

# HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 31, 2019

Whoever is in Christ is a new creation: the old things have passed away;  
behold, new things have come.  
— 2 Corinthians 5:17

### From Your Pastor!

#### Be Joyful:

#### Father is full of Love and Forgiveness

Today, the fourth Sunday of Lent, is traditionally known as *Laetare Sunday*, the Church takes a bit of breath from Lenten practice and opens Mass with Entrance Antiphon, "*Laetare (Rejoice), Jerusalem... Be joyful, all who were in mourning!*" – taken from Isaiah chapter 66.

Are we supposed to "**Rejoice!**" in the middle of Lent? Indeed we are! On this Sunday, we look with expectation to the great Solemnity of Easter for which we have been preparing ourselves as a Church during the Lenten Season. By its anticipation of the joy of Easter, *Laetare Sunday* is meant to give us hope and encouragement as we slowly progress towards the Paschal Feast.

The holy season of Lent is not so much a time for mourning, rather a time of recognizing God's love. The readings bring us the message that forgiveness is at the heart of God's plan for us and that forgiveness invites us for a *new beginning*. We are invited to accept God's abounding forgiveness.

The first reading from the book of Joshua recounts God's mercy in rolling away the Egyptian disgrace: that of slavery, humiliation, mockery and shameful living. The Lord invites them to start afresh a new life modeled on His commandments. This message becomes prominent in the second reading, where St. Paul, stresses that '*new creation*' comes with faith in Jesus. But it is the Gospel reading that climaxes this message of forgiveness.

The parable of the prodigal son manifests the 'shocking generosity' of the father. The younger son claims his share of the property and thereby

effectively considers his father to be dead. Luke shows the depth to which the son stoops down, when he pursues an unclean occupation in feeding swine: an abomination to the Jews. Yet there is a silver lining. The pivotal verse '*when he came to his senses*' changes the direction of the story and highlights the repentance. The contrast is made visible in the encounter with the elder son, who, being with the father in all his righteousness was '*lost*'.

We are invited to be the 'father' in the parable. The father, who had been wronged, was forgiving. But the eldest son, who had not been wronged, was unforgiving. Let us, during this season of Lent try to restore our sonship/daughtership with the Heavenly father.

Let our prayer today be, *Father let me taste your love and offer it to others.*

#### Have a Blessed Week!!



Among all those who are included under the title of neighbor, there are none who deserve it more, in one sense, than those of our own household. They are nearest of all to us, living under the same roof and eating the same bread. Therefore they ought to be one of the principal objects of our love, and we should practice in regard to them all the acts of true charity, which ought to be founded not upon flesh and blood, or upon their good qualities, but altogether upon God.

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

[www.ANF.org](http://www.ANF.org)

**MASS & SACRAMENTS****WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

**DAILY MASSES**

Mon., Tues., Thu., Fri., 8:30 a.m.  
Wed., 7:00 p.m. with Miraculous Medal Novena

**ADORATION**

Monday thru Friday 9am - 8pm

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Every Saturday 4:00 p.m. & Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Baptismal Seminar, 7:00 p.m., 2nd Thursday of every month, in the Family Life Center. You must be registered at the Parish for 6 months  
Baptism - 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month after the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

**SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY**

Couples must contact Fr. Amar & Cheryl Bergman at least 8 months in advance.

**SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING**

If you or your loved one is in need of the Sacrament of Anointing please call the office anytime. We also have dedicated Eucharistic Ministers to bring Holy Communion to the sick and the homebound.

**PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM**

Religious Education Every Sunday  
K through 12th Grade  
9:30-10:45 a.m. Aug. thru May

**MINISTRY CONTACTS**

<b>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</b>	Ben & Perlita Lipat	236-0439
<b>Altar Society</b>	Linda Davis	329-2714
<b>Angels of Mercy</b>	Kathie Garrett	565-1859
<b>Annulments</b>	Ann & Tim Hergenroether	591-8004
<b>Bible Study</b>	Ron Coleman	641-8688
<b>Choirs - Folk:</b>	Bob Vigliano	476-4240
<b>Adult &amp; Filipino</b>	JoJo Munoz	422-1764
<b>Junior Choir:</b>	Phil Militante	620-8841
<b>Elizabeth Ministry</b>	Jennifer Cabrey	993-9500
<b>Finance Committee</b>	Amelyn Mordormi	564-9076
<b>Filipino Group</b>	John De Leon	710-5631
<b>Grounds</b>	Jerry Robichaud	642-5714
<b>Hope &amp; Consolation</b>	Pam Andres	571-5998
<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	John Murnin	714-8873
<b>Legion of Mary</b>	Ted Slezak	859-8777
<b>Marriage Building</b>	Ramon & Natalia	305-989-0634
<b>Men's Club</b>	Dave Garrett	565-1859
<b>Offertory Counting Cmte</b>	Diane Davis	641-7244
<b>Prayer Blanket Ministry</b>	Marcia Scheeter	641-7115
	Kathy Lehane	477-0808
<b>Religious Store</b>	Kathie Garrett	565-1859
<b>Respect Life Coordinator</b>	Renee Bascon	382-6093
<b>Rosary Ministry</b>	Maria J. Kendrick	626-1288
<b>St. Vincent de Paul Society</b>	Don Zehnder	312-3242
<b>Senior Social Group</b>	Annette Kelley	641-2186
<b>Scouts -Boys &amp; Cubs</b>	Linda Byer	483-6113
<b>Scouts - Girls</b>	Theresa Wondracek	762-6869
<b>Society of Divine Mercy</b>	Fred Althoff	229-7604
<b>Wedding Coordinator</b>	Cheryl Bergman	962-7103
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**HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL (PreK-8)****Principal: Dr. John Luciano**

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Ronda Lagow - 642-9165

[www.hscatholicsschool.com](http://www.hscatholicsschool.com)

**Office Hours:**

Monday - Friday 9:00a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**SAT/MAR 30 - 5:00pm** +Mauro, Emerlinda & Romalyn  
By: Ynez & Ramsy Families

**SUN/MAR 31 - 8:15am**  
11:00am Holy Spirit Parishioners  
+Clarence Casterlin  
By: Nick & Natalie Winiewicz

**MON/APR 01 - 8:30am** Wolfgang Schreiber(B/day)  
By: Hal & Chris Gibson

**TUE/APR 02 - 8:30am** +Mary Hindman Scheeter  
By: John & Marcia Scheeter

**WED/APR 03 - 7:00pm** +Isabel Herrera  
By: Family

**THU/APR 04 - 8:30am** Flotilda Marquez(B/day)  
By: Alice De Leon

**FRI/APR 05 - 8:30am** +Eligido Amador Galino  
By: Tano Galino & Tess Paez

**SAT/APR 06 - 5:00pm** Sister Juliana, Jaimbe Esmania  
& Rimabo

**SUN/APR 07 - 8:15am** Holy Spirit Parishioners  
11:00am Maurice Ben-oduro(B/day)  
By: Brian & Fatima Chambers

**ALTAR SERVERS****Apr 06 - 5:00pm**

Andrea Tuason, Michelle Segiun, John Slade

**Apr 07 - 8:15am**

Tanner Lagow, Thomas Obrien, John Slade

**Apr 07 - 11:00am**

John Mallari, Christopher Bajao, Etheana Carandang

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN ALTAR SERVING?**

Anyone 5th grade and higher interested in joining the Altar Server Ministry please submit your name and email to: [kathleenlehane3988@att.net](mailto:kathleenlehane3988@att.net). After information is received you will be contacted with a date for training.

**CATHOLIC TALK RADIO**Listen, Learn, Share  
**1460AM****MASS INTENTIONS**

If you would like to offer a Mass Intention for a Family Member or Friend in celebration of a Birthday or Wedding Anniversary or in memory of a Death Anniversary then you could do so with the Missionaries St Francis De Sales and the donation goes toward the support of the order. Please call the church office for more details.

**UPCOMING EVENTS AT HOLY SPIRIT****SUN/MAR 31**

RCIA/RCIA CHILDREN - 9:00AM - FLC  
CCD CLASSES - 9:30AM - SCHOOL  
BIBLE STUDY - 9:30AM - FLC  
EDGE - 5:00PM - FLC

**MON/APR 01**

MASS @ 8:30AM

**TUE/APR 02**

MASS - 8:30AM  
CUB SCOUTS - 6:30PM - HESLIN HALL  
PRAYER GROUP - 7:00PM - CHAPEL

**WED/APR 03**

LIFE TEEN - 5:00PM - FLC  
RECONCILIATION - 6:30PM  
MASS - 7:00PM  
BOYS SCOUTS - 7:00PM - FLC

**THUR/APR 04**

MASS - 8:30AM  
LEGION OF MARY - 2:00PM - FLC  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS/LADIES AUX - 6:00PM - FLC

**FRI/APR 05**

MASS - 8:30AM  
**STATIONS OF THE CROSS - 2:00PM & 7:00PM**

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET - 3:00PM  
GIRL SCOUTS - 6:30PM - SOCIAL HALL

**SAT/APR 06**

MASS - 5:00PM

**SUN/APR 07**

MASSES - 8:30AM & 11:00AM  
CCD CLASSES - 9:30AM - SCHOOL  
BIBLE STUDY - 9:30AM - FLC  
RCIA/CHILDREN - 9:00AM - FLC  
**FIRST COMMUNION RETREAT - 10:30AM - FLC**  
LIFE TEEN - 5:00PM - FLC

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE EXPECTANT MOTHERS:**

Jessica Bergman Cuthbertson,  
Ruby Almazan-Baker, Brooke Johnson,  
Jessica Allen, Trica Rover, Julie Ingram

Contact: Jennifer Cabrey 993-9500 for info.



**SACRIFICIAL OFFERING  
MARCH 24, 2018**

<b>Offertory:</b>	<b>\$ 16,116.00</b>
<b>FLC Pledge:</b>	<b>\$ 5,998.17</b>
<b>Emergency Fund:</b>	<b>\$ 321.00</b>
<b>School:</b>	<b>\$ 560.00</b>

**Thank you for your sacrificial giving and may God continue to bless your generosity.**

**There will be a Children's Collection at all Masses this weekend.**

**ABBY JOHNSON | UNPLANNED MOVIE**

Unplanned is the inspiring true story of one woman's journey of transformation. All Abby Johnson ever wanted to do was help women. As one of the youngest Planned Parenthood clinic directors in the nation, she was involved in upwards of 22,000 abortions and counseled countless women about their reproductive choices.

[www.unplannedfilm.com](http://www.unplannedfilm.com)

Check times with your local theater in case there is a change.

**Regal Avenues**

9525 Phillips H/way – Stadium 20  
Showing-Thurs 3/28 – 7:00pm, 9:50pm  
Fri 3/29  
Sat 3/30  
Sun 3/31 – 1:00pm, 4:00pm, 7:00pm, 10:00pm

**Tinseltown - 4535 Southside Blvd**

3/28 -7:00pm, 9:45pm  
Future dates TBA



**SCENES FROM  
INVEST IN YOUR MARRIAGE FAIR**



### HOLY SPIRIT PARISH STATIONS OF THE CROSS

**Apr 05** – 2:00pm & 7:00pm

**Apr 12** – 2:00pm & 7:00pm

**Apr 19** – Living Stations @ 2:00pm

**Good Friday Service – 3:00pm**

### LENT

You are reminded of the Church's laws for fasting and abstinence during the Lenten Season. Good Friday is a day of fasting. Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are permitted one full meal and two lesser meals per day (which together should not equal one full meal), with no eating between meals.

All Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence. Catholics who are 14 years or older should abstain from meat entirely. Soups and gravies made from meats are permitted.



*Worldwide Marriage Encounter*

### When You Care Enough...

... to love the very best in your marriage, treat yourselves to a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend in the Central Florida area will be **May 3rd through 5th in Orlando**. To get more information or to register call Bob/Sheila Baker @407-647-4289 or go to WWME.ORG. You will be glad you did!

**Thank You!**

We wish to thank everyone who participated in one way or another to make the "**Invest in your Marriage**" fair a success this weekend.

Your love and dedication in putting together all the displays, your time, commitment, and your example of community involvement were inspirational.

Special Thanks to Ramon & Natalia Molano, Raquel & Chad Tripp.

May God continue to Bless you in your ministries!

### HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH

## DIAPER DRIVE

During the Lenten season, Holy Spirit Parish will be participating in an effort to help the Missionaries of the Poor who serve the Lord among the poorest of the poor.

At this time there is a desperate need for **ADULT DIAPERS & BAR SOAPS!!**

Please consider making a donation of these items as part of your act of charity this Lent. A box is located in the main church foyer for these items or it can be dropped off at the church office!



### HOLY SPIRIT MEN'S CLUB

is hosting their

### THIRD LENTEN FISH FRY

of the Season

**On Friday April 12 from 5 – 7pm**

in the Heslin Hall

Tickets: Adults \$9 Kids 6 years and younger FREE

Menu includes:

fish, fries, hush puppies, cole slaw, baked beans  
Desserts, beer and wine are available for a donation

Take outs are available!

See you then!!

### NEWLY BAPTIZED

#### RENZEL GENTRY

Son of Michael & Samantha

#### AVERY TYE

Daughter of  
Daniel & Kristen

#### SOFIA BADOWSKI

Daughter of  
Aaron & Tai



# FAITH FORMATION



## HUMAN TRAFFICKING WORKSHOP

Education and Advocacy in Action!

**Where:** Blessed Trinity Parish

**Date:** Saturday, April 6, 2019

**Address:** 10472 Beach Blvd. Jacksonville, FL 32246

**Time:** 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

**Speakers:**– Marina Anderson, DCF Regional Human Trafficking Coordinator, *Re-threaded*, Ruby Peters CCB Social Justice Liaison, Northeast Florida Human Trafficking Coalition Ambassador

**Sponsored by:** Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and The Office of Human Life and Dignity, Diocese of St Augustine  
For registration and questions please contact:  
[moliver@dosaf1.com](mailto:moliver@dosaf1.com) or call (904) 262-3200 ext.159

Take Two parallel resolutions:  
One to notice the weeds growing in the garden of our life and the other to have the courage to uproot it.

~Conf. 10~

## HOLY SPIRIT EDUCATIONAL SESSION



**DATE:** Sunday, April 28, 2019

**TIME:** 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM

**PLACE:** Holy Spirit Family Life Center

**TOPIC:** Mother Mary

Join Father Amar for coffee and pastries as we learn about the Rosary, devotion to our blessed mother and other important ways we honor Her. Come learn more about your faith.

All are Welcome!

## WE ARE ONE BUILDING GOD'S CHURCH, ONE MARRIAGE AT A TIME

### COME JOIN US!

LEARN ABOUT THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE AND ITS PURPOSE IN BUILDING GOD'S CHURCH.

DISCOVER EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION SKILLS THAT WILL DEEPEN THE INTIMACY IN YOUR MARRIAGE WITH ADVENTURES IN MARRIAGE WORKSHOP.

### RETREAT

HEALING - RECONCILIATION - EUCHARIST - RENEWAL OF VOWS



- September 22, 2018
- October 27, 2018
- December 8, 2018
- February 2, 2019
- March 16, 2019
- May 11, 2019
- June 15, 2019

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TO REGISTER CALL THE PARISH OFFICE

### Advertiser of the Week

**COBBLESTONE CLEANERS**

Thank you for making our Bulletin possible.

**“Those who LOVE to be FEARED, FERA to be LOVED”~ SFS~**

## OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Would you like Our Lady of Fatima to visit your Home for a Week? If you do, then openings are available for 2019 so call **Chris Freeman at 904-716-7743 or 904-503-7070** or e-mail [ccfreeman127@icloud.com](mailto:ccfreeman127@icloud.com) to sign up.



We have the following weeks available for our Lady of Fatima statue!

**June 01 June 22 June 29**  
**July 13 July 20 July 27**

## BREAKING OPEN THE WORD

There will be a 'Breaking Open the Word' for the Lenten readings each Sunday of Lent in the Family Life Center, **Room 112 from 9:40 to 10:40**, between the Masses. Come and learn more about the readings and how they progress through Lent for our journey.



**June 24-28, 2019**  
**More information to follow...**

## SAVE THE DATES KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

**March 30 & 31** - Rosary led by Knights before each Mass  
**April 04** - General Meeting 7 pm @ FLC  
**April 04** - Golf Meeting 8 pm @ FLC  
**May 18** - Annual Memorial Golf Tournament 8:30am Shotgun Start @Blue Sky Golf Club

## FIRST COMMUNION CLOTHES DRIVE

Do you have any First Communion clothes/ accessories that you no longer need? We are collecting items that you may want to donate. This will help other families that may not have the means to buy all new attire for their children. This can be a suit, pants/trousers, tie, dress shoes, dresses, veils or socks (WHITE only). Please drop off your donations at the church office or leave in the red mailbox in front of the office.



**Rachels Vineyard Ministries**  
**(904) 221-3232**  
rachelsvineyard.org  
Email: rachelsvineyardjax@yahoo.com

## HEALING THE PAIN OF ABORTION

A Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat is a beautiful opportunity for any man or woman who struggles with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. Come and experience God's great love, mercy and forgiveness, April 5-7 Call 904-221-3232 or email rachelsvineyardjax@yahoo.com. All calls & inquiries are very confidential. Come and be restored!

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## RETREAT

**Sunday, April 7, 2019**  
**10:30 AM**  
**in the Family Life Center**

**(One parent must accompany child during entire retreat)**

Maribel Hernandez, DRE  
mhernandez@holyspiritchurchjax.org

**WE WELCOME  
NEW PARISHIONERS**  
**Glenn & Kristin Nemanic and Family**  
**Joan & Susan Rudgick**  
**Duane & Laura Wiktorek**  
**Francis & Rebecca Hoffman**  
*A Warm Welcome*

**SCHOOL NEWS**

**Holy Spirit Catholic School Fundraising Raffle**

1st Prize - \$2500.00 • 2nd Prize - \$500.00  
3rd Prize - \$200.00

Drawing to be held: April 12, 2019 at 6:00 pm at Heslin Hall  
At Holy Spirit Catholic School,  
11665 Fort Caroline Road Jacksonville FL 32225

Suggested Donation \$10 per ticket, (no purchase necessary)  
Need not be present to win • Limit 15 tickets per person

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**Need help with directions? Follow this!**

1. Visit Amazon-Smile
2. Select Holy Spirit Catholic School as your charity of choice and start shopping!
3. Bookmark the Amazon-Smile link and use it each time you shop with Amazon! (Proceeds will only be donated if you are logged into Amazon-Smile).

**THANK YOU**

Many Thanks to Charlie Mann of Mann-Pellicer Zoning Consultants and Councilman Al Ferraro for their assistance in helping the school get permission from the city to install a security fence along the northern property line of our parish. The safety of our students and parishioners is of utmost importance to us all.

**HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT**

Joseph Alberto, Class of 2018, is currently ranked 3rd out of 500 students in his class at Stanton College Preparatory School. We are very proud of Joseph and the other products of Holy Spirit School. We pray for God's continued blessings on them and their families.

**THANK YOU**

Holy Spirit School wishes to **THANK** Gene Rover and B&G Plumbing for their complimentary repair of a kitchen sink in our gymnasium recently. Tithing one's talents is a great gift to God.

**"THE CASH RAFFLE**

**is a significant fundraiser for Holy Spirit Catholic School. Each ticket is \$10. A booklet of 6 tickets is \$50. Each parishioner will receive a booklet of tickets in the mail. Tickets stubs and check/cash may be placed in the church collection baskets in an envelope marked "SCHOOL RAFFLE".**

**The drawing will be held on Friday, April 12, 2019 at 6:00 pm in the Msgr. Heslin Hall. You do not have to be present to win. Thank you for supporting the school."**

**ST PAUL'S SCHOOL Charity Poker Tournament**

**Thursday April 04 2019 @ 6:30 – Hors d'oeuvres & Lessons 7:00pm Card Fly**

**\$100 per person = 2000 chips  
\$20Cash additional buy ins = 1000 chips**

**Cash Prizes  
1<sup>st</sup> Place \$1500  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place \$1000  
3rd Place \$500**

**RSVP 904-387-2841  
Best Bet Jacksonville  
201 Monument Rd**



**DID YOU KNOW?**

Did you know that the families of Holy Spirit School donated 735 pounds of jelly to the food bank at Catholic Charities during Catholic Schools Week? In fact, the Catholic schools throughout northeast Florida donated over 13,201 pounds of food, altogether. Every Wednesday and Friday the food pantry provides for families in desperate need of assistance. Christ has no hands but ours today.

“When did we see you in need of jelly to make a sandwich, Lord?” “When you provided it for the least of these our brethren, you provided it for Me.”



**MINISTRIES**

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**

**SERVICE MINISTRIES**

**“ THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT”**



Requests your presence in the Chapel for Eucharistic Adoration 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday

“Come to me all of you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you.” (Matthew 11:28).

**Please sign up for Adoration. Many hours are still not filled**

Day	Coordinator	Tel. #
Monday	Lorraine Allaire	641-3036
	Flor Rimas	994-5110
Tuesday	Diane Davis	200-5915
Wednesday	Susan Riker	610-0649
Thursday	Dorothy Dobrovich	371-3952
		or 238-5363
Friday	Ben Lipat	236-0439
		or 410-3639

**The Daughters of Divine Mercy Circle Prayer Blanket Ministry**

Lap sized blankets are available for those facing life's more difficult challenges. Blankets can be obtained after all weekend Masses through the Church's gift shop, week-days through the Church office or by directly contacting

**Kathy Lehane (904-477-0808)**

**Marcia Scheeter (904-641-7115)**

This Ministry is also available to come to the bedside of those who are sick and dying to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet for them. Please contact Kathy, Marcia, Jackie or any member for more information.

**ANGELS OF MERCY**

This is a ministry that we have had here in Holy Spirit for a number of years. Previously, it was called Holy Spirit Angels. We provide transportation to the Doctors, grocery store and Pharmacy for our Parishioners. If you are ever in need of our services, please contact Kathie Garrett at 904-565-1859 or dgar358244@bellsouth.net. We can also provide meals if you are ill or returning home from the hospital for a limited time. If you would be interested in being an Angel, please contact Kathie.

The more the merrier!

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

Parishioners wishing to donate used furniture items may do so by contacting the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Shop at (904) 396-7473. Their representative will coordinate with you to arrange pickup of your donated items since our Parish representatives are not able to perform this service. Similarly, individuals wishing to donate items (other than furniture) should contact Mr. Angel Rivera at 803-3676 who will coordinate and arrange the pickup of your items to be donated. Thank you for your support of the work of St. Vincent de Paul Society in their service to the needy and unprivileged of our area.



**Current List of Needs:-**

Tuna fish, spam, soup – ramen noodles, Dry milk packets, dry beans, stuffing, pasta sides, tooth paste, peanut butter, jelly and canned pasta, beans, chili meats, fish, milk and fruit.

**Please place donations in the large brown wooden box in the vestibule of the Church.**

**DIVINE MERCY PRAYER @ THREE O’CLOCK**

“You died, Jesus but the source of life flowed out for souls and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world.

**O Fountain of Life, immeasurable Divine Mercy, cover the whole world and empty yourself upon us.”**



“O Blood and Water which flowed out from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of mercy for us, I trust in you.”

“Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and the whole world” (3x)

Amen.

**Jesus, King of Mercy, I trust in You!**

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will continue to be said in the main area of the Church at 3:00pm and 3:30pm on all Fridays. Please join us if you can, prayer leaflets and rosaries will be provided.

## Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Inc. Holy Spirit Conference



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,  
The Society of St. Vincent de Paul at Holy Spirit Church is in need of new members, and we are asking for more of our parishioners to join us in our ministry.

We assist those in need; the poor, the forgotten, those struggling to support themselves and their families. The Members of our ministry visit those in our area that contact us for assistance. We do home visits in pairs, just as the apostles were sent out in twos. We listen to those in need and we provide assistance with rent, electricity, and food, but more important we listen to their problems and concerns, suggest resolutions, pray with them, and give hope.

Since we are in contact with children and the elderly, there is a required background check, protecting God's children training, and clearance from the dioceses.

Training is provided prior to making home visits. Experienced members will take the lead until new members are comfortable in making home visits.

**We meet twice a month, the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 6:45 P.M.** at the Family Life Center.

Please contact our President, Don Zehnder at 904 316-1168 if you are interested in joining us or if you want more information on how you can help.

### 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

**40 Days for Life**, an international campaign to end abortion through peaceful prayer and fasting, is returning to Jacksonville this Lent. Holy Spirit is standing vigil on **Saturday, April 13**, from 7am to 7pm. All parishioners are invited and encouraged to stand for an hour during our vigil day. We will stand in front of the Woman's Choice of Jacksonville, **4131 University Blvd.** South Jacksonville, FL 32216. A sign up sheet, flyers, and spiritual bouquet cards are available in the vestibule of church.

For more information or to sign up for an hour, please contact Renee Bascon at 904-382-6093.

### CATHOLIC CHARITIES FOOD PANTRY- NEW LOCATION

The Catholic Charities Public Food Pantry will be moving to a new location. The Pantry will be located at 1470 West 13th Street, Jacksonville, 32209, on the campus of St Pius Catholic Church. The first day of public distribution will be Wednesday, April 3. We will serve 40 clients every Wednesday and Friday. Food tickets will be distributed beginning at 11:00 am and distribution will start at 11:30 am and end at 1:00pm



Deadlines for the **April 21, 2019** bulletin notices is due on or before **Friday April 05, 2019** due to printing deadlines.

### WOMEN'S HELP CENTER

The Women's Help Center is holding their 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Fund -raiser & Gala for Life ! Come out and support!

**When:** Thursday April 4, 2019

**Where:** Renaissance World Golf Village Resort  
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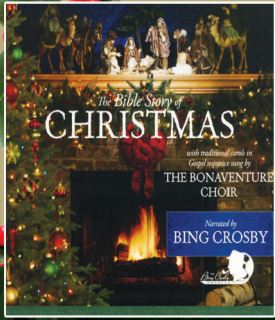
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**Keynote Speaker:** Jason Jones – Author, Pro-life activist and Film Producer (Bella)

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For more info: Contact Matthew Johnson @ 904-398-5413 or e-mail [cmjohnson@whcjax.com](mailto:cmjohnson@whcjax.com)

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