"To Serve The Lord With Joy"

SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

203 Plum St. Florence, Al 35630

OCTOBER 24, 2021

30TH Sunday in Ordinary Time

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon, Tues, Thurs 9:00 am—2:30 pm
Wednesday— Closed
Friday– Closed

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Mass Schedule:

Saturday	8:15 am & 5:30 pm
Sunday	8:30 am, 11:00 am & 5:00pm
Hispanic Mass	2:00pm every 2nd and 4th Sunday
Monday, Tuesday	8:15 am
Wednesday	5:30 pm
Thursday, Friday	8:15 am

Holy Day Mass: TBA, See Mass Intentions
Confession: Saturday 4:00 pm-5:00 pm & on request

Religious Education

PSR (Children) Sundays 9:45 am
RCIA Thursdays 5:30 pm

Baptism: Preparations program required, contact parish office for information.

Confirmation: Two-year program, ninth and tenth grade.

Marriage: At least six (6) months notice required in advance of proposed wedding date.

ANNOUNCEMENTS/INFO :

We will be serving Wine & Cheese on Saturday Oct 30th after 5:30pm Mass and Coffee and Doughnuts on Sunday Oct 31st after each Sunday Mass.

All Saints' Day, *also known as All Hallows' Day, Hallowmas, the Feast of All Saints, or Solemnity of All Saints, is a Christian solemnity celebrated in honour of all the saints of the church, whether they are known or unknown, November 1st*

All Souls' Day *also known as the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed and the Day of the Dead, is a day of prayer and remembrance for the souls of those who have died, which is observed by Latin Catholics and other Christian denominations annually on November 2.*

Tickets for the Annual Priest Appreciation Dinner are available after all masses

Helping Hands's raffle for the crocheted Throw have tickets available until November 21st

The Bake and Craft Show is November 20th—21st. Any questions please contact Kim Oliver

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE FOR NEXT SUNDAY
OCT 30 & OCT 31 31 ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
World Mission Sunday

5:30 pm	8:30 am	11:00 am
Ordinary/Extraordinary Ministers	**Ordinary/Extraordinary Ministers**	**Ordinary/Extraordinary Ministers**
Father Joseph Pat Stewart	Father Joseph Debbie Dinges	Father Joseph Deacon Greg
Greeters	**Greeters**	**Greeters**
Louis Bailey Donnie Burns Rick Nerstad	Jackie Mauter Nick Pieroni Matt Wear	Chris Gremillion Trav Hovater Porfirio Aparicio
Altar Servers	**Altar Servers**	**Altar Servers**
Gavin Murphy-Rollings	Jolie Mauter	Nathan Hovater
Lectors	**Lectors**	**Lectors**
Jorja Meiners	Jonathan Koskey	Elisabeth Hubscher
Gift Bearers	**Gift Bearers**	**Gift Bearers**
Hakenewerth Family	C & N Nguyen Family	Basham Family

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 25
8:15 am +William Deforest
Tuesday, October 26
8:15 am +Police Officer Brian Sticknick
Wednesday, October 27
5:30pm +Johnny McCarthy
Thursday, October 28
8:15 am +Juan & Priscilla Marquez
Friday, October 29
8:15 am
Saturday, October 30
8:15 am
5:30 pm
Sunday, October 31
8:30 am Emily
11:00am
5:00pm CCM students

The Altar flowers are for the Glory of God
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Financial Stewardship:

OFFERTORY	DONATIONS	2021 BUDGET
October 17, 2021	$ 7,058	$ 6,588
Year to Date	$ 269,855	$ 276,696

BUILDING FUND & SJS Scholarship Assistance	DONATIONS	2021 BUDGET
October 17, 2021	$ 200	$ 1,502
Year to Date	$ 54,943	$ 63,084

Scripture for
OCT 31, 2021
1st Reading / Deuteronomy 6:2-6/152
2nd Reading /Hebrews 7:23-28
Gospel / Mark 12:28b-34

Canned food collection by children for offertory
To volunteer to serve at Mass, contact our Liturgical Assistant, John Foust, at johnfoust@stjosephflorence.org or call 256-483-8774. **Mass Intentions & Altar flower donations are scheduled through the Parish Office.**

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St. Joseph School News:
Re-enrollment for 2021 ~2022 school year is ongoing.

The SJS PTO has organized a bed sheet sale for October 8-29. These soft brushed Mirco-Fiber sheets would be great for your home and also make perfect Christmas gifts. Please help support our PTO by selling these high-quality sheets to your family and friends.

You can order from the website goalfundingdirect.com/sjs/

If you have any questions please contact the School office (256-766-1923)

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER, OUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS, FAMILY, AND FRIENDS:

Mary Mondul (sister of Marie Foster), Irene Heuerman, Mehmet Rende, Nedime and Family, Mary Renda and Family, Mufide R. Irfan, Sherif, Faruk and Fevziye, Paul Durmmond, Patty Crews, Bette Butler (cousins of Nancy Davis), Stephanie Click, Elizabeth Moctezuma, Kent Baggett, Chris Strait, Thomas & Rachel Pendergrast, Larry Belue, Robert Mullen, Dave Josephson, Alicia Anderson, Louise Stovall (cousin of Gwen Lawton), Beth Stockton (friend of Debbie Nerstad) , Martin Leavitt (Jane Leavitt Grandson), Sybil Dupuis (john Dupuis mother), James Strickland (brother-in-law of John Dupuis), Margaret Foshee (daughter of Sallie Polk), Repose of the soul of Betsy Cowen Boggan Bentley (Don Boggan's mother) , John Kavanaugh (Amanda Jackson's brother), Robert Chard (friend of Seth Hunt), Sylba Dempsey Pruitt, Rachel Smith(Wife of Glenn Smith), Kathy Moon (her mom Janet Baumgart passed away), Susie Abbott (Eleanor Rohling sister), Leroy Oliver (friend of John Foust), Venus McCarthy, Patti Nicholas , Terri Nicholas, Cheryl & Paul Hubbert, Mike & Jeanne DePriest

We cannot but speak about what we have seen and heard," is the theme of this year's World Mission Month. Take it to heart and take action to spread the joys of the Lord in the most underserved and unreachable areas of the world. Sponsor catechists, priests, and religious, who are crossing harsh terrain and enduring rejection and persecution, to share the Gospel of the Lord. Support their evangelization efforts as they present newfound hope to these hopeless communities.
Your prayers and donations on World Mission Sunday support our church family overseas through faith and outreach projects which restore the dignity and hope of vulnerable children and families in need of your care.

With your help, this World Mission Month, the Pope's missions can construct reliable water harvesting systems and sturdy cisterns to collect and distribute safe drinking water to families in remote areas.

In doing so, you will protect these parents and children from debilitating waterborne illnesses and help provide one of the most fundamental needs for life.

Sometimes, it can be really hard to hear God's voice. We strain to pick up on the vibrations, but he still seems to be hiding from us.
It's like when your phone is out of service as you're reaching out to try to catch a signal – but it's just not working.
We promise: He's still working even if you can't see him.

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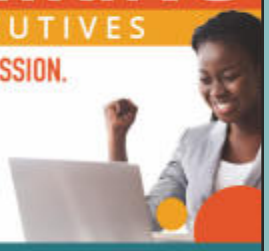
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