



SAINT RITA

CATHOLIC CHURCH

22 ST RITA LANE, SANTA ROSA BEACH, FLORIDA

October 19 2025

850.267.2558



SACRAMENTAL SCHEDULE

MASS

Saturday 5:00 PM Vigil

Sunday 8:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 5:00 PM Misa en Español

Daily Mass - Monday - Saturday 8:30 AM

SOLEMN EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays after Mass, 9 AM - 10 AM in church

First Friday of the Month, 9 AM - 6 PM in chapel

RECONCILIATION

Saturday, 9 AM (or by appointment)

OFFICE HOURS

Mon - Thurs, 9 AM - 4 PM

* All schedule changes are announced in the bulletin

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Father James Valenzuela

Parochial Vicar: Father Peter Jutras

Deacon: Antonio Herrera

Director of Parish Mission: Jenna Danos

Director of Liturgies: Nancy Wesson

Director of Liturgical Music: Gabby Trofatter

Preschool Director: Heather Carson

CGS Director: Ticia Gallo

Youth Minister: Alex Molzer

Business & Finance Manager: Laurie Mandrekar

Receptionist: Gail Epplin

Baptism & Wedding Coordinator: Kristy Seeliger

Communications Manager: McKay Moews

Pastoral Assistant: Alyssa Miles

Facilities Manager: Travis Shields

Maintenance Assistant: PJ Dubicki

ENCOUNTER • SHARE • BECOME

We exist to provide opportunities for you to encounter Christ, share His love, and become more like Him.

CALENDAR of EVENTS

Perpetual

- Mon @ 5:30PM - Middle School Youth Night
- Tues @ 6:00PM - Catholicism 101
- Wed @ 9:00AM - Loving Hands Ministry
- Wed @ 5:30PM - High School Youth Night
- 1st & 3rd Thurs @ 9:30AM - SVdP Meeting
- Thurs @ 6:00PM - Men's G.R.O.W. Group

Announcements

TREASURE

Giving Account (Weekly Goal)	Last Week (% of Weekly Goal)
Offertory (\$40,105.65)	\$23,796.19 (59.33%)
Building Fund (\$5,721.72)	\$6,285.13 (109.85%)
Burse Club (\$200.00)	\$60.30 (30.15%)

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WEEKLY INTENTIONS

Saturday 8:30am 5:00pm	October 18th Johnny Mckleskey (+) Linda Browning Hebert (+)
Sunday 8:00am 11:00am 5:00pm (Esp)	October 19th For The People Joe Colello, Jr (+) -
Monday 8:30am	October 20th Derrick Robinette & Family (+)
Tuesday 8:30am	October 21st Virginia Bartlett & Familyl (+)
Wednesday 8:30am	October 22nd James R. Werfel (+)
Thursday 8:30am	October 23rd Dolores Anne Pennekamp (+)
Friday 8:30am	October 24th Joseph & Megan Gianelloni
Saturday 8:30am 5:00pm	October 25th Mike Langford & Family (+) Brigid Iannuzzi

PRAY WITH US FOR

Barbara Mason, Victoria Eddington, David Cundiff, Marcia A, Nancy Wesson, Janet Stevens, Tommie Magran, Mary Davis, Deedee Hofeling, Oz Wilkenson, Richard Turner, Baby Jules, Baby Ellis, Marge Crawford, Terry Collins, Bill Higgins, Sally Drobnick, Ryan Gruters, Elizabeth Grace Hunter, Pilar Carson, Gustavo Cáceres, Cáceres Family, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, Ed Avery, Trina Spadaccia, Lisa Chapman, Jed Withers, Joe Tullios, Renee Watson, Pavlin Family, Nancy Lord, Micheline Riggio, Beth Turnbach, Christine H., Joseph Albert, Stella Leverton, Gregorio Alvarez, Helen Lee & Family, Julie Duncan, Tunello Family, Wendy, Kathy Farrell, Banks Wilson, Asiah Walsh, Adam Urena, Gianni Piraino, Tracy Finke, Mike McIntosh, Kevin Vandervort, Saylor Kloepling, The Piraino Family, Jason Worthington, Greg Shields, Evelyn Handon, Lorraine RJL, Lisa Trumps, Briggs Bruni, Margaret & John Mihalcz, Paris, Monica Hughes, Gianluca Piraino, William Higgins, John Bauer, Matt Beckett, Korrie Lali, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, Gustavo Bardana, Timothy C., Michael K., Beth Coppedge, Joan Buchewicz, David Crocker, Nicole Perez, Lisa Laurence,

YOU ARE INVITED
TO CELEBRATE!

Confirmation Mass

WITH THE BISHOP
WEDNESDAY OCT. 22ND.
AT 6:00PM

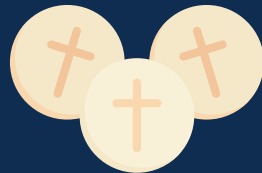
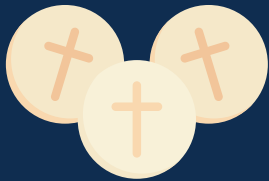
SUPPORT OUR TEENS AS THEY
RECEIVE THE SACRAMENT



Lector & Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion *Training with Fr. James*

October 20th & 21st
7:00PM

Either session may be attended. Lectors
will be trained first.





You're Invited

7th Annual Fundraising Gala

Thursday, October 23, 2025 at
the Dunlap Champions Club

*225 Champions Way, Building B,
Tallahassee, FL 32504*

6:30—9:00 PM



featuring Ian Manuel

Poet, Creative Nonfiction Writer,
Author of *My Time Will Come*

Be a part of an unforgettable evening of inspiration, community, and hope. Join us as we celebrate the transformative journeys of the men we serve and raise vital support for our mission of dignity, healing, and second chances. Come be part of the story—your presence makes a difference. *Dinner provided, semi-formal attire.*



Scan to RSVP

Please RSVP before October 15



Can't Attend?

Support us with a donation!



COATS FOR KIDS

- FUNDRAISER -

OUR 2025 GOAL WAS EXCEEDED!
WE WILL BE PROVIDING OVER 800 COATS

A GREAT BIG THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

This year's fundraiser was a resounding success! We exceeded our original goal of 700 coats and are excited to announce that we will be giving out over 800 new coats to children in need before Thanksgiving. God bless you!

PROGRAM WILL RUN IN PARTNERSHIP WITH
CARING AND SHARING OF SOUTH WALTON

Questions? Contact Jeff Ricketts 616-901-5825



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Saint Rita Catholic Church
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CHILI COOK-OFF

& Bake Sale

\$5/ADULTS & \$3/KIDS

FAMILY LIFE CENTER
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9 | 12 PM

Taste, vote & enjoy a bowl
with all your favorite
sides! Kid friendly food
options available!



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QUESTIONS?
CONTACT MOLLY
MOLLYCAMARATA@GMAIL.COM

**free
admission
for all!**

FESTIVAL OF SAINTS

FAMILY-FOOD-FUN

OCTOBER 24, 2025

5:30 PM - 8:30 PM

FAMILY COSTUME CONTEST!

**SAINT RITA CATHOLIC CHURCH
SANTA ROSA BEACH, FL**



COSTUME CONTEST

October 24th from 5:30-8:30pm

Dinner, Treats, Festival Games, Family Costume Contest, and More!

Location: Saint Rita's Parking Lot



We ask **families** to dress up as a "Saint Squad" and to come ready to explain who you are and why you chose your saints to our panel of judges. You will be given a number on the day of the festival and our three judges will find you during the evening and ask a few questions pertaining to your saints.



CATEGORIES

- Best Costume
- Best Teaching
- Best Overall

AWARDS

- Reserved Christmas Parking Spot
- Reserved Easter Parking Spot
- Dinner out for the whole family!

*Day of sign ups will be at the entrance of the FLC. Please be at the Festival of Saints between 6:00-7:00pm for judging. Winners will be announced at 7:15pm.

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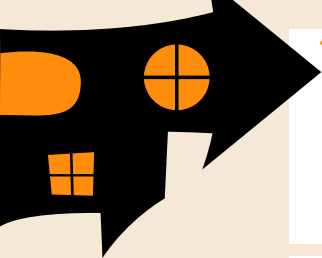




October 2025



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 5 Coats 4 Kids Drive outside the church following Mass 	6	7  Our Lady of the Rosary	1 Thérèse of Lisieux 	2 G.R.O.W Group Guardian Angels	3 Blessing of pets in the Pre-School Parking Lot 8:00am 	4 Francis of Assisi
Faustina & Francis Xavier Socios	Bruno		8 Annotated Mass 5:00pm 	9 G.R.O.W Group John Leonardi, John Henry Newman, Denis	10 Bingo in the Family Life Center starting at 5pm 	11 John XXIII
12 NO Faith Formation this week. Will resume next week! Carlo Acutis	13	14 Women's Club Luncheon at the Surf Hut 12pm Callistus I	15 Teresa of Avila	16 G.R.O.W Group Margaret Mary, Alcegaue, Longinus, Hedwig	17	18 Confirmation Retreat Luke
19	20	21	22  Confirmation Mass 6:00pm John Paul II	23 G.R.O.W Group	24 Festival of Saints & Costume Contest Anthony Mary Clareti 	25
John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues	Paul of the Cross	Gaspar del Bufalo	28 Simon & Jude	30 G.R.O.W Group	31 Halloween Alphonse Rodriguez 	
26	27	29				



Pray your Rosary!

