

Readings for the Coming Week

Monday, January 30

Hebrews 11:32-40
Psalm 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24
Mark 5:1-20

Tuesday, January 31

Hebrews 10:1-10
Psalm 40:2, 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11
Mark 3:31-35
Memorial of St. John Bosco

Wednesday, February 1

Hebrews 12:4-7, 11-15
Psalm 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a
Mark 6:1-6

Thursday, February 2

Malachi 3:1-4 &
Hebrews 2:14-18
Psalm 24:7, 8, 9, 10
Luke 2:22-40
Feast of the Presentation of the Lord

Friday, February 3

Hebrews 13:1-8
Psalm 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc
Mark 6:14-29

Memorial of St. Blaise

Saturday, February 4

Hebrews 13:15-17
Psalm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6
Mark 6:30-34

Sunday, February 5

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Isaiah 58:7-10
Psalm 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9
1 Corinthians 2:1-5
Matthew 5:13-16



KNIGHTS' KNOTS

Friday Night Bingo: Join us for Bingo on Friday nights in the Parish Hall. Doors open at 5:00 pm with Early Bird at 6:00 pm. Early Bird card cost is \$6 and regular games are \$14.

MASSES INTENTIONS

Monday, January 30

8:00 a.m.: ♥ Jackie & Franklin Bevel (*Rummage Sale Committee*)

Wednesday, February 1

6:00 p.m.: † Jan Baayens (*Roseann Baayens*)

Thursday, February 2

8:00 a.m.: ♥ Jim & Nancy Reese (*Rummage Sale Committee*)

First Friday, February 3

8:00 a.m.: † David Joy (*Eileen & Bob Underwood*)

6:00 p.m.:

First Saturday, February 4

8:00 a.m.: † Fr. John McNamee (*Ed & Malee Leech*)

5:00 p.m.: † Phil Van Houten (*Jim Moneymaker*)

Sunday, February 5

8:00 a.m.: † Wes Creed (*Virginia & Joseph Crisafulli*)

11:00 a.m.: ♥ For the People

5:00 p.m.: † Karie Hayden (*Tuyet Nguyen*)

If you or a loved one are in the hospital and would like Father Steve to visit please call the parish office and let us know. Father Steve wants to provide you pastoral care but must be told that you need him.

To schedule a Mass Intention, please come by the Parish Office, Monday - Thursday between 8:30 a.m. & 3:30 p.m. The suggested donation for a Mass is \$10.00.

The fundamental fact of human awareness is this: "I am life that wants to live in the midst of other life that wants to live." A thinking man feels compelled to approach all life with the same reverence he has for his own. Thus, all life becomes part of his own experience. From such a point of view, "good" means to maintain life, to further life, to bring developing life to its highest value. "Evil" means to destroy life, to hurt life, to keep life from developing. This, then, is the rational, universal, and basic principle of ethics.
~Albert Schweitzer



GENERAL PARISH INFORMATION

BAPTISM: Infant Baptism Parents must attend a Baptismal Preparation Class prior to scheduling a baptism and it is required that godparents also attend. Call the parish office to make arrangements.

MARRIAGE: Call the parish office and request a copy of the "Marriage Preparation Guideline". Make an appointment for an initial interview with a priest or deacon at least six months prior to the anticipated wedding date. There are several classes & workshops that the couple must attend.

RCIA: For those considering entry into the Catholic Church. Contact the church office at 678-7813 or email holyname@holynamechurch.org.

ANOIDING OF THE SICK: The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is administered both to the dying and to those who are ill or are about to undergo an operation, for the recovery of their health and for spiritual strength. It is a ritual of healing appropriate not only for physical but also for mental and spiritual sickness.

FUNERAL: When a loved one dies, it is a time of great stress and grief. Making a phone call to the pastor is an important first step. He can offer not only spiritual support but also practical guidance about what steps need to be taken next. Please contact the parish office before making arrangements with the Funeral Home.

VISITATION OF THE SICK: Ministers of the Holy Eucharist bring communion to the homebound and hospitalized after the 8:00 a.m. Mass each Sunday. Call the parish office if you wish a priest, deacon or communion minister to visit the sick.

GIFTING THE PARISH: Please consider making a planned gift to Holy Name of Jesus Church such as a bequest in your will, gift of life insurance, or a charitable trust. All gifts are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law.

COMMEMORATIVE BRICKS: The Father Butler Parish Life Center commemorative bricks are available for purchase. We have two brick sizes: 4"x8" for \$100.00 & 8"x8" for \$250.00. For more information call the parish office at 678-7813.

Holy Name of Jesus Prayer Line

We have 72 ministers who will pray for your needs. Also, a Prayer Box is available in the back of the church where one can drop a written prayer request. Confidentiality is always respected.

Jack & Kathie Garnett 678-5323
Gloria Hart 678-2816
Marlyss Hernandez 835-2323
Ed & Dee Lowrey 678-8438
Lisa Underwood 678-6579



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January 29, 2017 - Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
Mon, Thurs, Fri, & First Sat 8:00 a.m.
Wed & First Fri..... 6:00 p.m.

Communion Schedule

Tues and Wed 8:00 a.m.

Adoration Schedule

Tuesdays..... 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
Fridays..... Adoration begins right after the 8:00 a.m. Mass and continues through the night, through Saturday, until 4:30 p.m. on the 1st, 3rd & 5th Saturdays and **3:00 p.m. on the 2nd & 4th Saturdays.**

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m. or by appointment

Parish Office Hours:
Mon – Thurs
8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.



Niceville Catholic Outreach Office
(850-678-7861)
Mon – Thurs
9:00 a.m. – Noon

Pastoral Staff

Pastor : Father Stephen Voyt
Parish Administrator: Deacon Gary M. McBride
Deacons: Deacon James B. Cox
Deacon Thomas J. Fraites
Deacon Louis A. Marini
Deacon John Shin

Parish Staff

Finance Manager: Randy O'Connor
Office Manager: Monica Peppler
Administration: Carolyn Cox
Faith Formation Director: Pia Elsesser
Director of Children's Ministry: Lisa Sherwin
Youth Minister: Aaron Slayback
Music & Audio-Visual: Christa Cloutier
Maintenance: Fran Huttler
PLC Manager: Monica Atkinson



Holy Name of Jesus Parish Mission Statement

We are a Roman Catholic community united by faith in God, nourished by Jesus in the Eucharist, and empowered by the Holy Spirit. We strive to live the Christian mission of peace, service, outreach, and fellowship through love, prayer, evangelization, and ministries so both the human and spiritual needs of our growing parish family and community are always met.

Stewardship

Weekend of January 21 & 22, 2017

Offertory.....\$14,400.27

Wednesday Morning

Ephesians Bible Study Participants

Thank you to everyone who has already signed up for the bible studies. If you haven't already signed up for the Ephesians bible study, which begins February 8, 2017 at 9:00 am in the Parish Hall, you have until February 1st to do so. There are still 5 books available in the office, which will be available on a first come, first serve basis. You can also order your book online at ascensionpress.com.

Jubilarian Mass Invitation

An anniversary Jubilee celebration will be held in Pensacola on Sunday, February 5th at 2:30 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart and in Tallahassee on Sunday, February 12th at 11:45 a.m. at the Co-Cathedral of St. Thomas More. In light of Bishop Parkes' departure, Msgr. James Flaherty, Diocesan Judicial Vicar, will be the principal celebrant at these liturgies.

Couples who are celebrating marriage of **exactly 1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 years or any year over 50 in 2017** are invited to register so that they may attend. Note that the anniversary may occur at any time during the year of 2017. They need not have celebrated the anniversary in order to attend.

As always the event is **absolutely free** to attend for both the couples and their families. The Diocesan Council of Catholic Women are wonderful benefactors in this regard providing refreshments for the receptions, year in and year out. Please visit www.ptdiocese.org/marriageandfamilylife and scroll down to the events section to view more details about the event. Registration is available both in English and Spanish.

Annual Men's Retreat

Men of Faith - Reflections of Christ

Blessed Trinity Shrine Retreat, Ft. Mitchell, Alabama is offering our Annual Men's Retreat entitled "Men of Faith: Reflections of Christ" on February 17 - 19, 2017. The retreat begins with registration at 7 p.m. (Eastern time) on Friday, February 17 and concludes with dinner at noon on Sunday. For registration information call (334) 855-4474.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

Art Muehlenfeld,

who passed away on January 24, 2017.

May he rest in peace.



END OF THE YEAR STATEMENTS

The end of the year statements for all parishioners who made contributions in 2016 are now available and ready for pick up. We will have them available after all weekend Masses next weekend (Feb. 4/5 & Feb. 11/12) or you may stop by the office during business hours. **ALL statements not picked up will be mailed. This is a huge expense to the church so we are asking you, if possible, to please pick your statement up after any of the weekend Masses or stop by the office during business hours. Thank you in advance.**



HAVE YOU REGISTERED?

CELEBRATE FAITH 2017
LOCATION CHANGE

The diocesan bi-annual conference has been moved to **St. Mary's in Fort Walton Beach**. The conference is on February 18, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Space is limited so register today.

Come as a group from your parish, bring your Bible study or fellowship group! Spread the word, and we look forward to seeing you there!

A variety of speakers and panelists will share their wisdom and insight on how to joyfully live our vocation in whatever stage of life we currently find ourselves, and how we can grow in holiness within it. Music for the conference will be provided by Out of Darkness! All are invited, and families are encouraged to attend together.

Register today at ptdiocese.org/celebratefaith2017

Eighteenth Annual

BRITE STARS GALA

Charity Benefit & Dinner

Friday, February 3, 2017

St. Mary Catholic School

850-243-8913

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are in memory of Paul & Marlene Bordenave's 61st Wedding Anniversary.



Ladies Sodality February Meeting

February 3 marks our last meeting before Lent and an opportunity to plan for our parish-wide Mardi Gras Pancake Breakfast on the last Sunday of February.

At this meeting you will have a chance to sign up for a pilgrimage trip on Thursday, February 16, to St. Paul's Church in Pensacola for a tour of this amazing church with Deacon Lurton. Lunch follows of course. Our program on February 3 will be handled by Elizabeth Conrad who will speak on the 12 Cornerstones and structure of Heifer International, a global non-profit that works to eradicate poverty and hunger. Elizabeth is a very interesting speaker and from her we can learn how this organization provides for families to become self-sufficient and develops communities. We meet right after Mass for breakfast, a short meeting and program. Come and join us on February 3 in the parish hall. All ladies of the parish are welcome. For information call Dianne Hinds at 678-3413.

Compassionate Friends Meets Thursday, February 2 @ 7:00 pm

Compassionate Friends is a non-sectarian national organization that welcomes bereaved parents, siblings, grandparents, and immediate family members to its meetings when they have suffered the death of a child. Meetings are held on the first Thursday of each month in Room 2 of the RE building at 7:00 p.m. The next meeting will be on Thursday, February 2nd. For more information, call Diane Kingsley at 850-398-6394 or visit their national website, www.compassionatefriends.org.

*God never said that the journey
would be easy but,
He did say that the arrival
would be worth while.*

Parish Life Center News

Open Gym/Basketball:

Sunday, January 29: 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Thursday, February 2: 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Sunday, February 5: 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Walking every Tues., Wed., and Thurs., 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

Yoga/Pilates on Thursday's at 9:30 a.m. (\$3). All proceeds go to the church

A Strength and Conditioning class will begin on Thursday, January 26th. We will meet every Thursday from 6 - 7 p.m. in the Parish Life Center. The cost will be \$3 a class. All proceeds will go to the church.

Old Geezer basketball is for those over the age of 50. Held every Tuesday from 7-9 p.m. in the PLC.

Second Annual Niceville Father Daughter Dance

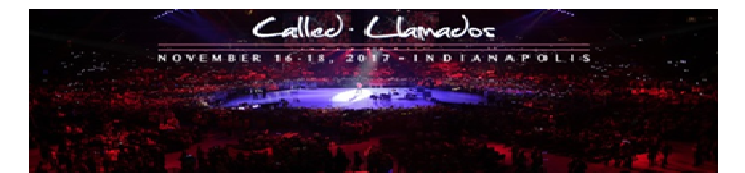


The Knights of Columbus Council 7667 are pleased to sponsor the 2nd Annual Father Daughter Dance at HNJ Parish Life Center on 25 February 2017, 7-9 p.m. **ALL** area fathers/grandfathers and daughters are invited (baby-college) to this non-denominational event. The cost is \$5 and 1 or 2 canned good items per person. Dads are asked to wear suit/mess dress/dress blues for military and girls are asked to wear a church dress. Reservations are required and are open now though Feb 12 and can be made by emailing fatherdaughterdance@outlook.com. Please give (1) father's name, (2) number attending 12 years and younger and (3) number attending older than 12 years.

Youth News

FIGHT FOR LOVE ♥ You are invited to a presentation in the PLC on February 11, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., entitled: "Fight for Love". This is a seminar about fighting pornography, raising awareness with social media dangers and help with addiction to pornography. Session 1 for youth (middle school and high school) is from 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Session 2 for adults is from 11:30 - 12:30 p.m. All parents and youth from the community and all denominations are welcome. This is addressed as a public health issue rather than from a religious, moral or political venue. Visit their website fightthenewdrug.org for additional information.

For Greatness - The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee will host the annual middle school retreat entitled "for Greatness" on Saturday March 4th from 1-8:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church. The cost is \$30 which includes retreat fee, meals at the retreat and a retreat t-shirt. The retreat will be led by National recording artists and speaker **Cooper Ray!!!** All forms and fees are due NLT February 15th !!



NCYC17: Called - There will be a meeting for all those interested in NCYC17 on February 21, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. in the CYM zone. The National Catholic youth Conference is a biennial event that brings together thousands of young people (23,000+) from around the USA for an amazing faith-filled weekend! This will be open to current 9th - 11th High School Youth. We will discuss travel, times and pricing information!! Contact Aaron for additional details at 678-6790 x121.