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SAINT MARY'S OF ST. JOHN CATHOLIC CHURCH
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SUBJECT: ST. MARY'S PARISH OF THE ST. JOHN'S ORTHODOX CATHOLIC
CHURCH, INC.
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We have received your document for ST. MARY'S PARISH OF THE ST. JOHN'S ORTHODOX CATHOLIC CHURCH, INC. and check(s) totaling \$43.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

We can find no record of the entity named in your document. A computer printout of a similar named entity is enclosed for your review. If this is the right name, please correct your document and return it for filing.

The word "initial" or "first" should be removed from the article regarding directors, officers, and/or registered agent, unless these are the individuals originally designated at the time of incorporation.

The document must contain written acceptance by the registered agent, (i.e. "I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as registered agent for said corporation/limited liability company"); and the registered agent's signature.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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Corporate Specialist Supervisor

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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
to
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
of

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ST. MARY'S PARISH OF ^{THE} ST. JOHN'S ^{ORTHODOX} CATHOLIC CHURCH, INC.
(present name)

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to its articles of incorporation.

FIRST: Amendment(s) adopted: (INDICATE ARTICLE NUMBER(S) BEING AMENDED, ADDED OR DELETED.)
SEE ATTACHED ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

SECOND: The date of adoption of the amendment(s) was: MARCH 12, 2000

THIRD: Adoption of Amendment (CHECK ONE)

- ☒ The amendment(s) was(were) adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment was sufficient for approval.
- ☐ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment. The amendment(s) was(were) adopted by the board of directors.

Rt. Rev. Robert Niznik

Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, President or other officer

RT. REV. ROBERT NIZNIK

Typed or printed name

PASTOR-PRESIDENT

Title

APRIL 24, 2000

Date

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

of

St. Mary's Parish of St. John's Catholic Church, INC.
A non profit corporation

The following articles were approved by the Members of St. Mary's Parish of St. John's Catholic Church on Sunday, March 12, 2000.

ARTICLE I.

NAME

The name of this corporation shall be St. Mary's Parish of St. John's Catholic Church, ^{Inc.} and it is located at 6616 28th St. South, St. Petersburg, Pinellas County, Florida, or such other place as may be later established.

ARTICLE II

PURPOSE

The general purpose of this corporation is to build God's Kingdom on Earth and to take charge of and manage all the temporal affairs of said parish; to promote the spiritual, educational and other interests of said parish, including all charitable, benevolent eleemosynary work of said parish; to take charge of, hold and manage all property, personal and real, that may at any time or in any manner come to or vest in this corporation for any purpose whatever, whether by purchase, gift, grant, devise, or otherwise, and to do all other acts required subject to and in accordance with the by-laws and directives of the duly elected and appointed authorities of this parish.

ARTICLE III

MEMBERSHIP

The membership of this corporation shall consist of all those persons who desire to maintain membership in and abide by the rules or requirements of this parish. Only those people who actively participate in the life of the Parish both spiritually and financially shall be considered members in good standing.

ARTICLE IV

TERM OF EXISTENCE

The term for which this corporation shall exist shall be perpetual, unless otherwise dissolved according to the law. In that case all material possessions of the church will be distributed equally to all members in good standing with the parish, except for the living quarters of the pastor and all its furnishings which will revert to the pastor.

ARTICLE V

SUBSCRIBERS

The names and residences of the subscribers are as follows:

Name	Residence
Rt. Rev. Robert Niznik	6616 28 th St. S. St. Petersburg, FL., 33712
Rev. George Bezler	6616 28 th St. S. St. Petersburg, FL., 33712
Rev. Dc. Stanley Kloska	2602 First St. Indian Rocks, FL., 33785
Rebekah Arsenault	1111 Bayshore Blvd. Clearwater, FL., 34619
Barbara Milan	8461 Monarch Cir. Seminole, FL., 33772
William Wagner	7430 Sunshine Skyway St. Petersburg, FL., 33711
Maurice Stante	751 42 nd Ave. NE St. Petersburg, FL., 33703
Johanna Gillingham	3895 50 th Ave. S. St. Petersburg, FL., 33711
Joseph Sosnowski	5748 10 th Ave. N St. Petersburg, FL., 33710
Patricia Sudol	3310 Long Beach Brant Beach N.J., 08008
Donald Pojednic	3310 Long Beach Brant Beach N.J., 08008

ARTICLE VI

GOVERNMENT

1. The corporation shall be managed and directed by the Executive Council which shall consist of not less than six members including the pastor. The officers of the corporation shall be the members of the Executive Council, and shall be in accordance with the its Constitution and By-Laws.
2. The names of the officers who are to manage all the affairs of this corporation until the next election (except the President) are:

Rt. Rev. Robert Niznik (President and Pastor)	6616 28 th St. S., St. Petersburg, FL
Rev. George Bezler (Vice-president)	6616 28 th St. S., St. Petersburg, FL.
Rev. Dc. Stanley Kloska (Vice-president)	2602 First St., Indian Rocks, FL.
Rebekah Arsenault (Secretary)	1111 Bayshore Blvd., Clearwater, FL.
Barbara Milan (Treasurer)	8461 Monarch Cir., Seminole, FL.
William Wagner (Vice president of Finances)	7430 Sunshine Skyway, St. Petersburg, FL.

Maurice Stante (Trustee)
Johanna Gillingham (Trustee)
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3. The pastor shall be nominated by the Bishop, and the executive Council shall be elected at an annual meeting of the Parish during the 3rd week in Advent. Notification will be given 2 weeks prior to the meeting date.

ARTICLE VII

BY-LAWS

The By-laws of the Corporation shall be made, altered or rescinded by a majority vote of the membership, provided that only those members who actively participate in the life of the Parish shall be eligible to vote.

ARTICLE VIII

AMENDMENTS

This charter may be amended by the membership of the Parish vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members.

ARTICLE IX

REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the registered office of the corporation is:

St. Mary's Parish Council of St. John's Catholic Church
6616 28th St. S
St. Petersburg, Florida 33712

The name of the registered agent of this corporation is Rt. Rev. Robert Niznik whose mailing address is 6616 28th St. S, St. Petersburg, Florida 33712

Executed in duplicate this 24th day of April, 2000.

Rt. Rev. Robert Niznik.

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May 11th, 2000

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF PINELLAS

I, Rt. Rev. Robert Niznik, understand and hereby accept the responsibilities of the registered agent of the St. Mary's Parish of the St. John's Orthodox Catholic Church, Inc., and I swear and affirm upon my oath, depose and say: That this is intended in good faith to carry out the purposes and objects set forth in the Charter of this Corporation.


Rt. Rev. Robert Niznik