM SEMINARS:

ENGLISH: **OCTOBER 28**  
at 6:30 pm

ESPAÑOL: **8 DE NOVIEMBRE**  
a las 7:00 pm



### WEDDING



### Christian Sexton & Emma Feeks

Main Church | Fr. Jason Trull  
September 28, 2024

## In Loving Sympathy

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

**Don Reinertsen**

*Pam Schneider's dad, family & friends*

**Becky Turnwald**

*John's wife, family & friends*

**Jabra Hirezi**

*Micheline Diegan's father, family & friends*



ST JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH  
PREP

# TRUNK OR TREAT

JOIN US FOR FUN AND PRIZES AFTER THE  
5:30PM MASS

**OCT 26**  
**6:30 PM**

**11757 OLD ST  
AUGUSTINE  
RD,  
JACKSONVILLE  
FL 32258**



## 40 DAYS FOR LIFE FALL CAMPAIGN:

SEPTEMBER 25TH-NOVEMBER 3RD

*40 Days for Life is a grassroots effort to end abortion through prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil. I encourage you to come give an hour of your time for the unborn and stand on the sidewalk at Planned Parenthood to pray for all victims of abortion. Sign up at- [40daysforlife.com/jacksonville](http://40daysforlife.com/jacksonville)*

Contact: Savannah O'Brien- Campaign Leader  
Cell: 516-302-7112  
Email: [jax40dfl@gmail.com](mailto:jax40dfl@gmail.com)

## A MESSAGE FROM BISHOP POHLMEIER ON AMENDMENT 4

SCAN THE QR  
CODE TO WATCH!



@DOSACATHOLICS  
@STJOSEPHSJAX

A great prophet has risen in our midst. God has visited his people.

-Luke 7:16

## VOTE NO ON AMENDMENT 4

Sign up to learn about it & how to beat it!



Follow our Facebook!



Sign up to volunteer your time & efforts here!



### No. 4 Constitutional Amendment, Article 1, New Section Amendment to Limit Government Interference with Abortion

No law shall prohibit, penalize, delay, or restrict abortion before viability or when necessary to protect the patient's health, as determined by the patient's healthcare provider. This amendment does not change the Legislature's constitutional authority to require notification to a parent or guardian before a minor has an abortion.

☐ Yes ☒ No **VOTE "NO!"**

No "doctor" required! No Parental CONSENT needed! No restrictions...Abortion up until birth! Don't be fooled! It's deceptive & too EXTREME!

# BE A VOICE FOR THE VOICELESS



# VOTE NO 4 ON

## WE NEED YOUR HELP TO DEFEAT AMENDMENT 4!

The Office of Human Life and Dignity of the Diocese of St. Augustine invites you to contribute to our efforts to defeat the proposed Amendment 4 – "Amendment to Limit Government Interference with Abortion." Please send us a video, 45 seconds or less, discussing topics such as – Why you are voting no on Amendment 4, What standing for life means to you, especially in relation to Amendment 4, and how you feel about Amendment 4 being on the ballot this November. Your voice matters in this important cause!



For more information and to upload your video, visit the form below or scan the QR code:

[form.jotform.com/Human\\_Life/-video-submission-form-NoAmendment4](http://form.jotform.com/Human_Life/-video-submission-form-NoAmendment4)



For more information on the proposed Amendment 4, visit: [flacch.org/abortion-amendment](http://flacch.org/abortion-amendment)



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# PREP PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

## SCHEDULE

**WEDNESDAY, OCT 16**

PREP class

**WEDNESDAY, OCT 23**

PREP class

**WEDNESDAY, OCT 30**

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](mailto:lflemming@stjosephsjax.org)

## MANDARIN FOOD BANK

Please note that the traffic pattern at the Food Bank will be changing for clients and donations. All donations should be dropped off at the first set of double doors after entering from Hood Landing Road.

**Thank you for your support!**



## Hurricane Helene Relief Perry Florida, has Immediate Needs

The Perry area (Steinhatchee, Keaton Beach, and Horseshoe Beach) in Taylor County Florida was hit very hard by Hurricane Helene, so the Knights of Columbus are stepping up to help with Disaster Recovery efforts. Right now, the highest priority items needed are:

- Tarps & Tents
- Shockwave or similar concentrated disinfectant
- Shovels
- Plastic totes
- Duct Tape and packing tape
- Markers
- Feminine hygiene products
- Baby formula
- Laundry Detergent
- Toiletries
- Towels, etc.

We will stage our Knights of Columbus trailer in the parking lot near the food bank so people can put any donated items in the trailer. (If the trailer is not there, it is making a delivery to the disaster area. Check back the next day.)

If you would like to send funds to our Council to purchase supplies, scan the QR code do donate with a credit card.

Richard Malzahn, Grand Knight  
Knights of Columbus, Council 10850



### How to Share Your Faith (and How Not To!)

Event: How to Share Your Faith (and How Not To!)

When: Two Dates

1. Spanish (October 29 - 6:30 - 8:45 pm)
2. English (October 30 - 6:30 - 8:45 pm)

Where: Tally Auditorium

Do you long for an opportunity to share your faith but get tongue-tied when one comes up?

Learn how to share your experience of Jesus in simple, natural ways in this fun, interactive event led by Mari Pablo of the Evangelical Catholic.

Come to this inspiring and practical event to

- Grow in attentive listening skills
- Understand the power of personal stories
- Discover your own story of faith
- Practice sharing your story in a low-stress environment

# Living Our Virtues Everyday



VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:  
*Trust*  
TRUST IS HAVING CONFIDENCE  
OR RELIANCE ON GOD'S  
GOODNESS, FAITHFULNESS,  
AND PROMISES.



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ST-JOSEPH  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

3RD GRADE



God has blessed us with a wonderful start to 3rd grade. We are focusing on making all of our students accountable for themselves and challenging them to become independent thinkers with God at the center of their heart. Our school's theme of Lead Like Jesus is evident in our students and we are very lucky that our 3rd grade classrooms surround our school's chapel.

Our classes are looking forward to learning multiplication and cursive this year. We are excited for a great year ahead!

ATHLETICS

Oct 17 Basketball @ Assumption  
4:30pm JV Boys  
5:30pm Varsity Girls  
6:30pm Varsity Boys



## Poinsettias On Sale for the Season!

Available to purchase from October 4-14 in a variety of sizes and colors. Perfect for the holiday season! Pick-up will be at the school on December 2nd and 3rd. All proceeds benefit our Home & School Association. Thank you for your support! Purchase at [www.bidpal.net/sjcspoinsettiasale24](http://www.bidpal.net/sjcspoinsettiasale24)



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# YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS



**Donate to  
St. Joseph's Youth Ministry!**

[stjosephsjax.org/donate-to-cym](http://stjosephsjax.org/donate-to-cym)

WHERE YOU ARE LOVED, KNOWN,  
& PRAYED FOR!



**YM Shop**

Purchase your official  
St. Joseph Youth Ministry  
merchandise TODAY!



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

**WE  
NEED  
YOU**

**WE ARE  
LOOKING FOR  
ADULT CORE  
TEAM TO HELP  
WITH HIGH  
SCHOOL YOUTH  
MINISTRY!**

CONTACT KATIE AT  
[KGUNKLE@STJOSEPHSJAX.ORG](mailto:KGUNKLE@STJOSEPHSJAX.ORG)  
TO LEARN HOW YOU CAN



**FULFILLED**

**REDEO FALL 2024 RETREAT**



**NOV. 22-24, 2024**

FOR WHO? HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH  
WHERE? CAMP ST. JOHN  
COST: \$75

REGISTRATION LINK:  
[TINYURL.COM/REDEOFALL24](http://tinyurl.com/redeofall24)  
\*SPACE IS LIMITED\*

**HIGH SCHOOL  
FALL PT. 1**

- ➔ SUNDAYS FROM 6:15PM-8PM IN THE YOUTH GARAGE
- ➔ FOR ALL 9TH-12TH GRADERS!

SEP. 15TH KICK-OFF!!

SEP. 22ND YOUTH NIGHT

SEP. 29TH YOUTH NIGHT

OCT. 6TH YOUTH NIGHT

OCT. 13TH YOUTH NIGGHT

OCT. 20TH YOUTH NIGHT

OCT. 26TH TRUNK OR TREAT

**EDGE**

**Middle  
School**

FALL 2024 Schedule

ST. JOSEPH  
SCHOOL GYM

6:00PM-7:30PM

OCTOBER 4TH YOUTH NIGHT

OCTOBER 25TH YOUTH NIGHT

OCTOBER 26TH TRUNK OR TREAT

NOVEMBER 1-3 CEMETERY WALK

NOVEMBER 15TH YOUTH NIGHT

DECEMBER 6TH YOUTH NIGHT

SAVE THE DATE- PARISH LIVING NATIVITY DEC. 13/14

**YOUTH MINISTRY QUESTIONS? Contact Katie at [kgunkle@stjosephsjax.org](mailto:kgunkle@stjosephsjax.org)**

## Ministry News

### CCW:

Since October is the month of the rosary, we are excited to announce our next Catholic Council of Women (CCW)

meeting featuring a special event. All women are welcome

**\*\*SoulCore Exercise while praying the Rosary (Joyous Mystery)\*\***

-We would like to thank Tiffany, a certified personal trainer, who guided us through a SoulCare workout last week. It was a great way to fuse a physical workout with the rosary. Everyone had a great time!

#### Important days/Reminders:

October 13: Join us for Council Sunday at 10:00 Mass.  
October: Cross Catholic Outreach Boxes of Joy are available for pick up after masses this weekend. Pick up your Box of Joy and brochure with the instructions in the Coyne Room of the Cody Center. Please provide a Christmas Gift for the poorest of the poor children in over 30 countries around the world. Return the filled boxes by October 29.

October 29: Last day to drop off you Box of Joy to Coyne Room located in Cody Center

To donate please visit the website below:

<https://crosscatholic.org/box-of-joy/online/>

Come and Join us at our next meeting November 12th for a fun game of Bunco! Bring a friend and a dish to share. Can't wait to see you!

**\*\* Mark your calendars for Council Sunday for CCW on October 13, 2024. Please join us for Mass at 10:00 AM.\*\***

## PEOPLE OF PRAISE MINISTRY:

Prayer Ministry warmly invites you to join us, on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 PM, for praise, worship, and healing prayer. All are welcome. Meetings are held in the classroom on the Choir side of the Marian Center Chapel (located at the left-rear of the Main Church.) For questions or for more information, please call or text Bob Albert (904) 392-1593 or Elaine Eckert (904) 610-8411

## MEN'S CLUB:

- All men of the parish are invited to attend this month's meeting on Monday October 21 at 7 PM in the Cody Center. Our guest speaker will be Mike Weinstein. Dinner and refreshments are available. Our last meeting featured Dan Hicken and his annual update on local sports. We also gave our annual donation to the Mandarin Food Bank of \$1,000. We hope to see many of you there. Questions? Contact John Voss 904-318-0690 [jagtor61@att.net](mailto:jagtor61@att.net)

- Oktoberfest Celebration

On Friday October 25 from 5PM till 8PM the Men's Club will be presenting Oktoberfest. Everyone is invited for Brautwurst and German beverages. Price is \$15 for adults, \$7 for children and \$40 per family. Come join us for food and fellowship. Any questions? Just contact John Voss 904-318-0690 [jagtor61@att.net](mailto:jagtor61@att.net)



## LADIES BIBLE STUDY:

Has resumed meeting on Wednesday mornings from 9:15AM - 11:00AM in the Cody Center. Currently we are listening to some talks from the National Eucharistic Congress. We will start our next study, Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom by Jeff Cavins & Sarah Christmyer, on October 9, and it will last until mid-March. For more information, call or text Mary Monfort at 904-651-3567 or send her an email at [maryvictor@comcast.net](mailto:maryvictor@comcast.net).

## ST. ANNE'S MINISTRY:

Are you a mom with children of any age? Are you expecting your first child? Do you want to collaborate with other Catholic moms and teach your children the love of Jesus? Please mark your calendar now and plan to join us on October 22 in the Cody Center for our next meeting. You will meet other stay-at-home moms and working moms who are growing together in faith. Traditionally we meet on the 4th Tuesday of each month. Please contact us for more information about attending a playgroup gathering or another fellowship opportunity. We can be reached by email at: [JoinStAnnes@gmail.com](mailto:JoinStAnnes@gmail.com).



*All Saints' & All Souls'*

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**ALL SAINTS' DAY**

**Thursday, October 31 Vigil Mass**

7:00 PM – Main Church  
(no 6:00 PM Mass in the Historic Church)

**Friday, November 1 Masses**

8:00 AM, Noon, & 7:00 PM – Main Church  
7:00AM – Historic Church (Spanish)

**ALL SOULS' DAY**

**Saturday, November 2 Masses**

No Daily Mass

9:30 AM Blessing of the Graves,  
Mass to follow 10:00 AM – Cemetery



## REGISTER FOR ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Registration is open for St. Joseph's Parish adult confirmation classes to prepare adults to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

- Classes are open for those baptized adults who have already received their First Holy Communion but have never received their Confirmation.

- Classes begin in January 2025 and are offered in English, Portuguese (Brazilian), or Spanish.

- Conferral of the sacrament is in June 2025 at the Cathedral Basilic of St. Augustine.

- Online registration is required at: <https://www.stjosephsjax.org/adult-confirmation>.

Contact: Deacon Kevin

[dcnkevin@stjosephsjax.org](mailto:dcnkevin@stjosephsjax.org)



## Walking Living Nativity

### SAVE THE DATES

Friday, December 13th

&

Saturday, December 14th

6:00 to 8:30 PM



**Location:** Corner of Hood Landing and Old St. Augustine Road.

**Parking:** Main Church, FHP to coordinate walking across road.

Bethlehem village will be set up with different shops to include pottery makers, candle makers, tailors, bakers, tent repair, etc.

Living Nativity scene and choirs will be present.

Cookies and liquid refreshments will be provided.

Ministries and volunteers will be needed for the following:

- Shop "owners"
- Nativity cast
- Prepping the grounds and stringing lights
- Set-up of the village
- Clean-up each night
- Tear-down of the village
- Cookie donations

A Living Nativity Wish list will be created for donation of items needed for the event. Sign-up Genius will be created for volunteer opportunities.

Watch the bulletin for more announcements.

Contact Cathy NeSmith at [cat.b.nesmith@gmail.com](mailto:cat.b.nesmith@gmail.com) or David Smith at [dsmith@meritconsult.com](mailto:dsmith@meritconsult.com) for more information.

## Baby Bottle Drive

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We will distribute empty baby bottles after all Masses on October 12th and 13th and October 19th and 20th. We then ask that you return them with your donation on October 19th and 20th and October 26th and 27th.

Whatever you give, it WILL make a difference.

If you are unable to give at this time, please pray for us and return the empty bottle.

"For I know the plans I have for you...They are plans for good...to give you a future and hope."

Jeremiah 29:11 (NLT)

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The Mary Widows Ministry celebrated Father Rodolfo's birthday in September!

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## Renewal Weekends

### Men's

October 19-20

Dcn Bob Gardner at  
[dcnbobgardner@stjosephsjax.org](mailto:dcnbobgardner@stjosephsjax.org)

### Women's

March 29-30, 2025

Lisa Mayer at [lisamayer397@yahoo.com](mailto:lisamayer397@yahoo.com)



CRHP FORM

All men and women of the parish are invited to a **Welcome/Christ Renews His Parish** weekend.

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 Deacon Bob Gardner.

Scan the QR code to complete your form.



Congratulations and THANK YOU to the returning altar servers who were RE-commissioned for service on August 24. The altar servers met for reflection, updates and a blessing to begin the new ministry year. Thank you for your continued service to St. Joseph's and for sharing your faith with our community!



## 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.

ST. JOSEPH YOUTH MINISTRY PRESENTS

# Cemetery Walk

BACK FROM THE DEAD

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3

**7PM - 8:30PM**



*Celebrating All Saints and Souls Day*

An outdoor theatre event put on by St. Joseph's Youth ministry. A respectful walk through St. Joseph's beautiful cemetery featuring Classic Saints – Souls from the Past!

**All are welcome to the FREE event!**

**Reserve your spot today at: [tinyurl.com/cemeterywalk24](https://tinyurl.com/cemeterywalk24)**

**Check-in inside the Cody Center 10 minutes before your tour time**

Please note: Registration is not required to attend; however, you may experience longer wait times.

**QUESTIONS? Contact Katie at [kgunkle@stjosephsjax.org](mailto:kgunkle@stjosephsjax.org)**



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Parish Assessments	\$ 524.00
Mass in Latin	\$ 3,207.00
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Mass in Portuguese	\$ 1,892.00
Children's	\$ 328.00

Total Faith Direct Offertory August 2024: \$68,256.36

## 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](mailto: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: \$6,992,637.57



## Second Collection

**THIS WEEKEND**

Building and Property Maintenance

**NEXT WEEKEND**

No Second Collection

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## 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.

Diecezja Świętego Augustyna traktuje poważnie wszystkie zarzuty dotyczące wykroczeń seksualnych oraz rozpatruje zarzuty w sposób niezwłoczny, poufny i gruntowny.

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