

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS FROM THE DIOCESE

Busted Halos—Living Holiness in a Broken World Diocesan Young Adult Retreat for Ages 18 & up September 12—13, 2025

St. Brendan Center for Evangelization and Spirituality, 9840 Beulah Rd., Pensacola, FL 32526

Join young adults from across the diocese for a special retreat September 12-13 at the St. Brendan Center for Evangelization and Spirituality. Mass, Reconciliation, Adoration, Talks and Fellowship will be available throughout. Topics include our identity in Christ, how we are transformed in Him and how we are called to sanctify the world.

Awesome speakers are Clair Gallagher, consecrated virgin for the Archdiocese of New Orleans, instructor at Loyola University and co host of podcast Flourishing Sisterhood. Dr. Luke Arredondo, the Director of the Lay Formation Institute and Chez Filippini, Director of Communications and Marriage & Family Life.

Registration fee \$30 includes meals and lodging at St. Brendan. To register go to: www.ptdiocese.org/youngadult-retreats

Processing Guilt God's Way—A Workshop on Divine Mercy and Mental Health Saturday, August 23, 2025, 10:00 AM—2:15 PM

Location: St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church, Pensacola

Reserve your spot for a special workshop on divine mercy and mental health at St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church in Pensacola. This workshop offers a balance approach combining Catholic teaching with psychological insights to help you distinguish between healthy guilt that leads to growth and toxic shame that holds you captive.

Featured speakers are Dr. Luke Arredondo, the Director of the Lay Formation Institute and Dr. Jennifer Brooks, Clinical Psychologist. Registration fee is \$15 and includes a box lunch.

URGENT ASSISTANCE NEEDED

Zac Arnold is a seminarian for the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee who has long been suffering kidney failure and is in need of a transplant. With the support of the Office of Seminarians, his medical team have encouraged him to make a broad appeal across the diocese in the hopes of finding a donor.



Please visit his mini-site for more information at www.nkr.org/sly952. Pray for his speedy recovery as he continues his formation

FOOD PACKING EVENT #3

Help us raise
\$30,000
so we can pack
100,000
meals



to feed
children
& families
in developing
countries

Saturday, September 13

Walton County Fairground
790 N 9th St (Hwy 83), DeFuniak Springs

Two shifts for volunteers
9:00-11:30 AM & 12:30-3:00 PM

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put your faith
into action



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**44th Annual Catholic
Renewal Conference**

Rich in Hope

Romans 15:13



Dr. Mary Healy
Keynote Speaker



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Pensacola-Tallahassee DCCR

8 am to 6 pm
Register at ptdccr.org

\$35 for first person, \$15 for each
additional family member
Breakfast snacks and lunch included

AMEN GENEROSITY

Blazing

"Jesus said to his disciples: 'I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing!'"

The mission that we share as the Church challenges us to be set on fire with the love of the Holy Spirit for God and for others. This is the fire for which our Savior Jesus came to earth to live among us. As St. Paul teaches, we must *"persevere in running the race that lies before us while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith."* How are we doing as stewards of this great mission that is ours as the Church? Are we ablaze with love for God and others?

Petition:

That we may let the Holy Spirit set us ablaze as the Church with the fire of His love for God and others, we pray...



spiritually support our clergy JOIN THE PRIEST PRAYER SUPPORT NETWORK

**DO YOU FEEL A CALL TO PRAY MORE
INTENTIONALLY FOR OUR PRIESTS?**

The Priest Prayer Support Network (PPSN) is seeking assistance from parishioners to strengthen our priests through our prayers. Members of the network dedicate themselves to praying for all priests of our diocese and for one specific priest to whom they will be assigned by a coordinator. Membership renews on a yearly basis. No meetings, no fees or donations, join anytime. The commitment is minimal, and the *impact is significant.*

interested?
**CONTACT LUCINDA COVERSTON AT
PRAYER.NETWORK.PT@GMAIL.COM
PTDIOCESE.ORG/PPSN**



Hurricane Prayer

O My God, please keep us safe from the destruction of hurricane, tornados, floods and fires. Please comfort us as your Son comforted His Disciples on the Sea of Galilee. Watch over us and provide us with calm waters, clear skies and gentle winds. Spare us from grief, danger, loss and harm and grant us peace and safety. We praise You for the beauty of all creation. We give You thanks for providing us with the bounty of these lands and waters. In Your name we pray. Amen

SAVE THE DATE!

FAITH FORMATION CONFERENCE

Join individuals from across the diocese on **Saturday October 11** for a special day of formation at St. Sylvester parish in Navarre. Bishop Wack will open the day celebrating Mass, followed by Fr. Sergio Serrano, OP, of Ascension's *La Biblia en un Año* podcast delivering keynote presentations in English and Spanish. Breakout sessions will cover additional topics such as:

- Missionary Discipleship
- Restored Order of the Sacraments of Initiation
- Family Catechesis
- Catholic Social Justice
- Preparation for Baptism, Marriage, Reconciliation and Confirmation

A Spanish language track will be available for the entirety of the conference. Cost is \$20 if you register before October 1, \$30 after October 1. Register today at ptdiocese.org/formation.

BULLETIN PRAYER LIST

Parishioners who are sick/hospitalized are invited to share their name (or the name of a loved one) for the prayer list in our bulletin. Please call or email the office to submit the names. *Names will remain on the list for 1 month.*

ONLINE BULLETINS

Available by Saturday

<https://stjoseph.ptdiocese.org/news/>

DONATIONS NEEDED

The Caring & Sharing Outreach Ministry is accepting the following donations:

POP-TOP CANS

Vienna Sausages	Beanie Weanies
Ravioli/spaghetti	Tuna
Canned fruit	Sardines
Canned chicken	Spam
Peanut Butter	Chicken Noodle Soups

Please drop them off at the back of the church or in the office. If you have any questions, please contact DeeDee Green at (850) 723-3390