

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 Moralez
Larry McConath
PFC Makenna Ellis
PFC Caterina Hare
ILT Joe L. Childress, Jr
SGT Heather Knoop
SGT James E. McConathy II
SGT Taylor Oblinger
Andrew Dorman
CPO Mac Witsell

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
AIC Tristan L. Gavia
AIC Joseph Harris
SSGT John P. Thompson
AMN Jorge L. Mejias
CPT Jonathan Zurek
Airman Jason Ellis



Mary Ellis

ST JOACHIM CATHOLIC CHURCH

555 Babbling Brook Road
Piedmont

Fr. Frankline Fomukong: 240-579-8902

St. Charles Office: 256-435-3238



Reading

MON Daniel 9:4b-10; Luke 6:36-38
Saint Patrick, Bishop

TUE Isaiah 1:10, 16-20; Matthew 23:1-12
Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

WED 2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22;
Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a
Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

THUR Jeremiah 17:5-10; Luke 16:19-31

FRI Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Matthew 21:33-43, 45-46

SAT Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

SUN Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15; 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12;
(First Scrutiny) John 4:5-42
3rd Sunday of Lent



Liturgy Schedule/Mass Intentions

SAT	3/15	4:00 pm confessions	5 pm Mass	All Parishioners
SUN	3/16	8:30 am Mass St. Joachim		+Kevin Ritter
		11 am Mass at St. Charles		+Elena Go
TUE	3/18	4:30pm Holy Hour	5:30pm Mass	Russell Nunan (healing prayers)
WED	3/19	4:30pm Holy Hour	5:30pm Mass	Todd Garrison (healing prayers)
THUR	3/20	10am Holy Hour	11 am Mass	Russell Nunan (healing prayers)
FRI	3/21	10am Holy Hour	11 am Mass	Brandon Marshall (healing prayers)
SAT	3/22	4:00 pm confessions	5 pm Mass	All Parishioners
SUN	3/23	8:30 am Mass at St. Joachim		+Fred Witsell
		11:00 am Mass St. Charles		All Parishioners

ST.CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH Jacksonville, Alabama

OFFICE HOURS

M-TH 9:30-1:30

LENTEN DINNERS

Friday, March 21, and
28th at 5:30pm in
Macey Hall.

Stations of the Cross

Friday's 6:30pm at St.
Charles Catholic Church.

Deacon: A.B. King

Pastor: Fr. Frankline Fomukong

Office 256-435-3238

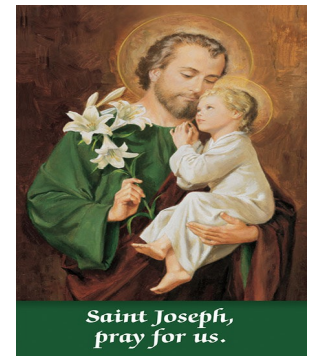
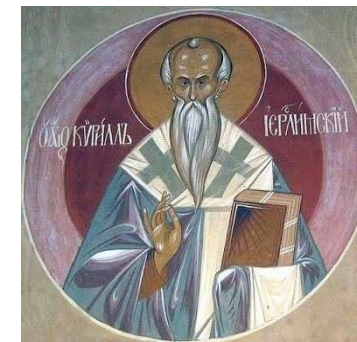
March 16, 2025

2nd Sunday of Lent

Second Sunday of
LENT

MASS TIMES
MON NO MASS
TUE 5:30pm MASS
WED 5:30pm MASS
THU 11am MASS
FRI 11am MASS
SAT 5pm MASS

SUNDAY MASS
8:30am Mass (St. Joachim)
11am Mass (St. Charles)



Saint Joseph,
pray for us.

May the Strength of God guide us.
May the Power of God preserve us.
May the Wisdom of God instruct us.
May the Hand of God protect us.
May the Way of God direct us.
May the Shield of God defend us.
May the Angels of God guard us.
- Against the snares of the evil one.

May Christ be with us!
May Christ be before us!
May Christ be in us,
Christ be over all!

May Thy Grace, Lord,
Always be ours,
This day, O Lord, and forevermore.
Amen.

Prayer: Saint Cyril, you were a loving shepherd and a firm defender of the Truth of the divinity of Christ. You never wavered in your mission, not even during persecution and exile, but proclaimed Christ Jesus to your flock. Please pray for me, that I will always remain firm in my faith, especially when challenged by a hostile world, and will lovingly proclaim the truth to those who need it most. Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, pray for me. Jesus, I trust in You.

Jacob was the father of Joseph, the husband of Mary. Of her was born Jesus who is called the Christ. Now this is how the birth of Jesus Christ came about. When his mother Mary was betrothed to Joseph, but before they lived together, she was found with child through the Holy Spirit. Joseph her husband, since he was a righteous man, yet unwilling to expose her to shame, decided to divorce her quietly. Such was his intention when, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary your wife into your home. For it is through the Holy Spirit that this child has been conceived in her. She will bear a son and you are to name him Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." When Joseph awoke, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took his wife into his home. (Mt. 1:16, 18-21, 24)

ANNUAL PARISH LENTEN RETREAT – We will again have our Annual St. Charles & St. Joachim Lenten Retreat at the **Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville on Saturday, April 12th**. We will leave from **St. Charles at 8:00am** on the 12th and begin our retreat at 10:00am. This year we will have the unique and very special opportunity to walk through the Holy Doors that only open for the Jubilee Year. The retreat is lead by Fr. Frankline and will include the Palm Sunday Mass and will fulfill your Sunday Mass obligation. We have time for Confessions and will have Stations of the Cross for our parish while there. We will have lunch at the Shrine and will tour the Shrine and the JPPII Center, and have time for the gift shop. *This is a wonderful way to participate in the Jubilee year and prepare as we enter Holy Week.* **There will be NO 5 pm Mass at St. Charles on this day and No 8:30 am Mass at St. Joachim on April 13th. Palm Sunday Mass at St. Charles will be at 11:00 am on the 13th for those unable to attend the retreat.**



March 8 and 9, 2025

	Collected	Weekly Need	Short/Long
Offertory	\$ 2305.00	\$ 3000.00	(\$ 695.00)
National Black & Indians Missions	\$ 182.00		
Religious Articles (Rosary Pamphlets)	\$ 39.00		
Burse	\$ 5.00		
Candles	\$ 77.00		
Easter Flowers	\$ 10.00		
B.F. Stipends	\$ 200.00		



The 41st Annual Bloomin' Festival Arts and Craft Fair will be held on Saturday and Sunday, April 5-6, 2025. St. Bernard has been recognized by the Southeast Tourism Society for many years as a "Top Twenty Event in the Southeast."

Bloomin' Festival is a two-day juried arts festival attracting more than 25,000 visitors to the beautiful campus of St. Bernard Abbey and Preparatory School. Located adjacent to the school is the world-famous Ave Maria Grotto. The picturesque landscape of stone cut buildings on the grounds of Alabama's only abbey provides a backdrop for the outdoor show. More than 150 booths are filled with artists demonstrating and exhibiting their unique handcrafted work. The festival is the largest fundraiser annually for the operation and maintenance of the school.

Special reduced admission rates are offered to festival attendees all weekend to visit Ave Maria Grotto. Completing the weekend is the give-away of a new automobile & other valuable prizes!
Festival Hours: 9 AM to 4 PM

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

Ephesians 6:10-11



March 9, 2025

	Collected	Weekly Need	Short/Long
Offertory	\$ 1079.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 479.00
National Black & Indian Missions	\$ 83.00		
Burse	\$ 5.00		

50th Wedding Anniversary Mass

Patrick & Debbie Chandler will be celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary with a Mass at St. Joachim Catholic Church on Friday, April 11, 2025 at 11am. All are invited to come celebrate their special day. There will be a Lenten reception after the Mass.

There will be no morning Mass at St. Charles on this day.

CATHOLIC STUDENT ORGANIZATION

CSO meetings will be on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday's in Macey Hall at 6:30pm (following Mass).

Meetings include a freshly cooked hot meal and fellowship. I hope all our college students will be able to join us!!

PSR/RCIA 2023

Class: Wednesday, April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025

At St. Charles Education Bldg.

Gr K-12 Wednesday's after 5:30pm Mass (6:00pm) until 7:30pm.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our Director of Religious Education, Brandi Bright. Office: 256-435-3238



Please pray for the repose of the soul of *Jeanyne Schuler*, who passed away on March 3, 2025.

May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace,

Amen



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

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, 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 Todd Armprester, Deacon A.B. & Nancy King, 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., Rick Pratt, Jeanette Gaddy, Phillip Walls, Butch and Dan Krejci, Mary Cheatwood, Linda Kieper, Lauren "Addi" Stinson, Deacon Fred Williams, Marleigh Conley, Georgia Mowery, Andrew Tuso, Cheryl Edmondson, Helen

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.



Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus Council # 13513 from St. Charles and St. Joachim parishes have a scheduled monthly meeting on **Tuesday, April 8, 2025 at 6:30pm** in Macey Hall.

WE ARE ALL ONE IN SPIRIT WITH CHRIST

Please continue to pray for the unborn.

Cote, Sandra Howard, Sue Tolleson, The Nattekkadan/Shaju Families, Mary Ellis, Jeff Large, Dennis Ott, Kelley Ramsey, Calvin Hicks, Kaye Batchelor, Debbie Pritchard, Frances Cooper, Donna Dennis, Ken Klug, Lilian Thacker, Collen Faira, Linda Carroll, Tony Pugh, Andrew Parker family, Jerry and Adele Green, Ozzie and Samdaye Rampaul, Rita Hoskins, Laurie Walker Douthit, Caroline Smith, Leisha Reaves, Laurie Newman, Mike Sheid, Raphael Christachi, Caleb Burrage, Darrell Flinn, Marty Driggers, Evelyn Zurek, Edgar Victoria, Peggy Long, Maureen Patty, Tom Shelton, The Fomukong Family, Jessica Rhinehart, Parthina Prater, Judy Rombalski Patrick & Debbie Chandler, Ann Cimalore, Maria Joy, Lee Gray, Fran Kennedy, Mandy Beadle, Betty Hinkson, Todd Garrison, Matt Reynolds, Russell Nunan

ADULT LUNCHEON

The Adult luncheon for March has been scheduled for **Thursday, March 20, 2025 at 12:00 (noon) in Macey Hall.** Judy Neal has volunteered to cook sloppy joe's so anyone who would like to bring a dish to share can, and it would be greatly appreciated. We hope to see lots of smiling faces for food and fellowship.

LENTE RETREAT FOR WOMEN

St. Charles and St. Joachim Rosary Prayer Group is calling all women ages 18 and older to the First annual Women's Retreat.

Date: Saturday, March 29, 2025
Place: St. Charles (Macey Hall)

Time: 9am to 1pm, with a luncheon being served at 12pm

Theme: What is the role of women today in the Church?

A question and answering session will be open for questions about our faith after our guess speaker, i.e. purgatory, understanding lent, etc.

A donation of either \$5 or \$10 is requested to defray cost.

If interested, please call or text Barbara Sullivan at 256-453-2174, so we may have a head count.



Rosary Prayer Group will meet in Macey Hall on Tuesday, April 1, 2025 at 1pm. Hope to see you there!