

## ST CHARLES CATHOLIC CHURCH

308 7th Street NE Jacksonville,  
AL 36265

We're on the web:  
www.stcharlescatholicchurch.com

- Mass Intentions *Mass intentions are published weekly and may be reserved by contacting the office.*
- Reconciliation  
Saturday @ 4 pm or by appointment
- Baptism & Marriage Prep  
Call Pastor for appointment. Marriage Prep must take place at least 6 months prior to wedding.
- Anointing of the Sick  
*If you or a family member are ill or hospitalized call the parish office for a visit from the priest.*  
When planning a funeral at St. Charles/St. Joachim, many details need attention. Please call the Church Office or the Pastor 240-579-8902 to plan the funeral Mass and other arrangements.

## PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

### Army National Guard

SGT Manuel F. Valencia  
PVT William C. Langelier  
SPC Joseph Cimalore

### U.S. Coast Guard

LTJG Andrea Manuel  
LT Michael Manuel  
Michelle Santiago  
Kristopher Armprester

### U. S. ARMY

MAJ Matthew J. Polek  
MAJ Christopher Treuting  
MAJ John Mendoza  
PFC James Hare  
LTC John Curry  
COL Roland M. Gaddy, Jr.  
CPT Jack Eagly  
SGT James H. Turley III  
SGT John Anderson  
SSG William Cisnero  
PFC P.J. Brown  
SGT Jennifer Jones  
SPC Brad Bush  
SG Victoria Cisnero  
SGT James Morgan  
SPEC Angelo L. Lopez  
WO Greg DeMoss

### Eric Wade

SPC Jennifer L. Halcomb  
LTC Robin Morales  
Larry McConath  
PFC Makenna Ellis  
PFC Caterina Hare  
ILT Joe L. Childress, Jr  
SGT Heather Knoop  
SGT James E. McConathy II  
Taylor Oblinger  
Andrew Dorman

### U. S. Navy

E4 Jerramy R. Sollami  
SR Brian Hopper  
MD Heidi Morgan  
ENS Trevor Carlson  
SN Olivia Martin

### U.S AIR FORCE

SSGT Jeffrey T Brown  
CMSGT Clinton Ellis  
A1C Tristan L. Gavia  
SSGT John P. Thompson  
AMN Jorge L. Mejias  
CPT Jonathan Zurek  
Airman Jason Ellis  
Airman Joseph Harris

## ST JOACHIM CATHOLIC CHURCH

555 Babbling Brook Road  
Piedmont

Fr. Frankline Fomukong: 240-579-8902  
St. Charles Office: 256-435-3238



### Reading

MON James 1:1-11; Mark 8:11-13  
TUE James 1:12-18; Mark 8:14-21  
WED Joel 2:12-18; 2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2; Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18  
*Ash Wednesday/St. Valentine's Day*  
THUR Deuteronomy 30:15-20; Luke 9:22-25  
FRI Isaiah 58:1-9a; Matthew 9:14-15  
*The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order*  
SAT Isaiah 58:9b-14; Luke 5:27-32  
*The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order*  
SUN Genesis 9:8-15; 1 Peter 3:18-22; Mark 1:12-15  
*1st Sunday of Lent*



### Liturgy Schedule/Mass Intentions

SAT 2/10 4 pm confessions 5 pm Mass  
SUN 2/11 8:30 am Mass St. Joachim  
11 am Mass at St. Charles  
**+Jacob and John Krizka  
The Bright Family**  
TUE 2/13 4:30 pm Holy Hour 5:30 pm Mass  
WED 2/14 11 am Mass at St. Joachim  
4:30 pm Holy Hour 5:30 pm Mass  
**+Gene Griffin**  
(ASH WEDNESDAY)  
THUR 2/15 No Mass  
FRI 2/16 No Mass  
SAT 2/17 4:00 pm confessions 5 pm Mass  
SUN 2/18 8:30 am Mass at St. Joachim  
11:00 am Mass St. Charles  
**+Ma Catherine Fombang  
+Mary and Edd Kirkpatrick**

## ST.CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH Jacksonville, Alabama

### OFFICE HOURS

M-TH 9:30-1:30  
FRI- CLOSED

Deacon: A.B. King

Pastor: Fr. Frankline Fomukong Office 256-435-3238

February 11, 2024  
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time



The Gospel is from St. Mark 1:40-45. We see both the divine power and the divine compassion of Jesus in this act of healing. The divine power was necessary in all instantaneous cures. Even if the diseases were curable, the ordinary process of nature took time to fight off the causes and to return to normality. Therefore, where there was an instantaneous recovery some power above nature, some supernatural cause brought it about. But where the disease was incurable, as real leprosy then was, to remove it by a simple word of command was more emphatically still the result of divine power. This divine power Jesus had, for he was himself divine, the Son of God.

Thanks be to God, for his infinite compassion! Thanks be to God, for Christ his Son, who came and dwelt amongst us! He put heaven and a share in the life of God within our reach; he has shown us how to attain them, giving in his Church and the sacraments, all the necessary aids. But we still need all of Christ's compassion if we are to get there. Because of our inclination to sin and because of the many times we unfortunately give in to that inclination, nothing but the mercy of God can save us from our own folly. However, that mercy is available, if only we ask for it. What we sinners need is the faith and confidence of the leper in today's gospel reading. He believed firmly in the power and the mercy of Jesus.

## ST. JOACHIM CATHOLIC CHURCH Piedmont, Alabama

### MASS TIMES

MON NO MASS  
T & W 5:30pm MASS  
**THU & FRI NO MASS**  
SAT 5 pm MASS  
SUN 8:30am MASS  
(St. Joachim)  
SUN 11 am MASS  
(St. Charles)



### Ash Wednesday Mass

11 am Mass at St. Joachim  
5:30 pm Mass at St. Charles

This Wednesday (14 February) is Ash Wednesday, and it begins our march to the celebration of the evidence of our salvation—Jesus' resurrection from the dead, i.e., Easter, Sunday. Although it can be described as a "march", Lent need not be a "forced march" that we come to dread. It is more than just a time in which we "give something up for Lent"—coffee, chocolates, deserts, etc. Rather, it is a time to reflect on our lives, "to do right, to love goodness, and to walk humbly with [our] God" (Micah 6:8).

Lent is the forty day period before Easter, excluding Sundays, which begins on **Ash Wednesday (February 14, 2024)** and ends on **Holy Saturday (March 30, 2024)**. All Fridays in Lent are days of **abstinence**. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of Fast and Abstinence.

**Fast:** Limit of one full meal on these days for all between the ages of 18 and 59 inclusive.

**Abstinence:** All who have reached their 14th year are bound to abstain totally from meat.

### Easter Duty Obligation:

The Sacrament of Reconciliation and Holy Communion must be received during Lent.

### Stations of the Cross—

Fridays—6:30 pm at St. Charles.



**PSR/RCIA 2023**

Class: February 11, 18, 25, 2024

At St. Charles Education Bldg.

**Gr K-12 Sun 9:30-10:45am**

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our Director of Religious Education, Brandi Bright.

Office: 256-435-3238

Cell: 256-283-9380



If you would like to come to the church for private prayer the church (St. Charles) and office will be open the following times:

**Monday- Thursday 9:30am - 1:30pm**

**Church office e-mail contacts**

[Ffranklin@stcharlescatholicchurch.com](mailto:Ffranklin@stcharlescatholicchurch.com)

[Tricia@stcharlescatholicchurch.com](mailto:Tricia@stcharlescatholicchurch.com)

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St. Charles Catholic Church

February 4, 2024

	Collected	Weekly Need	Short/Long
Offertory	\$ 3381.00	\$ 3000.00	\$ 381.00
Burse	\$ 254.00		
National Black and Indian Collection	\$ 35.00		
Office Supplies	\$ 5.00		
Initial Offering	\$ 5.00		
Aid to Needy	\$ 20.00		
Religious Articles	\$ 40.00		

**SPECIAL SECOND**

**COLLECTION**

Next weekend, February 17th and 18th, there will be a second special collection for the "Black and Indian Collection". Your generosity to this collection reflects the depth of your faith and willingness to help our brothers and sisters in need. Thank you for your charity and continued support.



**Knights of Columbus**

The Knights of Columbus Council # 13513 from St. Charles and St. Joachim parishes have a scheduled monthly meeting on **Tuesday, February 13, 2024** at 6:30pm in Macey Hall.



**ROSARY PRAYER GROUP**

Rosary Prayer Group will meet on **Tuesday, March 5th** at 1 pm in Macey Hall. We hope to see you there!

**CCR @ St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church.**

The Catholic Charismatic Renewal Prayer group will meet every **fourth Wednesday of the month in conjunction with the Holy Hour.**

We will be there during Mass and after Mass as we will continue with Praise and Worship music, healing prayers and teaching.

We hope you can join us starting at 4:15 every 4th Wednesday of the month.

Any questions?

**Call or text Eddie Victoria @ 334-300-6253.**

**PARISH VALENTINE'S SPAGHETTI DINNER**

**Saturday, February 10th following Mass (6:30pm)** the PSR students will host a parish Valentine's Spaghetti Dinner. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students and parishioners to come together and enjoy a nice evening of food and fellowship. Dinner is free, but the PSR classes will be collecting non-perishable food items for JCOC. We hope to see you there!



St. Joachim Catholic Church

February 4, 2024

	Collected	Weekly Need	Short/Long
Offertory	\$ 1959.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 1359.00
Burse	\$ 108.00		
Latin American Collection	\$ 7.00		

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT MASS**

**CSO Students and Parishioners**

We are glad to have you with us!

Every Wednesday we will have Adoration and pray the Rosary from 4:30-5:30pm and Mass at 5:30pm.

CSO students will meet in Macey Hall after Mass, on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month after Mass.

**Rosary of Reparation**

The 1st Friday of each month, following the 11am Mass at St. Charles, after saying Isaiah Chapter 59 and the 7 Penitential Psalms parishioners will then say all the mysteries of the Rosary. Please feel free to join us for as long as you are able to stay.

**FISH DINNERS**

The Knights of Columbus will host their first Lenten Fish Dinner on **Friday, February 16th at 5:30pm** in Macey Hall. Stations of the Cross will follow at 6:30 pm at St. Charles Church.

There will also be fish dinners on Friday, March 1st and Friday, March 22nd.

**MINISTER SIGN-UP**

If you are interested in becoming a **Lector, Sacristan, Eucharistic Minister, or Alter Server** please sign-up in the appropriate space of the sheet in the vestibule. We would really like to have lots of new faces added to our minister team. Training sessions will be scheduled once everyone has had an opportunity to sign-up.

**LENTEN PARISH RETREAT at the SHRINE OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT**

On **Saturday, March 23rd**, Fr. Frankline is arranging a retreat at the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, AL for all of our parishioners who wish to attend. This will be an all day event and will include sessions for children and adults. **We will leave St. Charles at 8am** and will return in the evening. It is approximately a 2 hour drive. We will attend Mass for Saturday liturgy AND Palm Sunday liturgy, so it will fulfill the Sunday obligation. **There will be no Saturday Mass offered at St. Charles on this day.** A detailed itinerary will be available once it is finalized. **We need anyone who wishes to attend to sign-up** so we have an approximate number to ensure we have the appropriate tour spots and space needed for everyone to participate in the special things that are being planned. **If you are wanting to drive yourself, you may sign-up to do so. If you should have extra seats that you are willing to share with a parishioner who needs a ride, please indicate the number of seats you have available. If you prefer to ride with someone, please sign-up in the appropriate space and indicate the number of seats you will be needing.** It is our goal to work it out so everyone who wishes to attend may do so. Please try to sign-up ASAP so we can get the details worked out with the Shrine and we can arrange for rides. Children under the age of **14 MUST** have a parent or guardian to attend the retreat with them.

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Amelia is our Website Publisher. Please send your information to be published to her attention at [Amelia@stcharlescatholicchurch.com](mailto:Amelia@stcharlescatholicchurch.com) 256-435-3238

Please pray for...



Haley Conroy, Kay Wilbur, Kaylie Ellis & Daniel Zurek, Travis Bailey, Jerald Knight, Charlotte Haynes, Barbara Pitts, Kaylee Miller, Vicki & Sam Everett, Billie Vaughn, Cindy & Fred Craft, Teri Parry, Carolyn Andrews, Christopher Young, Larry Webster, Marilyn, Jane & David Kushma, Ron Cypher, Cassie & Kaitlyn Smith, Ghadeer Alshamat, Kate Kloss, Adaleigh Zaner, Quintenn Pike, Karlee Knight, Joel Rivera, Garry McElroy, Joe & Laura Lee Herrington, Terra Burrow, Jane McGatha, Terry Batchelor, James Coppola, Frances Dawson, Jean Pellegatto, Jean Denny, Anita Knight, Maria Reneau, Lorrie Robinett, Betty Newsome, Jena Todt Arm-prester, Deacon A.B. & Nancy King, Evelyn Szramski, Karen Rytel, Bob and Penny Pagel, George Moore Jr., Sherrie Valentine, The Nagrone Family, Roseann Falise, Mary Wranich, Francine Batchelor, Bill Batchelor, Melvin Bernier, Marsha Camp, Timothy Wallace, Clarissa Valencia Morales, W.S.B., Barry Key, Rick Pratt, Jeanette Gaddy, Phillip Walls, Butch and Dan Krejci, Mary Cheat-wood, Linda Kieper, Lauren "Addi" Stinson, Bert Artzer, Deacon Fred Williams, Helen Naysmith, Marleigh Conley, Georgia Mowery, Andrew Tusso, Cheryl Edmondson, Helen Cote, Sandra Howard, Fred Witsell, Sue Tolleson, Doug Lipsey, The Nat-tekkadan/Shaju Families, Mary Ellis, Jeff Large, Dennis Ott, Kelley Ramsey, Calvin Hicks, Mickey Pinkston, Jeanyne Schuler, Jennifer Craft, Kaye Batchelor, Debbie Pritchard, Patrick Chandler, Frances Cooper, Donna Dennis, Ken Klug, Stepha-

Please continue to pray for the unborn.

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CONTACT: JCOC (256 435 1891)