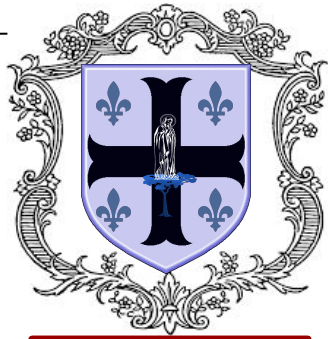


## WELCOME TO THE SHRINE of OUR LADY

We welcome all our Parishioners and esteemed Guests as you come to experience the beauty of the Ancient Liturgy and Devotions here at this special Parish and also Diocesan Shrine to Our Lady of Fatima. We hope you will become a regular member of our Catholic Parish where, always, Tradition is in season!  
God bless you!



O Prince of Peace, to all who receive Thee, Thou bright light and peace. Help me to live in daily contact with Thee, listening to the words Thou have spoken and obeying them. O Divine Child, I place my hands in Thine; I shall follow Thee. Oh, let Thy divine life flow into me... O my God, fill my soul with holy joy, courage and strength to serve Thee. Enkindle Thy love in me and then walk with me along the next stretch of road before me. I do not see very far ahead, but when I have arrived where the horizon now closes down, a new prospect will open before me and I shall meet with peace. How wondrous are the marvels of Thy love, we are amazed, we stammer and grow dumb, for word and spirit fail us.

(St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross).

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST - AUGUST 9, 2020 - NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

**COLLECTION** - Those who care to continue to help us in our mission, please send your donations by mail or use the online giving on our website ([latinmasspensacola.com](http://latinmasspensacola.com)). THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY. We still have bills to pay... Please continue to support our Shrine with your prayers and your donation.

**CEILING** - We have already begun collecting moneys for the special project of the new ceiling for our beautiful Shrine. Also we will do necessary repairs and embellishing of the outside roof. Please use a Building Fund envelope. Important: make out your checks to St. Stephen and put "ceiling project" on your Memo line. Please be as generous as you can be! Thank you! We thank all those who have already given!

**PARISH WEBSITE** - Have you checked our parish website lately? Not only can you listen (again) to the Rev. Canon's Sermons, but also in the Links section you can find literally a ton of information about the Catholic Faith and moral life as well as many helps for family life.

**BURSE CLUB** - THIS weekend our Ladies' Sodality will start collecting donations for the Burse Club, one of whose Founders was the first organist of this Parish in 1922, Katherine Marques Geist. The DCCW gave the Bishop over \$200,000 this year for the education of future Priests for this Diocese. They ask just \$12 a year. We challenge everyone to make it \$120. The Canon will start it off as usual. Though there are still many problems with the education of Priests, it has improved a thousandfold in the last 20 years!

**CONFIRMATION** - Bishop Wack has agreed to come to our Parish and to bestow the Sacrament of Confirmation in the Gregorian Rite to those who are ready. Canon Pérez will meet with those parents interested. No date or time had been set at this point. No age limits have been set by him yet either...

**HOLY DAY** - Recall that August 15th, this year a Saturday, is a Holy Day of Obligation. ALL Catholics are to participate at Holy Mass. This will be ONLY at 8 AM. The 4 PM Vigil of Sunday does NOT count for this obligation

**ETIQUETTE** - We cannot help but notice that we seem to have forgotten that old adage of "Our Sunday Best." While decency and cleanliness are primordial, we should also come to Sunday Mass wearing the best we have in honor of Our Lord, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, and the Community. We hope you take note of it. This is not a beach, nor a picnic, nor a discount store... It is the Holy Temple of God, where our Salvation is worked out. We truly appreciate your cooperation in all this.

**CSA** - If you have not yet made your pledge to our Campaign, please do so. Once we meet our goal, we will get everything back for our own needs here. Please help us to do so and better even! We have already reached our goal! Please ALL donate so we can put money away for future needs (which are numerous). Thanks for your generosity!

**PLENARY INDULGENCE** - We remind ALL a Plenary Indulgence maybe obtained by those who visit the Shrine and pray before the image of Our Lady of Fatima on the First Saturday of each month as well as the 13th day (Fatima Day). In addition there are certain holy days on which this can also take place. Do not disparage the Gifts from God!

**LEGION OF MARY** - The Legion of Mary Comitium will meet THIS Sunday at 2 PM in the Canon Pérez Hall. All Active and Auxiliary members are welcome to attend. Plans for the yearly Retreat will be discussed.

**ANNUAL ROSARY RALLY** - Once again we plan to host the Annual Rosary Rally here as we celebrate the 103rd Anniversary since the last Apparition of Our Lady at Fatima. It will be held on Saturday, Oct. 10th beginning with the Low Mass at 8 AM, followed by Novena and the Mysteries of the Rosary as they were in 1917. We NEED to pray for the Church, for our Country and the General Elections in November, and for our Shrine.

## MASS INTENTIONS, SAINTS and ASSIGNMENTS

			<i>Lectors</i>	
Sat. 08- 08 (P)	4:00 PM	David Vignolo	St. Dominic Guzman	
Sun. 08 - 09 (P)	7:30 AM	Michael Francis Xavier	St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, M.	4:00 PM Rose Castro
	(G) 10:30 AM	Bloomer	St. Romanus of Rome, M.	7:30 AM Harry Collins
		Gregory John Miheve	St. Lawrence, D. & M.	10:30 AM Marita Page
Mon. 08- 10 (G)	8:00 AM	Simon Jung Hong Choi	St. Clare of Assisi, V. & F.	
Tues. 08 -11 (G)	8:00 AM	Int. Simic Family	St. Jane Frances De Chantal	
Wed. 08- 12(G)	8:00 AM	Ebie Jude John Brooks	Sts. Pontian & Hippolytus	
Thurs.08 -13(G)	8:00 AM	NO MASS	St. John Berchmans	
	(G) 6:00 PM	Jeffery Woods	St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe	<i>Altar Duty</i>
Fri. 08 - 14 (G)	8:00 AM	Adornetto Family	The Assumption of Mary	Julie Martinez
Sat. 08 - 15 (G)	8:00 AM	Abbate Family	St. Stanislaus Kostka	
	(P) 4:00 PM	Pro Populo	St. Joachim	
Sun. 08 - 16 (P)	7:30 AM	Pro Populo	St. Stephen of Hungary	<i>Lawn Maintenance</i>
	(G) 10:30 AM	Int. St. Stephen Schola		Joe Dembowski

### The Fathers on the Assumption

"As the most glorious Mother of Christ, our Savior and God and the giver of life and immortality, has been endowed with life by him, she has received an eternal incorruptibility of the body together with him who has raised her up from the tomb and has taken her up to himself in a way known only to him." Modestus of Jerusalem. "Encomium in dormitionem Sanctissimae Dominae nostrae Deiparae semperque Virginis Mariae." (PG 86-II,3306),(ante A.D. 634) from Munificentissimus Deus.

"It was fitting ... that the most holy-body of Mary, God-bearing body, receptacle of God, divinised, incorruptible, illuminated by divine grace and full of glory ... should be entrusted to the earth for a little while and raised up to Heaven in glory, with her soul pleasing to God." Theoteknos of Livias, Homily on the Assumption (ante A.D. 650), in THEO, 57

"It was fitting that she, who had kept her virginity intact in childbirth, should keep her own body free from all corruption even after death. It was fitting that she, who had carried the Creator as a child at her breast, should dwell in the divine tabernacles. It was fitting that the Spouse, whom the Father had taken to Himself, should live in the divine mansions. It was fitting that she, who had seen her Son upon the Cross and who had thereby received into her heart the sword of sorrow which she had escaped when giving birth to Him, should look upon Him as He sits with the Father, It was fitting that God's Mother should possess what belongs to her Son, and that she should be honored by every creature as the Mother and as the Handmaid of God" St. John of Damascene, Dormition of Mary (PG 96,741),(ante A.D. 749) from Munificentissimus Deus.

### AUGUST - MONTH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY



Santi di Tito, Madonna della cintola, Firenze, Palazzo Pitti