SUNDAY MASSES & CONFESSIONS: See inside

BAPTISMS & MARRIAGE: For these Sacraments please notify church office as soon as possible so we may advise you of the requirements. Thank you.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Please fill out registration card and return to ushers or the church office.

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: Tel. 482-6883 or 481-7172

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES STORE: Tel. 437-9876
The Gift Shop is located in the front of the church

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PARISH OFFICE: Tel. 481-7171 or 481-7172
Fax: 481-8007, www.resurrectionch.org
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November 4, 2018
Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

GOD'S LAWS

God's laws are not intended to burden or torment us. Instead they are guideposts that point us in the direction of good living. Accordingly, good living requires loving God and loving one another. We should not follow God's laws out of fear of what might happen if we don't, but rather view them as a foundation for building relationships and trust with one another and with God. The Shema prayer of Orthodox Jews is based on the reading from Deuteronomy today, "Hear, O Israel." Every morning people recite the prayer as a profession of their love for God and pledge their obedience to God throughout the day. They pass on their love of God to their children, from one generation to the next.

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November 4, 2018
Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength.
—Deuteronomy 6:5

Mass Intentions

SAT. NOVEMBER 3 VIGIL MASS
3:30 † Raymond Gier by Chloe Gier
5:00 ♥ Spec. Intention for Donna Strickland by Cranfield Family

SUN. NOVEMBER 4
7:30 † Rose Cahill by Mary Ann
9:00 † Michael Pica by Gislason Family
10:30 ♥† People of the Parish
1:15 Latin Mass

MON. NOVEMBER 5
8:00 † Tommy Dinapoli by Carmella and Vinnie Pellitteri

TUE. NOVEMBER 6
8:00 † Poor Souls

WED. NOVEMBER 7
8:00 † Richard Ionni by Ann and Al Ionni

THU. NOVEMBER 8
8:00 ♥ Special Intention for Audrey Rhee by Mom and Dad

FRI. NOVEMBER 9
8:00 † David Cherneski by Elaine and Court Joel

SAT. NOVEMBER 10
8:00 † Samuel Wadas by Friends

SAT. NOVEMBER 10 VIGIL MASS
3:30 † Marta Massa by Loving Children
5:00 † Timoteo Quiatchon by May Mulles and Family

SUN. NOVEMBER 11
7:30 † William R. Mathews by Jim and Pat Dempsey
9:00 ♥† People of the Parish
10:30 † Ollie’s Anniversary by Barb
1:15 Latin Mass

CONFESSIONS - Saturdays 2:15-3:15pm or 15 min. before Sunday Masses or by appointment.

This week’s Sanctuary Candle:
For R.J. Vernsey
By Larry and Val

RESURRECTION CALENDAR

Adoration
First Fridays 8:30-9:30am, chapel

Bereavement & Beyond Ministry
Mondays, 10:00am. For more information call Alouise 481-8168

Craft Club
Tuesdays, 8:30 - 10:30am

Men’s Gospel Forum
Fridays, 8:30am.

Our Lady of Miraculous Medal Novena
Saturdays after the 8:00am Mass, church

Parish Nurse Ministry
Leave message at 239-600-6743

Prayer for Priests
Thursdays after the 8:00am Mass, chapel

RCIA
Sundays, after 9:00am Mass. For info: 482-6883

Religious Education
September 16 - April 28 (Sundays) 482-6883

Resurrection for Life
for info, call Judy at 287-1237

Resurrection Men’s Club
2nd Monday every month, 7:00pm.

Resurrection Prayer Line Ministry
call Deanna Latell 481-1170

Rosary
before daily Masses and
Tues. & Thurs., 1:30pm, chapel

Rosary Makers
3rd Thurs. Oct. thru May, 9-11am

St. Vincent De Paul Board Meeting
2nd Monday every month, 7:00pm.

To make an appointment for SVDP assistance
call 239-600-6749, or
e-mail svdp@resurrectionch.org

Teams of Our Lady
for information call JoAnn, 482-7982

Women’s Guild
3rd Wednesday every month, 8:30am. Sept.-May

Youth Ministry
September 12—April 24 (Wednesdays) 481-5144

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ATTENTION:
Important Music Announcement!

Come join the "Children's Choir" at the 10:30am Mass on the first Sunday every month!

Anyone who would like to serve as the cantor see Connie to sign up for a specific month.

Children's choir will take place on:

In addition, we will also sing at the Children's Mass on Christmas Eve (4:00 pm, 12-24-18).

Questions? all Connie (239)-464-3437

The Book Club is back! PLEASE CONSIDER JOINING US!

2ND FRIDAYS OF NOVEMBER, DECEMBER, JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH

Reserve your lunch for $10.00 - Call: 481-7172

November 9 @ NOON - Resurrection Conference Room

Join in for Lunch & Conversation about:

Paulo Coelho - The Alchemist

Combining magic, mysticism, wisdom and wonder into an inspiring tale of self-discovery, The Alchemist has become a modern classic, selling millions of copies around the world and transforming the lives of countless readers across generations.

Paulo Coelho’s masterpiece tells the mystical story of Santiago, an Andalusian shepherd boy who yearns to travel in search of a worldly treasure. His quest will lead him to riches far different—and far more satisfying—than he ever imagined. Santiago's journey teaches us about the essential wisdom of listening to our hearts, of recognizing opportunity and learning to read the omens strewn along life’s path, and, most importantly, to follow our dreams.

Book is available on Amazon for $8.56

ALL ARE WELCOME

December book: “Everyday Stewardship - Reflections for the Journey” by Tracy Earl Wellivers, MTS

January book: “Little Fires Everywhere” by Celeste Ng

February, March, April choices open from the participants - Bring in your suggestions!
Catholic Charities, Clare House, in Fort Myers offers an afterschool program for underprivileged children in elementary school. Each year, RYM delivers a full Thanksgiving dinner to each of the families. It’s a great experience for the teens to meet the families and personally give them the dinners.

On **Monday, November 19th** we will deliver the dinners, enjoy cake with the children, sing songs, and celebrate the Thanksgiving holiday. They look forward to seeing us and count on us for their Thanksgiving dinners!

Would you kindly help us with any of the following donations:

- **FROZEN TURKEY**
- *Rice* *stuffing mix* *cranberry sauce* *potatoes*
- *canned sweet potatoes* *corn muffin mix* *canned veggies, gravy* *sweets/desserts*

If it’s more convenient to make a monetary donation, we’ll grocery shop for you!

**No amount of help is too big or too small!**

**Please drop off your donations at the Parish Center**

no later than Wednesday, November 14th.

*And do not neglect doing good and sharing: for with such sacrifices God is pleased.* — *Hebrews 13:16*
“Prepare your heart for Christmas”
Resurrection Parish Advent Retreat
Thursday, Dec. 13; 9-2:30pm
At Our Lady of Perpetual Help Retreat Center

Accept Mary’s invitation to carve out a sacred time and space where the Living Word of God can “take flesh within you.” Let the birth of Jesus to be a time for us to come to know and love Him more intimately. In fact, Mary offers us a model of how to prepare our hearts to receive her Son. Like Mary, say “YES!” to the power of the Holy Spirit and allow God to become more visible to those around you. Invite a friend and join us!

Encounter Mary and her Son in a deeply personal and transformative way.

Cost: $35- Includes breakfast and lunch (Check or Cash only, please.)
Register: By mail or in person at the Resurrection Parish Center.
8121 Cypress Lake Dr. Ft. Myers, FL 33919.
Registration Deadline: Nov. 29th
Location: OLPH Retreat Center- 3989 South Moon Dr. Venice FL
RESURRECTION MEN’S CLUB

Next meeting is:

**Monday, November 12th, 7pm**

_in the Parish Center_

(and every 2nd Monday of the month through May)

After our meeting, all are welcome to join us at 8pm to view:

**THE SECOND GREATEST STORY EVER TOLD**

with Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC

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RESURRECTION PARISH CENTER

WEDNESDAY MORNINGS

10:00AM – 11:30AM

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

Call to order a guide 481-7172

$8.00

Nov. 7 - John 5:1-30 - My Father and I

Nov. 14 - John 6:25-29 - Who Eats This Bread will Live Forever

Nov. 21 - John 10:1-33 - My Sheep Hear My Voice

Study of John 11-21 - My Peace I Give to you.

_Continues thru January!

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RCIA provides faith formation, spiritual enrichment and preparation for the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist.

Faith makes Life’s Journey a Joy

Do you have questions?

RCIA meets every Sunday

Resurrection Parish Center

Jesus promises:

“Peace be with you!”

PLEASE CONSIDER CALLING

Please contact: Joanne MacPeek

adultfaith@resurrectionch.org

Phone: 239-481-7171

Jesus promises:

“I will be with you always...yes to the end of time!”

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COFFEE & DONUTS

JOIN US in the Parish Center after the 10:30am Mass for coffee, donuts, and fellowship.

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**
November 8, 6pm: Resurrection
Kevin Becker– Miraculous Story of Survival and Divine Intervention

December 6, 6pm: Church of the Resurrection
Fr. Jonathan Romanoski, FSSP– Reasons for my Conversion and the Spirituality of the Traditional Roman Rite

January 17, 6pm: Our Lady of Light
David “The Ghost” Casper– Still Fighting: Notre Dame and Football

February 21, 6pm: St. Leo the Great
Coach Lou Holtz– Are you Growing or Dying in Your Life?

March 21, 6pm: St. John XXIII
(Joint Event with Faith and Wine)
Theresa Tomeo– God’s Bucket List

April 11, 6pm: St. John XXIII
John Knuth– Coaching 100 Days with Jesus

Get your Tickets at www.faithandale.com

St. Vincent de Paul
Pope Francis says: "Christ leads us to go out from ourselves more and more, to give ourselves and serve others".

We are seeing an increase in NEED. Please be generous at the Poor Boxes!
(Donations to the Poor Box go directly to SVdP to assist the poor.)

Blessings on your generosity!

MINISTRY OF THE SICK

IMPORTANT NOTE TO ALL PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS:

When admitted to the hospital please register as Catholic and notify the parish office immediately, 481-7171.

Resurrection priests visit the hospitals daily.
For a Parish Nurse, call 239-600-6743 and leave a message.
To protect your privacy, hospitals do not give patient’s information without their permission.

The following hospitals are attended to by the parish in which they are located:

* Gulf Coast Hospital - visited daily by St. John XXIII Parish, 561-2245
* Lee Memorial Hospital - visited daily by St. Francis Xavier Parish, 334-2161
* Lee Memorial and Hospice at Health Park - visited daily by St. Columbkille Parish, 489-3973

Blessings! From your PARISH NURSE TEAM:
Nancie Burke, Mariann Tischler and Jeanne Wang Faubion are available for health counseling, health education, and emotional/spiritual support

Flu season has arrived! The flu comes on suddenly, and symptoms may vary. Most common flu symptoms include, fever, headaches, body aches, fatigue, a dry cough and chills and sweats. If you have these symptoms you should seek medical attention immediately. Occasionally, they also include stuffy or runny nose, sneezing, sore throat, and nausea. This can make it hard to differentiate from a common cold.

Highest risk for the flu are the elderly, very young, and those with medical conditions. The CDC recommends everyone 6 months and older receive a flu shot every year. It is a MYTH that the flu shot can give you the flu. If you do experience flu like symptoms after your vaccine, you were probably exposed to the flu virus. This could occur shortly before getting vaccinated, or during the 2 week period after vaccination that it takes the body to develop immune protection.

Some drug stores offer flu shots for those 18 and older, and no appointment is required. For Medicare and most insurances, there is no charge. If you do not have insurance, costs vary from $30-40.

Let’s all do our part to keep each other healthy. Remember: it’s not too late to vaccinate!
2018 Candidate Questionnaire Project: An informed voter is a responsible voter

The U.S. bishops remind us, "In the Catholic Tradition, responsible citizenship is a virtue, and participation in political life is a moral obligation." To help parishioners become informed on where candidates stand on key issues, the Florida Conference of Catholic Bishops has polled those running for U.S. Congress and the Florida Legislature.

To see how candidates appearing on the November 6 General Election ballots responded to the questionnaire, visit www.flaccb.org.

Bishop Verot High School Presents
The Drowsy Chaperone
The musical comedy runs from November 15 – 18 in Bishop Verot’s Anderson Theater. Thursday, Friday, Saturday performances - 7:00pm and Sunday is at 2:00 p.m.
Tickets will be on sale in the Box Office thirty minutes prior to showtime.

Catholic Chamber of Commerce invites all Catholic businesses & ministries to a Networking Lunch/Meeting
11:30am-1pm, Tuesday, November 13th at St. Francis Xavier Parish Hall
The event is free and no membership is required.
Www.floridacatholicchamber.com
RSVP: toni@floridacatholicchamber.org.

All are called...
All are welcome...
Come and SEE...

Resurrection Parish Center - Conference Room
10:00am to 11:00am Stay for donuts!

Nov. 4: Jesus
Jesus invites us into relationship...the teaching that Jesus would give us never comes to an end...
When I think about Jesus, what intrigues me the most is...

Nov. 11: The Holy Spirit
Without the Holy Spirit, there is no Christian life. All prayer, every hope is possible because of the Holy Spirit...
When I reflect on the Holy Spirit, the sense that I have is...

Nov. 18: The Church
Life is an interaction. So, too, the life of faith. Church was formed to proclaim His Good News.
I find I need people the most when... How has Church helped or complicated your relationship with God?

Nov. 25: The Liturgical Year & Tour of the Church
There are seasons in our life and in the life of the Church...see how these seasons celebrate Christ’s presence.
In what seasons or experiences in your life do you most clearly see God’s presence?
**Veterans Day Mass**

**Sunday, November 11 at 2:45pm**

**Sarasota National Cemetery**

9810 State Road 72/Clark Road

All are invited to attend, and active military personnel are encouraged to wear their uniform.

For further information, please contact Gail Ardy at ardy@dioceseofvenice.org or 941-484-9543.

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**OPLATKI WAFERS!**

The Christmas wafer is a Central European Christian Christmas tradition celebrated in Polish families during Christmas Eve Vigil. The unleavened wafers are baked from pure wheat flour and water, are usually rectangular in shape and very thin; they are identical in composition to a round wafer which becomes the Host after the Consecration during Mass in the Roman Catholic Church. Being only a reminder of the Body of Christ used in private homes, Opłatki lack sanctification by a priest or bishop. The Opłatki wafers are embossed with Christmas related religious images, varying from the nativity scene, especially Virgin Mary with baby Jesus to the Star of Bethlehem.

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5 wafers for $3.00

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Everyone is invited! Join the Fun!

SWFL Catholic MOM’s
Annual Holiday Craft Fair Event!
Thursday, November 15, 2018
5:30 - 8:30 PM
Church of the Resurrection of Our Lord Parish Hall
8121 Cypress Lake Drive FM 33919

***If you would like to have a table or know someone who would be interested, please have them call Amanda - 239-222-0452

Help SUPPORT the GOOD NEWS about SWFL CATHOLIC MOM’S
Meetings: 1st & 3rd Thursdays - 9:30am - 11:30am
In Resurrection Parish Center
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