

ST. PIUS V CATHOLIC CHURCH

"Mother Church of African American Catholics in Jacksonville, Florida"

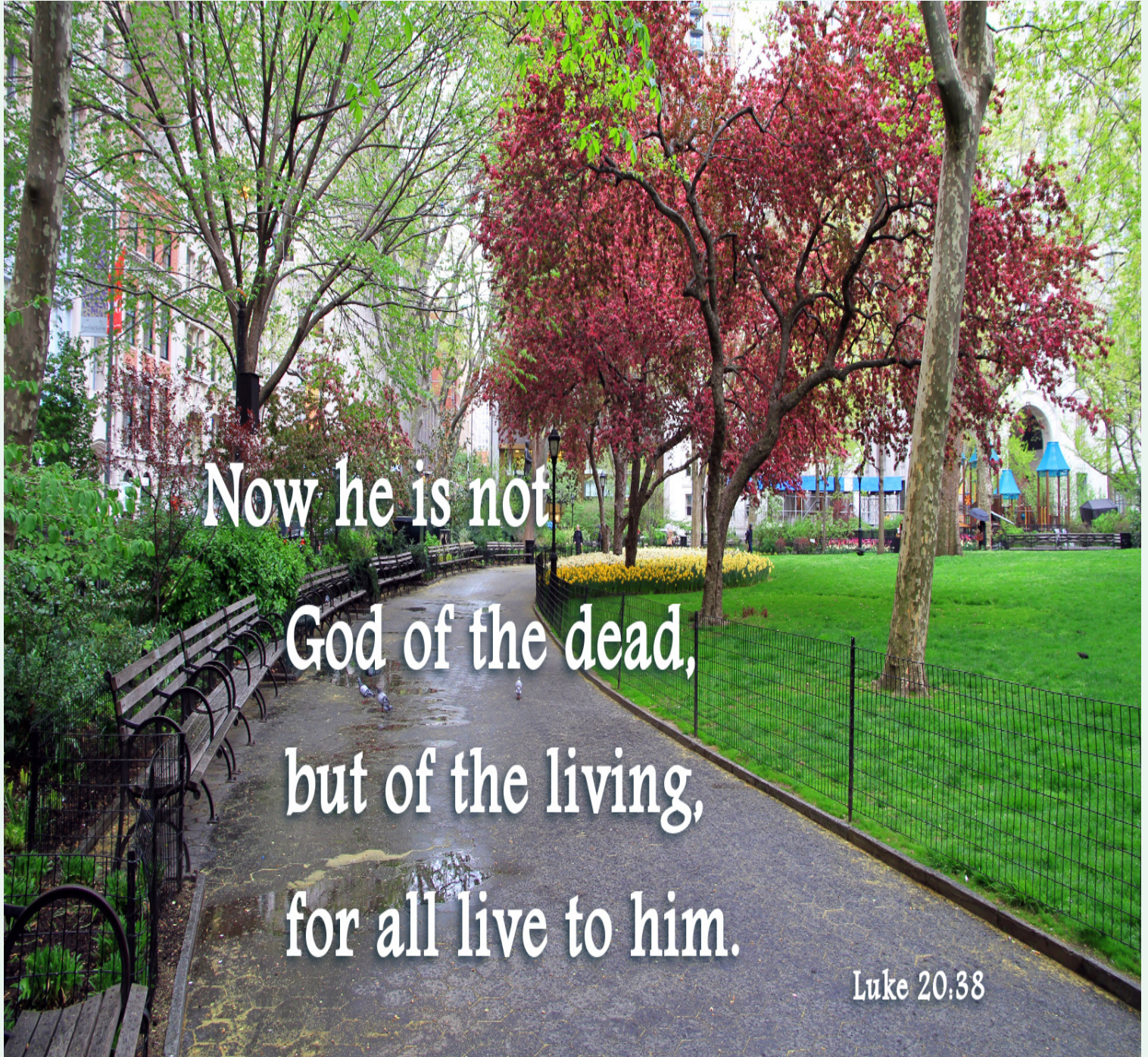
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Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 10, 2019



Now he is not
God of the dead,
but of the living,
for all live to him.

Luke 20:38

Mission Statement

The Mission of St. Pius V Church family is to know, love and serve God and to share and build upon our rich Catholic African American legacy and culture. We proclaim Jesus as Lord through worship and service, education and social ministries.

Please Remember St. Pius V Catholic Church in your will and final estate

Welcome to St. Pius V Catholic Church, the Mother Church of African American Catholics in Jacksonville, Florida. Founded in 1921 our parish continues to proclaim the word of Jesus Christ for which it was founded in the spirit of love and in the spirit giving. We are proud of our heritage!

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Rev. Bernardine Eikhuemelo
Pastor

Today's Readings

2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; 2 Thes 2:16-3:5
Lk 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38

CHURCH OFFICE

Phone: (904) 354-1501 / FAX: (904) 354-7240

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 10 AM - 3 PM

Appointment with the Priest: Call the office

Business Manager: Ms. Karen Kincade

Secretary: Ms. Selena Mendez

Bookkeeper: Mr. Cyril Traeye

MASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday: 8:00 AM
Thursday: 8:00 AM
Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 10:30 AM

CONFESSION

Saturdays: 4:15 PM or by appointment

MASS ATTENDANCE

Saturday, November 2, 2019 32

Sunday, November 3, 2019 120

STEWARDSHIP

November 2nd/November 3rd

Offertory \$3,688.00

Lord, we are grateful for ALL you have given us!

Baptism: Parents who have registered for three months or more are required to attend Baptism preparation classes. Please call the Rectory office to schedule your class.

Bulletin Announcements: All items for the Church Bulletin are due to the Rectory Office by 2 PM, on Wednesday. Bulletin announcements must be brief and written by the submitting ministry or entity. Please email announcements to spvsecretary@outlook.com or drop them off at the Rectory Office Monday-Friday 10 AM - 3 PM.

New Parishioners: St. Pius V Catholic Church wishes you a warm welcome to our parish. Registration forms are on the religious articles display counter. You may bring or send your completed form to the Rectory or drop it in the collection during Mass. Thank you.



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Earth and Heaven

During the month of November we remember in a special way all our departed faithful and pray for their eternal repose in the heavenly realm. From earth, when our time is done, we transition by God's mercy to heaven. This transition also means a sharing in the victory of Christ's resurrection. And in that realm, unlike what the Sadducees in today's gospel thought and argued, all is made new and gloriously different from our earthly existence.

From the *Catechism* we read: "Those who die in God's grace and friendship and are perfectly purified live for ever with Christ. They are like God for ever, for they "see him as he is," face to face: 'By virtue of our apostolic authority, we define the following: According to the general disposition of God, the souls of all the saints. .. and other faithful who died after receiving Christ's holy Baptism (provided they were not in need of purification when they died,. .. or, if they then did need or will need some purification, when they have been purified after death,. ..) already before they take up their bodies again and before the general judgment – and this since the Ascension of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ into heaven – have been, are and will be in heaven, in the heavenly Kingdom and celestial paradise with Christ, joined to the company of the holy angels. Since the Passion and death of our Lord Jesus Christ, these souls have seen and do see the divine essence with an intuitive vision, and even face to face, without the mediation of any creature.' (CCC, 1023)

"This perfect life with the Most Holy Trinity – this communion of life and love with the Trinity, with the Virgin Mary, the angels and all the blessed – is called "heaven." Heaven is the ultimate end and fulfillment of the deepest human longings, the state of supreme, definitive happiness. (CCC, 1024)

"By his death and Resurrection, Jesus Christ has 'opened' heaven to us. The life of the blessed consists in the full and perfect possession of the fruits of the redemption accomplished by Christ. He makes partners in his heavenly glorification those who have believed in him and remained faithful to his will. Heaven is the blessed community of all who are perfectly incorporated into Christ. (CCC, 1026)

"This mystery of blessed communion with God and all who are in Christ is beyond all understanding and description. Scripture speaks of it in images: life, light, peace, wedding feast, wine of the kingdom, the Father's house, the heavenly Jerusalem, paradise: 'no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the heart of man conceived, what God has prepared for those who love him.' (CCC, 1027)

Have a blessed week everyone and HAPPY VETERANS DAY to all our retired military!!!

Have a blessed week everyone!

Fr. Bernardine



MASS INTENTIONS

- November 9th 5:00 PM** Carol Alexander (Rosemary Alexander)
- November 10th 10:30 AM** + Dorothy Conner-Loftice (Janet Conner)
- November 13th 8:00 AM** The Parishioners of St. Pius V, Crucifixion and Holy Rosary Parishes
- November 14th 8:00 AM** + Father Denis O'Regan

If you are interested in having someone remembered in a mass intention, please contact the Church Office at 354-1501. The suggested mass stipend is \$10 or more.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK OR HOMEBOUND

Thomasena Bell, Willie Bell, Sylvester Bossard, Aja Fisher, Richie Fluker, Lovie Gardner, Leonard Gogins, Will Grissett, Brenda Harris, Mildred Hunter, Maudella Hymes, Gwendolyn Lockett, Lavinia Mathis, Glen Mills Casslena Mobley, Carmina Ortagus, Michel Pettis, Marguerite Seldon, Ella Simmons, Sonya Sprott, Carolyn Thompson, Robert Trotter and Mary Walker Nathan Walker, Paul Witkozki.

Please contact Fr. Bernardine at 354-1501 if a loved one is in a hospital or nursing home. Medical Emergency Only call (516) 557-8769.

STEWARDSHIP AWARENESS SUNDAY

"May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who has loved us and given us everlasting encouragement and good hope through his grace, encourage your hearts and strengthen them in every good deed and word." (2 Thessalonians 2:16-17)

There are two important lessons here. First, we are called to be generous with our encouragement and hope. As God shows us mercy, we must be merciful to others. Second, joy is contagious! The joy we receive from doing good works not only strengthens us, it encourages others as well. Share the joy of living your faith whenever you can.

WORD OF LIFE

"O St. Bakhita, assist all those who are trapped in a state of slavery; Intercede with God on their behalf so that they will be released from their chains of captivity. ... Provide comfort to survivors of slavery and let them look to you as an example of hope and faith."

USCCB, "Prayer to St. Josephine Bakhita"

DID YOU KNOW?

Education in the faith by the parents begins in the child's earliest years. Parents have the mission of teaching their children to pray and to learn their vocation in life. Family catechesis precedes, accompanies, and enriches other forms of instruction. The Eucharistic community (the parish) is the heart of the liturgical life of Christian families. It is the privileged place for the catechesis of children and adults. (CCC #2226)



YOU ARE NOT ALONE

There is no need to feel alone when real help is available during an unplanned pregnancy. Caring Choices at (866) 901-9647 offers help through counseling, support, education, and resources. This is one decision not to face alone!

Announcements



HONORING OUR VETERANS

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

Below is the update for *Renew All Things in Christ*, captured through November 3, 2019.

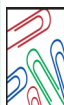
- Challenge Goal: \$400,000.00
- Minimum Goal: \$350,000.00
- Amount Pledged: \$439,374.56
- Amount Paid: \$138,577.62
- Balance Due: \$300,796.94**



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 RENEW ALL THINGS IN CHRIST
 1921 - Celebrating 100 Years - 2021

RECTORY OFFICE HOLIDAY HOURS

In observance of the Veterans Day Holiday, the rectory office will be closed on Monday, November 11th. The office will resume normal business hours on Tuesday, November 12th.



THANKSGIVING BASKETS

If you are interested in receiving a Thanksgiving basket from St. Pius V, please contact the rectory office during business hours or sign up on the sheet in the church. Deadline to sign up is Wednesday, November 13. Baskets can be picked up between 12 noon and 2 PM on Tuesday, November 26.



ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

The diocesan conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society is planning to set up a conference in our tri-parish. We all recognize the need to assist the needy in our community and neighborhood. This is an opportunity to serve and reach out to the less fortunate. Please sign up on the signup sheet located on the religious display counter in the vestibule of the church. God bless you as you serve.

2019 ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

All couples observing a 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th 50th (or more) wedding anniversary between January 1-December 31, 2019 are invited to participate in the 2019 Anniversary Celebration with Bishop Felipe Estevez on Saturday, November 23, 2019, 12:00 PM at St. Anastasia Catholic Church, 5205 A1A South, St. Augustine, FL 32080. You may register online at family.dosafl.com or by calling (904) 262-3200. Registration is November 15th.

BASA SUMMARY REPORT UPDATE

Below is the update for the parish on the 2019 Bishop's Annual Stewardship Appeal, captured through November 3, 2019.



- 2019 Goal: 86 Donors
- Current Donors: 62
- Percent of Family Participation: 32.29%
- Amount Pledged: \$17,673.00
- Amount Paid: \$15,303.00
- Balance Due: \$2,370.00**

Greater Love
 HAS NO ONE THAN THIS, THAN TO
Lay down
 ONE'S LIFE FOR HIS FRIENDS.
 JOHN 15:13. NKJV



Parish Events

Monday, October 21st
 Nothing Scheduled

Tuesday, October 22nd
 8:00 AM Mass at Crucifixion

Wednesday, October 23rd
 8:00 AM Mass, Church

Thursday, October 24th
 8:00 AM Mass, Church

Friday, October 25th
 9:00 AM School Mass, at Holy Rosary

Saturday, October 26th
 4:15 PM Confession, Church
 5:00 PM Vigil Mass, Church
 6:00 PM St. Bernadette Council's Bake Sale, Church

Sunday, October 27th
 8:30 AM Mass at Crucifixion
 9:00 AM CCD / Sunday School
 10:00 AM Rosary Recited, Church
 Mass at Holy Rosary
 10:30 AM Mass, Church
 11:30 AM St. Bernadette Council's Bake Sale, Church

MINISTRY SCHEDULE: November 16th/17th

Mass	5:00PM	10:30 AM
Altar Servers	Emily Massengale-Morton	CJ Tremble Brandon Tremble
Lector	Selena Mendez	Karen Kincade Dawn Delgado-Knight
Commentator	Claudine Pannell-Goodlett	Troy Lynn Thomas
Extra-Ordinary Ministers	Emily Massengale-Morton Sister Rea	Carey Cummings Xavier Clayton Veronica Taylor
Ushers		Jordon Axelson Kalen Axelson Victoria Aybar
Counters		Wayne Ford Troy Lynn Thomas

Parish Ministries/Organizations

Administrator/Religious Ed.	Regina Taylor-Murphy	629-1664
Adult/Family Ministry	Endya Freeman	463-2392
Altar Rosary Council	Angela Myers	358-1866
Altar Servers	Athanase Jones	997-0508
	Leah Mills	713-1968
Annulment Companion	Shirley Mills	768-9155
Bereavement Committee	Anethette Durham	751-6397
Building Maintenance	Nezzar Battle	235-9313
Choir - 5:00 PM Adult	Paul Witkowski	504-9952
Choir - 10:30 AM Adult	Roy Wilson	382-5183
Choir - Youth & Wee Folk	Leah Mills	713-1968
Counters	Deirdre Clayton	463-6994
Extra-Ordinary Ministers	Mrs. Brenda Battle	765-9738
Finance Council	Dr. Mark Dawkins	557-4937
ICARE	Joanne Thayer	765-3768
Jr. Dgtrs. of Peter Claver	Janice Hice	751-0956
Jr. Knights of Peter Claver	Ricardo Stallings	625-1053
Knights of Columbus	Alexander Hice	751-0956
Knights of Peter Claver	Athanase Jones	997-0508
Ladies of Peter Claver	Claudine Pannell-Goodlett	751-7060
Lectors/Commentators	Tameiko Allen Grant	233-1455
Lawn/Landscaping	Selena Mendez	450-2899
Parish Nursing	Tinye Dawkins	764-2248
	Ta' Kiesha Franklin	541-0263
Pastoral Council	Joanne Thayer	765-3768
Prayer Group	Shirley Mills	768-9155
RCIA	Sr. Elise Kennedy	509-7493
Respect Life	Gloria Mendez	707-9203
Sulzbacher Center Ministry	Cyril Traeye	363-3915
Scouts - Boy	Martin Jackson	655-6151
Scouts - Cub	Mona Norris	924-1364
Sound System Engineer	Roy Wilson	382-5183
St. Bernadette Council	Mitzi Ellis	230-2058
Stewardship Committee	JoAnn Buggs	765-1223
Ushers - Adult	Patricia Wilson	930-8386
Ushers - Junior	Lisa Axelson	945-8881
Welcome and Outreach	Anethette Durham	751-6397
Youth Ministry	Mrs. Mary Granger	768-8062



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