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MASS SCHEDULE

8:00 a.m. Monday - Friday (livestreamed)
5:30 p.m. Saturday Vigil
7:30 p.m. Saturday (Spanish) in Green Cove
8:00 a.m. Sunday (livestreamed on Facebook)
10:30 a.m. Sunday

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

4:30 - 5:15 p.m. Saturday

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1610 Blanding Boulevard, Middleburg 32068

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Website: www.SacredHeartCatholicChurch.org

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STEWARDSHIP

What do Christians bring to the Eucharistic celebration and join with Jesus' offering? The answer is their lives as Christian disciples, their personal vocations, the stewardship they have exercised regarding them, and their individual contributions to restoring all things in Christ.

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Sacrificial Giving: \$ 5,989.00
Building Fund: \$ 4,381.00
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THIS WEEK

SATURDAY, JUNE 1ST

9:00 a.m. Soup Kitchen in Green Cove Springs

SUNDAY, JUNE 2ND

MONDAY, JUNE 3RD

5:00 p.m. Prayer Ministry in the Church
6:00 p.m. CCW Board Meeting in Building A

TUESDAY, JUNE 4TH

8:45 a.m. Divine Mercy in Building A Kitchen
1:00 p.m. Small Group in Building A Kitchen
6:30 p.m. Hispanic Ministry Choir in Green Cove Springs
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts in Building B

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5TH

9:00 a.m. Study Group in Building A Kitchen
6:00 p.m. High School Youth in the Activity Center
7:00 p.m. Choir practice in the Church

THURSDAY, JUNE 6TH

8:30 a.m. Rosary in the Church
6:00 p.m. K of C in the Activity Center

FRIDAY, JUNE 7TH

8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Adoration in the Church
6:00 p.m. 150th Anniversary Parish Feast Day Mass
6:30 p.m. Hispanic Ministry Adoration in Green Cove

SATURDAY, JUNE 8TH

9:00 a.m. Soup Kitchen in Green Cove Springs
9:00 a.m. -noon Parking Lot Food Drive
12:00 p.m. SFO in the Church

SUNDAY, JUNE 9TH

11:30 a.m. 150th Anniversary Family Fun Day

MUSIC SELECTION

Corpus Christi • Gather Book Reading #1090

Opening: At the Table of Jesus #948

Psalm 116: I will take the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord.

Communion: This is the Body of Christ #951 // Eat This Bread #941

Closing: Alleluia Sing to Jesus #949

GOSPEL REFLECTION

I never noticed it before, but our reading from Mark's gospel is similar to the story in John's gospel of the wedding feast at Cana. They begin with a problem presented to Jesus: Lack of wine (John) and a place for Passover meal (Mark.) Jesus responds to both by giving orders: to the waiters (Jn) and to the apostles (Mk.) And both have miraculous changes: water into wine (Jn); bread and wine into Jesus' Body and Blood (Mk.)

Now the wedding feast showed Jesus replacing the water used for purifying dishes with wine to bring joy to the wedding. He replaced the kosher laws with a new one, the law of love, symbolized by the feast. In our gospel today, Jesus replaces ordinary food with spiritual food. He is doing something new, beyond the requirements of the Old Testament.

What does that mean for us? Jesus is showing God's love for us in a new way. The bread and wine at the last Supper were signs of Jesus' body being broken and his blood poured out for us on the cross. When he gave his life for us, he rose from the dead to give us hope. And now we have the Eucharist, in which he becomes our new food and drink.

Do we really believe that the Eucharist is Jesus, the Son of God? The way to measure that is to ask, how has Jesus changed your life? Do you love others more because you know God loves you? Do you have less fear of the future, because the Holy Spirit gives you courage? Let us look forward to being renewed in spirit whenever we receive the Body and Blood of Christ.

Tom Schmidt

RESPECT LIFE

We are currently looking for a Respect Life Coordinator. There are no regular meetings for this ministry. The Respect Life Coordinator would be responsible for planning the Respect Life Rosary and working with the Diocese to coordinate our parish's involvement in the March for Life. If you are interested, please contact the parish office.

150TH ANNIVERSARY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, June 7th - Feast Day Mass at 6 p.m. in the church

Friday, June 7th - 150th Gala Semi-Formal Dinner in Sullivan Hall (tickets required)

Saturday, June 8th - Food Drive in parking lot from 9 a.m. to 12 noon

Saturday, June 8th - Secular Franciscan Welcoming Ceremony, Adoration, and Litany of the Sacred Heart 1 p.m. - 2 p.m. in the church

Sunday, June 9th - Family Fun Day and picnic at 11:30 a.m. in Sullivan Hall (please RSVP)

**Please see page 5 for all the details and RSVP information.*

150TH ANNIVERSARY PRAYER

Almighty and Loving Father, we come to you on this Anniversary of our parish with grateful hearts. We thank you for allowing this parish to be home to so many over the past one and a half centuries. We thank you for all the priests, deacons, sisters, and faithful who have been part of this community. We thank you for the many things you have taught us through your Word, and for the many answered prayers.

As we gather to give thanks for God's blessings, we ask that you keep each of us and this parish united in the bond of your love. Make us in these future years the heralds of your love and mercy. Breathe new life into us, warm the hearts that have grown cold.

In your great mercy please comfort the lonely, heal the sick, welcome the dying, call back the prodigals, help the youth and children, sustain the working men and women.

Renew in us a sincere love and appreciation of the Sacraments, especially the Eucharist.

Through the intercession of Mary Mother of God and our Mother, we ask your blessing on our parish and all its members.

Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us. **Amen.**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration for the 2024-2025 school year is now available in the kiosk in the narthex, on the parish website, & on the Religious Ed Facebook Page.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Meet in **SULLIVAN HALL** for Youth Ministry this **Wednesday, June 5th**
Rising 9th grade - Current High School students
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.



Join us **June 10-14th**, every day from **1:00 to 3:45 p.m.** Only \$25 per child for the whole week! Registration Forms are located in the Church Narthex or on our website!

Going on vacation this summer? Go to <https://discovermass.com/church/sacred-heart-fleming-island-fl/#bulletins> and click on the orange Sign Up Today button under Email Notification to get the bulletin sent right to your inbox!



Parent's NIGHT OUT

Friday, June 7th, 2024
6:30pm - 10:30pm
\$30 / child

Must call in advance to RSVP 904-284-3811 or email nancy.valdes@sacredheartcatholicchurch.org

This is a fundraiser for Sacred Heart Youth Ministry, all funds raised will help us attend Steubenville Youth Conference



St. Joseph gave his entire life to the child – Jesus. We will be offering Fathers' Day cards the weekends of June 1/2 and June 8/9. Donations are appreciated. Your fathers, living or deceased will receive special prayers at all Masses on Fathers' Day, and all proceeds will be used to fund pro-life activities in the Diocese. Let's help those who need to make a decision, say "No" to abortion and "Yes" to having that child.
Council of Catholic Women



We will be having a Cake Walk as one of our Family Fun Day events on June 9th. We are looking for volunteers to bring a cake or dessert to add to our cake table. If you would like to contribute, please call the parish office at (904) 284-3811.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for Adult Volunteers to help with VBS this June 10-14th. For more information, please call Kristin at (904) 284-9983.

JOIN US IN CELEBRATING THE 150TH ANNIVERSARY OF SACRED HEART PARISH

150th Anniversary Gala Tickets

If you RSVP'd for the Gala, please pick up your tickets at the Parish Office. Office hours are Monday - Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

150th Anniversary
Parish Feast Day Mass
Friday, June 7th at 6 p.m.

Sacred Heart Church
(no tickets required to attend mass)

150th Anniversary Parking Lot Food Drive

Our quarterly Jack Graves Memorial Parking Lot Food Drive to benefit the Food Pantry of Green Cove Springs will be held on **June 8th, 2024, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.** as part of our parish's 150th anniversary celebration. We will once again be joined by our neighbors at the Fleming Island United Methodist Church in this effort to help those in need from our local community.

Donations of non-perishable food items are needed: Canned goods (soups, fruit, vegetables, tuna, chicken, meats, beef stew); ramen noodles, pasta, peanut butter, spaghetti, pasta sauce, mac & cheese, jelly, oatmeal, grits, rice and pasta sides, condiments. No frozen or refrigerated items can be accepted. Cash donations are also welcome.

Secular Franciscan Fraternity Welcoming Ceremony, Adoration, and Litany of the Sacred Heart

The local Secular Franciscan Order of St. Bonaventure that meets here at Sacred Heart, in recognition of our parish's 150th Anniversary, would like to invite everyone to attend the welcoming ceremony of two individuals studying for admission to the order.

That ceremony will be followed by Exposition, Adoration, Benediction, and Repose of the Most Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. We will also pray the Litany of the Sacred Heart in thanksgiving of our 150 years as a parish.

This event will be in the main church beginning at **1 p.m. on Saturday June 8th with benediction and final prayers at 2 p.m.** All are welcome to witness this unique event and then spend time in prayer with the true presence of Christ in the Eucharist.

ADORATION

First Friday Adoration is on **June 7th from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.** What better time to adore the Sacred Heart than on this special feast day. We are asking everyone to enter your prayer petitions in the Narthex. These will be placed before the monstrance at adoration. Here, we unite our heartfelt prayer with the Sacred Heart of Jesus. We especially remember the sick and deceased of our parish. All are invited.

CONTINUE THE 150TH WEEKEND EVENTS

FAMILY FUN DAY

Sunday, June 9th at 11:30 a.m.

**Free to attend but please
call (904) 284-3811 to
RSUP by May 24th**

Our Family Fun Day committee has been hard at work to offer loads of fun for all ages:

- Inflatable Obstacle Course
- Bounce House
- Giant Kerplunk
- Giant Jenga
- Corn Hole
- Checkers
- Volleyball
- Water Balloon Toss
- Scavenger Hunt
- Bible Escape Room
- Magic Show
- DJ
- Bingo
- The Price is Right
- Cake Walk
- Craft Table
- Toddler area
- Bubble Machine

Hot dogs, hamburgers, and an ice cream bar will be served for lunch until 1:00 p.m.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 1st at 5:30 p.m. - In memory of Mary Regal requested by Mary Regal Burness
Sunday, June 2nd at 8:00 a.m. - For the parishioners of Sacred Heart
Sunday, June 2nd at 10:30 a.m. - In memory of Patria Pineda requested by Lynn Rogers
Monday, June 3rd at 8:00 a.m. - In memory of Jay Oliverio requested by Thresa Oliverio
Tuesday, June 4th at 8:00 a.m. - In memory of Patria Pineda requested by Eden McHugh
Wednesday, June 5th at 8:00 a.m. - In memory of John and Julia Magyar requested by Marsha Zupan
Thursday, June 6th at 8:00 a.m. - In memory of Bob Engelke requested by Misty Skaggs
Friday, June 7th at 8:00 a.m. - In memory of Patricia Angelini requested by Adam Angelini
Friday, June 7th at 6:00 p.m. - For all Sacred Heart parishioners, past, present, and future
Saturday, June 8th at 5:30 p.m. - In memory of Ruth Mustonen requested by the Ministry of Consolation
Sunday, June 9th at 8:00 a.m. - In memory of Jere Cook requested by Kristin Michler-Belleza
Sunday, June 9th at 10:30 a.m. - In memory of Michele Schoonmaker requested by David Schoonmaker

PRAYER LIST

We pray for those in need of our prayers...

Pat Beckham, Mary Latham, Mary Alice Marley, Roy Vachon, Marilyn Wojciechowski,

Gloria Allen, Jerry Allen, Gayle Anderson, April Dickerson, Kitty Estes, Tom Garofalo, Cheryl Gomes, Peter Gomes, Barbara Graf, Stacey Harbeson, Betty Harper, Mark Hathaway, Zach Hathaway, Rich Hogan, Mark Jones, Allison Joy, John Keene, Suzie Kelley, JR Lindsay, Cindy Mackert, Daria, David Moniz, Tommy Nolan, Mary O'Connor, Mary Peterson, Tommy Purrington, Yonathan Roberts, Sharon Sciuto, Martha Scott, Russ Sheffield, Carl Wallace, Bonnie Willis,

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Juan Blanco, Allison Joy, Ed Mossien, Martha Scott, August Watson, Brenda Wery, our prayer blanket recipients and our homebound parishioners.

READINGS

**Scripture Readings
For the Week of June 2, 2024**

Sunday **Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**
Ex 24:3-8, Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18;
Heb 9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Monday **Memorial of Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs**
2 Pt 1:2-7; Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16;
Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10,
14 and 16; Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday **Memorial of Saint Boniface, Bishop, Martyr**
2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2ab,
2cdef; Mk 12:18-27

Thursday 2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and
14; Mk 12:28-34

Friday **Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**
Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6;
Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37

Saturday **Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
2 Tm 4:1-8; Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17,
22; Lk 2:41-51

Sunday **Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Gn 3:9-15; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; 2
Cor 4:13—5:1; Mk 3:20-35

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Support the Youth Group and show your love for Sacred Heart with our T-Shirt Fundraiser



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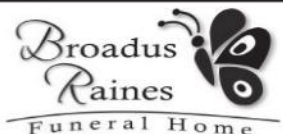
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