A Catholic Community That Grows Disciples!

Masses
Daily:
Mon. - Fri.
8:00 am & 5:30 pm,
Sat. 8:00 am
Sat Vigil: 5:00 pm
Sunday:
7:30 am, 9:00 am,
10:45 am, & 5:00 pm
Confessions:
Sat 8:30 - 9:00 am or
by appt.

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Rev. John Chandler, S.J., Retired
Rev. Melvin Shorter, C.P., Assisting
Rev. Brian Flanagan, Retired
Deacon Gregory C. Quinn

Reverend Thomas R. Lafreniere, Pastor
SATURDAY, AUGUST 18
5:00 PM † Annamaria Rollo
by her husband, Michael

SUNDAY, AUGUST 19
7:30 AM For the intentions of our parishioners
9:00 AM † Ann & Joe Provissero & Michael
by The Provissero Family
10:45 AM † John M. Miele by Maria & John Landi
5:00 PM † Mildred Schluṣtenhofer
by Theresa TroƩa

MONDAY, AUGUST 20
8:00 AM For the intentions of
John & Natalie Alberto by The Seifel Family
5:30 PM † Sander Hacker by Theresa Bruno

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21
8:00 AM † Virginia D. Heffernan by Theresa Trotta
5:30 PM † Jeanne Mundie by her mom, Bidou

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22
8:00 AM † Tillie Brill by John Stonitsch
5:30 PM † Gusto Garcia-Iniguez
by Jose F. & Tery Valdivia

THURSDAY, AUGUST 23
8:00 AM † Jack Graves by Theresa Trotta
5:30 PM † The deceased members of
The Kearns & The Bryan Families
by Frank Kearns and family

FRIDAY, AUGUST 24
8:00 AM † Dr. Jeffrey S. Peters
by Richard & Peggy Lake
5:30 PM † Robert Trosclair by Betty Heaney

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25
8:00 AM † Brent Maclean by his wife
5:00 PM For the intentions of
Richard & Janice Nucci
on their 6th wedding anniversary

SUNDAY, AUGUST 26
7:30 AM † Noemi Fernandez by Diane McNeal
9:00 AM For the intentions of our parishioners
10:45 AM † Virginia O’Brien
by David, Kathleen & Sean Ancon
5:00 PM † Robert Sieff
by his wife, Dorothy & family

FOR AUGUST 25/26
Sat., 5:00 PM - Nancy Anderson
Sun., 7:30 AM - Kathy Doggett
9:00 AM - James Hook
Jorge Perez
10:45 AM - Beth Casey
5:00 PM - Scotty Howell

This week, August 20th, at a glance…

Monday:
8:30 AM Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
2 PM Yarn & Rose Knitting Group
5:00 PM Sandwich Makers

Tuesday:
8:30 AM Legion of Mary
6 PM Kairos Social
6 PM Legion of Mary

Wednesday:
7 PM Oremus - A guide to Catholic Prayer

Thursday:
7:30 PM Charismatic Prayer Group

Friday:
9 AM - 5 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday:

Sunday:
8:30 AM - 12:30 PM Coffee, Donuts & Fellowship
9 AM Story Keepers
10 AM CIA - Family Rosary and 1st class

Looking forward to, in the near future:
Mondays 5:30 PM - Al-Anon Meeting; Sept. 1st First Saturday Mass & Marian Devotion, Sept. 3rd Labor Day - Office Closed, no 5:30 PM Mass; Sept. 5th/6th Walking with Purpose Women’s Bible Study, Sept. 5th Choir Rehearsal; Sept. 7th First Friday Adoration; Sept. 8th/11th All Paul’s Men Group; Sept. 8th Contemplative Prayer Group, Baptism Class; Sept. 9th Confirmation I &II, Middle School classes begin

OUR PARISH SCHOOL:
All Saints Catholic School
1759 Indian Creek Parkway
Jupiter, FL 33458
(561) 748-8994
www.allsaintsjupiter.org
Email ascs@allsaintsjupiter.org

All Saints has a challenging academic curriculum centered on Jesus Christ, building upon the individual gifts of our children while learning in a collaborative, technological environment.

“Where All God’s Children are Honored”
Ministry of Religious Education & Confirmation
Kate Devine

RCIA/ Faith Inquiry
Deacon
Gregory C. Quinn

Director of Music & Liturgy
Jeanne Clark

First Friday
Exposition & Holy Hour after 5:30pm Mass

Devotion to Mary
First Saturday of the month, rosary and procession to the grotto following 8:00am Mass. Rosary is prayed every Saturday after the 8:00am Mass, and with the Legion of Mary, Tuesdays after the 8am and 5:30pm Masses.

Adoration Chapel
Open for quiet meditation before the Blessed Sacrament during office hours. Exposition every Friday. Located across from the Parish Office.

Charismatic Prayer Group
Thursdays at 7:30pm in the Parish Center. Mass & Healing Service 3rd Thursday of each month in the Chapel.

Hospital/Homebound Visits
If someone is in the hospital or homebound and would like a visit, please advise the Parish Office.

Parish Office Hours
Monday-Friday 9:00am - 5:00pm
Saturday 9:00am - 1:00pm
Sunday in the vestibule of the church 9am - 12noon

Religious Shop - 624-1752
Monday - Friday 8:30am - 1:00pm
Saturday 8:30am - 5:00pm
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FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 12th
$ 8,379.00 Online $ 1,567.00
Diocesan collection for the Church in Africa and the Church in Latin America
$ 1,918.00 Online $ 57.00

God bless you and thank you for your generosity in supporting your church!

THIS WEEKEND the second collection will benefit the Religious Education Program at St. Mary’s in Pahokee.

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Thank you for dropping your dollar bills and loose change in the poor boxes. God bless you!
TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
THIS EUCHARISTIC FEAST

Some things about human nature don’t change, even over the course of centuries. When we celebrate a holiday, we have a meal; when we celebrate a significant event, we have a feast. In today’s first reading, Lady Wisdom is setting a feast, a sign of celebrating the covenant that Israel has with God. Israel’s central remembrance of its saving Exodus covenant is the Passover meal. So it is natural—and not coincidental—that the Christian celebration of the new covenant sealed by the blood of Christ on the cross happens at a meal, our Eucharist, offered first by Jesus in the context of Passover remembrance. It is easy for us, sometimes, to forget the very long and rich religious and human origins of our Eucharistic feasting on the bread and cup that are the Body and Blood of Jesus. Today, and for the next few Sundays that we hear the “Bread of Life” discourse from John, let us bring to mind the loving covenant that God makes with us, and be filled with great joy at this marvelous feast that we have come to attend!

Readings for the Week

Monday: Ez 24:15-24; Dt 32:18-21; Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 20:1-16
Thursday: Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14
Friday: Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Jn 1:45-51
Saturday: Ez 43:1-7a; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Mt 23:1-12

To prepare for the Readings of August 25/26

First Reading — The Lord, our God, protected us along our entire journey (Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b).
Psalm — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).
Second Reading — Christ nourishes and cherishes the church because we are members of his body (Ephesians 5:21-32 [5:2a, 25-32]).
Gospel — We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God (John 6:60-69).
Holy Orders – When Jesus Calls, We Ought to Listen and Respond

In our Church, we have two Sacraments of Vocation – Holy Orders and Marriage. Today, we’ll discuss Holy Orders – the Sacrament that gives us bishops, priests and deacons.

As we discussed several weeks ago, everyone who is baptized, is baptized as “a priest, prophet and king.” [cf. Looking Through Stained Glass, July 22, “I Baptize You Priest, Prophet and King”] So, why do we have a separate Sacrament to designate certain men as deacons, priests, and bishops? Well, of course, the main reason is because Jesus gave us the Sacrament of Holy Orders for that specific purpose. The Catechism of the Catholic Church [CCC] explains it this way: While the common priesthood of the faithful is exercised by the unfolding of baptismal grace --a life of faith, hope, and charity, a life according to the Spirit--, the ministerial priesthood is […] a means by which Christ unceasingly builds up and leads his Church. For this reason it is transmitted by its own sacrament, the sacrament of Holy Orders. [CCC 1547]

From this statement, it is logical that those who share in the ministerial priesthood of Jesus Christ would therefore act in the person of Christ the Head of His Body the Church (in persona Christi capitis), when they are acting to “build up and lead the Church,” especially through the Sacraments. For example, when the priest prays the words of consecration through the Eucharistic prayer, he is acting in the person of Christ to transsubstantiate (i.e. change) the elements of bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ. When he absolves sins in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, it is Christ who absolves through the ministry of the priest. [cf. Looking Through Stained Glass, August 5, “God gives us a Second Chance…and a Third…and…”] This same ministry of Christ, through the ministry of the ordained, continues to the other sacraments, as well.

The Sacrament of Holy Orders consecrates men for one of three distinct offices: bishop, priest and deacon. When Jesus first established the Sacrament of Holy Orders, he conferred his ministry specifically on the Apostles. “[Jesus] said to them again, ‘Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.’ And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, ‘Receive the Holy Spirit.’” [JN 20:21-22] With this statement, Jesus consecrated His Apostles as the first bishops. Shortly after Jesus Ascension, the Apostles realized that they needed some help with the ministry of the Church, so they ordained the first deacons, through the laying on of hands. [Acts 6:2-6] As the Church began to grow and spread throughout the known world, the early Church not only elected more bishops but began to ordain, through the imposition of hands, certain men as co-workers with the bishops, called presbyters. [e.g. 1 Tim 4:14 and Titus 1:5] These presbyters later became known as priests.

Next week, we will continue our discussion of the Sacraments of Vocation with the Sacrament of Marriage, then we will discuss other vocations of life.
PARISH FAMILY VOCATIONS CHALICE PROGRAM

As part of St. Paul of the Cross’s ongoing commitment to the encouragement and development of vocations including the priesthood, religious and marriage, the Knights of Columbus have provided financial and prayerful support to seminarians for many years. In keeping with this commitment, the Parish Family Vocations Chalice Program will be introduced and will begin at the 9:00 AM Mass TODAY.

Each week at the end of Communion, a volunteer family will be called to the front to receive a book of prayers and a Chalice to be used as a focal point. The family will take these materials home and pray for vocations using the daily prayers provided in the book. These materials are then returned to the church to be distributed to another family the following Sunday.

Families include those with children, couples with or without children, grandparents and single people. Anyone who wishes to participate in this important ministry is welcome.

A member of the Knights of Columbus will be in the back of the church after Mass to accept the contact information of those who are willing to volunteer.

Please consider joining the Knights of Columbus at St Paul of the Cross Parish. Contact Jonathan Knaus at 561-603-8303 or email Jonathan.Knaus@kofc.org

General meetings are on the 2nd Wednesday of the month; the next meeting is Wed., Sept. 12th (officers meet on the 1st Wed., the next meeting is Sept. 5th) at 7 PM in the All Saints Room.

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Please prayerfully consider volunteering to become a CARING FRIEND!!

Caring Friends is in need of volunteers to help those who are homebound in various ways; such as: grocery shopping, drive to a doctor’s appointment, or just to visit while the caregiver runs a few errands. Training is provided.

Please call Lee Vaughan at 561-309-3692 or the parish office at 561-626-1873.

“Walking with Purpose”
You’re Invited!

ALL women are invited, to a Catholic Bible study. Two times are offered!! BEGINNING September 5th or September 6th Wednesday at 10 AM or Thursday at 7 PM. The study is titled Fearless & Free.

For more information please call Kate or Joanne at the Parish Office, or email office@paulcross.org or just come, and bring a friend!

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FAITH FORMATION RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

NEWS - REGISTRATION FOR ALL PROGRAMS
TODAY, AUGUST 19TH
FROM 10 AM - 12:30 PM
St. Joseph Hall

or find registration forms online at paulcross.org under the tab: Faith Formation

CIA - Religious Education for 1st - 5th grade, Sunday’s 10:15 - 11:45 AM
Middle School, 6th & 7th graders, Sundays 5 PM Mass & 6 PM - 8 PM, dinner and class
Confirmation I & II, 8th & 9th graders Sundays 5 PM Mass & 6 PM - 8 PM, dinner and class

CIA classes begin Sunday, August 26th in the Ave Maria Hall for the Family Rosary and first class
Confirmation I & II and Middle School classes begin Sunday, September 9th

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?
Are you...or is there anyone you know...
interested in becoming Catholic or
receiving the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist or Confirmation?
Please contact the Parish Office, 626-1873. Classes begin in October!

ALL PAUL’S MEN PRESENTS

Offered on Saturday mornings OR Tuesday evenings
Starting September 8th & 11th

Register NOW at www.paulcross.org/allpauls
men or by calling the Parish Office @ 561-626-1873

DISCOVER
• The scriptural vision of man and the overwhelming scientific evidence that supports this vision.
• The four leadership roles that have been entrusted to men and the five personal traits necessary for fulfilling these leadership roles.
• How and why Satan attacks the union of man and woman.
• The three main obstacles to living as authentic men and the means for overcoming them.
• The wonderful renewal God is offering to men and their families through the Church.

MEETING INFORMATION

Saturday Morning
8:00am Mass (optional in Chapel)
8:45am Food & Fellowship
9:00am Presentation
9:30am Small Group Discussion
10:00am Conclusion

Tuesday Evening
6:45pm Food & Fellowship
7:00pm Presentation
7:30pm Small Group Discussion
8:00pm Conclusion
St. Mary Church in Pahokee, composed of primarily migrant families, needs our help! Because of your generosity last year towards paying for their religious education program director, attendance was at its highest ever, and the families participated more in all parish activities across the board.

There are 200 students in this year’s Religious Education Program. Approximately 40 students will receive First Holy Communion and 20 students will be Confirmed this year, while the remaining students will experience the joy of our faith in religion classes. Fr. Raul Cardenas, their pastor, is asking for our help to pay the salary of a Religious Education director and assistant part-time salary, along with books and supplies. What a blessing to be able to help a sister parish in our own Palm Beach Diocese! The second collection the weekend of August 18/19, this weekend, will benefit St. Mary’s Religious Education Program. You may also drop off your contribution at the parish office. Thank you for your consideration!

Magnificat – A Ministry to Catholic Women

The Christ Our Light Chapter of Magnificat invites all women of the diocese to join us for our next breakfast Saturday, September 15, 2018 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Hilton Palm Beach Airport
150 Australian Avenue West Palm Beach, FL 33406

Please join us as we share a meal, enjoy fellowship, give praise and encourage one another in our faith journey. Our guest speaker for the breakfast is Amy DelValle, who will share her faith journey from culturally Jewish to Lutheran to Catholic. Amy is from St. Therese de Lisieux Church in Wellington where she serves in the music and RCIA ministries.

Registration Deadline: September 4, 2018
Email: csheldon@bellsouth.net
Please send check payable to "Magnificat" to Cindy Sheldon
3038 30th Court, Jupiter, FL 33477
$25.00 if payment is postmarked by deadline or $30.00 at the door

Plan to join us, bring a friend and rejoice in the presence of our Lord. You will be blessed!

For more information about Magnificat, please contact the parish rep: Rochelle Pasquale, 561-743-4090

New Parishioners
Registration forms are available on our website, in the office during the week, and in the vestibule of the church in the wall rack.

Registered Parishioners
Please help keep our census current by advising us of any changes of address, phone numbers, and family additions or deletions.

GOD BLESS YOU AND THANK YOU FOR HELPING TO KEEP OUR FOOD PANTRY FILLED!!!

We are in need of a few smiling faces to welcome parishioners to COFFEE & DONUTS on Sunday mornings after the 9 or 10:45 Masses, once or twice a month. If you can volunteer, especially if you want to meet new people, please contact the parish office.
Our Beautiful Grotto has had a “make-over”!

So stop by and take a look. Our Lady is surrounded by beautiful new plants and trees, thanks to the fine work and generosity of George Gentile and Emily O’Mahoney of Gentile, Glas, Holloway and O’Mahoney & Associates and Special Touch Landscapers.

Thanks be to God!

**OUR LADY’S GROTTO BRICK PAVERS**

Our Lady’s Grotto is paved with bricks. If you would like to have a memorial brick, one for a special intention, or a gift for any occasion, consider giving this lasting remembrance. The donation is $50. Your brick is inscribed with your custom message. The maximum space is 3 lines per brick and 12 spaces per line. Stop by or call the Parish Office.

**Are you looking for a way to serve your parish in a ‘behind the scenes’ way?**

Do you have a knack for laundry, washing and ironing, and would like to help? We have altar linens for Liturgical celebrations, (training is provided) that need you! Please call the parish office.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL Thrift Store
250 W. INDIANTOWN ROAD #108
Located just West of Alt A-1-A
Call 561-401-9585
Mon. - Fri. 10am-4pm & Sat. 9am-3pm
Donations needed,
Volunteers welcome!

Visit the Religious Shop in the front of the church. You can find a large selection of books and videos as well as cards and gifts for most occasions.

Shop is open Mon - Fri from 8:30 AM - 1 PM and Sat. 8:30 AM - 5 PM. Sundays after Masses.
Whether or not we are present at Church, we remain one in the Lord. Please keep the following members of your parish family in your prayers: Andrew Coates, Mateo Cotantini, Joan Gavin, Andrew Gentile, Mike Sedor, and

Jennifer C. Adkins
Bill Alexander
Debbie Anderson
Richard Michael Anderson
George Arevalo
Albert Baker
Rose Baker
Austin Barnes
Roger Beine
Clare Bellucci
Jordan Biga
Peggy Black
Beau Bloomquist
James Boyer
Phillip Brennan
Lenny D'Agostino
Eileen Crowell
Don Crawford
Jeannine Chosson
Kimberly Chorniewy
Cecilia I. Cheves
Mary Carroll
Charlie Carito
Ida Campisi
Rusty Canavit
Darlene Bucar
Sandy Budd
Bill Cahill
Coralie Cahill
Mike Sedor, and

PLEASE NOTE: Please call the Parish Office if you are being admitted to the hospital or know of someone in our parish who requests a visit from a priest or an Eucharistic Minister. Names will remain on the prayer list for two months, unless notified.

THEY ARE IN THE SERVICE. Shield them from every danger to body, mind and soul. Comfort them in loneliness, sustain them in hardship, give them the courage they need to fulfill their duty and so do Your will in all things. Bestow on our leaders and the leaders of the world the wisdom and prudence which will bring peace and justice to all.

This we ask through Jesus Christ, Your Son, Our Lord. Amen. Mary, help of Christians, pray for us.