

MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK

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SATURDAY: JANUARY 10

Vigil of the BAPTISM of the Lord

5:30 P.M. ~ Cesar Castillo † &

JONATHAN WILSON †

SUNDAY: JANUARY 11

Solemnity of the BAPTISM of the Lord

7:30 A.M. ~ People of God

10:30 A.M. ~ Donna Vanderbeek

MONDAY: JANUARY 12

Weekday

8:30 A.M. ~ Mary Ethyl Eddins & family

TUESDAY: JANUARY 13

St. Hilary, bishop & Doctor of the Church

8:30 A.M. ~ Father Kevin Johnson

WEDNESDAY: JANUARY 14

Weekday

8:30 A.M. ~ Grace Koechel †

THURSDAY: JANUARY 15

Weekday

8:30 A.M. ~ Tricia Branagan

FRIDAY: JANUARY 16

Weekday

8:30 A.M. ~ **Communion Service**

SATURDAY: JANUARY 17

Vigil of Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Begins

5:30 P.M. ~ People of God

SUNDAY: JANUARY 18

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 A.M. ~ Gordon Remington †

10:30 A.M. ~ Helga Wacker †



FAITH FORMATION

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR CONFIRMATION & EUCHARIST

Must attend minimum of 75% of BOTH RE Classes & Sacramental Prep Cases for info: call Parish Office at 897-7797

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CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Religious Education: Sun: 8:45-10:00 a.m.
 Lisa Hall: 897-7797
 Youth Ministry: **EDGE** Wed: 5:30-7:30 p.m.
 Carmen Marshall-Claude & Dalane Fox: 897-7797
 Youth Ministry: **LIFE & TEEN** Wed: 5:30-7:30 p.m.
 Carmen Marshall-Claude: 897-7797
 Sacramental Catechesis: Check Bulletin or Call
 Lisa Hall: 897-7797
 Rite of Christian Initiation: Mon.: 5:30-7:30 p.m.
 Deacon Jim Murray: 974-1033
 Bible Study:
 Deacon Bill Schaal: Sun.: 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. 897-3949
 Michele McCormick: Tue.: 9:30-11:00 a.m. 897-2372
 Sue Marco: Tue.: 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. 897-5609
 Ignatian Exercises: Wed.: 9:10-11:30 a.m.
 Maurie Ockerman: 897-1463

CATHOLIC FELLOWSHIP

Donut Brigade: Sun: after 7:30 & 10:30 Masses
 Donna & Ron Quinn: 897-2342
 Welcome Committee: Sun: 1st Wkend at all Masses
 Colleen Miller: 678-2116
 Single-Divorced-Widowed: Sun: 4th Wkend after 10:30 Mass
 Barbara Vanderbeek: 897-6551
 Monday Morning Coffee: Mon.: 9:10 a.m. til
 Playgroup-4-Kids-&-Moms: Tue.: 9:30-11:00 a.m.
 Sarah Dieterich: 897-3795
 Parish Socials Ministry: No Point of Contact at Present
CATHOLIC OUTREACH & FELLOWSHIP
 Knights of Columbus: Thu.: 1st Wk of Month
 Andy Balding: 496-0439
 Council of Catholic Women: Fri.: 1st Wk of Month
 Nancy Morris: 897-4648
 Priscilla Circle: Wed.: 3rd Wk of Month
 Rebecca Coley: 618-409-6850
 Young Adult Ministry: Tue.: 2nd Wk of Month
 Adam Ubowski: 897-7797

CATHOLIC OUTREACH

Bereavement Ministry: No Point of Contact at Present
 Elder Outreach: Sharon Hargreaves 279-6337
 St. Vincent de Paul: Patty Harp 897-5887
 KoC Outreach (Elderly): Ron Rabiansky 897-3493
 Habitat for Humanity: Nitsi Bennett 315-0025

CATHOLIC ENRICHMENT

Prayer Line: Beth McDonald 897-0549
 Charismatic Renewal: Maurie Ockerman 897-1463
 Communion & Liberation: Pam Deloach 897-3413
 Cursillo: Annette North 897-3783
 Respect Life: Michele McCormick 897-2372

CATHOLIC LITURGY

Music: Adam Ubowski 897-7797
 Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Deacon Nolla 897-6885
 Lectors & Altar Svrs: Tom Toltzien 897-5789
 Altar Svrs: Deacon Murray: 974-1033
 Sacristans: Patty Harp 897-5887
 Ushers / Greeters: Adolph Fejfar 897-2586
 Art & Environment: Michele McCormick 897-2372
 Carmen Marshall-Claude 678-9372

COUNCILS & COMMITTEES

Pastoral: Jeanette Schaal 897-3949
 Finance: Adam Dieterich: 897-3795
 Faith Engaged: Pat Brennan: 897-1163

FYI:

If you are interested in participating in any of the above Ministries or Organizations to become part of our "Faith Engaged" parish family, please call the point of contact and they can then give you their e-mail address to communicate.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

11 January 2015 thru 18 January 2015

SUNDAY:

Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11;
 Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6;
 Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9; Mk 1:7-11

MONDAY:

Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1, 2b, 6, 7c, 9; Mk 1:14-20

TUESDAY:

Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:21-28

WEDNESDAY:

Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Mk 1:29-39

THURSDAY:

Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-11; Mk 1:40-45

FRIDAY:

Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3, 4bc, 6c-8; Mk 2:1-12

SATURDAY:

Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 2:13-17

SUNDAY:

1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10;

1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42

CELEBRATE FAITH 2015: "HEARTS ON FIRE"

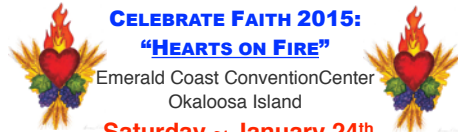
Emerald Coast Convention Center
 Okaloosa Island

Saturday ~ January 24th

Registration Deadline: January 12th

www.ptdiocese.org

\$20 per individual/\$50 per family



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Prior to setting a Baptism date for your child, please call the parish office to register for the required preparation class and to complete necessary paperwork. One of the godparents must be baptized, confirmed & a practicing Catholic who is sixteen years of age or older. Baptisms at Christ Our Redeemer are usually scheduled during Mass the fourth weekend of the month.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Call the Parish Office to schedule an appointment with the pastor. Arrangements must be made SIX MONTHS in ADVANCE of anticipated Wedding Date. Registration for and the completion of the marriage preparation program are required.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Anointing Request by calling the Parish Office
Parishioners who are facing surgery or struggling with serious illness may request this sacrament.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

"We, the parish of Christ Our Redeemer, are called to love God, act as stewards of Christ and trust in the Lord to nurture our faith through His Presence in the Eucharist."

PARISH VISION STATEMENT:

"Christ Our Redeemer Catholic Parish is: An open, diverse and vibrant Christ-centered family, inspired by the Holy Spirit to nurture and share our faith through celebration of the Eucharist, prayer, education, outreach and community."

ADORATION

PRaise & WORSHIP RECONCILIATION



TUESDAY: JANUARY 13th ~ from 7 until 9 p.m.

OUR LORD IS WAITING FOR YOU!

The Young Adults are invited to a free dinner in the Parish Hall at 6:00 p.m. R.S.V.P. for dinner at coryoungadult@gmail.com

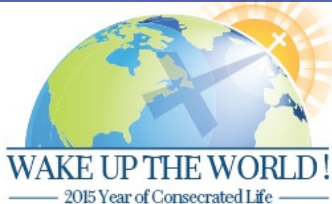
Parish "Prayer Line" Requests

For Prayer Requests Call:

BETH McDONALD at 897-0549

**DEPLOYED MILITARY: Colleen & Robin Murray
 Ricky Miller - Joseph Nolla - David Juarez
 ♦ (Missions: Molly McCormick)**

Wolfgang & Gertrude Geiberger - Kevyn - Madeline
 Rosa & Arthur Culver - Becky Sobel - Nancy Duke
 Mary Frances Fuller - Bernice Huyser - Guy Jordan
 Edward Jarzabek - James Whitmarsh - Shirley Ocker
 Beverly Wheat - Bill Pezdirtz - Jose Antonio Lefran
 Marcie Norris - Harry Kinzler - Mary Lou Alvaj
 David Hartline - Ruby Liberatori - Anne Browne
 Nancy Kirk - Shelley & Michael Flynn - John Rebello
 Sonia Swope - Terrance Laverty - Aria Randolph
 Debbie Crawford - Nancy Grigsby - Kathy Murphy
 Father Kevin Johnson





Loving and Generous God, it is You who call us by name and ask us to follow You.
Help us to grow in the Love and Service of our Church as we experience it today.

Bless the Church of Christ Our Redeemer by raising up dedicated and generous leaders from our families and friends who will serve Your people as Sisters, Priests, Brothers, Deacons and Lay Ministers.
We ask this through our Lord. **Amen.**



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 13527 INFORMATION

CALENDAR ITEMS:

- Jan 16th - BINGO at HNJ ~ 6 p.m.
- Jan 22nd - Executive Committee Meeting ~ 7 p.m.
- Jan 23rd - BINGO at HNJ ~ 6 p.m.
- Jan 30th - BINGO at HNJ ~ 6 p.m.



BE A KNIGHT ~ HELP OTHERS, REACH OUT TO THE COMMUNITY & BELONG TO A GREAT FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION. . .

Contact Grand Knight Andy Balding at 496-0439 today & ask about joining the Knights of Council 13527 at COR.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

The Saint Vincent de Paul Society wishes to thank you for your love, care and especially your monetary generosity for all our neighbors who are in need of our help. Because of you they were able to have a Blessed Thanksgiving and Christmas Holiday. We provided over one hundred families with food for both Thanksgiving and Christmas. At Christmas were able to give all of their children gifts from Christ Our Redeemer's Giving Tree. We received many many thanks and bright smiles which they asked us to pass on to all of you. We wish you much joy, health and happiness throughout the New Year.

PENSACOLA-TALLAHASSEE DIOCESE

House Of St. Joseph the Workman Open House

The House of St. Joseph is a community of Catholic professed men and women who live under a Rule to inspire a closer walk with Jesus through prayer and the sacraments. We live a secular life in our own homes. We also have a family of Oblates, who live under their own Rule.

Attend an information session on **Saturday, January 17th** from noon to 2:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served. Location: 319 Racetrack Rd NE, Fort Walton Beach, 850-862-4664/9039

34th Liturgical Celebration

Commemorating Black History Month

Sunday, February 8th at 2:00 PM ~ Concert and 2:30 Mass. Saint Mary Parish, 110 Saint Mary Avenue, S.W., Fort Walton Beach. Points of contact: Juanita Sanks - 850-499-0633, and Andy Simmons - 850-729-2573

FOR OTHERS EVENTS THROUGHOUT DIOCESE

CHECK DIOCESAN WEBSITE AT: www.ptdiocese.org

Treasures for Our Lord ~ 4 JANUARY 2015

Thank you for your generosity to our visitors & our members . . .

Weekend & Office donations for operating Parish	\$16,496.90
On-Line Donations	\$2,711.00
Total Received	\$19,207.90

ENVELOPES FOR 2015 ARE AVAILABLE . . .
on the table near water fountain in Narthex

VICTIMS OF ABUSE: The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to healing. Louis M. Makarowski Ph.D.; P.A. at 850-477-7181

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COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

CCW BUNCO FUNDRAISER



An evening of fun
Thursday, January 15th at 6:30 p.m.

CCW Annual Bunco Social
Lots of fun, prize winning & comradery
Donations \$20 per ticket.

Proceeds collected are donated to local charities.

PRISCILLA CIRCLE

Interested in being more involved with the community & church? Here is a perfect opportunity. Priscilla Circle, sister group, with CCW is new & looking to grow with your help. **Wednesday, January 14th at 6:00 pm** will be a working meeting at Rebecca Coley's home to look at our activities for the coming year. Bring ideas for presentations you would like to hear, subjects for group study, community charities to support, & church activities to create more fellowship opportunities. Let us know how you would like to be involved & we'll definitely listen! Contact Rebecca at Rebecca.coley@gmail.com for more info.

CHRIST OUR REDEEMER

COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

ANNUAL SPRING TEA AND FASHION SHOW

Sunday, February 8th at 2:00 p.m. ~ held in the

Christ Our Redeemer Parish Hall. This elegant, springtime event for women of all ages - mothers, daughters, granddaughters - funds Annual Scholarships, other charities and provide for operating expenses. Fashions provided by Chico's. Donation is \$20.00 per ticket. Call Cheryl at 678-5558 or 218-5771 for tickets.

EDUCATORS AND YOUTH LEADERS

Those called to serve as Catholic educators and leaders of youth serve a vitally important purpose in the Church and the lives of children as they determine their life's direction.

In 1997, Pope John Paul II instituted February 2nd, the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, as a day of prayer for women and men in consecrated life. Those in consecrated life are called to reflect light of Jesus Christ to all peoples.

2015 INCOME TAX INFORMATION - UPON REQUEST ONLY

"Please ALLOW Seven {7} Days to Prepare"

Call **Mary Beth at 897-7797** - E-mail request to: coraccount@gmail.com or print & fill out information below & drop form into the collection basket.

NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____

Please check selection and have my statement:

- Mailed to Me
- For Me to Pick Up at Parish Office
- E-mailed to me at: _____

NEXT WEEKEND'S BULLETIN DEADLINE

Monday, January 12th at 12 noon coroffice@gmail.com



You honored the Christ Child in remembrance of your loved ones, those who are living or those who have died, and the poinsettias have been wonderful gifts from you for the parish to enjoy throughout this holy Christmas season. We extend our many, many thanks to our parishioners who so generously responded to our request for donations to the "Flower Fund" for poinsettias to decorate our Sanctuary during this holy season of Christmas



Donated By:

Tina-Marie Zermeño
Grace Koechel †

Donated By:

Greg Muntzner & Maryann Koechel
Daniel Flynn
Chris & Mary Beth Krenak
Judy W. Bassham
Dick & Patty Harp
Pat & Jack Brennan
Eileen Marelo
Dorothy & Jake Vallimont
Betty Otto
Nancy Kirk
Mary Lou Alvdj
Will & Nancy Kramer
Marcie Norris
Tom Okuly
Donna Lynn & A.J. Starling
David & Lourdes Underwood
Barbara Vanderbeek



In Thanksgiving

To the Eucharistic Ministers who bring me
Communion every Sunday

In Memory Of:

Paul, Jerry, Teresa Koechel † & Eugene Muntzner †
Mr. & Mrs. James L. Flynn †
Frank & Emily Waits †
Clarence & Millage Allen † (her parents)
Fr. James Manley, Jr. (Fr. Jamie) †
Brennan † & Degnan † Families
Charlie Marelo †
Kimberly Vallimont †
Kevin & Bridget O'Keefe †
Les Kirk †
Gordon. & Brad Alvdj † †
Clyde & Mary La Comb †
Deceased Members of Myhra & Norris Families †
Robert & Margie Okuly †
Sandy Marchiando † & Joyce Starling †
George Underwood † & Enrique Jose DeVarona †
My Family † & all the Deceased Members of
Christ Our Redeemer †

Donated By: ~ ~ ~ ~ ~
Donna Clark

For Blessed Mother:
Gloria Abate †

Donated By: ~ ~ ~ **In Honor Of:**
Steve & Cindy Zimmermann Marge Albrecht

For CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

Vicki C. Remington

FLOWERS FOR OUR BLESSED MOTHER

In Honor Of:

Veterans
Military Families
Donated by: Dr. Joe & Mary Agostinelli

In Memory Of:

Gloria Abate † (Donna's Mother)
Donated by: Donna Clark

Mr. & Mrs. Russell Hargreaves †
Alfred & Ruby Lea †
Donated by: Robert & Sharon Hargreaves

To all the talented volunteers of our Parish Family
thank you one and all . . .
for sharing your
time ~ talents and creativity
to decorate the
exterior of the Church
the Narthex
our Sanctuary
and the Parish Hall
Father Bob extends a special thanks
to: Carmen Marshall-Claude
Dalane Fox
Beth McDonald
Michele McCormick
and for all
the "behind the scenes" hours they
have given so ALL could enjoy the
beautiful environment throughout
the parish this holy, holiday season.

**FLOWERS For THE MONTHS OF
NOVEMBER & DECEMBER**

Jim & Lea Shelingoski
Mark & Cathy Demoreski
Paul & Carol Giguere
James & Joyce McCarthy
Rick & Marcy Spitznagel
Vicki Remington
Robert Aich
Erika Campbell
Mr. & Mrs. Ken Swank
Mr. & Mrs. Jeffrey Simmers
Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Williams
Glen Prescott & Sylvia Diaz



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Statement in Response to the Redefinition of Marriage in Florida

TALLAHASSEE, FL (January 5, 2015) – The Catholic Bishops of Florida have issued a statement addressing the redefinition of marriage in Florida to accommodate couples of the same sex.

The full statement follows:

Tomorrow, with the expiration of a stay on a U.S. District Court ruling, marriage licenses for same sex couples are being issued for the first time in our state. The Catholic bishops of Florida are deeply disappointed by Judge Hinkle's ruling, as well as refusals by the 11th Circuit Court of Appeals and the Supreme Court of the United States to stay the decision while appeals pend.

The conjugal nature of a marriage between a man and a woman has provided for millennia the basis for norms of marital exclusivity and permanence that made possible stable families necessary for human flourishing. In redefining marriage to include same sex couples, the judge has in effect overturned a state constitutional amendment approved by nearly 62% of the electorate in a 2008 ballot initiative.

How society understands marriage has great public significance. Because of this, redefining civil "marriage" to include two persons of the same sex will have far-reaching consequences in society. Such a change advances the notion that marriage is only about the affective gratification of consenting adults. Such a redefinition of marriage does nothing to safeguard a child's right to a mother and father and to be raised in a stable family where his or her development and well-being is served to the greatest extent possible.

Redefinition of marriage will have implications not yet fully understood. The term "marriage" can be found in family law, employment law, trusts and estates, healthcare law, tax law, property law, and many others. These laws also affect and pervasively regulate public and private institutions including religious institutions, such as churches, schools, and hospitals. Besides the predictably disruptive effects, imposing this redefinition of marriage threatens both religious liberty and the freedom of individuals to conscientiously object as already seen in those states that have redefined marriage to accommodate same sex couples.

Marriage based on the complementarity of the sexes is the lifeblood of family, and family is the foundation of our society. The crisis that sadly the family is experiencing today will only be aggravated by imposing this redefinition of marriage. Society must rediscover the irreplaceable roles of both mother and father who bring unique gifts to the education and rearing of children.

For the benefit of society and the common good, the conjugal understanding of marriage between a husband and a wife and complementarity of a father and mother must be preserved so that the family can be a school of love, justice, compassion, forgiveness, mutual respect, patience and humility in the midst of a world darkened by selfishness and conflict.

Our parishes, family life offices and other ministries are available to assist those seeking to understand the truth and beauty of marriage and to assist husbands and wives to strengthen their bonds. Additional resources can be found at www.marriageuniqueforareason.org and www.foryourmarriage.org / www.portumatrimonio.org.

We look forward to the first visit of Pope Francis to the United States, where he will lead the [World Meeting of Families](#) in Philadelphia, from September 22-27, 2015. For each of us, our true glory is in our capacity to love as God loves; and no better means exists to teach the meaning of love than the family. May we speak the truth in love, and may family life led by father and mother flourish again in our state, nation and throughout the world.

The statement can be found online at: <http://www.flacfb.org/statements/2015/150105Marriage.pdf>

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