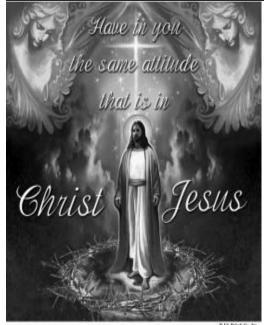


Rev. Mike Austin, Pastor Deacon Bill Vrazel

Mass Schedule: Summer Months, Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Winter Months, Saturday: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.
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FAMILIAR INSIGHTS

Spiritual teachers tend to repeat themselves, and to repeat other teachers. Maybe there really aren't that many different truths to tell. Just a lot of slow, sleepy human beings—like us—who need to hear the basics over and over. Consider today's readings.

People complain God isn't "fair," and Ezekiel answers that God is more than fair. People choose their own fates, and people can change. Even evildoers can turn, do right, and live. "Actions speak louder than words." A fresh new insight? Hardly.

Paul tells the Philippians that he would truly be encouraged if those who claimed to be believers would, in fact, look to others' interests and not their own. "The proof of the pudding is in the eating." A novel idea? I don't think so.

In Jesus' story of the farmer and his sons, everyone knows that the one who said he wouldn't work—but did—is way ahead of the one who said he would work—but didn't. "Talk is cheap." Heard that before?

TODAY'S READINGS:	 First Reading – When the wicked turn away from their wickedness they have committed and do what is right, they shall surely live (Ezekiel 18:25-28). Psalm – Remember your mercies, O Lord (Psalm 25). Second Reading – Consider others as better than yourselves; look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others (Philippians 2:1-11 [1-5]). Gospel – Tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God ahead of you (Matthew 21:28-32). 			
READINGS FOR THE WEEK:	HE Thursday: Jb 19:21-27; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14; Lk 10:1-12			
	Monday, Sep. 28– Tuesday, Sep. 29–	8:00 am Mass in Church 5:00 pm Adoration until 11:00 pm in Church with Reconciliation available from 5:00 until 6:00 pm -6:30 pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Church)		

Events of the Week:

	7:00 pm Mass in Church		
Wednesday, Sep. 30–	8:00 am Mass in Church		
Thursday, Oct. 1—	 -8:00 am Mass in Church 9:00 am Adoration until 5:00 pm in Church with Reconciliation available from 9:00 until 10:00 am 6:30 pm Book of Kings Scripture Study in Church 		
Friday, Oct. 2-	-8:00 am Mass in Church 3:00 pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy in Chapel		
Saturday, Oct. 3-	-5:00 pm Vigil Mass		

Prayer List:

Jimmy Allen, Sandra Angeline, Kay Armstrong, Zebulon Atkins, Phillip Babin, Jr., Jeff Beaver, James Bell, Reece Bentz, Tracy Biggs, Rusty Bohn, Dian Bradley, Fr. Ronnie Calkins, Jamie Ann Canton, Sarah Carboni, Fr. David Carucci, Jerry Casey, Jim Cooke, Butch Cuevas, Danny Davis, Sr. Helen Davis, Megan Delgado, Marvel Desroche, Kim Fitzgerald, Janet Galen, Adrian Gamez and Family, Ellyn Goldstein, Karl Gorbert, Alison Grey, Darren Grumme, Chris Hanson, Barbara Hayden, John Hayden, Rogers Hayden, Barbara Henderson, Kenny Hoda, Pat Hoda, Al Hodges, Paul Hughes, Sally James, Janet Jefferson, Sierra Jefferson, Connie Jenkins, Faye Johnson, John Knight, Natalie Koenenn, Irma Ladner, Jill Ladner, Missy Ladner, Pam Ladner, Milton Le-Blanc, Austin Lizana, Debbie Lizana, Hilda Lizana, Mark Logan, Marlene Logan, Laura Creel Meadows, Carl Molesworth, Pat Morley, Dennis Mottola, Judy Nelson, Kevin Niolet, Marie Peralta, Sandy St. Pierre James Pug. Bill Redo. Bryce Riordan, Taige Roof, June Rutland, Kevin Ryan, William "Scooter" Sanders, Leah Scott, Jerry Sellier, James Senac, Melissa Starita, Carolyn Stewart, Morgan Ulrich, Pat Vial, Jimmy Wetzel, Susan White, Cathy Yoeman, Ken Yoeman

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Weekly Operating Report September 21, 2020

Weekly Operating Credits Offertory/Collection: \$12,113 Building Fund: \$288 **Cemetery Maintenance: \$50** Second Collection: \$833 Youth Ministry: \$10 Direct Debit—Electronic Transfers Forms are available in the back of the church or by calling the office @ 452.4686 Weekly Fixed Expenses Schools: \$3210 Salaries and Benefits: \$4750 Diocese Support Tax: \$917 Utilities: \$1187.50 Janitorial, Maintenance, Grounds: \$1189.75 Insurance: \$584 TOTAL FIXED WEEKLY EXPENSES: \$11,802.25 "These are just the fixed expenses. There are many areas of ministry that require funding throughout the vear (Youth

funding throughout the year (Youth Ministry, Religious Education, Adult Education, Liturgy, Office Supplies). I am publishing this as part of our new financial budgeting system. There will also be a general report quarterly. God Bless!" -Fr. Mike

Pray for a Priest each day:

Eternal Father, we lift up to you these Pope, Bishops, Priests, Deacons, & Seminarians. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. May their lives be pleasing to you.

Sun. 27: For Our Deceased Bishops Joseph Howze and Roger Morin

Mon. 28: For Priests and Brothers of St. Augustine Seminary and SSC

Tues. 29: For Retired, Extern, and Deceased Priests, Deacons, and Religious

Wed. 30: Fr. Mike Austin

Thurs. 1: Fr. David Milton HGN

Fri. 2: Most Reverend Bishop Louis F. Kihneman III

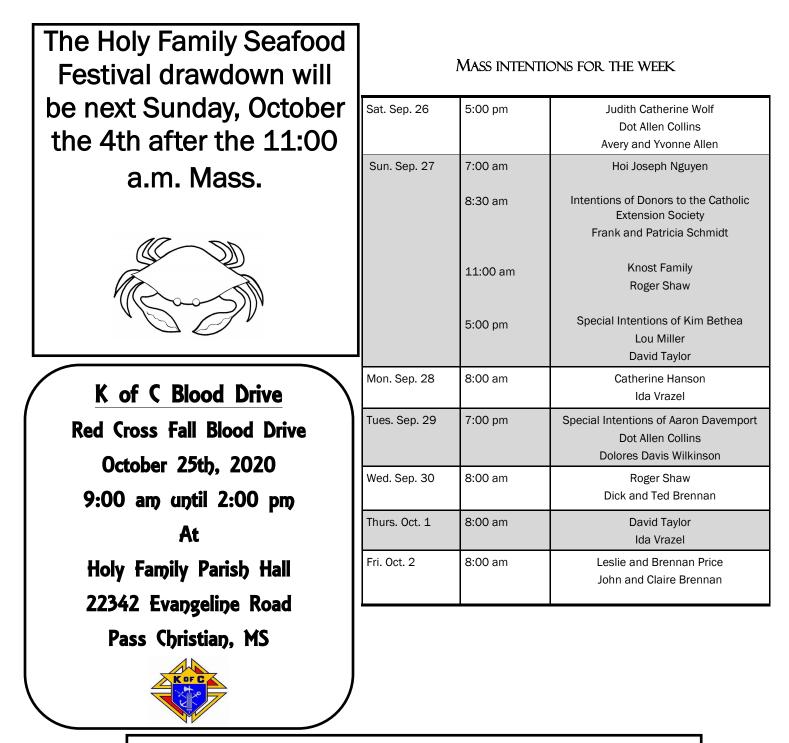
Sat. 3: For An Increase in Vocations

Property for Sale

Questions regarding the pricing for the lot next to the Chapel on 140 E. Scenic Dr. should be directed to:

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Oct. 3-4	5:00 pm Vigil	8:30 am	11:00 am	5:00 pm
Lector	Charles Nolan	Laura Pickich	Rick Allard	Sarah Putnam
EEM	Lise Lorber and Roger Ridgeway	Shirley Schmidt and Helen Simpson	Carl and Michael Mayeaux	Rusty Bohn and Brenda Riordan
Altar Servers	Not permitted at this time due to Covid-19	Not permitted at this time due to Covid-19	Not permitted at this time due to Covid-19	Not permitted at this time due to Covid-19



Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Join us every first Friday of the month at 3:00 pm in the Holy Family Chapel of St. Paul on 140 East Scenic Drive. The next Chaplet is this Friday, October 2nd!



Formation Class for the Permanent Diaconate

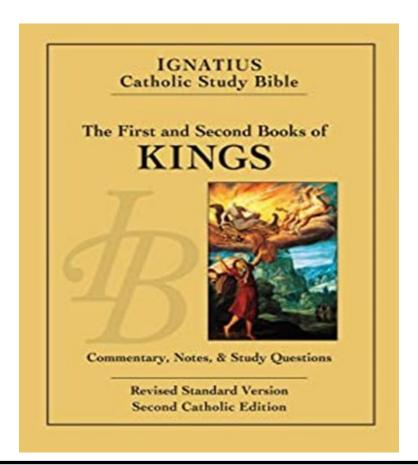
Pre-Selection information sessions will be conducted from 8:30 until noon on (<u>only one</u> <u>remaining</u>):

October 3rd at St. Mary Parish (Gautier). Attendance at one of these sessions is mandatory and your wife is required to be there as well. Please see your pastor or call Deacon Mike Saxer (228-216-8060) or Deacon Mike Harris (228-342-1536)



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The Downward Spiral of a Nation Divided



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