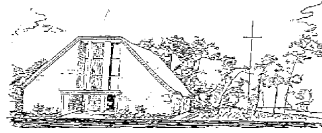


HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH
DIOCESE OF ST. AUGUSTINE
"SERVING JACKSONVILLE'S NORTHSIDE SINCE 1921"
4731 NORWOOD AVENUE, JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32206



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

As followers of Jesus, we at Holy Rosary Parish, seek to be a living community with respect for different persons and personalities. Attuned to the will of God by example of faith, worship, and prayer, we will work together toward the common goal of a loving, sharing, forgiving community that would, in itself, draw the interest of others into our Church community!

HOLY ROSARY PARISH

Fr. Bernardine Eikhuemelo, Pastor
Claudia Pratt, Business Manager /Bookkeeper
Sr. Victora Will, Pastoral Associate

Web site: www.holyrosaryjax.org email: holyrosaryjax@comcast.net

Parish Office & Church.....(904) 764-3241

Sisters' Convent.....(904) 764-9032

School Office.....(904) 765-6522

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday.....9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

GUARDIAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Sr. Dianne Rumschlag, SND, Head of School
Sr. Cynthia Shaffer SND, Principal
Therese Jackson. Principal

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

Monday- Friday.....8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Sunday
10:00 AM

Saturday Vigil
5:00 PM

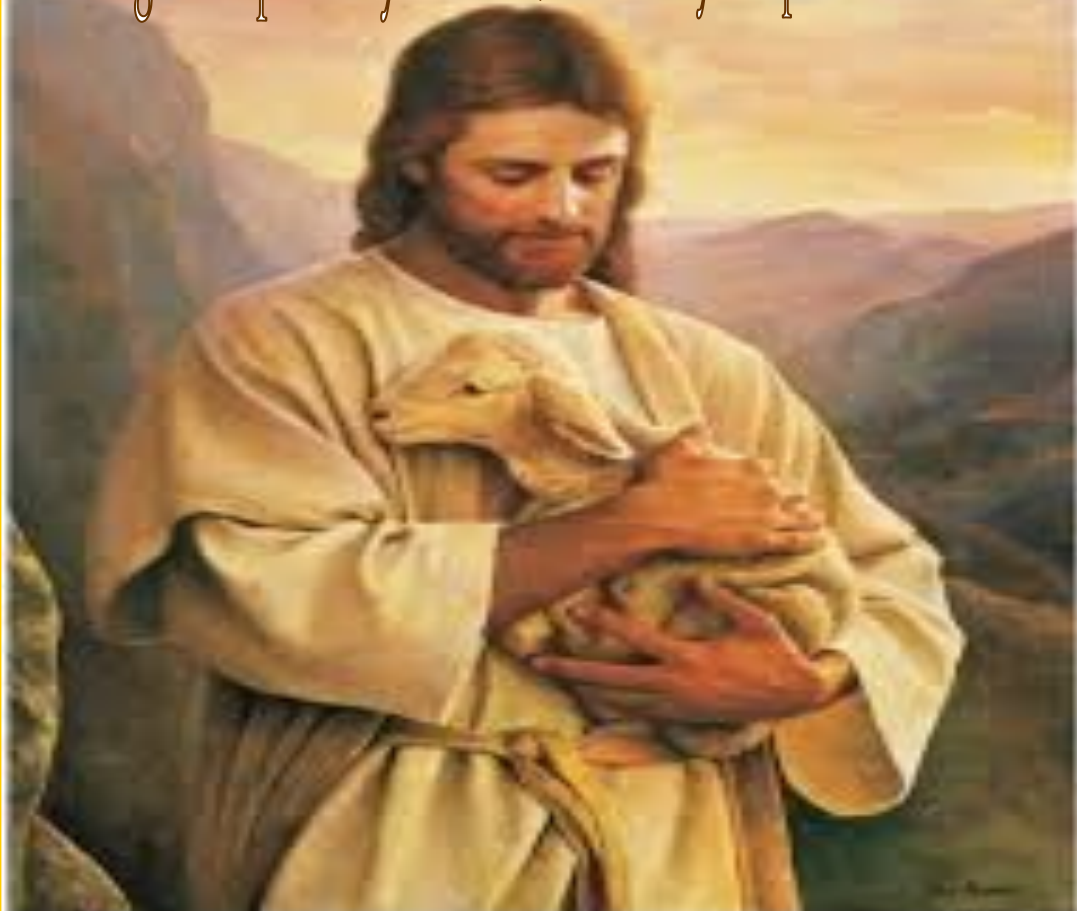
Weekday Mass
Friday 8:00 AM

Holy Days
6:30 PM

Adoration of the Eucharist
Mondays 6 PM—7 PM

Reconciliation
Saturday 4:30 PM

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep and mine know me.



Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 22, 2018

+++ Mass Intentions April, 2018 +++

Fri. 6th— 8:00 am— Parishioners of Holy Rosary
 Sat. 7th— 5:00 pm— +Judy Grothouse by Sr. Victora
 Sun 8th— 10:00 am—+Anna Pham Thi Nguyen by the Duong Family

Fri. 13th— 8:00 am— Parishioners of Holy Rosary
 Sat. 14th — 5:00 pm — Mass of Thanksgiving for:
 Henry Reyes Tan, Blair Limcango & Mae Capili
 Sun. 15th -10:00 am — +Harley Brown, Jr. by the Brown Family

Fri. 20th—8:00 am — Special Intentions by Denise Walls
 Sat. 21st — 5:00 pm — Parishioners of Holy Rosary
 Sun. 22nd-10:00 am — +William Carney by the Carney/Pratt Family

Fri. 27th—8:00 am - Parishioners of Holy Rosary
 Sat. 28th—5:00 pm — Special Intentions by Denise Walls
 Sun. 29th -10:00 am — +Joseph Meusel by Tim & Anne Meusel

Fri. 4th —8:00 am — Parishioners of Holy Rosary
 Sat. 5th — 5:00 pm — Parishioners of Holy Rosary
 Sun. 6th— 10:00 am— +Susan Meusel Holloway by Tim & Anne Meusel

Eucharistic Ministers

Lectors

Saturday, April 7

Ann Miller, Ron Walsh

Sunday, April 8

Sr. Darlene, Sal Occulto

Saturday, April 14

Ann Miller, Sr. Victora

Sunday, April 15

Jackie Moore, Roger Millo

Saturday, April 21

Ann Miller, Sr. Victora

Sunday, April 22

Cheyenne & Brooklyn Ramirez

Saturday, April 28

Ann Miller, Claudia Pratt

Sunday, April 29

Sr. Darlene, Sal Occulto

Saturday, May 5

Ann Miller, Sr. Victora

Sunday, May 6

Jackie Moore, Roger Millo

Saturday, April 7

Henry Evans

Sunday, April 8

Claudia Pratt, Donna Rettini

Saturday, April 14

Alton Yates

Sunday, April 15

Ava Gardner, Ron Walsh

Saturday, April 21

Ron Walsh

Sunday, April 22

Anne Meusel, Robert Lewis

Saturday, April 28

Henry Evans

Sunday, April 29

Sr. Susan, Claudia Pratt

Saturday, May 5

Alton Yates

Sunday, May 6

Anne Meusel, Dorothy Parker



In Need of
SPECIAL
PRAYER

**Fr. Tony Sebra, Amanda Robison, Jeanne Safer,
 Henry Reyes Tan, Kathy Dalton, Teen Wilson,**

Braydon Stephens, Barbara Stairs, Michael Reineck,

Alan Thrower, Tom Bowen, Roxanne Hermiller & Lucille Siebeneck

Carmela Rettini Taylor, Dean Hatlestad, Christine Robinson,
 Hattie Benton, Jean Adkins, Aletha Moore, & Joseph Desir

Remember all of our deceased loved ones in your prayers



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

**MESSAGE OF HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS FOR
 WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY**

*"The truth will set you free" (Jn 8:32). Fake news and journalism
 for peace continued...*

The strategy of this skilled "Father of Lies" (Jn 8:44) is precisely mimicry, that sly and dangerous form of seduction that worms its way into the heart with false and alluring arguments. In the account of the first sin, the tempter approaches the woman by pretending to be her friend, concerned only for her welfare, and begins by saying something only partly true: "Did God really say you were not to eat from any of the trees in the garden?" (Gen3:1).

In fact, God never told Adam not to eat from any tree, but only from the one tree: "Of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you are not to eat" (Gen 2:17). The woman corrects the serpent, but lets herself be taken in by his provocation: "Of the fruit of the tree in the middle of the garden God said, "You must not eat it nor touch it, under pain of death" (Gen 3:2). Her answer is couched in legalistic and negative terms; after listening to the deceiver and letting herself be taken in by his version of the facts, the woman is misled. So she heeds his words of reassurance: "You will not die!" (Gen 3:4).

The tempter's "deconstruction" then takes on an appearance of truth: "God knows that on the day you eat it your eyes will be opened and you will be like gods, knowing good and evil" (Gen 3:5). God's paternal command, meant for their good, is discredited by the seductive enticement of the enemy: "The woman saw that the tree was good to eat and pleasing to the eye and desirable" (Gen 3:6). This biblical episode brings to light an essential element for our reflection: there is no such thing as harmless disinformation; on the contrary, trusting in falsehood can have dire consequences. Even a seemingly slight distortion of the truth can have dangerous effects.

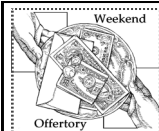
What is at stake is our greed. Fake news often goes viral, spreading so fast that it is hard to stop, not because of the sense of sharing that inspires the social media, but because it appeals to the insatiable greed so easily aroused in human beings. The economic and manipulative aims that feed disinformation are rooted in a thirst for power, a desire to possess and enjoy, which ultimately makes us victims of something much more tragic: the deceptive power of evil that moves from one lie to another in order to rob us of our interior freedom. That is why education for truth means teaching people how to discern, evaluate and understand our deepest desires and inclinations, lest we lose sight of what is good and yield to every temptation. ... *To be continued*

Have a blessed week everyone!

Fr. Bernardine

O Lord, help me to be pure, but not yet.

~Saint Augustine



Weekend of April 15, 2018
Mass Attendance: Sat.—33, Sun. — 65

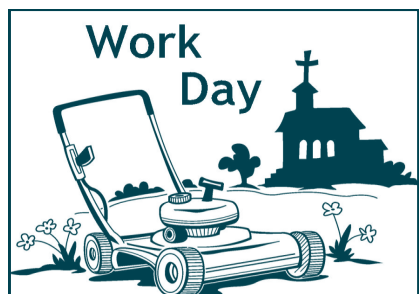
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Please make note!

There will be a tri-parish mass on
Pentecost Sunday, May 20th @ 9:30 am.

The mass will be at Crucifixion .

This once a year mass will be rotated among the
three parishes and will be done
alphabetically with mass time as indicated above.



April 28th will be a workday here at the
church beginning @ 9:00 am. Please be
ready, willing and able to help!

Please keep Father Tony Sebra in your
Masses and prayers as he recuperates
from knee replacement surgery.

2018 World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Today the Church throughout the world prays for vocations.

Will you make a special effort to ask the Lord for more vocations to the
priesthood and religious life?

- Pray for the priests who have ministered to you throughout your life, both living and dead.
- Keep our parish priests in your prayers throughout the week.
- Encourage your children, grandchildren, or other young people to consider a vocation as a priest or religious brother or sister.
- Pray a rosary for more young men and women in our diocese to respond to God's call.

Please join us for coffee & donuts
every Sunday following the 10 am
mass in the school cafeteria.

There is Adoration of the Eucharist every
Monday from 6pm—7pm. Come and spend an
hour in the presence of our Lord!

Why Call Me a Sheep?

*Why are Christ's people called sheep?
Sheep love to be together; as Christ has called
us to unity. Sheep are little creatures, just as
Christ's people are little in the eyes of the
world, and should be even less in their own
eyes. Sheep are looked upon to be the most
harmless, quiet creatures just as we should
do no harm to God's children here on earth.
And the meekness of sheep reminds us of our
dear Lord, who said: 'Learn of me, for I am
meek and lowly in heart.' Sadly too sheep,
out of all creatures in the world, are the
most apt to stray and be lost. Turn out a
horse, or a dog, and they will find their way
home, but a sheep wanders about; he bleats
here and there, waiting to be found by the
faithful shepherd.*

Bible Study has resumed on
Tuesday evenings beginning @
6:30 pm.

April Birthdays

. Joan Petruska—7th
Anne Sisson Meusel—12th
Alex Valdez—15th



Tyler McConnell
Andrew Rumschlag
William Jack Wilson
Lee Gutteridge
Joel Ater

NEWS & EVENTS FROM AROUND THE DIOCESE

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.



In *Lumen Gentium*, the Church is referred to as a sheepfold, the gateway to Christ. It is also the flock which God promised to shepherd and whose sheep are unfailingly nourished and led by Christ himself, the Good Shepherd who gave his life for his sheep. (LG as quoted in CCC#754)

En *Lumen Gentium*, la Iglesia es el redil cuya puerta única y necesaria es Cristo. Es también el rebaño cuyo pastor es Dios, como Él mismo anunció, que sin cesar las guía y alimenta, el Buen Pastor que dio su vida por las ovejas. (CIC #754)

DID YOU KNOW? The Safe Environment Program for the Diocese of St. Augustine provides information on policies, procedures, and resources to safeguard children and vulnerable adults? To obtain information, visit www.dosafl.com and click on Safe Environment.

May 5

A Night on the St. Johns Gala & Auction

6:00 to 9:00 p.m., The Haskell Building, 111 Riverside Ave., Jacksonville

Proceeds from the gala will be used to fund specialized educational programs for Morning Star School.

Tickets: \$75/person. For more information, email development@morningstar-jax.org.

A Question of Compassion-a workshop to discuss medical and ethical questions regarding healthcare decisions.

The workshop will be held at San Jose Catholic Church 3619 Toledo Rd., Jacksonville on Saturday, April 28, from 9:00 a.m. to noon. Come and learn the questions to ask and the preparations to make concerning your wishes for end of life or healthcare if you are incapacitated. Do not get pressured into signing something at a hospital that may effect your care, learn how to prepare. Father Leonard Chuwa, A.J., BCC., Ph.D., systems director of Formation and Ethics at St Vincent's Hospital and Mariann Hughes the former associate director of advocacy at the Maryland Catholic Conference will present. Remember, 18 to 25 years are vulnerable to sudden incapacitation and therefore should look at making a plan as well. A light breakfast will be served.

RSVP to May Oliver moliver@dosafl.com

You are not alone...

There is no need to feel alone when real help is available during an unplanned pregnancy- **Caring Choices** at (866) 901-9641 offers help through counseling, support, education, and resources. This is one decision not to face alone!

Struggling with emotional or spiritual pain following an abortion?

Rachel's Vineyard- is a post-abortion healing ministry that will lovingly help to transform your pain to hope and reconciliation. For more info call (904) 221-3232