



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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JANUARY 4 – EPIPHANY OF THE LORD | 4 DE ENERO – EPIFANÍA DEL SEÑOR

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

Traditional Latin Mass

SUN (Historic Church)

7:30AM & 12:30 pm

Mass in Polish

2ND & 4TH SAT (Cody Center Chapel)

5:00 pm

Mass in Spanish

SUN (Main Church)

2:00 pm

Mass in Portuguese

SUN (Main Church)

6:30 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mass in English

MON, TUE, THU - SAT (Historic Church)

8:00 am

MON - FRI (Main Church)

12:00 noon

WED (Main Church)

8:00 am

TUE & THU (Historic Church)

6:00 pm – Vespers at 5:40 pm

1ST FRI (Cody Chapel)

7:00 pm – Mass followed
by Nocturnal Adoration

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

1ST FRI

7:30 pm Fri - midnight Sat

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

"Lord, every nation on earth will adore you."

– Psalm 72

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. Rodolfo Godinez

Parochial Vicar | Fr. Jhon Guarnizo

Parochial Vicar | Fr. Mark Lewis

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Youth Ministry | youthministry@stjosephsjax.org

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

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Assistant Principal | Joy Gallagher

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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 **our St. Joseph's parish family**, that we may follow the example of the three kings by rededicating our gifts of time, talent and treasure to the Lord in this new year.

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

~ Ephesians 5:25-27

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Welcome BIENVENIDO

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.



¿Es nuevo en la parroquia? Para poder servirle mejor, por favor complete una tarjeta de registro azul ubicada en la mesa en el área de recepción de la iglesia y déjela con un saludo o ujier, o envíe el formulario en la página de registro parroquial en el sitio web. Para ser padrino o madrina de Bautismo o Confirmación, o para celebrar un Bautismo en la parroquia, debe ser un feligrés registrado. No dude en llamar si tiene alguna pregunta, al 904-268-5422.



Daily Readings

MONDAY, JANUARY 5

1 John 3:22-4:6 / Psalm 2:7bc-8, 10-12a / Matthew 4:12-17, 23-25

TUESDAY, JANUARY 6

1 John 4:7-10 / Psalm 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8 / Mark 6:34-44

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7

1 John 4:11-18 / Psalm 72:1-2, 10, 12-13 / Mark 6:45-52

THURSDAY, JANUARY 8

1 John 4:19-5:4 / Psalm 72:1-2, 14-15bc, 17 / Luke 4:14-22a

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9

1 John 5:5-13 / Psalm 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 / Luke 5:12-16

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10

1 John 5:14-21 / Psalm 149:1-2, 3-4, 5-6a, 9b / John 3:22-30

SUNDAY, JANUARY 11

Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7 / Psalm 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 / Colossians 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 / Matthew 3:13-17

BULLETIN ADVERTISERS NEEDED!

Jenny Lusk from Diocesan (our bulletin publishing partner) is working to renew the advertisements currently running on the bulletin and to secure NEW bulletin ad sponsors. The bulletin is available in print and online. We are grateful that this crucial communication piece is provided at no cost to our parish THANKS to the generous support of our bulletin sponsors. Jenny is calling the current sponsors so please let her know if we can count on your continued support by renewing your ad, and please call her if you're interested in placing a new advertisement in the bulletin on behalf of your business, family, favorite charity OR to memorialize a loved one. Bulletin sponsors recognize the tremendous value of connecting with our church family, and we ask our parishioners and guests to patronize our supporters when using a local service

Jenny can be reached at 913-205-6387 or

JLusk@Diocesan.com.

We're Hiring



YOUTH MINISTER

For more info email:
kgunkle@stjosephsjax.org

Human Life & Dignity

Unplanned Pregnancy and Post-Abortion
Healing Assistance is available. Scan here for
resources available in our Diocese:



Mass Intentions

SATURDAY – JANUARY 3

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

♥ Ronique Guadalupe – Birthday Blessings-Love, Mom

5:30 PM (Main Church)

† James F. Stewart – Your Family

SUNDAY – JANUARY 4

8:00 AM (Main Church)

♥ Priests of St. Joseph's – Merry Christmas Magaly

10:00 AM (Main Church)

† Paul Luc Nguyen – Kim Nguyen

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

♥ St. Joseph Parish Family

5:00 PM (Main Church)

♥ Dcn. Kevin & Sylvia Boudroaux – Lourdes Flemming

TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS

7:30 AM (Historic Church)

† Welling & Rubi McDaniel – Jeffery McDaniel

12:30 (Historic Church)

♥ Sara E. David O'Neill – Happy Wedding Anniversary

MONDAY – JANUARY 5

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

† Dennis & Nellie Mollica – Your Loving Family

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

† Maria Soi Nguyen – Kim Nguyen

TUESDAY – JANUARY 6

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

♥ Michelle Clark – Jim Clark

† Sandra Jane Bova – Your Loving Family

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12:00 NOON (Main Church)

† George & Diane Comeaux – Happy Anniversary

♥ Patricia & Daryl Aergent & family – Don Engels Sr. & Family

† Andrew Kavanagh – The Salom Family

6:00 PM (Historic Church)

♥ Eva & All Foster Children – The Dunn Family



In Loving Sympathy

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

Vincent Russo

Caroline, Daughter, family and friends

Gary Arcuri
family & friends



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 – JANUARY 7

8:00 AM (Main Church)

♥ Lizette Woodward – Healing- St. Joseph School

7:00 PM (Main Church)

† Constance Vattilana – Bruce & Mary Emmel

THURSDAY – JANUARY 8

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

♥ Stephanie Rowley – For Healing Margaret C.

♥ Donna LaFrance – Janet LaFrance

† Joseph LaFrance – Janet LaFrance

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

♥ Amy Woodward – Happy Birthday

† Leopoldo Diaz – Leyda & Santiago Garcia

† Karyn Hay – Carol Chodsko

6:00 PM (Historic Church)

† Frank Waner – The Rowland Family

FRIDAY – JANUARY 9

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

† Randall Smith – The Kemper Family

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

† Eleanore Articulo – Edwin & Rhodora Bantigue

SATURDAY – JANUARY 10

8:00 AM (Historic Church)

† Lisa Vecchiarelli – Brett Vecchiarelli

5:30 PM (Main Church)

♥ Jesse & Mercia Comia – Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary – Your Loving Family & Friends

SUNDAY – JANUARY 11

8:00 AM (Main Church)

♥ Mr. & Mrs. James Denn – Patricia George & Chris Shea

10:00 AM (Main Church)

♥ Margie Twitchel – Special Intentions

12:00 NOON (Main Church)

♥ Jayden Woodward – Special Intention

5:00 PM (Main Church)

♥ St. Joseph Parish Family

TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS

7:30 AM (Historic Church)

† Herbert & Lucille Rutling – Jeffery McDaniel

12:30 (Historic Church)

† Carlos Juan Torres – Torres Family



Please Pray

FAMILIES AND FRIENDS WHO ARE SICK AND SUFFERING

Conrado Dominguez
Rebecca Weaver
Elizabeth Weaver
Virginia Albana
Eileen Terlizzi
Philip Johnson
Rick Zumwalde
Vicky Baker
Joni Mc Dermott

Dana Mc Dermott
Shirley Fultz
William Keegan
Susan McNally



If you would like to add your loved one to our prayer list, please contact the office at **904-268-5422**.

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

Hayley Lhotka
Alexandra Quinn
Nicole Lovell
Rebecca Price
Brittany Ann Carter
Sagra Hardy
Elisabeth Williams

Andrea Egan
Maura Webb Catalano
ZerryMarie Hamby
Jayde-Ilyse Cronin

DEPLOYED MILITARY

Please pray for all our deployed military.

Lt. Matthew Hayes
SSG Justin Pritchard, USA
Charlotte Spencer, USA
Bryan Walker, USN
Angelo Relampagos, USN
Jonathon Sanchez, USAF
Corbitt Decordova, USN
Capt. Colin Culver, USAF
Matthew Satchwell, USN

Sean Thomas Bradley, USCG
SGT Dakota Crable, USA
Commander Alexander McMahon, USN
Jillian Hoxie, LCDR, USN

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

BAPTISMAL
PACKET



Our next
BAPTISM SEMINARS:
ENGLISH: **DECEMBER 22**
at 6:30 pm
ESPAÑOL: **9 DE ENERO**
a las 7:00 pm

REGISTER ONLINE | REGÍSTRATE EN LÍNEA:



ENGLISH



SPANISH



Trenton Blair and Danielle Chase

Fr. David Ruchinski | Main Church
December 6, 2025



Henry Thomas Dostie

Son of Lance & Whitney Dostie
11/23/2025 | Fr. David Ruchinski | Historic Church

Dear Parish Family,



St. Joseph is a thriving and energetic parish blessed with an incredible campus. It is only through your generosity that we are able to be the Light of Christ here in Mandarin. We continually work each year to ensure our campus buildings are well kept and the grounds maintained. This past year we did a significant amount of work maintaining our trees, clearing the new property and significantly improving the many islands at the Main Church, Rectory and Cody Center. Our major capital improvement this past year was the re-roofing of the Historic Church. During this season of giving please remember the parish so that we may continue to be a spiritual refuge for all those in need of God's love and compassion. May the grace of the Incarnation fill your hearts with God's infinite peace and boundless joy. Merry Christmas.

Patrick Kinnare
Parish Administrator

Did you Know? ¿Sabías qué?

"A saint is not someone who never sins, but one who sins less and less frequently and gets up more and more quickly."

-St. Bernard of Clairvaux

"Un santo no es alguien que nunca peca, sino alguien que peca cada vez menos y se levanta cada vez más rápido."

-San Bernardo de Claraval

Parish Grounds Beautification Days

HELP US MAKE OUR PARISH GROUNDS
READY FOR THE SPRING!

January 10 | 8AM-1PM

Unstringing of lights

Service hours will be provided!

ALL ARE WELCOME!

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SCHEDULE

CHILDREN'S FAITH
FORMATION PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, JAN 7

WELCOME BACK MASS

WEDNESDAY, JAN 14

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

SJCC CHURCH TOURS

To schedule a tour or become a
tour guide, contact Tom
NeSmith, tour coordinator.

[drtomsjp@gmail.com] Web

Address: Church Tours | St.
Joseph's Catholic Church |

Jacksonville, FL

(stjosephsjax.org)

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

-Luke 7:16

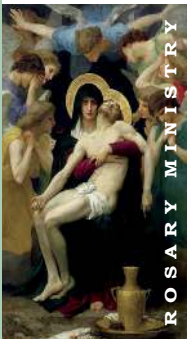
ST. JOSEPH EUCHARISTIC ASSOCIATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

**Come let us adore Him in the
Blessed Sacrament, our Savior
Jesus Christ, the Lord, the true
prince of peace!**

*"Of all devotions, that of
adoring Jesus in the Blessed
Sacrament is the greatest of
the sacraments, the one
dearest to God and the one
most helpful to us."
-St. Alphonsus Liguori*



*"Pray my Seven Sorrows to find repentance."
- Our Lady of Kibeho*



Seven Sorrows of Mary

*Rosary &
The Holy Face of
Jesus Chaplet*

For information,
please contact
Carolyn Laing at:
celaing2010@aol.com



**7:00 pm
EVERY
Tuesday**

**CODY
CENTER**
Upstairs in
Cody Room A

HAVE A SPECIAL INTENTION?
Need prayer for yourself or a loved one?

Come join us on Tuesday night!

Adult Confirmation

STILL NOT CONFIRMED?

"THIS CLASS IS FOR YOU!"

Classes Begin January 20, 2026

Register on the SJCC Website
<https://stjosephsjax.org/adult-confirmation>

or

Contact: Tom NeSmith at Tom@DTN20.onmicrosoft.com



End Of Year Note:

Contributions must be received in the parish office no later than 4:00pm on Friday, January 2 to be included on your 2025 Contribution Letter. Contribution letters will be mailed out by close of business on Friday, January 30, 2026. 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: aallala@stjosephsjax.org. Thank you for your incredible generosity to St. Joseph parish!

Charitable Arts Ministry

We are a group of art lovers and artists of all levels and media. You are welcome to join us at our next quarterly meeting on January 6, 2026, in the Coyne Room at 7:00 p.m. when we will be discussing plans for the Spring Show. For further information please contact Sheree Jones, 904-610-7328 or stjones93@gmail.com.



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 7**.



Living Our Virtues Everyday



VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:
Hope
HOPE IS LIKE A BRIGHT LIGHT IN YOUR HEART THAT HELPS YOU BELIEVE THAT GOOD THINGS WILL HAPPEN, EVEN WHEN THINGS FEEL TOUGH.



ST. JOSEPH
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

TURKEY TROT

Our St. Joseph Catholic School community joyfully came together for this year's Run for the Stars Turkey Trot, raising over \$30,000 in support of our school! Thanks to the incredible generosity of our families, proceeds will help replace and enhance the gymnasium's audio equipment—an upgrade that will bless school Masses, performances, and student events for years to come. Students proudly ran their laps with spirit and enthusiasm, ending the day with a refreshing treat and smiles all around. We are truly grateful for the support that continues to strengthen our school family!

ATHLETICS

- Jan. 7 JV Soccer vs. Assumption
- Jan. 8 JV Soccer vs. St. Patrick
Volleyball vs. Annunciation
- Jan. 9 JV Soccer vs. Palmer

***For scheduling details, please reach out to the Front Office.*



AUCTION SPONSORSHIPS

Available

This is the school's major fundraiser, supporting our 158-year tradition of education. With an ambitious goal of \$100,000, sponsorship packages are available for both businesses and families. Proceeds by enhancing student safety and providing an updated fire alarm systems. Thank you!

www.bidpal.net/starrynightauction2026



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YOUTH MINISTRY QUESTIONS? Contact youthministry@stjosephsjax.org



YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS



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

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WHERE YOU ARE LOVED, KNOWN,
& PRAYED FOR!



HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY	
SPRING → 2026 SCHEDULE	
Jan 11	Kick-off to the semester
Jan 18	High School Youth Night
Jan 24/25	Confirmation Retreat - No Youth Night
Feb 1	High School Youth Night
Feb 15	High School Youth Night
Feb 20-22	Diocesan Youth Conference (DYC)
March 1	High School Youth Night
March 8	High School Youth Night
March 15	High School Youth Night
March 22	St. Joseph Feast Day Celebration - No Youth Night
March 29	High School Youth Night
April 12	High School Youth Night
April 19	High School Youth Night
April 26	High School Youth Night
May 3	High School Youth Night
May 17	Kick-off to SUMMER!
SUMMER DATES	
Camp Covecrest - July 6-11, 2026	

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Are you looking for a prayerful regimen in your life? Liturgy of the Hours, the "Prayer of the Church," may be your answer! These structured daily prayers consist primarily of Psalms, Readings, and prayers. As a liturgy, it is second only to the Holy Mass.

Morning Prayer (Lauds, about 12 minutes) and Evening Prayer (Vespers, about 9 minutes) are especially prayed daily by both clergy and laity alike. Please pray along with Deacon Kevin each morning and evening, at your convenience, by visiting this QR Code or <http://bit.ly/LOHDcnKevin> to join in! May God continue to bless you!



Thank you

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

On behalf of our parish, I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to all who helped with and attended our Living Nativity on the weekend of December 12–13. This marked the third year of this cherished tradition, and once again it beautifully reflected our mission: to be and to bring the light of Christ to the people of Mandarin.

To all those who volunteer their time and talent for our St. Joseph's parish ministries throughout the year, I want to express my sincere gratitude for your dedication and generosity. Your efforts let the light of Christ shine brightly for our parish and community.

For all those who attended the third annual Living Nativity, thank you for joining us and helping make this such a meaningful experience. Your presence reminds us that the Nativity is not merely something we observe, but a mystery we enter into: God dwelling among us in love, humility, and hope.

Blessings,

Fr. David Ruchinski

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PARISH BINGO

Bingo Night at St Joseph



GAME
DATES:

JAN 10
FEB 14
MAR 14
APR 11

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 TERLIZZI AT 904-742-8777 OR VATERLIZZI@GMAIL.COM



Ministry News

WALKING WITH PURPOSE:

Walking with Purpose invites all women to journey through Scripture together and build relationships that matter with Jesus and ladies of our parish. No walking is required!



Small group sessions resume on Thursday, January 8, 2026 for our "Reclaiming Friendship" (6 weeks) study in the Cody Center, Tally auditorium 7:00pm-8:30pm. It was written for any woman who wants a true and deep connection that lasts. We will understand what it means that God created each of us in His image and for those of us who crave an authentic community, the kind in which we experience His joy and goodness.

Books are available at <https://walkingwithpurpose.com>, or at The Blue Mantle bookstore in St. Augustine. Cost \$25 plus tax. Contact: Peggy Truss or Laura Geisel at wwpstjosephjax2022@gmail.com

COLUMBIETTES:

The St. Johns River Columbiettes are part of a national fraternal organization for Catholic women ages 18 and older, united by a shared commitment to faith, fellowship, and service. Rooted in the teachings of Christ, our members support the Church, the Knights of Columbus, and charitable causes through prayer, volunteerism, and evangelization. From hosting parish events and supporting pro-life efforts to aiding families, veterans, and those in need, the Columbiettes live out their mission of faith, hope, and charity. All Catholic women seeking meaningful service and spiritual sisterhood are welcome. <https://stjosephsjax.org/columbiettes>



WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY:

The Women's Bible Study is now meeting on Wednesday mornings in the Cody Center, from 9:15 - 11:00 AM. This year we are doing a new study from Ascension Press called Foundations of Faith: A Journey Through the Catechism of the Catholic Church by Dr. Edward Sri, Jeff Cavins, and Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio. The video series takes you to 40+ places around the world to tell the story of the Catechism in 20 sessions. You can purchase online access to the workbook and videos directly from www.AscensionPress.com. All women are welcome to join us anytime! Please contact Mary Monfort for more information by call or text at 904-651-3567 or email maryvictor@comcast.net.

PEOPLE OF PRAISE:

People of Praise Charismatic Prayer Group is now meeting on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month.

We meet 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. in the side Marian Center Classroom located behind the Main Church Altar, to the right. All are welcome!

We meet from 7:00 - 8:30 pm.

We begin with opening prayer and general intercessions. This is followed by disposing our hearts to the Holy Spirit during our praise and worship music time. Afterwards, we share a teaching and then pray with and for one another.

Come, pray, and praise with us!

For more information, please call or text Bob Albert 904-392-1593

Or Elaine Eckert 904-610-8411

COURAGE WITH HOPE COMMUNITY OUTREACH:

We serve the homeless in downtown Jacksonville on the third Saturday of every month, rain, or shine. There are many ways you can help bring food, faith, and fellowship to those we serve. Please consider donating travel size toiletries, adult only socks and underwear. We have a bin in the church for collection. If you would like to participate by providing food or assisting downtown, we would love to have you! Please email

cekane1@comcast.net to be added to the monthly sign-up genius.

CCW:

All are invited for our next monthly gathering. Join us on January 13th at 6:30pm. January is "Human Trafficking Awareness" month. Our speakers will be from Villages of Hope, a local nonprofit that empowers women who have survived this exploitation. Join us to hear about this wonderful organization building "tiny homes" to help these women. We will have a shared meal, drinks provided. See additional announcement for more information. See the announcement for information on Epiphany family movie night on January 16th to watch the movie "The Star"



MARY WIDOWS MINISTRY

Our meeting for the month of January will be on Tuesday

Jan 6th at 12:30 PM. in the Cody Center. We have a

nice program for this meeting. After praying the Rosary,

we will be watching 2 films: a short one:

"Mother of God

Held Up Her Hand" and a longer one: "A Great Day" : an award winning Catholic film based on a true story.

Please come and enjoy these two great films.



An invitation to join like-minded Catholic men that desire to be better husbands, fathers, and authentic men of God. Build friendships as together we grow closer to the men God is calling us to be. **Saturday mornings in the Cody Center 6:30-7:45am. Join us!**

MENS CLUB

Please join the men of the parish for food, fellowship and a guest speaker at our next meeting on Monday, January 12, at 7 pm in the Cody Center.

Welcome.
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Dcn Bob Gardner at
dcnbobgardner@stjosephsjax.org



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

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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.

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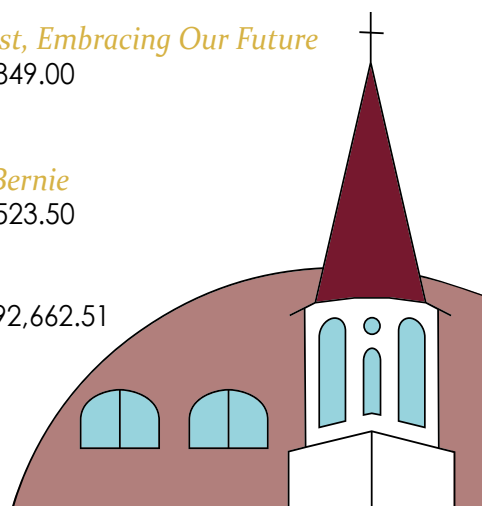
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PHASE 1 & 2

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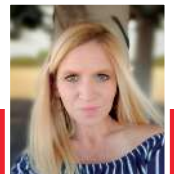
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