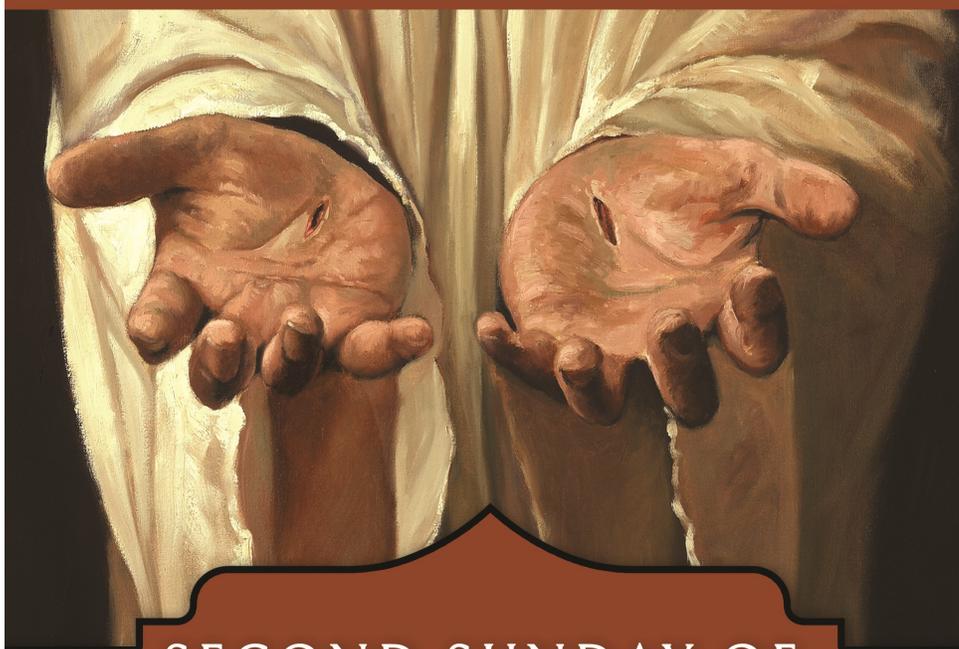


# HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH

## Mass Times

Mon 8:30am Tue 8:30am  
Wed 7:00pm w/Miraculous Medal Novena  
Thu 8:30am Fri 8:30am  
Sat 5:00pm Sun 8:00am, 9:30am &  
11:30am  
Adoration: Mon - Fri - 9:00am - 3:00pm

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SECOND SUNDAY OF

*Easter*

(OR OF DIVINE MERCY)  
APRIL 11, 2021

Jesus said to Thomas,  
“Have you come to believe because you have seen me?  
Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.”

John 20:29

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## Observance OF THE WEEK OF APRIL 11

April 11- Divine Mercy Sunday

The Bishop's dispensation of the  
Sunday obligation will continue  
until further notice.

Our Live Stream Masses will  
remain available for those unable to  
attend in person.

We request you to wear a mask and  
to practice social distancing  
guidelines before, during & after  
all Masses.

May God's blessings of peace and  
joy be with you and your family.

## PARISH MISSION

“To be the light to our World by:  
Praying and Celebrating as a  
Eucharistic Community,  
serving those in need with  
unconditional love  
& generosity”.



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Angels of Mercy	Kathie Garrett	904-565-1859
Annulments	Ann & Tim Hergenroether	904-591-8004
Bible Study	Ron Coleman	904-234-4743
Choir - Saturday 5pm	Phil Militante	904-620-8841
Choir - Sunday 8am	Allison Stanton	321-333-8237
Choir - Sunday 9:30am	Bob Vigliano	904-476-4240
Choir - Sunday 11:30am	JoJo Munoz	904-422-1764
Elizabethan Ministry	Jennifer Cabrey	904-993-9500
Grounds	Jerry Robichaud	904-899-3476
Healing Prayer Ministry	Jeff & Vickie Slade	904-449-1447
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Legion of Mary:		
<i>Our Lady of Mystical Rose</i>	Rose Buchanan	321-420-2997
<i>Our Lady of Undoer of Knots</i>	Ann Fabre	409-658-2229
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Prayer Blanket Ministry	Marcia Scheeter	904-641-7115
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Quilts for Vets	Diane St. Laurent	904-220-9199
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## SACRAMENTS

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

**Baptism Class – Registration required:** Classes are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month at 7:00pm in the Family Life Center. You **MUST** be registered in the Parish for at least 6 months. Baptisms – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month after the 11:00am Mass.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesday – 6:30pm & Saturday - 4:00pm or by appointment

### SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you or your loved one is in need of the Sacrament of Anointing, please call the Parish Office at any time. We also have dedicated Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to bring Holy Communion to the sick and the homebound.

### SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY

### HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Pre-K - 8th grade

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# This Week @ Holy Spirit



- Sat April 10**  
5:00pm + Bob and Shirley Vandetty  
By: Lucille Matranga
- Sun 8:00am** + Dennis Ball  
By: Power Family  
9:30am Holy Spirit Parishioners  
11:30am + Patti Ann and Thomas Mulligan  
By: Lissa and Bruce
- Mon April 12** Ryan Freeman's Birthday  
By: Chris and Larry Freeman
- Tue April 13** + Jess Deocampo  
By: Family
- Wed April 14** JoJo Munoz Birthday
- Thu April 15** + Aurora Q Clamon  
By: Flor Rimas
- Fri April 16** + Msgr. Heslin
- Sat 5:00pm** Edward and Clara Delage's  
Anniversary  
By: John and Marcia Scheeter
- Sun 8:00am** Holy Spirit Parishioners  
9:30am + Ruth Eble  
By: Family  
11:30am + Mauro, Esmenia, Emerlinda and  
Romalyn  
By: Yanez Family

**Prayer Requests:** If you would like to submit specific Prayers requests to Fr. Amar, please email to: [amarmsfs@holyspiritchurchjax.org](mailto:amarmsfs@holyspiritchurchjax.org)

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday:** Acts of the Apostles 4:23-31; Gospel John 3:1-8
- Tuesday:** Acts of the Apostles 4:32-37  
Gospel John 3:7b-15
- Wednesday:** Acts of the Apostles 5:17-26  
Gospel John 3:16-21
- Thursday:** Acts of the Apostles 5:27-33  
Gospel John 3:31-36
- Friday:** Acts of the Apostles 5:34-42; Gospel John 6:1-15
- Saturday:** Is 33:1-2,4-5,18-19; Acts of the Apostles 6:1-7  
Gospel John 6:16-21
- Sunday:** Is 118:2-4,13-15,22-24; 1 John 5:1-6; Gospel

Please continue to observe the safety guidelines for celebrating Public Mass and please **DO NOT** come to Mass/Meetings if you are sick or not feeling well. Please practice appropriate distance between households and use mask or coverings

## Sun April 11

Masses - 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:30am  
RCIA- 9:00am  
Family Catechesis- 9:00am (Zoom)  
Bible Study 9:30 (in FLC and Zoom)  
Confirmation Prep Class- 12:30pm  
Middle School Youth Group- 1:30pm  
Divine Mercy Sunday Service- 3:00pm

## Mon April 12

Mass - 8:30am  
Legion of Mary - LMR - 6:00pm - (FLC)

## Tue April 13

Mass - 8:30am  
Choir Practice - 5:00pm

## Wed April 14

Legion of Mary - U of K - 1:00pm - (FLC)  
Reconciliation - 6:30pm  
Confirmation Mass- 5:00pm  
Mass - 7:00pm  
40 Hour Adoration

## Thu April 15

Mass- 8:30  
Divine Mercy Novena- 3:00pm  
Knights of Columbus meeting- 6:30pm  
Baptism Class- 7:00pm

## Fri April 16

Mass- 8:30  
Shreiber Funeral- 11:00am  
Children's Choir Practice- 5:30pm

## Sat April 17

Food Drive- 9:00am  
Catherine Harvey Funeral- 11:00am  
Reconciliation- 4:00pm  
Mass- 5:00pm

## Sun April 18

Mass- 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:30am  
First Communion Retreat- 10:30am

# STEWARDSHIP

## DAILY ADORATION IS BACK!!

**Daily Adoration** is from 9am to 3pm, at which time the Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed, followed by Benediction and Reposition.

This will be from **Monday to Friday, except on holidays**. Come at any day or hour to adore our Lord in the Most Holy Sacrament at the altar of our main church. If you are in position to commit to a specific day or hour, please call or text any of the following coordinators:-

- Mon: Lorraine Allaire 477-6820**
- Tue: Diane Davis 200-5915**
- Wed: Susan Riker 610-0649**
- Thu: Dorothy Dobrovich 238-5363**
- Fri: Ben or Perla Lipat 236-0439**



## 40 HOUR ADORATION APRIL 14-16

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> week of the Month, we will be having a **40 hour Adoration**. This will run concurrently with our weekday adoration and beyond. **We start at 11:00pm Wednesday until 3:00pm Friday**, encompassing both the Thursday and Friday Masses. After 4:00pm, access to the church will be through the code-enabled door of our adoration room. Come and spend an hour or two with our Eucharistic Lord! It is an excellent opportunity for our parishioners unable to adore during the day. **Please wear mask and practice social distancing.**

# TIME Talent TREASURE

## SACRIFICIAL OFFERING FOR MARCH 7, 2021

Offertory:	\$	24,804.83
FLC Pledge:	\$	2,745.17
Emergency Fund:	\$	242.00
School:	\$	822.00
Online Giving:	\$	7,272.17

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR SACRIFICIAL GIVING AND MAY GOD CONTINUE TO BLESS YOUR GENEROSITY.

Our Parish relies on the generous contributions of our parishioners and due to Covid-19 your support is needed more than ever.

Please consider making a one-time gift or sign up for recurring e-giving to help support our Parish.

### Donate online:

Text the word **“GIVE”** to **501-273-3327**.

Or click the link:

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/holy1166175>

**God bless!**



Consider remembering your Parish in your Will. For further information, please contact the Parish Office.

## HOLY COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

Legion of Mary will bring Holy Communion to the Homebound on Friday mornings. All members visiting the homebound have already had their Covid-19 vaccinations. If you would like to request a visit, please call the church office to schedule appointments.

# YOUTH GROUP

Food

Fun

Games

Music

Friendly  
Competitions  
&  
Prizes

For questions email Mrs. H at  
[mhernandez@holyspiritchurchjax.org](mailto:mhernandez@holyspiritchurchjax.org)

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Social distancing will be observed.

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH  
Sunday, April 25, 2021  
12:30 to 2:30 p.m.  
at Heslin Hall (Gym)



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Facebook:

[Holy Spirit Catholic Church  
Youth Ministry Group](#)

Invite  
your  
friends!



**Wednesday, April 14, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.**  
(Candidates please arrive by 4:30 p.m.)

**Mandatory** rehearsal on **April 13, 2021** from 6-8PM  
(Candidate and sponsor/proxy please arrive by 5:45 p.m.)

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**RETREAT**

**Sunday, April 18, 2021**

**12:30 – 5:00 p.m.**  
(Family Life Center)

(All children must attend one of the  
weekend masses prior to the retreat)

## HOLY SPIRIT EDUCATIONAL SESSION



DATE: Sunday, April 11, 2021

TIME: 9:45 AM – 10:30 AM

PLACE: Family Life Center & Virtual via ZOOM  
<https://zoom.us/j/5645887508>

**TOPIC: MOTHER MARY**

Join Deacon Pat to learn about the Rosary, devotion to our  
Blessed Mother and other important ways we honor Her.  
Come learn more about your faith!

*All Parishioners Welcome!*

## FROM OUR PASTOR'S DESK

Every year, on the Second Sunday of Easter we celebrate the Divine Mercy.

**Why do we celebrate a feast for God's mercy?** Because, God is so merciful and mercy is His second name. He is merciful to the sinners and saints alike. Today, we are reminded that Jesus gave his spirit to the Church, enabling it to be a forgiving community.

There is a Spanish story about a father and son who had become estranged after years of bitter strife. The son finally ran away. Finding that his son was missing, the father became heartbroken and set off to find him. He searched for months to no avail. Finally, in a last desperate effort, the father placed an advertisement in the city newspaper. The ad read: "Dear Paco, meet me in front of the bell tower in the plaza at noon on Saturday. All is forgiven. I love you. Your father". That Saturday eighty Pacos men and boys showed up in the plaza, looking for forgiveness and love from their fathers. The message of Mercy Sunday is: "All is forgiven. I love you!"

The message of mercy is that God loves us – all of us – no matter how great our sins. He wants us to recognize that His mercy is greater than our sins, so that we will call upon Him with trust, receive His mercy, and let it flow through us to others. Thus, all will come to share His joy. It is a message we can call to mind simply by remembering **ABC**.

**A:** Ask for His mercy. God wants us to approach Him in prayer constantly, repenting of our sins and asking Him to pour His mercy out upon us and upon the whole world.

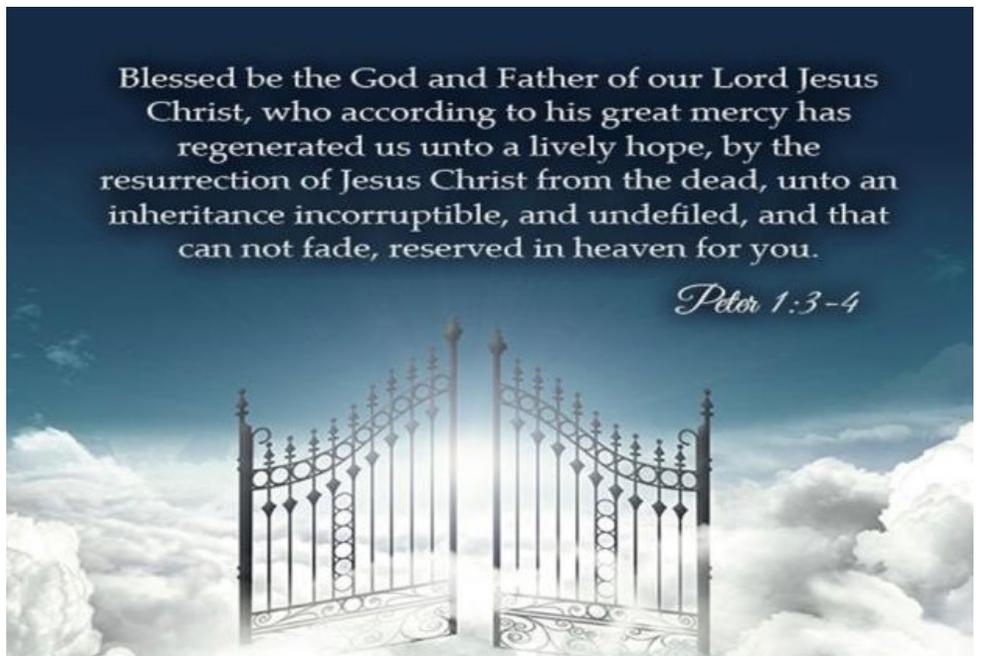
**B:** Be merciful. God wants us to receive His mercy and let it flow through us to others. He wants us to extend love and forgiveness to others just as He does to us.

**C:** Completely trust in Jesus. God wants us to know that the graces of His mercy are dependent upon our trust. The more we trust in Jesus, the more we will receive.

When life becomes hard, we must remember the promise of the resurrection. We have been told by the Savior that his life and death has promised us life eternal. And Low Sundays don't change that promise. And unemployment doesn't change that promise. Neither does divorce, or bankruptcy, or cancer, or depression, or failure, or COVID. Through elation and deflation and every emotion in between, this truth remains; we know whose we are and we know where we are going, because the Son of God has promised.

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to his great mercy has regenerated us unto a lively hope, by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, unto an inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled, and that can not fade, reserved in heaven for you.

*Peter 1:3-4*



# FROM OUR PASTOR'S DESK



## ORIGIN OF DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY THE DIVINE MERCY IMAGE, THE CHAPLET, AND THE NOVENA



**Saint Faustina:** Mankind's need for the message of Divine Mercy took on dire urgency in the 20th Century, when civilization began to experience an "eclipse of the sense of God" and, therefore to lose the understanding of the sanctity and inherent dignity of human life. In the 1930s, Jesus chose a humble Polish nun, St. Maria Faustina Kowalska, to receive private revelations concerning Divine Mercy that were recorded in her Diary.

**St. John Paul II explains:** This was precisely the time when those ideologies of evil, nazism and communism, were taking shape. Sister Faustina became the herald of the one message capable of off-setting the evil of those ideologies, that fact that God is mercy—the truth of the merciful Christ. And for this reason, when I was called to the See of Peter, I felt impelled to pass on those experiences of a fellow Pole that deserve a place in the treasury of the universal Church. ~ Pope Saint John Paul II, *Memory and Identity* (2005)

Divine Mercy Sunday: St. Faustina's Diary records 14 occasions when Jesus requested that a Feast of Mercy (Divine Mercy Sunday) be observed, for example:

*My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the Fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. ... Let no soul fear to draw near to Me. ... It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy. (Diary, no. 699)*

On May 5, 2000, five days after the canonization of St. Faustina, the Vatican decreed that the Second Sunday of Easter would henceforth be known as Divine Mercy Sunday.

**The Image:** Jesus appeared to St. Faustina in a vision, with his right hand raised in a blessing and his left touching his garment above his heart. Red and white rays emanate from his heart, symbolizing the blood and water that was poured out for our salvation and our sanctification. The Lord requested that "Jesus, I trust in You" be inscribed under his image. Jesus asked that his image be painted and venerated throughout the world: "I promise that the soul that will venerate this image will not perish" (Diary, no. 48) and "By means of this image I will grant many graces to souls" (Diary, no. 742).

**The Chaplet of Divine Mercy:** The Chaplet was also given to St. Faustina with this promise: "Encourage souls to say the chaplet which I have given you" (Diary, no. 1541). "Whoever will recite it will receive great mercy at the hour of death. ... Even if there were a sinner most hardened, if he were to recite this chaplet only once, he would receive grace from My infinite mercy. I desire that the whole world know My infinite mercy" (Diary, no. 687).

**The Divine Mercy Novena:** Jesus gave St. Faustina nine intentions for which to pray the Chaplet beginning on Good Friday and ending on the Saturday before Divine Mercy Sunday.

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# STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL MEETING

## STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL MEETING - MARCH 23, 2021

The parish Stewardship Council met for the first time in 13 months to discuss ways in which we can responsibly return to being an active faith community. The shutdown of not just Holy Spirit parish, but social, work, school and entertainment aspects of our lives last March was shocking and sudden! In contrast, the return to "normal" will be very measured and gradual. At our last meeting in February 2020, we were making grand plans for the entire year, with a timeline full of existing and new activities. We all know what happened to almost any plans we had last March! But as more and more people are getting vaccinated, as we have adapted to masks, extra hand sanitizing and social distancing, we and the CDC are seeing a time in the near future when we can gradually open life up and put those plans into action! Now is the time to start preparing!

Some of the first things we plan to do starting mid-May are:

Coffee & donuts after the 8:00, 9:30 and 11:30 am Sunday masses

Wine and Cheese socials once a month after 5 PM Saturday mass

Return the International Mass at 11:30 on Pentecost, May 23 with a picnic following

Family Fun Day idea was mentioned

Movie nights-----Indoor and/or outdoor

Discussions of when and how to slowly begin removing the ropes from church pews took place.

While we have gone from full "normal" to full shutdown, to partial reopening under CDC guidelines your parish has still moved ahead more vigorously than most other churches and businesses with the encouragement of our pastor and ministry heads.

Masses have been live streamed since late March 2020.

H.S. school students have all been able to attend one Mass a week with their classmates throughout this school year.

The church quickly implemented social distancing and masking, added hand sanitizing dispensers and contactless Holy Water and Father Amar added an extra Sunday mass.

A state-of-the-art audio/visual system was installed in the church, the bathrooms were renovated and the parish office interior totally updated. (all the projects were almost entirely donated by generous parishioners)

RCIA, Bible study and CCD continued and our parish website now matches in quality and content that of any parish or national Catholic website.

Please visit the website: [www.holyspiritchurchjax.org](http://www.holyspiritchurchjax.org) often for all the information you  
Need.

And please consider contacting the ministry heads for Ushers, Lectors and  
Extraordinary  
Ministers of Holy Communion to volunteer a few hours of your time.

# AROUND OUR PARISH

## PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Grace Babineau, Alex Maples, Alexandra  
Ladson, Jasmine Slade-Dinh,  
Madelyn Roberts-Parker, Johnnie Root, Julie  
Bergman, Dory Bergman,  
Caitlin Evans, Kelsi Bennett-Yokus  
EXPECTING?



## PART-TIME OPENING

Holy Spirit Church office has an opening for a part time receptionist, bulletin editor. Normal work schedule is 9:00-1:00 Monday thru Friday but must be flexible to work additional hours during vacation periods. This is a general clerical position, requiring computer, data entry, and good verbal/written communication skills. "Publisher" program experience would be an asset. This position requires a person with a personality that enjoys meeting and greeting visitors to our church office. Prefer applicant to be a Holy Spirit Church parishioner.

Resumes can be submitted to the church office between the hours 9:00-4:30 Monday thru Friday.

## WELCOME INTO THE CHURCH

On Easter Vigil 5 RCIA Candidate's received their sacraments. We are very blessed and proud to welcome them To Holy Spirit.

Tyler Dreier– Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist  
Chase Hayek– Confirmation, Eucharist  
Renee Miles– Confirmation, Eucharist  
Megan Porcella– Confirmation, Eucharist  
Mason Shelton– Confirmation, Eucharist

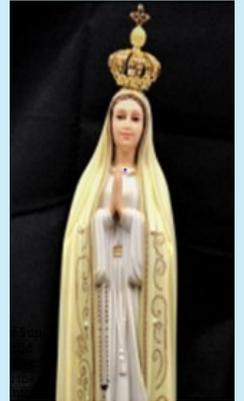
## FISH FRY

The Men's Club thank all of you that supported our first Drive Thru Fish Fry. We also want to apologize that we ran out of food. We served 125 meals, but we will make sure we prepare enough meals for everyone next time. Another Drive Thru meal is coming in April.

## OUR LADY OF FATIMA STATUE

It's time again to sign up for the weeks you'd like to have the visiting statue of Our Lady Of Fatima in your home for 2021. Our lady Of Fatima is available

May 29-June 5  
June 12- June 19  
June 19-June 26  
June 26- July 3  
July 3- July 10  
July 24-July 31



Please Contact Chris Freeman for more information  
(904)716-7743

## CAUTION

Please use caution when driving through the Valley on your way to and from Church. There have been some concerns about safety when it comes to Parishioners not driving the speed limit.

## RESPECT LIFE NEWS

**FAST AND PRAY FOR LIFE** - Our Respect Life group for the South Deanery is fasting and praying for life issues, our nation, and our Church on *Thursdays*. Please join me in this prayerful call to action.

**SIDEWALK ADVOCATES**-We are going to be standing and praying at A Woman's Choice of Jacksonville abortuary on Saturdays. Please join me from 8:30 AM to 10:00 AM to stand in vigil and pray for the unborn at 4131 University Blvd. S. 32216. Please contact me to take part in this action to save the lives of the unborn

**RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE** - We are expanding!! Please contact me if you would like to get involved with the Respect Life Team.

Contact: Joey Sims  
[joesims29@gmail.com](mailto:joesims29@gmail.com)

# AROUND THE DIOCESE

## ANNOUNCEMENT TITLE: CATHOLIC CHARITIES IMMIGRATION LEGAL SERVICES

Catholic Charities Immigration Legal Services is assisting individuals on filing their applications for:  
TPS for Venezuela Nationals – the window of application runs up to September 5, 2021  
Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals – Initial applicants and renewals

For appointments contact us: via email:  
skostin@ccbjax.org, or immtemp@ccbjax.org  
Phone: 904-354-5904, ext. 1 – please leave a message

## HEALING THE PAIN OF ABORTION RACHEL'S VINEYARD MINISTRIES

A Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat is a beautiful opportunity for any man or woman who is struggling with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. Come and receive peace, forgiveness and the compassion of God. Call 904-221-3232 or email [rachelsvineyardjax@yahoo.com](mailto:rachelsvineyardjax@yahoo.com). All calls and inquiries are very confidential. Come and be restored!

## ATTENTION

The Diocese of St. Augustine treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with all allegations in a prompt, confidential, and thorough manner. To Report Abuse, call the police or the Department of Children and Families at 800-962-2873. Or call the Diocesan Victim Assistance

Coordinator at (904) 208-6979 or email [inquires@dosaf1.com](mailto:inquires@dosaf1.com). To report abuse by a bishop, call (800) 276-1562 or visit

## Catholic In Recovery

Catholics in recovery is a group of men and women who join together to celebrate Mass together, enjoy a meal, and share with each other the experience, strength and hope of their individual journeys. We also include family members and friends of alcoholics and addicts. Please join us. You will be welcome. It is an open meeting. For more information log on to [catholicsinrecovery.org](http://catholicsinrecovery.org)

## FOR PEACE IN ANXIETY DURING THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC

Loving God, we come to you full of anxiety about what may happen in the coming days and weeks. Shower us with the peace Jesus promised to his disciples, and make us into steady pillars for those around us. In this time of uncertainty and epidemic, wake us up to the reminder that we are not alone.

Even as we are asked to keep our distance from others, help us to find ways to reach out to those who need our support. We pray especially for those whose incomes and livelihoods are threatened. For the children who will miss meals due to school closures. For those already isolated, lonely and scared. Loving God, give them your peace, and through our hands ensure they have what they need.

Sustain, strengthen and protect all caregivers. Bless them as they offer compassionate care and show selfless courage in the face of risk.

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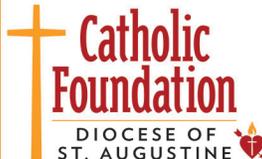
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