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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:00PM

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM & 11:30AM Weekdays: Monday - Saturday at 8:30AM Reconciliation: Saturdays at 9:00AM

DEVOTIONS

Eucharistic Adoration:

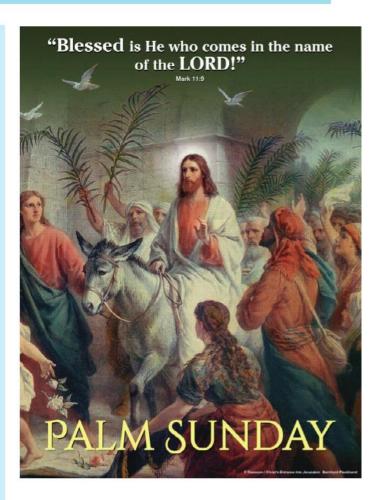
Fridays at 9:00 - 10:00AM (Church)

Daily from 7:00AM - 7:00PM (Adoration Chapel) Divine Mercy Chaplet: Fridays at 9:45 AM (Church)

Rosary (Mon-Sat) 8:00 am (Church)

Rosary Cenacle: Wednesdays & Fridays at 10:00AM Holy Hour: Tuesdays & Thursdays at 3:00 PM (Chapel) Patriotic Rosary: Wednesdays after Mass (Church)

"The Mission of Saint Sebastian Parish is to grow as a Faithbased Community being nourished by the Word of God and the Sacraments as we reach out in service with love and compassion."



INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER



For new martyrs—Let us pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world might imbue the Church with their courage and missionary drive.

PARISH OFFICE

Monday-Friday 9:00AM—3:00PM (772) 589-5790/5799 FAX: (772) 388-0084

Parish Web Site: www.stsebastian.com

PARISH REGISTRATION: All new residents, yearly and seasonal, are warmly welcomed to our parish. We thank God you are here! We invite you to register in the Parish Office during the week or on-line and consider getting involved in a ministry of the Church. Registrations are also held after Masses the first weekend of each month.

MARRIAGE: Marriage Preparation should begin at least six months prior to the anticipated wedding date. Please call Sandy at the Parish Office.

BAPTISM: Parents must be registered and attend a Baptismal Preparation Class. Call Sandy at the Parish Office to register. Godparents welcome. Expectant parents are urged to attend.

BULLETIN: Please submit articles for the bulletin to cathy@stsebastian.com. Articles are due by Monday morning at 9:00 a.m.





On March 27, Wednesday of Holy week, at 7:00 pm, we will celebrate the Liturgy of Tenebrae. 'Tenebrae' means darkness or shadows. Plan to attend this unique Holy Week Liturgy.



HOLY WEEK AT ST. SEBASTIAN



Palm Sunday

MARCH 23 VIGIL MASS ON SATURDAY 4:00 PM SUNDAY 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 AM



Holy Thursday

MARCH 28 9:00 AM (FOR THOSE WHO CAN NOT DRIVE AT NIGHT) SOLEMN MASS 6:00 PM



Good Friday

MARCH 29
PASSION AT 3:00 PM
SOUP KITCHEN
4:30 PM
LIVE PASSION
7:00 PM



Easter Sunday

MARCH 31 EASTER VIGIL ON SATURDAY 7:30 PM

> EASTER SUNDAY 7:30, 9:30, 10:00 & 11:30 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation



SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 9:00 AM MONDAY, MARCH 25, 9:00 AM TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 6:30 PM (WITH ADDITIONAL VISITING PRIESTS)



Sunday, March 24th

7:30 am † Ken Angelucci

† Matthew & Anne Smith

9:30 am Parishioners, Benefactors, Intentions

11:30 am + Connie DeRoehn

† John Maver

Monday, March 25th

Tuesday, March 26th

Wednesday, March 27th

Thursday, March 28th

(Special Intention)

Saturday, March 30th

7:30 pm Fr. John Morrissey (Special Intention)

RCIA Candidates and Catechumenate

(Special Intention)

† Matthew Keough

† Dominick Quinto

Sunday, March 31st

† Rosemary Russo

9:30 am Parishioners, Benefactors, Intentions

11:30 am † Gina Gizzi

† Cassandra Jakusz





The Catholic custom of covering the statues during Holy Week is to help us focus on the Passion of the Lord without being distracted by other sacramentals.

We wish to thank our new sewing ministry for the Lenten veils. We

truly appreciate all of your hard work.

Coffee and Donuts after the 7:30 and 9:30 Masses

9:30 AM	RCIA Retreat	LS Rm E
2:00 PM	Living Stations Practice	Church

Monday, March 25

9:00 AM	Reconciliation	Church
1:00 PM	DVD Bible Study	LS Rm E
7:00 PM	DVD Bible Study	LS Rm E
7:00 PM	Girl Scouts	SWH

Tuesday, March 26

9:00 AM	Reconciliation	Church
1:00 PM	Legion of Mary	SWH
6:30 PM	Reconciliation Service	Church
7:00 PM	Boys Scouts	S\M/H

Wednesday, March 27

7:00 PM	Tenebrae	Church
6:00 PM	CCW Board Mtg	LS Rm B
12:00 PM	L.A.O.H.	Main Hall

Holy Thursday, March 28

Parish Office Closed

7:00 AM	Meal Ministry	Main Hall
9:00 AM	Women's Guild Crafters	LS Rm A
9:00 AM	Holy Thursday Mass	Church
6:00 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper	Church
7:00 PM	AA	SWH

Good Friday, March 29

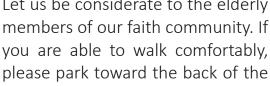
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3:00 PM	The Lord's Passion	Church
4:00 PM	Living Stations Practice	Church
4:30 PM	Soup Kitchen	Main Hall
7:00 PM	Living Stations	Church

Holy Saturday, March 30

10:00 AM	Blessing of Food	Church
7:30 PM	Paschal Vigil	Church

Please Be kind in the parking lot. Let us be considerate to the elderly



parking lot, leaving space close to the church for those who have difficulty walking for a long distance. We appreciate your consideration.

Sunday Faith Formation Class time 10:00am

March 24th—No Class (Spring Break)
March 31st - No Class (Easter Sunday)
April 7th - Class
April 14th - Class

Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, March 31st 10:30am to 11:30am

In our back field by St. William Hall.

All children 10 years old and younger are eligible to participate.

Bring a basket to collect the eggs.



Wednesday Night Youth Group

There is no youth group meeting on March 27th.
Enjoy your spring break!

Our next youth group gathering will be on Wednesday, April 3rd from 6:30pm to 8:30pm in St. William Hall.

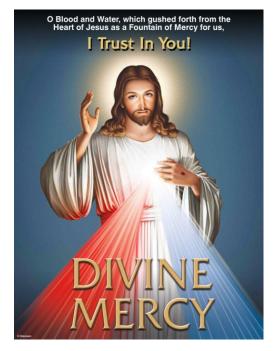
All middle and high school age students are



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All high schoolers come join us this summer for a life changing experience.



DIVINE MERCY NOVENA AND CELEBRATION

Please join us for our Divine Mercy nine day Novena, starting Friday, March 29 and concluding with Adoration on Sunday, April 7, 2024.

Good Friday	1:00 PM
Holy Saturday	12:00 PM
Easter Sunday	7:00 PM
Mon-Fri (April 1-6)	7:00 PM
Divine Mercy Sunday	3:00 PM

HOLY WEEK EXPLAINED



Palm Sunday is PACISUNDAY Christian moveable feast that falls on the Sunday before Easter. The feast

commemorates Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem, an event mentioned in each of the day. A liturgy that focuses on the reading of four canonical Gospels. Its name originates the passion of Christ is celebrated. That will be from the palm branches waved by the crowd to followed by the veneration of the cross and greet and honor Jesus as he entered the city



the Holy week is known as Spy Wednesday since this is the day on which

Judas betrayed Jesus to the Sanhedrin. On Wednesday of the Holy week, at St. Sebastian we celebrate the Liturgy of Tenebrae. 'Tenebrae' means darkness or shadows. There are seven readings. After each reading the During the Easter Vigil the faithful renew their reader will put out a candle at the altar. It will baptismal promises and those who come to be followed by the psalm sung by the choir Christian Faith are accepted into the church and the prayer by the presider. After the sev- with the sacraments of initiation, Baptism, enth reading and when the last candle is put Confirmation and Eucharist. out, the congregation remains or leaves the church in silence.



Supper of Jesus Christ, will take place at 10:00 am... when he established the sacrament of Holy Eucharist prior to his arrest and

crucifixion. It also commemorates the institution of the priesthood. Jesus celebrated the dinner as a Passover feast. This event is celebrated at every Mass, as part of the Liturgy of the Eucharist, but it is specially commemorated on Holy Thursday with the washing of the feet. After the celebration of the Mass, the tabernacle will be left empty and the remaining Eucharist will be carried in a Eucharistic procession which will be followed by adoration at LeSage Hall until 10:00 pm.



On Good Friday we commemorate the crucifixion of Jesus Christ, Traditionally, there is no celebration of the Eucharist on Good Fri-

later the faithful participate in the Holy Communion. Good Friday is a day of fasting. At St. Spy Wednesday. Tradi- Sebastian after the celebration of the Passion tionally the Wednesday of around 7.00 pm we will have living Stations.



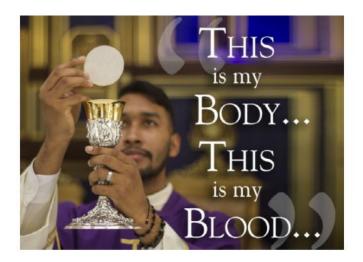
Holy Saturday is the last day of Holy Week and ends the season of Lent. It is also known as the Vigil of Easter. Celebration of the Easter Vigil begins only after the sunset.

In some cultures there is a tradition of Holy Thursday is the com- Blessing the food in order to break the Lenmemoration of the Last ten Fast. At St. Sebastian blessing of the food



Easter Sunday or Easter Day is the most important day of the year for Christians. It is when they celebrate that three days after being killed, Jesus rose

from the dead, sometimes called 'the Resurrection' and defeated evil forever.



FINANCIAL PLANNING AND PLANNED GIVING

Join us on Tuesday, April 2 at 6:00 PM for a seminar on Financial Planning and Legacy Giving. Tony Donini, CPA and head of our Finance Council here at St. Sebastian, will be our featured speaker.

Planned giving is a thoughtful and strategic approach to making charitable donations, and it can be a powerful way for members of St. Sebastian Catholic Parish to leave a lasting impact on their community. Wine and cheese will be available during the presentation.

All are welcome.



Saturday 9:00am—12:00 pm

After Mass

Sunday After Masses

Scripture Readings

For the Week of March 24, 2024

Sunday Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16; Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mk 14:1—15:47 or Mk 15:1-

39

Monday Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14;

Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15

and 17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and

33-34; Mt 26:14-25

Thursday Holy Thursday

Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-

15

Friday Good Friday

Is 52:13—53:12; Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15 -16, 17, 25; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9;

Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday Easter Vigil in the Holy Night of Easter

Gn1:1—2:2 or Gn 1:1, 26-31a; Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20 and 22; Gn 22:1-18 or Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11; Ex 14:15—15:1; Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18; Is 54:5-14; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13; Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6; Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 or Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Rom 6:3-11; Ps 118:1-2, 16

-17, 22-23; Mk 16:1-7

Sunday The Resurrection of the Lord

Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8;

Jn 20:1-9



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March 22, 2024

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ:

Pope Francis has asked parishes to support the annual Pontifical Good Friday Collection, to be held on March 29, 2024. The Franciscans of the Custody of the Holy Land have the unique responsibility to care for the Holy Places as well for the "living stones," the Christians living there. The collection supports the work of the Franciscans who maintain and safeguard sacred sites and shrines, minister in parishes, provide formation and education in schools, and care for the temporal needs of all people.

It is vital that we support Christians living in and visiting the Holy Land to maintain a Christian presence in the very land made holy by the life, death and Resurrection of Jesus. Part of the collection goes toward educational and ecclesial projects in the Middle East, while the remainder supports the ministries and programs entrusted by the Holy See to the Franciscans of the Holy Land.

Thank you for supporting the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, as encouraged by Pope Francis. By supporting these efforts, you stand with the Church in the Holy Land and you become an instrument of peace in a troubled land.

With gratitude for your continued generosity and every prayerful wish, I am

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Gerald M. Barbarito

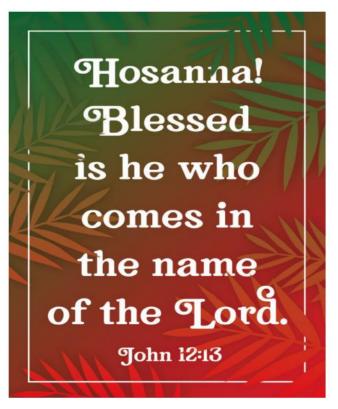
Bishop of Palm Beach

For a long time the helping hands ministry was instrumental in keeping our church and campus clean, beautiful and functional. As the years passed us by, those men who were involved in this ministry have moved on or have passed away. And their absence has created a vacuum; the need for this ministry is all the more relevant as we are growing in membership.

helping hands What is this ministry all about? It is about doing things we normally do around our homes, fixing things, pressure cleaning or simply making sure that things are working etc. This is our spiritual home and we all can be part of keeping it "A HOME" for all our guests.

So if you can spare couple of hours on Tuesday mornings, please call the parish office or speak to Mark Jordan, our property Manager. Thank you for considering this ministry.







EARLY BIRD REQUEST

IF YOU HAVE ANY OLD JEWELRY THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO DO-NATE TO NEXT YEAR'S RUM-MAGE SALE, PLEASE DROP IT OFF AT THE PARISH GIFT SHOP.

St Sebastian Council of Catholic Women Presents

Elene's Sip & Chat Paint Party - April 5th

"Whimsical Florida Palms"



Local artist, Elene Albert, is holding another acrylic painting event from 6:30-8:30. Painting "starts" at 6:30. Please arrive at least 15 min earlier...The cost is \$35 per person paid at the event ("cash", "check", or credit card) and includes all art supplies, and aprons for class use, 12"x16"pre-sketched canvas, step-by-step instructions and free wine bottles raffle for fun! (and you may bring your own snacks AND any beverages...wine, tea, water, etc to make your evening more comfortable)

This paint party is for all skill levels... NO ART EXPERIENCE necessary!! Everyone will paint the same theme. Sip a little, chat a lot, be happy and

TO RESERVE SEATS, CALL/or TEXT names to ELENE AT 321-720-0350 by April 1st

(A % of the evening's proceeds will be donated to the St. Sebastian Council of Catholic Women)

Painting will be in St. William Hall - Enter main driveway and proceed to the end – last building

ahead...follow signs

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2024 Annual Charity Golf Tournament

@ Sebastian Municipal Golf Course

Saturday, April 6th, 2024

7am Registration / 8am Shotgun Start



Benefiting K of C charitable activities, scholarships, community outreach & Sebastian River High School youth programs.

Events: Closest to Pin, Straightest Drive & Longest Drive

Men, Women, Foursomes & Singles all welcome!

All inclusive entry fee! 18 Holes of Golf w/ cart
Player Swag Bag
Morning Grab-N-Go Breakfast
Buffet Luncheon (during awards)

Entry Fee: \$100.00/ per player includes:

Two Mulligans per player Cannon Shot on Hole #12

Cash bar available on course and during lunch





Raffle Baskets & 50/50 Raffle

Raffle tickets available for sale at registration and prior to awards luncheon.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Hole Named in your Honor

Sign sponsorship for individuals, teams or businesses are available. **\$100.00 donation** includes sign at a tee box throughout course and a listing in our tournament program.

Sponsor a Par 3

Donate a prize for a Hole-in-One and get a personalized sign along the course.

For registration packet and sponsorship details, please contact George Darmetko @ 508-944-9074 or KoCgolfchairgdarmetko@gmail.com



Hole 12:

Try and drive the green with our air cannon.

If all players miss the green, each player's ball will be placed on the green for an Eagle putt.

*In the event of mechanical failure, player's ball will be placed on green for an Eagle putt.





St. Sebastian Spring Festival

Friday, April 12th to Sunday, April 14th

FRIDAY 5PM

(Free for Parishioners)
Family Movie Night
Trivia Contest with Prizes
Cornhole Games



Hamburger, Hotdogs Popcorn, Refreshments

SATURDAY 5PM

Dinner Dance at \$25 per person



Johnny and the Blaze
Buffet Dinner/Cash Bar
Dance Contest with Prizes

SUNDAY

(Free for Parishioners)
Coffee & Donuts 8:30-11:30A
Pizza Party 12:30P



Raffle winners announcement!

RAFFLE

(\$3500 in cash prizes) \$10 per Ticket



With bulk discounts including: \$50 for 6 Tickets \$100 for 12 Tickets





Hospital Sick Call

The priests and deacons of the parish and/or their representatives will gladly visit parishioners who are admitted to Sebastian River Medical Center. If you are going into the hospital and wish to be visited, please advise the hospital upon your admission or call the Parish Office to request communion or anointing of the sick. The hospital is visited daily by our Ministers of the Eucharist.

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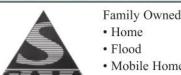
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