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MARCH 2026

Basilica  
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*the Archangel*  
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MASS SCHEDULE  
Sundays 9:00 am & 11:00 am  
Mon.—Fri. 12:10 pm

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE  
Mon.—Fri. 11:15 am—11:45 am

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Mon.—Fri. 11:00 am—11:50 pm

OFFICE HOURS  
Tuesday - Friday  
10:00 am—3:00 pm

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# 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 15, 2025

## CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL

The Catholic Sharing Appeal was instituted when the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee was formed in 1975. Established without many reserves of its own, the diocese and parishes relied upon this vital funding source to carry on essential operations to survive as a local Church. Today, CSA continues to be used to allocate funds at the diocesan level for expenses that extend past the parish for regional responsibilities, while parishes retain funds received in excess of the goal for capital projects and programs within their parish.

By giving funds through CSA, the people of God assist their bishop and pastor in carrying out the three-fold mission of the Church: teaching, serving and worshipping. Since the accomplishment of the Church's mission is of foremost importance, CSA affords parishioners a special opportunity to fulfill their baptismal call to discipleship.

### BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 3/15: Pat McBride
- 3/16: Gail Hozman, Dakota Smith, Joseph Treen, Matthew Wanek
- 3/17: Dan Thomas, Tracey Doyle, Christopher Springer
- 3/18: Karen Hunter
- 3/19: Patrece Cashwell
- 3/20: Brenda King, Mike Massey, Joey Hornilla, Gettler Bruce

### Contribute to CSA:

Through our website or use one of the CSA envelopes located in the vestibule.

The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee will keep \$61,781 of the CSA funds raised within the Basilica Parish. Any overage amount is returned to the Basilica to fund our own projects.

So far this year, *as compared to this time last year*, we have collected \$15,561 less...

March 2025 CSA Pledged	March 2026 Pledged	Families Participating
\$93,483	\$77,922	88 (2025) 84 (2026)

Our refunded portion of the 2026 funds will be used for projects such as:  
+Paying for our new billboard messages around town  
+Renovations to the bathrooms in the Parish Hall  
& other disgnated projects TBA

### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Weekly Offertory for March 8, 2026  
 In-Church Offering: \$6,483.65  
 Online Offering: \$5,471.12  
 Total Offertory: \$11,954.77

2026 C.S.A. Campaign as of March 8, 2026  
 Pledged: \$77,922  
 Given: \$66,892  
 Families Participating: 84

"May the Lord reward your generosity with abundant blessings."

### Current Billboard on Cervantes Street



The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to healing the hurting hearts of sexual abuse victims and has established Victims Assistance Coordinators who are experienced and trained counselors and are available to help persons who have been sexually abused by a priest, deacon, or other church personnel in Northwest Florida. The Coordinator for the program in the Pensacola/Ft. Walton Beach area is Dr. Louis Makarowski; he may be reached at 850-477-7181.



# the Basilica of St. Michael the Archangel

DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH???

Please visit the Basilica's website at [stmichaelbasilica.com](http://stmichaelbasilica.com). There you will find "Becoming Catholic" under the "Membership" menu for additional information about Catholicism, or to sign-up for classes.



**FAITH FORMATION CELEBRATES  
SAINT PATRICK'S DAY  
TODAY FROM 12 - 1:00 PM  
IN THE PARISH HALL**



## **STATIONS OF THE CROSS!**

**Fridays @ 1:00 PM during Lent**  
Walk the 14 Steps to Calvary with Jesus

**IF YOU DIDN'T FIND WHAT  
YOU WERE LOOKING FOR...**

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## **NOTICE TO ALL MILITARY PARISHIONERS**

**Commissioned & Non-Commissioned Officers  
+ Lower Ranking Members**

**IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED A PROMOTION... YOU DESERVE A BLESSING!**

Please contact Maureen in the Office



**THE POOR ARE HUNGRY +  
THEIR FEET ARE COLD**

Please contribute to the Food Pantry & Sock Drive.  
*The baskets are located in the Vestibule.*



Liturgies & Mass Intentions for  
the **Week of MARCH 15, 2026**

### **4TH SUNDAY OF LENT**

(9 AM)

*For the People of the Basilica*

(11 AM)

*Irene & Edward Olencki ††*

### **MONDAY**

*Felicia Poczatek †*

### **TUESDAY**

*The McCloskey Family*

### **WEDNESDAY**

*Sylvie Marie Bowman †*

### **THURSDAY**

**SOLEMNITY OF SAINT JOSEPH,  
SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

*Lawrence Lingner, Jr.*

### **FRIDAY**

*Daniel Carr †*

**Coffee Hour at 10:00 AM**

Altar flowers donations in any amount will be appreciated  
for celebrating Palm Sunday and Holy Week thru Easter Sunday.  
Various dates are open for April 19, 26, May 10, 17, 24 and 31.

Contact Louise Seitz at [lseitz@panhandle.rr.com](mailto:lseitz@panhandle.rr.com) or  
call 850-780-0410 (no text message) to reserve flowers.

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