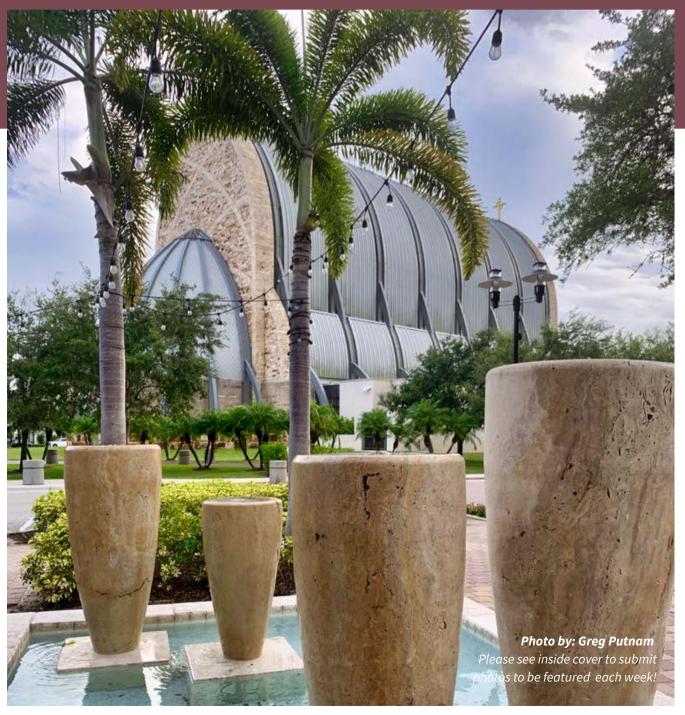
AVE MARIA CATHOLIC CHURCH



Dear Ave Maria Parishioners,

As a Parish Community, we stand for those in need! Knowing that the needs are many, we would like to have a coordinated response to effectively maximize our efforts to help those impacted by the devastating hurricane Ian. We are grateful to the Ave Maria Knights of Columbus and the Columbiettes who have agreed to lead Ave Maria Parish Hurricane Ian Relief efforts in partnership with Catholic Charities.

For more information regarding opportunities for volunteer work, please contact John Lanham, Grand Knight of Ave Maria Knights of Columbus, at *john432APF@gmail.com* or Okkie VanWyk, President of Ave Maria Columbiettes, at *ovanwyk@coservices.net*

If you would like to volunteer your time and work or donate to the Hurricane Ian Relief Fund, please, visit this secure page:



Thank you for your prayers and your generous hearts to share!

Yours in Christ, Fr. David M. Vidal, Pastor

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Request for Photos

Do you enjoy taking photos of our beautiful Church?
Please share them with us! Send your photos to

Media@AveMariaParish.org and be featured on the
cover of the bulletin. We will of course offer recognition
for your beautiful work! Bulletin Editor: Maribet

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MASS & CONFESSION TIMES



Sat. October 15

9:00am + Richard Powell Jr.
Confessions

• 5:00pm + James Tamisiea

7:00pm (SP) + Carol Menk

Sun. October 16

● 8:00am + William DiFlorio

10:00am Fr. McManus

• 12:30pm (EF) The Parish Community

7:30pm Michael Mayo

Mon. October 17

7:30am + Tommy Vincent

12:00pm John Paul Savino

2:45-3:45pm *Confessions*

● **5:00pm** Weston Scialabba

Tues. October 18

● 7:30am + Barbara Allen

12:00pm Grace Micillo

5:00pm + Gabriel Rodriguez

Wed. October 19

7:30am Souls in Purgatory

■ **12:00pm** + Joe Anne Evans

2:45-3:45pm *Confessions*

● **5:00pm** + Josefina Villalba

Thur, October 20

7:30am + Michael and Sarah Marchetta

12:00pm + Blanche Weaver

5:00pm + Enrique Marta

Fri. October 21

• 7:30am + Larry Hranicky

12:00pm + Perry Allen Jr.

2:45-3:45pm *Confessions*

5:00pm +Jose Cortez

6:00pm-7:30pm Holy Hour & Confessions

Sat. October 22

9:00am + Timothy Vincent

9:30am Confessions

• 5:00pm + Gerald Boulanger

7:00pm (SP)
Mark Joseph Alford

Sun, October 23

8:00am + Marie Marthe Prophete

10:00am The Parish Community

● **12:30pm (EF)** + Alice Von Hildebrand

7:30pm + Bob Collins

Color Key for Priests

Fr. David Vidal Fr. Romanus Cessario

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Fr. Joseph Lugalambi

FSSP

Fr. John Andem

Fr. Rick Martignetti

Fr. Anbu

Fr. Bob Garrity

Fr. Richard Bondi

Fr. Guy Mansini

PARISH SACRAMENTAL LIFE



Baptism

- October 1, 2022
 - Liv-Xi Michaela Portillo-Chang

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

Holy Matrimony

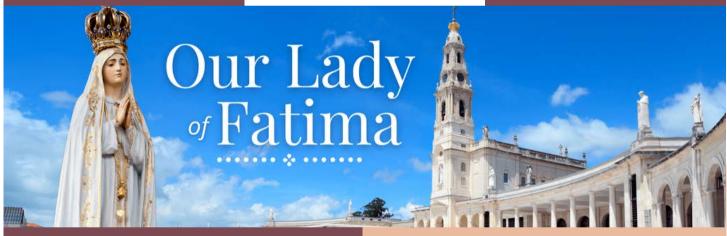
- September 17, 2022
 - Juan Ariel Medina and Sariam Jacomino

*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 PRAYER IN HONOR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

O Most holy Virgin Mary,
Queen of the most holy Rosary
you were pleased to appear
to the children of Fatima
and reveal a glorious message.
We implore you,
inspire in our hearts a fervent love
for the recitation of the Rosary.
By meditating on the mysteries
of the redemption that are recalled therein
may we obtain the graces
and virtues that we ask,
through the merits of Jesus Christ,
our Lord and Redeemer. Amen

Oración de la Semana:

ORACIÓN A NUESTRA SEÑORA DE FÁTIMA

Oh Santísima Virgen María,
Reina del Santísimo Rosario
tuviste el agrado de aparecer
a los niños de Fátima
y revelar un mensaje glorioso.
Te imploramos,
inspira en nuestros corazones
un amor ferviente para el rezo del Rosario.
Meditando los misterios de la redención
que se recuerdan en el mismo
que obtengamos las gracias y virtudes
que pedimos, por los méritos de Jesucristo,
nuestro Señor y Redentor. Amén.

PARISH LIFE



October 19-21

Respect Life Conference Save the Dates

Ave Maria Church



October 29

All Saints Picnic Save the Date

11:00 AM-2:00 PM / Piazza



November 3

Catholic Culture Series
Dr. Christopher J. Scalia

7 PM / AMU (Prince Bldg.)



November 5

Women's Retreat Fr. Joseph Lugalambi 7:30 AM -2:30 PM AM Church & AMU Ball Room

Neighborhood Family Rosaries

At Fatima, Our Lady asked each of us to pray the Rosary and to do penance for the conversion of sinners and for peace in the world.

The Neighborhood Family Rosaries is our parish's response to Mary's request. Every family in Ave Maria will have the opportunity to answer Mary's call by hosting the statue of Our Lady of Fatima for a week. Through the generosity of a parish family, forty statues of Our Lady of Fatima have been secured to travel the various neighborhoods of our parish community.

Those who receive the visit of Our Blessed Mother will experience Mary's maternal presence and the joy of praying the daily Rosary with their family and friends.

If you would like to participate in this beautiful tribute to Our Blessed Mother, please meet our "Guardians" after Mass, see the notice in our bulletin, or you can visit www.neighborhoodfamilyrosaries.com or email info@neighborhoodfamilyrosaries.com





With Talks by Fr. Joseph Lugalambi

WHEN November 5, 2022 7:30 am - 2:30 pm 7:00 am Check-In WHERE Student Union Ballroom 5050 Ave Maria Blvd., Ave Maria, FL 34142

COST

\$35.00 Including Breakfast and Lunch!

Register Today:



www.avemariaparish.org

Psalm 139:14
"I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.
Wonderful are your works; that I know very well."

Catholic Apologetics 101

Open to all young people from middle school to high school ages. It will start on *Tuesday, October 25., 6-7 PM at the Parish Hall*. Taught by Dr. Thomas Carr. Sponsored by Ave Maria Homeschoolers Committee. For more information email: *dr_carr@drstoxx.com*

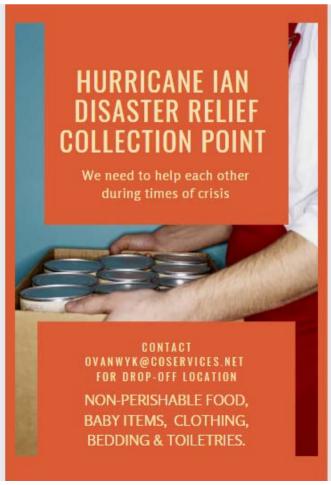
PARISH STEWARDSHIP & DEVELOPMENT



Parish Capital Campaign - Only \$208,163 to Go!

The *Our House*, *His Home*, *Our Children's Future* is underway and your gift is vital for our success. Thanks to the generosity of 189 donors, \$1,333,026 was raised, during our renewed efforts, bringing the total of pledges to \$2,791,837. However, we need your help to reach our **goal of \$3,000,000** to help reduce our debt and fund necessary improvements. Deacon Gary Ingold addressed our parish community in November to invite everyone to prayerfully consider a three-year pledge to the Ave Maria Parish Campaign. We ask you now to join us in supporting *Our House*, *His Home*, *Our Children's Future* to secure the financial future of our growing parish community.





MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

From A to Z, Ways to Grow and Serve

Respect Life Ministry 2022 PRO-LIFE SPEAKER SERIES AND EVENTS

The Ave Maria Catholic Church Respect Life Ministry presents the **2022 Pro-Life Speaker Series and Events.**

Wednesday, October 19th, 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Ave Maria Catholic Church

Andrew Guernsey, Executive Director, Senate Pro-Life Caucus: "Fighting for Life after Roe in our Nation's Capital"

Thursday, October 20th, 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Ave Maria Catholic Church

Steven W. Mosher, renowned author and speaker, internationally recognized authority on China and population issues, CPCI Advisory Board Member, and Ave Maria resident: "Before and After Roe...What Pro-Lifers Should Be Doing Now"

Friday, October 21st, 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM Ave Maria Catholic Church

Adoration for Life: Dedicated to the Unborn

October 22nd and 23rd, All weekend Masses Homily on the Sanctity of Human Life The Community Pregnancy Clinic, Inc. mobile van will be on site during event times Friday, Saturday, and Sunday for visitation and for essential baby supplies and diaper drive donations.

For more information, contact Sharon Levesque, Ave Maria Respect Life Ministry President and Events Coordinator at AMPRespectLifeMinistry@gmail.com





DTS Parish Youth Group

Sunday, October 16 6:30-8:00 pm | Parish Hall Deacon Tom Kinnick Thomas.K@avemariaparish.org



Bible Studies on Romans

Thursday, October 20 (8-week study) 1:30-3:30 pm | Parish Hall Peg Meyer peqmeyer@gmail.com



AA Meeting

Thursday, October 20 6:45-8:15 pm | Parish Hall Daniel Linton dlinton58@gmail.com



That Man is You! (TMIY)

Saturday, October 22 7-8:30 am| Parish Hall Dom Micillo dmicillo@aol.com

Donahue Academy OUR PARISH SCHOOL

While Ave Maria was largely untouched by Hurricane Ian, many communities only a few miles away lost everything. Students at Donahue Academy, our parish school, responded to the urgent needs of our brothers and sisters in Christ. Every grade brought canned food, water, diapers, baby wipes and toiletries to school last week. On Friday, everybody pooled their donations together and these items were collected by the Knights of Columbus for distribution to our neighbors in need. The photo only shows a selection of what our students collected; a significant amount of goods was unable to fit in the picture. We are very proud of our students and families.

Our athletic program was able to support peers throughout the area, as well. The Marco Island Invitational Cross Country meet was unable to take place on the island due to hurricane damage and flooding. Thankfully, Donahue Academy hosted the Ave Invite only a few weeks ago, so we already had a course laid out and first-hand experience in running a cross country meet. By holding the Marco Island meet in Ave Maria, fellow student-athletes were able to complete the regular season requirements. Thank you to everybody who helped with this last-minute event.

Our school's willingness and ability to pitch in and help others in a variety of ways is the natural result of staying true to its mission: Encountering Christ and Pursuing Excellent in All Things.

Thank you to everybody who came to hear the Donahue Academy Choir's Fall Patriotic Concert. It was a great opportunity to honor our veterans, military, and country, featuring performances by our Men's Choir, Women's Choir, Combined Choir and Dr. Guernsey on the bagpipes. If you missed it, the performance was recorded and is available for viewing on the school website.



Ave Maria All Saints Day Parish Picnic

Join us for the Second Annual *Ave Maria All Saints Day Parish Picnic! Saturday, October 29, 10:45 am - 2 pm.*All town and parish families are invited. Children are invited to dress up as their favorite saint!

10:45 am Saints gather at the Church entrance

11:10 am Fun & Food on the Back Lawn **1:30 pm** Rosary for the Ave Community **2:00 pm** Closing Prayer

Register by October 26! Visit our parish website:

www.avemariaparish.org



All Saints Day



IGLESIA CATÓLICA DE AVE MARÍA

Información para nuestra comunidad hispana

Reflexión Semanal



Queridos parroquianos de Ave Maria, ¡Como comunidad parroquial, estamos dispuestos a ayudar a los necesitados! Conociendo que las necesidades son muchas, queremos tener una respuesta coordinada para hacer que nuestros esfuerzos sean efectivos y alcancen al mayor número de personas posible que han sufrido el impacto del huracán lan. Estamos muy agradecidos a los *Caballeros de Colón* y a las *Columbiettes* que han aceptado el reto de liderar los esfuerzos de nuestra parroquia para brindar apoyo a los damnificados por el huracán, en unión con Caridades Católicas.

Para más información acerca de las oportunidades de trabajo voluntario, por favor contacten a John Lanham, Grand Knight de los Caballeros de Colón al *john432APF@gmail.com* o a Okkie VanWyk, Presidente de las Columbiettes al *ovanwyk@coservices.net*

Si quieren ser voluntarios y ofrecer su tiempo y trabajo, o si quieren hacer una donación al Hurrican Ian Relief Fund, por favor, visiten el siguiente link: ¡Gracias por sus oraciones y sus generosos corazones dispuestos a ayudar! Suyo en Cristo, Padre David M. Vidal, Párroco



Encuesta Parroquial MISA EN ESPAÑOL

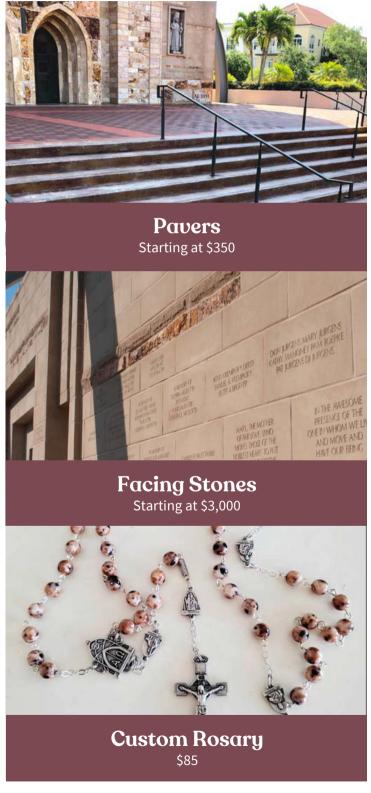
Querida Comunidad de la Parroquia de Ave María, queremos conocer su opinión en referencia al horario de la celebración de la Santa Misa en español. Algunos se han acercado a nosotros pidiendo la posibilidad de un cambio de la Misa al domingo. En esta breve encuesta podrás marcar tu preferencia, ya sea mantener el horario de la eucaristía el sábado a las 7 de la tarde o modificarlo al día domingo, a las 5 de la tarde. ¡Muchísimas gracias por darnos su opinión! Padre David Vidal

For those who come to our Evening Mass on Saturdays in Spanish, we would like to know your opinion regarding day and time of the Mass. We have received some requests to change it to Sunday at 5pm. Using this survey, please let us know if you would prefer keeping the Saturday Mass in Spanish as it is now or changing it to Sundays at 5:00 pm. Fr. David Vidal



SOME UNIQUE TREASURES

from Ave Maria Catholic Church & Resources



Email memorials@avemariaparish.org for more info!

