

BASILICA OF ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL



~ PARISH MISSION ~

"Proclaim Christ: Encounter Him in Word, Sacrament and Service."

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MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays 9:00 am & 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASS

Mon.—Fri. 12:10 pm

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

12:10 pm and 6:00 pm

Basilica Open For Visitation Sat.—10:00 am- 1:00 pm

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Mon.—Fri. 11:00 am—11:45 am See usher for directions.

EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION

Mon.—Fri. 11:00 am—12:00 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Mon.—Wed., Fri. 9:00 am—2:00 pm

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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.

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 14, 2024

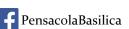
















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Liturgies & Mass Intentions for the Week of July 14, 2024

7/14 Sun. 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time John Myrick (+) 9am

> For the People of the Basilica 11am

Mon. Patrick McDonald St. Bonaventure, Bishop

Tue. Kimberly Ann Hudson (+) Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Wed. Fr. Malachi Kitrick (+)

Thur. The souls of all deceased

Dominicans

St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest

Fr. Joe Fowler 7/19 Fri.

Fig. This Week at the Basilica

7/14 Sun. ♦ Coffee Hour, 10 a.m.

Mon. ◊ A.W.C. Pack Lunches, 8 a.m.

Wed. ♦ Choir Practice, 7 p.m.

7/19 Fri. ♦ Holy Hour for Life, 11 a.m.

♦ Bereavement Mass, 12:10 p.m.

Temporary Office Hours for June & July Mon, Wed. & Fri—9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel (stmichaelbasilica.com)

Visit the Basilica's new website for enhanced content, short films and more about our parish.

CSA 2024 Updated as of July 5, 2024

Benchmark	\$140,000
Amount Give	en\$89,712
Households	Participating137

Stewardship of Treasure for June 30, 2024

In-Church Offering	\$5,429.60
Online Offering	
Total Offertory	\$8,625.52

Stewardship of Treasure for July 7, 2024

In-Church Offering	\$3,708.00
Online Offering	\$4,224.39
Total Offertory	\$7,932.39

"The Lord will not be outdone in generosity."

FROM FR. JOE

My dear friends, I am really excited about our new website. People have already begun using it to enquire about Sacraments and participation in the parish. It's going to be a great, new tool for evangelization. I will keep you posted as new content is added. There should be new content uploaded to the site just about every week (if not every day)! So, keep coming back to see what's new. Be patient, please, as it is a work in progress, but one that is already bearing fruit.

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The most recent content added was last week's addition of the Catholic Sharing Appeal information. As I mentioned, the past few years of figures are now reported there, as well as the way in which we have utilized those funds to improve the Basilica. The big projects on the horizon are the restoration of the pews, which are in serious need of care, the restoration of the bell and cradle, and the installation of a new security system for the Basilica campus. If you have not yet made your pledge to the appeal, please visit our website for more information. You'll find the links to the campaign at the top of the page at "Giving & CSA". We are at about two thirds of where we need to be by the end of the year to meet our goal. Please be generous!

The readings this week allude to the ups and downs of pastoral ministry. The prophet Amos reminds those who are frustrated with him that he did not choose the life of a prophet for himself. He was called to it. Practically dragged off to it, as he describes it, by the call he received from God. He wants those who are angry with him to realize that He is only the messenger. Bishop John Ricard, one of our emeritus bishops, was fond of stating that as priests in ministry, we are in "sales, not management". It is the Lord who gives the Word, we simply do our best to pass it on faithfully.

In the Gospel, we see the Apostles sent out two-by-two to minister to God's people. Even they, as the super disciples, were not entrusted to the ministry alone, but with a companion and support. Carrying out the work of the Lord as prophets, disciples, Apostles, priests, bishops, popes, and laity is no easy task. Faithfully proclaiming the Word is not an effort without cost. Often God's Word falls on ears that do not want to hear what God has to say.

How do we receive the Word? When God speaks to us, do we recognize His voice? How do we react when He challenges us to change and transformation? How do we react when He urges us to turn away from the sin in our lives? Before the individuals that God called in the Scriptures could be entrusted with the ministries they were given, they had to conform their lives to Christ through an ongoing

conversion of heart. Are we ready for that? I hope

your answer is yes!

God bless you all.

Fr. Joe Fowler Rector & Pastor



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2024 Catholic Sharing Appeal



Please commit today to the continued success of our 2024 C.S.A. campaign. Your participation makes a difference in the quantity and quality of ministry we are able to provide. Thank you for your continued generosity.

Basilica of St. Michael Veronica Guild Bereavement Team

The Bereavement Team is hosting Masses for our deceased loved ones on the 3rd Friday of the month. The names of loved ones who have died will be voiced aloud as we pray for them and the comfort of those who mourn their loss. The next Bereavement Mass is Friday, July 19, at 12:10 p.m.

Honoring Life Team

Fridays for Life at the Basilica: Join us as we pray the Rosary at 11:30, the last Friday of each month for the protection and honoring of Life. Every Friday, Adoration and Confessions begin at 11 a.m. All are invited and welcome to "Fridays for Life."

Military Outreach Team

If you are or have been in military service, join us for cookouts and other activities for our military parishioners and friends. Make sure you pick up a **Welcome Aboard** letter in the church!

Outreach to the Poor Team

Please consider an offering to the Basilica's poor boxes or online. These funds are used to support local outreach to the poor including Catholic Charities, the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry, the Alfred Washburn Center, the St. Joseph Medical Clinic and the Alpha Center.

Parishioners at Home Team

If you or someone you know would benefit from receiving a phone call, card, or visit from one of the members of our Parishioners@Home team, please contact Mary Kay Bianchi (mkb2375@gmail.com).

Prison Ministry Team

The Prison Ministry Team is trained to provide in-person visits, video visits, letter writing, and spiritual retreats for inmates of local facilities. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, contact Bob Beargie (robertbeargie@yahoo.com).

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Saint Vincent de Paul Food Pantry

The St. Vincent de Paul food pantry is in need of pasta, Sauce, and peanut butter (16 oz. preferred),

Please place your donations in the food basket in the vestibule of the church.

Knights of Columbus Membership Information

The Knights of Columbus, Council 8589, invite all men of the parish to consider membership in the Knights.

For more information, contact Mark Fanfalone, Membership Director, at marknina@cox.net.

IN OUR CHARITY WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Kay Andrews, Alexander Buchanan, Kenneth Burke, Margaret Burke, Mike Chuites, Brandon Del Castillo, Bob & Dennis DeVries, Greg Dziadon, Rene & Dion Edwards, Mary Jane Elliott, Scott Epley, Jane Felix, Ron Fromm, Michelle Garton, Catherine Hajcak, Diane Havard, Frank Hendrickson, Phyllis Hill, Jessica Hutchinson, Matthew Johnson, Jim Lee, Mary Ann Long, Karen Longhurst, Shaylee Lowery, Tom Marsh, Larry May, Charlotte McKinney, Dagen McVoy, Vann McVoy, Martha Nealy, Tom & Donna Notaro, Denise Pfender, Casen Roberts, Morgan Rosser, Virginia Russo, Mercedes See, Lori Shipman, Julie Stewart, Lurleyne Terry, Paul Ungerland, Joyce Vignolo, Pat Watkins.

Please contact Dennis Wren at 850-438-4985 to add or remove someone from the prayer list.

№ BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

7/14—Bobby King; **7/15**—Valentina Duque-Castano, Mason Hubbard; **7/16**—Cheryl Kelley, Maureen Leccese; **7/18**—Kristen Pollack.



St. Michael Film Premiere Sunday, September 8, 3 p.m.



The flowers in the church on July 7th (last Sunday) were given in memory of Beverly Milsted.

BASILICA ALTAR FLOWERS

Please consider donating altar flowers in honor of, or in memory of, loved ones. The dates available are Aug. 18 & 25, and Sept. 29, and Oct. 13, 20 & 27, 2024. Prices are \$45—\$65 per arrangement.

Contact Louise Seitz <u>lseitz@panhandle.rr.com</u> or call 850-780-0410 (<u>No texts</u>, please) to reserve flowers.