

St. MARK

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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JULY 27, 2025
SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
YEAR A

ST. MARK CHURCH

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil - 4 pm

Sunday - 9 am, 11 am (Español)

DAILY MASS

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday - 9 am

Thursday - 6:30 pm (Español)

RECONCILIATION & ADORATION

Thursday - 5:30-6:30 pm

24 HOUR ADORATION

Sunday - 4pm - Monday 4pm

ST. DOMINIC CHAPEL

VIGIL MASS

Saturday Vigil - 6 pm & 7:30 pm (NCW)

DAILY MASS

Tuesday - 6 pm (Español)

ADORATION

Tuesday - 5:00-6:00 pm

PARISH OFFICE

Tuesday & Thursday - 9:00 am - 4 pm

Wednesday - 9 am - 12 pm

Monday, Friday, Saturday - Closed

WELCOME!



OUR CLERGY

Pastor

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Deacon

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OUR NEW MUSIC DIRECTOR

The Stefanic family is excited to be joining the St. Mark Community after recently moving to Clarkesville from the Tampa area. Nick and Laura have been married for 17 years and have three children: Jon (13), Alex (10), and Olivia (7). Nick is a software engineer, but previously taught high school music for many years and have served in Catholic music ministry ever since grade school. Laura is a pediatric nurse who specializes in lifestyle medicine. Nick will be leading music at the Sunday 9am mass, and is looking for singers and instrumentalists who are eager to share their talents. See him after mass if you are interested.

WELCOME TO ST. MARK!

Welcome to our parish family! Whether you're a lifelong Catholic, new to the faith, or simply visiting, we hope you feel truly at home here. We warmly invite you to join us for Mass, participate in our ministries, and engage in our parish events as we journey together in faith. May God bless you abundantly, and we look forward to having you with us!

SCRIPTURE READINGS & CALENDAR

Monday, July 28

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34 | Mt 13:31-35

Adoration until 4pm

Tuesday, July 29 Saints Martha, Mary, and Lazarus

Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28 | Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

9am Communion Service

5pm Adoration & 6pm Communion Service
(St. Dominic) (Spanish)

Wednesday, July 30 Saint Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Ex 34:29-35 | Mt 13:44-46

9am Communion Service

Thursday, July 31 Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

Ex 40:16-21, 34-38 | Mt 13:47-53

5:30pm Adoration & 6:30pm Communion Service
(Spanish) (No Reconciliation)

Friday, August 1 Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37 | Mt 13:54-58

9am Communion Service

Saturday, August 2

Morning: Lv 25:1, 8-17 | Mt 14:1-12

4pm Mass

6pm Mass (St. Dominic) (Spanish)

Sunday, July 27 Eighteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23 | Col 3:1-5, 9-11 | Lk 12:13-21

9:00am Mass (English)

11:00am Mass (Spanish)

4pm 24hr Adoration begins

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteer teachers and assistants are needed for the School of Religion classes, which are held on Wednesdays at St. Dominic, beginning in September. Those interested should contact the parish office by calling or by e-mail.

OFFERTORY AND PRAYERS

OFFERTORY-JULY 19-20, 2025

St. Mark's Collection	\$
On Line Collection	\$
St. Dominic Chapel	\$
Total Collection	\$

DONATE ONLINE

You can easily make your contributions at <https://stmrk.org/donate> - If you're using your cellphone, simply scan the QR code on the right. Thank you for your ongoing generosity.



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, July 27

11am (+) Guadalupe Mora Mares
(+) Ely Saul Melendez

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

This week, we pray for:
All the intentions of the Holy Father

PRAYER LIST

Please remember the following parishioners in your prayers:

Ricardo Valdez	Curtes Todd
Lynn Koontz	Erick Mares
Jesenia Retana	Phil Healy
Santiago Torres	

We also ask for prayers for those who died and for those who lost loved ones from the tragic flooding in Texas and for all the pilgrims presently on pilgrimage.

ON-LINE DONATIONS

Those making on-line donations should call or e-mail the parish office with name and phone number to receive credit for tax purposes.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

All daily masses during this week will be held as communion services, and there will be no confessions on Thursday July 31..

SAINT PETER CHRYSOLOGUS JULY 30



St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church, was born in Imola, Italy in 380, St. Peter was baptized, educated, and ordained a deacon by Cornelius, Bishop of Imola. St. Peter merited being called "Chrysologus" (golden-worded) from his exceptional oratorical eloquence. In 433, Pope Sixtus III consecrated him bishop of Ravenna. He practiced many corporal and spiritual works of mercy, and ruled his flock with utmost diligence and care. He rooted out the last vestiges of paganism and other abuses that had sprouted among his people. He also counseled the heretic Eutyches (who had asked for his support) to avoid causing division but to learn from the other heretics who were crushed when they hurled themselves against the Rock of Peter. He died at Imola, Italy in 450 and in 1729 was made a Doctor of the Church, largely as a result of his simple, practical, and clear sermons which have come down to us, nearly all dealing with Gospel subjects.

THOSE WHO ARE HOMEBOUND

If anyone knows of any family members, friends or parishioners who are homebound, sick or otherwise unable to attend mass or receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation, please contact the parish office with their name, so that they may be visited.

ANUNCIOS PARROQUIALES

AQUELLOS QUE ESTÁN CONFINADOS EN CASA

Si alguien conoce a algún familiar, amigo o feligrés que esté confinado en su hogar, enfermo o que no pueda asistir a misa o recibir el sacramento de la reconciliación, comuníquese con la oficina parroquial con su nombre para que puedan ser visitados.

SE NECESITAN VOLUNTARIOS

Se necesitan profesores y asistentes voluntarios para las clases de la Escuela de Religión, que se imparten los miércoles en Santo Domingo a partir de septiembre. Los interesados deben contactar con la oficina parroquial.



PROYECTO DE LA CAPILLA DE SANTO DOMINGO

Hemos creado un video que describe la misión en Santo Domingo y su importancia para la comunidad local. Los invitamos a verlo y difundirlo en sus redes sociales para que más personas conozcan el trabajo que realizamos y, con suerte, puedan contribuir económicamente a la finalización del proyecto. Para más información, utilicen el código QR a continuación.



SAN PEDRO CRISÓLOGO 30 DE JULIO



San Pedro Crisólogo, obispo y doctor de la Iglesia, nació en Imola, Italia, en 380. Fue bautizado, educado y ordenado diácono por Cornelio, obispo de Imola. San Pedro merecía ser llamado "Crisólogo" (palabras de oro) por su excepcional elocuencia oratoria. En 433, el papa Sixto III lo consagró obispo de Rávena. Practicó muchas obras de misericordia corporales y espirituales, y gobernó su rebaño con la mayor diligencia y cuidado. Desarraigó los últimos vestigios del paganismo y otros abusos que habían brotado entre su pueblo. También aconsejó al hereje Eutiques (que había pedido su apoyo) que evitara causar división, pero que aprendiera de los otros herejes que fueron aplastados cuando se lanzaron contra la Roca de Pedro. Murió en Imola, Italia, en 450 y en 1729 fue nombrado Doctor de la Iglesia, en gran parte como resultado de sus sermones sencillos, prácticos y claros que han llegado hasta nosotros, casi todos tratando temas del Evangelio.

ESTA SEMANA EN LA PARROQUIA

Todas las misas diarias durante esta semana se llevarán a cabo como servicios de comunión y no habrá confesiones el jueves 31 de julio.

