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Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 23, 2023



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**Effective July 24, all masses will be  
celebrated in the Parish Hall**

**Parish Mass Schedule**

Sunday: 8:30 am & 11:00 am

Monday-Friday 5:30 pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Monday-Friday 4:45 to 5:15 pm

For appointment, contact Parish Office

**Rosary Prayed**

Every Sunday: 8:10 am

**Parish Office Hours**

Monday - Thursday

10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Friday Closed

**Parish Contacts**

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**Welcome visitors and new members!**

If you are not currently a registered member and would like to become one, please take your time to complete a registration form and drop them in the office.

New members are invited to join the ministries of our parish to share your gifts and talents.

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Please follow us on Facebook and Instagram where you can find the most up to date information regarding times for mass, other services and events.

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## Message from Fr. Pat

World Day for Grandparents and Elderly Sunday July 23rd

For this year's World Day for Grandparents and Elderly Sunday July 23<sup>rd</sup>, Pope Francis chose as the theme "His mercy is from age to age" (Lk 1:50), which expresses the link with World Youth Day, 1-6 August 2023, which will take place shortly thereafter in Lisbon, Portugal.

In a move to foster devotion among the faithful, the Apostolic Penitentiary has granted that a Plenary Indulgence will be granted to Catholics taking part in the upcoming Third World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly.

In a decree issued by the Apostolic Penitentiary and approved by Pope Francis, the plenary indulgence will be granted to grandparents, the elderly, and all faithful who participate in the solemn celebration presided over by the Pope in St. Peter's Basilica, as well as to all those who attend Mass in various parts of the world.

The indulgence is subject to the usual conditions of sacramental Confession, reception of the Eucharist, and prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father. A plenary indulgence offers remission of the temporal punishment due to sins already forgiven, which can be applied to oneself or to the souls in Purgatory.

The Apostolic Penitentiary extends the same Plenary Indulgence to those who dedicate significant time to visit—either in-person or by virtual means of communication—their elderly brothers and sisters who are in need or facing difficulties, such as the sick, abandoned, and those with disabilities.

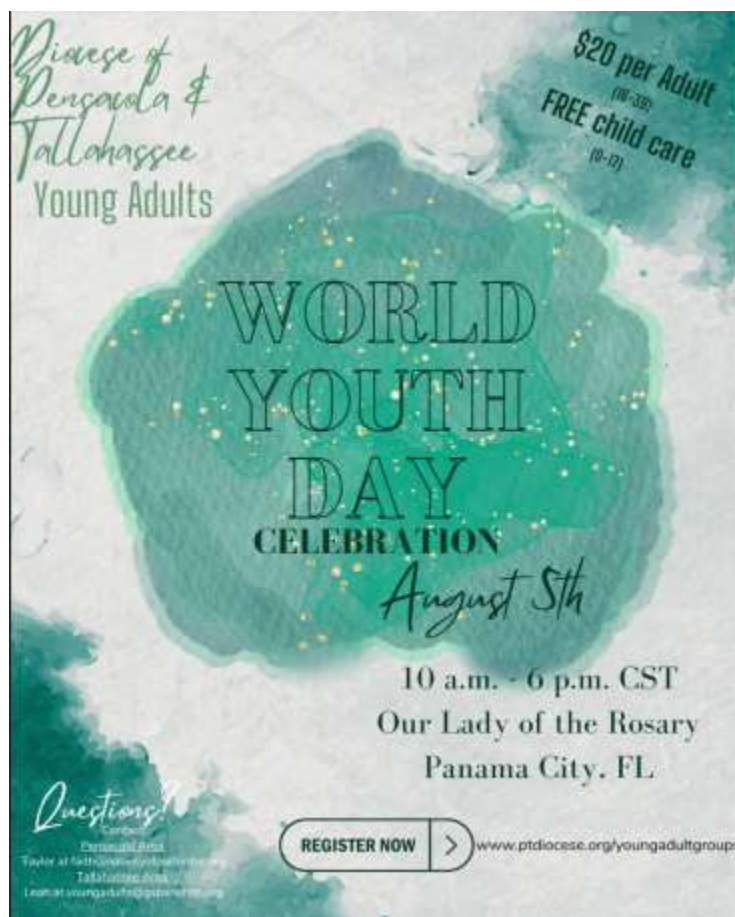
We are MOVING

I have been notified that our contractor is ready to start working on the ceiling of the church, so starting on Monday 7/24, all Masses will be celebrated in the parish hall. They project it will take 6 weeks to complete the work.

And as a reminder, starting on Monday 7/24 weekday Masses will be celebrated Monday through Friday at 5:30 PM, with confession available from 4:45 PM to 5:15 PM in the parish hall.

May God's blessing be upon you

Father Pat



Our parish has just subscribed to a massively helpful new outreach by the Catechetical Institute at Franciscan University of Steubenville. We are now able to offer online formation for **every person in the parish** – parents, volunteers, ministry leaders, youth ministers, catechists, or any adult wanting to go deeper in the faith. **It is free to all, with unlimited access.** This program provides the most in-depth and faithful array of formative workshops ever created. With 300+ workshops available, we are now able to thoroughly train and spiritually nurture you in passing on the faith. Come grow, come explore at <https://franciscanathome.com/diocese-pensacola-tallahassee>. All you have to do to get started is to click on the second blue box and create your account.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PARISH FAMILIES WHO ARE ILL:

Caleb Bartholomew, Lucy Bell, Martha Carmichael, Jeremiah Coleman, Paul Copeland, Harold DesVirnes, Rosemary Donaldson, Marge Edwards, Carolyn Emerson, Michael Espree, Shannon Evans, Jeanne Firth, Richard Firth, Michael Flores, Davis Gonzales, Audrey Hogan, Tim Holley, Vincent Jackson, Nelson Jones, Timothy Jones, Glaydes Knight, Merrie Lee, Joshua Linton, Shawndra Malonson, Marie Mangria, Anne McDowell, Russell McLaughlin, Rosemary McQuay, Leroy Moore, Lemont Pass, Robert Patterson, Carolyn Porter, Power, Debra Renshaw, John Rich, Bertha Roby, Marilyn Archer, Johnny Archer, Mechelle Rosier, Tony Scott, Anna Mae Smith, Sean Smithers, Lily Townsend, Ronald, Townsend, Tina Turner, Sally Valentine, Steve Vasek, Alma Williams, Ezzie Thrash, Ethel Gaber, Russell Wright, Reginald Ramsey, Charlena Archer, Harold White, Aubrey Patterson Jr, Anthony Floyd, Marion Williams, Hazel Johnson, Theresa Cook, Samuel Horton, Wendy William, Nadia Nissa, Stephanie Peterson, Senaya Youngblood, Jase McClendor, Stanley Walker, Bob Mick-



### Mass Intentions

It is a noble work to have a Mass offered for a family member on their birthday, or a wedding anniversary, or someone who is ill. We also have the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass offered for a loved one or friend who has died. If you would like to schedule a Mass for the deceased or someone living, contact Marge in the Parish Office. The usual offering for a Mass is ten dollars.

### Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, July 24th

5:30 pm Souls in Purgatory+

Tuesday, July 25th

5:30 pm Souls in Purgatory+

Wednesday, July 26th

5:30 pm Souls in Purgatory+

Thursday, July 27th

5:30 pm Souls in Purgatory+

Friday, July 28th

5:30 pm Souls in Purgatory+

Sunday, July 30th

8:30 am Souls in Purgatory+

11:00 am

### BIBLE STUDY

Every Wednesday after the  
9:00 am Mass

### WHY WE CONFESS

BY DR. BRANT PITRE

Dr. Brant Pitre gives an eye opening Bible study on the origins and meaning of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, commonly known as "Confession". If you ever wondered about the biblical roots of this sacrament, then this Bible study is for you. You will discover Jesus was dying to institute the Sacrament of Confession as an essential part of God's plan for "reconciling the world to himself" (2 Corinthians 5:19)

### Weekly Offertory

Regular Offertory: \$ 2,414.00

Vanco (Online) : \$ 650.80

Total Offertory: \$ 3,064.80

### CSA Totals for 2023 as of July 21, 2023

Campaign Goal: \$ 9,459.04

Count of Pledges: 55

Total Pledges: \$ 15,133.55

Paid Off: \$ 12,833.55

Balance on Pledges: \$ 2,300.00

## 2023 - 2024 CCD PROGRAM

# REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

## CLASSES START AUGUST 2023

Registration forms are available in the back of  
the church

For more information please contact Mrs. Dedra Thompson or call  
the office at 850-436-6461

### **FOOD DRIVE CARING & SHARING**

**MINISTRY** is accepting pop top canned goods (beanie weenie, Vienna sausage, potted meat, tuna & chicken and soups). Please drop them after mass in the back or contact DeeDee green (850) 723-3390 or Parish Office (850) 436-6461 to schedule a drop off.

Effective Monday, July 24, 2023, the Church will be closed for renovations inside the building. All Masses will be celebrated in the Parish Hall.

### SAINT JOSEPH MEDICAL CLINIC

**Mondays: (Metabolic Patients Only)**

**7:30 am - 11:00 am**

**Tuesdays: (Regular Clinic)**

**7:30 am - Noon**

**Wednesdays: (Regular Clinic)**

**11:00 am - 3:30 pm**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION,  
CALL THE CLINIC DIRECTLY AT  
(850) 434-8162**

### VANCO ONLINE CONTRIBUTIONS

Go to Vanco Payment Solutions link  
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