



*Twentieth Sunday
of the Year
August 18, 2019*

Mass Intentions

Sunday
8:00 AM Bob & Margaret Nail
10:30 AM Living & Deceased Parishioners
Tuesday – St. Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church
8:00 AM Donald J. Trump / B. & M. Nail
Wednesday – St. Pius X, Pope
8:00 AM United States of America / B. & M. Nail
Thursday – The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8:00 AM Holy Souls in Purgatory / B. & M. Nail
Friday – St. Rose of Lima, Virgin
8:00 AM Children of Bob & Margaret Nail
Saturday – St. Bartholomew, Apostle
5:00 PM

To request a Mass in memory of or for the welfare of a loved one, call the office or drop a note in the collection basket.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK



Kindly pray for our parish family and all those who are journeying in a special way with Our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Parishioners: Bob Caudill, Ginny Cook, Barbara Fortunati, Rhetta Giuli, June Henderson, Brad Jarveis, Richard Krouse, **Bill Johnston**, Monroe Matheny, Bob & **Margaret Nail**, Vera Patterson, Claire & Bill Patton, Stephen Sas, Charles "Buddy" Stempel, Mike Wilcox, David Woodford

Homebound: Juanita Baena, Loretta Roy, Dotsie Santa Cruz, Bob & Margaret Nail, George Schaff, Mary Smith

Assisted Living: Allen & Gwen Dretzka, Paul Peschel

Non-parishioners: Alicia Barton, Diane Geiselman, Susan Henderson, Bud Kaechele, Rev. David P. Carucci, Berkleigh Cirilli, Irene Lipscomb, Dan Mulroy, Bill Roman, Mark Smith, **Rosa Linda Torio**, Art Treinen

~ Prayer Requests ~

Terry Danson – 251-961-2165 or tsdanson@gmail.com

If you or someone you know is homebound, ill, due to have surgery or is in the hospital and would like a visit from the pastor or to receive the sacraments, please call the rectory or the office.

First Friday Memorial Mass Association

Our Loved Ones – Bob & Margaret Nail	† Jim & Mary Link	James D. & Mary Lou Chunn Partridge & Family
Living & Deceased Kaiser, Klein & Murphy Families	† Deacon J. Cretaro	Living & Deceased Lacey & Clancy Families
Living & Deceased Scott & Weiss Families	† Doris Mullek	Living & Deceased Kearns & Patterson Families
Living & Deceased Bush, Alvarez & McAleer Families	† Margaret A. Mullek	Living & Deceased Pope & Lang Families
Living & Deceased Mullek & McCandless Families	† Joe Lacey	Living & Deceased Altar Society Members
Living & Deceased Patton & Norton Families	† A.M.S. Warriner	The Baptized Who Do Not Practice Their Faith
Living & Deceased Shields, Self & Chambers Families	Mignon Kilday	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Living & Deceased Cretaro & Kilday Families	Jo Anne Cretaro	Intentions of the President of the USA
Living & Deceased Gardner & Donovan Families		

This Week's Schedule

Tuesday 8:30 AM SVdP Spiritual Meeting – IMH
Wednesday 9:00 AM Bible Study – IM Hall
Wednesday 10:30 AM Choir Practice – Church

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEKEND

5:00 PM = 58 8:00 AM = 72 10:30 AM = 71 Total = 201

STEWARDSHIP for August 11, 2019

Offertory = \$1,856.50
Renovation Project = \$535.00
Maintenance = \$205.00
Second Collection – **TODAY** – Home Missions
(envelopes are in the pews)

YOUR *ATTENTION* PLEASE

We encourage you to call the office and let Fr. James know if anyone among you is willing to give positive, courageous, and joyful witness to others by contributing your services to clean the Rectory and Immaculate Mary Hall, to provide grounds and building maintenance, or offer any other service that may be needed. We also need more cantors, especially for the 5:00 PM Mass. If you are interested, please call the office. Thank you to those who have answered our call with your loving and caring stewardship!

Parish Library News: The library is open during office hours on Monday, Tuesday and Friday. The librarian is available on Thursday from 8:30 AM to noon. If you would like to help, please contact our librarian, Martha Byous, at 251-978-3558 and leave a message.

Rummage Sale October 23–26. Call Tom Shields at 205-405-7499 if you have items to be picked up.

"HEAVENLY TREASURERS AND EARTHLY DELIGHTS"

If you like rummage sales, you will love this one! One of the benefits of helping sort donations is getting to shop early to pick the best items. Workdays during August is on Wednesday from 10 AM until 2 PM and Thursday from 9 AM until noon. You may come and work anytime or on designated days. Be sure to sign the work schedule in the vestibule. Bring your water and a snack if you need to sit and rest some. Your participation is greatly needed and appreciated!

Gospel Reflections

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT ~ In today's second reading, we hear the author of the letter to the Hebrews liken the daily life of the Christian steward to a race, a long-distance race perhaps, certainly not a sprint, requiring endurance and a single-minded focus on Jesus at the finish line. Good stewards are firmly committed to running the race, to live the Christian life to the fullest, to keep their eyes focused on Jesus. They don't grow weary. They don't lose heart. They know there is immense joy waiting for them at the finish line. Are you fully committed to living each day for Christ? Are you running the race, or are you simply jogging? Just walking? Sitting? Going backward? Going nowhere? Some of us may want to reflect on what we can do to run the race with even more conviction. Others may want to reflect on how to simply enter the race and start running.

54-DAY ROSARY NOVENA to Our Lady of the Rosary is at 3:00 PM in the church daily and will continue through October 7. Come join us any day you can.

**The Baldwin-Escambia Deanery
ACCW Quarterly Luncheon Meeting**

Shrine of the Holy Cross in Daphne, AL. – August 29. Registration and coffee is at 8:45 AM in the Parish Hall followed by the business meeting at 9:15 AM. Mass is at 11:00 AM in the church with luncheon (\$13) at noon. Connie Seyler, ACCW president, will be our speaker. Luncheon reservations are required by August 22 and can be made by calling Harriet Shields at 205-405-7499.

**ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
Tickets (\$25 Each) with 30 Winners!
Prizes Valued between \$100 and \$500!**

Check flyer on bulletin board for more information.

**HEAR YE! HEAR YE! ~ Last chance to buy tickets!
The K. of C. Council #2736 Annual 50/50 Raffle**

Weekly drawings of two \$50 winners every Sunday September 1, 2019 to January 26, 2020. **ALL** names are eligible for every drawing every week. Final drawing is Super Bowl Sunday, February 2, 2020. For tickets (\$25), contact Sal Pinzone 850-463-7292.

~ August Church Cleaning ~ Donna Jo Johnson

More help is needed! Please check the schedule on the bulletin board and call the office if you can help.

August 24/25

Sat: 5:00 PM
Sun: 8:00 AM
10:30 AM

Lectors

S. Henkel
H. Shields
T. Bryant

Ext. Ministers

Sr. Therese / J. Caudill
K. Galvano / M. Manley
K. Service / P. Hilderbrandt

Gift Bearers

Usher's Choice
J. & N. Alemany
B. & J. Johnston

Ushers

F. Mullek / S. Pinzone
T. Shields / Substitute
B. Jarveis / J. Hilderbrandt

A word of appreciation and a big thank-you to those who donated the new lawn mower and other items in response to our request for the needs of the parish.

CCD REGISTRATION ~ Parents are asked to meet with the teachers in Immaculate May Hall on August 28 at 4:30 PM to register and pick up registration packets for Grades 1 through Confirmation. Those who are registering for 2nd Grade Sacramental Class, please bring Baptismal Certificate. Registration packets must be completed and returned by September 18.

All classes begin on September 18 from 4:40 PM to 5:30 PM in Immaculate Mary Hall.

Child Protection Retraining. *Volunteers, it's time to renew your training for Child Protection. We are using a new online system this year. You will find instructions on how to update training at protection.mobarch.org.*

Thank you so much for your efforts and attention to this very important ministry.

SAINT BENEDICT CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

There is still time to enroll your student! Come "pray and work" with our SBCS family. Call our principal, Dr. Kathy McCool, at (251) 986-8143 for more information.

SBCS is looking for a part-time Spanish instructor for grades K-8. Contact Dr. McCool for more information.

ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS LAY CARMELITE COMMUNITY

will hold a general information session on Sunday, September 8, 2019, at 3:00 PM. The session will be in the St. John Paul 11 Center at St. Margaret of Scotland Parish in Foley. Everyone is invited. If you are unable to attend but would like more information, please contact Don Rhodes, Director, at (251) 928-7310.

BULLETIN AD ALERT – We are in need of someone to solicit for advertisements. If you know of anyone who would like to advertise, please ask them to call the office. These ads provide for the printing of our bulletins.

Take your bulletin with you and let our advertisers know that you appreciate their support.

GARDENING ~ Kind hearts are the garden; kind thoughts are the root; kind words are the blossoms; kind deeds are the fruit.

—Anonymous

BLESSED TRINITY SHRINE RETREATS

FR. MATT LINN RETREAT WEEKEND – "The Healing Power of Kindness: Discerning the Fountain of Youth" begins Friday, August 30 from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, and "Is Life Stressful or Is Stress Full of Life?" also begins Friday, August 30 from 7:00 PM and concludes after dinner Sunday, September 1. For more information, check the bulletin board in the vestibule.