



SAINT RITA

CATHOLIC CHURCH

22 ST RITA LANE, SANTA ROSA BEACH, FLORIDA

March 16 2025

850.267.2558



SACRAMENTAL SCHEDULE

MASS

Saturday 5:00 PM Vigil

Sunday 8:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 5:00 PM Misa en Español

Daily Mass - Monday - Saturday 8:30 AM

Thursdays @ Ascension Sacred Heart Hospital -
11:30am

SOLEMN EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays after Mass, 9 AM - 10 AM in church

First Friday of the Month, 9 AM - 6 PM in chapel

RECONCILIATION

Saturday, 9 AM (or by appointment)

OFFICE HOURS

Mon - Thurs, 9 AM - 4 PM

PASTORAL TEAM

Parish Administrator: Fr. Raja Karumelnathan

Business Manager: Stew Danos

Director of Parish Mission: Jenna Danos

Director of Liturgies: Nancy Wesson

Director of Liturgical Music: Gabby Schrack

Preschool Director: Heather Carson

CGS Director: Ticia Gallo

Youth Minister: Alex Molzer

Office Manager: Laurie Mandrekar

Receptionist: Gail Epplin

Event Coordinator: Kristy Seeliger

Media Manager: McKay Moews

Administrative Assistant: Alyssa Miles

Facilities Manager: Travis Shields

Maintenance Assistant: PJ Dubicki

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We exist to provide opportunities for you to encounter Christ, share His love, and become more like Him.

CALENDAR of EVENTS

Perpetual

- 1st & 3rd Sun - Brunch following morning Masses
- Mon @ 5:30PM - Middle School Youth Night
- Tues @ 6:00PM - Catholicism 101
- Tues @ 7:00PM - Basketball (pickup)
- Wed @ 9:00AM - Loving Hands Ministry
- Wed @ 5:30PM - High School Youth Night
- 1st & 3rd Thurs @ 9:30AM - SVdP Meeting
- Thurs @ 6:00PM - Men's G.R.O.W. Group

Announcements

- Loretta Irene Lowrey Funeral Mass at 11:00am on March 20th; burial following at Gulf Cemetery

TREASURE

Giving Account (Weekly Goal)	Last Week (% of Weekly Goal)
Offertory (\$40,105.65)	\$30,236.99 (75.39%)
Building Fund (\$5,721.72)	\$4,338.40 (75.82%)
Burse Club (\$200.00)	\$70.32 (35.16%)

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WEEKLY INTENTIONS

Saturday 8:30am 5:00pm	March 15th Evan Ward (+) Eustoquio Gutierrez (+)
Sunday 8:00am 11:00am 5:00pm (Esp)	March 16th For the People Josephine Lanz (+) -
Monday 8:30am	March 17th Joseph & Megan Gianelloni
Tuesday 8:30am	March 18th Jimmy West (+)
Wednesday 9:00am	March 19th Steve Chrietzberg
Thursday 8:30am	March 20th Richard Ranson
Friday 8:30am	March 21st Haffner Family
Saturday 8:30am 5:00pm	March 22nd Thai Van Nguyen (+) Fernando & Tatiana Almanza

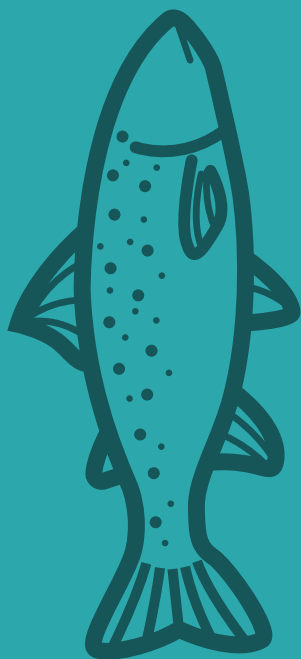
PRAY WITH US FOR

Trina Spadaccia, Lisa Chapman, Jed Withers, Joe Tullos, Renee Watson, Pavlin Family, Nancy Lord, Micheline Riggio, Beth Turnbach, Christine H., Joseph Albert, Stella Leverton, Gregorio Alvarez, Gail Epplin, Helen Lee & Family, Julie Duncan, Tunello Family, Wendy, Kathy Farrell, Banks Wilson, Asiah Walsh, Adam Urena, Gianni Piraino, Tracy Finke, Dale Koblenzer, Mike McIntosh, Kevin Vandervort, Saylor Kloepling, The Piraino Family, Jason Worthington, Greg Shields, Evelyn Handon, Lorraine RJJ, Lisa Trumps, Briggs Bruni, Margaret & John Mihalczko, Paris, Monica Hughes, Gianluca Piraino, William Higgins, John Bauer, Matt Beckett, Korrie Lali, Meg Copher, Anne Brazeal, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, Gustavo Bardana, Timothy C., Michael K., Beth Coppedge, Joan Buchewicz, David Crocker Nicole Perez, Lisa Laurence, Jay Alberio, Elizabeth Zdanis, Dorothy Brockmeier, Jeff Benzer, Sonja Vogel, Socorro Ramirez, Frank Liberatori, Luke Hood, Rob Benzer, Douglas Krumel, Robert Darley, Landen Prestwood, Terry Benzer, Nancy Smith, Herring, Dee Jordan, Dora Sannadsardo, Sara McNut, Laura Jean Glahn, Kristy Unton, Lindsay Walsh, Pat Borella, Lucy Wright,

Stations of the Cross

A Walk with Christ every Friday during Lent

From 6:00 - 6:30pm in the Church



SAINT RITA FISH FRY FRIDAYS

4:00PM - 7:30PM EVERY FRIDAY IN LENT

This Lenten Season, we are kicking it up a notch! Join us before or after Stations of the Cross for our St Rita Fish Fry Fridays. We have 3 different plates to choose from and have some great options for the kids too! Come dine in for some fellowship in the gym or grab take-out to have an awesome dinner at home! Our first Fish Fry of the season is March 7th. See you there!

Dine In or Take Out Available

THE FISHERMAN'S PLATTERS - \$15

Fried Catfish Platter - Crispy fried Catfish, hushpuppies, seasoned fries, coleslaw

Baked Grouper - Baked Grouper, haricots verts, rosemary mashed potatoes, salad

Fried Shrimp Basket - Fried shrimp, hushpuppies, seasoned fries, coleslaw

TINY TOT'S PLATE - \$8

Choice of fish, shrimp or hot dog with fries and hush puppies (ages 12 and under)

*All Meals include drinks: Coffee, Tea, Lemonade & Dessert

EVERY FRIDAY IN LENT
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LENTEN MINISTRY NIGHT

Join music ministers,
Brendan and Mirella Tobin
for an evening of original music,
testimony of Jesus and communal
prayer on **Friday, March 21st**

Following Stations of the Cross
and Fish Fry
7:30pm - 8:30pm



Saturday, April 26, 2025

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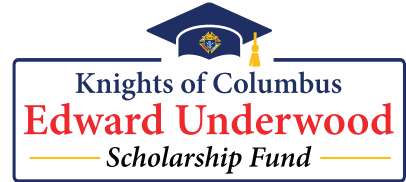
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-ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS-

Applications are now being accepted for The Knights of Columbus Council 17689 2nd Annual Edward Underwood Scholarship Award. It is open to high school seniors graduating in May 2025 who are St. Rita parishioners. **A selected student who has been accepted for admission as a full-time student and will attend an accredited junior college, college, or university in the fall of 2025 will be awarded \$2500.** The selection criteria for the scholarship is based on an equal weighted evaluation of academic performance and potential for future academic success, extra-curricular school

activities, work experience, overall citizenship and service to your church and community, and the ability to communicate all these factors by answering the application questions and completing a 450-500 word essay. **Postmarked deadline for all applications is April 25th, 2025.** Winners will be notified in late May.



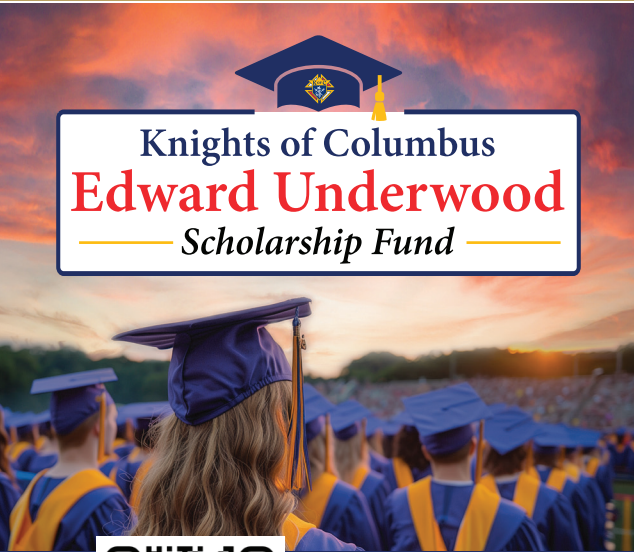
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The Knights of Columbus Council 17689 is pleased to announce its 2nd Annual Edward Underwood Scholarship Award, in honor of our late Brother Ed Underwood, a believer in lifelong learning. Your contribution to this award will recognize deserving local students and assist them financially in their academic pursuits. It is open to high school seniors graduating in May 2025 who are St. Rita parishioners.

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All are invited to come and pray for an end to abortion. Please consider signing up to take a Holy Hour!
Begins March 5th

Organized by The Knights of Columbus

The Father Kapaun Pilgrimage

The Kansas Camino, May 29 – June 1, 2025

Each year at the beginning of summer hundreds of pilgrims walk 60 miles in the plains of the heartland of Kansas to the hometown of Venerable Emil Kapaun. They do it not only to remember the heroic Catholic priest and Army chaplain who is on the path to sainthood but to discover the true meaning of their own unique paths to sainthood.

Next year's Camino will take place May 29 – June 1, 2025, with registration to open March 4, 2025. A waitlist will be used when registration hits capacity.

FOR MORE INFO, SCAN QR CODE



QUESTIONS? CONTACT MIKE URBAN: 443-243-8113





Holy Week Schedule

- Palm Sunday, April 13: Normal St Rita Mass Times
- Holy Thursday, April 17: Mass of the Lord's Supper • 7:30pm
Exposition until 10:30pm
- Good Friday, April 18: Stations of the Cross & Divine Mercy Chaplet • 2:00pm
Celebration of the Lord's Passion • 7:30pm
- Holy Saturday, April 19: Easter Vigil in the Holy Night • 7:30pm
- Easter Sunday, April 20: Resurrection of the Lord • 7:00am, 9:00am,
11:30am, 5:00pm (Esp)

Lenten Opportunities for Prayer

- Friday, March 21: Praise and Worship Ministry • 7:30pm
- Thursday, April 3: St. Rita's Penance Service • 6:00pm