

#### PARISH MISSION

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

#### PARISH VISION

"To be welcoming, multi-cultural and multi-generational Roman Catholic Faith Community, rooted in Scripture and Tradition, nourished by the Sacraments and empowered by the Holy Spirit to be the light to our world by: Praying and celebrating as a Eucharistic Community, Instructing children and adults in the Catechism of the Catholic Church, Serving the less fortunate with unconditional love & generosity and protecting human life in all its stages."

# FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 21, 20

	MASS TIMES	CONFESSIONS			ADORATION		
Monday	8:30am	Wednesday	6:20pm-6:50pm	Mon, Tue, Thur,	Fri 9:00	am-3:00pm	
Tuesday	8:30am	Saturday	4:00pm-4:50pm	Wed	9:00	am-7:00pm	
Wednesday	7:00pm with Novena of the Miraculous Medal				CON		
Thursday	8:30am	CHURCH OFFICE HOURS 11665 Fort Caroline Rd Jacksonville, FL 32225 Monday-Friday 9:00am-4:30pm P: (904) 641-7244		<u>s</u> "	<u>CONTACT US</u> www.holyspiritchurchjax.org info@holyspiritchurchjax.org		
Friday	8:30am						
Saturday	5:00pm Vigil Mass			0pm			
Sunday	8:30am & 11:00am				111	🕤 🕑	

## SERVICE MINISTRY CONTACT

Adoration	Ben & Perlita Lipat	904-236-0439
Altar Servers	Jennifer Cabrey	904-993-9500
Altar Society	Linda Davis	904-329-2714
Angels of Mercy	Kathie Garrett	904-565-1859
Annulments	Ann & Tim Hergenroether	904-591-8004
Another Chance Fellowship Group for Cancer Survivors	Paulette Daniel	904-233-1488
Bible Study	Ron Coleman	904-234-4743
Choir-Saturday 5pm	Phil Militante	904-620-8841
Choir-Sunday 8:30am	Bob Vigliano	904-476-4240
Choir-Sunday 11:00am	JoJo Munoz	904-422-1764
Coffee & Donuts Ministry	Dwayne & Allison Stanton	321-333-8237
Grounds	Jerry Robichaud	904-899-3476
Healing Prayer Ministry	Jeff & Vickie Slade	904-449-1447
Hope & Consolation	Pam Andres	904-571-5998
Hospitality	Sandy Coleman	904-613-2993
Knights of Columbus	Tom Hartley	904-237-7154
Legion of Mary	Ligaya Kirkland	likirkland@gmail.com
Light of Jesus Family	Melone Brackett	904-514-5061
Men's Club	Dave Garrett	904-565-1859
Offertory Counting Cmte.	Diane Davis	904-641-7244
Parish Nurse Ministry	Rosita Inman	inmanrosita@gmail.com
Prayer Blanket Ministry	Kathy Lehane	904-477-0808
Quilts for Vets	Maria Kendrick	904-626-1288
Religious Store	Kathie Garrett	904-565-1859
Respect Life Coordinator	Joey Sims	615-653-8965
Rosary Ministry	Marti Pounder	marti_pounder@hotmail.com
Scouts-Boys & Cubs	Linda Byer	904-483-6113
Society of Divine Mercy	Fred Althoff	904-229-7604
St. Paul Street Evangelization	Susan Riker	904-610-0649
St. Vincent de Paul Society:	Hal Gibson	904-955-2454
St. Vincent de Paul Society:	Help Center	904-312-3242
Website	Regin Varghese	regin@holyspiritchurchjax.org
Wine & Cheese	Maria Cartolano	904-610-5674

#### **SACRAMENTS**

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM Baptism Class — Registration required: Classes are held on the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm in the FLC. You **MUST** be registered parishioner for at least 6 months.

Baptisms — 2nd and 4th Sunday after the 11AM Mass or during any of the weekend Mass liturgies is also available.

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesday—6:20pm & Saturday—4:00pm or by appointment

#### SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Every 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the Month **after** the 8:30am Mass. You may also call the church office to make an appointment. We also have dedicated Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to bring Holy Communion to the sick and the homebound.

#### SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY

Couples must contact Father John Peter & Cheryl Bergman at least 8 months in advance.

Pastor			
Fr. John Peter Arul, MSFS	johnarul@holyspiritchurchjax.org		
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Armon Antolin	jaantolin@holyspiritchurchjax.org		

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John Wondracek	wondracek6@gmail.com
Parish Stewardship Council	
Ron Coleman	ron-coleman@comcast.net

#### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Coordinators of Extraordinary	/ Ministers of Holy Communion
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Coordinator of Sacristans	
Deacon Patrick Goin	pgoin@holyspiritchurchjax.org
Coordinator of Ushers	
John DeLeon	jag_02109_1999@yahoo.com
Wedding Coordinator	
Cheryl Bergman	clbergman@comcast.net

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#### HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Pre-K - 8th grade P: 904.642.9165 | F: 904.642.1047

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Office Manager/Assistant to the Principal			
Kim Klapkowski	kklapkowski@hscatholicschool.com		
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Bookkeeper			
Noreen Bennett	nbennett@hscatholicschool.com		

#### BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

For any possible submissions to the bulletin, please email them to bulletin@holyspiritchurchjax.org by the preceding Monday.

When sending photos, please send the highest quality possible. For other media such as flyers, please send editable files, if possible. When sending multiple files, please send in a zip folder or a cloud ink.

# THIS WEEK AT Holy Spirit



## **STEWARDSHIP**



## Sacrificial Offering For April 14, 2024

Offertory	\$11,446.50
FLC Debt Reduction	\$878.00
Emergency Fund	\$292.00
School	\$218.00
Online Giving	\$1,865.00

#### Thank you for your constant generosity in taking care of our Holy Spirit Parish!

Being a steward means that one:

- $\Rightarrow$  Receives God's gifts gratefully
- $\Rightarrow$  Cherishes and tends God's gifts responsibly
- $\Rightarrow$  Shares God's gifts in love and justice
- $\Rightarrow$  Returns God's gifts with increase.

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

Donate online: Text the word "GIVE" to 501-273-3327 Or follow the QR code:



# **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Let's pray for those who are sick in our Holy Spirit community:

Alexis Chase Betsy Williams Catheryn Whyte Donald Smith Jack Kaye Joan Huslinger Ken Fabre Mary Glorioso Noah Besvold Patricia Bayer **Rachel Jones** Rhonda Scott Sandy Anderson Tammy Nazario Thomas Lang Trey Campbell Umberto Chiulli

Anne Barrow Brandie Clouse Danny Armor Elizabeth Owens Jim McVety John Hartley Luke Parnaby Nancy Murray Noel Tormon Patty King Rebecca Rufo Rusty Bonifacio Steve Rash Teri McClure Tillie Lightfoot Troy Williams Wyatt Freeman

If you have a loved one that is sick or battling an illness, please call the church office to let us know so that we may include them in our list of prayer.

Let us also pray for our clergy: Fr. John Peter Arul, MSFS Dc. Pat Goin Dc. Ed Prisby Dc. Ray Stiles



Please pray for those in our

## **SECOND COLLECTIONS:**

April 28: Catholic Home Missions Appeal June 2: MSFS Mission June 23: Peter's Pence

# PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Let's pray for those in our Holy Spirit community that have passed away recently:

> Augusto Rodriguez Carlo Bellizzi David "Bread" Burk

Nancy Casev Fr. Tom McGrath Kathy Shields

If you have a loved one that has recently passed away during this month, please call the church office to let us know so that we may include them in our list of prayer.



Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

# FELLOWSHIP AND PRAYER

### EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS—PEOPLE NEEDED

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion give the Body and Blood of our Lord to fellow parishioners during Communion at Mass. This is possibly the most amazing thing in all the world! God Himself is given to us in the Eucharist and the Church needs our help to give this gift to our fellow parishioners. Take a moment today to pray about joining this ministry.

The next training is scheduled on **Saturday, 27 April from 9am-12pm**.



For more information and to sign up for training, please contact **Todd and Kathy Nennich at 540-220-4170 or** *e-mail: todd.nennich@gmail.com* 

Who is eligible to be commissioned as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion?

- Those who have received the Sacrament of Confirmation.
- Those serious in the practice of the Catholic Faith, dedicated to prayer and Eucharist.
- If married, must be in a Catholic sacramental marriage.
- Must be registered in Holy Spirit Catholic Church and has a desire to answer the call of Christ to serve others.



## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MINISTRY

Thank you for supporting our St. Vincent de Paul Society in their service to the needy and underprivileged of our area.

WE CAN STILL USE MORE OF THESE ITEMS:

# Dry Goods: Oatmeal, Pancake Mix, Cereal, Powdered Milk, Spaghetti, Mac & Cheese, 1 or 2lb rice

#### Canned: Jelly, Condensed Milk, Canned Meat, Soup, Spaghetti Sauce, Canned Fruit

Please place donations in the large brown wooden box in the vestibule of the Church and please make sure the drawer door stays closed. Thank you!

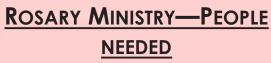
## USHERS— PEOPLE NEEDED



We need more volunteers to greet people before our weekend Masses, Ushers are

responsible for establishing a warm and welcoming attitude during our liturgies, as well as gathering the collection and guiding people to open pews.

> If interested, contact John Deleon at jag\_02109\_1999@yahoo.com or 904-710-5640





We need more volunteers to pray the rosary before our

weekend Masses. The rosary is prayed 30 minutes before the Saturday and Sunday Masses.

If interested, contact Marti Pounder at marti\_pounder@hotmail.com or 904-252-7966

# **JOB OPPORTUNITIES**



## Now HIRING: FULL-TIME DRE/LITURGY COORDINATOR POSITION

Holy Spirit Catholic Church is looking to hire a person for a full time DRE/Liturgy Coordinator position.

The main responsibilities of a Director of Religious Education are, but not restricted to: oversee (designs, directs, evaluates) in the name of the pastor a total parish catechetical program and provides leadership to assist a parish community in building a solid foundation for spirituality, Christian living, ministry and evangelization. The main responsibilities of a Liturgy Coordinator are, but not restricted to: coordinate in the name of the pastor with all liturgical heads in the parish community, manage paperwork for sacraments that will be celebrated at the parish, head the liturgy committee to plan and implement liturgies, and coordinate or make arrangements for liturgies celebrated at the parish.

Please contact the church office if interested.

## NOW HIRING: JOB OPPORTUNITY

Holy Spirit Catholic Church needs a person for a temporary position whose main responsibilities are to help with lawn maintenance and handy man type work for the next several months. Normal hours would be up to 40 hours per week and the schedule can be flexible based on your availability. Must be minimum of 16 years of age. We would prefer to employ one of our church members.

Please contact the church office if interested.

# FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

#### GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY



Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Today we celebrate Good Shepherd Sunday and what this means to all of us who follow, Jesus, the Good Shepherd? St. Francis de Sales reminds us that we are all shepherds who must tend our sheep:

Our Good Shepherd gathers us all around Himself to keep us always under His most holy protection. But we too are shepherds and have a flock to attend. Our flock is

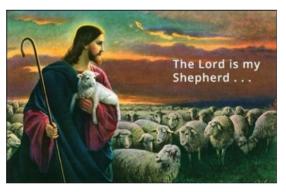
our desires, feelings, and emotions. We must keep watch over this spiritual flock, by learning from Jesus how to govern ourselves.

Since we easily mismanage ourselves, Our Good Shepherd wants us to give up such selfmanagement except to consent and follow His Will. He desires what is best for our wholeness. Following in the footsteps of the Good Shepherd, we learn how to direct, to govern and put our desires, feelings, and emotions in order, so that they conform to God's goodness. What could be more pleasing to this Divine Shepherd than to bring to Him our love so that He may purify them? Holy love is our first desire. True love is accomplished when we live no longer according to our own willful desires, but according to the inspirations and promptings of Our Savior.

Our Shepherd tenderly nourishes us with an incomprehensible love. He died in love, by love, and for love. To bring us life, He suffered death. What remains for us? We ought to consecrate every moment of our life to the divine love of our Savior's death that opened us up to eternal life. That is, we must bring to fruition all our works, all our actions and all our thoughts so that God's glory may shine through them. How happy we will be if we remain in the Shepherd's presence, faithfully bringing His reign in our midst!

(Adapted from St. Francis de Sales, Sermons, Treatise on the Love of God).

Today the church throughout the world prays for vocations. Will you make a special effort to ask the Lord for vocations to the priesthood and religious life? Pray for the Priests who have ministered to you throughout your life, both living and dead. Encourage your children, grandchildren, or other young people to consider a vocation as a priest, religious brother, or sister. Pray a rosary for more young men and women in our diocese to respond to God's call.



#### World Day Prayer for Vocations

The purpose of World Day of Prayer for Vocations is to publicly fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2). As a climax to a prayer that is continually offered throughout the Church, it affirms the primacy of faith and grace in all that concerns vocations to the priesthood and to the consecrated life. While appreciating all vocations, the Church concentrates its attention this day on vocations to the ordained ministries (priesthood and diaconate), consecrated life in all its forms (male and female religious life, societies of apostolic life, consecrated virginity, secular institutes), and to the missionary life. Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to serve Him and to serve God's People.

# AROUND OUR PARISH & SCHOOL



### HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL: VPK 4 OPENINGS

Holy Spirit School still has openings in their 4-year-old VPK classes for August. 8:30-11:30 AM is completely free of charge at our Blue Ribbon award-winning school. Fill-out Inquiry Forms at www.hscatholicschool.com under the Forms tab.



## HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL: NEW JOB OPENING

Holy Spirit School is looking for Pre-K teacher aide: 8:00-12:00 Mon-Fri . Interested parishioners must complete an Application at https://hr.dosafl.com/careers listing for Holy Spirit Catholic School.

Direct questions to dr.luciano@hscatholicschool.com

# PACK THE FREEZER FUNDRAISER



Holy Spirit Catholic School is raffling off a 7 cubic ft. upright deep FREEZER filled with gourmet meals & snacks...

All proceeds will go toward updating the school's classroom resources. We hope that you'll purchase raffle tickets for this delicious prize and support our school & students!

Tickets will be sold by Holy Spirit students, at the school's office, at the church's office and in the church gift shop!

For more information, please call (904) 642-9165

\*Pick up of prize preferred, delivery available within close proximity to school\*



## Tickets will be sold starting April 13th!

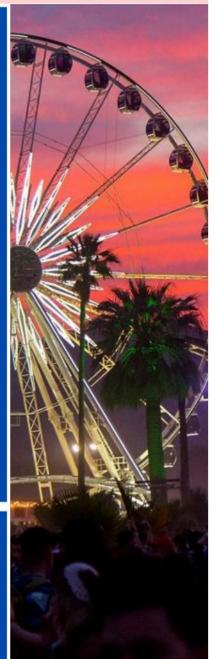
Tickets sold in FLC, school office and church office

Prize will be awarded at the Holy Spirit Knights of Columbus Casino Night on <u>May 3rd</u> in the Family Life



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## HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL: A BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL

The list of 353 National Blue Ribbon Schools for 2023 was recently released by the U.S. Department of Education. They include 16 schools in the state of Florida and only 1 private school which was Queen of Peace Academy in

Gainesville. They become the 8th school in the Diocese of St. Augustine to achieve this national recognition.

Of the 40 private schools in America to be named Blue Ribbon Schools of Excellence this year, 34 are Catholic schools.

In 2022, there were only 24 private schools in the country that met the criteria for this award and only 2 (not 16) schools in the entire state of Florida. St. John Vianney High School and Holy Spirit School in Jacksonville.



#### <u>Jacksonville University Alumni Spotlight -</u> <u>Dr. John Luciano '83, '85, '91</u>

Dr. John Luciano '83,'85, & '91 will be retiring this June after a 40-year career in Education in the Jacksonville community in both public and private schools. John was twice named a Teacher of the Year at two Duval County schools and was a finalist for the Rotary Duval Teacher of the Year. As Principal of Holy Spirit Catholic School, Dr. Luciano led the school's efforts to be named a National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence in 2022.

#### FINAL ASSIGNMENT:

## RETIREMENT PARTY!

AFTER 40 YEARS IN EDUCATION DR. L IS RETIRING.

PLEASE JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE & HONOR HIS SERVICE TO THE FIELD OF EDUCATION & HIS LEADERSHIP OF HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL.

#### FRIDAY MAY IOTH . 6PM

MASS AT 6:00 FOLLOWED BY A RECEPTION IN THE FAMILY LIFE CENTER

This is an adult only event. This is an adult only event. The name & number of adult(s) in your party to ms. kim klapkowski mail: klap40@aol.com or call (904)642-9165



#### HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL: A PURPLE STAR SCHOOL

Holy Spirit Catholic School has received this honor of becoming a Florida Purple Star School.

This designation is given to only those schools who have consistently proven to be welcoming and accommodating to military personnel and their children. Through the hard work of Mrs. Warfield and Mrs. Gentges, our staff has received all the training for the Anchored 4 Life Program and we met all the requirements to receive this prestigious honor.

We are blessed to have a faith-filled and cooperative community that cares deeply for the U.S. military and their families.

## <u>Sr. Celinie Joubert Award -</u> <u>Lisa Bell</u>

Each year, the Diocese of St. Augustine recognizes a handful of outstanding Religion teachers and catechists with the Sr. Celinie Joubert Award for Excellence in Forming the Faith . This year, our own Mrs. Lisa Bell, will be receiving that wonderful honor. Congratulations!



# **AROUND THE PARISH**

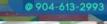


# PENTECOST CELEBRATION

Sunday, May 19

#### International Mass 11:00 am International Food Festival 12:30 pm

Bring a large dish of your country's traditional foods to share. Decorate your serving table with items representing your culture. Mingle & sample foods from around the world Contact Sandy Coleman





## HOLY SPIRIT ANGELS OF MERCY

We are a group of parishioners who volunteer to take fellow parishioners to the doctors, pharmacy and for groceries.

Please call Kathie Garrett at 904-565-1859

if we can be of assistance. We also would love to have more volunteers!

#### <u>Moving?</u> Changed Contact info?

Please notify us of any changes of address or if you are moving out of the parish. You can also double check with us if your current information is accurate.

Please contact the church office @ (904) 641-7244

Light of Jesus Family- The Feast Jacksonville Florida "Jesus Encounter " 4-13-2024



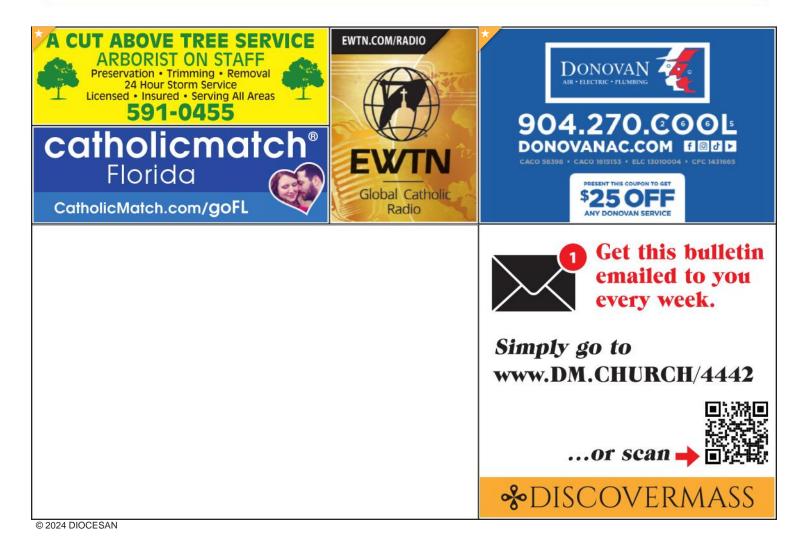
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## ALTAR SERVERS

- $\Rightarrow$  Please make sure to find a substitute when you are not able to serve
- $\Rightarrow$  Also, make sure to sign in so that we can get you the correct amount of service hours

 $\Rightarrow$  Please check your email for your schedule and upcoming events from Mrs. Cabrey

DATE	SAT 5PM	SAT 5PM SUN 8:30AM	
	Tyler Le	Liam Turner	Harrison Gale
27-Apr — 28-Apr	Ayva McDaniel	Jayne Byer	Emma Meyer
	Nadia McDaniel	Joseph Byer	Ben Sitson
	Gia Thomas	Chloe Nichols	Hope Cabrey
4-May — 5-May	Vincenzo "Enzo" Timlin	Matthew Nichols	Faith Cabrey
	Viviana Timlin	Andrew Nichols	Elija Huggins
	Samuel Militante	Benjamin Wondracek	Liam Jacen Cainglet
11-May — 12-May	Joshua Militante	Gabrielle Villas	Alexis Atienza
	Jacob Stewart	Samantha Villas	Natalie Johnson
	Nathaniel Laursita	Raphael Varghese	Harrison Gale
18-May — 19-May	Ayva McDaniel	Rachel Mary Varghese	Keara Besvold
	Nadia McDaniel	Gabriel Varghese	Joseph Besvold





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