

07.11.2021

WELCOME!

Our parish community welcomes you! We are blessed by your active participation in our worship together. Thank you for helping us grow!

“Be faithful in little things.”
-Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos, C.Ss.R

Summer Mass Schedule thru Labor Day

Mass times will be -
8 am
and
9:30 am

Liturgy Wish List

Thank you for your generosity. To date we have the following items:

Censor & Boat	3 Collection Baskets
Cope	Humeral Veil
Communion Cups	Corpus
Monstrance	Pall
Chalice	Processional Cross
Monstrance	Votive Candle Stand
Holy Water Fonts	4 Large Ciboriums
Sanctuary Lamp	Holy Water Fonts
Travel Mass Kit	Easter Candle Stand
Candle Lighter & Stand	
Statues of Mary and Joseph	

Items still needed are: 1 Collection Basket, 1 Large Ciborium

Contact Theresa West with any questions

WEEKLY PARISH OFFERINGS

SUNDAY MASS

8:00 am and 9:30am

CONFESSION

before, between, and after Sunday Masses
or by appointment

WEEKDAY MASS

Wednesday, Steinway Music Gallery
8:30am

MINISTRY OF THE SICK

Please contact the parish office if you or anyone you know would like to receive weekly communion.

STEWARDSHIP: GIFT OF TREASURE

Payments to the Capital Campaign can now be made by texting 41444
Please make your checks payable to: In the Seelos Tradition

OFFERINGS

Tithe \$3527.00
Building Fund \$404.00

UPCOMING 2ND COLLECTIONS

July 18th, 25th - Building Fund
July 11th - Missionary Co-Op

Catholic Social Services Robertsdale – Job Opening

Catholic Social Services of Robertsdale has a full-time open position for an Emergency Assistance Case Manager. If interested, please send resume by July 31st to Phyllis Beam at pbeam@mobarch.org

UPCOMING EVENTS

Prodissee Pantry Service Night -
Wednesday, July 16th 5:30pm

3rd Anniversary of our first Mass -
Sunday, July 25th 8am and 9:30am

Vacation Bible School – Cancelled for this year

Unfortunately, we are cancelling Vacation Bible School for this year. We look forward to a bigger and better than ever VBS next year in our new facilities.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Contact: Theresa West at (228) 209 4935 or
theresabertagnolliwest@yahoo.com.

Sunday School and Children’s Liturgy of the Word – Will resume in September

VBS – Unfortunately our Vacation Bible School for this year has been cancelled.

High School Students– Your help is needed! We will be providing and serving dinner for the Spanish Fort High School band students on Thursday July 29th, 3pm to 5:30pm. Contact Theresa West with your RSVP by July 19th.

Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos

As we are celebrating our 3rd Anniversary, we are reminded of the marvelous work of our Patron. Born in Bavaria in 1819, he had a desire to be a priest at age 12. He was accepted into the Redemptorist in 1842 and set sail for New York in 1843. He served in many parishes in the Midwest and Maryland. While in Maryland the Civil War broke out. Francis met with and persuaded President Abraham Lincoln to exempt the Redemptorist seminarians from military service. Fittingly, his live ended in service. While ministering to victims of yellow fever in New Orleans, he contracted the disease and passed in 1867 at the age of 48. St. John Paul II beatified Frances in 2000. His canonization cause continues.

LITURGY AND LIFE

Jesus sent his disciples out to gain some experiential learning. He sent them two by two, without food or money, into communities to put into action all they had been taught. In a similar way, Jesus invites each of us to bring God's compassion and healing to others.

We too have been chosen to be sent. Where? Maybe to a foreign land but more importantly to our immediate family, friends and colleagues in our workplaces. Why? To drive out the demons of hatred or depression, to heal the broken heart and to cure broken relationships. How? It helps if we have special skills or training such as being a physician or psychologist but it is not needed. All we need is a listening skill and willingness to help.

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha

St. Kateri Tekakwitha is the first Native American to be recognized as a saint. Born in 1656, she contracted smallpox at the age of 4 of which her entire family died from. She was raised by her uncle a chief of a Mohawk clan. She refused to marry. Her uncle punished her severely for this. At age 19, Kateri converted to Catholicism, taking a vow of chastity and pledging to marry only Jesus Christ. Her decision was very unpopular with her uncle and neighbors; some of whom started sorcery rumors about her. To avoid persecution, she traveled to a Christian native community in Montreal. Just five years after her conversion, she passed away at the age of 24 in 1680. Her name, Kateri, is the Mohawk form of Catherine, which she took from St. Catherine of Siena. She was canonized by Pope Benedict XVI in 2012.



Prayer for Protection from Hurricanes and Natural Disasters The Devine Praises

Bless be God. Bless be His Holy Name. Bless be Jesus Christ, true God and true man. Blessed be the name of Jesus. Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart. Blessed be His Most Precious Blood. Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar. Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete. Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy. Blessed be her holy and Immaculate Conception. Blessed be her glorious Assumption. Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother. Blessed be Saint Joseph, her most chaste spouse. Blessed be God in His angels and in His Saints.



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July 11th 2021/ Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**“„that we may know what is the hope that belongs to
our call ”
Eph 1:17-18**

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