

"Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me." Mark 9:37

September 19, 2021 ~ Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mass Intentions for this Weekend

SAT, Sep 18 8:00am 5:00pm	(1 Tm 6:13-16/Lk 8:4-15) Jerry Pasquantino† Aida Morales†
SUN, Sep 19	(Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time)
8:00am	Francisco Ting†
10:00am	People of Our Parish
	Leonor Richard Nardi†
12:00pm	John Lupo†
5:30pm	Dr. Michael Schill†

Mass Intentions for the coming Week

MON, SEP 20	(Ezr 1:1-6/Lk 8:16-18)
7:00 am	Cassie Keane†
12:15pm	David Martin†

TUE, sep 21(Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Mt 9:9-13)7:00amSpecial Intention8:30amBob Dello Russo†12:15pmDeceased members of the Palmieri family†7:00pmEdward Hill†

WED, sep 22(Ezr 9:5-9/Lk 9:1-6)7:00amJohn and Pat Broderick†12:15pmBob Patchett†

 THU, sep 23
 (Hg 1:1-8/Lk 9:7-9)

 7:00am
 Casey Brianna Shea†

 12:15pm
 Joe Leahy†

FRI, sep 24(Hg 2:1-9/Lk 9:18-22)7:00amHoly Souls in Purgatory †12:15pmJoseph and Mary Deegan†

 SAT, sep 25
 (Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a/Lk 9:43b-45)
 8:00am
 Anthony Giordano†

 5:00pm
 Lawrence Reilly†

SUN, sep 26(Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time)8:00amTyler William Thomas†10:00amPeople of Our Parish
Andy Stevenson†12:00pmRoxanne Walkovic Sylvia†5:30pmLarry Ross†

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

(Nm 11:25-29/Jas 5:1-5/Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48)

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Praying for Deceased Priests in the Diocese. (Sept)

September 14, 2017 – Msgr. Patrick Caverly September 19, 2016 – Very Rev. John McCormick September 23, 1986 – Rev. Louis Bamundo September 27, 1995 – Rev. Charles Schneider **Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for September An Environmentally Sustainable Lifestyle** - We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this.

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5pm Sunday: 8am, 10am, 12pm & 5:30pm *interpreted for the deaf

Daily Masses

Monday - Friday: 7am & 12:15pm Tuesday: 7pm (Spanish) Saturday: 8am

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Reconciliation

Saturdays - 3:30pm to 4:30pm (no RSVP needed on Saturday)

Tuesdays - 10:30am to 11:30am. Reserve your time on Tuesday at

www.annunciationorlando.org/RSVP

We have moved back into the main Church locations again due to the coronavirus resurgence.

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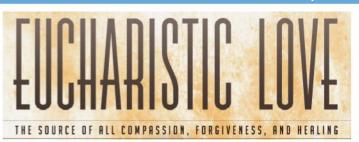
Weddings - Congratulations! Thomas Coppola and Ashley Dean

Baptisms - Welcome!

Brandon Francis Moxie Cameran Rae Sidoti Norah Ryleigh White

Recently Deceased

- †Mike Brick †Roberta Shorthouse †Theresa Caime †David Kroll †Aileen McGuire
- †Miriam Timmes
 †Nicholas Dehlinger
 †Rick Foster
 †Elena Gonzalez



Mass in Spanish

During this Year of Devotion to the Eucharist, we are offering a Mass in Spanish on Tuesdays at 7pm in the Church. All are welcome!

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Holy Hour For Vocations

Join us for a Holy Hour as we pray for vocations. Wednesday, September 22nd at 7pm in our Church.

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Eucharistic Adoration

Join us in the Chapel of the Angels for Eucharistic Adoration on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. The hours are from 1pm to 7pm. All are welcome! Would you like to sign up to be a weekly adorer? Visit: www.annunciationorlando.org/adoration

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First Friday Holy Hour with musical meditations and reflections.

When: October 1st at 6:30 pm. Culture of Life Mass



follows the Holy Hour.

Jason and Rachel Bulman will lead the meditation and reflection. Jason is in formation for the permanent

diaconate and is a practicing physician

assistant in orthopedic surgery. A lifelong Catholic, he has shared his love for theology and philosophy with talks to youth and young adults around the Diocese. Rachel is an author and national speaker. Her first book "Becoming Wife: Self-Gift in Matrimony" will be published next Fall, and she frequently contributes to the Word on Fire blog and at CatholicMom.com. All are welcome!

Reflections from the Heart by Fr. Ivan

"The Son of Man is to be handed over to men and they will kill him, and three days after his death the Son of Man will rise." Noise is just that, noise. Noise wants to drown out the sound of truth, the sound of sweetness, the sound of goodness. It chooses to overwhelm, it plans to overcome, it has to overtake silence. Noise wants to be seen. It wants



to be heard. Noise draws all attention to itself. It is an unpleasant sound that seeks to confuse, to deafen, to silence the voice of faith, reason and truth. I am struck by the noise, the yelling, the screaming in the Passion of Christ. The crowds are angry, hostile, noisy. They desire to drown out the truth of who Jesus is, why he came, all he did. The noise of the crowd wants to ensure that the Word of God, the words of encouragement, all the miracles are hushed, quieted, silenced so that truth cannot be heard, so it cannot be seen. But truth always flows from the precious lips of Jesus. Truth is who he is and although we are so deaf to the truth, the truth never changes, it is relentless, it never gives up, it never ceases to exist or to be true. The truth sets us free. It moves us and challenges us to change. It makes us work at being good, at being holy, at being truthful. O my sweet Savior, how can anyone hear the racing of your heart beat or the pains of your body trembling or the weeping of your soul in agony or the sound of your tears and blood hitting the ground when there is so much hatred, so much yelling, so much rejection. They yell for your death. They yell out all the louder, "Crucify him!" "Crucify him!" The truth of your love is drowned out by pride and selfishness, greed and ignorance, fear and fearfulness. Our hearts, our souls, our spirits want to hear you. They need to hear the truth that you love us but our minds are plagued with darkness and temptation. They refuse to listen. Our minds oppose truth. They fail to understand that without you, we are nothing. Without you, we can do nothing. Without you, we cease to exist. Sin renders us helpless. It causes us to be hopeless, weak and pitiful. We lack wisdom, we lack knowledge, we lack understanding, we lack counsel, we lack strength. We become unholy, ungodly, noisy, fearful of everything except the one thing we should fear the most – being separated from you.

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Are you an adult who has not yet received Confirmation?

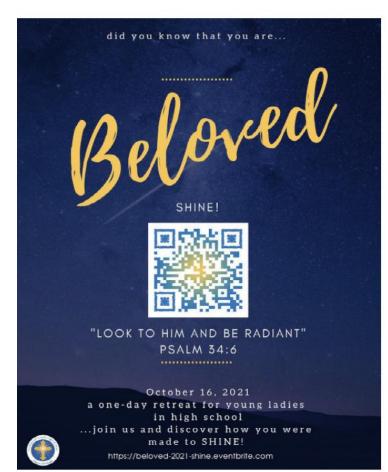


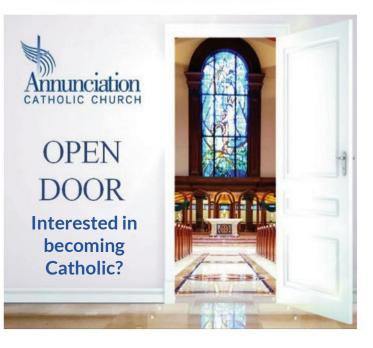
For most of us, the Sacrament of Confirmation was celebrated when we were either in junior high or in high school. For those adults in the RCIA, their Confirmation is celebrated when they are baptized at the Easter Vigil. But, for a variety of reasons, many adult Catholics have not yet been confirmed. THIS INVITATION IS FOR YOU If you are 19 years of age, have been baptized Catholic and have made your First Communion, but have not been confirmed, we invite you to begin a preparation program starting on September 16th so that you will be confirmed on October 17th, 2021 at St. James Cathedral by Bishop John Noonan.

TO FIND OUT MORE, Contact Deacon Pete Pronko at ppronko@annunciationorlando.org or 407-869-9472.



The funds collected in this special appeal will become part of the Bishop's Emergency Disaster Fund and will be used to support the response efforts of Catholic Charities USA and/or Catholic Relief Services to immediate emergency needs for such necessities as water, food, shelter, medical care, and aid in long-term rebuilding and recovery efforts. **Please prayerfully consider making a donation this weekend - September 18-19.** Please use the blue special collection envelopes in the Narthex and note *Disaster Relief 2021* with your donation.





If you've been away from the Church, or simply have questions about the Catholic faith please contact Deacon Pete Pronko at 407-869-9472 or ppronko@annunciationorlando.org.

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Annunciation Youth Ministry!

High school teens - Join us for Movie Night after the 5:30pm Mass on Sunday, September 19 in the Nazareth Center - Bring a pillow!



Join us for our upcoming Hearts on Fire Youth Night: Wednesday, September 22nd 6:30 to 8pm at Padre Pio's Place



Thursday, October 14 from 7 to 9pm at Annunciation Catholic Church.

Don't miss the opportunity to hear from renowned speaker Jason Evert, live at PURIFIED! (An event for the family, ages 13+). Get answers to life's tough questions about love, dating, and relationships from internationally acclaimed speaker Jason Evert!

Purified brings the whole family together to discover God's plan for love and opens up an opportunity to continue the discussion about this important topic at home, in a healthy and easy way with resources that work. The event includes a talk from Jason in which he mixes humor with down-to-earth practicality, making the difficult conversations about love much easier.

Tickets are \$20. Visit: www.annunciationorlando.org/purified Anne's Ministry Of Moms



Life Within You

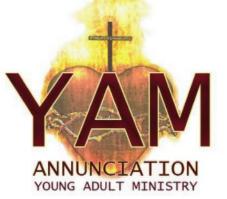
Meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. starting Sept. 16. Hear inspiring speakers on this year's theme, "Life Within You" and how it relates to marriage, motherhood, and the Eucharist.

Text STANNEMOM to 84576 or email StAnnesMinistry@gmail.com to connect with us and stay informed on upcoming meetings, playdates, moms night out, and more!



Children of all ages are welcome at meetings, including homeschool students!

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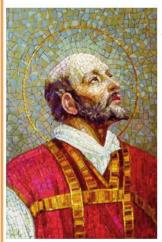
Young adults get excited! We are starting back up!

Join us for our next event on Tuesday, September 21st as we begin to explore the dynamics prayer . We gather in the Nazareth Center. RSVP at <u>www.annunciationorlando.org/yam</u>

We will see you there!

SACRED STORY: FORTY WEEKS

An Ignatian Path to Christ With Sacred Story Prayer ... by Fr. William Watson, SJ



IGNITE YOUR FAITH Are you ready for a challenge and willing to commit your time to open up to Christ? Be not afraid! Say "YES" to Christ!

We invite you to join us on a spiritual journey, *Forty Weeks* - An Ignatian Path to Christ with Sacred Story Prayer.

Sacred Story Prayer is rooted in St. Ignatius Loyola's powerful 15-min. Examen revitalized for the third millennium.

You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in You. (St. Augustine)

This life-transforming journey leads us to a deeper intimacy and friendship with Christ in **daily Examen prayers**, **frequent reception of the Sacraments of Confession** / **Eucharist** and Spiritual Discernment. These are the **Core Disciplines** that St. Ignatius and the early Jesuits promoted for the laity and clergy alike.

Make life a sacred story in 15 minutes a day!

Watch short VIDEOS to learn more at www.annunciationorlando.org/sacred-story

Monday Nights: VIRTUAL 7-9PM (Sept. 20th)

Wednesday Mornings: IN-person 10am -12noon (Sept. 22nd) Space is limited, register early.

REGISTER ONLINE <u>www.annunciationorlando.org/sacred-story</u>

SACRED STORY COMMUNITY (SSC)



SSC Commitment Ceremony Mass on July 31, 2021 Feast of St. Ignatius Loyola



Mark McCabe - Director of Music & Worship Visit www.annunciationorlando.org/music

Sep 18/19	Group	Cantor
5:00pm	Caroline Del Rey – Soloist	Caroline Del Rey
8:00am	Chamber Quartet	Rebecca Ashley
10:00am	Chamber Choir	Rebecca Ashley
12:00pm	Adult Bell Choir	Phyllis McCabe
5:30pm	Contemporary Praise Singers	Nick Matthews
Sep 25/26	Group	Cantor
5:00pm	Mary Lou Zobel – Soloist	Mary Lou Zobel
8:00am	Mixed Quartet	Amy Culhane
10:00am	Mixed Ensemble	Rebecca Pagan
12:00pm	Joan Braun – Soloist	Joan Braun
5:30pm	High School Choir	Students

All Youth Choirs

First rehearsal is Monday, September 13th

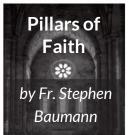
- Children's Choir (Grades 2-5) Academy Music Room 3:20-4:00pm (Dismissal in front of School)
- Middle School Choir (Grades 6-8) St. Gabriel Center Choir Room 5:00-5:45pm (Dismissal on the side entrance)
- High School Choir (Grades 9-12) St. Gabriel Center Choir Room 6:00-6:45pm

All children of the Parish are welcome. MASKS are required for all rehearsals and Mass See you there!!

The Music Ministry at Annunciation has openings in all Adult Choirs!

- The Chamber Choir (1st Rehearsal September 1st from 7:30-9:00pm)
- The Mixed Ensemble (Audition Required) (1st rehearsal September 8th from 6:30-8:00pm)
- The Adult Bell Choir (Ability to read music a requirement) (1st Rehearsal September 1st from 6-7:25pm)
- We are also looking to re-introduce the Contemporary Praise Singers who sing 2x a month at the 5:30pm Mass

Contact Mark McCabe after a weekend Mass or at mmccabe@annunciationorlando.org



St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor – September 17

Robert Bellarmine (1542-1621) entered the Society of Jesus in 1560. Ten years later, he was ordained a priest at the age of 28. His first task was as professor of theology at the University of Louvain, Belgium and later in

Rome. He was recognized as a brilliant scholar and preacher. Later named Cardinal and Bishop, he was called by Pope Clement VIII to be papal theologian. As a writer, he was an important defender for the Church in the post-Tridentine (post Council of Trent) era, the time of the Counter Reformation. The Latin/Tridentine Mass was one of the reforms of the Counter Reformation.

He upheld the right of the pope to interfere in temporal affairs and he spoke out against the divine right of kings, which earned him some opposition. These are not burning theological issues of our time, but in the late 16th and early 17th centuries they had to be dealt with, and Robert Bellarmine was given this task. It was St. Robert Bellarmine who delivered the admonition to Galileo not to press the theory of Copernicus on the sun as center of the universe. Today, we marvel at that.

In his personal life, he was an austere ascetic (very selfdisciplined and penitential), and tried always to live as closely as possible like the poor of his day. To them he was always most kind and generous, sharing all that he had.

Thomas Jefferson, in writing the Declaration of Independence, incorporated the teaching of St. Robert Bellarmine on the inalienable rights of the person.

Robert Bellarmine lived in stormy times. The decades following the Council of Trent were charged with emotion. We learn from him that then, as now, there are matters that can change, but there was also lasting and permanent truths and realities that do not change.

In the last years of his writing, St. Robert turned to spiritual matters, commenting often on the scriptures and incorporating his reflections into his writings and preaching. We read from a treatise "On the Ascent of the Mind to God," where he comments on the great commandment, "You should love the Lord your God with all your heart."

He states: "Truly then the recompense is great for those who keep your commandments. The first and greatest commandment helps the man who obeys, not the God who commands. In addition, the other commandments of God perfect the man who obeys them. They provide him with what he needs. They instruct and enlighten him and make him good and blessed."

Robert Bellarmine was canonized in 1930, and the following year declared a Doctor (Teacher) of the Church.



JOIN US! Walk for the Poor September 25th

Where: Shepherd's Field Time: 9:30 AM (Check-in begins at 8:30 AM)

Visit <u>www.annunciationorlando.org/svdp</u> for a link to register. If you have questions please contact Bill Marcous at amarcous@earthlink.net



Living Life in the Holy Spirit is a new Faith Community program that is based on Holy Scripture and popular Catholic programs including Encounter Ministries. Some of the topics that will be explored will include: What is your identity in Christ? What are the Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit? How does the Holy Spirit work through your life and in your relationships with others?

If you are interested in learning more about Living Life in the Holy Spirit, we invite you to journey with us. Meetings will be on the second Tuesday of every month starting on October 12 and will be conducted using Zoom. Sign-up at <u>www.annunciationorlando.org/</u> <u>LivingLifeHS</u>

For more information, please contact Joe and Janet McWilliams at 407-463-1863 or joedmcw@gmail.com



Annunciation Habitat for Humanity

We have several build dates coming up in Sanford. It is easy to sign-up and get involved and it is very rewarding to work with the families we are serving. Learn more at www.annunciationorlando.org/habitat. *Photos from a recent site weekend.*



SAVE THE DATES! November 12 - 14, 2021 Family Fun For All Ages Friday: 6 to 10pm, Saturday: 4 to 10pm Sunday: 1pm to 7pm

Proceeds from our Fall Festival go to local charities and families in need. More details coming in September on how to get involved

Right now. we are gathering items for our Online Silent Auction! Items needed:

Canoes/kayaks, paddleboards, jet skis, scooters, professional and collegiate sports tickets, and tickets to events at the theater, philharmonic, ballet, opera, etc. Gift certificates to local restaurants and retail stores as well as gift certificates for "services" including legal representation, estate and retirement planning, medical, dental, (including orthodontic treatment), optical, dermatological, auto maintenance/ repair and more. Do you own a condo or second home at the beach? In the mountains? A certificate for a one week stay would be terrific!

Please prayerfully consider a contribution at this time with a deadline of October 10th.

If you have questions, please contact Greg Fox at gregfox1961@gmail.com . Thank you!

Jewelry Items Needed ... for the Fall Festival. It's time to clean out your jewelry box and consider donating unwanted jewelry to the Fall Festival. In addition to costume jewelry, we will be happy to take broken gold and silver jewelry, one earring, etc. Thank you for your generosity and participation. For more information contact Sandy at sandrabattaglia2@gmail.com Join Us for a Holy Hour for Life Friday, October 8th from 7 to 8pm in our Church. Featuring Praise & Worship with Michael John Poirier.



Michael's music speaks of forgiveness, peace, and love. In 1993, he began offering candlelight prayer concerts at parishes nationwide–evenings of healing through music and storytelling. Michael uses his artistic talents to create atmospheres where people can easily picture God

telling them how much they are cherished.

You are invited to Celebrate Life!

October 9, 2021

Join us in supporting the life saving ministry of Life Choices Medical Clinic.

WE BEGIN WITH 5PM MASS AT ANNUNCIATION CATHOLIC CHURCH FOLLOWED BY DINNER, LIFESAVING TESTIMONIES AND DANCING AT SHERATON NORTH MAITLAND.

CRISIS PREGNANCY CARE

For tickets and additional information please visit LifeChoicesFLCares.com/event



Join our peaceful prayer vigil beginning on Sept 22nd and running 40 days until Oct 31st. Learn more and sign up at: <u>www.40daysforlife.com/en/Altamonte-Springs</u>

For more information please call our Parish Office at **407-869-9472** or email **info@annunciationorlando.org**

Clergy

Very Rev. Ivan Olmo, V.F	Pastor
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Rev. Francisco Ojeda	Parochial Vicar
Rev. Andrew NguyenHospit	al Chaplain (Advent Orlando)
Rev. Augustine Clark	Retired
Rev. William Gohring	Retired
Deacon Joe Gassman	Permanent Deacon
Deacon Pete Pronko	Permanent Deacon

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Sr. Kristi Bergman, SCTJM	Bishop Moore HS
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Sr. Maria Sagrario, SCTJM	Cathedral

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Mark McCabe	Director of Music & Worship
Mary Ann Fox	Director of Liturgy

Parish Office Hours

Mondays - Fridays from 9am to 5pm. Sundays from 9am to 12noon

Book & Gift Store hours: Mon-Fri: 10:30am – 5pm, Sat: 4:30-5pm; 6-6:30pm, Sun: 9:00am-1:30pm. Volunteers needed! To learn more please contact Terri Becher at 407-215-7666

In need of assistance? Please contact our Society of St.Vincent dePaul at 407-215-7669 or by email: <u>svdp@annunciationorlando.org</u>

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We look forward to welcoming your child into our family at Annunciation Catholic Church! For information regarding the Sacrament of Baptism for Children, please contact the Parish Office at 407-869-9472.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Experience the joy of forgiveness... If it has been a while since you have been to Confession, do not be afraid! The Priest will guide you through this Sacrament of healing. Visit www.annunciationorlando.org/reconciliation.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit... For information regarding the Sacrament of Confirmation for youth, please contact our Faith Formation for Children and Youth at 407-869-9472. If you are an adult in need of the Sacrament of Confirmation, please contact our Adult Faith Formation Office at 407-869-9472.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

...and the two shall become as one. Mark 10:8 For information regarding the Sacrament of Marriage, please contact the Parish Office at 407-869-9472 at least six months prior to your anticipated wedding date.

VOCATIONS

...I have called you by name. Isaiah 43:1 Do you feel called to Priesthood or Religious Life? We look forward to speaking with you. Please contact our Clergy at 407-869-9472.

HOSPITAL VISITATION ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Are you or a loved one in need of healing? If you or someone in your family is in need of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office at 407-869-9472. In case of emergency or if you or a family member are in the hospital, please contact the Parish Office to receive a pastoral visit.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Now may be the time... and this may be the place! For more information on the journey of Christian Initiation, please contact Deacon Pete Pronko at 407-869-9472.

ANNULMENTS

Questions about divorce and re-marriage? For information regarding Annulments, please contact Jody North at 407-215-7639.

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