



SAINT SEBASTIAN

CATHOLIC CHURCH

FEBRUARY 22, 2026 | 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

STAFF MEMBERS

PASTOR Very. Rev. Antony Pulikal V.F.
PAROCHIAL VICAR Rev. Sabas Mallya
WEEKEND ASSOCIATE Rev. Martin Fitzgerald

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SSA DIRECTOR Kelly Bowen
OFFICE STAFF Gabrielle Jordan
Marilyn Wright
Marcia McIntosh
Cathy Bonin
MAINTENANCE Mark Jordan
Kathy Beames

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

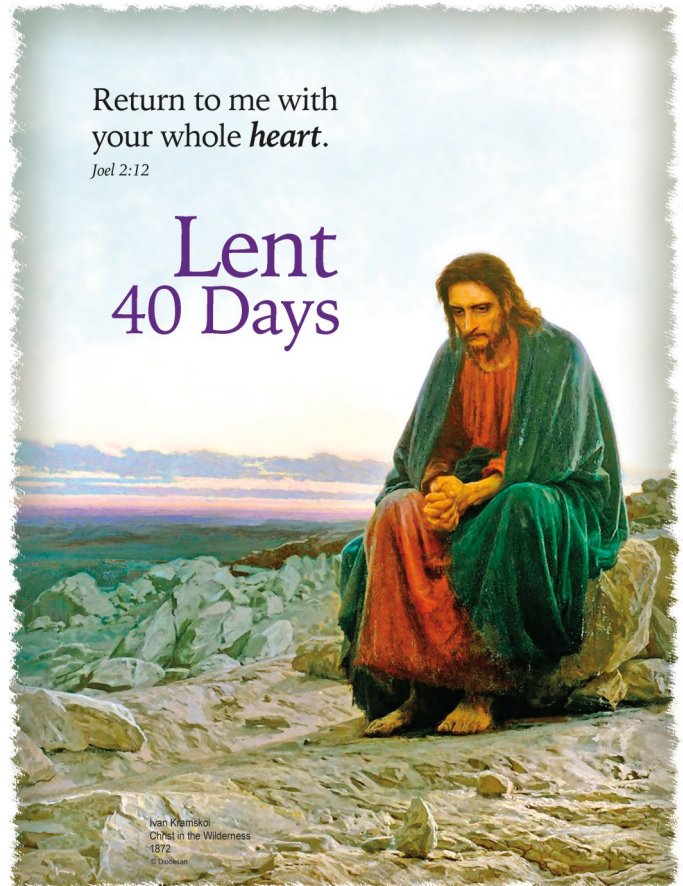
Eucharistic Adoration:
Fridays at 9:00 - 10:00AM (Church)
Daily from 7:00AM - 7:00PM (Adoration Chapel)
Divine Mercy Chaplet: Fridays at 9:45 AM (Church)
Rosary (Mon-Sat) 8:00 am (Church)
Rosary Cenacle: Wednesdays & Fridays at 10:00AM
Holy Hour in Reparation: Tues. & Thurs. at 3:00 PM
(Adoration Chapel)
Patriotic Rosary: Wednesdays after Mass (Church)

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

Return to me with
your whole *heart*.

Joel 2:12

Lent 40 Days



INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER

For children with incurable diseases

Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.



PARISH OFFICE

13075 US HIGHWAY 1, SEBASTIAN, FLORIDA-32958

MONDAY-FRIDAY 9:00AM - 3:00PM

(772) 589-5790/5799 - Web Site: www.stsebastian.com

www.facebook.com/SebastianCatholic

www.instagram.com/saintsebastiancatholic



Mass Intentions

8:30 am	† Jacqueline and Erling Szoldrak
4:00 pm	† Cayetano Rocha Zapata
	† Frank Tenreiro
	† James Buttonow
	Robert Platt (Special Intention)
	Sunday, February 21st
7:30 am	† Antonio and Donata Cassone
	† Steven Cassone
9:30 am	Parishioners, benefactors & intentions
	In the book
11:30 am	† Kathleen Kinlehan
	† Monica Shotwell
	Monday, February 23rd
8:30 am	† Andres Pagan Sr
	Tuesday, February 24th
8:30 am	† Dale Grabenbauer
	Wednesday, February 25th
8:30 am	† Andres Pagan Jr.
	Thursday, February 26th
8:30 am	† Jorge Ramos. Jr.
	Friday, February 27th
8:30 am	† Dirk Molendyk
	Saturday, February 28th
8:30 am	† Catherine Neglia
4:00 pm	† Lester E. Raymer
	† Daniel Ryan
	The Perez Family (Special Intention)
	† Sebastian Murano

Diocese of Palm Beach's Commitment to the Protection of Minors and Vulnerable Adults:

The Diocese of Palm Beach is committed to the safety and protection of minors and vulnerable adults in its care. Victims of abuse by Church personnel (clergy, religious, employees, and volunteers) are encouraged to contact law enforcement. Victims may also contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (561) 775-9558 to begin the necessary emotional, psychological and spiritual healing. For more information on diocesan policies and procedures for reporting abuse, as well as to view the "USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People," visit www.diocesepb.org/safe-environments.



Eucharistic Adoration

Fridays 9:00 am-10:00 am
Church

Daily: 7:00 am-7:00 PM
Adoration Chapel

Calendar

Sunday, February 22, 2026

After 7:30 & 9:30	Pancake Breakfast	Main Hall
1:00 PM	Stations of the Cross Practice	Church
10:00 AM	Faith Formation Classes	School
10:00 AM	RCIA	LS Rm E
12:00 PM	Columbiette Luncheon	Main Hall
1:00 PM	Station of the Cross Practice	Church
6:00 PM	Confirmation Prep I	LS Rm E
	Tuesday, February 24, 2026	
1:00 PM	Legion of Mary	SWH
1:00 PM	Guild Mtg	LS Main
6:00 PM	Men's Retreat Mtg	SWH
6:00 PM	Men's Retreat Mtg	LS Rm E

Wednesday, February 25, 2026

9:00 AM	Patriotic Rosary	Church
5:30 PM	Choir Practice	Church
6:00 PM	Women's Retreat Mtg.	LS Rm E

Thursday, February 26, 2026

7:00 AM	Meal Ministry	LS Hall
9:00 AM	Guild Craft Group	LS Rm A
4:30 PM	Last Words Rehearsal	Church
6:30 PM	CCW Board Mtg	LS Rm A
7:00 PM	AA	SWH

Friday, February 27, 2026

9:00 AM	Confirmation Retreat Set-up	SWH
10:30 AM	Deacon Arnie Scripture Hour	LS Rm. E
5:00 PM	K of C Lenten Fish Fry	
6:00 PM	Stations of The Cross	Church

Saturday, February 28, 2026

10:00 AM	Grief Share Program	LS Rm E
	Volunteer Appreciation	
5:00 PM	Dinner	MainHall

Sunday, March 1, 2026

After 7:30 - 9:30 AM	Coffee & Doughnuts	Main Hall
10:00 AM	Faith Formation Classes	School
10:00 AM	RCIA	LS Rm E
1:00 PM	Stations of the Cross Practice	Church
6:00 PM	Confirmation Prep I	LS Rm E



ST. SEBASTIAN PARISH GOAL \$ 180,000.
OUR COMMITMENT SUNDAY IS ON FEBRUARY 1, 2026
PLEASE PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER YOUR DONATIONS TO DSA 2026.

By your pledge for the
2026 Diocesan Services Appeal you can make
a difference to the ministries that serve
the people and parishes throughout our
Diocese of Palm Beach.



Please give generously
and make your pledge at:
DiocesePB.org/DSA



PASTORAL COUNCIL

NOMINATIONS

St. Sebastian catholic Church Pastoral Council nomination-election results for 2026.

Greeting to our wonderful faith family. My name is Jerry Repasz, I am honored to serve on Saint Se-

bastian catholic church pastoral council as its chair-person. This year and every year, we have two -three year elected positions that we need to fill. Over the last several weeks, parishioners have had the opportunity to nominate themselves or others to fill these positions. The deadline for nominees ended on February 2, 2026.

During the nomination period we received two nomination forms that were submitted to the parish office by this 2/2 deadline. On 2/3/2026, I called the parish office, they, as my-self, were not aware of any additional nominees that were submitted at the end of the day on 2/2/2026. The nominees submitted by the deadline were Greg McCarty and Dwayne Smith. Since we needed to fill two positions and only receiving two nomination forms, there will be no need to have an election, Greg and Dwayne will fill these two-three year terms.

For your information, the other members on your pastoral council are: Moe Terrebonne, Jill Combine, Lynn Morey, Mark Barletta, Brandie Delapaz, Vickie Mainer, John Kearney and Socorro Luna. Please, if needed, reach out to any of us, we are here, to be a sounding board from you, our parishioners.

The council also assists the Pastor in fulfilling the mission of Saint Sebastian catholic church, that mission is: to grow as a faith-based community being nourished by the word of god and the sacraments, as we reach out in service with love and compassion. We also serve as liaisons to all of our parish ministries to serve any needs they may have. We, as your council- members are blessed to serve you and our pastor Fr. Antony Pulikal.

Thank you for reading this update information concerning your pastoral council. may god bless you and your families.



CALLING ALL LADIES OF THE PARISH!!

Are you ready to grow in your faith? Make lifelong friends? Help our church and community? Be part of a nationwide organization that strives to empower, support and educate Catholic women? If yes, then please come check out the **St. Sebastian Council of Catholic Women (CCW)**!

Our March General Meeting will be held on:

**Thursday, March 5th inside
LeSage Hall**

Our meeting will begin earlier than usual, **at 6:15pm.**

Come for an evening of fellowship & learn what we are all about! All ladies of the parish are welcome!

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Forming Catholics for Life.



Foretold | Trailer

From the beginning, God had a plan to save man from sin. With Jesus, that plan was fulfilled. But he also has a specific plan for you. Watch Foretold to rediscover God's providential love for you.

Our parish has a free Formed subscription for you!
Simply scan the QR code or visit formed.org/signup
to create your account and select our parish
to get free access to this content and much more!



Luke 9:23 "Whoever wishes to be my follower
must deny his very self, take up the cross
each day, and follow in my steps.



BE PART OF THE PASSION



All are welcome—big roles, small roles, and everyone in between! No experience necessary. Rehearsals have begun and take place Sundays after the 11:30 AM Mass. Come be part of this powerful ministry and help bring the Passion of Christ to life.



Contact: Lauren Famiano
772-333-7784

Dear Faith Community



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PALM BEACH



With humble and joyful hearts, we announce the Vespers (evening prayer), Ordination, and Installation of Bishop Manuel de Jesús Rodríguez.

Due to limited space, these are **invitation-only** events, but we encourage you to join us in prayer via our **live streams** of Vespers on **Monday, February 23**, at **6 pm** and Ordination and Installation on **Tuesday, February 24**, at **2 pm** as we welcome our new shepherd.

All events will be recorded and available on our website.

May Our Lady, Queen of the Apostles, patroness of the diocese, guide us in the footsteps of her Son, Jesus Christ.



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WATCH HERE**
www.diocesepb.org





Faith Formation

Grades pre-k through grade 7

February 22 - Class

March 1 - Class

March 8 - Class

March 15 - Class

Class time is Sunday morning at 10am followed by all classes attending the 11:30am Mass together.

Classes for Confirmation Prep Year 1 have started. (Grade 8) Registration is still open if interested.

Please contact Debbie in the parish office.

Class time is Sunday evenings from 6pm to 7:30pm in LeSage Hall, Rm E

Youth Group

Our next gathering will be

Wednesday, February 25th

from 6:30pm to 8:30pm in St. William Hall.

Youth group gatherings are open to all middle and high school aged students.

Come join us, bring a friend!

Easter Egg Hunt Come join the fun!!!!

We will be holding an Easter Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday from 10:30am to 11:30am in our back field by St. William Hall.

All children up to 10 years old are invited to participate.

Remember to bring a basket to collect the eggs.

All eggs are prized filled.

Grandparents . . . have little ones visiting?
Bring them along to join the fun!



KEEP THE DATE

7 Last Words of Jesus Christ
Presentation is Friday, March 27th at 7pm
in the church.

Calling all children and teens who would love to participate in the presentation of the 7 Last Words of Jesus Christ.

There is still time to be a part of this dramatic presentation.

Our next rehearsal is Thursday, February, 26th from 4:30 to 5:30 in the church.

Please contact Debbie in the parish office at 772-589-5790 or

debbie@stsebastian.com
for more information.



Faith Formation needs your help!

Sunday, March 1st following the 11:30am Mass in

St. William Hall we need help with stuffing Easter eggs for the upcoming Easter Egg Hunt on April 5th.

If you need service hours, here is an opportunity for you.

Anyone is welcome to come and stuff.

We need to fill about 6,000 eggs!

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Debbie at 772-589-5790 or debbie@stsebastian.com





Help save lives! Join fellow Catholics during our **Lenten Campaign, February 18-March 29.** Join us **by praying for an end to abortion on Sunday afternoons** adjacent to A Woman's World, at 503 S 12th St., Fort Pierce. Sign up for an hour or two, or join another parish on another day. **Call/text Pete Grace, St. Sebastian's K of C Life Director at 904-219-5215.**

Information at <http://www.40daysforlife.com/en/>



Ladies, would you like to learn healthy eating habits, get food ideas from friendly folks, and also lose a few unwanted pounds?

Then, you are invited to attend the **Women's Guild** meeting for a presentation by a **Weight Watchers (no weight watchers membership needed)** on **Tuesday, February 24th at 1 PM in LeSage Hall.** You are also welcome to stay for the Guild meeting afterwards. We'd love to see you there!



The Legion of Mary welcomes 2 new Active Members to our Praesidium, Our Lady Star of the Sea. Our meetings are every Tuesday at 1pm in St. William's Hall. All are welcome.

Lectio Divina

Do you want to grow in your relationship with the Lord during this lent ?
Then join us every Thursday at 6:30 pm ...

LENTEN LECTIO DIVINA
Scripture Prayer Process
Read – Meditate – Pray – Contemplate
Take some time to be still with the Lord.
ALL Thursdays during Lent
6:30 PM – 7:30 PM in the Cry Room

All are welcome. Come to one or all.
For more information, contact Deacon Paul
at dcnpaulg@gmail.com

Scripture Readings For the Week of February 22, 2026	
Sunday	Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17; Rm 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19; Mt 4:1-11
Monday	Lev 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday	Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Mt 6:7-15
Wednesday	Jonah 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32
Thursday	Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12
Friday	Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8; Mt 5:20-26
Saturday	Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48
Sunday	Gn 12:1-4a; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22; 2 Tim 1:8b-10; Mt 17:1-9

THANK YOU

A big Thank you to all the volunteers, attendees, and entertainers for a wonderful fun-filled night at our Mardi Gras/ Valentines Dinner and Dance. It was a great time with good fellowship, food and raffles.



Men's Retreat

Where: Our Lady of Florida Spiritual Center
1300 US Hwy 1
North Palm Beach, FL 33408
When: April 17 - 19, 2026
Register online at www.ourladyofflorida.org
For more information, contact Mark Barletta
Phone: 203-376-2972

"Come to me, all you who are weary
and burdened, and I will give you rest."

— Matthew 11:28

THE PASSION AND RESURRECTION OF CHRIST,

The second of Father John Morrissey's publications, is now available for sale in the Gift Shop. There are only 35 copies remaining to be sold through the parish Gift Shop. Your gift of \$10.00 will go directly to support the work of the Society of St. Vincent DePaul.



Catholic Women of
Faith

Women of Action: Divine Mercy

15th Annual Women's Conference

Saturday, March 14, 2026

8am - 3pm

Day Includes:

Mass, Reconciliation, Adoration, Rosary,
and the Opportunity to pray before the
Relics of Pope John Paul and St. Maria
Faustina

Ministry Tables, Vendors, and Artisan
Crafts

Our Lady Queen of the Apostles
Royal Palm Beach

Early Bird Registration: \$35
After February 28th: \$40

All women of faith and of all ages throughout
the Diocese of Palm Beach are invited to
attend this conference hosted by The Palm
Beach Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

Donna Cori,
Singer/Songwriter/Speaker,
will lead us in her version of a
sung chaplet of Divine Mercy,
share the five points of the
devotion and later lead us in a
sung rosary.



Register Today!
pbdccw.org

If you are not a Catholic, but attracted to the Catholic Church, or a Catholic in need of completing your Sacraments of Initiation (Eucharist or Confirmation), inquiry is just as it sounds. It is a time to set aside for asking questions and exploring God's call in an informal setting. **There are no commitments or obligations required, only questions answered and information shared.** RCIA is a gradual process that takes place within the community of the faithful. The length of time of the process varies according to individual need, experience, readiness and commitment. If you, or someone you know is interested in more information, please call Sandy at 772-589-5790.

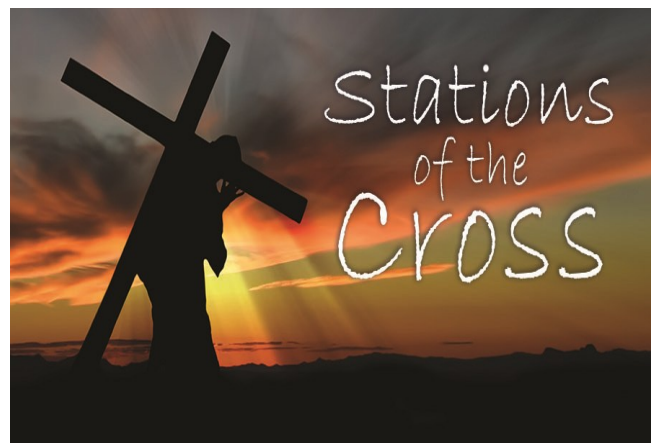


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The Sanctuary Candle has been sponsored in Loving Memory of
John Apo
by the
Apo Family



Congratulations to Charmaine B. for winning the Women's Guild Quilt (drawn at our Mahjongg Tournament). This Beautiful Quilt was designed and sewn by our Women's Guild member, Krissy K. A Huge Thank You to everyone who participated and supported the Women's Guild Mahjongg Charity Tournament!!



STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON FRIDAYS OF LENT

Keeping up with our Catholic devotional practice, on every Friday of Lent we will be praying the Stations of the Cross at 6:00 pm. St. Sebastian clergy will lead the devotion. Please make plans to be part of this important Lenten Spiritual exercise.

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.



ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATION

If you are interested in dedicating flowers in the sanctuary in memory of your loved one for a birthday, anniversary, etc., contact the parish office (772)589-5790. The suggested donation is \$50.00

*Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission
Fellsmere (west of I-95 on CR 512)*

Phone: 772- 571-9875 or 772-571-9918
Father Sabas Mallya, ALCP

OFFICE HOURS Monday - Friday
9 am—4 pm

MASS in Spanish, Wednesday, 7 pm / Sat, 7 pm Sun,
8:30 am & 10:30 am

4 PM English Mass on Saturday