

St. Monica Catholic Church

*We are called to welcome and assist all to the
compassionate love of Jesus through the Eucharist*

Mass Schedule

Daily Masses

Tuesday - 5:30 pm

Wednesday - Friday 8:30 am

Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil - 4:30 pm

Sunday - 9:00 am & 11:00 am

First Saturday

10:00 am

Mass with the Anointing of the Sick

Holy Day Masses

8:00 am & 7:00 pm

Confessions Saturday

3:30 - 4:15 pm

Pope's Intentions



Dialogue and Reconciliation in the Near East

That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.

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Palatka, Florida 32177
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November 10, 2019
Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

God is not God
of the dead,
but of the living,
for to him all are

alive.

- Luke 20:38

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Stmonicacatholicchurch.com**

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Wis 1:1-7; Ps 139:1b-10; Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday: Wis 2:23 — 3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-19; Lk 17:7-10
Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19
Thursday: Wis 7:22b — 8:1; Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135, 175; Lk 17:20-25
Friday: Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-5ab; Lk 17:26-37
Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Lk 18:1-8
Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a; Ps 98:5-9; 2 Thes 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19

Ministry Schedules

Saturday November 16, 2019 4:30 PM

Ushers: JJ Nichols, Hoyt Muir, George Schiffbauer, Scott Phillips

Eucharistic Ministers: Ken Freligh, Ruth Boyette, Walt Egan

Lectors: Helen Muir, Mary Crawford

Altar Servers: David Aptt, Connor Phillips

Sunday November 17, 2019 9:00 AM

Ushers: Terry Gilmore, Andy Hall, Matt Harris

Eucharistic Ministers: Harry Burrige, Carol Burrige, Corrine Munn

Lectors: Frank Fraize, Mary Mundy

Altar Servers: Benjamin Motl, Joshua Carr, Grant Fortner

Sunday November 17, 2019 11:00 AM

Ushers: Bill Black, Immanuel Rosado

Eucharistic Ministers: Rita Lambert, Lina Majesky, Cris David

Lectors: Pam Mathes, Janice Pounds

Altar Servers: Skylar Gugal, Avery Gugal

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Beloved of St. Monica

This is the prayer I will say for the Veterans Day Invocation

VETERANS DAY PRAYER

On this solemn and joyful day, we give thanks for the many Veterans among us who served with love and gratitude. Many of our veterans have wounds we can see and many also have those nasty and merciless hidden wounds beneath our hearts and souls. Some of us veterans are in desperate need of soul repair.

We all have stories we can share. We all have stories that become part of our stories. Veterans have many stories that will always remain. Our stories in the military have sometimes pushed us off course to isolation, addictions, prisons, homelessness and broken relationships. But today, as we remember ALL of our VETERANS, we come together for a little bit more healing, a little bit more dignity, and a little bit more gratitude and love. We are not alone. We serve together. We still serve together. Our country is not perfect, but she is loved. She is beautiful and worth fighting for.

“O thus be it ever, when free men and women shall stand between their loved homes, and the war’s desolation. Blessed with victory and peace, may the heavens rescued land praise the powers that have made, and preserved us a nation. Then conquer we must, if our cause it is just. And this be our motto, in God is our Trust. And the star-spangled banner, in triumph shall wave...
O’re the land of the free, and the home of the brave.”

And there are times when it requires to be more brave upon our discharge. Let us truly love our Veterans and thank them not by words alone, but by our actions. Let us act with justice, let us love tenderly, let us serve one another, and walk humbly with God.

Thanks and praise for our days neath the sun, neath the stars, neath the skies. As we go, this we know, God is nigh.

Amen.

Love, Joy, Peace
Fr. Ron



Please help our homeless.

We will be collecting coats, blankets, and sleeping bags to be given out at Bread of Life during the winter months.

Collection ends Dec.1.

Name our **Newsletter** Contest

Help us name our new
St Monica Newsletter

Entry deadline November 29, 2019

Please submit entries through our
website; stmonicacatholicchurch.com,
Facebook or to the Parish Office

\$50 Prize for the name chosen



We're pleased to announce that St Monica now provides online giving through software called ParishSOFT Giving. This is a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Getting started is easy—just visit our website www.stmonicacatholicchurch.com and click our online giving link.

When you participate, your gift will transfer directly into the parish bank account. And you won't have to remember to write a check or stop by the ATM on Sundays!

And if you still want to place something in the offertory basket, just pick up one of our "I GAVE ONLINE" cards on your way into church and use that at offertory time.

Please Contact the Parish Office if you would like more information or would like help getting set up



To Bobby Daley for all of your hard work at the St Monica Cemetery. It looks amazing.

To the Lopez-Martinez Family for all the potatoes you have been donating for our breakfast each week. They are truly a blessing



The Jesus Prayer

*“Pray without ceasing.”
1 Thessalonians 5:17*

You may ask yourself, “How can I pray without ceasing?” After all, it isn’t easy to find a quiet time in our busy days for prayer, much less to pray without ceasing. How can we do this?

There is a prayer that goes back to the early years of the Church called The Jesus Prayer (also known as The Prayer of the Heart). It is so simple that you won’t even need to write it down. **Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me, a sinner.** This is prayed slowly and can be united with your breathing: **Lord Jesus Christ** (breathe in), **Son of God** (breathe out), **have mercy on me** (breathe in), **a sinner** (breathe out).

You can do this for just a few minutes at a time throughout your day, as you find moments of silence or when you find yourself “waiting” in the grocery store, doctor’s office, or at a stop light. With practice, you will find yourself peacefully in the presence of God. Instead of using our own words to communicate with God, we allow the Holy Spirit to work within us,

ending him our voice and our affections. (“The Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible groanings.” Romans 8:26)

The goal is to make our lives a living prayer, living more concretely in a loving union with God.

**We need Eucharistic Ministers,
Ushers, Lectors and Altar Servers
for the Sunday 11:00 AM Mass**

**If you can serve occasionally please
contact the parish office.**

Thank you for your help



November Schedule

November 16 Event

Kayak Trip
Meet at St Paul’s
At Federal Point at 9:00 AM

November 23

Float decorating
12:00 PM to 3:00 PM

November 29 Event

Palatka Christmas Parade
Meet at St Monica at 5:00 PM



Calling all Artists ages 4 to 17

Create Father Ron’s Christmas Card for this Season

One winning entry will be selected from 3 age groups.

Pre-K to 2nd Grade, 3rd Grade to 5th Grade and Youth Ministry Ages 12-17

Each winner will receive a \$25 Gift Card

Please submit your entries no later than

November 29 on a 5 x 7 Card

to the Parish Office

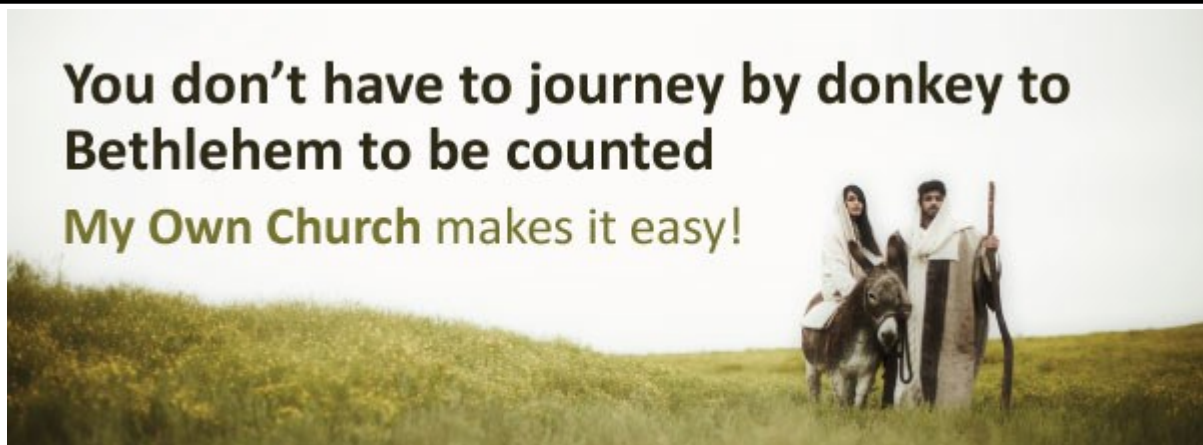
Blank cards available in the Parish Office
or any 5 x 7 card will do.

Stewardship talent
 growing planning
 commitment vision support PLEDGE time
 blessing caring
 vision LOVE treasure faith community
 sharing caring

November 2 & 3

Offertory	\$4381.00
Online Offertory	\$650.00
Children' Gifts	\$ 48.00
All Saints	\$894.00
Building & Restoration Fund	\$5200.00

Thank you
Your generosity allowed us to give &
proclaim to the
Kingdom of God and His Love!



**St Monica now has a new system, called My Own Church,
 for updating your family information!**

All you need to do is visit www.stmonicacatholicchurch.com, hit the My Own Church Button, and create an account. Then, someone in the church office will approve your account, and you'll be able to update all of your family information, including names, addresses, phone numbers, email addresses. You'll be able to view the St Monica pictorial directory. You'll be able to upload your favorite family photo and choose whether you want that photo (or other information) to be visible to other members who've logged in—or you can keep some information private and available only to church administrators.

If you're involved in ministries here at St Monica, the information you put into My Own Church will help us schedule your ministry. You'll be able to update your preferences and availability and see a calendar of when you're scheduled for what.

Please remember to check out My Own Church soon!

With your updated information, we'll be able to contact you when we need to so you don't miss anything important, and you'll be able to view your own ministry schedule and giving history.

Prayer Request



All Service Men & Women
Matilda Aloia
Larry Beaton
Greg Bodalski
Lois Boucher
Joan Carter
Minda Carter
Louise Egan
Ignatius Guanlao
Tom Sczces

Andy Hall
Laura Hall
Father Keene
Sister Maureen Kelly
Fred Lininger
Lillian Morgan
John Wheeler
Albert Yeager
Sandy Scranton
Angie Spena
Almo Anders

Adrian Ryan
Sandra Meis
Sandy Nichols
Jeff O'Berry
Cathleen Phillips
Cathy Sheridan
Ansley Hall
Denise Orr
Silvana Gallo
Steve Fitzsimmons
Richard Boldaski

Darlene Sweat
Mary Jo Vincent
Bill Walwik
Nancy Walwik
Connie Weisner
Joe Welsh
Lane Herman
Cooper Newman
The Parish of St. Monica

MASS Intentions

Saturday 4:30 PM	November 9 +Madeline Hazlett
Sunday 9:00 AM	November 10 Parishioners
Sunday 11:00 AM	November 10 Lourdes Guanlao
Tuesday 5:30 PM	November 12 Tom & Dot Riddle
Wednesday 8:30 AM	November 13 +Paul Vincent
Thursday 8:30 AM	November 14 +Miguel Dejuk Yunnis
Friday 8:30 AM	November 15 Our Lady of Lourdes
Saturday 4:30 PM	November 16 +William Hallinan



Prayer for the Sick Saint Augustine

Watch, O Lord, with those who wake, or watch, or weep tonight, and give your angels charge over those who sleep.

Tend your sick ones, O Lord Christ.
Rest your weary ones.
Bless your dying ones.
Soothe your suffering ones.
Pity your afflicted ones.
Shield your joyous ones.
And for all your love's sake. Amen.

Attention—The Diocese of Saint Augustine treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with all allegations in a prompt, confidential and thorough manner. To Report Abuse, call: Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator 904-262-3200, ext. 129, or the Department of Children and Families at 1-800-96-Abuse (800-962-2873).

Those needing “Anointing of the Sick” or in need of a Priest, please call these telephone numbers only:

**During Business Hours:
Parish Office - 386-325-9777
After Business Hours : 904-994-6803**

Please call the Parish Office to let us know if a parishioner is hospitalized, seriously ill or home-bound so that a Priest can visit and anoint them.