

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee Office of Faith Formation Newsletter

January 2017

Emerald Coast Walk for Life

January 13, 2017 - January 14, 2017

Join Emerald Coast Coalition for Life in a local Walk for Life themed "A Reason to Hope."

The events are as follows:

- Vigil Mass at St. Paul Catholic Church on Friday, Jan. 13 at 6:30 p.m. followed by overnight Adoration in the Adoration Chapel
- Mass at St. Joseph Catholic Church on Saturday, Jan. 14 at 9 a.m. geared toward the youth
- Rally in Seville Square at 10:30 a.m. with national and local speakers followed by a walk of a mile or so through downtown Pensacola

For questions or more information, contact Ernie Cyr at 850-889-1035 or eccflife@gmail.com or Deacon Ray Aguado aguador@ptdiocese.org or 850-435-3531

Parish Catechetical Leader Meetings

January 19th: 9:30 am Pastoral Center

January 26th: 6:30 pm Pastoral Center

Evening in Panama City TBD

If day in FWB/Niceville is needed, contact Sr. Margaret

February 1

9:30 am Co-Cathedral

6:30 pm Blessed Sacrament

Needed: Adults and Youth

Are you willing to share your faith with the children at Celebrate Faith?

Contact Sister Margaret to volunteer!
850-435-3523 or kuntzm@ptdiocese.org
(We will be able to record the speakers so you can view them)

Celebrate Faith 2017 Saturday, February 18, 2017 Emerald Coast Conference Center

You are invited to join us as we dive deeper into what it means to live out our vocations, whether to married life or single life.

Curtis and Michaelann Martin
Fr. Leo Patalinghug, Panel on Single Life
Spanish Track: Roberto Ramirez

Prayer, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration,
Nursery
Programs for PreK4-5th grade and
Middle School

Registration: www.ptdiocese.org
Registration closes February 3rd
More information can be found at
www.ptdiocese.org/celebratefaith2017



From Our Sunday Visitor

365 Days with Mary is designed to accompany you on a year-long spiritual journey to draw closer to Christ with the help of our Blessed Mother.

App includes:

Prayers of the Rosary
Daily Marian Reflections
Marian Book Excerpt
All About Mary
Mary, Undoer of Knots novena

Available on
The App Store and Google Play

New in the Library

A Church on the Move by Joe Paprocki
from Loyola Press

Invited to Courageous Love: The Catholic Church and Homosexuality
Set of 5 DVDs with Study Guide
from Courage International, Inc.

Veggie Tales: God Loves You Very Much
Four Stories by Veggie Tales (DVD)

The Saints: Our Heavenly Friends featuring Brother Francis from Herald Kids
DVD English and Spanish

RCIA

Rite of Election

Pensacola:

Sunday, March 5 at 3 pm
Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

Tallahassee:

Sunday, March 12 at 3 pm
Co-Cathedral of St. Thomas More

Information letter will be sent
by mid-January

Registration Form is due
by February 9th

Dates to Remember

January 13-14 Walk for Life

January 17-19 Priests' Convocation

January 20-22 Catholic Renewal Conference

January 27-29 Diocesan Youth Conference

February 3-4 Nun Run in Mobile

February 5 Jubilee Mass Pensacola

February 11 Workshop on the Joy of Love

February 11 Scout Mass in Tallahassee

February 12 Jubilee Mass Tallahassee

February 18 Celebrate Faith 2017

January 19 Scout Mass Pensacola

January 25 Raising Catholic Kids—Birth to 5

January 26 Black History Mass in FWB

March 1 Ash Wednesday

March 4 Middle School Retreat

March 4 Young Adult Retreat in Tallahassee

March 5 Rite of Election in Pensacola

March 17-19 Retreat for Men

March 17-April 9 40 Days for Life Spring

March 25-26 Retreat for Women

March 31-April 2 High School Camp Out

April 1 Young Adult Retreat Mary Esther

April 4-5 Catholic Days at the Capitol

April 16 Easter

April 21-23 Marriage Retreat

April 22 Diocesan Council of Catholic Women
Convention/Reflection Day

April 24-28 Priests' Retreat

Apostleship of Prayer January Intention

That all Christians may be faithful to the Lord's teaching by striving with prayer and fraternal charity to restore ecclesial communion and by collaborating to meet the challenges facing humanity.

Catholic Renewal Conference
January 20-22, 2017
Holy Name of Jesus Parish
Niceville

"I will pour out my Spirit upon mankind."

Speakers:

*Dr. Carole Razza, Father Michael Nixon,
Kevin McCall, Father Nicholas Schumm*

The conference will feature great speakers, music, a healing service, a Eucharistic procession, adoration chapel, religious bookstore and free nursery. Confession and individual prayer time will be available.

For questions or more information, contact Sue McAllister at 850-341-0379 or ptdccb@gmail.com.

Let's Talk About Scripture

Tuesday, January 10th

7-8:30 pm

Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall

Sister Margaret Kuntz presenting
Topics

How the Bible Came into Existence
The Catholic Approach to Scripture
The Bible in the Life of the Church

**Please RSVP by
Monday, January 9 at noon
kuntzm@ptdiocese.org or 850-435-3523**

If you would like for your parish:

- ◆ Let's Talk About Scripture
- ◆ Ways of Raising Catholic Kids: Birth to 5 years
- ◆ An intergenerational event for Lent or Easter

Contact Sister Margaret
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Workshop on the
Joy of Love

Saturday, February 11

930 am to 2 pm CT

St. Joseph the Worker

Presenter:

Monsignor James Flaherty

Ways of Raising Catholic Kids Ages Birth to 5 Years Old

Saturday, February 25 from 9 to 11 am

St. Paul Parish, Pensacola

Come to grow as the primary educators of your children in the faith!
Come to meet and connect with other couples sharing the role and the journey!
Com, focus on building foundations to celebrate Lent and Easter in your home!

No cost but please register!

On-line registration at www.ptdiocese.org

Questions: Sister Margaret Kuntz

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Prayer for a New Bishop

Heavenly Father,
You have blessed our diocese time and again
with good and holy bishops
who have led us ever closer to you.

Aware of your profound love for us,
we ask you to bless us once again.

Send us a good and holy man
to become our next bishop.

Inspire us, the clergy, religious and the laity of the
diocese to work generously with him
so that we might grow together in your love
and continue the good work you have begun
in us for the sake of all.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ,
your son, who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever.
Amen

Gulf Coast's Got Sisters! Retreat

Mobile, AL Feb 3-4, 2017

For single women 18-40.

Pray and share with Sisters from differ-
ent religious communities in the Gulf
Coast area including our Pensacola-
Tallahassee Diocese as you discern
your vocation.

This weekend is a great opportunity to
be a part of community life, while ask-
ing questions about discernment and
getting answers in real time.

Sponsored by Archdiocese of Mobile
and Sisters of the Mobile Archdiocese.
For more information, contact Sister
Theresa Sullivan, D.C., at
sistertheresa.sullivan@doc.org or 812-
963-7556 or Sister Margaret Kuntz at
850-435-3523 or kuntzm@ptdiocese.org

Young Adult Retreat Day
Co-Cathedral in Tallahassee
Saturday, March 4th.

Young Adult Retreat Day
St. Peter Parish, Mary Esther
Saturday, April 1st

Frassati Society of Tallahassee, FL

Facebook: Frassati Society of Tallahassee
Tuesday nights: Men and Women Groups
Thursdays: Rosary
Monthly Mass and Brunch
Third Thursday: Thursday Night Theology
Hikes and other activities

Pensacola Catholic Young Adults

Facebook: Pensacola Catholic Young Adults
Cathedral Young Professional
Discipleship on Draft: Third Thursday
Encounter: First Thursday
Cathedral Young Professional: Tuesdays

Emerald Coast Catholic Young Adult (Mary Esther/Fort Walton Beach/Niceville)

Facebook:
Emerald Coast Catholic Young Adult Ministry
Faith Sharing: First Wednesday at St. Mary Parish
Dinner is Served and Adoration: Second Tuesday
Discipleship on Draft: Third Mondays
Coffee and Jesus on Saturday mornings
Bible Study to come

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