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"The Son of Man did not come to be served ...but to serve." Matt 20:28

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday: 5:00pm Sunday: 8:30am Wednesday: 8:30am Thursday: 8:30am Friday: 7:00 am

Spanish Mass: 3rd Saturday: 6:30pm

## **SACRAMENTS**

CONFESSION: Saturday: 4:30-5:00pm BAPTISM: Contact Pastor 2 months in advance WEDDING: Contact Pastor at least 6 months in advance

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# PARISH MINISTRIES & SACRAMENT PREPARATION

# Religious Education & First Eucharist:

2nd-8th grades, Sundays 9:40-11:00am **High School Youth & Confirmation** 9th-12th grades, Sundays 9:40-11:00am **Centering Prayer:** Thursdays 7:00pm. **Knights of Columbus:** 3rd Mon. 7:00pm.

Parish Office hours: Tuesday 12:30 Pm to 2:00 PM, Wednesday –Friday 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM Thrift Shop: Tuesday & Thursday 9:00am - 1:00pm Gift Store: Sunday 10:15 -11:30am

# THE LIGHTER SIDE

#### The Bible, Through the Eyes of a Child

Moses: Moses was the next important man. His real name was Charlton Heston. Moses led the Israel lights out of Egypt because of the bad Pharaoh. God sent ten plagues on the Egyptians. Some of the plagues were mice, frogs, bugs, lice and no cable.

Every day in the desert, God fed the Israel lights some manicotti. He gave them His "Top Ten" commandments. They were things like: don't lie, don't cheat, don't dance, don't smoke, don't covet your neighbor's stuff (whatever that means). He also told them to humor their fathers and mothers.

If you have a joke or funny short story, please forward to our Parish Office.

#### Religions Education & High School Yonth Group

Reconciliation and Communion classes start January 20th.

Class Canceled on March 24th thru 31st.

**Classes Canceled on April 21st** 

**Classes Canceled on May 12th** 

May 19th will be the last day for classes.

The Coffee Bar will resume after the 8:30 a.m. Mass beginning this Sunday, January 13 and will follow the religious education schedule.



## John's Good News

Reflections

March 3, 2019

FIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

John's gospel is the fourth and last of the four to be written. A number of scholars think that the whole community at John's church in Ephesus had a hand in putting this gospel together, and that John himself was the authority behind the composition. It's important for us to realize that each one of us is a product of many educators, and our parents for most of us were the authority behind the finished product.

The first part of this gospel from Chapter 2 to Chapter 12 is known as the Book of Signs. John does not use the word miracle, but the first sign, albeit a premature one of who Jesus really is, is changing the water into wine at the Wedding in Cana. Remember, Jesus often identified himself by what he did; the blind see, the lame walk, the deaf hear, etc. Do we still consider that what a person does tells us who he or she is? The greatest sign of who Jesus was shows up as the seventh sign on the seventh day in the Gospel – a new week of a new creation – the raising of Lazarus from the dead. You or I would probably be a little skeptical; "Are you sure he was really dead?"

John also uses a number of favorite themes in his gospel such as life, love, light, Son of God, Word of God, Spirit, Truth, Lamb of God, King of the Jews, Good Shepherd, and Prophet. Do we have favorite words when we think of Jesus? Notice that none of John's chosen themes have a negative connotation.

Today we also had a reading from the second book of Chronicles which Jewish people regarded as the conclusion of the Old Testament. Both books of Chronicles tell the story of David and Solomon, including all the good stuff and omitting the negative. These books were written after the Exile, and for many modern Jewish people, the monarchy was the golden period of Jewish history. If you or I were asked to say what was the golden period of our past, what would we say? What was the context of that time?

If we model our lives after John's gospel, we will be very tolerant, inclusive of everybody, very positive about the future, and very much aware of making sure the signs say what is good news for all of us! What we do may in



- Second Collection Next Week: is for Black and Indian Mission.
- Daylight Saving Time: Don't forget Saturday night when you go to bed change your clocks ahead one hour.
- Ash Wednesday: March 6th Mass will be at 8:30AM and 7:00PM here at St. Anne. Super Soup Supper after Mass please bring a pot of soup to share. St. Joseph's Mass will be at 5:00 PM
- Knights of Columbus Fish Fry: will be Friday, March 15th and Friday, April 5th from 4:30 PM—7:00 PM and the cost is \$7.00 a plate.
- Spring Meeting of East Central Deanery Council of Catholic Women: Saturday, March 9th at St. Bernadette, PCB. Mass at 9:00 am, speaker Fr. Luke Farrabaugh. Begin your lent with a few hours of learning and reflection. *All women are invited!* Light lunch will be served, play Lenten Bingo (money helps the church)
- 2019 Diocesan Marriage Retreat: will be from Friday, April 26th to Sunday, April 28th @ Topsail Hill Preserve State Park. More information on bulletin board, Reservations are needed.
- Calling All Members of the PTDCCW & All Catholic Women!
  The Pensacola-Tallahassee Diocesan Council of Catholic Women is holding its 44th Annual Convention: Grace upon Grace Saturday, April 6 at St. Louis Church in Tallahassee. Join us for a day comprised of testimonies of grace in action, Mass & Lunch with Bishop William A. Wack, a presentation on the *La Florida Martyrs* and much more!
  Membership to attend is not required, though we hope by joining us, women will be inspired and become the newest members of our organization! Doors open at 8:00 a.m. (ET). Cost \$30.00. Registration is required and closes March 29. In conjunction with the *La Florida Martyrs* presentation, a private tour of *Mission San Luis* is being offered 10:30 a.m., Sunday, April 7. For ALL the information, go to www.ptdccw.org! Join us for a spiritually uplifting & memorable day! POC Mary Sauvageau (850.651.1459), President PTDCCW

Offertory

Week ending February 24, 2019 Offertory = \$2,738 E-Giving= \$343

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# Mass Intentions

Sat., March 2: Mass Intention is for Scott Kaufman. Sun., March 3: Mass Intention is for the Repose of the Soul of Ivan Puello.



Mon, Mar 4: Sir 17:20-24; Mk 10:17-27 Tue, Mar 5: Sir 35:1-12; Mk 10:28-31 Wed, Mar 6: JI 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6,16-18 Thur, Mar 7: Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25 Fri, Mar 8: Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15 Sat, Mar 9: Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32 Sun, Mar 10: Dt 26:4-10; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13



Please pray for Pope Francis, Bishop Wack, and Fr. Will that they may continue to teach and guide us in our Faith and be loyal servants of the people.

Tommy Dowell, Julie Jeffries, Brian Rogers, Wendell Strode, Kelsey Swails, Jennifer Willis, Charles O'Donnell, Charlotte Destefanis, Liz & Jim Furmanek, Gary Claudio, Hunter Zurey, Avalyn Barber, Glenn Young, Pedro Thomas Lopez, Ruth Moore, Greg Brown, Angela Parker, Louis Altobelli, Maya Zurey, Christine McClean, Brett Tobalski, John Lepko, Marlen Mayo Rosa, Benjamin Kraft, Kathy Nichols, Robert McClean, Ben Bicka, Colton Whisler, Michael Schouest, Virgie Osmar.

\*\*\*If you know of someone that you would like added to the Prayer List, please contact the Parish Office or send an email to make a request. If someone can be removed please notify the Parish office.

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Parish News

Mass Intentions

Readings for the Week

Prayer List

There are a number of parishioners suffering from flu and some are recovering from surgery. We also have people taking chemo and other treatments.

Please pray for all the sick and shut-ins of our parish, and for all our military personnel, police and firefighters who help keep our country safe and free.