



St Jude Catholic Church

Blessed Carlos Manuel Hispanic American Center

January 28th, 2024

Masses / Misas

Weekdays:

Mon - Fri 7:30 AM (English)
Wed 7:00 PM (Spanish)

Saturdays:

7:30 AM, 4:00 PM
(Vigil) (English)
7:00 PM (Spanish)

Sundays:

7:30 AM, 10:30 AM &
5:00 PM (English)
9:00 AM, 12:00 PM, &
1:30 PM (Spanish)

Portuguese Mass

6:30 PM
(1st and 3rd Sunday of each month)

Confessions / Confesiones:

Wednesday:

6:00 – 6:50 PM (Spanish)

Saturdays:

3:00 – 3:45 PM (English)
6:00 – 6:50 PM (Spanish)

Sundays:

Half hour before Mass or by appt.
Media hora antes de Misa o por cita.

Registration / Registro

To register as a parishioner, visit the parish office during office hours.

Para registrarse como miembro de la parroquia deben llenar un formulario en horas de oficina.

Baptism / Bautizos

Baptisms and baptism classes in English are scheduled by appointment. Please call the office to sign up.

Las clases de Bautismo son el primer y el tercer jueves de cada mes a las 6:30 p.m. Los Bautizos se celebran los sábados a las 9 a.m. y los domingos después de la Misa de 1:30 p.m. Favor de pasar por la oficina, lunes-Viernes, de 9am-5pm para registrarse y traer el **certificado de Nacimiento**.



4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus rebuked him and said, "Quiet! Come out of him!"
The unclean spirit convulsed him
and with a loud cry came out of him.

FR 1:25-26



Jesús le hizo frente con autoridad: "¡Cállate y sal de ese hombre!"
El espíritu malo revolcó al hombre en el suelo
y lanzó un grito tremendo, pero luego salió de él.

FR 1:25-26

4° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Rev. Celestino Gutiérrez, Pastor

Rev. Victor Caviedes, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Christian Chami, Parochial Vicar

Deacon Humberto Alvia

Deacon Leonardo Pastore

Deacon Sam Pellerito

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Office Hours/Horas de Oficina

Mon-Fri / Lunes-Viernes
9 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

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St Jude Catholic Church

Pray for... Recen por...

Our families and friends who are sick, in hospitals, or nursing homes, especially for:

Nuestra familias y amigos que están enfermos, en hospitales o asilos de ancianos, especialmente por:

Rafael E. Tristan Garay, Esmeralda García, Jim Weir, John Heine, Ronald Weitemier, Meg Caraher, Shelby Decker, Phyllis Sullivan, Emmanuel Moya, Ivette Parsons, Nafis A. Cabrera Hurtado, Michael McLaren, Antony Pasquale, Jean Paul Arnosi, Barbara Fealy, Nicholas Peters, Sofia Kiger, Alison Wilson, Amber Gottovi, Nick Nightingale, Frank Schiavo, Lordito Calijan, Ana María Badua, Dorothy Jacobs & Aida Cabo.

All those affected by the Coronavirus Pandemic.
For our men and women in the Armed Services.
May God guide, bless and protect them during this time.

Todos los afectados por la Pandemia de Coronavirus...
Por nuestros hombres y mujeres en las Fuerzas Armadas. Que Dios los guíe, los bendiga y los proteja durante este tiempo.

Mass Intentions / Intenciones de Misa

Jan. 29	7:30 a.m.	† Nancy Clare
Jan. 30	7:30 a.m.	† Deceased Members of the Quinn & Hurley Families
Jan. 31	7:30 a.m.	† Sheila Sullivan
	7:00 p.m.	For the Intentions of our Parishioners
Feb. 1	7:30 a.m.	† Leo J. & Margie Roi
Feb. 2	7:30 a.m.	† Melvina & Santos Carrillo
Feb. 3	7:30 a.m.	† Vicente Medina
	4:00 p.m.	† Teresa Ambrosio
	7:00 p.m.	For the Intentions of our Parishioners
Feb. 4	7:30 a.m.	† Maurice & Maryanne De Lorenzo
	9:00 a.m.	For the Intentions of our Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	† Frances Polera
	12:00 pm	For the Intentions of our Parishioners
	1:30 p.m.	For the Intentions of our Parishioners
	5:00 p.m.	Adelina Viteri – In Thanksgiving



La Santa Misa, oficiada por nuestro Párroco, el Padre Celestino Gutiérrez, es transmitida en Español todos los **Domingos, a las 8 a.m. por la 99.1 y a las 10 a.m. por la 105.3.**



Agradecemos a SOLMART Media por su colaboración y a los Patrocinadores para su transmisión.

St Jude Catholic Church Ministries Ministerios Iglesia de San Judas

Ministros Extraordinarios	D. Humberto Alvia (<i>Español</i>)
RCIA	D. Sam Pellerito (<i>English</i>)
RCIA	Francis Verdoni (<i>Español</i>)
Grupo de Oración	Jorge Gutiérrez (<i>Español</i>)
Grupo de Oración	Daniela Tomazoli (<i>Portuguese</i>)
Grupo de Jóvenes	Marlene & Ana Gorgonio
MDS	Carlos López & Carmen Castillo
Siervos de María	Carmen Rodríguez
Emaús (Mujeres)	Verónica Vizarro
Emaús (Hombres)	Héctor Padilla
Homebound Eucharistic Ministers	Peggy Forte (<i>English</i>)
Ministros Eucarísticos para confinados en casa	Carmen Rodríguez (<i>Español</i>)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jan. 29	2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday: Jan. 30	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday: Jan. 31	2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7; Mk 6:1-6
Thursday: Feb. 1	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd; Mk 6:7-13
Friday: Feb. 2	Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40
Saturday: Feb. 3	1Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14; Mk 6:30-34
Sunday: Feb. 4	Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Enero 29	2 Sm 15, 13-14, 30; 16, 5-13; Sal 3, 2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mc 5, 1-20
Martes: Enero 30	2 Sm 18, 9-10, 14, 24-25, 30—19, 3; Sal 85, 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mc 5, 21-43
Miércoles: Enero 31	2 Sm 24, 2, 9-17; Sal 31, 1-2, 5, 6, 7; Mc 6, 1-6
Jueves: Feb. 1	1 Re 2, 1-4, 10-12; 1 Crón 29, 10, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd; Mc 6, 7-13
Viernes: Feb. 2	Mal 3, 1-4; Sal 23, 7, 8, 9, 10; Heb 2, 14-18; Lc 2, 22-40
Sábado: Feb. 3	1 Re 3, 4-13; Sal 118, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14; Mc 6, 30-34
Domingo: Feb. 4	Jb 7, 1-4, 6-7; Sal 146, 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; 1 Cor 9, 16-19, 22-23; Mc 1, 29-39

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 28, 2024

Deuteronomy 18:15-20; 1 Corinthians 7:32-35; Mark 1:21-28
Psalm 95

Dear Families:

This Sunday's reading focuses on the prophetic nature of Jesus. According to the prophecies of the Old Testament, and in light of the realization of the New Testament, the Messiah was to be (and Jesus was) a priest, prophet and king.

In today's reading, with the announcement of the prophetic institution as permanent in Israel following the death of Moses, we see the distant signals of the Prophet (capitalized) who was to be the Messiah.

It should be clear that the Prophet is not only (or even primarily), one who predicts the future, but is, more importantly, he who speaks on behalf of God.

"I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their kinsmen, and will put my words into his mouth; he shall tell them all that I command him" (Deut 18:18). And so God did, with all the prophets, until the coming of the Messiah – the Prophet par excellence. The letter to the Hebrews reads: "In times past, God spoke in partial and various ways to our ancestors through the prophets; in these last days, he spoke to us through a son (Heb 1:1-2).

Jesus is the Prophet of God. It is He who speaks on behalf of his Father and endorses the words and doctrine with miracles. All were amazed and asked one another, "What is this? A new teaching with authority?" (Mk 1:27). "But that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins" – he then healed the paralytic (Mt 9:6). He proclaimed to be Light of the world and healed the man born blind (Jn 9). He claimed to be the resurrection and the life, and raised Lazarus in Bethany (John 11).

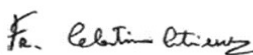
All baptized Christians share in Christ's prophetic office. So the priest proclaimed the day of our baptism, when our heads were anointed with Chrism, and he said that with Christ we were beginning to be priests, prophets and kings.

We Christians are prophets of Jesus; "Whoever listens to you listens to me. Whoever rejects you rejects me. And whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me." (Lk 10:16).

Our authority as prophets of Jesus is to convey his message accurately, without removing or adding anything. By our deeds we must confirm the faith we profess. We must do what we say. There is a Roman proverb that says: Words can move, but examples will haul.

May the Lord help us carry out our prophetic mission: announcing to the world the Gospel of Jesus and bearing witness to Him, through faith, hope and charity.

May God bless you,

 , Pastor

Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

28 de enero del 2024

Deuteronomio 18:15-20; 1 Corintios 7:32-35; Marcos 1:21-28
Salmo 95

Queridas familias:

La liturgia de este domingo se centra en el profetismo de Jesús. De acuerdo a las profecías del Antiguo Testamento y a la luz de la realización del Nuevo, el Mesías había de ser (y Jesús mostró ser) sacerdote, profeta y rey.

En la primera lectura de hoy, junto al anuncio de la institución profética como algo permanente en Israel tras la desaparición de Moisés, vemos el señalamiento a distancia del Profeta (con mayúscula) que había de ser el Mesías.

Conviene aclarar que Profeta no es sólo, ni principalmente, el que predice el porvenir, sino el que habla en nombre de Dios.

"Suscitaré un profeta de entre sus hermanos...Pondré mis palabras en su boca, y les diré lo que yo le mande" (Dt. 18:18). Y así lo hizo Dios con todos los profetas hasta que llegó el Mesías, el Profeta por excelencia. Dice la carta a los Hebreos: "En distintas ocasiones y de muchas maneras habló Dios antiguamente a nuestros padres por los profetas. Ahora, en esta etapa final, nos ha hablado por su Hijo" (Heb 1, 1s).

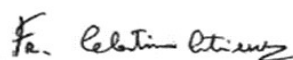
Jesús es el Profeta de Dios que habla en nombre de su Padre y avala con milagros las palabras, la doctrina. "Este enseñar con autoridad es nuevo" decía la gente (Mc 1, 27). Para probar que tenía poder de perdonar los pecados curó al paralítico en Cafarnaún (Mat 9, 6). Se proclamó luz del mundo, y curó al ciego de nacimiento (Jn 9). Dijo ser la resurrección y la vida, y resucitó a Lázaro en Betania (Jn 11). Todo cristiano bautizado participa de la función profética de Cristo. Así lo proclamó el sacerdote el día de nuestro bautismo: al ungirnos la cabeza con el Crisma dijo que empezábamos a ser con Cristo, sacerdotes, profetas y reyes.

Nosotros, los cristianos, somos profetas de Jesús; "Quien a vosotros escucha, a mí escucha; y quien a vosotros rechaza, a mí rechaza; y quien me rechaza a mí, rechaza al que me ha enviado" (Lc 10, 16).

Nuestra autoridad como profetas de Jesús está en que trasmitamos su mensaje exactamente, sin quitar ni poner. Y con nuestras obras debemos corroborar la fe que profesamos, lo que decimos. Hay un refrán romano que dice: Las palabras mueven, los ejemplos arrastran.

Pidamos al Señor que los cristianos cumplamos con nuestra misión profética, anunciando al mundo el Evangelio de Jesús y dando testimonio de él por la fe, esperanza y caridad.

Que Dios los bendiga,

 , Párroco

Out of respect for the Eucharist, the celebrant priest and for the congregation, please **DO NOT** leave the Church right after Communion, but stay until the final Blessing. *Thank you!!*

A parish mission with the Dominican Friars benefiting the Angelicum in Rome

THE PRESENCE OF GOD

5-7 February 2024
→ 11:30am & 6:30pm

EUCCHARISTIC HEALING SERVICE FOR FAMILIES
Wednesday 7 February
→ 11:30am & 6:30pm

FR. MARK PAUREZ, O.P. FRATRES DOMINICANI PROVINCE OREGON
FR. JEAN-BAPTISTE ILANDINO, O.P. FRATRES DOMINICANI PROVINCE OF TOULOUSE (NICE) FRANCE
FR. BENEDICT CROELL, O.P. ANGELICUM | ROME

FOR THE FULL SCHEDULE, VISIT: ANGELICUM.IT/FUNDRASER-CAMPAIGN/PARISH-MISSION-INCARNATION-IN-SARASOTA-FL

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PROTECT THEM BOTH

Pray to Defeat Florida's Abortion Amendment

FLORIDA CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS
WWW.FLACCB.ORG

Oremos para Derrotar la Enmienda del Aborto en Florida

Saturday, February 10, 2024

Heritage of Faithfulness

You are invited to celebrate 70 years of Catholic education in Manatee County at the St. Joseph Catholic School Gala. Together we will build a bright future for our growing school community.

IMG Academy Golf Club
4350 El Conquistador Pkwy., Bradenton, FL 34210
Cocktails: 6:30pm / Dinner: 7:15pm

Cocktails, Dinner, Music, Silent Auction, Photo Booth, Orchid Centerpieces for Sale, and More!

sjsfl.org/70th-anniversary-gala

Tickets can be purchased online and in the school office.
Call (941) 755-2611 or email development@sjsfl.org for more details.

Praying the Rosary at St. Jude

The Rosary is prayed in English every morning (except Sundays) in the Church at **6:55 a.m.**

All are invited!

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT / EXPOSICION DEL SANTISIMO SACRAMENTO

EVERY FRIDAY / TODOS LOS VIERNES

8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
in the Church / en la Iglesia

Miraculous Medal Novena

Please join us to pray the **Miraculous Medal Novena** every Saturday after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

National Eucharistic Revival

The bishops of the United States have shared with us a new movement inspired by the Holy Spirit called: **National Eucharistic Revival**. This movement is for every Catholic. Forthcoming are informative group sessions.

Avivamiento Eucarístico Nacional

Los obispos de los Estados Unidos nos han compartido un nuevo movimiento inspirado por el Espíritu Santo llamado: **Avivamiento Eucarístico Nacional**. Este movimiento es para todo católico. Invitamos a todos que participen en uno de los cuatro grupos para conocer este movimiento.

Miércoles y Sábados a las 5:30 pm
Domingos a las 10:00 y 11:30 am.

Nos reunimos en la tarima donde se celebra el festival. Los Domingos habrá café y pastelería. Los esperamos.

Our Lady of Fatima,

has requested that we offer a Rosary for Peace on the **1st Saturday of each month (Feb. 3rd) and 15 minutes of meditation on the Mysteries of the Rosary.**

Please join us at St. Jude Church each first Saturday, after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.



Nuestra Señora de

Fátima, ha solicitado que ofrezcamos un Rosario por la Paz el **1er sábado de cada mes (3 de enero) y 15 minutos de meditación sobre los Misterios del Rosario.** Únase a nosotros en la Iglesia de San Judas cada primer sábado, después de la Misa de las 7:30 a. m.



Ordination to the Priesthood

Most Reverend Frank J. Dewane, Bishop of the Diocese of Venice, invites the faithful to the Ordination to the Priesthood of Transitional Deacon **Alan Baldarelli**. The Ordination will take place at 11:00 a.m., on Saturday, February 10, at Epiphany Cathedral, 350 Tampa Ave. W., Venice, and will be livestreamed. All are welcome and encouraged to attend this important event in the life of Deacon Alan as well as the Diocese of Venice. A reception will follow in the Parish Hall.

Devoción al

Inmaculado Corazón de María

Primer Sábado del mes

3 de febrero del 2024

después de la Misa de **7 p.m.**



Se buscan músicos



¿Les gustaría ofrecer sus talentos musicales al Señor?

La Misa de los sábados a las 7PM necesita músicos que quieran dedicar su tiempo y talento a Dios. Interesados, favor comunicarse con **Fernando Rivera al 941-228-8331** para entrevista y audición.

Pope Francis Prayer Intentions

January 2024

“Let us pray that the Holy Spirit helps us recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community, and to discover the richness of different ritual traditions in the heart of the Catholic Church.”

Weekly Reflections

“**God waits for us without tiring.** When we walk away, he comes to look for us; when we fall to the ground, he lifts us up; When we return to Him after being lost, He waits for us with **open arms**”.

Intenciones de Oración del Papa Francisco

Enero 2024

“Oremos para que el Espíritu Santo nos ayude a reconocer el don de los diferentes carismas dentro de la comunidad cristiana, y a descubrir la riqueza de las diferentes tradiciones rituales en el corazón de la Iglesia Católica.”

Reflexiones Semanales

“**Dios nos espera sin cansarse.** Cuando nos alejamos, viene a buscarnos; cuando caemos en tierra, nos levanta; cuando volvemos a El después de habernos perdido, nos espera con los **brazos abiertos**”.



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Remember Our Faithful Departed

Into your hands, O Lord, we commend the souls of our recently departed especially for **Kenia Fernández**. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen



Recuerden a Nuestros Difuntos

Señor, en tus manos, encomendamos a los que han fallecido recientemente en especial por **Kenia Fernández**. Que su alma y las almas de los fieles difuntos, por la misericordia de Dios, descansen en paz. Amén



Catholic Faith Appeal 2024

"...faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead." *Ja 2:17*



Each year, the Catholic Faith Appeal (CFA) extends a heartfelt invitation for our Diocese to unite and extend a helping hand to our brothers and sisters in need. It is one of the most effective ways to carry out the work of the Church, and it is a testament to our Catholic Faith in action. Contributions to the CFA play a crucial role in supporting a diverse array of programs and services, including Vocations and Seminarians, Religious Education, aid for financially challenged Parishes and Missions, Evangelization, Catholic Education, Catholic Charities, and more. On an

annual basis, Parishes in the Diocese of Venice make a required contribution to financially support these efforts. The Catholic Faith Appeal empowers every parishioner to actively contribute to their Parish's financial commitment, with goals tailored to each Parish's income rather than the number of registered families.

La Campaña Católica Anual es un esfuerzo diocesano de recaudación de fondos en toda la Diócesis que apoya el trabajo caritativo y pastoral a través de programas como Pastoral y Ministerios; apoyo a misiones, parroquias y conventos pobres; Caridades Católicas, Evangelización; Culto Divino; Respeto a la Vida; Vocaciones y Seminaristas; Educación Católica; y servicios diocesanos de apoyo administrativo. Anualmente las parroquias de la Diócesis de Venice contribuyen para apoyar financieramente estos esfuerzos. La Campaña Católica de Fe es un medio por el cual todos los feligreses, con su contribución, pueden ayudar a su parroquia a cumplir su meta.

FIRST CFA COLLECTION/PRIMERA COLECTA

FEBRUARY 3 & 4

Thank You for your support / Gracias por su apoyo



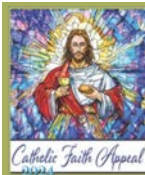
Offertory collection for/
La colecta del fin de semana del:

January 14th **\$13,180.00**

January 21st **\$12,685.00**

Thank you for your donation!

¡Gracias por su donación!



St. Jude
Catholic Faith Appeal Activities

50/50 Raffle

January 21th

Eileen Costello

Total Amount Received **\$80**

Thank you for your support! ¡Gracias por su apoyo!

4 WAYS TO GIVE

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St. Jude Food Pantry News!

Week of/Semana de: *Jan. 1 through Jan. 7th, 2023*

Please **DO NOT**
bring open or
expired items
or boxes.

Pounds of Food:	4,362	Libras de Comida:
Individuals Served:	353	Individuos Servidos:
Households Served:	183	Familias Servidas:

Por favor
NO TRAER
cajas o articulos
abiertos
o expirados.

Items needed:

Coffee, Soups, Juices, Boxed Milk, Snacks, White Rice (bags or boxes), Condiments (sugar, ketchup, salt, mayonnaise, mustard, oil, salad dressing), Flour, Corn Meal (Masa), Canned meats, Baby Food.

Artículos necesitados:

Café, Sopas, Barras de Proteína, Jugos, Leche en Caja, Arroz Blanco (bolsa o cajas), Condimentos (azúcar, ketchup, sal, mayonesa, mostaza, aceite de cocinar, aderezo para ensaladas), Harina de Maíz, Carne Enlatada, Comida para infantes.

Food Pantry Hours / Horario Despensa de Alimentos

Wednesday / Miércoles 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm
Saturday / Sábado 8:30 am – 9:30 am

Located behind Church building / Localizado detrás del edificio de la Iglesia

FEB
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Iglesia de San Judas - Sarasota

CHARLA A FAVOR DE LA VIDA 7pm

Escucha la inspiradora historia de conversión de Ramona Treviño

Ramona trabajó como la administradora de una clínica de abortos en Texas y en el 2011 Dios le cambió la vida. Hoy Ramona es la Directora de Difusión de la campaña de los 40 Días por la Vida.

ESCUCHA SU HISTORIA EN EL PODCAST DE JUNIO 2022:
[HTTPS://WWW.40DAYSFORLIFE.COM/EN/RAMONA-TREVINO20022](https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/ramona-trevino20022)

St Jude Catholic Church

REUNION GRUPO DE JOVENES ADULTOS



Miércoles 8PM Salón A-1

P. Christian y Julissa Báez-Pavon

Jóvenes adultos de 20 años en adelante
¡LOS ESPERAMOS!

Wedding Anniversary Mass

All couples celebrating *25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, or more than 50 years of marriage* are invited by Bishop Frank J. Dewane to an Anniversary Mass in their honor. The Anniversary Masses will be celebrated in two locations:
11 a.m., **Saturday, February 3** at St. Leo the Great Parish, 28290 Beaumont Road, Bonita Springs, and 11:00 a.m., **Saturday, February 24** at Epiphany Cathedral, 350 Tampa Avenue West, Venice. **Please contact your local parish office for reservations no later than one week before the event you choose to attend.**

WARNING - Text/Email SCAM Alert - It has once again been brought to the attention of the Diocese of Venice that parishioners have received text/email messages from people pretending to be clergy – including Bishop Frank J. Dewane – or Parish/school staff, requesting donations in the form of gift cards and/or wire transfers. These messages, which are more frequent during the Christmas Season, often come from text/emails that look similar to official Diocesan/Parish/school numbers or accounts and often greet the recipient by name and have the priest's, Bishop's, or staff member's name in the "From" line and/or closing signature of the message. The SPAM often claims that the priest/Bishop/staff member is in need of gift cards or money to aid a sick child, relative, or parishioner. The message then asks the person purchase gift cards/money and then to text/email the redemption code and PIN number. **It is Diocesan policy that neither the Bishop, nor priests or staff request donations in the form of gift cards, PayPal, MoneyGram, etc.** Without this awareness, some have responded to the spoofed messages, with consequences, including loss of funds. There is an established process in place on how parishioners can make donations and participate in the life of the Diocese/Parish/school. If you receive such a SCAM text or email, please immediately contact the Diocesan/Parish/school directly!

FOR YOUR MARRIAGE

NATIONAL MARRIAGE WEEK

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FEBRUARY 7-14

For more information and resources, visit foryourmarriage.org
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National Marriage Week USA
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