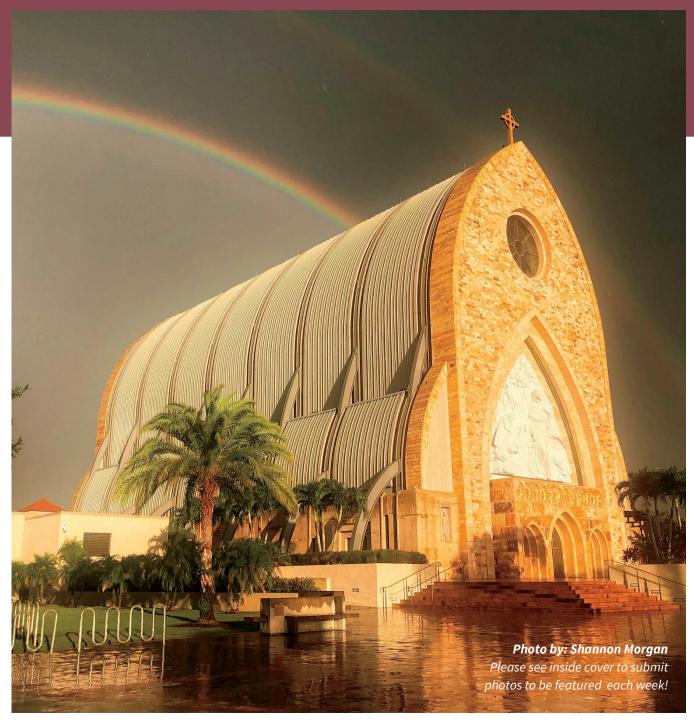
August 6-7, 2022 | Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

# AVE MARIA CATHOLIC CHURCH



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As the new school year begins, let us give some thought to the most important work of education! In one of his talks on education, Archbishop Fulton Sheen commented: "We should treat our minds just exactly as we treat our stomachs. We do not put garbage in our stomachs. However, our stomachs are not nearly as important as our minds. This is why it is so important to keep the right kind of thoughts in our heads."

Let us take a moment to reflect on Archbishop Fulton Sheen's ideas. If we consume garbage, can we expect to be physically healthy? We can't. And we know it. No wonder moms try to teach their children to eat healthy so that they grow and develop properly.

Now, what we believe to be true about the body, how can it not be true when applied to the spirit? If we sow garbage in our minds and hearts, can we expect to be psychologically and spiritually healthy? We must be consistent in our thinking. The consumption of garbage ruins a person either physically or spiritually. We must learn what is true, good, and beautiful if we want to have true, good, and beautiful lives.

Let us listen to St. Paul: "Whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence, and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things... Then the God of peace will be with you," (Phil. 4:8-9). As the new school year begins, let us pray for our students, teachers, and those dedicated to the most important work of education!

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# MASS & CONFESSION TIMES



### Sat. August 6

- 9:00am
- + Finnie Kabiling Confessions
- 9:30am
- + Mariorie Miller Restituto
- 5:00pm 7:00pm (SP)
- + Carmel DeLeon

### Sun. August 7

8:00am

Hugh and Josephine Macken

- 10:00am
- + Barbara Hegele
- 12:30pm (EF)
- The Parish Community
- 7:30pm

Liz and Dave Barceleau

### Mon. August 8

7:30am

Thomas Murray

- 12:00pm
- + Felicity Rose McHugh
- 2:45-3:45pm
- Confessions
- 5:00pm

Anne Franco

### Tues. August 9

7:30am

May Li Bei Chen

- 12:00pm
- + Helen Hunter
- 5:00pm
- + Richard Hailer Jr.

### Wed. August 10

7:30am

Holy Souls in Purgatory

12:00pm

Tom and Sue Cyr Family

- 2:45-3:45pm
- Confessions
- 5:00pm

Liz and Dave Barceleau

# Thur. August 11

- 7:30am
- + Dena Sandalis
- 12:00pm
- + Helen Hunter
- 5:00pm
- + Patricia Marie Green

### Fri. August 12

- 7:30am
- + Lillian Chalupsky
- 12:00pm
- Carolyn Freyvogel
- 2:45-3:45pm
- Confessions
- 5:00pm
- Martha Morse
- 6:30pm-7:30pm

Holy Hour & Confessions

# Sat. August 13

9:00am

Fr. Piotr Paciorek

- 9:30am

Confessions

5:00pm

Mark and Sheri Banshbach

7:00pm (SP)

+ Brian Dawson

# Sun. August 14

8:00am

The Parish Community

10:00am

+ Barbara Hegele

12:30pm (EF)

Barbara Rosser

7:30pm

+ Earl Otto

# Color Key for Priests

- Fr. David Vidal
- Fr. Romanus Cessario
- Fr. Joseph Lugalambi
- **FSSP**

- Fr. John Andem
- Fr. Rick Martignetti
- Fr. Ignatius

Fr. Bob Garrity

- Fr. Richard Bondi
- Fr. Guy Mansini
- Fr. Anbu

# PARISH SACRAMENTAL LIFE



# Baptism

### Welcome to the Church!

- July 23, 2022
  - John Pio Guernsey
  - Jude Andrew Millward

\*Contact the parish office for information on scheduling a baptism and the required classes for parents and godparents.

### **Holy Matrimony**

### Congratulations!

- July 9, 2022
  - John Patrick Hilger and Meaghan Veronica Croarkin

\*Arrangements must be made at least 6 months prior. Must be registered parishioner & been attending Mass for 3 months.

# Anointing of the Sick

The primary effect of this Sacrament is a spiritual healing by which the sick receive peace and courage to deal with the difficulties of illnesses or frailty.

\*Contact the parish office for scheduling a visit to the sick. For an emergency, call 239.261.5555 and follow the instructions.



### Prayer of the Week:

### A Morning Prayer Written by St. Therese

O my God! I offer Thee all my actions of this day for the intentions and for the glory of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. I desire to sanctify every beat of my heart, my every thought, my simplest works, by uniting them to Its infinite merits; and I wish to make reparation for my sins by casting them into the furnace of Its Merciful Love.

O my God! I ask of Thee for myself and for those whom I hold dear, the grace to fulfill perfectly Thy Holy Will, to accept for love of Thee the joys and sorrows of this passing life, so that we may one day be united together in heaven for all Eternity. Amen

### Oración de la Semana:

### St. Teresita: Oración de La Mañana

¡Dios mío! Te ofrezco todas mis acciones de hoy, según las intenciones del Sagrado Corazón de Jesús, y sólo para su gloria. Quiero santificar los latidos de mi corazón, mis pensamientos y mis obras, por más insignificantes que sean, uniéndolas a sus méritos infinitos, y para reparar mis faltas, arrojándolas en la inmensa hoguera de su Amor Misericordioso.

¡Oh Dios mío! te pido para mí y para mis seres queridos, la gracia de cumplir, con toda perfección, tu santa voluntad y aceptar, por tu amor, las alegrías y las penas de esta vida pasajera, para que un día estemos reunidos en el Cielo por toda la eternidad. Amén

# PARISH LIFE



August 8
First Day of Classes

Donahue Academy



**August 17-19** 

Donahue Academy Junior Class Retreat

OLOPH Retreat Center



**August 19-20** 

Marriage & Family Retreat

Donahue Academy



**August 22** 

Mass AMU Opening of the Academic Year

5:00PM / Ave Maria Church



# Marriage & Family AVE MARIA PARISH MINISTRY

What: Marriage & Family Retreat When: Fri. 6:30pm - 9:00pm & Sat. 8:30am - 7:30pm Aug. 19-20 Where: Donahue Academy

The *Marriage & Family Ministry* of Ave Maria Parish invites you to the first *Marriage & Family Retreat*.

Strengthen your marriage and family, and deepen your faith to face the challenges of the times. All married couples are invited to come with their children, who will have their own retreat according to their ages (2 to 18).

Deacon Larry Oney and his wife, Andi Oney, will direct the retreat. Larry and Andi have spoken at hundreds of events and appeared on many EWTN shows. Their talks will be simultaneously translated into Spanish. The cost is \$60 per family.

Visit **www.avemariaparish.org** for more information. Email Karla & Jorge Cebreros at **mtavemaria@gmail.com** with any questions.

REGISTRATION REGISTRO

Español



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# Job Opportunity AVE MARIA PARISH

The Parish is looking for a Bi-lingual (English/Spanish) Part-Time Office Assistant for the hours of 9am-1pm, Monday through Friday. The candidate should have excellent customer service & interpersonal skills as well as strong technical skills with computers including Microsoft Office Suite. If interested, please contact, Craig Kadlec at

Craig.K@AveMariaParish.org



# Scam Alert!

Parishes throughout the Diocese of Venice have been made aware of a scam that produces fraudulent email accounts using the names of priests of the Diocese and Parish staff members and sending emails requesting donations in gift cards or Pay Pal. Disregard messages that do not use our domain @avemariaparish.org. Please, do not answer requests for immediate donations in gift cards or Pay Pal. Contact the Parish Office.

# PARISH STEWARDSHIP & DEVELOPMENT

# 2021-22 Financial Statement

### Income

Donation Income	1,142,736.37
Campaign Income	449,369.82
Ministry Income	71,505.70
Auxiliary/Fundraiser Income	199,916.58

### Total Income 1,863,528.47

### **Expenses**

Personnel Related Expenses	544,167.55
Property Related Expenses	862,630.90
Ministry Related Expenses	90,510.83
Administrative Expenses	68,834.86
Auxiliary/Fundraiser Expenses	48,366.74

Total Expenses	1,614,510.88
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Net Income 249,017.59

### **Liabilities & Equity**

### Liabilities

**Equity** 

Total Liabilities	10,337,064.70
Diocesan Loans - Church & Roof	10,306,987.39
Long Term Liabilities	
Total Current Liabilities	30,077.31
Other Current Liabilities	11,495.00
Operating Payables	18,582.31
Current Liabilities	

Total Equity 250,811.56

Total Liabilities & Equity 10,587,876.26

### Notes for 2021-2022:

Loan Balance as of 6/30/2022 9,306,987.39

Thanks to your generous support this past year, the Parish had its first year of positive cash flow, in addition to making all our loan interest payments and \$600,000 toward the loan principal! Thanks to the \$600,000 principal payment, we will receive a 20% match (\$120,000) credited toward the loan balance.

### **Additional Items not Reflected to the Left:**

Payments on Loans w/Campaign Funds	474,761.69
2020-2021 Interest on Loans (4.75%)	(491,107.93)
CFA Assessment Shortfall	(76,444.91)

### **Assets**

### **Current Assets**

**TOTAL ASSETS** 

Current Assets	
Bank Account	
Operating Account	224,678.01
Savings Account	495,389.83
Total Checking/Savings	720,067.84
Campaign Pledges Receivable	574,716.57
Other Current Assets	
Inventory	342.86
Pre-Paid Items	45,423.04
Total Other Current Assets	45,765.90
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	1,340,550.31
Fixed Assets	
Church	10,084,870.42
Depreciation on Church	-1,204,284.74
Rectory	341,808.30
Depreciation on Rectory	-8,764.32
Furniture & Equipment	121,445.06
Depreciation on Furniture & Equipment	-87,748.77
Total Fixed Assets	9,247,325.95

10,587,876.26

# **Collection Summary**

• 7/16 & 7/17 Total	\$19,036
Donations to CFA 2022	\$60,735
Pledges Collected to Date	\$1,889,856
Total Campaign Pledges	\$2,593,404
Weekly Budget*	\$18,943
CFA Goal	\$210,000
Campaign Victory Goal	\$3,000,000
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\*Does not include the maintenance of the parish debt

# MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

From A to Z, Ways to Grow and Serve

### Lay Cistercians in Ave Maria

Our Lay Cistercian community in Ave Maria opens to all a participation in having monastic learnings and values deepen in our daily secular lives, enriching us spiritually in our work and in our families.

Our goal is for enhancing a desire for practicing a prayer-centered life, awakening our reciprocity with God, and developing through real contemplation a fuller awareness of our inner lives. We gather monthly and with one another share in lectio divina, monastic books, and the guidance of the Rule of Saint Benedict and monastics for being active witnesses of Christ and his Church in the midst of the world. Comingling the spiritual practices of Cistercian monasticism with life in the world expands the richness of our worldly being.

We are associated with the Cistercian monastery of Our Lady of Holy Spirit located in Conyers, Georgia, and spiritual director there to guide us. We are able to retreat there for a week each year to enjoy the experience of true monastic life.

We welcome you to be at our promise ceremony in the Church after the 9:00 a.m. Mass on August 13 for those then renewing their promises and those entering our community.

If you are interested in a contemplative lifestyle, we invite you to join us at our meet and greet on August 28. Email Mary Ann Wunker for further information at mwunker@gmail.com.





Bible Study Group

Thursday, August 11 1-3:30 pm | Parish Hall Peggy Meyer pegmeyer@gmail.com



### AA Meeting

Thursday, August 11 7-9 pm | Parish Hall Daniel Linton dlinton58@qmail.com



### Donahue Water Park Party

Saturday, August 13
Day Event | Water Park
Ana Umana (Office Manager)
office.manager@donahueacademy.org



### **Mentor Couples Dinner**

Saturday, August 13 4:30-6:30 pm | Parish Hall Karla and Jorge Cebreros mtavemaria@gmail.com

## **Religious Education**

The below programs will be starting Wednesday, September 14, 2022, from 6:30-8:00 pm at Donahue Academy and Sunday, September 18, 2022, from 6:30-8:00 pm in the Parish Hall.

**Confirmation Preparation:** Confirmation is a two-year preparation process (9th/10th grades). In year-one most of the preparation is participating in Youth Ministry on Sunday evening (see below). In year-two, continued participation in Youth Ministry along with formal preparation classes during the week. 2nd year Confirmation classes start Wednesday, October 19th, from 6:30-8:00 pm at Donahue Academy.

# Youth Ministry DTS (Dead Theologians

**Society):** The Dead Theologians Society is a Catholic apostolate for junior/high school age teens. Through the saints of yesterday, the Dead Theologians Society inspires the youth of today to become the saints of tomorrow. Regular scheduled DTS sessions start Sunday, September 18, 2022, from 6:30-8:00 pm in the Parish Hall.

# **RCIA/OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults):** Adults receiving or completing their Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist,

Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation) to be received at Easter Vigil in the spring. Classes start Wednesday, September 19, 2022, from 6:30-8:00 pm at the Donahue Academy Library.

Adult Confirmation: Adults that have received the sacraments of Baptism and Eucharist and need to complete the Sacraments of Initiation at parish Confirmation in the spring. Classes start Wednesday, September 19, 2022, from 6:30-8:00 pm at the Donahue Academy Library.



# **Donahue Academy**

Welcome back, students! Tomorrow is the first day back to school for Donahue Academy, our parish school. Our teachers are looking forward to seeing everybody's smiling faces again and getting to know our many new students.

For families that missed Welcome Back Night, a helpful video explaining some of our school's most important policies and procedures can be found at the bottom of our website's homepage. Please be sure to review it before dropping your children off for school tomorrow. Be aware that Pre-Kindergarten does not begin until Tuesday, August 16th.

Here are a few important dates coming up early in the school year:

Friday, August 12th is a half day!

**Saturday, August 13th** is the annual Donahue Academy Pool Party at the Ave Maria Water Park from 10:15am to 2:00pm. This is a great chance to have fun with new and old friends! Games, prizes and dancing add up to a fun family day at the pool.

**Monday, August 15th** is The Feast of the Assumption and a day off from school!

**Tuesday, August 16th** is the first day of school for Pre-Kindergarten.

Wednesday, August 17th through Friday, August 19th is our 11th Grade Class Retreat.

# IGLESIA CATÓLICA DE AVE MARÍA

Información para nuestra comunidad hispana

### Reflexión Semanal



Al comenzar un nuevo año escolar, pensemos sobre la obra tan importante de la educación! En una de sus charlas sobre la educación, el Arzobispo Fulton Sheen comentaba: "Debemos tratar nuestras mentes exactamente del mismo modo como tratamos a nuestros estómagos. Nosotros no ponemos basura en nuestros estómagos. Sin embargo, nuestros estómagos no son tan importantes como nuestras mentes. Por eso, es tan importante llevar a nuestras mentes los pensamientos correctos." Tomémonos un momento para refleccionar sobre estas ideas del Arzobispo Fulton Sheen.

Si consumimos basura, podemos esperar tener salud física? En realidad no. Y lo sabemos. No nos sorprende entonces que las madres traten que sus hijos coman de modo saludable para que puedan crecer y desarrolarse propiamente. Ahora, lo que nosotros creemos ser verdadero con respecto al cuerpo, cómo dejará de ser verdadero cuando se aplica a la vida del espíritu? Si sembramos basura en nuestras mentes y corazones, podemos esperar tener una psicología y vida espiritual saludable? Debemos ser consistentes en nuestro pensamiento. El consumir basura arruina la persona ya sea física o espiritualmente. Debemos aprender lo que es verdadero, bueno y bello si queremos gozar de vidas verdaderas, buenas, y bellas.

Escuchemos las palabras de San Pablo: "Hermanos, todo cuanto hay de verdadero, de noble, de justo, de puro, de amable, de honorable, todo cuanto sea virtud y cosa digna de elogio, todo eso tenedlo en cuenta . . . Y el Dios de la paz estará con vosotros." (Filipenses 4: 8-9). Al comenzar el nuevo año escolar, oremos por nuestros estudiantes, maestros, y todos los que se dedican a la obra tan importante de la educación!

# JOIN THE AVE MARIA FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM! Unete al Programa de Formación Católica!

### **REGISTRATION IS OPEN!**

¡LAS REGISTRACIONES AL CATECISMO ESTÁN ABIERTAS!

We are blessed to have an extraordinary Faith Formation Team at Ave Maria! Registrations are open for the 2022-2023 Catechetical Year.

El hombre está hecho para vivir en comunión con Dios en quien encuentra la felicidad: San Agustín en sus Confesiones escribe: "Cuando esté completamente unido a ti, no habrá más dolores ni pruebas; completamente llena de ti, mi vida estará complete" (Conf. 10, 28) Ahora aquí está la pregunta: ¿es la unión con Dios la meta de tu vida? ¿Buscas la unión con Dios por encima de todo? El catecismo que aprendes en la Iglesia te ayuda a encontrar las respuestas a esas preguntas.

For more information contact Becky Hampton at becky.h@avemariaparish.org

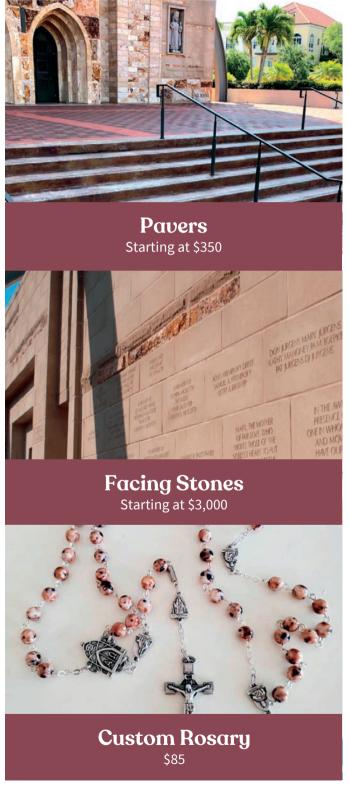
Para asistencia en español en el programa de formación católica contacta a Ana María Dawson al ana.d@avemariaparish.org



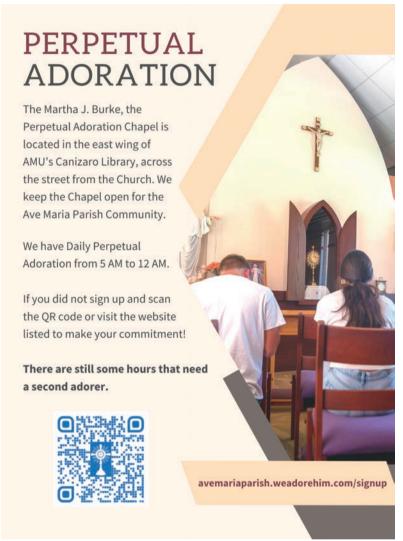


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