

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

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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 @ St. Pius V

Weekday Mass

Friday 9:00 AM

Holy Days

6:30 PM

Adoration of the Eucharist

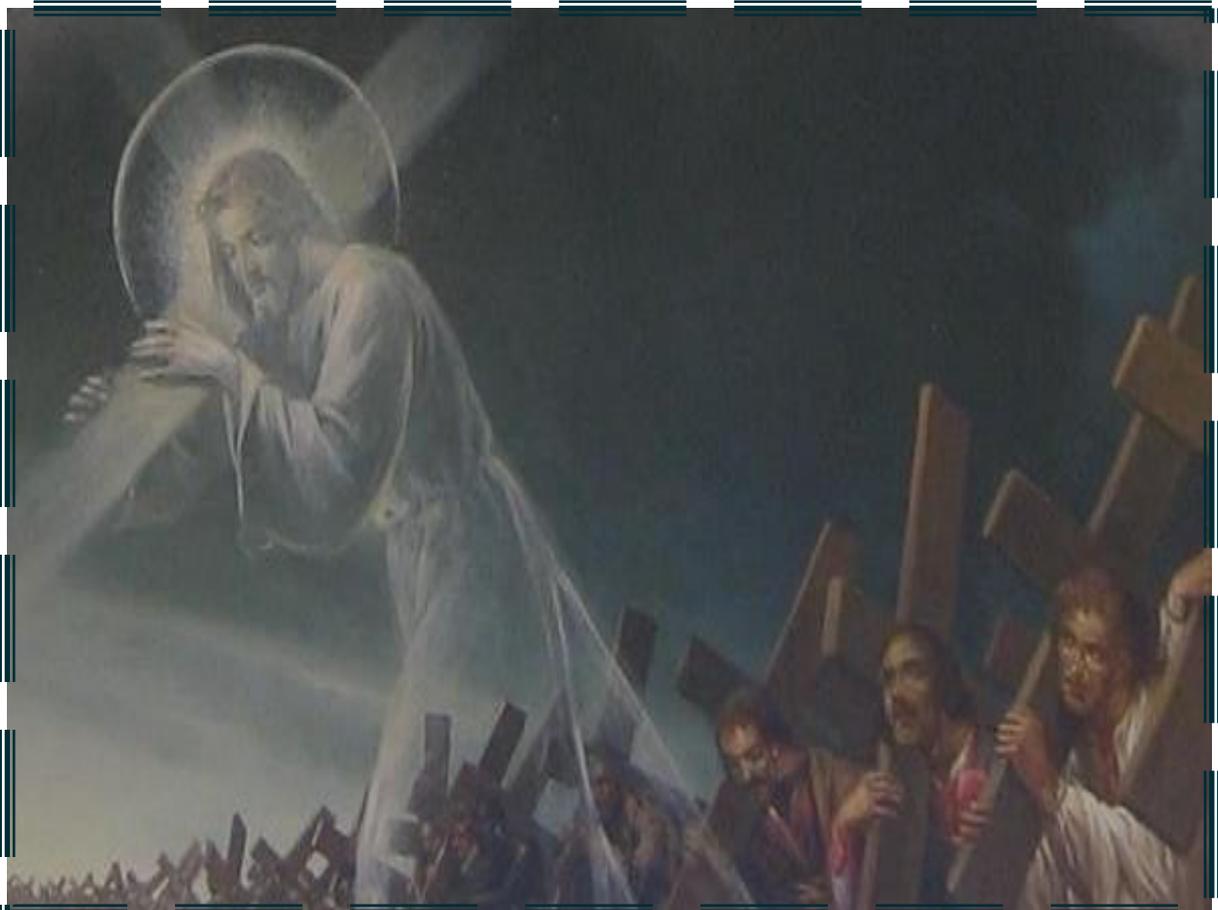
Mondays 6 PM—7 PM

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:30 PM

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me..."



September 16, 2018

††† Mass Intentions September, 2018 †††

- Fri. 31st—9:00 am— School Mass
 Sat. 1st—5:00 pm— Mass @ St. Pius V
 Sun. 2nd— 10:00 am - +Harley Brown, Jr. by the Brown Family
- Fri. 7th— 9:00 am— Repose of Molly Kelly by the Moritz Family
 Sat. 8th — 5:00 pm — Mass @ St. Pius V
 Sun. 9th -10:00 am — +Harry Hatlestad by Anne & Tim Meusel
- Fri. 14th—9:00 am — School Mass
 Sat. 15th— 5:00 pm— Mass @ St. Pius V
 Sun. 16th-10:00 am — +William Carney by the Brown Family
- Fri. 21st -9:00 am - Special Intention -He Wen Tnag by the Hoffman Fa.
 Sat. 22nd—5:00 pm — Mass @ St. Pius V
 Sun. 3rd - 10:00 am— +Harley Brown, Jr. by the Brown Family
- Fri. 28th—9:00 am — Repose of Theresa Joyce by Beverly Carrera
 Sat. 29th— 5:00 pm — Mass @ St. Pius V
 Sun. 30th—10:00 am—+Susan Meusel Holloway by Tim & Anne Meusel

Eucharistic Ministers

- Saturday, September 1
 Mass @ St. Pius V
- Sunday, September 2
 Jackie Moore, Sal Occulto
- Saturday, September 8
 Mass @ St. Pius V
- Sunday, September 9
 Roger Millo, Nancy Morales
- Saturday, September 15
 Mass @ St. Pius V
- Sunday, September 16
 Brooklyn & Cheyenne Ramirez
- Saturday, September 22
 Mass @ St. Pius V
- Sunday, September 23
 Sr. Darlene, Ann Miller
- Saturday, September 29
 Mass @ St. Pius V
- Sunday, September 30
 Claudia Pratt, Ron Walsh

Lectors

- Saturday, September 1
 Mass @ St. Pius V
- Sunday September 2
 Ron Walsh, Dorothy Parker
- Saturday, September 8
 Mass @ St. Pius V
- Sunday, September 9
 Anne Meusel, Claudia Pratt
- Saturday, September 15
 Mass @ St. Pius V
- Sunday, September 16
 Youth Group
- Saturday, September 22
 Mass @ St. Pius V
- Sunday, September 23
 Ava Gardner, Henry Evans
- Saturday, September 29
 Mass @ St. Pius V
- Sunday, September 30
 Trey Lewis, Robert Lewis



**Bayon Joyner, Kimber Pratt, Kathy Dalton,
 Barbara Stairs, Michael Reineck, Alan Thrower,
 Brooks & Heidi Kay, Tom Bowen, &
 Roxanne Hermiller**

Amanda Robison, Carmela Rettini Taylor,
 Christine Robinson, Hattie Benton, Aletha Moore, & Joseph Desir

Remember all of our deceased loved ones in your prayers

Dear Brothers and Sisters,



Identity and Cross

By the time Peter made his profession of faith, acknowledging Jesus as Messiah, the Son of God, the apostles had heard and seen a great deal of the person of Jesus. As anyone would, the apostles must have taken some pride in being very close associates of the Messiah. Now they begin to hear from the Messiah that, the cross is ultimately tied up with his identity as the Son of God.

Not only that, for all those who wish to remain in his company and be his disciples, they too have to be willing to carry their own crosses daily. Often referred to as the cost of discipleship, this is a theme not heard about so much in the face of “prosperity gospel” message in its various forms that we hear so much about. Christians cannot lose sight of the cross and its essential place both in salvation for the human race and its implication in our individual lives.

The Catechism reminds us: “The Paschal mystery of Christ’s cross and Resurrection stands at the center of the Good News that the apostles, and the Church following them, are to proclaim to the world. God’s saving plan was accomplished ‘once for all’ by the redemptive death of his Son Jesus Christ. (CCC, 571)

“The Church remains faithful to the interpretation of ‘all the Scriptures’ that Jesus gave both before and after his Passover: ‘Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into his glory?’ Jesus’ sufferings took their historical, concrete form from the fact that he was ‘rejected by the elders and the chief priests and the scribes’, who handed ‘him to the Gentiles to be mocked and scourged and crucified’. (CCC, 572)

“When the days drew near for him to be taken up [Jesus] set his face to go to Jerusalem.” By this decision he indicated that he was going up to Jerusalem prepared to die there. Three times he had announced his Passion and Resurrection; now, heading toward Jerusalem, Jesus says: ‘It cannot be that a prophet should perish away from Jerusalem.’” (CCC, 557)

It is obvious from other gospel passages, like Peter’s reaction to Jesus’ announcement that, the apostles tended to seize only on the cross and very little focus on the resurrection also mentioned by Jesus. Taken together, the lesson is that, the cross does not have the final say. The cross is also the sign of hope. To carry our crosses every day is to journey on the road to resurrection. Let us then always pray for the strength to faithfully bear our crosses.

Have a blessed week everyone!

Fr. Bernardine

*The difference between winning and losing
is most often not quitting.*



Weekend of September 9, 2018
Mass Attendance: Sun. – 70
Offertory: 847.00
Needed: \$1,650.00- \$-803.00

Holy Rosary's Fundraising Raffle tickets are now available. Each ticket is \$25 dollars. There is a 1st, 2nd & 3rd place drawing each month for 12 consecutive months. Every ticket will be entered into each month's drawings regardless of how many times it has previously been drawn. Only 500 tickets will be sold. The drawings will begin the 1st Sunday after the last ticket is sold and then the 1st Sunday of every month for the 12 months. Most importantly, the monies made from this raffle will generate \$5300 for our parish. Remember, until all 500 tickets are sold and the monies & stubs are turned in, the drawings cannot begin. We need more participation from everyone to help sell tickets so the drawings can begin. These tickets must ALL be sold before the drawings can take place. Please see Claudia for any questions you might have. If you took tickets to sell and have sold them, please return the stubs & money to Claudia. If you have tickets you cannot sell, return those too. Hopefully you will sell all you have and will need more!

Our Annual Feast Day/Picnic is approaching fast! It will be on Sunday October 7th. Please mark your calendar. There will be a sign-up sheet available next week with a list of items needed for the picnic. Please sign up to bring something.



Tyler McConnell
Andrew Rumschlag
William Jack Wilson
Lee Gutteridge
Joel Ater

September Birthdays

Kim Smith—5th
Nate Hicks—9th
Teresa Gutteridge —9th
Paul Ramirez—18th
Claudia Pratt—19th
Lee Gutteridge—20th
Kimberlee Boyle—25th
Christopher Evans— 26th
Judy Grubbs—28th

A precious gift

We speak of the crosses of daily life, and forget that our very language is a witness against us. We speak in dark tones of their heavy burdens and how obediently we are carrying them in the blessed steps of our holy Lord. Where are the words we should be saying? Where is the joy in being so similar to our Lord? Where is the comfort in knowing that all burdens are shared by our Savior? Tomorrow as you face that cross, remember to not to merely accept, but instead lift that cross cheerfully and joyfully as you would a precious gift.



Estate Planning is important for everyone— parishioners, clergy, and staff. So is planning for the future of our parishes, schools and ministries. You're invited to a free Estate Planning Seminar September 29, 2018 at 12:00 p.m. to 1:15 p.m., St. Pius V Catholic Church Social Hall. Complimentary lunch will be provided by the Catholic Foundation. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of church. Please sign your name if you plan to attend.

K of C council 5407 is having a diaper drive on September 22, 23, 29 and 30. All diapers donated will be given to Sulzbacher Village, a residence and help center for homeless women and children on the northside.

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) 962-2873.



We consider the Eucharist to be: thanksgiving and praise to the Father, the sacrificial memorial of Christ and his Body, and the presence of Christ by the power of his word and of his Spirit. Simply put: sacrifice, thanksgiving, memorial, presence. (CCC#1356-1358)

Consideramos que la Eucaristía es: acción de gracias y alabanza al Padre, memorial del sacrificio de Cristo y de su Cuerpo, y presencia de Cristo por el poder de su Palabra y de su Espíritu. Más sencillamente: sacrificio, acción de gracias, memorial, presencia. (CIC #1356 – 1358)

Anniversary Celebration—November 17

Couples celebrating a 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th or more wedding anniversary during 2018, are invited to attend this special celebration with Bishop Felipe Estévez at St. Matthew Catholic Church, 1773 Blanding Blvd, Jacksonville, FL on Saturday, November 17. Mass at 1:00 p.m. and a reception to follow. There is no cost to attend, but donations are greatly appreciated. Register at family.dosafl.com

Next week, our second collection is for the Help Spread the Faith Catholic Communications Appeal. Ninety percent of the funds collected remain in our diocese to help connect people with Christ. Your funds help us reach out to people in the diocese through the internet, social media, YouTube, radio, and print media such as the *St. Augustine Catholic* magazine. Ten percent of the funds help support Queen of Peace Radio in Jacksonville Beach and national evangelization efforts through the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. Your support helps spread the gospel message! To learn more, email kbagg@dosafl.com.

Sept. 29

12th Annual Holiday Shopper's Expo

9 a.m. to 3 p.m., San Juan del Rio Catholic Church, St. Johns

Admission: Free, for information email Catherine Farina

at farina_c@bellsouth.net

Sept. 20-23 and Sept. 27-30

Hispanic Culture Film Festival

The documentary, "Operation Pedro Pan: The Cuban Children's Exodus" will be viewed during the film festival at the Jacksonville Main Library, downtown.

This is a wonderful opportunity to present the Hispanic community as an important player in the First Coast.

Click here for more details or email Eugenio Maslowski at eugemas77777@gmail.com