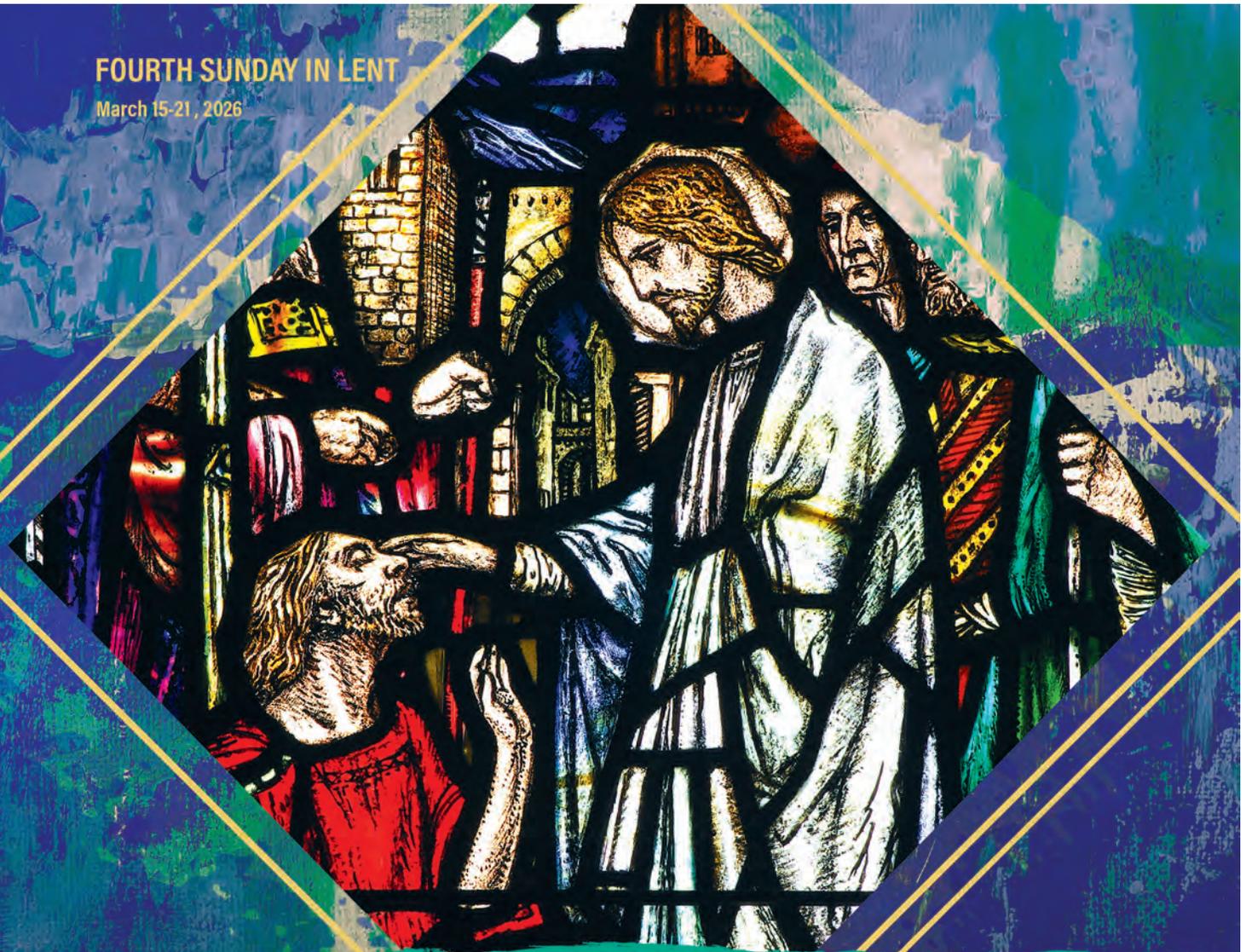


FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

March 15-21, 2026



*The Pharisees also asked him how he was able to see. He said to them,
'He put clay on my eyes, and I washed, and now I can see.'*

- Jn 9:15



ST. MARTHA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass Schedule

Saturday 7:30am • 8:30am • 4pm *Vigil*

4:00 (Hall) *Vigil* • 5:30pm *Vigil*

Sunday 7:30am • 9am • 9am (Hall) • 10:30am

12pm • 5:30pm • 12pm Vietnamese (Hall)

Weekday 7:30am • 8:30am • 12pm

Confession - Reconciliation Room

Saturday 3-4pm • Monday, Wednesday, Friday 11am

Eucharistic Adoration - Carosella Chapel

Tuesday-Thursday 9am-12pm

Rosary - Rosary prayed after 7:30am Mass

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March 15, 2026 - 4th Sunday of Lent

by Deacon Vern

On this 4th Sunday of Lent, also known as Laetare Sunday, the Church invites us to rejoice as we draw closer to the celebration of Easter. Even amid our penance and prayer, this Sunday rings with hope. The rose-colored vestments and joyful antiphons in our liturgy remind us that the Resurrection is coming, and that our Lenten sacrifices are not in vain. Today's readings center around the powerful theme of moving from darkness into light – especially reflected in the Gospel story of the man born blind whom Jesus heals. This encounter is more than a miracle; it is a revelation of Jesus as the light of the world, shining into places of pain, misunderstanding, and despair.

We are reminded that physical blindness is not the only kind of darkness. Spiritual blindness – when we fail to recognize God's presence in our lives or turn away from His truth – can be even more profound. The Pharisees questioned the healed man and his family, refusing to see what was before them. How often do we close our eyes to God's work in our lives? Sometimes we are held back by pride, fear, or the comfort of our routines. Like the Pharisees, we

“How often do we close our eyes to God's work in our lives? Sometimes we are held back by pride, fear, or the comfort of our routines.”
 – Deacon Vern

may insist on seeing life only through the lens of our own expectations, missing the gentle surprises and invitations of grace Jesus offers us each day.

Jesus seeks to heal not just our physical ailments, but our hearts and souls. He calls us to open our eyes, to see with faith, and to live as children of light. As Saint Paul writes to the Ephesians, *Live as children of light, for light produces every kind of goodness and righteousness and truth.*

This is not merely a passive suggestion but an active vocation for each of us. Our world is filled with shadows of doubt, division, and cynicism, yet we are called to reflect the light of Christ in our words, actions, and relationships.

Let us reflect: in what areas of our lives do we still walk in darkness? Are there places where we resist God's healing touch, where we fear to see the truth, He wants to reveal? Perhaps we struggle with forgiving those who have hurt us or accepting forgiveness for our own shortcomings. Maybe we are hesitant to

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Our Pastor, Father George

Notes From Father George:

CFA (Catholic Faith Appeal) 2026 - The target calculated by the Diocese for our Catholic Faith Appeal for 2026 is the same as last year: \$450,000 and I would like to encourage all who come to our church to use the envelopes provided in the pews to help us to reach the target.

First Confession - Our children will celebrate their First Reconciliation on Sunday, March 22, 2026. May God bless them with his love and mercy as they

learn about reconciliation with God and with other people. Please, pray for them!

Parish Lenten Stations of the Cross - They will be held after 8:30am Mass on Fridays in Lent.

St. John Bosco on temptation - *When tempted, invoke your Angel. He is more eager to help you than you are to be helped! Ignore the devil and do not be afraid of him: He trembles and flees at the sight of your Guardian Angel.*

Next Sunday, March 22, 2026, Fifth Sunday of Lent.

With prayers for God's blessing to you and your family,
 Father George

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step forward in faith, to serve those on the margins, or to speak up for justice when it is needed. Jesus patiently waits for us, offering forgiveness, hope, and new vision. Like the man born blind, we too can experience new sight not just with our eyes, but with our hearts – when we allow Christ to anoint us and lead us forward.

This Sunday, let us remember that the journey of Lent is not simply about giving things up, but about seeing more clearly and loving more deeply. Each act of prayer, fasting, and charity helps to strip away what dims our vision and opens us to God's transforming light. The simple kindness extended to a neighbor, the moment spent in quiet prayer, the courage to reconcile with someone we have wronged – these are ways in which we allow Christ's light to shine through us, illuminating the darkness around us.

As we continue our Lenten journey, may we pray for the courage to open our hearts fully to Christ. May we allow Him to guide us out of darkness and into His marvelous light, so that we can witness to others the joy and freedom of living in God's truth. Let us be witnesses, not merely by our words, but by our actions and compassion, carrying the hope of Easter into every corner of our lives and our world.

Let us rejoice, for the Lord is near. Amen.

This month the Service Club made special rosaries. Each student created one rosary to keep and one to give to someone in need of prayer. As they worked, the students prayed the Rosary together, making it a meaningful time of faith, service, and reflection.



Join Father Fausto for Bible Study

The Gospel According to Luke



Fr. Fausto will conduct a seven-week program discussing *The Gospel According to Luke*. Evening or morning sessions available in **Brother Geenen Hall**:

Evening Session 6-7:30pm • Thursdays February 12 to March 26
Morning Session 9:30-11am • Fridays February 13 to March 27

Bibles provided upon request. Participants are encouraged to read the *The Gospel According to Luke* prior to the program and bring a Catholic Bible to the sessions. Refreshments served.

Reserve a seat 941.366.4210 ext 0 - email mbrand@stmartha.org

Emmaus Journey Bible Study

- **Tuesdays 10:30-11:30am** • St. Martha Conference Room
 - **All are Welcome!**
 - Bring your Bible, a desire to share and learn with participants, a facilitator, and parishioner Lindy Donahue.
- Call Lindy 724.263.8285 • lindydonahue@mac.com

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 Questions? Contact Jacqueline Kelly
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WOMEN'S EVENING BIBLE STUDY

We meet once a month, year-round from 5:30-7:30pm at Selby Library, Conference Room, Downtown Sarasota. If you would like to join the group or for more information: contact Perla Johnson 972.322.1095 psarabiaj88@gmail.com



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40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Join other Christians during Lent for the Spring **40 Days for Life** campaign happening here in Sarasota. The campaign begins on **Ash Wednesday, February 18** and continues through **Palm Sunday, March 29**. **40 Days for Life** is an international 40-day campaign that aims to end abortion locally through prayer and fasting, community outreach, and peaceful vigils in front of abortion mills (Planned Parenthood, 736 Central Avenue). Since **40 Days for Life** began, more than 26,114 mothers have chosen life for their

children; 275 abortion workers have quit their jobs and 184 abortion mills have closed where **40 Days for Life** vigils have been held. St. Martha's days for participation in the Spring **40 Days for Life** are:

Saturday, March 14 • 9am-12pm
Please come out to pray with us for an hour or whatever time you have on any of these days. Questions, contact **Paula Shigley at 941.586.3558**.

St. Martha Knights of Columbus Fish Fry



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Weekly Mass Intentions



Sun, Mar 15 . . . 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41

- 7:30am.....[JV] . . Russell Dwyer by the Family
- 9:00am.....[GR] . . Frances Rutkowski by the Clergy
- 9:00am.....[GS] . . (Hall) John Landrigan by Mary Ann Dewes
- 10:30am.....[FS] . . For All Parishioners
- 12:00pm.....[GS] . . Dec'd Mbrs of the Zucaro Family by Cathy Giblin
- 12:00pm.....[JV] . . (Hall/Vietnamese) Special Intentions
- 5:30pm.....[GS] . . L & D Mbrs of the Burch Family by Betty and Joe Plouffe

Mon, Mar 16 . . . Is 65:17-21; Jn 4:43-54

- 7:30am.....[GS] . . Marge Lortie by Aldo Massara
- 8:30am.....[JV] . . Ryan Halstead by Mom
- 12:00pm.....[JV] . . Pat Rotunno by Peggy O'Connell

Tue, Mar 17 . . . Ez 47:1-9, 12; Jn 5:1-16

- 7:30am.....[JV] . . Dennis Runnells by Susie Runnells
- 8:30am.....[GR] . . Claire El Masri by Joe and Nora Stephan
- 12:00pm.....[GS] . . Connie and Frank Arndt by the Castelli Family

Wed, Mar 18 . . . Is 49:8-15; Jn 5:17-30

- 7:30am.....[GR] . . Marge Lortie by Al and Cathy Donohue
- 8:30am.....[GS] . . Vanine Kowalski by Susie Runnells
- 12:00pm.....[GS] . . (L) Agnieszka Corsaro by the Corsaro Family

Thu, Mar 19 . . . 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

- 7:30am.....[JV] . . David Stulen by John Iacopelli
- 8:30am.....[GR] . . Greg Shaver by Dave and Kate
- 12:00pm.....[FS] . . (L) Donna Bakr by Cruz

Fri, Mar 20 . . . Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

- 7:30am.....[GR] . . Ed and Winnie Wilkens by Cousin Claire
- 8:30am.....[FS] . . (L) Lynne Klitzman by Bob
- 12:00pm.....[JV] . . Nora Ferguson by the Heibel Family

Sat, Mar 21 . . . Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53

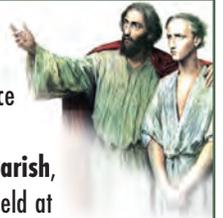
- 7:30am.....[GS] . . Patricia Null by Claire Collins
- 8:30am.....[JV] . . Nicholas DiCianni by Marianna Stragapede
- 4:00pm.....[GS] . . Rose Mary Cusimino by Dan and Carol McLoughlin
- 4:00pm.....[GR] . . (Hall) Special Intentions
- 5:30pm.....[FS] . . Marie Efthimides by Emil Efthimides

Sun, Mar 22 . . . Ez 37:12-14; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45

- 7:30am.....[GS] . . Armando Angeles by the Corsaro Family
- 9:00am.....[GS] . . Diane Tadromina by Roseanne Febbraio
- 9:00am.....[FS] . . (Hall) Charles Koenig by Sharon Koenig
- 10:30am.....[GR] . . For All Parishioners
- 12:00pm.....[GR] . . L & D Mbrs of the Giammarco Family by Wendy Silva
- 12:00pm.....[JV] . . (Hall/Vietnamese) Special Intentions
- 5:30pm.....[GR] . . L & D Mbrs of the Forget Family by Bob and Virginia Forget

Fr. George (GS), Fr. Joseph (JV), Fr. Fausto (FS), Fr. Gennadi (GR)

Events & Announcements



Chism Mass - The Chism Mass, which takes place during Holy Week every year, is held **Tuesday, March 31 at 10:30am** at **St. Leo the Great Parish**, 28290 Beaumont Road, Bonita Springs. Usually held at Epiphany Cathedral in Venice, this year the Cathedral is under renovation and the Mass will take place in a new location. During this Mass, **Bishop Frank J. Dewane** will bless the Holy Oils which are used in the administration of the Sacraments at each parish throughout the year. Priests and Deacons celebrating 25 and 50 years of Ordination are also recognized at this Mass.

Theology on Tap, Thursday, March 19 at 7pm - Calling all young adults! Join us for an evening of fellowship, faith and fun with other Catholic young people from across the Diocese. Don't miss this chance to grow in faith, connect with others, and enjoy an evening out with friends old and new. Theology on Tap is an opportunity for young adults in their 20s and 30s to explore faith topics in a relaxed social setting, the **third Thursday** of every month at **Oak & Stone, 5405 University Parkway**, University Park. To learn more, contact Andres Prias, 941.441.1122.

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in Grove City, 5265 Placida Road, has been designated by Bishop Frank J. Dewane as a Jubilee site - welcoming pilgrims throughout the Jubilee Year. The Church Sanctuary and Poor Clare Adoration Chapel will be open from **9am to 4pm** on **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays** to welcome pilgrims, and at other times by arrangement. More information: sfochurch.com/jubilee-2025

Catholic Health Care Ethics Conference - Medical professionals, students, and interested laypeople are invited to the **third annual Converging Roads** health care ethics conference on **Saturday, April 11**, at the **Church of the Resurrection in Fort Myers**. Join national and local experts either in person or online as they discuss topics such as *The Vocation to Palliative Care*, *The Benefits and Challenges of Artificial Intelligence in Health Care*, *Christian Anthropology and the Renewal of Medicine*, and more. **Converging Roads** is an initiative of the St. John Paul II Foundation and is presented collaboratively with the Diocese of Venice and Southwest Florida Guild of the Catholic Medical Association. Continuing education credits for health care professionals available. For more information and to register, visit convergingroads.com/venice.

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For Sacramental Marriage



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2026 SCHEDULE

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June 20
St John the Evangelist Pulte Hall
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September 12
St John the Evangelist Pulte Hall
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November 14
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Retreat Center
3989 S Moon Dr, Venice 34292

8:30am - 4pm
\$60 per couple*

Pre-registration required
Please register dioceseofvenice.org or by scanning the QR Code



Questions
Jim Gontis, Director,
Dept of Evangelization
gontis@dioceseofvenice.org
941.486.4754

*The \$60.00 registration fee includes all retreat materials & lunch.



A Message from

BISHOP DEWANE



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As the Church travels her Lenten Journey, the Faithful are called to reflect on their time of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. During this Season, it is time to consider the Gospel's call for all to serve the poor and vulnerable.

The Catholic Relief Services Collection funds Catholic agencies whose programs help families suffering from war, famine, extreme poverty, and natural disasters. With changing priorities for U.S. government humanitarian assistance, our most vulnerable sisters and brothers are being adversely affected around the world. Due to funding challenges, people need your help now more than ever.

The weekend of March 21st and 22nd, parishes throughout the Diocese of Venice will take up the collection for Catholic Relief Services. Please consider generously supporting this meaningful and vital collection which provides aid particularly to women, children and the elderly and brings healing to communities affected by poverty and injustice.

I take this opportunity to assure you and your family of my continued consideration as well as my prayers during this Lenten Season. Thank you for the good that you do for others!

May God bless you for your kindness and generous response!

Sincerely yours in Christ,
+ Frank J. Dewane, Bishop of the Diocese of Venice in Florida



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- Psalm 100:1

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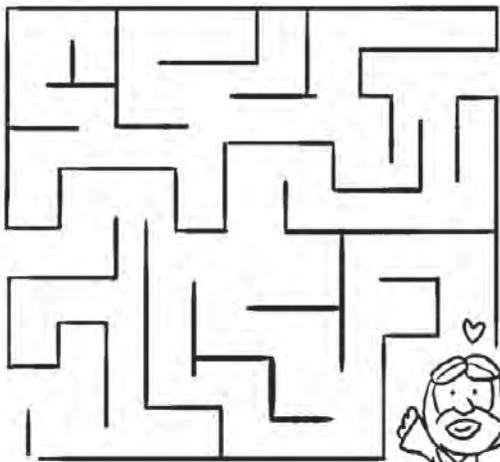
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Author Visit

P3 - 5th Grade Students had a special visit from local author, K. Hogan. She read her books to them and facilitated crafts to go along with the stories.!



A Note From The Principal...

To Our St. Martha Parish Family,

This week offered many joyful moments of learning and connection across our campus. Students had opportunities to collaborate across grade levels, share in the creativity of storytelling during a special author visit, and grow in their love of learning. Our faculty also joined educators from across the Diocese of Venice at the STREAM Symposium at Mote SEA, where several members of our St. Martha team were recognized for their dedicated service. We are grateful for these experiences that remind us how God continues to bless our school community through learning, creativity, and service.

God Bless, Mari Jo Hanson, Principal




DOV STREAM Symposium

Administration and Faculty attended the Diocese of Venice STREAM Symposium at Mote SEA. Mrs. Hanson, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Paben, Ms. Lambert and Mrs. Peters were all recognized and honored for their service to St. Martha.

Welcome New Parishioners!

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- Maxine Brand, Reception
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- Susie Runnells, Sacristan
- Janet Cocco, Sacristan
- Joe Angelicola, Sacristan
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- Eris Nunez, Maintenance
- Carlos Sierra Napoles, Maintenance
- Claudia Moschini, Rectory Chef

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- Rev. Gennadi Romachko, S.A.C.
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- Very Rev. Fausto Stampiglia, S.A.C. (Retired)
- Rev. Deacon Robert Gaitens
- Rev. Deacon C. Patrick Macaulay
- Rev. Deacon Vern Smith
- Sr. Cathy Bonfield, S.S.N.D.

Fun Fact about the ART in St MARTHA Church

The Story of The Annunciation

The Archangel Gabriel (red winged, upper right) is visiting Mary to announce she will conceive a son by the power of the Holy Spirit and name Him Jesus. Notice Mary is in blue, representing her hope and sincerity. Also attributed to Mary are the lilies at the bottom, symbolizing her virginal purity, and the dove above her head is the Holy Spirit. Green in Archangel Gabriel's clothes is for new beginnings, and gold throughout represents divinity.



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- Casa Santa Marta 941.366.4448
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- Extraordinary Ministers Dc Pat Macaulay dcpatrick@stmartha.org
- Finance Council Emil Efthimides ede24@usa.com
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- St. Patrick Sarasota 941.378.1703
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- St. Michael the Archangel Siesta Key 941.349.4174
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