



[Jesus said,] "If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all."

MARK 9:35

Learning How to Die Well

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Karl Rahner was a German Jesuit priest and a leading theologian of the twentieth century. He once observed that one of the tasks of life is to learn how to die well. On first hearing this, we may be much like the disciples who didn't understand Jesus when he spoke of his own need to enter death (see Mark 9:31-32).

How do we learn to "die well"? If we forgo the need to always have our own way, if we forgive and resist the impulse to get revenge, if we are sensitive to the needs of others even when it's inconvenient, if we care for the child among us, whether that "little one" be five, forty-five, or eighty-five—if we practice a willingness to die in such ways, then when it comes time for us to make that final journey of our earthly lives, it will not be as frightening because we will have been there before.

Furthermore, if we learn how to die well, our lives will take on new meaning. The focus of our lives will not be on ourselves, but on others and their needs. We will find ourselves less disappointed when life doesn't go our way. Blue moods will evaporate more readily. We will have a greater interest in daily life. In other words, the very aspects that once seemed to drag us down will become doorways to hope and renewed life. What once seemed to have been a kind of death will become an avenue to faith in the resurrection. ●

Reflect

Have you ever "died to yourself" and then experienced a resurrection?

WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

Pastor - Fr. Kurian Manikuttilyl
Parish Manager - Mike Carinhas 850-890-0041
Rosary PCL/Sacramental Prep - Steph Dwyer
Music Ministry - Olena Wable
Building Maintenance - Brian Dancik
OCIA(RCIA) - Lisa Carinhas & Millie Maneely
Custodial - Darren Dalgrepont
Youth Ministry -

OLR Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 4:00pm
Sunday 8:30am
Tuesday - Friday 8:30am
Holy Day Mass Schedule 5:30pm Vigil & 8:30am

Reconciliation - Saturday 3:00pm till 3:45pm
And available Upon Request

Queen of Peace Catholic Church

18005 Lazy Lane, Fountain, FL32438
Peace Contact - Larry Fern - (850)527-0813
Mass Schedule - Queen of Peace, Fountain
Sunday 10:30am
Wednesday 10:30am

MEMBERSHIP: We are delighted you have chosen to become a member of our parish family! Please register in the parish office, or ask one of our Ushers for a registration form.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Anointing of the Sick is a beautiful sacrament of healing to receive for any condition that may require hospitalization. Please call the parish office to arrange a visit by our priest.

MINISTRY CARE TO THE SICK: Bringing communion to those hospitalized and homebound is part of our Care Ministry. Please contact the office to arrange a visit from this ministry by Susan Edwards

Sacramental Preparation:

BAPTISM: Preparation for children is coordinated through the Parish Office. Adults who have not been baptized should enroll in the Rite of Christian Initiation. Please call the parish office for more information.

FIRST RECONCILIATION/EUCHARIST: Preparation is done through the Religious Education Program. Please contact the parish office for more information

CONFIRMATION: Teens must attend faith formation prior to enrollment in the confirmation Program. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

HOLY MATRIMONY: Six months preparation is required before the anticipated marriage date. Please contact the parish office to secure a date to begin preparation.

The Sanctuary Lamp for the Month of September 2024 is in loving memory of David, Janet & Peyton Meyers



This Week's Calendar

Saturday, September 21st

3:00pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy
3:30pm Pray the rosary
4:00pm Mass at OLR

Sunday, September 22nd

8:00am - Pray the Rosary
8:30am Mass at Rosary
9:45am CCD Class
10:30 am Mass at Queen of Peace

Monday, SEPTEMBER 23rd

NO MASS TODAY

Tuesday, September 24th

8:00am - Pray the Rosary (CH)
8:30am - Mass
9:00am - Bible Study (RE)
4:00pm Choir Practice
6:30pm OCIA/RCIA Continues

Wednesday, September 25th

8:00am - Pray the Rosary (CH)
8:30am - Mass

Thursday, September 26th

8:00am - Pray the Rosary (CH)
8:30am - Mass at Rosary

Friday, September 27th

8:00am - Pray the Rosary (CH)
8:30am - Mass at Rosary

Saturday, September 28th

3:00pm - Chaplet of Divine Mercy
3:30pm - Pray the Rosary (CH)
4:00pm - Mass at Rosary

Sunday, September 29th

8:00am - Pray the Rosary
8:30am - Mass at Rosary - YOUTH MASS
9:45am - CCD CLASS
10:30am Mass at Queen of Peace

WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY



Juanita Thrasher, Lillian and
Otello Biscaro, Rick & Julie
Ricouard, Chris Weller,
Garland Page, John Wakelin,
Nancy Smith, Mary Kay
Collins, Mona Foreman

To add or Remove names, please call or email
the Parish Office by Tuesday of each week.

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, Sept 21st 4pm

Need Server

Sunday, Sept 22nd 8:30am

Emily Craft, Nick Dancik

Saturday, Sept 28th, 4pm

Susan Edwards

Sunday, Sept 29th 8:30am

Youth Ministry Mass - Noah Miller, Jude Miller

Saturday, Oct 5th, 4pm

Susan Edwards

Sunday, Oct 6th 8:30am

Nick Dancik, Evan Dancik

USHERS

Saturday, Sept 21st, 4:00pm

June Mroz – Head Usher

Sunday, Sept 22nd, 8:30am

Mike Smith, Head Usher

Saturday, Sept 28th, 4:00pm

June Mroz – Head Usher

Sunday, Sept 29th 8:30am

Youth Ministry Mass

Saturday, Oct 5th, 4:00pm

June Mroz – Head Usher

Sunday, Oct 6th 8:30am

Brian Dancik – Head Usher

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday, Sept 21st, 4:00pm

Lector – Judy Riera, EME- John, Bonnie, Dan

Sunday, Sept 22nd, 8:30am

Lector– Matt Bower, Pam, Cathy, Elizabeth

Saturday, Sept 28th, 4:00pm

Lector – Dan Brust, Lisa, Mike, Dan

Sunday, Sept 29th, 8:30am

Lector– Youth Ministry Mass, EME- Colleen, Frances, Harry

Saturday, Oct 5th, 4:00pm

Lector – Dan Brust, EME-Lisa, Dan, John K

Sunday, Oct 6th, 8:30am

Lector– Alice Haynes, EME – Pam, Rebecca, Cathy

Mass Intentions for Sept 21 - Sept 29

Saturday

+Walter & Irene Boynt

Sunday

+Ruth Goodwin, +George Dupuis

+Josephine Seward,

Special Intention for Juanita Thrasher

Monday

NO MASS Today

Tuesday

+David Meyers

Wednesday

+Frank Prieto

Thursday

+John Carinhas III

Friday

+Inez & Alfred Deshotel

Saturday

+ Special intention for Juanita Thrasher.

Sunday

+Ruth Goodwin, +David, Meyers

+Janet Meyers, +Peyton Meyers

+ George Dupuis

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH

OFFICE FOR ANY MASS

INTENTIONS.

Donation \$10 per MASS

Mail Payments to: 5622 Julie Dr,

Panama City 32404 OR PLACE IN

THE OFFERTORY - Marked MASS

STIPEND

WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY!

Adult Bible Study



ADULT BIBLE STUDY is held in the Religious Education Building Conference Room every Tuesday from 9am until 10 am after morning mass. Rosary begins at 8AM. Mass begins at 8:30am. We are now studying the Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible. Please bring something to share with everyone. You can call the Parish Office at 850-740-1003 for further details.

ADORATION OF OUR LORD

Our Lady of the Rosary – Adoration is scheduled for the **First Friday** of every month. Our next Adoration will be **on Oct 4th at 7:30am**. The Holy Rosary will begin at 8:00am and mass will begin at 8:30am. Please make plans to attend.

UPCOMING EVENTS

KITCHEN

Our Next monthly Breakfast is scheduled for Sunday Oct 13th. Please help support the Kitchen fund for new appliances & Hall Maintenance.

Our Lady of the Rosary **Trunk or Treat night** is schedule for Saturday **Oct 26th**. Please come, decorate your trunk with your favorite bible character and hand out candy to the youngsters. We are also planning to host our **Chili Cookoff** as well. Sign up sheets on the Bulletin Board.

Our Lady of the Rosary Family Night

Family night program to involve the entire family of Religious Education Students, their family and siblings. **PLEASE RSVP.**

October 5th - Build your own Altar,
November 16th - Making Blessings Bags,
December 14th – Nativity Story Theme

YOUTH MINISTRY .. Please contact Mike at the office if you are still interested and what day is best for you to attend an informational night. We are going to start with 8th grade through 12th grade. We will also need at least 2 additional adult volunteers once we get it going.



***INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC
OR RECEIVING THE SACRAMENTS?***

Classes held every Thursday @ 6:30pm

Contact Lisa @ 850-625-5103 or email the office at office@olr.ptdiocese.org to get started. We invite any adult who would like to become Catholic as well as baptized Catholics who have not received First Holy Communion or Confirmation.

WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

Advance Stewardship Reflection on the Lectionary Readings

September 22, 2024

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

WIS 2:12, 17-20; PS 54:3-4, 5, 6, 8; JAS 3:16-4:3; MK 9:30-37

Our readings today bring to light the daily struggle between good and evil and how we can combat this struggle through gratitude.

In our Gospel, we see an example of how surrendering to our passions negatively affects us. Jesus was with His disciples when they began to argue amongst themselves as to who was the greatest in the group.

If we look at our own lives, we might find many instances where we fall into the same tendencies — we constantly compare ourselves to others, out of pride we feel the need to point out another's faults or choose to fight back in an argument. We know we should act one way but choose another.

When Jesus hears what the apostles are discussing, He has them focus on a child. "Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me."

If we reflect on the moment someone receives a child, oftentimes their hearts are overwhelmed with joy and gratitude for this gift. There is no jealousy or anger, just thanksgiving, and appreciation.

The apostles are busy bickering about who was the best. Their vision was clouded, and they could not even stop and be grateful for the gift to be so close to our Savior and that they were chosen to be His closest followers.

When we are caught in the raging war of jealousy, fighting, and pride, and begin to become enslaved to our passions we are ultimately being ungrateful for what we have been given. We overlook the blessing God has given us and the gifts and talents He has entrusted to us.

Today, let us recall that we have an infinitely loving God who cares deeply for us. Consider all that He has blessed you with, and how you can use those blessings for His glory

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POPE'S SEPTEMBER 2024 INTENTION: FOR THE CRY OF THE EARTH

We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climate change, and that they will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.



CLERGY APPRECIATION DINNER

NOVEMBER 23, 2024
MONSIGNOR CROWE COMMUNITY CENTER
AT ST. DOMINIC

5PM: MASS WITH BISHOP WACK PRESIDING
6:30PM: SOCIAL BEGINS
7:00PM: BEEF TENDERLOIN DINNER
DRINKS, DESSERT AND HORS D'OEUVRES INCLUDED

TICKETS \$25 EACH
CALL OR TEXT FRANK HOWARD AT 850-774-3446 TO RESERVE YOUR SEAT.

FALL BUNCO Sponsored by

St. John the Evangelist
Council of Catholic Women (CCW)
Friday, September 27, 2024
Parish Hall * Tickets: \$10.00



6:00pm - Light Appetizers & Refreshments | 7:00pm - Bunco starts
Limited number of tickets so get yours early!
Tickets on sale after all Masses on September 14, 15 & 21, 22, 2024
Proceeds to Bunco Club & Masses for Diocesan Priests & Seminarians
For more information call Chris McCormick at 314-574-3070

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH 5622 JULIE DR PANAMA CITY, FL 32404 850-740-1003

Office Hrs. 9am – 12:30 pm Tues – Fri WEBSITE: olr.PTDIOCESE.ORG EMAIL: office@olr.ptdiocese.org

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Stewards of Treasures

September 9, 2024

General Offertory Collections	\$ 2082
Maintenance Collections	\$ 56
Insurance Fund Collections	\$ 216
CSA Collections	\$ 10
Kitchen Collections	\$ 288
Special Project Donations	\$ 2000
Catholic Education	\$ 250

Weekend Attendance 220

To request offertory envelopes, please call the parish office at 850-740-1003.

To mail in your offertory, the address is: 5622 Julie Dr, Panama City FL 32404.

ELECTRONIC GIVING IS NOW AVAILABLE AT OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

<https://secure.myvanco.com/L-ZJ65>



Let's not forget about the food pantry at Catholic Charities

The shelves are always in need of: 1-2 lb bags of rice; instant potatoes; gravy mixes; canned tuna, chicken, meats; pork n beans; canned soup; cereal; oatmeal; canned veggies, any kind; canned fruit; applesauce; peanut butter; jelly; pastas and pasta sauce.

Just place your items in the cabinet dedicated to the food pantry in the narthex of the church. God Bless you for your generosity.



SEPTEMBER IS TRADITIONALLY DEDICATED TO THE SEVEN SORROWS (OR DOLOURS) OF MARY

Devotion to Our Lady of Sorrows became a standard devotion in the Church around the 14th century. It was revealed to St. Bridget of Sweden (1303–1373) that devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary's Seven Sorrows would bring great signal graces. The devotion consists in praying seven Hail Marys while meditating on the Seven Sorrows of Mary: 1) The Prophecy of Simeon (Luke 2:34-35); 2) The Flight into Egypt (Matthew 2:13-21); 3) The Loss of Jesus for Three Days (Luke 2:41-50); 4) The Carrying of the Cross (John 19:17); 5) The Crucifixion of Jesus (John 19:18-30); 6) Jesus Taken Down from the Cross (John 19:39-40); 7) Jesus Laid in the Tomb (John 19:39-42).



VOTE NO ON AMENDMENT 4

"We urge all Floridians of goodwill to stand against the legalization of late-term abortion and oppose the abortion amendment. In doing so, we will not only protect the weakest, most innocent, and defenseless of human life among us but also countless women throughout the state from the harms of abortion."

LIFE CHAIN 2024

Mark your calendars! This year's Life Chain is going to be on Sunday, October 6th, from 2pm till 3pm. We will meet at the parking lot near the Chick-fil-A at 900 West 23rd Street and a second pickup spot near Five Guys Burgers across the street. This is a great way to witness to the community and each other how we as Christians love the unborn. As usual all you do is show up, we supply the signs. Please join your fellow parishioners in this exciting event! For more info call or text Mike Gagnon at 850-832-9595 or go to LifeChain.Net or Lifechainer@yahoo.com.



NATIONAL LIFE CHAIN

OCTOBER 6, 2024

2:00-3:00

TWO OPTIONS IN FRONT OF

ACADEMY OF SPORTS PARKING LOT

FIVE GUYS/MALMART PARKING LOT

PERPETUAL ADORATION

St. Dominic's has a perpetual adoration chapel that is open to everyone 24/7! To maintain this chapel, they need people to devote an hour each week to adoring our Lord. To commit to an hour or for more info, visit <https://www.saintdominicpc.com/ministries/perpetual-adoration>.



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IN LOVING MEMORY OF
David, Janet & Peyton Meyers
Tony Garcia & Paul Gorman
11/23 -10/24

Join us in the Parish Life Center
(Hall) on Sunday's, after Mass for
Coffee, conversation, and snacks.

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IN LOVING MEMORY OF
JOSEPH CARINHAS SR
FRANK PRIETO 9/24

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the printing of the
bulletins.*



43RD ANNUAL
CATHOLIC RENEWAL
CONFERENCE
SATURDAY,
SEPTEMBER 21, 2024
FREE EVENT
8:00 AM - 6:30 PM

ST. SYLVESTER CATHOLIC CHURCH, GULF BREEZE
Join Bishop Wack, Rev. Ganci, Rev. Pathe, and
Rev. Spotswood (Keynote Speaker) at St. Sylvester Catholic
Church for the DCCR annual conference, the accumulation
of a year's worth of prayers, Day of Renewals, Life in the
Spirit Seminars, Mass to Pray for Healing, and Pentecost
Mass celebrations across the diocese.
The conference is free but registration is necessary due
to limited seating. Breakfast snacks, coffee, and water are
provided after Mass as well as the Knights of Columbus
will be serving lunch on-site. Go to <https://www.ptdccc.org>
to register. You must register by Sept. 17 to attend.

Mike Helbling

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Dear Padre,

What is spiritual direction? How does it differ from counseling?

In spiritual direction, a person is guided in a process of reflection, self-discovery, and recognition of God's presence in human experience; the primary focus is on one's relationship with God. Thus, in one sense, it is the Lord himself who is the "director" in all spiritual direction. In counseling, a person is also guided in a process of reflection and self-discovery; but the primary focus is on human growth and development. Counseling does not presuppose a person's faith or relationship with God; spiritual direction cannot be complete without it. Both spiritual direction and counseling share the same expectations of openness and honesty in the process; they share the same standards of confidentiality and professional conduct. Moreover, spiritual direction is similar to counseling in its aim toward human growth and development, but it further aims toward holiness and "toward ever more intimate union with Christ" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 2014). That union is twofold: a personal relationship with Christ and with Christ's Church. "This union is called 'mystical' because it participates in the mystery of Christ through the sacraments" (CCC 2014). "All Christians in any state or walk of life are called to the fullness of Christian life and to the perfection of charity. All are called to holiness: 'Be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect'" (CCC 2013). ●



Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR / DearPadre.org



A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

Greatness and success in God's eyes are measured differently: they are measured by service. Not on what someone has, but on what someone gives.

Do you want to be first? Serve.... [Service] has a precise and concrete meaning in the Gospel. To serve is not a courteous expression: it means to act like Jesus.

ANGELUS, ROME, SEPTEMBER 19, 2021

Monday

September 23

St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest

Prv 3:27-34

Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday

September 24

Weekday

Prv 21:1-6, 10-13

Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday

September 25

Weekday

Prv 30:5-9

Lk 9:1-6

Thursday

September 26

Weekday

Ecc 1:2-11

Lk 9:7-9

Friday

September 27

St. Vincent de Paul, Priest

Ecc 3:1-11

Lk 9:18-22

Saturday

September 28

Weekday

Ecc 11:9-12:8

Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday

September 29

*Twenty-sixth Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

Nm 11:25-29

Jas 5:1-6

Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48