



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

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday.....10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

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

Sunday
 10:00 AM

Saturday Vigil
 5:00 PM

Weekday Mass
 Friday 9:00 AM

Holy Days
 6:30 PM

Adoration of the Eucharist
 Mondays 6 PM—7 PM

Reconciliation
 Saturday 4:15 PM

7:00 PM-
 Spanish Mass

"I have come to set the earth on fire and how I wish it were already blazing!"

Prayer Requests



August 7, 2022

Dear Sisters and Brothers,



Conflict and Fire

These two words are ordinarily not positive. Unless you are completely wired differently, no one wants conflict. And growing up as kids, the message was “Don’t play with fire.” Yet in today’s gospel, Jesus alludes to both fire and conflict for important messages about God’s kingdom. Fire has purifying powers, and conflict can result from standing up for what is right and true, which is a good thing.

“Before Pilate, Christ proclaims that he ‘has come into the world, to bear witness to the truth.’ The Christian is not to ‘be ashamed then of testifying to our Lord.’ In situations that require witness to the faith, the Christian must profess it without equivocation, after the example of St. Paul before his judges. We must keep ‘a clear conscience toward God and toward men.’ (CCC, 2471)

“The duty of Christians to take part in the life of the Church impels them to act as witnesses of the Gospel and of the obligations that flow from it. This witness is a transmission of the faith in words and deeds. Witness is an act of justice that establishes the truth or makes it known. All Christians by the example of their lives and the witness of their word, wherever they live, have an obligation to manifest the new man which they have put on in Baptism and to reveal the power of the Holy Spirit by whom they were strengthened at Confirmation. (CCC, 2472)

“Martyrdom is the supreme witness given to the truth of the faith: it means bearing witness even unto death. The martyr bears witness to Christ who died and rose, to whom he is united by charity. He bears witness to the truth of the faith and of Christian doctrine. He endures death through an act of fortitude. ‘Let me become the food of the beasts, through whom it will be given me to reach God.’ (CCC, 2473)

“The Church has painstakingly collected the records of those who persevered to the end in witnessing to their faith. These are the acts of the Martyrs. They form the archives of truth written in letters of blood: ‘Neither the pleasures of the world nor the kingdoms of this age will be of any use to me. It is better for me to die [in order to unite myself] to Christ Jesus than to reign over the ends of the earth. I seek him who died for us; I desire him who rose for us. My birth is approaching. . . .’ ‘I bless you for having judged me worthy from this day and this hour to be counted among your martyrs. . . . You have kept your promise, God of faithfulness and truth. For this reason and for everything, I praise you, I bless you, I glorify you through the eternal and heavenly High Priest, Jesus Christ, your beloved Son. Through him, who is with you and the Holy Spirit, may glory be given to you, now and in the ages to come. Amen.’” (CCC, 2474)

Have a blessed week everyone!

Fr. Bernardine



Cynthia Diggett, Judy Grubbs, Kimber Pratt, Bayon Joyner, Guillermo Castelan & Ray Kastens

Carolyn Occulto, Christine Robinson, Joseph Desir Michael Reineck, Aletha Moore ,
Alan Aguilar, Ollie Harrison, Jose Luis Morales, Betty Corsen, Kathy Dalton, & Roxanne Hermiller

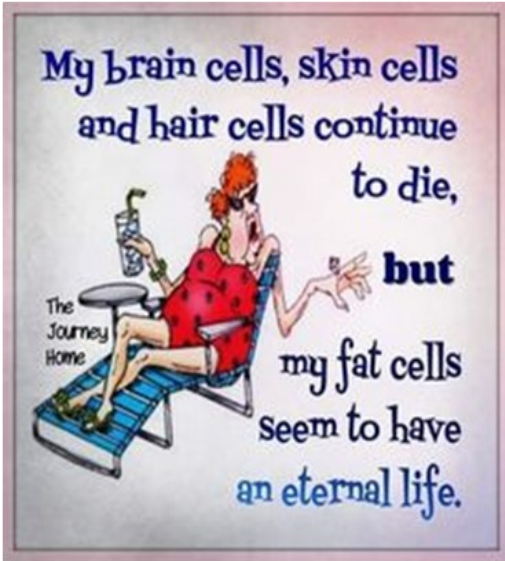
Remember all of our deceased loved ones in your prayers

Coffee & donuts are in the school
cafeteria every Sunday following mass.



Week of August 7, 2022
Offertory: \$1,186.00
Spanish Mass: \$165.00

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 Is this Monday, August 15th.
 The tri-parish mass will be here at
 Holy Rosary, 6:30 pm.



Mary's Assumption: Our Example

In celebrating the Feast of Mary's Assumption into heaven, we have a tendency at times to feel that this particular mystery puts her on an entirely different plane of life than the one we ordinary human beings enjoy. We focus on her uniqueness and forget what she shared with us: the common struggle of being human in a harsh reality. The truest blessings from this Feast come when we reflect on both sides of Mary. It is only when we remember that she was as human as we are, yet she triumphed, that her example becomes truly inspirational. Each of us is a unique creation of God bestowed with body, soul and gifts, just as Mary was. And if we will become wholly obedient to God as she was, we can fulfill our own place in His eternal plan. Mary's Assumption is a wonderful time to remember that we have work to do, a place to fill, an example to set.

Lector Schedule for August

- 7th—Donna Rettini
- 14th— Anne Sisson Meusel
- 21st—Bobbo Lewis
- 28th—Ron Walsh

August Birthdays

- Suzanna Ramirez—12th
- Clare Gutteridge—16th
- Harold McConnell—17th
- Alton Yates—19th
- Cheyenne Ramirez—21st
- Sr. Dianne—21st
- Trey Lewis—28th
- Brooklyn Batista—31st

Anniversaries

- Juan & Nancy Diaz—4th
- Alton & Gwen Yates—19th

BASA Weekly Summary Report
Holy Rosary through 8/7/2022

Participation Goal 2022	61.4%
Participation Goal	
(No. Donors)	45
No. Donors	31
Family Participation	42.47 %
Amount Pledged	\$9,176
Amount Paid	\$8,631
Balance Due	\$545

Mass Intentions for August 2022

- 12th-Fri. 9:00 am—+Fr. Denis O'Regan
- 13th-Sat. 5:00 pm—Mass at St. Pius V
- 14th-Sun.10:00 am—+Harley Brown, Jr. by the Brown Family
- Sun. 7:00 pm—Spanish Mass
- 19th-Fri. 9:00 am—+Fr. Denis O'Regan
- 20th-Sat. 5:00 pm—Mass at St. Pius V
- 21st-Sun.10:00 am—+Donald & Mary Ann Tubbs by the Occulto Family
- Sun. 7:00 pm—Spanish Mass



- Tyler McConnell
- Andrew Rumschlag
- William Jack Wilson
- Lee Gutteridge
- Joel Ater

OTHER NEWS & EVENTS

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.

Christ is present



In still another very genuine way, He is present in the Church as she preaches, since the Gospel which she proclaims is the word of God, and it is only in the name of Christ, the Incarnate Word of God, and by His authority and with His help that it is preached, so that there might be "one flock resting secure in one shepherd." (MF 36)

Cristo se hace Sacramentalmente Present



"De otra forma, muy verdadera, sin embargo, está también presente en su Iglesia que predica, puesto que el Evangelio que ella anuncia es la Palabra de Dios, y solamente en el nombre, con la autoridad y con la asistencia de Cristo, Verbo de Dios encarnado, se anuncia, a fin de que haya *una sola grey gobernada por un solo pastor* ." (MF 5)

September 10—Catholic Night at the Ballpark

Bring your friends, family, neighbors and coworkers and celebrate being Catholic while eating hot dogs and watching a good game between the Jacksonville Jumbo Shrimp and the Iowa Cubs. Gates open at 5:00 p.m. and the First Pitch is 6:35 p.m. at the 121 Financial Ballpark in Jacksonville. Tickets: \$13 each or \$26 each for the Circle K Deck tickets, which include an all-you-can-eat buffet of hamburgers, hot dogs, chips, cookies, soda and water from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. To purchase your tickets online, visit <http://www.tinyurl.com/jaxshrimpportal>. Password: **Catholic**

Help is Needed Now for Kentucky Flood Survivors

The full scope of the floods in Kentucky remains unclear, but the human toll and community impact are already devastating. Catholic Charities USA is sending disaster response teams and provides needed assistance in affected areas. Please donate today to support the work of CCUSA and Catholic Charities in Kentucky, 100 percent of your donation will be used to aid recovery efforts. To donate please visit <https://bit.ly/3PQFK1r>.

Catholic Charities is hosting a School Supply "drive" for the Ukraine Refugees coming to Jacksonville. Please refer to the bulletin insert for a list of requested items. There will be a bin at the back of church for your donations. As always, thank you for your generosity!