



Blessed Sacrament

Catholic Church Tampa

First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 8:30am (English)

4:30pm (En. Vigil)

Sunday: 7:45am (Spanish)

10:00am (English)

12:00pm (Spanish)

Weekday Masses

Monday, Tuesday,

Thursday, & Friday:

8:30am

Wednesday: 7pm

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Friday: 9:00am & 7:00pm

First Friday of Month: 9:00am-7:00pm

Reconciliation

Daily: After the 8:30am Holy Mass

Saturday: 3pm-4pm

Our Offices

Parish Office

Monday to Friday: 9am to 5pm

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Catechism Office

By Appointment Only

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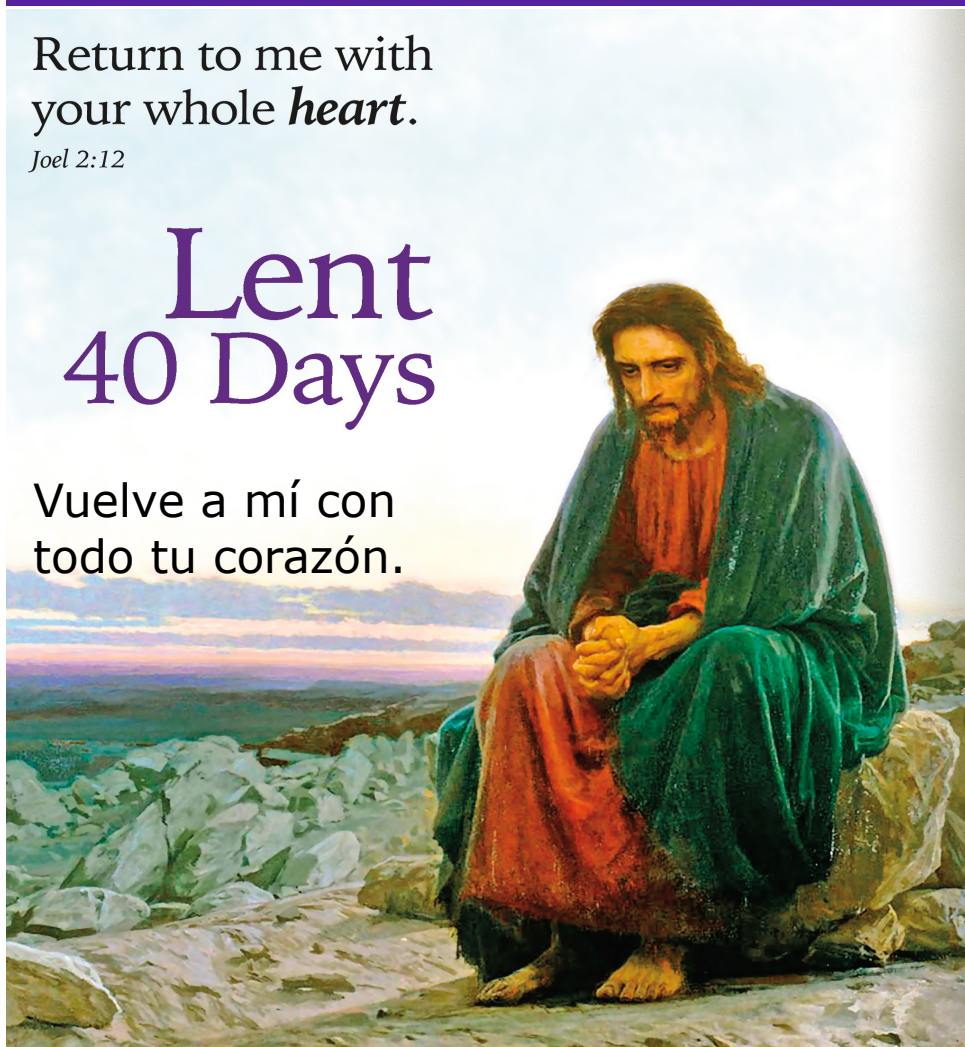
February 18, 2024

Return to me with
your whole *heart*.

Joel 2:12

Lent 40 Days

Vuelve a mí con
todo tu corazón.



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Saint Faustina
PRAY FOR US

Mass Intentions

Sunday, February 18, 2024

First Sunday of Lent

7:45am † Luis Peña Peña

By Elvia Lagos e hijos

10:00am Our Parish

By Fr. Domek

12:00pm † Flora Suarez

By Esteban & Mayra Perez

Monday, February 19

Presidents' Day

8:30am For Gregory's Family

Souls Departed

By Stella Kimani

Tuesday, February 20

8:30am † Annie L. Giraldez

By Giraldez's Family

Wednesday, February 21

**St. Peter Damian, Bishop
& Doctor of the Church**

7:00pm † Teresa Pastor

By Anthony Pastor

Thursday, February 22

The Chair of St. Peter, the Apostle

8:30am For Edward Jensen Intention

By Edward Jensen

Friday, February 23

St. Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr

8:30am † Maximo Simono

By Ivelisse Simono

3:00pm Chaplet—Divine Mercy

La Divina Misericordia

7:00pm—8pm Adoration of the

Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, February 24

8:30am † Annie L. Giraldez

By Giraldez Family

4:30pm † Don Shurce

By Greg & Thi Waldroff

Offertory Collection Masses of February 03-04, 2024

OFFERTORY \$4,034.00

ONLINE GIVING \$819.74

TOTAL \$4,853.74

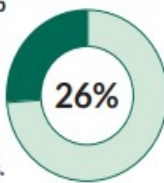


CATHOLIC MINISTRY *Appeal*

2024

TRANSFORMING OUR LIVES IN CHRIST

The Eucharistic Revival and Encounter, and Mission Advancement Initiatives is one of 7 diocesan ministries that is instrumental in the formation of the faithful as "Missionary Disciples," serving as living witnesses to Christ's message and love and serving those most in need. Through the Catholic Ministry Appeal, this group of ministries will receive \$2.3 million, or 26%, of the total \$9 million appeal goal to carry out their good works.



"At first, when I came, I didn't know if I wanted to come," said Paul Nguyen, Holy Martyrs of Vietnam Parishioner. "But when I stepped in this environment, the Holy Spirit got me. It got me excited. After listening to the first song, I felt or encountered the Spirit coming to me. And then the first speaker was talking to us about Jesus wanting to be closer."

Paul was one of nearly 700 people representing 65 churches from all five counties of our Diocese attended the Eucharistic Encounter on September 16, 2023, at the JW Marriott Hotel in downtown Tampa. And another 700 joined throughout the day via livestream to renew their devotion to Jesus in the Eucharist. Speakers

at the event included Curtis Martin of FOCUS, Father Tim Anastos of the Archdiocese of Chicago, Sister Ana Chiara of the Disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ, John Bergsma of the St. Paul Center, and Mother Olga Yaqob of the Sacred Heart, founder of the Daughters of Mary of Nazareth.

"We have talked so much today about the Lord's presence," said Bishop Parkes in his Homily. "He will be truly present on this altar before us here this evening. How will this encounter today be transformational in your life?"

Upon leaving Deacon Rafael Ferreris, Jr., of Sacred Heart Parish Tampa shared, "Today was so much more than I could have ever imagined. I have

had a great love for the Eucharist, but today this is such a beautiful shot in the arm... thank you for bringing us here today and allowing us to participate in this. And I thank our diocese for hosting this - I hope to see more!"

"Today was so much more than I could have ever imagined."



DEACON RAFAEL FERRERIS, JR.

ORDAINED OCT. 19, 2019



DIOCESE OF ST. PETERSBURG

CATHOLIC MINISTRY

Appeal

GOAL FOR THE YEAR 2024\$38,889.00

Way to give:

1. Envelopes: You can find them at the church entrance. Make your pledge/gift and put the envelopes in the offertory collection.
2. Online giving at : <https://blessedsacramentcatholic.org/catholicministryappeal/>

Maneras de donar:

1. Sobres: Los puedes encontrar en la entrada de la iglesia. Haga su compromiso/regalo y coloque el sobre en la colecta del ofertorio.
2. Donaciones en línea en: <https://blessedsacramentcatholic.org/catholicministryappeal/>

Parish News

February 18, 2024 | FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Forty days of retreat

What is the significance of Jesus spending 40 days and nights of solitude, prayer and fasting in the Judean wilderness? In the Old Testament 40 days was often seen as a significant period of testing and preparation for entering into a covenant relationship with God. In the days of Noah, God judged the earth and destroyed its inhabitants in a great flood because of their idolatry and total rejection of God. Noah and his family were spared because they obeyed God and took refuge in the ark for 40 days. When the flood subsided God made a covenant with Noah and promised that he would not destroy the human race again. Jesus came to fulfill that promise.



Cuarenta días de retiro

¿Cuál es el significado de que Jesús pasara 40 días y noches de soledad, oración y ayuno en el desierto de Judea? En el Antiguo Testamento, 40 días a menudo se consideraban un período significativo de prueba y preparación para entrar en una relación de pacto con Dios. En los días de Noé, Dios juzgó la tierra y destruyó a sus habitantes en un gran diluvio a causa de su idolatría y rechazo total a Dios. Noé y su familia se salvaron porque obedecieron a Dios y se refugiaron en el arca durante 40 días. Cuando el diluvio amainó, Dios hizo un pacto con Noé y le prometió que no volvería a destruir la raza humana. Jesús vino a cumplir esa promesa.



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Te Invita GE'LA en concierto

**27 DE FEBRERO DEL 2024
EMPEZAMOS A LAS 6:30PM
CON LA SANTA MISA
CONCIERTO 7:30 EN ADELANTE
PREVENTA \$15.00
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Y SEGURIDAD. (JR 33,6)

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Station of the Cross Estaciones de la Cruz

Viernes, 23 de Febrero

MDS

Viernes, 01 de Marzo

Juan XXXIII

Viernes, 08 de Marzo

Lazos de Amor

Viernes, 15 de Marzo

Carismáticos & Legión de Maria

Viernes, 22 de Marzo

Catequesis



Confessions | Confesiones

Thursday, March 14 | Jueves, 14 de Marzo



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