



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
 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

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Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Come, Holy Spirit!!!



“I will send you the Advocate, ...the Spirit of Truth.” These are part of Jesus’ last words to his apostles. The fulfilment of that promise is what we celebrate on Pentecost day. The Spirit has indeed come and is with each and everyone of us. However, we need to constantly say these three powerful words, Come, Holy Spirit, so that we are reawakened to our Christian duties and trust in the advocacy of the same Spirit.

“When the work which the Father gave the Son to do on earth was accomplished, the Holy Spirit was sent on the day of Pentecost in order that he might continually sanctify the Church.’ Then ‘the Church was openly displayed to the crowds and the spread of the Gospel among the nations, through preaching, was begun.’ As the ‘convocation’ of all men for salvation, the Church in her very nature is missionary, sent by Christ to all the nations to make disciples of them. (CCC, 767)

“So that she can fulfill her mission, the Holy Spirit ‘bestows upon [the Church] varied hierarchic and charismatic gifts, and in this way directs her.’ ‘Henceforward the Church, endowed with the gifts of her founder and faithfully observing his precepts of charity, humility and self-denial, receives the mission of proclaiming and establishing among all peoples the Kingdom of Christ and of God, and she is on earth the seed and the beginning of that kingdom.’(CCC, 768)

“In every liturgical action the Holy Spirit is sent in order to bring us into communion with Christ and so to form his Body. The Holy Spirit is like the sap of the Father’s vine which bears fruit on its branches. The most intimate cooperation of the Holy Spirit and the Church is achieved in the liturgy. The Spirit who is the Spirit of communion, abides indefectibly in the Church. For this reason the Church is the great sacrament of divine communion which gathers God’s scattered children together. Communion with the Holy Trinity and fraternal communion are inseparably the fruit of the Spirit in the liturgy. (CCC, 1108)

“The epiclesis is also a prayer for the full effect of the assembly’s communion with the mystery of Christ. ‘The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit’ have to remain with us always and bear fruit beyond the Eucharistic celebration. The Church therefore asks the Father to send the Holy Spirit to make the lives of the faithful a living sacrifice to God by their spiritual transformation into the image of Christ, by concern for the Church’s unity, and by taking part in her mission through the witness and service of charity.” (CCC, 1109)

May the Holy Spirit continue to guide and strengthen the Church and make us courageous in the times we live in. Amen.

Have a blessed week everyone!

Fr. Bernardine



**Charles Mayhew, Ramon Rodrigues, Courtney Suggs, Kimber Pratt, Bayon Joyner,
Guillermo Castelan & Ray Kastens**

**Carolyn Occulto, Christine Robinson, Joseph Desir Michael Reineck, Aletha Moore, Judy Grubbs,
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 May 21, 2023
Offertory: \$350.00
Spanish Mass: \$317.00



Remember

Memorial Day

Monday, May 29th

The office will be closed in observance of this day.

Be Happy & Stay Safe!

Next Sunday, June 4th, there will be a Cake & Punch Reception for the parishioners of Holy Rosary who will be graduating from High School or College. It will be immediately following the 10:00 mass. All are invited to come and honor these young people.



Go Now and Do

A dove is often the first image we learn of the Holy Spirit. The gentle beating wings of God's love and power tapping at our heart. Or perhaps you think of fire, a consuming power, burning to share His message of love. Still others may call up Joel's words "I will pour out my spirit" and see the cool refreshing living water welling up in their hearts. Why do we need all these different pictures for one simple truth? Because the Spirit is as diverse as we need Him to be. God's Spirit must reach us individually where we are and touch the sleeping potential in our hearts to life. Can such divine inspiration come in just one standard size? Some of us need a lulling voice, others can hear only a trumpet blare. The gentle touch to shepherd one, the stricter rod to guide others. Because God loves each of His children equally He has given us a Spirit that can be what we need, when we need it. Just as on the first Pentecost, the Spirit brought diverse tongues to carry God's message of love and salvation to every heart, today He speaks to us in our own private language whispering the same words: "God loves you. He has a purpose for you. Go now and do."

June Birthdays

Tim Meusel—8th
 Kelly Occulto—15th

Anniversaries

Paul & Suzanna Ramirez—8th

Lector Schedule for June

4th—Anne Meusel
 11th—Donna Rettini
 18th—Dorothy Parker
 25th—Bobbo Lewis



Tyler McConnell
 Andrew Rumschlag
 William Jack Wilson
 Lee Gutteridge

Mass Intentions for June 2023

2nd-Fri. 9:00 am—+Fr. Denis O'Regan
 3rd-Sat. 5:00 pm—Parishioners of Holy Rosary, St. Pius V & Crucifixion
 4th-Sun. 10:00 am—The Graduating Parishioner of Holy Rosary
 Sun. 7:00 pm—Spanish Mass

9th-Fri. 9:00 am—+Fr. Denis O'Regan
 10th-Sat. 5:00 pm—Parishioners of Holy Rosary St. Pius v & Crucifixion
 11th-Sun. 10:00 am—Parishioners of Holy Rosary, St. Pius V & Crucifixion
 Sun. 7:00 pm—Spanish Mass

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.



“It should be made clear that the word ‘participation’ does not refer to mere external activity during the celebration. In fact, the active participation called for by the Council must be understood in more substantial terms, on the basis of a greater awareness of the mystery being celebrated and its relationship to daily life” (52).



“Debe quedar claro que la palabra 'participación' no se refiere a una mera actividad externa durante la celebración. En efecto, la participación activa solicitada por el Concilio debe entenderse en términos más sustanciales, sobre la base de una mayor conciencia del misterio que se celebra y de su relación con la vida cotidiana» (52).

“My Flesh for the Life of the World” is this year’s theme for the 2023 Eucharistic Congress that will be held on June 9 at Queen of Peace in Gainesville and June 10 at St. Joseph Church in Jacksonville.

This year’s Eucharistic Congress is a precursor to the national Eucharistic Revival to be held in Indianapolis in 2024. Bishop Erik Pohlmeier is our keynote speaker followed by Paulist Father Steve Bell, Father Rafael Capó and Bishop Emeritus Felipe Estévez. There will be both English and Spanish tracks and a Young Adult track with Father Capó Saturday evening. To learn more, visit

<https://flec.dosafl.com>.

Catholic Charities is partnering with the Jumbo Shrimp on June 28 at 7:05 p.m. for “Good is Everywhere Wednesdays” at the 121 Financial Ballpark, 301 A Philip Randolph Blvd. in Jacksonville. Come and support Catholic Charities as we raise awareness of the good works we do throughout the diocese. Tickets are available for \$20, win a chance to throw the first pitch for \$25 and raffle tickets are \$1 each. To purchase tickets, visit <https://tinyurl.com/34ruvtjd>. For more information, email development@ccbjax.org. For a flyer, visit <https://tinyurl.com/5yr5wza8>.

For the past 40 years, Camp I Am Special has been a place for children and adults with intellectual and developmental differences and other disabilities to enjoy a typical summer camp experience in a safe and loving environment. The camp also provides leadership development opportunities to more than 150 high school and college students. Campers are paired with teenage buddies, who care for them during the week and help them get the most out of the opportunity to ride horses, fish, do arts and crafts, perform in talent shows, and of course – swim! Each day during these six weeks, the camp provides hot, nutritious meals and snacks to every camper, buddy and staff member. You can help by sponsoring a meal or donating snacks, desserts and drinks. For easy sign-up, visit <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/643mod>. We greatly appreciate your donations! Visit www.ccbjax.org/camp-i-am-special for more information.