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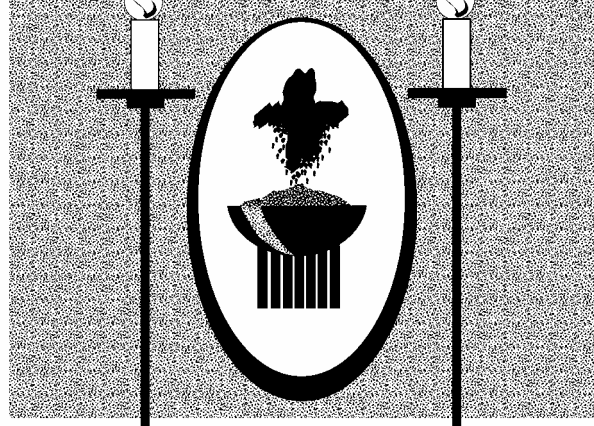
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February 21, 2010 – First Sunday of Lent

The same Lord is Lord of all. Everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord will be saved.



first sunday of lent

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PARISH CLERGY

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| Fr. Michael Foley | Pastor |
| Fr. Christian Winkeljohn | Parochial Vicar |
| Fr. Will Ganci | Parochial Vicar |
| Rev. Mr. Marcus Hepburn | Deacon |
| Rev. Mr. Ed Melvin | Deacon |
| Rev. Mr. Jerry Haynes | Deacon |
| Rev. Mr. Tom McBrearty | Deacon |
| Rev. Mr. Mark Schneider | Deacon |

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:30 PM
Sabado Misa en Español 7:00 PM
Sunday 8, 10:15 AM, 12:00 Noon & 6 PM
Mon-Sat 9 AM
Mon-Tues-Thurs-Fri 5:45 PM (Sept-May)
Wed 7 PM
Mon-Fri 6:45 AM during Advent & Lent
Christmas, Easter & Holy Days Special Schedule

PARISH STAFF

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| Susan Pignataro | Parish Bookkeeper |
| Sandy McCusker | Parish Secretary |
| Bette Scaringe | Director of Religious Education |
| Paul Cacciatore | Director of Youth Ministry |
| Pat & Bill Beckett | Pastoral Associates |

NURSERY available for all Masses in the lower level of the Parish Center.

HEARING-IMPAIRED Headsets available in sound room at the back of church.

HANDICAPPED Reserved seating in the two front & two back pews in center section.

PARISH OFFICE Office Hours:
Mon-Fri 8:30 AM-4:30 PM

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9:30 AM, 4-5 PM & Upon Request

PARISH VISION

As a people of the Eucharist
Loved by God we gather
Formed and fed we grow
Loving God we serve

ANOINTING OF SICK Contact Parish Office 893-1837.

After Office Hours & Weekends, leave a message on

the Office Voice Mail and call 893-2381.
in the Parish Office or contact Marriage & Family
Life at (850) 435-3532 or michieb@ptdiocese.org.

MASS INTENTIONS

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| Sat | Feb 20 | 5:30 | Michael Piette Alexander Descalzo |
| Sun | Feb 21 | 8:00 10:15 | Mary Ranjitham & Arokia Swamy Margaret Hanley Frank Bahmann |
| | | 12:00 | Good Shepherd Parish |
| | | 6:00 | Special Intention (L) |
| Mon | Feb 22 | 6:45 9:00 | Greene & Foley Families Laura Lee Madden Billy Stout |
| | | 5:45 | Tom O'Hay Brian Foley |
| Tue | Feb 23 | 6:45 9:00 | Fitzpatrick Family Lafferty Family Antionette Slosek Lily Sweeney |
| | | 5:45 | Shanahan & Greene Families |
| Wed | Feb 24 | 6:45 9:00 7:00 | McMahon & Madigan Families Mass for Peace Howe Family Staunton Family |
| Thu | Feb 25 | 6:45 9:00 | Bridget Shannon Michael Vaughan Eleanor Peed Evelyn Mihelch |
| | | 5:45 | Henry Carney Danny Brown |
| Fri | Feb 26 | 6:45 9:00 | Doherty & Considine Families Neil Chester Paddy Foley |
| | | 5:45 | Michael Curry Nora Eagen |
| Sat | Feb 27 | 9:00 5:30 | Special Intention Greg Hertz Mark Daigneault |
| Sun | Feb 28 | 8:00 10:15 12:00 6:00 | John Yancoskie John Lagakos Joseph Bartolucci Leonel Paquin Judy Jordan (L) Maureen Parker (L) Good Shepherd Parish |

STEWARDSHIP – A WAY OF LIFE

Thoughts on Stewardship

"I have now brought you the first fruits of the products of the soil which you, O Lord, have given to me." Deuteronomy 26:10

This simple line from the Old Testament presents us with two challenges. First, do we bring God our first fruits – the best that we have to offer? Second, do we remember that everything we have has been given to us by God? We brought nothing into this world and we can take nothing from it. So why not share what we have while we are here?

Stewardship of Time & Talent

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are privileged to serve as Ministers of the Body and Blood at weekend and weekday Masses. Thanks to all who serve in this ministry!

Stewardship of Creation

If a quarter of the households in the United States replaced one incandescent light bulb with one CFL (compact fluorescent light bulb), it would save as much CO₂ as planting 257,215 acres of forest.

Treasure: Thank you for sharing!

ADULT MINISTRY

SOUP SUPPER AND STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Share this special season of faith in fellowship with family and friends on Fridays during Lent. Soup is served in Community Center at 6:30 PM, followed by Stations of the Cross at 7:30 PM. Adoration will follow the Stations with Benediction at 9:20 PM.

JUBILEE CELEBRATION-MARRIED COUPLES

All married couples who will celebrate their 1st, 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, or 50th+ Wedding Anniversary in the Year 2010 are invited to join in a Diocesan Wedding Jubilee Mass on **Sunday, February 28** at the Co-Cathedral of Saint Thomas More at 11:45 AM. Pre-Registration is required. Forms available on the 'Welcome Wagon',

LENTEN REFLECTIONS

Jack Johnson will present a series of Lenten Reflections, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evening, February 21-23 at 7:30 PM in the church. The theme will be "Finding Yourself in the Desert: the Life of the Beloved". For 22 years, Jack served as an ordained Baptist minister. After considerable study and a giant step of faith, he converted to Catholicism in 1999. Since that time, Jack has shared his life-changing discovery of the fullness of the Catholic way of life with numerous parishes and also served as a Hospice Spiritual Counselor. He previously spoke at Good Shepherd in March, 2002.

RED MASS

Ever since the 13th Century, the Red Mass has been a formal occasion set aside for the asking of God's Help and Wisdom upon our lawmakers. This time of prayer to the Lord for

our government leaders and legislators is a significant and unique opportunity. You are invited to attend the 35th Annual Red Mass on Wed, March 10 at 6 PM at St. Thomas More. A reception will follow Mass.

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY COUPLES The longest married couples at each Mass for World Marriage Day were: Pat & Ed Kowalski - 61 years, Shirley & Harold Taul - 59 years, Bill and Lil Ludy - 65 years, Carol and Cal Cameron - 65 years, Bob and Donna Welch - 57 years. Congratulations and thank you for your faithful witness!

CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH WEEKENDS

Do you want to feel connected to your parish & grow in your relationship with Christ? This wonderful retreat has been offered twice a year at Good Shepherd for the past 20 years and is open to all adult parishioners. The women's weekend is April 10-11 and the men's weekend is April 17-18. The retreat is absolutely free. Look in the vestibule for more info. If interested, contact Kathleen Greenwood 443-7696 for the women's weekend & Terry Case 997-6351 for the men's weekend. We look forward to seeing you!

CRHP CONTINUATION COMMITTEE is looking for new faces. In order to keep this ministry going, we need past members to discern if God is calling you to participate on the present team or to help evangelize this ministry. Please call Terry Case at 997-6351 for the men's weekend or Kathleen Greenwood at 877-6240 for the women's weekend.

WINGS MEETING Tuesday, March 2 at 7:30 PM in the Community Center. We will be discussing the upcoming Spring Tea. Please come join us for fun and fellowship.

MOGS MEETING Wednesday, Mar 3 at 7:30 PM
All men of the parish invited.
Agenda: Review of Italian Feast. Saint Patrick's Day Dinner (Sat, Mar 13). Golf Outing/Cookout (Friday, May 7). Reception for Fr. Kevin McQuone (Sunday, June 6). Low Country Boil (Saturday, June 12). For further information, call Al Porostovsky at 668-4220.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE Your presence in front of the abortion clinic can be what gives a woman the courage to turn away from

abortion and to choose life for her baby. The 40 Days for Life Campaign from Feb 17-March 28 is a time of concentrated prayer at the Cross Creek abortion clinic, fasting, and community outreach. During the campaign we have the special privilege of hearing Dr. Alveda King speak on the campus of FSU in HCB 101 on Tues, Feb 23 at 7:30 PM. To learn more or to sign up to pray, www.40daysforlife.com/tallahassee.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER TRAINING

Are you interested in serving communion at Mass? You must attend two classes: one on the theology & spirituality of this ministry and one on the "how to's" of the ministry. Theology/spirituality date: Wed, Feb 24 at 7:30 PM in room 201. "How to" date: Sunday, Feb 28 at 7:30 PM in the church. You do not need to take the classes in sequence but you must attend one of each class to become an Extraordinary Minister. Former Good Shepherd Extraordinary Ministers can attend one of the "how to" classes to be reinstated. For more info, call Bill Perkins 893-5589.

YOUNG ADULTS Pot-luck gathering with praise & worship on Sat, Feb 27 from 6:30-9 PM at St. Louis Parish. Bring a dish to share. For info, kuntzm@ptdiocese.org or 850-435-3523.

NEW MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER CIRCLE

All couples who have attended a Marriage Encounter weekend are invited to come socialize with other ME couples on Saturday, February 27 at 7 PM at the home of John and Carrie Milhous. We will have fun getting to know each other and discuss the creation of a Marriage Encounter Circle, whereby we can meet monthly to join in fellowship with other couples interested in enhancing their sacramental marriage. Call Carrie at 850-443-4868 for more information.

2010 CATHOLIC DAYS AT THE CAPITOL

Under the direction of the Florida Catholic Conference, Catholics come from around the state to engage lawmakers on issues of human life & dignity. Participants attend a legislative briefing before meeting with elected officials. A luncheon is held for Catholic Days participants, Florida's bishops and legislators. Participants are also invited to attend the annual Red Mass of the Holy Spirit. Archbishop of Miami John C. Favalora will serve as Homilist. Registration form available at www.flacathconf.org. Forms are also available on the Good Shepherd Welcome Wagon. Deadline for registration, Feb 27. For more info, Deacon Mark Schneider at 907-9386.

CROWN MINISTRIES God has so much to say about our finances and how we handle them. Especially in these stressful times, His words are steady reminders of our responsibility in handling His gifts as He shares them with us. Crown Ministries teaches these Godly principles and their affect on our lives. Many have taken Crown and benefited greatly. Info, call Sharon Wilcox 893-5227. Anyone who has taken Crown and would like to be involved in this ministry in any way, please call.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN EVANGELIZATION?

Do you have the gift of evangelization? If so, please join the Pastoral Council's Goal Team 3. We are at the beginning stages of forming an Evangelization Core Community and invite any parishioner to join this important effort. Our next meeting is Tuesday, March 2 in Room 310 at 7 PM. More information about the Pastoral Council & this goal is available at <http://goodshepherdparish.org/ministries/PastoralCouncil/default.htm> or by contacting Michelle Dahnke at mdahnke@gmail.com.

FAMILY HEALING RETREAT All Catholic men in the Tallahassee area are invited to attend a retreat sponsored by the Men of St. Joseph. The Family Healing Retreat is on Saturday, March 6 from 9 AM to 6 PM at St. Louis Parish in the Social Hall. Fr. Joseph Ssemakula will be the presenter. Lunch will be provided. Donation of \$10 per person is requested. Please contact Dasha Nixon to RSVP at dnixon@co-cathedral.com.

MINISTRIES CONFERENCE Saturday, March 6 at St. Sylvester Parish in Navarre from 8:15-3 PM CST. "Seven Sacraments – One Mystery, Source of Our Life in Christ!" Nationally-recognized speakers & local favorites will make the day rewarding and spiritually valuable. Lectors, Catechists, Youth Workers, Musicians, Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist – this is for you! For brochure & registration form go to www.ptdiocese.org/christian-formation/christian-formation.shtml. Contact: mcneills@ptdiocese.org, 850/435-3526. REGISTER NOW!

CENTERING PRAYER WORKSHOP Resting in God's

Presence presented by Fr. William A. Meninger, O.C.S.O. on Saturday, March 13 from 9 AM-3 PM at St. Mary Catholic Church, Fort Walton Beach. This workshop is for beginners as well as those already familiar with Contemplative Prayer. Visit Father Meninger's website at www.contemplativeprayer.net.

Lunch provided. Donations will help cover the costs. For info/registration, contact the St. Mary Parish Life Center, 850-226-4712 or Deacon Dan McAuliffe, 850-582-1877, cuajcl@cox.net.

CATHOLIC TALLAHASSEE SINGLES (40+)

Sat, Feb 27 from 11AM-5 PM. Antique show in Thomasville & meal at George & Louie's. Contact Pat at patcampbill3@gmail.com. Info, www.csot.org.

YOUTH MINISTRY

LIFE NIGHT All high school students are invited to Life Night Sunday, Feb. 21 from 7:30-9. The theme is "A House Divided".

TEEN MUSICIANS NEEDED Do you have a musical gift that you would be willing to share on a weekly basis at the 6 PM Mass? The Life Teen Band is in need of teen musicians to lead the congregation in musical prayer. Contact Paul cacciatorep@gs.ptdiocese.org and/or attend rehearsal, starting on Tuesday, February 23 from 7-8:30 PM.

UNSTOPPABLE LIFE TEEN SPRING RETREAT

Friday, Mar 26-Sunday, Mar 28. All 9th-12th grade students are invited to join Good Shepherd Life Teen for an awesome retreat weekend. Get away, relax, and recharge from a long school semester. Cost is \$50. Pick up your paperwork from the Youth Office or Parish Office. Deadline is March 17.

STEUBENVILLE ATLANTA 2010 July 16-18.

Steubenville Atlanta is an annual conference for high school students. Spots were sold out last year & will sell out again – reserve your spot with a \$50 deposit.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

CONFIRMATION PRACTICE Sunday, Feb 21 at 1:30 PM in the Church. Required for candidates and sponsors.

CONFIRMATION Sat, Feb 27 at 10 AM & 2 PM.

Beginning Confirmation

families should bring the food for the two receptions to the Community Center by 9:30 AM.

IS YOUR CHILD BAPTIZED? If not, contact the parish office to register for the baptism class. Please note: Children must be baptized **before registering for 2nd grade (First Communion classes)**. Older children who are not baptized are invited to join our RCIA for children and youth program—contact Bette at 893-1837.

CONFIRMATION 2011 Last call to join this year's

Confirmation class for Confirmation in 2011. We have a high school class in addition to our 8th grade classes. Contact Bette at scaringeb@gs.ptdiocese.org.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2010 Mark your calendar for June 14-18. Volunteers are needed now. Contact Rosemary Prince at goodshepherdvbs@comcast.net or 321-3353 for more information.

GENERAL INFORMATION

SINCEREST SYMPATHY

To **Helen Terranova and Carol Alvarez** on the death of **Cathy Schiebel**, daughter & sister
To **Alana Halley and Harry, Nick & Melissa** on the death of **Harry Halley**, husband & father
To **Doris Baranik** on the death of her sister **Jerrilou Havrilak Magnes**
To **Carolyn, Michael & Raymond Kucera** on the death of their mother **Mary Kucera**
To **Doretha Hall** on the death of her mother **Elizabeth Hall**

Eternal rest grant them O Lord. May they rest in peace. Amen

WE PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE ILL, ESPECIALLY

Toia Furr
A complete list of prayer intentions is available in the parish office & vestibule bookrack.

OPERATION RICE BOWL In Luke's story of the temptation of Jesus we see how we can be tempted by wealth, power, and

esteem just as He was. Lent calls us to focus on our faith life by living it in deeper ways. As we begin our journey with Catholic Relief Services' Operation Rice Bowl, let us pray and sacrifice so that through our faith life we can make a difference in the lives of our brothers and sisters in need. Rice Bowl Packets are available in the church vestibule. Visit orb.crs.org for more information.

NAILS As you exit church you will find a basket of

nails. Please take a nail and keep it with you during Lent as a symbol of Jesus' sacrifice for us. On Good Friday you will be invited to hammer your nail into a wooden cross as a sign of our sins against God and others.

CITIZENS AGAINST THE DEATH PENALTY

The Tallahassee Citizens Against the Death Penalty is holding a workshop Sat, Feb 27 from 12:45-4:30 PM, Program Room B, LeRoy Collins Library, 200 W. Park Ave, to educate death penalty opponents about advocating for ending the death penalty. It includes: experts' presentations on legal, ethical, religious, racial, and financial problems with the death penalty; presentations by a homicide survivor and by a former journalist who witnessed an execution; instruction from an experienced legislative lobbyist; and will conclude with a documentary about an innocent man who spent 18 years on Florida's death row. See tcadp.net or contact LouiseRitchie@aol.com.

TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Trinity offers a strong Catholic faith environment and quality education through early childhood, elementary and middle school years. Open enrollment is now underway in grades PreK4 through grade eight only. What can be more valuable for your child than extending the Catholic tradition begun by you as parents, their first teachers? Call 222-0444 soon for a tour of our school and visit www.trinityknights.org.

CATHOLIC STUDENT UNION NEED The CSU is seeking a donated vehicle for use by their female interns. If you or someone you know has a vehicle, please contact Brother Jason Zink brojason@brohope.net.

SOUTHWOODSTOCK MUSIC & ARTS FESTIVAL

March 20. Sponsorship applications are available for the festival, a fundraiser for John Paul II Catholic

High School. Games, food, soft drinks, desserts, beer & wine. Fun for everyone. For info, call 201-5744.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CRUISE RAFFLE

If you purchase the winning ticket you and a companion will spend seven days aboard the Royal Caribbean Freedom of the Sea. Departure from Port Canaveral, Sunday, June 6. Ports of call include Coco Cay in the Bahamas; Charlotte Amalie in St. Thomas; Philipsburg in St Maarten; and then return to Port Canaveral, Sunday, June 13.

Accommodations: Balcony stateroom located mid-ship. Price: \$50 per ticket, only 200 tickets will be sold! *Alternative sailing dates based on availability. Tickets are on sale after Masses. Info, contact Andrew Heimbecher at 544-8974 or Randall Smith at 893-2347.

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| <p>We appreciate the support of the sponsors of our Bulletin. Thank you.</p> |
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