



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

"Fear No One."

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Dear Sisters and Brothers,



Farewell and Thank You!!!

As I begin my last week of pastoral work with you, I want to begin this last post with words of thanks and gratitude to God and to you for your commitment to your parishes. Your commitment and cooperation have made my eight years of working here a memorable and fulfilling time. It is my hope that, the privilege of serving you has been spiritually uplifting for you. For that privilege and whatever little impact I have been able to make, I am thankful to God.

In a few days, I begin another pastoral assignment at San Sebastian Catholic Church in St. Augustine. With a change like this one comes new challenges. Meeting those challenges will take the grace of God and so, I want to solicit your prayers for me in this new role – always. Know too that, you will be in my prayers as well.

While counting on your prayers, over the past few weeks, I have been touched and indeed overwhelmed by your kind words, farewell events and gifts as well as your best wishes in my new appointment. All of these is deeply appreciated, and I pray God's reward on you and your families.

Depending on how one looks at it, eight years is either a long or short time. But I believe we can all agree that, the years have flown by really quick. It has been my honor to spend them with you and be part of your journeys. It has been amazing to see newborns become 1st graders; kids grow up to be active and responsible young men and women, and to witness the religious and academic progress of the kids in the parishes.

During this period of eight years, I have often been asked how I am able to cope with three faith communities. The answer to that is simple but remarkable. I want to sincerely acknowledge the dedication and conscientiousness of our skeletal parish staff; various ministries, and particular individuals, who keep the wheels turning in the different aspects of parish life. Without them and their efforts, only very little can be done or achieved. I am confident that this will continue as our tri-parish welcomes Fr. Michael Elias.

So, to one and all, I say a BIG THANK YOU!!! AND SEE YOU LATER!!!

Let us continue to trust in God's Providence:

“The witness of Scripture is unanimous that the solicitude of divine providence is concrete and immediate; God cares for all, from the least things to the great events of the world and its history. The sacred books powerfully affirm God's absolute sovereignty over the course of events: ‘Our God is in the heavens; he does whatever he pleases.’ And so it is with Christ, ‘who opens and no one shall shut, who shuts and no one opens’. As the book of Proverbs states: ‘Many are the plans in the mind of a man, but it is the purpose of the LORD that will be established.’ (CCC, 303)

“Jesus asks for childlike abandonment to the providence of our heavenly Father who takes care of his children's smallest needs: ‘Therefore do not be anxious, saying, “What shall we eat?” or “What shall we drink?”. . . Your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things shall be yours as well.’” (CCC, 305)

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 June 18, 2023

Offertory: \$526.00

Spanish Mass: \$145.00

Just a Reminder

The Saturday Vigil mass will be at St. Pius V beginning next Saturday, July 1st thru December 31st. Mass time is 5:00 pm.



Don't get all weird about getting older!
Our age is merely the number of years the world has been enjoying us!!

July Birthdays

Jacob Morris—5th

Kimber Pratt—12th

Charlene Evans—18th

Ann Miller—29th

Nancy Morales—31st

Mass Intentions for June & July 2023

23rd-Fri. 9:00 am—+Bishop Victor Galeone

24th-Sat. 5:00 pm—Parishioners of Holy Rosary, St. Pius V & Crucifixion

25th-Sun. 10:00 am—Fr. Bernardine—Special Intentions
Sun. 7:00 pm—Spanish Mass

30th-Fri. 9:00 am—+Bishop Victor Galeone

1st-Sat. 5:00 pm—Mass @ St. Pius V

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

Don't Remember, Re-Live

The Eucharist is the living memorandum of Jesus' passion, death and resurrection. But it is not just a "mental" recalling. It is a "sacra-mental" reliving. There's a big difference. To remember is to look back, to think over a past event, a mental response. But vibrant, spiritual remembrance means bringing an event out of the past and experiencing it anew today. This is the real blessing of the remembrance Jesus called us to. We do not celebrate Jesus' past presence, but Jesus' real Presence here today, in wine made blood, bread made flesh. It is with this understanding that we gather around the Lord's sacrificial table in response to Jesus' invitation "Do this in memory of me."



(See Matthew 10:29-31)

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WE ONLY HAVE TO NUMBER THE HEAD HAIRS, RIGHT?

Lector Schedule for July

2nd—Anne Meusel

9th—Donna Rettini

16th—Dorothy Parker

23rd—Ron Walsh

30th—Bobbo Lewis



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.



“All who partake of the Eucharist must commit themselves to peacemaking in our world scarred by violence and war, and today in particular, by terrorism, economic corruption and sexual exploitation.’ All these problems give rise in turn to others no less troubling and disheartening. We know that there can be no superficial solutions to these issues. Precisely because of the mystery we celebrate, we must denounce situations contrary to human dignity, since Christ shed his blood for all, and at the same time affirm the inestimable value of each individual person” (89).



"Todos los que participan de la Eucaristía deben comprometerse en la pacificación en nuestro mundo marcado por la violencia y la guerra, y hoy en particular, por el terrorismo, la corrupción económica y la explotación sexual". Todos estos problemas dan lugar a su vez a otros no menos preocupantes y desalentadores. Sabemos que no puede haber soluciones superficiales a estos problemas. Precisamente por el misterio que celebramos, debemos denunciar las situaciones contrarias a la dignidad humana, ya que Cristo derramó su sangre por todos, y al mismo tiempo afirmar el valor inestimable de cada persona” (89).

EverMore In Love Couples Retreat, July 15-16

The weekend immersion retreat will be at Christ the King Catholic Church, 742 Arlington Rd. N. in Jacksonville. Four couples from Blessed Trinity Catholic Church will present the retreat. It is open to any couple who wants to grow ever more in love regardless of church affiliation, stage of relationship or level of faith! Don't miss this graced opportunity to experience the wonder of being ever MORE in love. Register now at www.evermoreinlove.org, or fill out a registration flyer. For more information, call Ron and Kathy Feher at (484) 366-6102. For a flyer, visit <https://tinyurl.com/yunupdvf>.

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>.

2024 Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

Due to popular demand, additional room for a second group has been added to this pilgrimage! 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>.