

Sunday, September 19, 2021

Mass Intentions for September 20-26

Monday, September 20, 2021 ~ *Ss. Andrew Kim Tae-gön and Paul Chông Ha-sang, and Companions*

Tuesday, September 21, 2021 ~ *St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist*

7:00 am Mass: P&T / Kym Couch

9:00 am Mass: P&T / The Hinton Family

Wednesday, September 22, 2021

Thursday, September 23, 2021 ~ *St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)*

7:00 am Mass: + David Manz

9:00 am Mass: + Tom Buchanan

Friday, September 24, 2021 ~ *Native American Day*

Saturday, September 25, 2021 ~ *BVM*

9:00 am Mass: + Terese (Terry) Woodring

4:00 pm Mass: + Tom Buchanan

Sunday, September 26, 2021 ~ *Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:00 am Mass: + Aniceto David Mercado

11:00 am Mass: + Oscar Cura



Offertory

September 11-12, 2021

\$9,561.45

Thank you for your generous contributions to the parish!



In Sympathy

We offer our prayers and condolences to the family of **Betty Ann Garman**, who passed away on Monday, September 13th.

Second Collection This Weekend

“2021 Seton Fund Collection”
September 18-19, 2021

The annual Seton Fund Collection, which benefits our Catholic schools and religious education programs, is scheduled for September 18-19, 2021.

Your sacrificial contribution will help to pass on the light of faith to future generations.



Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar this weekend are in memory of **Aniceto David Mercado** from the Mercado Family

This Sunday is Catechetical Sunday!

“Say the Word and My Soul Shall be Healed”

Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each person plays, by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. Those who the parish community has designated to serve as catechists will be called forth to be commissioned for their ministry.

RCIA Started September 9, 2021

The sessions will be held every Thursday starting September 9th from 6:30-8:00 pm. Please call the office or talk to Deacon Ken after Mass.



Lector Weekend Assignments

(Please check in 15 minutes before Mass)

September 18-19, 2021

4:00 pm: D Maljevac

8:00 am: B Sepulveda

11:00 am: J Robinson

September 25-26, 2021

4:00 pm: L Johnson

8:00 am: M Yeager

11:00 am: A Eligio

Readings for

September 18-1, 2021

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Wis 2:12, 17-20

2nd Reading: Jas 3:16-4:3

Gospel: Mark 9:30-37

Readings for

September 25-26, 2021

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Nm 11:25-29

2nd Reading: Jas 5:1-6

Gospel: Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48



Usher Weekend Assignments

(Please check in 15 minutes before Mass)

September 18-19, 2021

4:00 pm: J Paris, P Nguyen, L Johnson, D Maljevac

8:00 am: L&B Huntley, M Yeager

11:00 am: K Pace, E Bustamante, M Velasco

September 25-26, 2021

4:00 pm: V Cloud

8:00 am: B&R Sepulveda, L Reynolds

11:00 am: D Manz, M Griffith

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

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pray for the Sick

Maria Arellano, Jamie Beck, Ron Blake, George Brown, Sr., Dorothy Carden, Paula Choppin, Gloria Close, Faye Ellis, Fred & Teresa Firth, Horace Grantham & Family, Armando Gutierrez, Carolyn Hinton, Vincent & Linda Kenney, Jerry & Anne LaFlamme, Antonio Lee, Dotie McDaniel, Tom Pallas, Adeline Rossi, David Ward (*brother of Valerie Schumm*)



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.

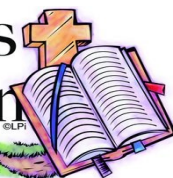
Finance Council

Mr. Walter Wooten
Mrs. Ruby Rivais
Mr. Dennis Wren

Pastoral Council

Mrs. Bernadette Bulosan
Mr. Manny Costa
Mr. Ken Fox
Mr. and Mrs. Don Kehoe
Mrs. Andrea Mackey
Mr. Dennis Maljevac
Ms. Tricia Werning

Religious Education Program



Classes have begun.

All grades meet 9:30-10:45 am on Sunday in the parish hall. It isn't too late to join us. Go online to our website at www.stmarypensacola.org and click on the link to register your whole family (3 years old through 12th grade) quickly and easily. Don't delay! Do it today! We'd love to welcome you into our Faith formation community.

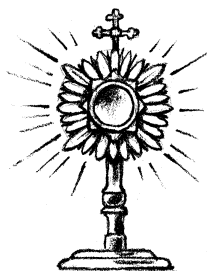
Infant Baptism Prep Class

Sunday, October 3rd
after the 11:00 am Mass
in the Parish Hall.

Contact Katinka at 478-2797 or katinkaritz@gmail.com.



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.

"When you look at the Crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at The Sacred Host you understand how much Jesus loves you now."

~ Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta

For more information, please call

Ruby Schuetz: 850-572-6700
Benny Sepulveda: 850-476-8853

Adorers Needed:

3 am Monday
1 pm Monday
3 am Tuesday
2 pm Thursday
12 am Friday
(midnight Thursday)
7 am Friday
6 pm Saturday



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

SMYLE



Youth Group has begun!
We have a lot planned for this year, including Faith formation, bonfires, pumpkin carving, service hours, games, pizza, plenty of prayer, a diocesan conference, and lots more. If you aren't yet signed up, go to the "Registration Religious Education 2021-2022" link on our parish website www.stmarypensacola.org.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd: The Atrium

Why is it called "Atrium" anyway? The word "atrium" actually means "portico, or porch entrance to a large house." The Atrium was a term given to this space by Maria Montessori. It was chosen because in the ancient church, the atrium was a gathering space between the Church Proper and the street. It was the place where the catechumens, those preparing for initiation to the Church, would receive instruction. The Atrium has a similar purpose for our children, as it is a place to help them enter into full, conscious and active participation in the liturgical and communal life of the Church. To learn more about the Atrium or to schedule a tour, contact Katinka at 478-2797 or katinkaritz@gmail.com.



Knights News

For information on joining the Knights of Columbus, please contact Gary Owchar at 601-842-1930 or Vince Kenney at 386-383-6029.

Please join us for an Evening of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for Knights and families on Friday, September 24th at 6:30 pm at the Basilica of St. Michael The Archangel.

Growing and Living Conference

The Growing and Living Conference will no longer be held at St. Mary Catholic Church in Fort Walton Beach. Due to a variety of circumstances, the conference will now be strictly virtual. The conference will still take place on Saturday, Oct. 2nd, and will be live-streamed from 9-11 am on the Diocesan Facebook and YouTube pages.

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)