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Thank you for your continuing gifts that support our Parish

Week ending February 24, 2019

Offertory	1924.20
Capital Improvement	125.00
Catholic Relief	120.00
Pre-Spring Dance	588.00
Total	2757.20

Upcoming Events

- Mar 3 - Sale of Pork Sandwiches after English and Spanish Masses.
- Mar 3 - Venta de Sandwick de Cerdo despues de las Misas en Ingles y Espanol
- Mar 6 - Faith Sharing Group meeting @ 9:00
- Mar 6 - Lent Begins Ash Wednesday Mass @ 7:00 PM
- Mar 6 - Miercoles de Ceniza Misa a las 7:00 PM
- Mar 7 - Cursillo meeting 7:00 PM (New members very welcome)
- Mar 8 - Stations of the Cross 6:00 PM followed by Soup and Bread (Cursillo)
- Mar 8 - Via Crucis 6:00 PM Seguido por Sopas y Pan
- Mar 10 - Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast
- Mar 11 - Knights of Columbus meeting @ 7:00
- Mar 13 - Faith Sharing Group meeting @ 9:00
- Mar 14 - Cursillo meeting 7:00 PM (New members very welcome)
- Mar 15 - Stations of the Cross 6:00 PM followed by Soup and Bread (Knights f Columbus)
- Mar 20 - Faith Sharing Group meeting @ 9:00
- Mar 20 - Ladies Luncheon Group 12:00 in parking lot
- Mar 21 - Cursillo meeting 7:00 PM (New members very welcome)
- Mar 22 - Stations of the Cross 6:00 PM followed by Soup and Bread (Parish Council)
- Mar 27 - Faith Sharing Group meeting @ 9:00
- Mar 27 - Penance Service
- Mar 27 - Servicio De Penitencia
- Mar 28 - Cursillo meeting 7:00 PM (New members very welcome)
- Mar 29 - Stations of the Cross 6:00 PM followed by Soup and Bread (Hispanic Community)
- Mar 29-30 - 2019 Florida Eucharistic Congress
- Apr 4 - Cursillo meeting 7:00 PM (New members very welcome)
- Apr 5 - Eucharistic Adoration at 8:30 AM
- Apr 5 - Stations of the Cross 6:00 PM followed by Soup and Bread (EMs & Choir)

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

Diocese of St Augustine, Interlachen, Florida

"We are a welcoming and embracing community centered on Jesus in the Eucharist"

March 3 2019 - Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Focusing the Gospel

Key words and phrases: every tree is known by its own fruit

To the point: Jesus lived in an agrarian culture where people tilled the soil to provide for themselves and their families. In today's gospel he uses a metaphor that his audience would immediately have understood: "A good tree does not bear rotten fruit; /nor does a rotten tree bear good fruit. / For every tree is known by its own fruit" We might ask, what "fruit" do we bear that marks us as Christians?

Enfocando el evangelio

Palabras y frases clave: cada árbol es conocido por su propio fruto.

Al punto: Jesús vivió en una cultura agraria donde las personas cultivaban el suelo para proveerse a sí mismas y a sus familias. En el evangelio de hoy, utiliza una metáfora que su audiencia habría entendido de inmediato: "Un buen árbol no da frutos podridos; / ni un árbol podrido da buenos frutos. / Porque cada árbol es conocido por su propio fruto". ¿Qué "fruto" llevamos que nos marca como cristianos?

Vigil Mass - March 9, 2019

Altar server - TBD

Reader - Connie

EMHC - Milton - Meva

March 10, 2019

Altar Server - Corey

Reader - Bud

EMCH - John - Pegi - Camille

Counters - Joyce - Anna - Meva

The annual Eucharistic Congress will be held on March 29-30 at the Prime Osborn III Convention Center. Please mark it on your calendars. More information will be forthcoming.



Gladys Torres is planning a trip to the Holy Land for December 3, 2019. It would be a great Christmas opportunity. Members of the parish who have gone all say it's the trip of a lifetime. For more information, call her at 386-684-6738.

Gladys Torres esta planeando un Viaje a la Tierra Santa para Diciembre 3, 2019. Seria una oportunidad maravillosa para las Navidades. Miembros de nuestra parroquia que han ido dicen

Masses and Intentions

Saturday, Mar 2nd - Weekday

4:30 PM - Health and well being of Roger Coutu

Sunday, Mar 3rd - Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 AM - Parishioners of St John and our Interlachen Community

12:00 PM - Repose of Fr. Dennis O'Regan

Monday, Mar 4th - Saint Casimir

8:00 AM - Word Service

Tuesday, Mar 5th - Weekday

8:00 AM - Health and Well being of Vesper Mikan

Wednesday, Mar 6th - Ash Wednesday

7:00 PM -Health and well being of Susan Reynolds and family

Thursday, Mar 7th - Saints Perpetua and Felicity (Martyrs)

8:00 AM - Repose of Fr. Dennis O'Regan

Friday, Mar 8th - Saint John of God (Religious)

8:00 AM - Repose of Fr. Dennis O'Regan

Saturday, Mar 9th - Frances of Rome (Religious)

4:30 PM - Repose of Connie StSauveur

Requested by Dot Jones



The Sanctuary Candle burns this week for Brian Comstock

Requested by Sandy Comstock

Let us pray for all families who are mourning the death of a loved one. May all our departed find rest and peace in the Mercy of God.



Please remember in your prayers, the members of our parish who are not in perfect health*: **Grace DiGiovanni, Ed Ralosky, Patricia Goss, Joe Emanuele, and Phyllis Nelson.**

*Hospitalized, undergoing surgery, or in hospice/home care

Welcome to visitors joining us this week in our celebration of the Holy Eucharist. Thank you. Please have safe travels and come back and worship with us again.



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CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Sacramental preparation for those who are seeking to receive the Sacraments of Initiation will continue on Sunday March 3. Sessions will be held from 11:00 am until 11:50 am. We will have registration forms available for those who have not previously filled one out. We will discuss dates and times for future sessions. Everyone is welcome to attend. Please pray for those who are continuing their journey of faith.

If you or anyone in your family are in need of Sacramental preparation please contact John J. Mathe Jr. our Coordinator of Christian Formation at [386-916-8092](tel:386-916-8092), EMAIL: sjccinterlachen@gmail.com

BISHOP'S ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

Lord, it is good to give thanks to you. The nature of God is to give and to give. His grace continues to draw us together as One Faith, One Family in the Lord. In return, we gather in thanksgiving, to celebrate the Eucharist, pray the Gospels, and live the faith. May your heart overflow in gratitude for the countless God has bestowed on you. In His image, we move in the world bringing joy, peace, and love as we share our gifts.

Stations of the Cross and Lenten Supper

Each Friday evening during the Season of Lent we will have the Stations of the Cross at 6:00 PM. This will be followed by a Lenten meal of soup and bread. The following groups will be providing the soup and bread, please coordinate with your ministry leader.

- Mar 8 - Cursillo
- Mar 15 - Knights of Columbus / Los Caballeros de Colon
- Mar 22 - Parish Council / El Consejo parroquial
- Mar 29 - Hispanic Community / Comunidad Hispana
- Apr 5 - Eucharistic Ministers & Choir / Ministros se la Eucaristia y Coro
- Apr 12 - St Vincent DePaul / San Vincente de Pablo

We give Thanks to Jesus for His gift of our Christian Community's newest member, Molly Sue Boosamra, baptized this morning, 3-2-19, at 10 AM.

WELCOME TO YOU, MOLLY SUE

The Dinner/ Dance was a great success and Meva says THANK YOU TO:

Everyone that worked to make it a success; to those that made the food and served it; those that set up and decorated the hall; those that worked during the dance and special thanks to those that came on Saturday morning to clean up. The \$432 profitable proceeds are in the bank.

You are reminded of the Church's laws for fast and abstinence during Lent, which begins on Ash Wednesday, March 6, 2019. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fasting. Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are permitted one full meal and two lesser meals per day (which together should not equal one full meal), with no eating between meals. Ash Wednesday and all Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence. Catholics who are 14 years or older should abstain from meat entirely. Soups and gravies made from meat are permitted.