



SAINT JOSEPH

Catholic Church, Port Saint Joe, Florida



TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 1, 2024



SUNDAY MASS

SATURDAY: 5:00 PM

SUNDAY: 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM

CONFESSIONS

SATURDAY: 4:30 PM - 4:45 PM

SUNDAY: 10:15 AM - 10:45 AM

FRIDAY: 8:30 - 9:30 AM (First Fridays)

WEEKDAY MASS

MONDAY: 12:00 PM, **Sacred Heart Hospital**

TUESDAY: No Mass, Rosary at 11:00 AM

WEDNESDAY: 5:30 PM

THURSDAY: 8:00 AM

FRIDAY: 8:00 AM followed by Adoration of
the Blessed Sacrament

Mail: 304 Twentieth St., Port Saint Joe FL, 32456 | 850-227-1417
office@stjosephpsj.org | www.stjosephpsj.com | facebook.com/stjosephstjoe

Job Opening

St Joseph is looking for an office secretary part time. If you think you might be interested or know someone who is, please call Dona in the office at 850-227-1417.

Gospel Reflection

Reflect, today, upon any ways that you have taken some conversation personally, allowing it to oppress you with anger, becoming defensive or argumentative. Know that whenever that happens, this is an attack from the evil one as he seeks to oppress you. Do not accept that abuse. The guide for each of us is the peace and joy that comes from the Holy Spirit. Even the greatest martyrs remained at peace and felt joy in the midst of their persecution. Reflect upon any ways that you have allowed the evil one to agitate you and leave you upset with your wounded pride. Do not fall into his trap. Hold on to the truth and remain at peace, and that will be all the defense you need to make.



Teachers Needed

We will be starting our RE classes in September and are in need of volunteers to help teach our youth. Classes are Wednesday evenings. If you are interested or would like more information please contact Lisa Finney at: finneysrule1@gmail.com

Gospel Prayer

My persecuted Lord, You endured much criticism in life, but You never allowed it to steal Your peace. You remained perfectly strong, rejecting the lies and turning from them. Please give me the grace I need to always turn away from the lies of the evil one and to listen only to Your clear and gentle voice. Jesus, I trust in You.

St. Joseph Parish Contacts

Pastor: Fr. Mathew K. Abraham,
office@stjosephpsj.org

Parish office: Dona Sander,
850 227-1417,
office@stjosephpsj.org

Altar Society: Judy Eppinette,
juditheppinette@gmail.com

Men's Club: Chason Almy,
cachalmy@yahoo.com

Religious Education: Lisa Finney,
finneysrule1@gmail.com

Young Adult & Youth Ministry:
Betsie Welle, 850 339-3170

Music: Carolyn Williams,
crcmc@hotmail.com

Prayer List

Bailey Rish	Judy McCormick
Joey Saternis	Steve Solonka
Greg Klapp	Loraine Schanback
Terry Staab	Dottie Race
Mary Kelly	Leo Pogorzelski
April Byrd	Bobbie Miller
Mary Halladay	Jess Elphinstone
Danielle Newton	Greg Squire
Vince Fabry	Debra Snyder
Jo O'Barr	Sonny Eells
Doyle Faulkner	Chase Giddens
	Fr Ken Ekdahl

To request that a name be placed on the prayer list, please contact the parish office

Bulletin Announcements

If you have an announcement for the bulletin, you may send it to: office@stjosephpsj.org. Please keep it to 100 words or less and submit it by the Monday prior to the weekend you would like it to be in the bulletin.

Wisdom of Saints

"Young people need the light of watchful guides to lead them on the path of salvation."

—St. John Baptist de la Salle

Food Donations

Don't forget our food basket at the entrance of the church which is open daily. It is there all year for dropping off nonperishables. If you're visiting the area, and have nonperishables that you didn't use, consider donating them before you make your trip back home. Thank you for thinking of those in need.

Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory

Weekly Need: \$4,251.00

Last weekend's offertory: \$2,709.00

Year-to-date giving: \$35,660.00

Year-to-date* need: \$34,008.00

** July 2024 - June 2025 fiscal year*

Catholic Sharing Appeal 2024

Pledge Goal: \$19,875.00

Total Pledged: \$20,880.69

Total Received: \$18,239.19

Variance:* -\$1,635.81

Number of Families Pledged: 39

**Variance is Pledge Goal minus Total Received*

Happy Labor Day

Then Jesus said, "Come to me, all of you who are weary and carry heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. - Mathew 11:28.

Have a happy, safe and Blessed Labor Day.



Words for Thought

It is no one's job but your own to make you happy.

Altar Flowers

If you would like to donate altar flowers for a special occasion or in memory of a loved one, please contact the office at least 2 weeks in advance.



Reporting Abuse

The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to the healing of sexual abuse victims. It has established Victims Assistance Coordinators, experienced and trained counselors, who are available to help persons who have been sexually abused. The coordinator for the Panama City/Tallahassee area is Dr. James Gagnon, MSW, LCSW. He may be reached at (850)877-0205. Or call the Florida Child Abuse hotline: (800) 962-2873.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 31, Twenty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

5:00pm:

Sunday, September 1, Twenty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00am:

11:00am: People of St Joseph

Monday, September 2, Twenty-Second Week of Ordinary Time

12:00pm:

Tuesday, September 3, Twenty-Second Week of Ordinary Time

11:00am: No Mass, Rosary

Wednesday, September 4, Twenty-Second Week of Ordinary Time

5:30pm:

Thursday, September 5, Twenty-Second Week of Ordinary Time

8:00am:

Friday, September 6, Twenty-Second Week of Ordinary Time

8:00am:

Saturday, September 7, Twenty-Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

5:00pm:

Sunday, September 8, Twenty-Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00am:

11:00am: People of St Joseph

To request Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.