

Sunday, January 11, 2026

Mass Intentions for January 12-18

Monday, January 12, 2026

7:00 am Mass: SI / Amelia Franco

Tuesday, January 13, 2026 ~ St. Hilary

9:00 am Mass: + George Ammer

Wednesday, January 14, 2026

7:00 am Mass:

Thursday, January 15, 2026

9:00 am Mass: + Ronald Rathbun; + Conrado & Gregoria Manalo

Friday, January 16, 2026

7:00 am Mass:

Saturday, January 17, 2026 ~ St. Anthony

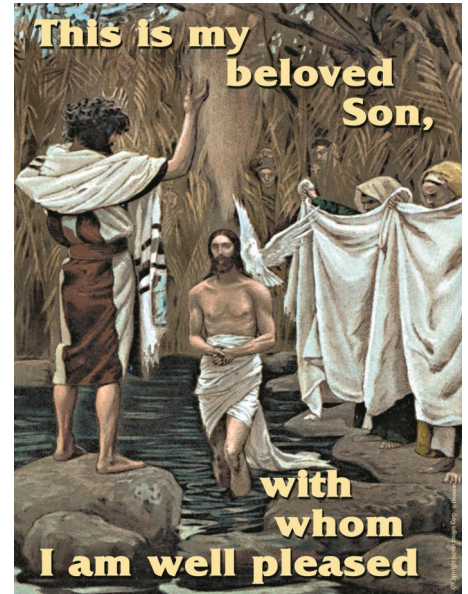
9:00 am Mass: + Kelly Lynn Ortega

4:00 pm Mass: + Enrique Ramos

Sunday, January 18, 2026 ~ Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Mass: + Fred Firth

11:00 am Mass: For the People of St. Mary Parish



Last Week's Offertory — January 3-4, 2026 \$11,803.22

Weekly Need \$6,800.00

Year-To-Date Collections

\$198,904.89

Year-To-Date Need*

\$183,600.00

Thank you for your generous contributions to the parish!

**Fiscal Year July 2025-June 2026*



2026 Jubilee Mass Dates

Tallahassee - Sunday February 8, 2:00 pm (Eastern Time)
Co-Cathedral of St. Thomas More

Pensacola - Sunday February 15, 2:30 pm (Central Time)
Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

Each year during National Marriage Week our diocese has a special liturgy for married couples celebrating significant anniversaries called the Jubilee Mass. Bishop Wack leads participants in a special commemoration of vows, prayers of blessing, and public recognition of individual couples during this liturgy. Sacramentally married couples celebrating their 1st, 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th or any anniversary beyond 50 years, are invited along with any guests who wish to support them.

Guests accompanying couples are welcome!

Please register at ptdiocese.org/events



2026 Catholic Days at the Capitol February 10th-11th

Join the Florida bishops in Tallahassee to advocate for the protection of human life and dignity as lawmakers work to shape Florida's laws for the common good. Each year Catholics from across the state gather in our capital city to put faith and civic responsibility into action.

ptdiocese.org/catholic-days-at-the-capitol



Weekend Assignments

(Please check in 15 minutes before Mass)

If you cannot attend, please call a sub or let Judy know as soon as possible.



LECTORS

January 10-11, 2026

4:00 pm: J Montano

8:00 am: M Churchill

11:00 am: M Dotsey, A Eligio

January 17-18, 2026

4:00 pm: R Mercado

8:00 am: M Yeager

11:00 am: P Norrbom, C Kidder

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January 10-11, 2026

4:00 pm: C Nunnari, F&M Werner

8:00 am: S Newton, M Yeager

11:00 am: T Kidder

January 17-18, 2026

4:00 pm: J Paris, D&P Nguyen

8:00 am: B Huntley, M Costa

11:00 am: T Kidder, M Avila, M Velasco

Victims of Abuse

The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to healing the hearts of sexual abuse victims and has established Victims Assistance Coordinators who are experienced and trained counselors. They are available to help persons who have been sexually abused by clergy or church personnel. For more information, please call the Victims Assistance Coordinator for our area, Dr. Louis Makarowski, PhD, P.A.: 850-477-7181 or the Chancellor of the Diocese at 850-435-3520.

Florida Abuse Hotline

1-800-96-ABUSE
(1-800-962-2873)

The Baptism of the Lord

Pray for the Sick

Elaine Bridges, Vicky & Jerry Cloud, Jim Dalton, Dodie McDaniel (*niece of Dorothy Carden*),
Paul Fina, Horace Grantham and Family (*nephew of Dorothy Carden*),
Larry Huntley, Anne LaFlamme, Kemen Ozen (*grandson of Faye Ellis*),
Tom Pallas, Robert Rathbun, Mary Sepulveda

To add yourself or a loved one to the sick list, please call the parish office at (850) 478-2797.
Before adding someone to the prayer list, please check with them to make sure you have their permission.
Names will be automatically listed for 3 consecutive months.



Perpetual Adoration

Jesus invites you to spend an hour with Him in the Blessed Sacrament in the parish Perpetual Adoration Chapel, open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

*"How many of you say:
I should like to see His face,
His garments, His shoes.
You do see Him, you touch Him,
you eat Him. He gives Himself to
you, not only that you may see Him,
but also to be your food
and nourishment."*

~ St. John Chrysostom

For more information, please call the parish office at 850-478-2797.

Adorers Needed:

12 am Wednesday
(midnight Tuesday)
2 am Wednesday
9 am Thursday
2 am Saturday



Please consider taking an hour out of your day to spend time with our Lord in Adoration!



Join St. Mary Choir!

Are you passionate about singing and eager to share your gift with the community? We are forming a new choir and we need voices of all types: altos, sopranos, tenors and basses.

We are seeking singers with good singing ability who can confidently share their talents. The ability to read music is not required but will certainly help support the choir's growth. We welcome all who have a passion for singing. WHY JOIN? This is a wonderful opportunity to use your God-given gift to glorify God and enrich your faith and feel connected to our church community. Whether you're an experienced singer or someone looking to grow, we welcome you to join us.

INTERESTED?

Please see Mary Ann Niemann after Mass or call the office at 850-478-2797. We look forward to welcoming you to our choir family.



SMYLE

*Saint Mary Youth
Love Everyone
high school youth group*

We will be joining the Religious Education Program this Sunday, January 11, 2026 at 9:00 am for the family Circle of Grace session. Please ask your parents to come as well.

Next Sunday, January 18th, there is no SMYLE. Those in the first or second year of preparation for Confirmation should be receiving a contact from Judy Paris about joining the Confirmation prep session that day. Everyone else, enjoy the MLK break!

OCIA / Catholicism 101

You are invited! Some come to learn about what Catholicism is. Some come because they want to become Catholic. Some come because they want to grow in their understanding of the Faith. Some come for a refresher. Some come to gain skills in explaining their beliefs to others.

All come because God is calling them closer to Himself. Our next meeting is this Tuesday, January 6, 5:30-7:00 pm in the parish hall. A light dinner will be provided. If you want to be extra-prepared, check out chapter 8 of the *United States Catholic Catechism for Adults*.



**Knights of Columbus
St. Mary Council 11878**

For information on joining the Knights of Columbus, call the parish office and ask for Raphael Mercado.



Altar Flowers Memorial Calendar

The altar flowers memorial calendar is available in the vestibule (next to the Adoration Chapel door).

Sign up and grab an envelope for Kellyco Flowers.

Religious Education Program

This Sunday, January 11th, is our family Circle of Grace session from 9:00 until 10:45 am. Parents are asked to attend with Their children for this event as we return to classes after our Christmas break. We have a small gift for each family.

Next Sunday, January 18th, will be class for 3 years old through 8th grade only.

Gaudium et Spes Podcast

Have you listened to the latest episode of The Gaudium et Spes Podcast?

Bishop Wack reflects on the year of 2025, highlighting a series of blessings in the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee, which include celebrating ten ordinations, expanding schools and parish facilities, and deepening ministries such as prison outreach. He also talks about celebrating the 50th anniversary of the diocese, as well as his new role with the USCCB and the worldwide impact of Pope Francis's death and the election of Pope Leo XIV—all framed as part of God's ongoing work of forming disciples in Christ.

Listen now at gaudiumetspes.net/listen

Catholic Schools Week

Sunday, January 25 through Friday, January 31

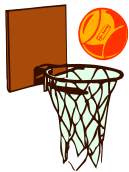
St. Paul Catholic School is having an Open House on Sunday, January 25, from 9:00–11:00 am.

In addition, each January, Catholic Schools Week is celebrated by Catholic schools across our nation. ***St. John the Evangelist Catholic School*** is part of this observance and takes this time to pause and give thanks for the opportunity to learn and grow in a school environment based on our Catholic faith and a Christ-centered education. We would also like to thank everyone for their support and prayers for all of our schools as a home where we can pursue excellence on our journey to sainthood as disciples of Jesus. It is a blessing to be “United in Faith and Community” with you. Happy Catholic Schools Week 2026!

Thank you for your continued support of Catholic education and Catholic schools. We are truly grateful for our parish partnerships.

Basketball Free Throw Championship

Sponsored by St. Paul Knights of Columbus



A youth basketball event

***January 17th — 8-11 am
St. Paul Gym***

Open to ages 9-14

For more information, contact Tom Pruter at tpruter27@gmail.com or 850-380-0997

Women's Discernment Retreat for Religious Life

February 20-22, 2026

Neumann Retreat Center, 685 Miccosukee Rd, Tallahassee, FL 32308

This weekend retreat invites single Catholic women ages 18-35 to take time away to learn about the vocation to religious life. The retreat will include times for daily Mass, prayer, Liturgy of the Hours, Adoration, spiritual talks and small group sharing.

To register and for more information, please contact Sister Colleen Mattingly by call/text at 860-368-0826 or at vocations@ascjus.org