

## 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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**FIRST SUNDAY OF** 



"You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come." MATTHEW 24:44

## **PEOPLE OF THE LIGHT**

We are called to reflect the light of God's love through the ways in which we live our lives. Imagine the impact if each of us took this call to heart, every day, at home, work, or school, in our parish, in the world. "*All nations shall stream toward it*," toward the love that only comes from God. Yet, we must admit that much of the time we fail to be beacons of God's light. We fall asleep, complacent, preferring to go the easy route, which often leads to darkness rather than the radiance of Christ's light. As we begin the season of Advent, Saint Paul admonishes us to throw off the works of darkness,

to awaken to the call of light and love. In today's Gospel, Jesus too tells us to stay awake, to be prepared to greet the Lord of light as people of the light.

Today's Readings:	<ul> <li>First Reading — All the peoples shall stream toward the Lord's house (Isaiah 2:1-5).</li> <li>Psalm — We will rejoice as we go up to the Lord's house (Psalm 122).</li> <li>Second Reading — It is the hour to cast off the dark and clothe ourselves in the light (Romans 13:11-14).</li> <li>Gospel — Stay awake! Be prepared! The Son of Man will come when you least expect (Matthew 24:37-44).</li> </ul>				
READINGS For the WEEK	Monday:       Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11         Tuesday:       Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10:21-24         Wednesday:       Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22         Thursday:       Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27         Friday:       Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31         Saturday:       Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6; Mt 9:35 – 10:1, 5a, 6-8         Sunday:       Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12				
	Monday, November 28, 2022 —	-8:00 amMass in Church-10:00 amHoly Family Parish Prayer Group (Chapel)-5:00 pm - 11:00 pmAdoration - Church-5:00 - 6:00 pmReconciliation offered in Church			
EVENTS OF THE WEEK	Tuesday, November 29 —	<ul> <li>6:30 pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Chapel)</li> <li>7:00 pm Mass (Chapel)</li> </ul>			
	Wednesday, November 30 —	– 8:00 am Mass in Church			
	Thursday, December 1—	<ul> <li>— 8:00 am</li> <li>— 9:00 am — 5:00 pm</li> <li>Adoration until Benediction at 5:00 pm</li> </ul>			
	Friday, December 2 —	-     8:30 am     Mass in Church       -     3:00 pm     Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Chapel)			
	Saturday, December 3 -	<ul> <li>4:00 pm Vigil Mass</li> <li>Reconciliation offered 30 minutes prior to Mass in Sacristy</li> </ul>			

## Lord, Hear Our Prayer

LouiJerri Anderson, Sandra Angeline, Andrew B. Barrett, Jeff Beaver, Kim Beech, James Bell, Tracy Biggs, Rusty Bohn, Lanny Bowers, Dian Bradley, Mike Brown, John Bull, Sister Anna Louise, Bumbera, Josephine C., 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, Dane English, Anne Erickson, Kim Fitzgerald, Janet Galen, Roy and Betty Gamez, Alison Grey, John Hayden, Barbara Henderson, 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, Milton LeBlanc, Austin Lizana, Debbie Lizana, Charlotte Logan, Mark Logan, Marlene Logan, Evelyn Lumpkin, Laura Creel Meadows, Carl Molesworth, Pat Morley, Dennis Mottola, Kevin Niolet, Rita Norman, Joshua Parker, Larry Peterman, Marie Peralta, Bill Redo, Bryce Riordan, Jim Riordan, Jacob Rivera, Jaxson Rivera, Bev Rogers, Taige Roof, June Rutland, Janet Ryan, Kevin Ryan, Clyde Schepens, William "Scooter", Leah Scott, Stephen H. Scott, James Senac, Rachel Singleton, Melissa Starita, Carolyn Stewart, Barbara Swilley, Morgan Ulrich, Pat Vial, Anastasia Virvilis, Jimmy Wetzel, Tilton White, Becky Wooley, Cathy Yoeman, Ken Yoeman, Angie Parker Yonkin

#### IN MEMORIAM

Joseph Devenny Cathy Griffon Nhan Thi Nguyen Ba The Ho Adrienne Conwill



Please contact the Church Office, 228-452-4686, if you see someone on the Prayer List who needs to be taken off the list. Thank you.

## Weekly Operating Report

### November 21, 2022

<u>Weekly Operating Credits</u> Offertory/Collection: \$11,952 Building Fund: \$192 Cemetery Maintenance: \$5 Youth Ministry: \$16 Masses: \$160 Memorials: \$5 Second Collection: \$1,008 Direct Debit—Electronic Transfers

Forms are available in the back of the church or by calling the office at 228-452-4686

<u>Weekly Fixed Expenses</u> 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

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

#### <u>Pray For a Priest Each Day</u>

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., November 27:* For Retired Extern and Deceased Priests, Brothers and Deacons

*Mon., November 28:* For ALL Our Biloxi Bishop, Priests and Deacons

Tue., November 29: For Our Seminarians

*Wed., November 30:* For Father Mike Austin

*Thur., December 1:* For Father Everardo Mora-Tores

*Fri., December 2:* For Most Reverend (Bishop) Louis F. Kihneman III

*Sat., December 3:* Please Pray For An Increase in Vocations

Please keep Father S. Kennedy Sossi in your prayers. He is due to arrive to the Diocese this month. Please pray for his safe arrival.



<i>December 3, 2022 and December 4, 2022</i>	4:00 pm - Saturday, 12/3/2022	8:30 am - Sunday, 12/4/22	11:00 am - Sunday, 12/4/22	5:00 pm - Sunday, 12/4/22
Lectors	Ken Austin	Clark Brennan	Joy Burke	Joe Spence
EEMs	Rita Craven, Gayle Nolan and Jane Ward	Fran Braud, Ken Braud, Phylis Carlton, Rodney Keel and Tracy Partridge	Margaret Payment, Charles Lowe, Sharon Lowe, Gretcher Mayeaux and Gayle Parker	Richard Bohn, Jo Johns and Ann Giles
Altar Servers	Gage Garriga, Kaleb Garriga and Molly Vignes	Banks Barrett, Jared Smith and Makenna Smith	Ellie James Burge, Archer Kraft and Emily Payment	Lee Baggett, Sophia Gazalez and Matthew Williston

#### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK



Saturday, November 26th	4:00 pm	<ul> <li></li></ul>
Sunday, November 27th	8:30 am	+ Ba Ho         + Bob Mire         + Frank and Patricia Schmidt
	11:00 am	+ Milton LeBlanc
	5:00 pm	Special Intentions for Kara Worthington—Catechist Special Intentions for Michelle Harrison—Catechist
Monday, November 28th	8:00 am	<ul> <li>Knost Family</li> <li>Cathy Griffon</li> <li>Kathy Carboni</li> <li>Special Intentions for Kim</li> <li>Desrosier</li> </ul>
Tuesday, November 29th <b>(Chapel)</b>	7:00 pm	t Cathy Griffon Special Intentions for Sister Anna Louise Special Intentions for Sister Theresa Healing for Sally Christovich
Wednes- day, November 30th	8:00 am	
Thursday, December 1st	8:00 am	<ul> <li>Cathy Griffon</li> <li>Stanley Sarman</li> <li>Special Intentions for Sister</li> <li>Theresa</li> </ul>
Friday, December 2nd	8:30 am * # The Repose of the Soul	↑ Milton LeBlanc
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#### 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: *Ken Austin at Mississippi Coast Realty, 228-452-2313 (office) or 228-493-0052 (cell). ken@mscoasthomes.com, www.mscoasthomes.com* 

## A HUGE THANK YOU!



THANK YOU TO Mike Cuevas, The Society of St. Vincent de Paul and ALL the many volunteers who helped with this years **Thanksgiving Baskets**!

Food is so much more than nourishment for the body. Sharing a meal can be nourishment for the soul, as well. But for some families who are struggling to put food on the table, the thought of gathering around a holiday feast seems unrealistic.

THANKS to ALL who filled a Thanksgiving bag, many families will be celebrating the Thanksgiving holiday with a turkey and all the fixin's.

## God Bless You All & Happy Thanksgiving!



2022 Asian Lundraiser Eggroll Sale



Mark Your Calendars! Friday, December 2nd, 4 pm– 10 pm Downtown Pass Christian



If you missed out on the Eggroll Sale in October, HFC's Asian Community family will be back at

## Christmas in the Pass

selling their yummy eggrolls, kabobs and combo plates.



Youth Ministry for SEEDLINGS (Pre-K – 2nd Grade) 9:45 – 10:45 am – KOC Hall Youth Ministry for LIFE TEEN, EDGE & RISE (Grades 3 – 12) –

Youth Ministry for LIFE TEEN, EDGE & RISE (Grades 3 – 12) after 5:00 pm Mass

## Youth Group activities resume Sunday, November 27th.



Celebration of



We Welcome into the Church by the Sacrament of Holy Baptism

> Walter Bradley Craig November 6, 2022

Congratulations to Scott and Jonna Craig. "Every good and perfect gift is from above..." James 1:17

## Holy Family First Edition Christmas Ornaments PREORDERS ARE HERE!



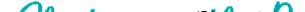
If you ordered a Holy Family First Edition Christmas Ornament, you make pick up in the Parish Office.

WE HAVE A FEW EXTRA ORNANAMENTS.

## Catholic Diocese of Biloxi

National & Diocesan Appeals for the Remainder of 2022

December 3 - 4St. Vincent de Paul PharmacyDecember 10 - 11Retired Religious



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