



Rev. Mike Austin, Pastor

Deacon Bill Vrazel

Mass Schedule: Summer Months, Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Winter Months, Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

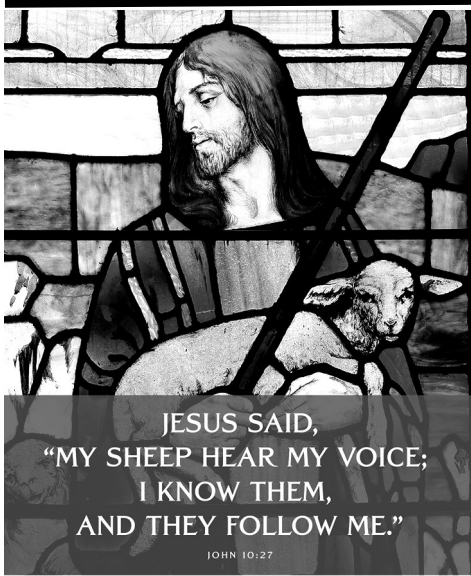
Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.

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A FORETASTE OF PARADISE

Throughout Easter Time, the Church rejoices with Jesus, risen from the dead. Our readings on this Fourth Sunday of Easter celebrate our instinct to come together in joy, worshipping in church. While private prayer nourishes our individual relationship with the Lord, community prayer is a foretaste of paradise. The book of Revelation depicts a “great multitude” worshipping God “day and night in his temple.” Our churches on Easter Sunday often reflect this happy multitude, filling the pews to bursting. Four Sundays into the festive season, we are encouraged to keep praising God together. In the Acts of the Apostles, Paul and Barnabas demonstrate their instinct to worship with their faith community each Sabbath, dutifully taking their seats in the synagogue. In the Gospel, Jesus calls us his sheep and reminds us why coming together as a flock is so important: *uniting in community, we imitate the unity of God.*



JESUS SAID,
“MY SHEEP HEAR MY VOICE;
I KNOW THEM,
AND THEY FOLLOW ME.”

JOHN 10:27

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 8, 2022

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading – The Jews angrily reject Paul and Barnabas’ preaching. They then turn their energies to the Gentiles (Acts 13:14, 43-52).

Psalm – We are his people, the sheep of his flock (Psalm 100).

Second Reading – John envisions a great white-robed multitude standing before the throne and before the Lamb. (Revelation 7:9, 14b-17).

Gospel – My sheep hear my voice; they follow me. I give them eternal life (John 10:27-30).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24 – 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8; Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27; Jn 13:16-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 1:15-17; Ps 113:1-8; Jn 15:9-17

Sunday: Acts 14:21-27; Ps 145:8-13; Rv 21:1-5a; Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Monday, May 9, 2022 –	– 8:00 am Mass in Church – 5:00 pm – 11:00 pm Adoration - Church – 5:00 pm–6:00 pm <i>Reconciliation offered in Church</i>
Tuesday, May 10 –	– 6:30 pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Chapel) – 7:00 pm Mass (Chapel)
Wednesday, May 11 –	– 8:00 am Mass in Church
Thursday, May 12 –	– 8:00 am Mass in Chapel – 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Adoration until Benediction at 5:00 pm
Friday, May 13 –	– 8:30 am Mass in Church
Saturday, May 7 –	– 5:00 pm Vigil Mass <i>Reconciliation offered 30 minutes prior to Mass in Sacristy</i>

Lord, Hear Our Prayer

Louise Altier, Jerri Anderson, Sandra Angeline, Andrew B. Barrett, Jeff Beaver, James Bell, Tracy Biggs, Rusty Bohn, Lanny Bowers, Dian Bradley, John Bull, Sister Anna Louise, Bumbera, Fr. Ronnie Calkins, Jamie Ann Canton, Sarah Carboni, Fr. David Carucci, Jerry Casey, Jim Cooke, Mae Mae Cooley, Donna Dantin, Lynn Dantin, Danny Davis, Sr., Jim Dean, Megan Delgado, Marvel Desroche, Anne Erickson, Kim Fitzgerald, Janet Galen, Adrian Gamez and Family, Roy and Betty Gamez, Alison Grey, Catherine Griffon, Chris Hanson, John Hayden, Barbara Henderson, Kenny Hoda, Pat Hoda, Daniel Huck, Paul Hughes, Sally James, Janet Jefferson, Sierra Jefferson, Connie Jenkins, Faye Johnson, John Knight, Marcus Kaszabowski, Natalie Koenenn, Jill Ladner, Missy Ladner, Pam Ladner, Dennis Laubmeier, Milton LeBlanc, Austin Lizana, Debbie Lizana, Charlotte Logan, Mark Logan, Marlene Logan, Laura Creel Meadows, Carl Molesworth, Pat Morley, Dennis Mottola, Kevin Niolet, Rita Norman, James Olander, Joshua Parker, Marie Peralta, Sandy St. Pierre, Bill Redo, Bryce Riordan, Taige Roof, June Rutland, Janet Ryan, Kevin Ryan, William "Scooter", Leah Scott, Stephen H. Scott, James Senac, Rachel Singleton, Melissa Starita, Carolyn Stewart, Barbara Swilley, Morgan Ulrich, Pat Vial, Anastasia Virvilis, Jimmy Wetzels, Tilton White, Colin Wood, Becky Wooley, Cathy Yoeman, Ken Yoeman, Angie Parker Yonkin



In Memoriam

Barbara Ann Hayden



Please contact the Church Office at 228-452-4686 if you see someone on the Prayer List who needs to be taken off the list. Our goal is to keep this list as current as possible. Thank You.

Weekly Operating Report

May 2, 2022

Weekly Operating Credits

Offertory/Collection: \$15,833

Building Fund: \$307

Cemetery Maintenance: \$1,108

Youth Ministry : \$1,003

Masses: \$175

Memorials: \$5

Direct Debit—Electronic Transfers Forms are available in the back of the church or by calling the office at 228-452-4686

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: \$13,075.00

"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

Lord Jesus, we your people pray to You for our priests. You have given them to us for OUR needs. We pray for them in THEIR needs. We know that You have made them priests in the likeness of your own priesthood. You have consecrated them, set them aside, anointed them, filled them with the Holy Spirit, appointed them to teach, to preach, to minister, to console, to forgive, and to feed us with Your Body and Blood. Indeed, we thank You for choosing them from among us, so that they understand us as we understand them, suffer with us, rejoice with us, worry with us and trust with us, share our beings, our lives, our faith. We ask that You give them this day the gift You gave Your chosen ones on the way to Emmaus: Your presence in their hearts, Your holiness in their souls, Your joy in their spirits. And let them see You face to face in the breaking of the Eucharistic bread. We pray to You, O Lord, through Mary the mother of all priests, for our priests! Amen.

Sun., May 8: For Pope Francis

Mon., May 9: For Fathers Sergio Balderas and Joseph Benjamin SSJ

Tue., May 10: For Father Hyginus Boboh SSJ

Wed., May 11: For Father Tommy Conway

Thur., May 12: For Fathers Ruben Covos and Arockia Doss IVD

Fri., May 13: For Msgr. Dominick Fullam

Sat., May 14: For Fathers Martin Gillespie and Tomaz Golab



May 14 and May 15, 2022	5:00 pm - Saturday, 5/14/22	8:30 am - Sunday, 5/15/2022	11:00 am - Sunday, 5/15/22	5:00 pm - Sunday, 5/15/22
Lector	Gayle Nolan	Shirley Schmidt	Jean Smith	Susan Putnam
EEM	David Stritzel Ursula Frilot	Lisa Simpson and Louise Vrazel	Liz Shaw and Don Smith	Alyssa Fayard and Ann Giles
Altar Servers	Gage Garriga and Magdalene Vignes Vignes	Banks Barrett, Asa Jones and Leo Jones	Emily Payment, Lisa Wood and Anton Nasrallah	Lee Baggett, Allie Giles and Sophia Gonzalez

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK



**End of the Year Party for
Pre-K—First Grade May 15th.**
This will be last class for
the school year.

**Saturday, May 14th, 5:00 pm:
High School Seniors
Mass and Dinner**

***Seniors, PLEASE call the Church Office
at 228-452-4686 to RSVP. Thank you!**

*3rd—5th Grade, Middle School (6th – 8th Grade): Sunday Evenings at 6 pm

*High School (9th Grade -11th Grade and 12th Grade): Sunday Evenings at 6 pm

* Pre K - 2nd Grade: Sunday Mornings, 9:45 am -10:45 am



Catholic Charities of South Mississippi has the following positions available:

Full Time with benefits Intake Specialist - Catholic Charities of South Mississippi

Full Time with benefits Office Assistant- Catholic Charities Food Bank

Please submit resume to Jennifer Williams at jwilliams@biloxidiocese.org by **MAY 13, 2022.**
For more information , please call 228-701-0555.

St. Charles Borromeo Parish in Picayune has the following position available:

Fulltime Youth Group Minister/Director of Religious Education

For more information, please contact Fr. Bernard Papania at 601-798-4779.

Saturday, May 7	5:00 pm	† Anne Bacchiocchi † Glenn Sellier † Barbara Hayden † Millicent Toomey
Sunday, May 8	8:30 am 11:00 am 5:00 pm	† Cathie Hanson † Lloyd Sellier † Lang Family † Long Vo † Larry Authement
Monday, May 9	8:00 am	† Karl Gorbert † Randy Guillot
Tuesday, May 10 Chapel	7:00 pm	† Bernadette Austin Levens Healing for Star Sarman
Wednesday, May 11	8:00 am	† Long Vo † Joe Hayden
Thursday, May 12	8:00 am	† Alice Bertin † Edward Croal † Frank Olosin, Sr.
Friday, May 13	8:30 am	† Roger Abernathy *† <i>The Repose of the Soul</i>

**Attention Discipleship
Formation *QUADS***

If you have formed a **DISCIPLESHIP QUAD**, PLEASE be sure to call the Church office at 228-452-4686 and **register** your quad team members.

THANK YOU!

Congratulations to Holy Family's First Communicants!

What a special weekend for our HFC family as 27 children received their First Holy Communion:

Elizabeth Andre, Brock Bentz, Dave Bernadas, Sam Bernadas, Hadleigh Boswell, Alexander Espinal, Evelyn Giles, Emily Klester, Archer Kraft, Anna Ladner, Caiden Le, Carson Le, Bradley McCartney, Finn Miller, Eloise Newman, Reed Pace, West Penegy, Pierce Rhodes, Olivia Robin, Nolan Rood, R. J. Sandoz, Gunner Satchfield, Avery Schmitt, Payten Self, Lilyana Starita, Anna Clare Thomas and Liam Tran.

We wish to congratulate all of our First Communicants and together, pray they will always grow closer to Jesus, as they receive Him in the Eucharist!

We are so grateful for the whole First Holy Communion team that prepared the children for this Sacrament and made their big day possible: Fr. Mike Austin, Deacon Bill Vrazel, our parents and grandparents, Khara Molsbee and the HFC Children's Choir, First Eucharistic Training teachers Tracy Partridge, Amanda Self, Lauri Wood and Linden Williams. **Thank You!**



Adoration

*Jesus is present in the Eucharist.
He wants to know your struggles.
Come talk to Him.
We invite you to visit with the
Blessed Sacrament*



Adoration is on
Mondays in the Church,
5:00 pm—11:00 pm
and
Thursdays at the Chapel of St. Paul
140 E. Scenic Drive,
9:00 am—5:00 pm

We need prayer partners and substitutes on Thursdays.
***SIGN UP SHEETS* are in back of the Church.**

For more information, please call Liz Shaw at 229-547-9473.



Celebration of



*Welcome into the Church by the
Sacrament of Holy Baptism*

Divian Hebert

Congratulations Nicholas and Caroline Hebert

*"Every good and perfect gift is from above..."
James 1:17*



Fifth Sunday Rosary



**Please join the Knights of Columbus
as they lead our Parish in the
Fifth Sunday Rosary**

**Sunday, May 29th
After 8:30 am Mass**



PROPERTY FOR SALE



For questions regarding the pricing for the lot next to the Chapel of St. Paul, 140 East Scenic Drive, Pass Christian, please contact:

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