

ST CHARLES CATHOLIC CHURCH

308 7th Street NE Jacksonville, AL 36265

ST JOACHIM CATHOLIC CHURCH

555 Babbling Brook Road, Piedmont

Fr. Frankline Fomukong: 240-579-8902

St. Charles Office: 256-435-3238

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 Morales
- 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



Reading

- MON Acts 6:8-15; John 6:22-29
- TUE Acts 7:51-8:1a; John 6:30-35
- WED Acts 8:1b-8; John 6:35-40
- THUR Acts 8:26-40; John 6:44-51
- FRI Acts 9:1-20; John 6:52-59
- SAT Acts 9:31-42; John 6:60-69; Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest
- SUN Acts 13:14, 43-52; Revelation 7:9, 14b-17; John 10:27-30



Liturgy Schedule/Mass Intentions

- SAT 5/03 4pm Confessions 5pm Mass +Linda Guyer
- SUN 5/04 8:30am Mass St. Joachim +Helen Naysmith
- 11am Mass at St. Charles +Doug Lipsey
- TUE 5/06 NO MASS
- WED 5/07 NO MASS
- THU 5/08 NO MASS
- FRI 5/09 10am Holy Hour 11am Mass +Mary Ellis
- SAT 5/10 4pm Confessions 5pm Mass +James Coppola
- SUN 5/11 8:30am Mass St. Joachim +Fred Witsell
- 11am Mass at St. Charles All Parishioners

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ST. JOACHIM CATHOLIC CHURCH Piedmont, Alabama

OFFICE HOURS

MON-THUR 9:30-1:30

There will be NO weekday Masses from Monday, May 5th through Thursday May 8th.



Pastor: Fr. Frankline Fomukong

Deacon: A.B. King

Office 256-435-3238

May 4, 2025
3rd Sunday of Easter



Lord Jesus, help us to obey You always, to worship You with all our hearts, and to show our love through caring for others. Strengthen our faith and guide us in Your ways. Amen.

MASS TIMES

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

SUNDAY MASS

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



Sunday, April 27, 2025 Fr. Frankline baptized Evan, Liam and Leevi Prater at St. Joachim Catholic Church. Jasmine Prater is the mother of the 3 boys and the sponsors were, Jason and Tracie Prater along with Madeleine Oblena. Devoted grandparents are William and Parthina Prater. It was a great celebration with family, friends and parishioners. Molly Wallace made the wonderful cake for this special occasion. May God continue to bless you all.



Sunday, April 27, 2025 Fr. Frankline, family, friends and parishioners at St. Charles celebrated Holy First Communion with Joseph Bates of St. Joachim along with Patricia Marroquin and Angie Feliciano of St. Charles. (2 churches 1 heart) There was a reception after mass for everyone to enjoy and celebrate with them in their First Holy Communion. May God continue to bless you all.





Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus Council # 13513 from St. Charles and St. Joachim parishes have a scheduled monthly meeting on **Tuesday, May 13, 2025** at 6:30pm in Macey Hall.

ADULT LUNCHEON

The Adult luncheon for May has been scheduled for **Thursday, May 15, 2025 at 12:00 (noon) in Macey Hall.** Trudie Griffin will be hosting the May adult luncheon. The theme will be a Hawaiian Luau! We hope to see lots of smiling faces for food and fellowship.

Church office e-mail contacts

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St. Charles Catholic Church
April 26 and 27, 2025

| | Collected | Weekly Need | Short/Long |
|------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Offertory | \$ 5286.00 | \$ 3000.00 | \$ 2286.00 |
| Adult Luncheon | \$ 83.00 | | |
| Religious Articles | \$ 27.00 | | |
| Stipends | \$ 340.00 | | |
| Candles | \$ 21.00 | | |
| Catholic Home Missions | \$ 195.00 | | |
| PSR | \$ 80.00 | | |

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 at 6:30pm, on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month after Mass.



SOUP BOWL

St. Charles volunteer day for the Soup Bowl will be **Tuesday, May 6th, 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 256-820-0685.



It's that time of the year again. Please let the office know if you have someone in your family that will be graduating from High School or College, the church would like to recognize their accomplishment.



St. Joachim Catholic Church
April 27, 2025

| | Collected | Weekly Need | Short/Long |
|------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Offertory | \$ 1430.00 | \$ 600.00 | \$ 830.00 |
| Catholic Home Missions | \$ 198.00 | | |

PSR/RCIA 2023

Class: Wednesday, May 7, 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

Cell: 256-283-9380



SAV-A-LIFE

ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

St. Charles and St. Joachim parishes are once again participating in the Baby Bottle Boomerang fundraiser. Last year (2024) our parishes collected a total of over \$ 600.00.

If you took a baby bottle from the vestibule, we would like to say thank you. **We will need all bottles back by Sunday, May 11th (Mother's Day).** For more information please contact LeAnne at 256-500-6693.

The secret of happiness is to live moment by moment and to thank God for all that He, in His goodness, sends to us day after day.— St. Gianna Molla

Upcoming Diaconate Information Session

Men, do you feel God is calling you to serve in a deeper way in your parish and community? Then perhaps you are being called to be a Deacon. The Inquiry period begins August 16th to select a group of men to continue to the Aspirancy formation beginning January 2026. The following information sessions are scheduled: May 31st at 10:00 am – 12:00 pm at Prince of Peace Catholic Church, 4600 Preserve Parkway, Hoover, AL 35226 June 8th at 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm at St. Mary of the Visitation, 222 Jefferson St. N., Huntsville, AL 35801 in the Fr. Treacy Hall.

Additional information and requirements to enter diaconate formation can be found at the Office of Permanent Diaconate website - <https://www.bhmdiocese.org/office-of-permanent-diaconate>. You can also fill out the registration form for the Inquiry period at this website. Online registration is open now through July 3rd. If you have questions, contact the Director of Formation, Permanent Diaconate Program, Deacon Jeff Montgomery at jmontgomery@bhmdiocese.org.

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, 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 Tusio, Cheryl Edmondson, Helen Cote, Sandra Howard, Sue Tolleson, Helen Rosier, The Nattekkadan/Shaju Families, Jeff

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 start 15 minutes before Adoration and will provide music during the Holy Hour.

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

Adoration and Mass are part of our program and we hope to enhance both with the presence of the Holy Spirit.

Any questions?

Call or text Eddie Victoria at 334-300-6253.



If you would like to come to St. Charles for private prayer, Macey Hall and the office will be open the following times:

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

Please continue to pray for the unborn.

Large, Dennis Ott, Kelley Ramsey, Calvin Hicks, Kaye Batchelor, Debbie Pritchard, Mike Scheid, Donna Dennis, Ken Klug, 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, The Underheim Family, 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, Rita Coppola, Sam Cook



ROSARY PRAYER GROUP

Rosary Prayer Group will meet on **Tuesday, May 6, 2025** in Macey Hall. Hope to see you there!

ANOINTING OF THE SICK/ MINISTRY TO THE SICK

We would like to remind our parishioners that if you are sick, hospitalized or have a scheduled surgery please let the Church Office or the Priest or Deacon know.

Please call the parish office to arrange for anointing and or Communion for someone who is seriously ill or preparing for surgery. **If ill, homebound or hospitalized, we can visit upon request.**



WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER.

Easter brings us new hope. Let us bring new hope to our marriage by attending a Marriage Encounter Experience to learn how Jesus gives us the graces for a strong Sacrament. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience will be a virtual one hosted by the Atlanta WWME community. It is scheduled for June 6-8. A \$100 Non-refundable registration fee applies. Early registration is highly recommended. Sign up at wwme.org/apply (look for weekends in Atlanta). For more information contact: Doug and Maureen Newlands at 678-242-9963.