

# ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: SATURDAY 4:30 - 5:00 PM OR BY APPOINTMENT

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: TO INSURE SUFFICIENT TIME FOR ADEQUATE PREPARATION, COUPLES SHOULD CONTACT THE PRIEST FOUR, PREFERABLY SIX MONTHS IN ADVANCE OF THE WEDDING  
**IF YOU ARE CELEBRATING A SACRAMENT THIS YEAR, A RECENT COPY OF YOUR BAPTISMAL RECORD MUST BE PROVIDED TO THE PARISH.**

(SATURDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 5:30 PM) (SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM)

Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ - November 25, 2018

**TODAY, November 25**

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - People of the Parish

Mass - 11:00 a.m. - Respect for Life

**MONDAY, November 26**

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - For the Poor in Our Community

**TUESDAY, November 27**

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - Charlie Ruiz

**Wednesday, November 28**

Mass - 5:30 p.m. - In Thanksgiving

**THURSDAY, November 29**

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - For the Sick of Our Parish

**FRIDAY - November 30**

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - Sue Straus

**SATURDAY, Dec. 1**

Mass - 5:30 p.m. - World Peace

Sheffield, Virgil Carter, Nick Verzwylt, Fr. Delaney, Marvin Webster, Archer Samuel Baughman, Charles Trahan, Walter McCallum, Jonathan Greer, Charles Haley, Buddy Irby, Nancy Lucchesi, Annie Mae Mahoney, Rosemary Gordon, Alex Baylot and Richard Smith.

## Lay Ministry

December 1 -2

Altar Servers

5:30 p.m. - Leah Larson - Julia Tuminello

8:30 a.m. - Chuck & Faith Beamish

11:00 a.m. - Dalton & Grace Windham

**Lector/Commentator**

5:30 p.m. - Gwyn Neill - Joanne Wright

8:30 am - Jeff Eckstein - Teri Vollar

11:00 a.m. - Fred & Kay Farrell

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

**December 1**

5:30 p.m. - Sharon Andrews, Gayle Dolan, Mary & Mike Stewart

**December 2**

8:30 a.m. - Patricia Bull, Jean Callen, Adrienne Eckstein, Lisa McCollum, Jerry Roberts

11:00 a.m. - Mary Arledge, Brian Lambiotte, Marion Roberson, Ana Ruiz, Anita Webb

**PSR CLASSES FOR ELEMENTARY- SUNDAY MORNING - 9:30 A.M.**

**PSR CLASS FOR HIGH SCHOOL - WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON - 6:45 P.M.**

*Pray for* ... ***The Sick in our Community***

Judy McCollum, Don Ravetta, Charles Thompson, Jamie Dishman, Jim Conway, Mia Calnan, Bobbie Anderson, Jim Farrell, Karen Zwissler, John Brooks, Jodie Barnes, Kathy Grant, Belinda McKinney, Pamela Bull, Melissa Barker, Jerri Mocknick, John Alford, Philip Vedros, Milton Farr, Rebecca Battalio, Glenda Daigle, Mark Reddy, Beverly Goodwin, Barb Price, Dana Faye Clausner, Jackie Rushing, Sharon Hanks, Walley Hipp, Frances Powell, Emily Jane Tucker, James Leo, Matt Holm, Gayle Parker, Marye Lou Lee, Enloe Kee, Ann Kerr, Lori Stevens, Dan Welp, Bill Roach, Laura Thomas, Ashley Zepponi, Donna Carpenter, Scott Hughes, David Horner, Teresa Marshall, Marty Cappaert Walley, Connie & Homer Greer, Lucia Brown, Linda Hull, Al Brown, Michael Corbin McCain, Patricia Thompkins, John Given, Wilma Boland, Lea Floyd, Dennis Gilman, Josephine Pratt, Larry Lucchesi, Joyce Reece, Darlene Smith, Debra Vines, Anna Manning, Sam Tuccio, Emily Jackson, Dolly Moses, Margaret Jo Rose, Katherine Tucker, Billy

## **Collection -**

11/25/18 - Jean Callen, Myrna Turnipseed, Jerry Roberts

12/02/18 - Sue Fowler, Joan Clarke, Marsha Buell



*We gratefully acknowledge our Altar Flowers given in loving memory of Thomas Gordon, Jr. by his loving wife Rosemary and his sons Chris & Matt.*

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS –**

Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> – 7:30 p.m. Rosary – 8 p.m. Business Mtg. Rosary open to the public.

Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> – 8:30 a.m. Corporate Communion @ St. Michael. Families welcome.

Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> – 6 p.m. KC Ladies Auxiliary Mtg.

Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> – 6 p.m. KC Ladies Auxiliary Social @ Cocktails 101. Dutch Treat!

KC Advent “Blue” devotional books will be available Nov. 17/18 & 24/25 while supply lasts.

KC Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest is open to all youth ages 5-14. Info. can be found on the Council website [www.ms-kofc.com/898](http://www.ms-kofc.com/898). Deadline is Dec. 15.

**MEALS ON WHEELS** - on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of each month beginning at 8:00 am in the Parish Hall. If you would like to help by cooking, boxing meals or delivering, please contact Carrie Meyer at (601) 218-1007 or Ashton Hotard at (817) 946-0773. Thank you!!

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY** - Pivotal Players is a DVD series by Bishop Robert Barron that explores the lives of 6 extraordinary Catholics (St. Thomas Aquinas, St. Francis, St. Catherine of Siena, Bl. John Henry Newman, G. K. Chesterton, and Michelangelo). Over the next several weeks, we will explore their stories in a study held in the education building between the masses beginning at 9:45. Please contact Karla McHan at 601-218-2666 or [kdmchan@gmail.com](mailto:kdmchan@gmail.com) if you have any questions .

**STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: IT TAKES A LIFETIME –**

Stewardship of time is one of the three interlinked dimensions of our call to stewardship. Just as with our financial resources, we talk about spending time, saving time, and wasting time. But how well do we steward our time, or use it in a way that reflects our gratitude to Go for every hour of every day. .

The initial report for our Stewardship Appeal looks positive. 150 families out of 365 have responded thus far. We will continue to update you as more responses come in.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TIME AND TALENT** - *Please turn in your volunteer form As Soon As Possible. A box is located on the table in the vestibule for your convenience.*

**CYO** – Will not meet this Sunday.

Mark your calendars for the Diocesan Catholic Youth Conference, which will be held on Feb.

1-3 in the Vicksburg Convention Center for teens in grades 9-12. More details to come.

**ANGELS OF MERCY** – provide assistance to new and expectant mothers in St. Michael Parish. If your family is expecting, please contact Lori Williams at 601-638-8448 or Evelyn Weaver at 601-415-9500 so we may keep your family in our prayers.

RCIA continues this Wednesday with the topic of Advent. Our presenter is Mimi Mitchell. Our hosts and hostesses this week are John and Suzanne Heggins, Joan and Thomas Thornton, and Steve and Dette Vedros. Our dismissals in Dec. will be at the 5:30 Saturday Masses. Please keep our candidates in your prayers as they continue their journey: Marsha Bridgers, Rachel Montalbano, Jessica Piazza, Melissa Sanchez, Becca and William Weeks, and Amy and Emily Wood.

**STOREHOUSE FOOD PANTRY** – For the past 12 years, VCS has collected food for the Pantry on a monthly basis. Below are the assigned items by grade. We would like to invite parishioners to join in this effort. You may bring items to the school office or bring them to Mass and place them in the vestibule.

PreK/Mont – Boxed macaroni & cheese

1<sup>st</sup> - small bag of dried beans

2<sup>nd</sup> – boxed crackers

3<sup>rd</sup> – small begs of rice

4<sup>th</sup> – small bags of sugar

5<sup>th</sup> – salt

6<sup>th</sup> – box mashed potatoes

7<sup>th</sup> –small jars of peanut butter

8<sup>th</sup> – jelly

9<sup>th</sup> - juice

10<sup>th</sup> – canned fruit

11<sup>th</sup> – dry milk

12<sup>th</sup> - cereal

Employees – canned meat

**BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE** – We are here to help you and your family while dealing with the loss of a loved one. Volunteers prepare meals for parishioners who suffer a loss in their family. If this committee can be of help to you, please contact the Parish office.

*We are always happy to have new volunteers in this ministry. If you would like to help in any way, please contact Christy Middleton at 601-638-7398 or the Parish office*

**GRIEF WORKSHOP** – will be on Friday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, from Noon to 4 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Gluckstadt. For anyone experiencing loss of any kind, eg. Death of a loved one, divorce, loss of job, pet, security, dreams, hopes, or loss of good health. Please Register at [www.catholiccharitiesjackson.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesjackson.org), or Sister Pat at 601-213-6378.

**THE SALTILLO MISSION BOOK** - is here at St. Michael. The book chronicles the history of Saltillo Mission since its inception and contains four chapters on the founder of Saltillo Mission, Fr. Patrick Quinn. This coming year marks the golden jubilee of the mission. The book explains why Mississippi got involved in the mission, what Mississippians did for the mission and what the mission did for us. It has two chapters on the Saltillo Summer program where more than 20,000 of our youth visited the mission since its inception and it has many human-interest stories in it. The book sells for \$15. Saltillo Mission is jointly sponsored by the Diocese of Biloxi and Jackson. Fr. Mike Flannery (the author) of the Saltillo Mission book will be here at Mass the weekend of November 24/25.

**DECEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup> /IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**

Friday, Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> – 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> – 8:30 a.m.

**BRICK GARDEN**—Our parish brick garden is in NEED of some fertilizer!!! As I am sure you have noticed, there are lots of openings for new brick orders. Please consider honoring, memorializing or recognizing someone with this fundraising effort for our parish. You may download an order form from the website or pick up a form from the parish library. Small brick is \$35 and large brick is \$50. Please contact Sharon Andrews at 601-636-7611 with any questions. Thank you in advance for your order!