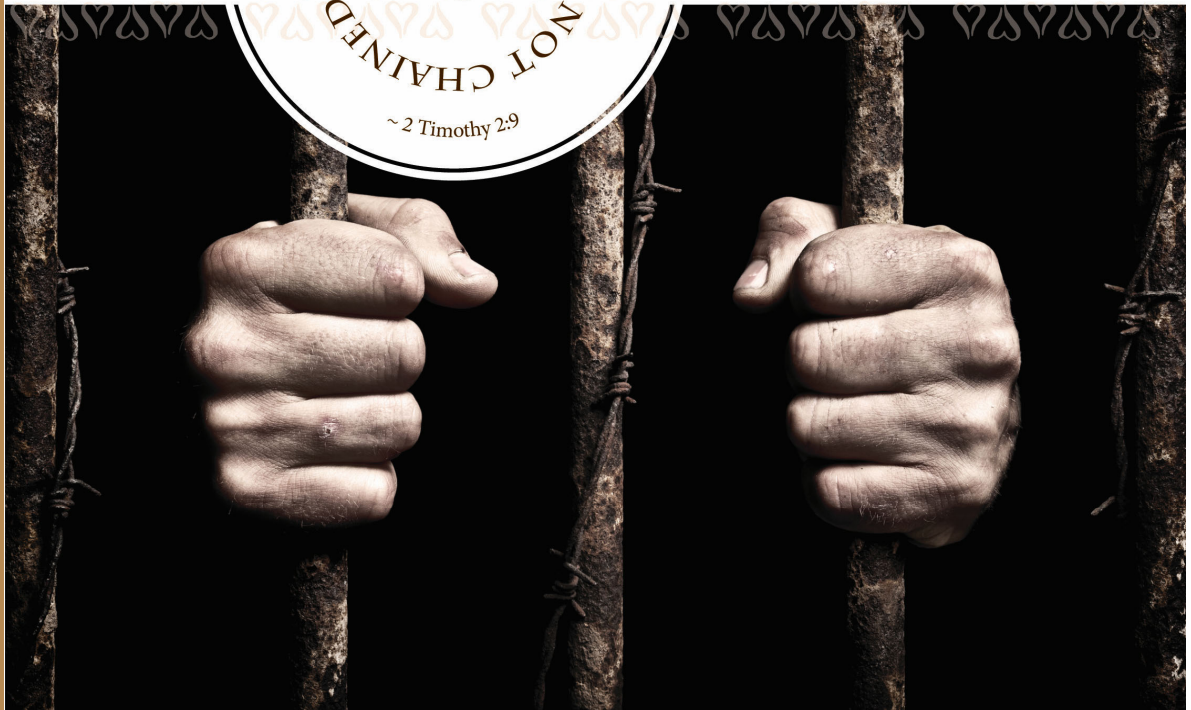


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OCTOBER 9, 2022 | TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Office Hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-4pm

Mass Schedule:

Tue-Fri: 8am Daily Mass

Sat: 5pm

Sun: 7am, 9am & 11am

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Religious Ed Schedule

<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>
Wed: 12, 19, 26	Wed: 2, 9, 16, 30
Sun: 9, 16, 23, 30	Sun: 6, 13, 29

Beaches Catholic Young Church

If you are a middle school or high school age, come join us for games, community building and Praise & worship!

BCYC is Open to ALL youth in the Beaches Area!

(of age groups listed above)

Young Church meetings are on Thu. @6:30-8:30pm

If you would like more info please contact Delanie Miller at youthministry.stjohn@outlook.com



For more info on any of our many
Ministries and or events at St John's,
please check our website:

Websites:

- saintjohnsatlanticbeach.org
- fatherrafael.com

Online Giving

You can register on our website (above), go to the online giving at top of page or on the MyParish app

Parish Email:

- StJohntheBaptistAB@gmail.com

Facebook:

- [stJohn.atlanticbeach](https://www.facebook.com/stJohn.atlanticbeach)

Reflection question:

What good works do I
intend to carry out this week?



If you are a parishioner and/or interested in renewing your faith please call the office or James for more information.

**RCIA meets on Tue.'s in the Library
from 6:30-8pm**

James Ezelle (904) 412-6548

A Message from Bishop Pohlmeier

We are grateful to have been spared serious damage from Hurricane Ian. Our Friday assessments of the diocese reveal mostly minor damage. This weekend all of our parishes are able to continue with their normal Mass schedules.

Our prayers are now offered for others in the state of Florida suffering terrible damage. We will look for ways to assist our brothers and sisters in other dioceses. Please keep an eye out for collections of funds and other assistance as we learn what will be most helpful to them.

God bless everyone as we gather in worship following this storm. May God stir into flame the faith in our hearts.

In Christ,
Bishop Erik Pohlmeier



The Knights of Columbus, San Lorenzo Ruiz Council will be heading back to Mayfield, KY Dec. 5th!

Mission: Christmas for the children in Mayfield Kentucky

The Knights will have a table set-up in the Narthex with boxes, list of recommended items, and more details of this mission.

These boxes will be for the children who were unable to celebrate a traditional Christmas last year due to the devastation in their hometown.

Please stop by and pick up a box or as many you would like to help as many children as we can!

If you would like more info or have any questions, please email Jim Hundley at jchundley73@att.net

MASS INTENTIONS



FOR THE WEEK



Saturday, October 8:

5pm **60th Anniversary**
Martin & Betty Trask
By the Trask children

Sunday, October 9:

7am † **Mary Fallon & Nora Linn**
By Ann Linn

9am **Parishioners of St John**

11am † **Feliciano & Juana Casingal**
By Gasper & Vicky Quedado

Tuesday, October 11:

43rd Anniversary of
James & Josie Ezelle

Wednesday, October 12:

For the Lynn Family
By the Lerin Family

Thursday, October 13:

† **Paul Amadio**
By Jimmy & Corinne Hundley

Friday, October 14:

38th Anniversary of
Martin & Anna Kuhlman

Saturday, October 15:

5pm **Edward & Elizabeth Zebrowski**
By Denny Foster

Sunday, October 16:

7am † **Harold "Red" Neville**
By Carol Neville

9am **Parishioners of St John**

11am **Sheeran Buchanon**
By Claire Gaffney



Flowers are in Memory Of

† **Zenaida Mendoza**

By Kenny & Sue Mueller

† TODAY'S READINGS †

1st Reading: *2 Kings 5:14-17*

Psalm: **98** *The Lord has revealed to*

2nd Reading: *2 Timothy 2:8-13*

Gospel: *Luke 17:11-19*

Miracles of Faith

Besides being cured, what do Nathan (first reading) and the leper who thanked Jesus (Gospel) have in common? Both of them began to believe. Nathan proclaims Israel's God to be the only God. The only leper who returned to thank Jesus was "glorifying God in a loud voice" (Luke 17:15). It makes me wonder, what miracles do we see that help us grow in faith?

For an answer, we can look at a second thing they had in common: they both asked for help. Sometimes we get caught up in self-sufficiency mode, thinking we have to handle all our problems by ourselves. We may miss out on ways to solve those problems by not asking for help. If you think asking for help is a sign of weakness, you may be missing a chance for God to act through one of your friends and give you support. And, of course, you can ask God for help in prayer.

We may have friends who help us in times of need or inspire us with their faith, but we have to decide to make a leap of faith ourselves. The third thing that Nathan and the leper did in common was express their faith. You can spend your whole life thinking that you are a Christian, but if you never express that faith, it will be just a theory. St. Paul in the second reading, for example, was suffering in prison, but he didn't mind because his suffering demonstrated the importance of Jesus' message to him. So he wrote from prison in the hope that other Christians would be encouraged in their faith. Perhaps you know of someone who inspired you with their faithfulness and dedication. Having a friend who helps us grow in faith can be a very nice miracle indeed.



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Matthew 25:35-40

† SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES †

Sun: Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Sukkot (Jewish Feast of Booths) begins at sunset

Mon: Canadian Thanksgiving Day;
Columbus Day; Indigenous Peoples' Day

Tue: St. John XXIII

Fri: St. Callistus I

Sat: St. Teresa of Jesus; Sweetest Day

IF We ARE
Unfaithful
HE REMAINS
faithful.
2 TIMOTHY



The Respect Life committee is asking for donations of baby diapers and baby wipes. These items are distributed to families in need at the Woman's Shelter as well as in our area

SIZES: Newborn to size 6

We are in great need for sizes 4-6

Thank you for your support, The Respect Life Committee



Knights of Columbus

Council #14866



All Catholic men 18+ are welcome to join our Brotherhood team. Members meet the 4th Tue of each month, and Council officers meet on the 2nd Tue of each month in the Parish Hall.

If you have any questions please contact Grand Knight, Jimmy Hundley at: jchundley73@att.net

Weekly Rosary

Please join us every Wed @6pm in the Marian Chapel to pray the Rosary & Divine Mercy.

Let us show our love for Christ through love of Mary and grow closer to Our Lady, Our Spiritual Mother.

What's Going on at St John's

New members are always welcome to join!

Ladies Guild



Meet on the 1st Tue of the month @6:30pm in parish hall.

If you have any questions please contact L.G. president Bonnie Feazel at: bfeazel@aol.com

Coffee Social

- * Coffee & Donut Social after Sun's 9am & 11am Masses
- * Coffee & Conversation after Wed's 8am Mass

Donations go to St John's Emergency Assistance Ministry.



America Needs Fatima Campaign:

October 15, 2022 at 12:00 Noon

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church: 2400 Mayport Road, Jacksonville, FL 32233

Peace be with you fellow Disciples!

As our society is facing difficult time seeking answers in the wrong dimension and direction by turning away from goodness and light and accepting darkness, we as fellow Disciples, with America Needs Fatima campaign, as your Rosary Captain we, fellow disciples would like to ask you to celebrate the goodness and Triumph of our Mother. Let's show our devotion to our Blessed and Immaculate Virgin Mary Heart, by gathering a Public Square Rosary Rally at the Crucifix outside the Church, same as last year inviting all Parishioners, friends, families, communities and others concerned and devoted individuals to stop the overwhelming darkness currently in our Society.

Please, join us by praying and singing all Mysteries of the Holy Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

Our goal is trying to stop the overwhelming darkness that is currently in our society and return with firm devotion to **Our Heavenly Mother and her Son Jesus.**

Please, join us by providing us with:

Your name, phone number and e-mail to

Francois at: mfrancoisb_med@yahoo.com

Or Monica at: mtrinidad.stjohn@outlook.com

Pray with us and for us, we will pray for you to Jesus thru Our Mother.

"Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me."

Psalm 50:10

Thank you and God Bless,
Francois



Bulletin Announcements: Must be received 1 week prior to the bulletin date. Please contact Monica with your announcement @ 904-246-6014 or email: mtrinidad.stjohn@outlook.com

Prayer for the Sick & for Healing

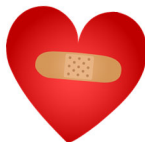
Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need.

Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole and free downcast spirits.

May these special people find lasting health and deliverance, and so join us in thanking you for all your gifts. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believed.

Amen.

Dwayne Schell, Novalee Sanchez, Cory Cox, Delores Fox, Lily Rodriguez, Loretta Wagner, Jane Mezza, Nanette Franzuela, Eleanor Guzman, Phil Dancel, Suzanne Holt, Barry Smith, Natividad Dungey, Kathy Kilna, David Henry, Don Cozine, Sarah Street, Winnie Meadows, Mary Bartalsky, Paul Humphries, Patty Howell & Family, Kristy Mezza, Jane Mezza, A.L. Magallenes, Michael Shearer, Mike Ambrosia, Patty Gompers, Thomas Verdi, Willie Lagasca, Hoa Ramirez, Edward "Ed" Bowman, Beth McClure, Chris Robinson, Norma Scott, Sal Canucci, Rizalina Paterno, Mary Busby, Ann O'Hara, Olivia, Joe Smith, Karen Holden, Doug Schaffer, John Rivera, J.P. Thornton, Elaine Wallington, Kyle Miller, All those affected by the recent disasters in the US., Robert Osiecki, Faye Carr



Request a prayer:

Do you have prayer request? Complete the form below and our beloved Sisters of St. Joseph will add your intention(s) to their prayer list. You may include your name or submit anonymously.

<https://www.dosafl.com/request-a-prayer>



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The Diocese of St. Augustine treats all allegations of sexual abuse seriously and deals with them in a prompt, confidential and thorough manner.

Individuals who have been sexually abused by clergy, religious, seminarians or other church personnel should contact their local police department or the Florida Department of Children and Families at 1-800-96Abuse (2873). You can also contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of St. Augustine listed below.

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator

Tina Nugent

Abuse Hotline: 904-208-6979 or 1-800-775-4659 ext. 297

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION:

Contact Dennis Stone (dennisstone@comcast.net), certified by Our Lady of Divine Providence School of Spiritual Direction in Clearwater, Florida.

ST. JOHN'S EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE MINISTRY:

Are dedicated to helping those in need in Atlantic Beach please call parish for financial help.

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