



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

**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  
 7:00 PM-Spanish Mass

Saturday Vigil  
 5:00 PM

Weekday Mass  
 Friday 9:00 AM

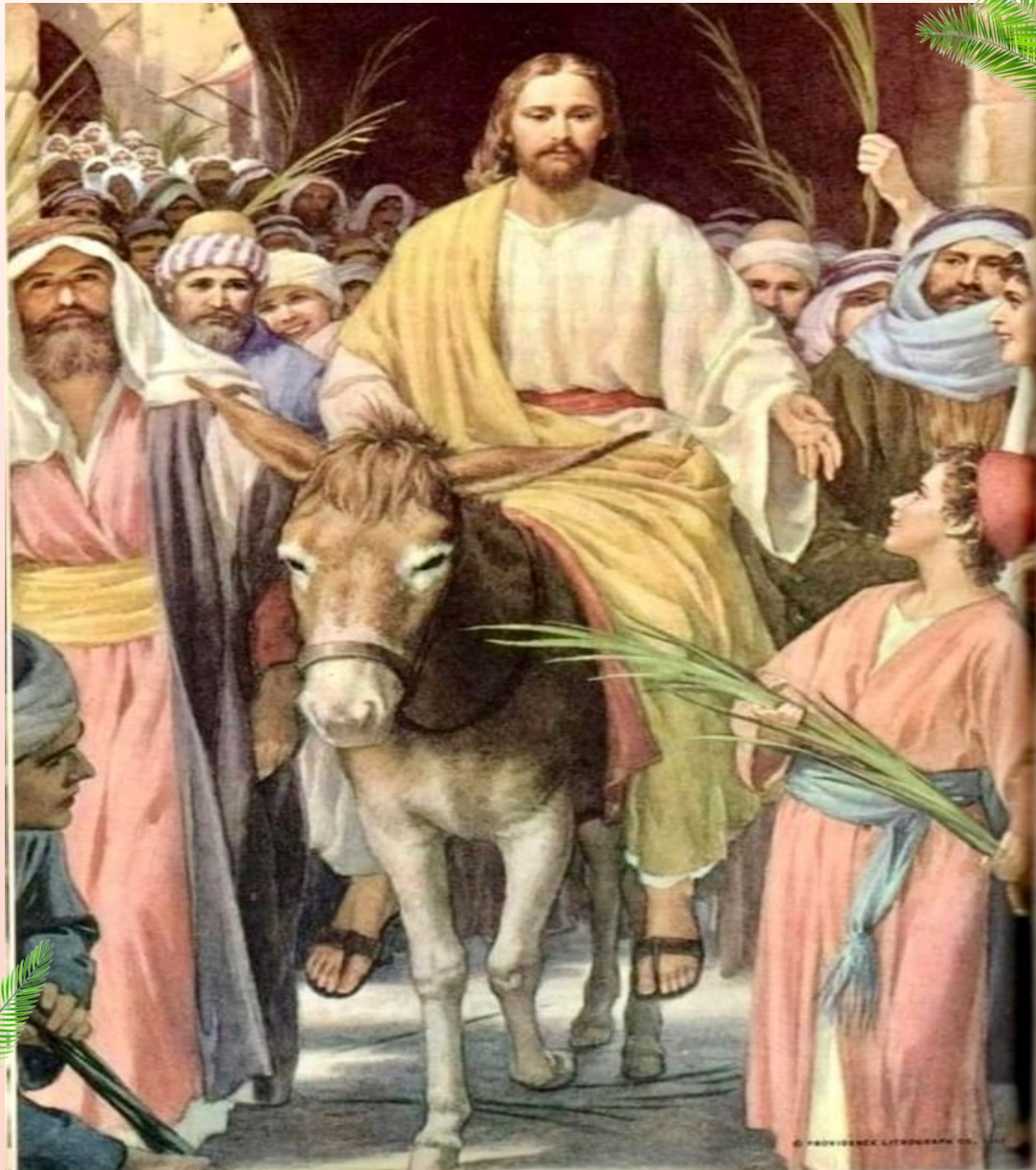
Holy Days  
 6:30 PM

Adoration of the Eucharist  
 Mondays 6 PM—7 PM

Reconciliation  
 Saturday 4:15 PM

**Hosanna to the King**

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Dear Brothers and Sisters,



## The Week of the Paschal Mystery

We are blessed to have another week, Holy Week, to celebrate and reflect on the great mysteries of our faith. As you have often heard me say, these are the days that make us who we are as Christians and more so as Catholics. The events we celebrate over the next few days are pivotal to our lives of faith as we recall Christ's death, giving his body and blood and rising to new life.

“The Paschal mystery has two aspects: by his death, Christ liberates us from sin; by his Resurrection, he opens for us the way to a new life. This new life is above all justification that reinstates us in God's grace, "so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life. " Justification consists in both victory over the death caused by sin and a new participation in grace. It brings about filial adoption so that men become Christ's brethren, as Jesus himself called his disciples after his Resurrection: 'Go and tell my brethren.' We are brethren not by nature, but by the gift of grace, because that adoptive filiation gains us a real share in the life of the only Son, which was fully revealed in his Resurrection. (CCC, 654)

“The wonderful works of God among the people of the Old Testament were but a prelude to the work of Christ the Lord in redeeming mankind and giving perfect glory to God. He accomplished this work principally by the Paschal mystery of his blessed Passion, Resurrection from the dead, and glorious Ascension, whereby “dying he destroyed our death, rising he restored our life.” For it was from the side of Christ as he slept the sleep of death upon the cross that there came forth “the wondrous sacrament of the whole Church.” For this reason, the Church celebrates in the liturgy above all the Paschal mystery by which Christ accomplished the work of our salvation. (CCC, 1067)

“It is this mystery of Christ that the Church proclaims and celebrates in her liturgy so that the faithful may live from it and bear witness to it in the world: 'For it is in the liturgy, especially in the divine sacrifice of the Eucharist, that "the work of our redemption is accomplished," and it is through the liturgy especially that the faithful are enabled to express in their lives and manifest to others the mystery of Christ and the real nature of the true Church.' (CCC, 1068)

“In the liturgy of the Church, it is principally his own Paschal mystery that Christ signifies and makes present. During his earthly life Jesus announced his Paschal mystery by his teaching and anticipated it by his actions. When his Hour comes, he lives out the unique event of history which does not pass away: Jesus dies, is buried, rises from the dead, and is seated at the right hand of the Father "once for all."8 His Paschal mystery is a real event that occurred in our history, but it is unique: all other historical events happen once, and then they pass away, swallowed up in the past. The Paschal mystery of Christ, by contrast, cannot remain only in the past, because by his death he destroyed death, and all that Christ is - all that he did and suffered for all men - participates in the divine eternity, and so transcends all times while being made present in them all. The event of the Cross and Resurrection abides and draws everything toward life.” (CCC, 1085)

Have a blessed and grace-filled Holy Week!

Fr. Bernardine



Ramon Rodrigues, Courtney Suggs, 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



**Week of March 26, 2023**

**Offertory: \$1,024.00**

**Spanish Mass: \$349.00**

## Holy Week Schedule

### Palm Sunday, April 2

**10:00 am @ Holy Rosary**

### Holy Thursday, April 6

**6:30 pm @ Holy Rosary**

**8:00 pm @ Holy Rosary (Spanish)**

### Stations of the Cross, Friday, April 7

**1:00 pm @ Holy Rosary**

### Good Friday, April 7

**7:00 pm @ Crucifixion**

**8:00 pm @ Holy Rosary (Spanish)**

### Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 8

**8:30 pm @ Holy Rosary (bilingual)**

### Easter Sunday, April 9

**10:00 am @ Holy Rosary**

**7:00 pm @ Holy Rosary (Spanish)**



The Women's Group is hosting an Easter Egg Hunt for the children of the parish, ages 3–11. It will be immediately following the 10:00 am mass on Easter Sunday.

Please bring something the child can put their found eggs in.

Prizes will be awarded for the Gold & Silver Eggs!

### Mass Intentions for April, 2023

31st-Fri. 9:00 am—+Fr. Denis O'Regan

1st-Sat. 5:00 pm—No Mass

2nd-Sun. 10:00 am—Parishioners of Holy Rosary, St. Pius V & Crucifixion  
Sun. 7:00 pm—Spanish Mass

7th-Fri. 9:00 am—No Mass—Good Friday

8th-Sat. 8:30 pm—Candidates & Catechumens of Holy Rosary

9th-Sun. 10:00 am—Parishioners of Holy Rosary, St. Pius V & Crucifixion  
Sun. 7:00 pm—Spanish Mass

## *Prayerfully Committing to a Life of Compassion*

*As we enter into Holy Week, we set our feet onto the path, following the Lord in His passion and death. As we walk beside Him, how can we ignore the suffering Jesus bore for us. As we begin to intimately understand His sorrows, they will spring forth in compassion for our brothers and sisters. This Palm Sunday begins a seven day journey that will transform us by the suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus into joyous celebrants of Easter. Let us not rush down the path this week offers to find the empty tomb. Let each day be a step that brings us more in conformity with Jesus and his suffering. Only then can we truly know the miracle of Easter morning.*

**There will be coffee & donuts in the school cafeteria on Easter Sunday.**

### Lector Schedule for April

2nd—Anne Meusel

9th—Donna Rettini

16th—Ron Walsh

23rd—Bobbo Lewis

30th—Dorothy Parker

### April Birthdays

Matthew Leon—2nd

Anne Sisson Meusel—12th

Jonathan Diaz—12th

Grant Woods—14th

Alex Valdez—15th



Tyler McConnell

Andrew Rumschlag

William Jack Wilson

Lee Gutteridge



## 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.



“Precisely for this reason (identification with his only-begotten Son) it is good to cultivate in our hearts a constant desire for the sacrament of the Eucharist.” (#34)



Precisamente por eso, (mediante la identificación con el Hijo”) es conveniente *cultivar en el ánimo el deseo constante del Sacramento eucarístico.* (#34)

April 15

Creation: God’s Revelation of Love

Join us for an Earth Day reflection on Pope Francis’ encyclical on the environment, “Laudato Si’- Care For Our Common Home,” and learn how the concept of integral ecology calls for a new relationship with the living planet. This friendly gathering in the tranquil setting of the St. Joseph Renewal Center, 234 St. George St. in St. Augustine, from 9 a.m. to noon, will awaken hope for the future and a heartfelt desire to care for God’s creation on Earth Day and every day! Msgr. Vincent Haut and John Daniels, Th.D., will be the main speakers. Admission and parking (limited space) are FREE. RSVP to Sister Jane by April 10 by calling (904) 824-5894 or emailing [stjosephrenewal@ssjfl.org](mailto:stjosephrenewal@ssjfl.org).

### **2024 Pilgrimage to the Holy Land**

Deepen your Catholic faith and join Bishop Erik Pohlmeier on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land, Jan. 10- 20, 2024, with an optional extension to Jordan on Jan. 20-23. The pilgrimage will be led by Select International Pilgrimage Tours and Cruises. For more details, visit <https://tinyurl.com/24v3ubc9>. Enroll online to guarantee your spot immediately by going to <https://tinyurl.com/yeyjt5tz>.

### **37th Annual Bishop Kenny Boosters Online Auction, April 20-22**

Thank you for helping the BK Boosters support Bishop Kenny students! Items are arriving and being added to the website daily! Go to <https://tinyurl.com/mr3mbtpk> often to start building your watch list. Consider donating gift cards, wine, foursomes of golf, gift baskets, etc. Bidding opens at noon on April 20 and will close at 10 p.m. on April 22. For more info, contact Sheila Marovich at (904) 398-7545 or [advancement@bishopkenny.org](mailto:advancement@bishopkenny.org).