

San Sebastian Catholic Church

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Medical Emergency - 904-540-2269*

May 17 2020
Sixth Sunday of Easter



Daily Mass Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday 8:00am

Thursday 7:00pm - in Spanish

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday - 4:00pm Vigil Mass

Sunday - 8:00am, 10:00am & 12noon in Spanish

Confessions Saturday 3:00pm - 3:30pm in the church confession room

Everyone attending Daily or Weekend Masses must wear a Mask

Rev. Fr. John D. Gillespie, Pastor

Rev. Fr. Thomas P. Walsh, Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Fr. William Mooney, In Residence

Deacon James Swanson and Deacon Santiago Rosado

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Web Site - www.sansebastiancatholicchurch.com

WEEKEND MASS WILL STILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE CHURCH WEBSITE, FACEBOOK AND MY PARISH APP ON SUNDAY

UPDATE for Religious Education Classes and Celebrations of the Sacraments

THANK YOU for a great, yet challenging, first year in our new building! We began the year with hurricane Dorian and ended with the Coronavirus. But we did it together.

Reminder: class material/textbooks may be downloaded or picked up from the Enrichment Center. Please call or text before you come so we may have the materials ready.

Registration for the 2020-2021 will begin soon. We are finalizing the new schedules adapting to Social distancing.

Sacraments: In the next few weeks, as the church re-opens for mass and sacraments, we will contact you to reschedule Baptisms, RCIA, First Communion, and Confirmations. They will begin in June. For more info, contact Susan at 904-824-6625 ext. 111 or 904-315-1352 or email susan@sansebastiancatholicchurch.com
Thank you. Stay Safe!

The Diocese of St. Augustine Announces Public masses to begin May 16th & 17th

Bishop Felipe Estévez announced that the parishes of the Diocese of St. Augustine will begin the celebration of public masses this weekend, the Sixth Sunday of Easter (May 16/17).
Weekday masses resume Monday, May 18.

San Sebastian Mass Schedule:

**Weekday Masses - Tues., Wed., & Fri., at 8:00am
Thursday evening - 7pm -Spanish**

**Weekend Masses -Saturday- 4pm,
Sundays - 8am, 10am 12pm Spanish**

Masks or Face Coverings are required to attend Daily & Weekend Masses.

**Please wear your mask & bring hand sanitizer
Limited seating - only 150 in main church
Limited choir - one cantor and one musician**

Bishop Estévez has indefinitely dispensed the faithful from the obligation to attend Sunday mass. If you have health or safety concerns, please continue to stay home. Church will be open during office hours for private prayer

Average Attendance—Details for Capacity

Daily Mass	8:00am	45	(Limit of 150)
Saturday	4:00pm	325	(Limit of 150)
Sunday	8:00am	200	(Limit of 150)
Sunday	10:00am	350	(Limit of 150)
Sunday	12:00pm	300	(Limit of 150)

Please consider this when planning your mass and consider the less crowded daily mass as an option.

**May is the month we honor Mary as the Mother of the Church
May Crowning - Rosary - Marian Prayers**

Angelus

V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.
R. And she conceived by the Holy Spirit.
Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with
Thee; Blessed art thou among women,
And blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us
sinners, Now and at the hour of our death. Amen

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
R. Be it done unto me according to thy word.
Hail Mary, full of grace, ...

V. And the Word was made flesh.
R. And dwelt among us.
Hail Mary, full of grace, ...

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.
R. That we may be made worthy of the
promises of Christ.

Let us pray:

Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord,
Thy grace into our hearts, that we, to
whom the Incarnation of Christ, Thy Son,
was made known by the message of
an angel, may by His Passion and
Cross be brought to the glory
of His Resurrection.
Through the same
Christ Our Lord.
Amen.

**Memorare**

Remember O Most Gracious Virgin Mary,
that never was it known that anyone who fled
to your protection, implored your help or sought
your intercession, was left unaided.
Inspired with this confidence, I fly onto you O Virgin of
Virgins, my Mother; to you I come; before you,
I stand, sinful and sorrowful, O Mother of the Word incarnate,
despise not my petitions;
but in your mercy hear and answer me.
Amen.

Hail Holy Queen -

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of mercy, our life,
our sweetness and our hope.
To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve.
To thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and
weeping in this valley of tears.
Turn then, most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy
towards us. And after this our exile, show unto us the
blessed Fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary. Pray for us, o
Holy Mother of God, that we may be made worthy of the
promises of Christ. Amen.

Angelus Prayer prayed by Fr. Mooney <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E59JUq69mzE&feature=youtu.be>



If you would like to receive a weekly email of Fr. Mooney's
Faith and Reason paper, email: Fr.WCMooney@gmail.com.

Masses have resumed, participation in the daily or weekend
masses will require a face mask or suitable face covering.
Our parish is in need of volunteers to make Face masks or suitable
face coverings. When completed, please turn them into the church
office Monday - Friday from 9am - 3pm. Please contact Tyra at
the church office for more info. 904-824-6625 ext. 102 or email
tyra@sansebastiancatholicchurch.com



As Phase I of reopening begins, we encourage you to monitor The church website,
www.sansebastiancatholicchurch.com, San Sebastian Facebook Page, www.Myparishapp.com,
and the Church Bulletin. We are now including periodic emails to keep our parishioners
informed. The first email has been sent out Wednesday May 13, 2020.

If you did not receive, please email sscc@sansebastiancatholicchurch.com

THE REASON FOR OUR HOPE

“What is the reason for your hope?” Imagine somebody coming up to you and asking you that question. Not “What are you hoping for?” or “What are you hoping to do?” No, this isn’t about our desires for possessions or aspirations for life, it’s “Why do you hope?” Peter today tells us that we ought to be ready to give an answer to this question. Truth be told, few of us spend much time thinking about why we hope. Luckily, the scriptures today give us our answers. We hope because Christ suffered for us, in order that we might come to God. We hope because we know that, in the Spirit, God grants us another Advocate through Christ to remain with us always. No matter what we might hope for, whatever we might hope to do, we must always first know and proclaim the reason for our hope: the presence of God in Christ, with us through the power of the Spirit.

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RAZÓN DE NUESTRA ESPERANZA

“¿Cuál es la razón de tu esperanza?”. Imagina que alguien se te acerca y te hace esa pregunta. No “¿qué es lo que esperas?” o ¿qué esperas hacer?”. No; no se trata de los deseos de poseer cosas o de aspiraciones en la vida, sino “¿por qué tienes esperanza?”. Hoy Pedro nos dice que debemos estar dispuestos a responder esta pregunta. A decir verdad, pocos son los que se dedican a pensar por qué tenemos esperanza. Por suerte, las Escrituras de hoy nos ofrecen la respuesta. Esperamos porque Cristo sufrió por nosotros, a fin de que podamos venir a Dios. Esperamos porque sabemos que, en el Espíritu, Dios nos concede otro Defensor en Cristo que permanecerá con nosotros por siempre. Sin importar lo que podamos esperar, o lo que esperamos poder hacer, siempre debemos saber y proclamar la razón de nuestra esperanza: la presencia de Dios en Cristo con nosotros por el poder del Espíritu.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b;
Jn 15:26 — 16:4a
Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8;
Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Ps 148:1-2,
11-14; Jn 16:12-15
Thursday: Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-
23; Mt 28:16-20 (for Ascension);
otherwise
Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20
Friday: Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23
Saturday: Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10;
Jn 16:23b-28
Sunday: Acts 1:12-14; Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8; 1 Pt 4:13
-16; Jn 17:1-11a; or (for Ascension)
Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9;
Eph 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hch 16:11-15; Sal 149:1b-6a, 9b;
Jn 15:26 — 16:4a
Martes: Hch 16:22-34; Sal 138 (137):1-3, 7c-8;
Jn 16:5-11
Miércoles: Hch 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Sal 148:1-2, 11-14;
Jn 16:12-15
Jueves: Hch 1:1-11; Sal 47 (46) :2-3, 6-9;
Ef 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20 (para la Ascen-
sión);
o Hch 18:1-8; Sal 98 (97):1-4; Jn 16:16-20
Viernes: Hch 18:9-18; Sal 47 (46):2-7; Jn 16:20-23
Sábado: Hch 18:23-28; Sal 47 (46):2-3, 8-10;
Jn 16:23b-28
Domingo: Hch 1:12-14; Sal 27 (26):1, 4, 7-8;
1 Pe 4:13-16; Jn 17:1-11a o (para la
Ascensión) Hch 1:1-11; Sal 47:2-3, 6-9;
Ef 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Sixth Sunday of Easter
Monday: St. John I
Wednesday: St. Bernardine of Siena
Thursday: The Ascension of the Lord
(unless transferred to Sunday);
St. Christopher Magallanes and
Companions
Friday: St. Rita of Cascia

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Sexto Domingo de Pascua
Lunes: San Juan I
Miércoles: San Bernardino de Siena
Jueves: La Ascensión del Señor (a menos que sea
transferida al domingo);
San Cristobal Magallanes y compañeros
Viernes: Santa Rita de Casia

LIGHT OF BELIEF

Every believer in this world must become a spark of light.—Pope Saint John XXIII

DESTELLOS

Todo creyente es llamado a ser, en el mundo de hoy, como un destello de luz.

—Beato Papa Juan XXIII

Anniversary of Ordination: our pastor, Rev. John D. Gillespie - May 13th
Deacon James Swanson May 22nd & Deacon Earl Kidwell May 26th

Parish Contributions

Parishes everywhere have been impacted economically and are struggling. Catholics are asked to continue giving during these difficult times. You can mail or drop off your contributions to the church office. At the bottom of this page we have provided information on San Sebastian's On-Line Giving program "WeShare" If you have any questions or concerns please contact the church office

At 904-824-6625- Monday - Friday from 9:00am - 3:00pm

**Thank you to those who have been sending in weekly contributions.
Our collections have taken a significant drop over the past few weeks.
Posted below are Weekly totals.**

COLLECTIONS for 5/09 - 05/10

Weekly	\$	5,578.00
Weekly On Line Giving	\$	3,595.50
Church Mortgage	\$	265.00
Building/Maintenance	\$	205.00
Religious Enrichment Ctr.	\$	225.00
Outreach for the Poor	\$	80.00
Liturgical Supplies	\$	00.00
Parish Support for Rel. Ed	\$	00.00
Parish Insurance Subsidy	\$	00.00
San Sebastian Youth Group -Warriors	\$	445.00

For your convenience we have placed a mail slot in the GIFT SHOP DOOR. To place your Parish Envelopes



Use Your Envelopes or use On-Line Giving

We encourage everyone to use their envelopes or On Line Giving. Think of your envelopes / on-line giving as a gift to God. You take the time to thoughtfully, prayerfully choose your gift, wrap it & present it eagerly to our Lord. Many times families will ask for a letter stating that they are registered, participating members of San Sebastian in order to become a Godparent, Confirmation Sponsor or to enroll in Catholic Schools. Using your envelope or Online Giving makes our job easier & allows us to say, Yes! this family is registered & participating here at San Sebastian.

IT'S SAFE. IT'S SIMPLE. IT'S CONVENIENT.

Donate today using your debit card, credit card, checking, or savings account.

1

Visit your church website and click **Give Online**.

2

Set up your account.

3

Choose a payment option and customize your donation.



Contact our Customer Support Team at

weshare@4lpi.com

Customer Service Phone Number
1-800-950-9952 Press #3 and then press #2

**Week 1**

Andy Butler*	Toni O'Connell*
Camille Carrubba*	Linda Flister*
Anita Guevara*	Richard Jackman*
Rebecca Law*	Phyllis Markowitz*
Noah McLeod*	Fred Meeks*
Denise Orr*	Norman Pickett*
Lillian Sias*	Brandon Usina*
Roger Miller *	Dorrie Miller*
Larry Cain	Michael Vartuli*

Week 2

Jen Brown*	Rich Jackman, Sr.*
Austin Bradock*	John Busketta*
Rose Busketta*	Audrey Largent*
Ken Markowitz*	Carmen Medina*
Violeta Michta *	John Michta*
Priscilla Baird *	Bobby Baird*

Week 3

Doug Conlon*	Sheila Steigner *
Anna Donalson*	Wayne Holt*
Tommy Kynard*	Herman Longo*
James Watcke*	Ada Nackashi*
Belinda C. Rose*	Fran Tucker*
Leroy Kinlaw*	Barry Masters *
Shaq Borrero*	Vonda Coleman*

Week 5

Theresa Columbus*	Jenny Harvey*
Sr. Anne Haarer*	Deb Shaffrey*
Cecelia Lavinghouse*	Dee Vanta*
Shirley Macdonald*	Cathy Wood*
John Kotlinski*	Renaldo Pernia*
Margaret Power*	David Shields*
Lloyd Rasmussen *	John Speciale*
Michael Leahy *	Domnick Caro*
Nelson "Tiny" Cline*	Carol Jankowski*

Week 4

Dan Burkhardt*	Audrey Burnett*
Maureen & Joe Patrick *	Lu Taylor*
Mackenzie Dean *	Cindy Fessler*
Fabian P. Funk*	Charles Hall*
Madison Masters*	Jane Arena *
Barbara Ann Miller*	Coleen Caro*
Caitlin O'Connell*	

Week 6

Marcella Butler *	Anita Gieselmann*
Maureen Lively*	Raul Maldonado*
Byron Merwin*	Krista Morris*
Kaden Morris*	Connie Mosher*
Pat Prater*	Valerie Roberts*
Zaelie Grace Sims*	Jane Young*
Sally Walton*	Emily C. Urbina*
Stephen Thomas*	Joey Torregosa*
Roby Baird *	Christine Thompson*

To add a name to the prayer list Call
 Tyra Rousseau at the church office
 824-6625 ext 102office email
tyra@sansebastiancatholicchurch.com

Please Pray For the Repose of the Souls Of:

Kelly Claus

Robertta "Bobbie" Simms

**Mass Intentions**

05/16 Sat	4pm - David Williams +
05/17 Sun	8am - Our Parishioners
05/17 Sun	10am - Joy Cantos Martinez
05/17 Sun	12pm - Felipe Aviles +
05/18 Mon	NO MASS
05/19 Tue	8am - Dorothy Mooney +
05/20 Wed	8am - Tochi Nwoga—Special Intention
05/21 Thu	7pm - Imelda Nwoga—Special Intention
05/22 Fri	8am - Don & Tara Guernan
05/23 Sat	4pm - James Lorentson
05/24 Sun	8am - Our Parishioners
05/24 Sun	10am - Janet Rinaldi +
05/24 Sun	12pm - Henry Kuziola



LS1 Juan Carlos Bermejo Sgt. Evan Burgess Marcos Rios,
 Spec Jason Polly Lt Col Dr. Eric J. Colon 1st Lt Vito John Errico
 Lt. Betsy Hoyos Lt. Col Sean Navin "Tipper" Chris Esdonge, Jr
 Maj. David Pasquale Col. Dave Francis Cpt. Nestor L. Lugo
 PFC Justin Peeples Lt Victor A. Ramos Cpl Julia A. Taylor
 E6 Matthew Pradon SSGT Airman Andrew J. Peters Pvt Zachary
 Thompson AM2 Omar Samanamud Sgt Julian R. Taylor ,
 PFC Robert Young, James Nizza Chief/WO Charlie Sharpe
 CDR. Mark M. Walstead, Lt. Paul Jeffrey Mouhalis, CDR Eric Meyers

NOTICE FROM OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

(located near World Golf Village)

This pandemic has had a significant negative financial impact on many families. Please encourage anyone you know in our local area that could use a helping hand to come to the **OLGC Food Pantry**. Customers are welcome to come once a month on either the Tuesday or Saturday that we are open. We provide nutritious nonperishables as well as fresh produce, frozen meat, bread, pastries and a variety of other food items.

Distributions are held at
Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

5950 SR 16, St Augustine, FL 32092– signs will direct you.

Our next distribution days are:

Tues	5:00 -7:00pm	June 16
Sat	10am – noon	May 16 and June 20