ST CHARLES CATHOLIC CHURCH

308 7th Street NE Jacksonville, AL 36265

ST JOACHIM CATHOLIC CHURCH

555 Babbling Brook Road, Piedmont

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

U.S AIR FORCE

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

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. Navy

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

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. Halcom
LTC Robin Moralez
Larry McConathy
PFC Makenna Ellis
PFC Caterina Hare
1LT Joe L. Childress,
SGT Heather Knoop
SGT James E. McConathy II
SGT Taylor Oblinger

Andrew Dorman
CPO Mac Witsell

U.S. Marine Corps

1LT Anthony Bradbury
1LT Hugh Hajdik
2LT Katie Hajdik
GYSGT D.J. Korff
GYSGT Jerry L. Yates
SGT Jacob Cypher
SGT Joey Mashburn
SGT Boo C. Rochester
SGT Heath A McKlearey
CPL Timothy Thompson
CPL Crissy Juricich
LCPL Chris A. Oakley
PFC Kyle Knight
CPL Aaron Prater

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

Reading

MON	Acts 14:5-18; John 14:21-26
TUE	Acts 14:19-28; John 14:27-31a
WED	Acts 15:1-6; John 15:1-8
THUR	Acts 15:7-21; John 15:9-11
FRI	Acts 15:22-31; John 15:12-17
SAT	Acts 16:1-10; John 15:18-21
SUN	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; 1 Peter 3:15-18; John 14:15-21
MON	Acts 16:11-15; John 15:26-16:4a
TUE	Acts 16:22-34; John 16:5-11
	Saints Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs
WED	Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; John 16:12-15
	Our Lady of Fatima
THUR	Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:17-23; Matthew 28:16-20
FRI	Acts 18:9-18; John 16:20-23
	Saint Isidore
SAT	Acts 18:23-28; John 16:23b-28
SUN	Acts 1:12-14; 1 Peter 4:13-16; John 17:1-11a
	The Ascension of the Lord

Liturgy Schedule/Mass Intentions

SAT	05/02	4pm Confessions 5pm Mass	+Fr. Larry Shinnik
SUN	05/03	8:30am Mass St. Joachim	+Helen Naysmith
		11am Mass at St. Charles	+John Herndon
TUE	05/05	No Mass	
WED	05/06	No Mass	
THU	05/07	10am Holy Hour 11am Mass	+Dillon R.
FRI	05/08	10am Holy Hour 11am Mass	+Trent U.
SAT	05/09	4pm Confessions 5pm Mass	+Fr. Patrick Donoghue
SUN	05/10	8:30am Mass St. Joachim	All Mother's
		11am Mass at St. Charles	All Mother's
TUE	05/12	4:30pm Holy Hour 5:30pm Mass	+Craig Krampf
WED	05/13	4:30pm Holy Hour 5:30pm Mass	+Matt Reynolds
THU	05/14	10am Holy Hour 11am Mass	+Nimfa Fancia
FRI	05/15	10am Holy Hour 11am Mass	+Barbara Johnson
SAT	05/16	4pm Confessions 5pm Mass	+Linda Guyer
SUN	05/17	8:30am Mass St. Joachim	+Fr. Patrick Donoghue
		11am Mass at St. Charles	+Fr. Larry Shinnik

ST.CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Piedmont, Alabama

The Church Office will be closed May 4-8, 2026. There will be no Mass offered on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of this week.

Pastor: Fr. Frankline Fomukong

Deacon: A.B. King

Office 256-435-3238

May 3, and 10, 2026
5th and 6th Sunday of Easter
(Two week bulletin)

MASS TIMES

MON	NO MASS
TUE	NO MASS
WED	NO MASS
TH	11am MASS
FRI	11am MASS
SAT	5 pm MASS

SUNDAY MASS

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

During the Last Supper Jesus told his disciples "Do not let your hearts be troubled. You have faith in God; have faith also in me." He said he is going on before them to prepare a place for them in His Father's house. He says, "if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back again and take you to myself, so that where I am you also may be. Where I am going, you know the way."

Feeling uncertain, Thomas asked, "Master, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?"

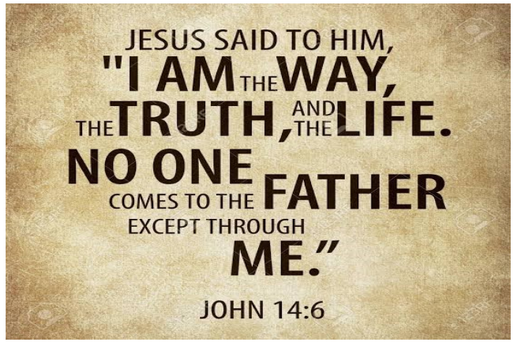
Before the Church was called Catholic and disciples were called Christians, the early Church was referred to as "The Way" based upon Jesus's response to Thomas' question, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me."

The Way to the Father is Jesus. In Him, with Him, and through Him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, we the Church journey together on our earthly pilgrimage to the Father's house.

Then Jesus adds, "Amen, amen, I say to you, whoever believes in Me will do the works that I do, and will do greater ones than these, because I am going to the Father."

Sunday, May 3, 2026

Crowning of Mary, Queen of Heaven and Earth



"I Am the Good Shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me." ***John 10:14***

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUAL BOSTON BUTT AND RIB SALE -

The Knights of Columbus will be taking orders for their annual Butts and Ribs sale. The orders will be taken on **May 9th and 10th, and May 16th and 17th** at both Parishes. The pick up weekend will be **May 23rd and 24th.** Please support this wonderful annual fundraiser the Knights of Columbus offers our 2 Parishes with 1 Heart.

ADULT LUNCHEON

The Adult luncheon for May has been scheduled for **Thursday, May 21, 2026 at 12:00 (noon) in Macey Hall.** The March Adult Luncheon will be hosted by Trudie Griffin and Joe and Peggy Sugar. There is a sign up sheet at both churches. We hope to see lots of smiling faces for food and fellowship.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS KNIGHTLY KNEWS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOOD DRIVE - The Knights of Columbus are collecting non-perishable food items for the JCOC A collection box will be placed in the cry room of either church. Monetary donations also accepted. Make checks payable to KofC Council 13513. If you have questions you may contact Randy Bright at 256-283-9379.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HOLY HOUR- Our Knights of Columbus Council 13513 will be sponsoring a Holy Hour on **Tuesday, May 12th at 4:30pm** with Mass to follow at 5:30pm. Holy Hours are a beautiful way to spend quality time with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. So, we ask you to join us as we pray the Litany of the Sacred Heart and pray the Glorious Mysteries if the Holy Rosary. All are welcome!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MONTHLY MEETING- The Knights of Columbus Council #13513 from St. Charles and St. Joachim parishes have a scheduled monthly meeting on **Tuesday, May 12th** after Mass at 6:30pm in Macey Hall.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COR MEETING- The Knights of Columbus Council #13513 will hold their men's COR meeting on **Saturday, May 23, 2026**. All men are welcome to come for coffee and donuts at 8am with the meeting following from 8:30am to 9:30am. This is a wonderful opportunity for our parish men to come together in faith and fellowship. We look forward to seeing you there!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPAGHETTI DINNER -

The Knights of Columbus are hosting their semi-annual Spaghetti Dinner on **Saturday, June 6th** after Mass. The Knights are trying to raise money for their sponsored seminarian. Monetary donations will be accepted. Please make checks payable to KofC Council 13513. The Knights will need to know how many plan on attending. If you have questions you may contact and RSVP to Joe Megill at 256-453-2758.

St. Charles Catholic Church

April 25 and 26, 2026

	Collected	Weekly Need	Short/Long
Offertory	$ 5770.00	$ 3000.00	$ 2770.00
Catholic Home Missions	$ 194.00		
Candles	$ 51.25		

St. Joachim Catholic Church

April 26, 2026

	Collected	Weekly Need	Short/Long
Offertory	$ 833.00	$ 600.00	$ 233.00
Catholic Home Missions	$ 55.00		

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.

ROSARY PRAYER GROUP

Rosary Prayer Group will meet on Tuesday, May 5, 2026 in Macey Hall. Hope to see you there!

Church office e-mail contacts

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SOUP BOWL

St. Charles volunteer day for the Soup Bowl will be Tuesday, May 5th, from 11am-1pm. We need 5 people this day with one being a male. The sign up sheet will be in the vestibule at St. Charles. Thank you for your time and generosity. If you have any questions, please contact Charlotte at 256-485-2358.

"There is no surer means of calling down God's blessing upon the family, than the daily recitation of the Rosary." -Ven. Servant of God Pope Pius XII

Please pray for...

Please continue to pray for the unborn.

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, Frances Dawson, Jean Denny, Anita Knight, Jean Pellagatto, Maria Reneau, Lorrie Robinett, Betty Newsome, Jena Todt 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 Cote, Sandra Howard, Sue Tolleson, Helen Rosier, Jeff Large, Dennis Ott, Kelley Ramsey, Calvin Hicks, Debbie Pritchard, Mike Scheid , Donna Dennis, Lilian Thacker, Collen Faira, Linda Carroll, Tony Pugh, Jerry and Adele Green, Ozzie and Samdaye Rampaul, Rita Hoskins, Laurie Walker Douthit, Caroline Smith, Leisha Reaves, Laurie Newman, Raphael Christachi, Caleb Burrage, Darrell Flinn, Marty Driggers, Evelynn Zurek, Edgar Victoria, Peggy Long, Parthina Prater, Patrick & Debbie Chandler, Maria Joy, Lee Gray, Fran Kennedy, Mandy Beadle, Betty Hinkson, Todd Garrison, Russell Nunan, Rita Coppola, Mary Klug, Mark Waits, Shannon Collins, Bridget Decosta, Melissa Todt Harbison, Lane Matthews, Terry Williams, Mary Koss, Paul Guyer, Sonya Nesbitt, Ron Naysmith, Sam, Steven, Shannon Cook, Ryan Oblinger, Michael Megill, Mason Baswell, Tracie Prater, Trudie Griffin, Shae Butler

be thankful

Her Choice Birmingham Women's Center

22nd Annual GOLF FORE LIFE

We Need Golfers and Hole Sponsors

Friday, May 15, 2026 - Highland Park Golf Course

Registration 7:45AM · SHOTGUN START 9:00AM

Have fun, save lives and raise funds for Her Choice, the only pro-life pregnancy resource center located in the heart of Birmingham. The cost is **$250** ($125 tax deductible) per individual golfer and prizes will be awarded immediately following the tournament. **We need 18 people to organize foursomes** to make this year's fundraiser the most successful ever. **Individual golfers are welcome** and will be paired up. We are also asking individuals, families and companies to be a **Hole Sponsor**, **$500.00.** Our signage is beautifully done and shows others your commitment to the Sanctity of Life. This Ministry exists to help women facing a crisis pregnancy choose life, and to support them in that decision. Post-Abortion healing support is also offered. This life-giving ministry of Her Choice exists because of the gracious giving of people like you. Please, support this event and contact Her Choice Women's Center: **205.447.8796 · golf4life@herchoicebirmingham.org.**

Sunday, May 10th