



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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EXPECTING THE UNEXPECTED

If it ever crossed your mind that Jesus was somewhat lacking in a sense of humor, today's Gospel should belie any such notion. Jesus' story of the five wise and five foolish bridesmaids is downright hilarious. The circumstances of the story were surely familiar to Jesus' listeners, just as they are—if we think about it—to us. Weddings never, ever start on time. There's always a delay. Buttons pop off at the last minute. Flowers wilt. Cars full of wedding guests get caught in traffic. Soloists contract laryngitis. Brides or grooms or priests show up late! So the only reasonable way to approach a wedding is with a sense of humor, to realize that something probably will go awry, and, when that happens, to smile about it.

Jesus tells this funny story to encourage us to be watchful, yes; to be ready, yes. But he doesn't tell it to make us dour and somber. The heavy-hearted tremble, waver, lose sight of their place and purpose, and fall asleep. The lighthearted know that the unexpected will happen—is bound to happen—so they are awake in their place and ready in their purpose when it comes.



TODAY'S READINGS:

First Reading — Wisdom is easily discerned by those who love her (Wisdom 6:12-16).

Psalm — My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God (Psalm 63).

Second Reading — Since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died (1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 [13-14]).

Gospel — Stay awake! You know neither the day nor the hour (Matthew 25:1-13).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

Monday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
 Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27, 29; Lk 17:7-10
 Wednesday: Ti 3:1-7; Ps 23:1b-6; Lk 17:11-19
 Thursday: Phlm 7-20; Ps 146:7-10; Lk 17:20-25
 Friday: 2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119:1-2, 10-11, 17-18; Lk 17:26-37
 Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112:1-6; Lk 18:1-8
 Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; Ps 128:1-5;
 1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-30 [14-15, 19-21]

Events of the Week:

Monday, Nov. 9—	– 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
Tuesday, Nov. 10—	-6:30 pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Church) 7:00 pm Mass in Church
Wednesday, Nov. 11—	–8:00 am Mass in Church 3:30 pm Open Youth Hall (old Church) until 8:00 pm
Thursday, Nov. 12—	–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, Nov. 13—	-8:00 am Mass in Church
Saturday, Nov. 14—	-4:00 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 LeBlanc, 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, Beverly Rogers, 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



Weekly Operating Report

November 2, 2020

Weekly Operating Credits

Offertory/Collection: \$11,429

Building Fund: \$63

Cemetery Maintenance: \$0

Second Collection : \$0

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 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. 8: Fr. Mike Austin

Mon. 9: Fr. Sergio Balderas

Tues. 10: Fr. Joseph Benjamin SSJ

Wed. 11: Fr. Dennis Carver

Thurs. 12: Fr. Tommy Conway and Fr. Ruben Covos

Fri. 13: Fr. Arockia Doss IVD

Sat. 14: Msgr. Dominick Fullam

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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Nov. 14-15	4:00 pm Vigil	8:30 am	11:00 am	5:00 pm
Lector	Lauri Wood	Pat Veltman	Sharron Lowe	Eugenie Saunders
EEM	Jane Ward and Dr. Z Zimmerman	Carol Church and Shandie Zimmerman	Liz Shaw and Jean Smith	Charles Erickson and Jim 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

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sat. Nov. 7	4:00 pm	Roger Shaw Anne Bacchiocchi Kathleen O'Connell
Sun. Nov. 8	7:00 am	Hoi Joseph Nguyen
	8:30 am	John Hammond Sr. and John Hammond Jr. Roger Shaw Special Intentions of Roy and Betty Gamez
	11:00 am	David Paysee Gene Rogers Special Intentions of John Hall
	5:00 pm	Lou Miller
Mon. Nov. 9	8:00 am	Emmett Smith Mary Rose Shade
Tues. Nov. 10	7:00 pm	Ida Vrazel William Spence
Wed. Nov. 11	8:00 am	Roy Masson Percy Mayeaux
Thurs. Nov. 12	8:00 am	Roger Shaw Frank Schmidt
Fri. Nov. 13	8:00 am	Mary Rose Shade Helen Bentz Catherine Griffon

Tamale Sunday

Saturday, December 5th - after Vigil Mass
 Sunday, December 6th - 8:30 am & 11:00 am
 Order online at holyfamilyparish.cc
 Tamales - 1 dozen - \$16.00
 Tamales - 1/2 dozen - \$10.00



Baptismal Prep

The next baptismal preparation course is Thursday, November 19th at 5:30 pm in the Church. Both parents are required to attend as well as both godparents. The godparents must be Confirmed, practicing Catholics.



Our Lady Academy

Open House

Tuesday, November 17, 4:30-6:30 pm
 222 South Beach Boulevard
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Please join our Holy Family Parish for an outdoor

Stations of the Nativity

An Advent Prayer Experience

and the

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

(in the Church)

Friday evenings, the 4th, 11th or 18th
from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.*

Christmas Carols provided by our children from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Refreshments will be available in the Courtyard

Please park in the front parking lot and follow your “guides” for instructions.

*** Please come on the quarter hour(s) to stagger the family groups. One family group per station at a time.**

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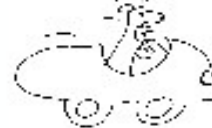


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