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Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord - August 6, 2023



**FEAST
OF THE
TRANSFIGURATION**

Image from Vatican News

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
9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Friday Closed

Parish Contacts

(850) 436-6461
Mailing Address:
PO Box 13566
Pensacola, FL 32591

Fr. Patrick LaPointe pastor@stjoseph.ptdiocese.org
Marge Rice office@stjoseph.ptdiocese.org

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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A Message from Fr. Pat

REBUILD AND GROW

As the Pastor, one of my goals is to grow St. Joseph parish, I call this the Rebuild and Grow initiative. There are two aspects of the initiative, the first is the number of registered parishioners that we have, and the second is the financial stability of the parish.

Currently we have 183 families registered in the parish, down from over 250 several years ago. The goal for Rebuild this year is to add 50 families to make our number of parish families 233; I have been told by parishioners that this is an achievable goal. I would be very happy if we could surpass this goal and come next June, we have 250 or more registered families.

At the center of the experience of being a parishioner at St. Joseph is participation at the Mass, and it is also what makes our parish so attractive to visitors. It is widely accepted that elements that draw people to attend Mass is the quality of three things; Good Music, Good Preaching and Genuine Hospitality and I think we have all three here at St. Joseph.

So, I am asking everyone's assistance to reach out to former parishioners that you know, and invite them to come attend Mass at St. Joseph, to see what they are missing. We will be reporting on how we are doing with our efforts as the year goes on.

On the financial side, starting this fall we will begin a program called Amen Generosity. This program will help educate our parish on the relationship between our own spiritual growth and the financial support that is given to the mission of St. Joseph parish. This program has been used by many parishes in the diocese and is supported by Bishop Wack. I am looking for five parishioners to help me lead this effort, if you are interested, please contact me.

For Rebuild and Grow to be successful, we need all parishioners to actively help in getting families to join St. Joseph, and to be open to prayerfully discern their financial support of the parish.

May you have a blessed week.

Father Pat

Eucharistic Discipleship

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In the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) we read, "The Eucharist is 'the source and summit of the Christian life.' . . . In brief, the Eucharist is the sum and summary of our faith: 'Our way of thinking is attuned to the Eucharist, and the Eucharist in turn confirms our way of thinking'" (1324, 1327).

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

- Mass
- 6 Presentations
- Small group discussions
- Personal reflection
- \$15 fee

Register at:
ptdiocese.org/youth

All are welcome - catechetical ministry, RCIA directors, prison ministers, and all the lay faithful!



Mark E. Ginter, Ph.D.
Catechetical Institute
Franciscan Center for Evangelization and Renewal
Franciscan University of Steubenville

THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE of PENSACOLA-TALLAHASSEE





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, 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, Ezze 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 Mickelson,

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, August 7th

5:30 pm Souls in Purgatory+

Tuesday, August 8th

5:30 pm Parishioners in the Prayer list

Wednesday, August 9th

5:30 pm Souls in Purgatory+

Thursday, August 10th

5:30 pm Souls in Purgatory+

Friday, August 11th

5:30 pm Souls in Purgatory+

Sunday, August 13th

8:30 am Dorothy Marshall+

11:00 am Catherine LaPointe+

Weekly Offertory

Regular Offertory: \$ 2,041.00

Vanco (Online) : \$ 251.24

Total Offertory: \$ 2,292.24

CSA Totals for 2023 as of August 4, 2023

Campaign Goal: \$ 9,459.04

Count of Pledges: 55

Total Pledges: \$ 15,133.55

Paid Off: \$ 12,858.55

Balance on Pledges: \$ 2,275.00

2023 - 2024 CCD PROGRAM CLASSES WILL START AUGUST 20, 2023 AT 9:30 AM WALKER BUILDING



We are still accepting registrations, please contact Mrs. Dedra Thompson or call the office at 850-436-6461 for more information.

The CCD Parent Teacher Meeting will be held on Sunday, August 13th, 2023 after the 11:00 am mass in the Walker Building.

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

BIBLE STUDY

Every Wednesday after the 9:00 am Mass

FROM GENESIS TO JESUS AN OVERVIEW OF THE OLD TESTAMENT

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 AT (850) 434-8162

VANCO CONTRIBUTIONS

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link below to sign up.

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If you have any questions, please
contact the Parish Office at
(850) 476-6461

Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee 2023

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Office of Advocacy and Justice
850-435-3532
Bonea@diocese.org

Florida
Culture of Life
Conference

Friday and Saturday,
October 13-14th, 2023

ptdiocese.org

St. Joseph is a safe place. The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to healing the hurting hearts of sexual abuse victims, and has established Victims Assistance Coordinators and are available to help persons who have been sexually abused. The Victim Assistance Coordinator for the Pensacola and Fort Walton area is Louis M. Makarowski, Ph.D., P.A., 850-477-7181.

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