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Year of Saint Francis of Assisi

2026 – January 10 – 2027

Holy Faith Catholic Church
"Iglesia Santa Fe"

Sacred Pilgrimage Site



CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF ST. FRANCIS AT HOLY FAITH

As we continue to celebrate the Year of St. Francis as a Pilgrimage Church, we invite you to deepen our appreciation of his spirituality and life while exploring the rich history and significance of the Santa Fe region and the Florida Martyrs. Throughout the coming months, we will be offering inspiring talks, a book discussion group, concerts, game day festivities, and many other opportunities for faith, fellowship, and learning. We hope you will join us as we grow together in the spirit of St. Francis.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

The next St. Francis Event is scheduled on Sunday, August 9 2026 beginning at 12:45pm to 3:30pm in the FJMP Parish Life Center (snacks/drinks included).
ALL PARISH PRESENTATION: More on The Florida Martyrs, presented by Pat Cook and "Compelled by Compassion" by Cristina Logan. **ALL INVITED!**



THE
Holy Sacrifice
OF THE MASS:
In Light of the Second
Vatican Council

Speaker: Most Rev. Erik Pohlmeier

**Saturday,
August 22**
9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Holy Faith
Catholic Church,
Gainesville



**Saturday,
September 19**
9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
St. Catherine of Siena
Catholic Church,
Orange Park

ALL ARE INVITED TO A SPECIAL WORKSHOP ON THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS, EXPLORING ITS MEANING AND OUR CALL TO DEEPER PARTICIPATION FOLLOWING THE SECOND VATICAN COUNCIL. JOIN BISHOP ERIK POHLMIEIR FOR A MORNING OF TEACHING AND DISCUSSION FOCUSED ON FOSTERING A FULLER UNDERSTANDING OF THE MASS AND THE ROLE OF THE FAITHFUL IN ITS CELEBRATION. **THIS WORKSHOP IS FREE AND OPEN TO ALL**, NO REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED.

Workshop Topics Include:

- The Mass as sacrifice, memorial, and meal
- The role of the assembly and the priest
- Unity as the Body of Christ
- Full, conscious, and active participation
- Silence and reverence in worship

This is a deanery-wide event sponsored by the Liturgical Commission of the Diocese of St. Augustine at Holy Faith August 22 2026.

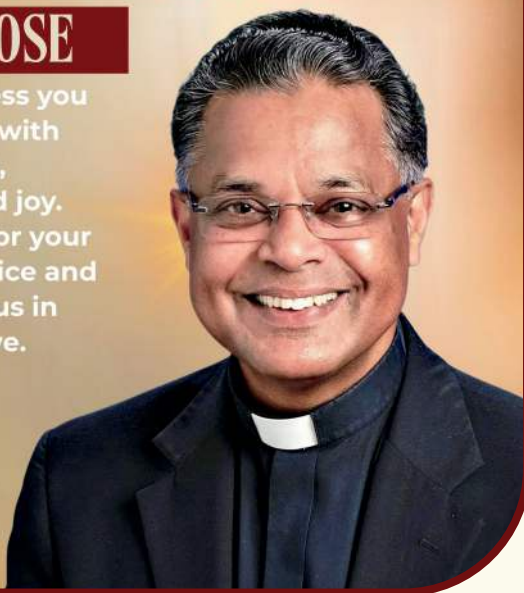
Please join us and INVITE all your friends!

JULY 30

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

FR. JOSE

May God bless you abundantly with good health, wisdom, and joy. Thank you for your faithful service and for guiding us in faith and love.




The Window on Death Row

**FILM SCREENING
AND PANEL**

A film screening and panel discussion about faith, mercy, and human dignity behind bars.

Featuring prison ministry volunteers, advocates, and Bishop Pohlmeier

Wednesday, August 5 | 6–8pm

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**MEET AND GREET
the Catechists and
Fr. Justino, FFF Chaplain.**

ICE CREAM Social

AUGUST 16, AT 10:45AM

FJMP PARISH LIFE CENTER

**All families with children are invited!
including Catholic, Private & Homeschool families**



**KICKING OFF THE SCHOOL YEAR
with ice-cream and lots of Family
Faith Formation news & FUN!**



For the Sunday School registration link go to:
holyfaithcatholicchurch.org or QR Code or
email: fffprogram@holyfaithchurch.org

TIME FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL



**BEGINNING
August 23 2026**

**FAMILY FAITH
FORMATION
AT HOLY FAITH
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

REGISTER TODAY!

Notes about Sacramental Preparation

- ♦ First Reconciliation and First Communion prep begins with attendance in First Grade and is a 2-year program.
- ♦ Confirmation preparation begins with attendance in 8th grade and is also a 2-year program.
- ♦ Catholic, private or homeschooled children who have not received the First Sacraments (grade 2 and above) must register for prep classes held on specific Sundays.
- ♦ Catholic, private or homeschooled children who have not received Confirmation (grades 9 and above) must register for prep classes held on specific Sundays.
- ♦ All youth, including Catholic, private or home-school students can register for Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM) on this same form (grades 8th thru 12th). The youth group meets on selected Sundays from 4pm to 5:30pm and offers the youth a safe place to grow and share in their faith with their peers, and includes service projects to aid in earning required service hours.

PARISH INFORMATION: July 26 2026

See page 6 for Daily Mass Times, Rosary and Confession Schedule.

HOLY GRIEVING

"Bereavement Support Group"



**Monday
July 27**

This Group helps you journey through the stages of grief, exploring how to handle grief with the support of others mourning their loss of a loved one.

**In Ministry
Office Bldg A
4:30pm**

On the last MONDAY
of every Month.



Prison Ministry



Join us in Praying
for an end to
the Death Penalty

see page 6

Providing Spiritual Support to the incarcerated.

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To contact a staff member or
department via email,
visit our new website:

holyfaithcatholicchurch.org
and click on the Contact-Us link.

BIBLE STUDY GROUPS

Forming Groups for the Fall

Book of James: begins
Tuesdays, August 25
for 11 weeks

Acts of the Apostles: begins
Wednesdays, August 26
for 20 weeks

HOLY
BIBLE

Sign up sheets in the vestibule
or contact the office.

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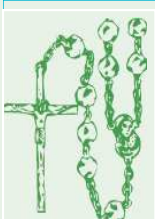
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An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE

LITURGY FOR WEEK OF JULY 26

Saturday, 5:00pm Vigil
Sunday 8am, *9:30am, 11:15am, 6pm
***9:30am Mass to be live-streamed**
Mon-Friday 7am & 9:30am
Saturday 9:00am Morning Mass
Saturday Confessions:
9:30am-10:45am & 3pm-4:30pm



**The Holy Rosary is
 prayed every Weekday
 at 9am and at 9:30am on
 Saturdays.**
**All are invited to come
 and pray with us and
 Mother Mary.**

Purpose of Our Prayer List:



Our parish prayer list is a sacred expression of our community's faith in God's healing power and loving providence. It allows us to lift up, together, those who are experiencing illness, hardship, grief, or special need, entrusting them to the mercy and care of the Lord. Lord, hear our prayers for the sick of our parish and for all those in need of our prayers: Adriana J, AliceFaye W, Andrew M, Angela R, Angie E, Ann F, Barry C, Beverly C, Beverly M, Bill R, Cason B, Coralia G, Dale E, Dr. Daniel L, Davy J, Dennis S, Diane C, Donna L, Donovan B, Ed M, Baby Ethan H, Gail M, Gary B, Gary C, George S, German T, Ginger B, Hope O, Jackson F, Janet S, Jean S, Jessica H, Joan P, Jody & Bill T, John M, Jordan T, Judy B, June F, Kelly B, Kevin, Kip B, Larry S, Lee P, Logan S, Lou M, Mark G, Mary Ellen B, Mary H, Mary LT, Matthew & Maria W, Michael Thomas S. H, Mike B, Mike O, Millie R, Myriam Z, Nicolas W, Patricia E, Paul E, Randy B, Rick W, Robert J, Rose G, Sal L, Santiago P, Scott D, Stephen S, Steve K, Sue W, Tim T, Tricia M and Vickie S.

If you would like to add or remove a name from this list, or request continued prayers for someone who was listed in the past, please contact the parish office with your request, or email: bulletin@holyfaithchurch.org.

Thank you for your keeping our community lifted up in prayer.

*"Cast all your worries upon Him
 because He cares for you." — 1 Peter 5:7*

MASS INTENTIONS: July 26 to August 1 2026

SUNDAY, July 26
 8:00am Rilyn Sy Spiritual
 Birthday Bouquet, by the Tan
 Family
 9:30am Henry & Yvonne
 Sarkis, RIP, by the Bowser
 Family
 11:15am Maroun's Family,
 Blessings & Graces, by
 Anonymous

MONDAY, July 27
 7:00am Danilo Tan, RIP,
 by the Tan Family
 9:30am Prospero Izon, Death
 Anniversary, RIP, by Maria
 Lledo

TUESDAY, July 28
 7:00am De Asis Family, for
 Healing, by the Family
 9:30am The Reverend Sisters,
 Guidance and Wisdom, by
 Patricia Ezepue

WEDNESDAY, July 29
 7:00am Maggie Ryan, Birthday
 Blessings, by Debbie Fischer
 9:30am Eljay and Esther, Spe-
 cial Intentions, by Linda Fuentes

THURSDAY, July 30
 7:00am Florence De Asis, for
 Healing, by the Family
 9:30am Parish Staff, Guidance
 and Wisdom, by Patricia Ezepue

FRIDAY, July 31
 7:00am Nicolas Watrous,
 Spiritual & Physical Healing,
 by Jenean Watrous
 9:30am Jason Sheldon, RIP,
 by Theresia Towlen

SATURDAY, August 1
 9:00am Chloe and Kate Esprit,
 Guidance & Protection, by
 their Parents
 5:00pm Joan S. Gallagher, RIP,
 by Maureen Gallagher

Let us pray for
 James "Jim" Duckett and
 Dominick Occhicone
 Double Execution on
 Tuesday, July 28 2026 at Noon
 & 6pm, and for an end to
 the Death Penalty.

SCRIPTURE READINGS as of Monday, July 27 2026

Prayerfully invite Christ to come to you as you read the Scriptures. Begin with the sign of the Cross. Silently pray "May the Word of God be present in my mind, on my lips, and in my heart." Amen.

Monday: Jer 13:1-11; Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21; Mt 13:31-25

Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13; Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 59:2-3, 4, 10-11, 17, 18; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Thursday: Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab; Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 14:1-12

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Is 55:1-3; Ps 145:8-9, 15-16, 17-18; Rom 8:35, 37-39; Mt 14:13-21



In Memoriam, RIP

Diana Lee (Hannah) Fitzgerald
December 5 1945 - July 21 2026

Funeral Mass:
Saturday, August 8 2026
at 1:30pm at Holy Faith Church

May she Rest in God's Eternal Peace.

PARISH GIVING ... Thank you for your continuing support of our Ministries.

Weekly Contribution Goal	\$ 26,453
Corrected Offertory Totals in June	
Actual Offertory: June 1 2026	\$ 10,853
Parish Soft Online Giving: June 1 2026	\$ 5,287
Actual Offertory: June 7 2026	\$ 22,008
Parish Soft Online Giving: June 7 2026	\$ 7,625
Actual Offertory: June 14 2026	\$ 24,094
Parish Soft Online Giving: June 14 2026	\$ 5,113
Actual Offertory: June 21 2026	\$ 19,383
Parish Soft Online Giving: June 21 2026	\$ 7,477



<https://holyfaithcatholicchurch.org/e-giving>

Stewardship is a Way of Life

In today's Scripture passage from St. Matthew's Gospel, Jesus uses parables to portray the Kingdom of Heaven. In the first parable, He tells of a man who discovers a buried treasure; in the second, a merchant seeks and finds a valuable pearl. Both sell everything they have to purchase these treasures. These lessons teach us to seek what is most important: a personal relationship with our Lord and Savior as St. Paul describes in his Letter to the Romans. King Solomon, in the reading from the First Book of Kings, asks God for an understanding heart, not wealth. As faithful stewards, we know the path to eternal salvation is not easy. But by deepening our discipleship in Christ, we increase our chances of gaining eternal life. As we strive for heaven, read the lives of the saints, follow their examples of holiness, and pray to God through them for wisdom and guidance.



ANNOUNCEMENT TO ALL MINISTRY LEADERS

Thank you to all of our ministry leaders for your continued dedication and service to Holy Faith Parish.

If you have not submitted your schedule of meetings, or events through July of 2027, please submit them soon, as space is filling up. Please use our electronic space requests that can be found on our contact us link on our website: <https://holyfaithcatholicchurch.org>

Space requests past July 2027 will remain on hold until further notice. You will receive approved requests notifications as they are approved via email or text. Paper requests will hold up the process. Please use the online form. Thank you for your attention.

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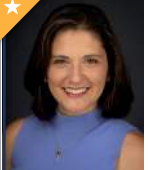
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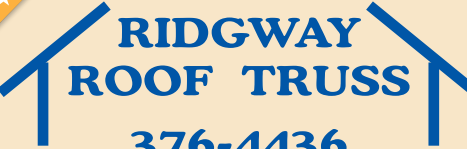
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