

ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL



**Miraculous Medal
Novena
Tuesday morning
after Mass**



**Legion of Mary
Mother of God
Praesidium**

**"It would be
easier for the
world to
survive without
the sun than to
do without
Holy Mass."
*Saint Thomas
Aquinas***



**Knights of Columbus
Council 5407
<http://kofc5407.org>**



**FCCW – Florida
Council of
Catholic Women**



Fraternus



Fidelis



**Cursillos in
Christianity
Diocese of
St. Augustine**

Mass Schedule

Saturday vigil 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Holy Days 6:00 p.m.

Confessions

**4:00 p.m. Saturday,
and before all Masses
Tuesdays 6-7 p.m.**

Church Office

(904) 768-2593 - FAX (904) 768-2251

School Office

(904) 768-6323 - Fax (904) 768-2144

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**Pastor
Rev. Christopher Liguori**

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Joseph Kuhlman

Permanent Deacon

Deacon David Belanger

School Principal

Mr. Christopher Meyer

Nineteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time ~ August 9, 2026

A woman who is pregnant is not "expecting" a child. She already has one. The child exists and is living and growing in her womb. She is not about to bring the child "into the world." The child is already in the world. The mother's womb is as much in the world as the mother herself. We all use these expressions from force of habit, and using them has no reflection on the strength of our pro-life convictions. If our language reflects this reality, we will help the world to understand that children in the womb are indeed members of the human family-right here and now!

The leaders of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) have issued a nationwide invitation calling Catholics to pray and take action against abortion pills through the end of October, as CatholicVote and other pro-life groups intensify pressure on President Donald Trump's administration to restrict the drugs.

The invitation, posted July 27, bears the names of Archbishop Paul Coakley of Oklahoma City, president of the USCCB, and Bishop Daniel Thomas of Toledo, chairman of the conference's Committee on Pro-Life Activities.

The bishops are asking Catholics to seek the intercession of St. Joseph under the title "Defender of Life," learn about the danger of abortion pills, and contact pharmacies and drugmakers involved in their distribution. The full action campaign will launch Aug. 18 and continue through Respect Life Month in October.

Want to become Catholic?

The OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) is starting Sunday 09Aug2026 after the 10:00am Mass. The OCIA is a process of prayer, study, service, worship, discussion, faith sharing and celebration for: Unbaptized adults and children of catechetical age - Baptized Christians from other faiths - Baptized Catholics who have not received the sacraments of First Eucharist and Confirmation.

August 15– Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is normally a holy day of obligation, however, since it falls on a Saturday it is not a holy day this year. However, an 8am Mass will be offered for anyone who would like to celebrate this Feast Day of Our Lady.

August 19

Muffins4Life

Join fellow pro-life advocates for Muffins4Life on Wednesday, Aug. 19, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at San Juan del Río Parish. This month's featured speaker is Jessica White, founder of Life on Display, who will share how 2D, 3D, 4D and HD ultrasound technology offers a remarkable glimpse into life in the womb, including a live ultrasound demonstration. Muffins4Life brings together individuals and organizations involved in pro-life ministry for fellowship, networking and education over coffee and muffins. To learn more, email Jean Fiore at hld@dosafll.com or visit <https://dosafll.com/human-life-and-dignity/muffins-4-life/>.

August 22 & September 19

Discover the Beauty of the Mass

Join Bishop Erik Pohlmeier for a free workshop that will deepen your understanding of the Eucharist and help you participate more fully in the Mass. Choose the location that's most convenient: August 22 at Holy Faith Parish, Gainesville or Sept. 19 at St. Catherine of Siena Parish, Orange Park. Both workshops are 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. For information, contact lv.holyfaith@gmail.com.

To enroll in online giving, go to our website: <http://www.stpatrickjacksonville.org>
Click on "Church" then, Click on "Online giving" in the upper right-hand corner.



Website



Online
Giving



Sacrificial Giving – July 25-26.
 Offertory \$ 5,004.00
 Online Giving \$ 3,154.25
Monthly loan payment: \$24,983.51
Remember St Patrick In Your Will

"After he had fed the people, Jesus made the disciples get into a boat and precede him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. After doing so, he went up to the mountain by himself to pray." Matthew 14:22-23

The psychologist Carl Jung once said, "Busyness is not of the devil, busyness is the devil!" Stewardship is not about increasing our activities, but about establishing priorities in how we utilize our gifts. One of those priorities is prayer. Do we take time out to be alone with God?



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary - August 15th

Please silence your cell phones and electronic devices during the celebration of the Holy Mass

Parish Ministries - Organization Contact Information

Baptism - CCD - Religious Education Classes

Cathy Taylor, DRE - cataylor@addressplus.net
 Religious Ed Class Sundays 11:15 am to 12:15 pm

Bible Study

Tuesdays 7 PM Parish Hall
 Gerald Lamb - apologistforlife@gmail.com

CCW - Council of Catholic Women

Rebecca Morris - rebecca.morris.st.pat.w.c@gmail.com
 Second Mondays Sept - June 6 pm/Rosary 6:30 pm/Meeting

Divine Mercy Cenacle

Tuesdays 10:30 - Noon Irene Haywood - 904 307-3997

Fidelis / Fraternalis

Wednesdays 6:15 to 8:15 pm
info@fidelispatrick.com - fratnusstpatrick@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus Council 5407

www.kofc5407.org 1st Thursday Parish Hall 7PM
contactus@kofc5407.org or join@kofc5407.org

Legion Of Mary

Respect Life - Stella Maris Fridays after 8 AM mass
 President Scholastica Okafor - scholette1@yahoo.com -
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 Respect Life & Stella Maris

Moms Group

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Order of Christian Initiation Of Adults (OCIA)

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Young at Hearts

Becky Morris 904 480-2892 rebecca.morris.st.pat.w.c@gmail.com

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

08/08/26 Saturday

5 PM Glenda Willie
 By Robert & Kimberly Willie

08/09/26 Sunday

8 AM Pro Populo
 10 AM ✠Karen Cannady - Deceased
 By Charlotte Irons

08/10/29 Monday

8 AM The Roberto Family
 By Julius & Laura Roberto

08/11/26 Tuesday

8 AM Dawn Libiszewski
 By Nicole Hartsfield

08/12/26 Wednesday

8 AM Virgilio & Melba Milay
 By Nicole Hartsfield

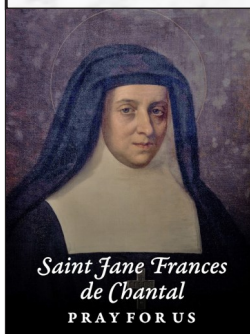
08/14/26 Friday

8 AM Jacob Williams
 By Teri Johnson

With both Public and Private Schools, including St Patrick, starting back up this week, be sure to watch for children and school busses on your daily commutes. Please drive safely and responsibly.



We have had several people ask about the return of our Poor Box. If you would like to help families experiencing poverty in our area, please put your donation in a plain envelope and mark it Poor Box, and drop it in the regular offertory towers. You can also drop in gift cards for local grocery stores. These are used to help the less fortunate in our neighborhood when we can. As always thank you for your generosity and kindness.



Saint Jane Frances de Chantal (1572–1641) was a French noblewoman, wife, mother, and widow who co-founded the Order of the Visitation of Holy Mary alongside St. Francis de Sales. She is celebrated as a model for living a holy life in different states: as a married woman, a single mother, and a consecrated religious sister. She is the Patron Saint of widows, forgotten people, people who have lost their parents, and people experiencing trouble with in-laws.



Blessed Sacrament Altar Candles

In Memory of Michael Linton by Della Linton
Dedicated July 1 - December 31

Weekly Red Sanctuary Candle

In Memory of Inez Melinda Frayall
By Chastity Clay



THERE ARE NO 2026 MASS INTENTIONS REMAINING: We hope start reserving masses for 2027 at the end of September 2026. Please check here for the announcement of 2027 reservations start date.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick Call Father Liguori if someone is seriously ill or in danger of death. (904) 768-2593 Ext. 101

Sacrament of Marriage Contact a priest at least 8-12 months in advance before you arrange your wedding date.

Sacrament of Baptism Parents are expected to attend a Baptism preparation class. To schedule a Baptism preparation class contact Cathy Taylor, email: cataylor@addressplus.net For further information or to schedule a Baptism date, Contact Robert in the parish office: (904)768-2593 Ext 104, email rwillie@spcsjax.org

The Diocese of St. Augustine treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with all allegations in a prompt, confidential, and thorough manner. To Report Abuse, call the police or the Department of Children and Families at (800) 962-2873. or call the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (904) 208-6979 or email inquiries@dosaf.com. To report abuse by a bishop, call (800) 276-1562 or visit www.reportbishopabuse.org