



Mass Intentions

Saturday, Jan. 28 **4th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 4:00 PM.....+Betty Carone
 by Ed & Char Carone
 6:00 PM **Misa en Espanol**
Sunday, Jan. 29 **4th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 8:00 AM.....People of St. Rita
 10:00 AM..... +James E. Crow
 by the Conley Family
 12:00 PM (CTK).....+Patrick Grogan
 by Pat Grogan

Monday, Jan. 30 **Weekday**
 8:30 AM.....+Mrs. Steele
 by Bill Schneider

Tuesday, Jan. 31 **St. John Basco**
 8:30 AM.....Holy Communion Service

Wednesday, Feb. 1 **Weekday**
 5:15 PM..... + Michael DiPinto
 by The DiPinto Family

Thursday, Feb. 2 **Presentation of The Lord**
 8:30 AM.....+Al Hiersche
 by Alice Hiersche

Friday, Feb. 3 **St. Blaise**
 8:30 AM..... +Bob Wish
 by Joseph Carone & Family

Saturday, Feb. 4 **5th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 4:00 PM.....+Bob James
 by The Maleszewski Family

God's Word This Week

Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Mk 5:1-20
 Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30 – 19:3; Mk 5:21-43
 Wednesday: 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Mk 6:1-6
 Thursday: Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]
 Friday: Sir 47:2-11; Mk 6:14-29
 Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13; Mk 6:30-34
 Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

FALSE PROPHETS, TRUE PROPHETS

In Deuteronomy today we hear that God's very words will fill the mouth of a true prophet, but a false prophet will, in a manner of speaking, put mere mortal words into God's mouth. In Mark's Gospel, we see Jesus teaching and healing as a true prophet, one filled with the authority of God's own voice, the Holy One of God.

The whole history of our church is filled with both true and false prophets. But in today's Gospel we learn that Jesus' fame spread because he taught with authority; he wasn't an authority because he was popular or famous. We also learn from him, in his desert temptation confrontations with Satan, that anyone can quote scripture, even against God's purposes. And today we hear that his authority was not like that of the scribes, who held the official positions of religious authority in his day. Our work is to do our best to discern the true prophets in our midst, and to be true prophets as well. The psalmist tells us how to do this: by not hardening our hearts when God speaks. If we truly listen to God, it will be God's very words filling our mouths.

Prayer Requests

Dick Armstrong	Thomas Jahanian	Isabelle O'Brian
Betty Anderson	Mary Kelly	Marge Quast
Shannon	Teresa Leo	Ken Redetzke
Anderson	Tom LeTourneau	Melissa Savoie
Flamarion &	Concetta Loduca	Ken & Audrey
Juanita Ayuso	John LeBleu	Schommer
Mary Barber	Joseph LeBleu	Charles Schromer
Bob Borella	Julie Lowe	Tonya Sisson
Britt Bergman	Tommy King	Hal Smith
Don Carroll	Lawrence Korchinski	Anne Stay
Julia Carroll	Grace Letourneau	Sam Stokes
Michelle Clancy	Ross Maple	Lorelei Stroble
Mae Conatser	Hilda Martinez	Gary Taylor
Noel Daigle	Mary Mathier	Jo Ann Vance
Darya Darley	Robert Mazzolini	Drew Vital
Danika Darley	Tim McGhee	Peggy Warner
Silvia Delgadillo	Mary McIndoe	Cliff Wesson
Emily Donovan	Carol Meyer	Jack Weidman
Ed Ellington	Helen Miller	Brenda Wharton
Rebecca Everett	Elizabeth Montgomery	Edward Williams
Bryant Horsley	Berenice Newell	

Need Help?

If you need assistance or know of anyone in need, call **St. Vincent de Paul at 888-229-6582**. Contributions may be mailed to St. Rita, 137 Moll Dr. Santa Rosa Bch, or saintrita-parish.org via Pay Pal.

Si necesita ayuda o conoce a alguien que la necesite, llame usted a la Sociedad de San Vincente de Paul, y pregunte por Felita al 278-6166 despues de las 5 de la tarde.

Do you want to help?

Caring & Sharing is in need of seasonal items for the Holidays. There is a website:

caringsharingofwalton-county.org

Baby items are always needed especially diapers all sizes. Donations may be dropped off at the Mary Star of the Sea Room.

Altar Linen Schedule:	Jan. 29	Anna Fowler
	Feb. 5	Cathy Tullos

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Lauren Michelle Savoy Olinde**, sister of **Jennifer Savoie**, who died recently. Also, pray for the consolation of her family & friends.

This Week at St Rita and Christ the King

Sunday, Jan. 29

8:00 am Sunday Mass
 8:45 am R.E. – K-5th grades
 10:00 am Mass with Children’s Liturgy
 11:00 am HS Youth Group
 12:00 pm Mass at Christ the King

Wednesday, Feb. 1

9:00 am Sewing Group
 5:15 pm Daily Mass
 5:45 pm Dinner
 6:15 pm Spirit Nite: **The 12 keys to Spiritual Vitality, Living Ageless in the Lord**
 6:15 pm CROCS
 6:30 pm R.E. Middle School
 6:00 pm Hispanic Prayer Group

Friday, Feb. 3 - Feast of St. Blaise

Blessing of the Throat after 8:30 am Mass

8:10 am Morning Prayer
 8:30 am Daily Mass
 9:00 am 1st Friday 12-hour Silent Adoration & Exposition

Monday, Jan. 30

8:10 am Morning Prayer
 8:30 am Daily Mass
 9:00 am Rosary
 6:30 pm Boy Scouts (MSS)
 7:00 pm Prayer Group (Church)

Thursday, Feb. 2

8:10 am Morning Prayer
 8:30 am Daily Mass
 9:00 am Rosary

Saturday, Feb. 4

3:00 pm Confessions
 4:00 pm Vigil Mass

Tuesday, Jan. 31

8:10 am Morning Prayer
 8:30 am Holy Communion Service
 9:00 am Rosary
 9:15 am Bible Study – Psalms (MSS)

Sunday, Feb. 5

8:00 am Sunday Mass
 8:45 am R.E. – K-5th grades
 10:00 am Mass with Children’s Liturgy
 11:00 am HS Youth Group
 12:00 pm Mass at Christ the King

Annual CSA

It’s that time of year again for our annual CSA Campaign. Last year we had a wonderful response to our pledge request. As in today’s readings, Moses told his people, “A prophet like me will the Lord, your God, raise up from among your own kin.” God still provides among His people the gifts and talents necessary to continue the work of His Church. The question we all need to ask ourselves in the next few weeks is “What gifts are yours to share?”

Weekly Stewardship

	St. Rita	Christ the King
Offertory	\$ 9,902.50	\$ 754.75
Building Fund	\$ 2,224.15	\$
Burse Club	\$ 256.00	\$ 57.00

The Back Pew – Jeff Larson



THE PARABLE OF THE DOG WALKER

The kingdom of Heaven is like a dog on a leash. Some dogs walk the path that is good, while others become entangled and snared whilst distracted by the butterflies and squirrels of the enemy. Many will walk but few walk unfettered from these temptations of life. **I WOOFALONIANS 1:1**

Mark Your Calendars

Friday, Feb. 3rd Fish Fry

Thursday, Feb. 9th –
Lecture Series

Friday, Feb. 17th – Fish Fry

Saturday, Feb. 25 – Pasta
Dinner

Men's Retreat

“Meeting With Jesus:
Preparation for Lent”

February 17-19

Blesses Trinity Shrine Retreat

Ft. Mitchell, AL

Presenter: Bishop David Foley

Fee: \$160

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Forty days after Christmas, this week's ancient feast of the Presentation of the Lord is an extension of the shining days of Christ's coming into the depths of winter. This is the day when, for a thousand years, the Church has blessed a year's supply of candles. In many places, a procession forms outside the church. The core memory is of Simeon and Anna's meeting with the infant Jesus and his parents outside the temple on the fortieth day after the child's birth, and the delight of going to the table of the Lord for the Eucharist, a foretaste of our final meeting with Christ.

For some Christians, today is known as “The Meeting,” suggesting not only the encounter in the temple, but also our assembly at the Lord's table and our longing for the kingdom. One story suggests that the commotion made by so many candle-bearing, hymn-singing faithful in the wintry fields of Germany on their joyful way to Mass stirred the badger from hibernation to examine this promise

Tax Statements 2011

If you would like a tax contribution statement for 2011, please email Ellen @

elleno@mchsi.com.

This is the most efficient and timely way of receiving your statement. However, if you do not have access to a computer, you may call the office at 267-2558 and request your statement.

Happily Married Couples
Ever wonder why the Church makes such a big deal about Marriage?
Jesus performed His 1st miracle at Cana, even though it wasn't His time.
Maybe the Church cares so much about marriage because Jesus does.
Come find out more about God's plan for Joy, Romance, and Love in YOUR marriage. You'll be glad you did! The next available weekend in this diocese is February 17-19th at the Springhill Suites on Pensacola Beach.
For information call 850-994-9637 or go on-line at www.wvme.org

NOT WITHOUT LOVE

The soul cannot live without love.



January 29, 2012



4th Sunday Ordinary Time

“What is this? A new teaching with authority...”

Faith. Academics. Service.

Catholic Schools

“The theme focuses on three priorities that Catholic schools establish that make them stand out from other educational institutions. The theme for Catholic Schools Week 2012 is “Catholic Schools: Faith. Academics. Service. Academics, which in Catholic schools are held to very high standards, help each child reach his or her potential. Service, the giving of one’s time and effort to help others, is taught both as an expression of faith and good citizenship.”

Children are taught faith –
not just the basics of Christianity,
but how to have a relationship with God.



Catechist & Adult Faith Formation

All sessions from 7:00—8:30 pm

Thurs., Feb. 2 Pastoral Center, Pensacola

Tues., Feb. 28 Our Lady of the Rosary, Panama City

Registration Form:

https://mail.mchsi.com/service/home/~/_/Living%20Beatitudes%20flyer.pdf?

“How we treat the disabled
shows what we really believe

“Every child and adult with special needs, every unwanted unborn child and every person who is ‘poor, weak, abandoned or homeless’ is an icon of God’s face and a vessel of his love.



How we treat these persons—whether we revere them and welcome them, or throw them away in distaste—shows what we really believe about human dignity, both as individuals & a nation.”

“The real choice in accepting or rejecting a child with special needs is between love and unlove, between courage and cowardice, between trust and fear.”

If we really “take God seriously,” we will work to uphold the sanctity of human life and dignity of sexuality in

Upcoming Events in February...

1-3 Catholic Schools Week

3-St Blaise and the Blessing of Throats

7- Red Mass St. Thomas Moore

11-Middle School Rally

Holy Name of Jesus

12-Wedding Jubilee-Sacred Heart



“Then they came to Capernaum, and on the Sabbath Jesus entered the synagogue & taught. The people were astonished at his teaching, For he taught them as one with authority And not as the scribes.” Mark 1:21-22