

Rev. Mike Austin, Pastor Rev. Donbosco, Associate Pastor Deacon Bill Vrazel

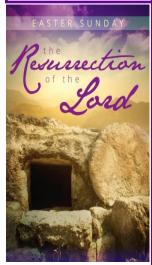
Mass Schedule: Summer Months, Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

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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When I was a young boy, my parents told me about their wedding. Then a few years later, they showed me my mother's wedding dress and my dad's suit. It was astonishing to see and touch garments that connected me to the event that led to my existence. Of course, I already believed they were married based on their word. But these holy garments made the event real and tangible for me.

Something like this is at play when St. John reports encountering in Jesus' tomb, "the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place" (John 20:7). Those two separate cloths, for his head and for his body respectively, meant a great deal to St. John and to the early Christians. Some years after the resurrection, there surfaced reports of two cloths with unusual characteristics, one bearing the image of a crucified man's body, another smaller one with the image of a wounded man's face. Some call them the Shroud of Turin and the Veil of Manoppello; they both can be seen today.

These two cloths have a long and complicated history, and scholars debate aspects of them. If you're curious, I encourage you to read about them. To be clear, I believe in the resurrection of Jesus because of the testimony of eyewitnesses and the gift of faith in the Church. Nevertheless, seeing these two mysterious cloths have made the life-giving event of Jesus' resurrection more real and tangible for me. Maybe they will for you, too.

— Father John Muir

Today's Mass Readings *First Reading:* He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. (Acts 10:38)

Psalm: This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad. (Ps 118)

Second Reading: If then you were raised with Christ, seek what is above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. (Col 3:1)

Gospel: So she ran and went to Simon Peter and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them, "They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don't know where they put him." (Jn 20:2)

Daily Mass Bible Readings *Monday:* Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Mt 28:8-15 *Tuesday:* Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/Jn 20:11-18 *Wednesday:* Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:13-35 *Thursday:* Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:35-48 *Friday:* Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn 21:1-14 *Saturday:* Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21/Mk 16:9-15

Next Sunday: Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31



A F	Aonday, pril 21 — PARISH OFFICE CLOSED	- 7:25 am Rosary - Church Parish Office Closed - 8:00 am MASS - Church - 10:00 am Parish Prayer Group - Chapel	- 5:00 pm - 11:00 pm Adoration - Church - 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm RECONCILIATION offered in Church - 5:30 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal - Chapel	
1	Tuesday, 4pril 22 —	6:30 pm Novena To Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Chap7:00 pm MASS - Chapel	el	
	Vednesday, Ipril 23 —	- 6:30 am Java & Jesus Men's Group - Parish Hall - 7:25 am Rosary - Church - 8:00 am MASS with Moms - Church	- 9:00 am Bible Study Meet - Parish Hall - 6:30 pm - OCIA Faith Formation Class - Conf. Ctr.	
- 7:25 am Rosary - Chapel - 8:00 am MASS - Chapel - 9:00 am Adoration until Benediction until Benediction at 5:00 pr			it 5:00 pm - Chapel	
	Friday, April 25 —	hurch Hall		
	aturday, Ipril 26 —	- 1:00 pm Youth Ministry set up - Parish Hall - 7:00 pm MASS - Church		



Mary Helen Allen, Louise Altier, Adam Amort, Jerri Anderson, Leota Ayuso, Lee

Ayuso, Tammy Bates, Jeff Beaver, Kim Beech, James Bell, Jan Berry, Tracy Biggs, Sandra Bishop, Rusty Bohn, Asher Bonura, Dian Bradley, Jim Bradley, Mike Brown, John Bull, Josephine C., Martha Burdette, Fr. Ronnie Calkins, Jamie Ann Canton, Patty Caranna, Sarah Carboni, Fr. David Carucci, Bruce Carver, Jerry Casey, Jim Cooke, Mae Mae Cooley, David Corollo, Donna Dantin, Lynn Dantin, Danny Davis, Sr., Jim Dean, Megan Delgado, Marvel Desroche, Dawn Domecq, Brenda Dubuisson, Jeannie and John Dubuisson, Anne Erickson, Toby Erwin, Peter Fenn, Kim Fitzgerald, Janet Galen, Roy and Betty Gamez, Hannah Gest, Gerry Gough, Donnie Haley, Jr., John Hayden, Alan Hoda, Pat Hoda, Fay Hogan, Olivia Hood, Daniel Huck, Betty Hughes, Paul Hughes, David H. James, Wayne James, Janet Jefferson, Sierra Jefferson, Faye Johnson, Phillip Jones, Marcus Kaszabowski, Natalie Koenenn, Thomas Koenem, Barbara Ladner, Jill Ladner, Missy Ladner, Pam Ladner, Griffis Lamar, Anita Lambert, Vickie Landrum, Dustin Leochner, Debbie Lizana, Charlotte Logan, John Logan, Mark Logan, Marlene Logan, Michelle Logan, Lynda Lumpkin, Evelyn Lumpkin, Rod Malburg, Laura Creel Meadows, Lori Miller, Carl Molesworth, Pat Morley, Dennis Mottola, Kevin Niolet, Rita Norman, Kyle Patridge, Joshua Parker, Larry Peterman, Konner Peterson, Michelle Pisciotta, Jane Prescott, Emily Reaves, Bill Redo, Bryce Riordan, Jacob Rivera, Jaxson Rivera, Bev Rogers, Taige Roof, Tammy Graham Rome, June Rutland, Janet Ryan, Kevin Ryan, Clyde Schepens, William "Scooter", Leah Scott, Beth Sealy, James Senac, Rachel Singleton, Melissa Starita, Barbara Swilley, Father Truong Q Trinh, Jim and Michael Trott, Morgan Ulrich, Brittany Varney, Pat Vial, Anastasia Virvilis, Bragg Williams, Nadia Williams, Becky Wooley, Wayne Wooley, Paul Yaegar, Angie Parker Yonkin, Bruce Young

In Memoriam ~ Edda Whaley and Warren Whaley

For additions or deletions to the Prayer List, please call the Parish Office at 228-452-4686.



April 14, 2025

Weekly Operating Credits

Offertory/Collection: \$15,931

Building Fund: \$297

Youth Ministry: \$30

Masses: \$100

Cemetery: \$10

Memorials: \$5

Easter Flowers: \$248 Poor Box / Charity: \$50

TOTAL: \$16,671

See this Bulletin for information on Direct Debit - Forms also 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

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., April 20: For Fathers Anil Thomas SVD and Truong Q Trinh

Mon., April 21: For Fathers Joe Uko and Adam Urbaniak

Tuesday, April 22: For Father Peter Varghese CMI

Wed., April 23: For Father Khoa Phi

Thur., April 24: For Father Michael Wiktor

Fri., April 25: For Retired Priests. Extern and Deceased Priests, Brothers and Deaons

Sat., April 26: For Our Deaons, Deacon Candidates and Those Discerning



April 26 & April 2025

5:00 pm -Saturday, 4/26/25 Vigil

Gayle Parker

8:30 am - Sunday, 4/27/25

Ken Austin

Ken Braud, Phylis Carl-

ton, Jennifer D'Aquilla,

Tracy Patridge and

Louise Vrazel

11:00 am -**Sunday 4/27/25**

Carl Mayeaux

Sunday, 4/27/25

LECTORS

EEMs

Gayle Nolan, Jane Ward and Emmett Zimmerman

> Abram Herring, Jared Smith and Makenna Smith

Chad Burge, Andrew Koslosky, Gretchen Mayeaux, Michael Mayeaux and Sid Petagna

Elleigh James Burge, Jameson Burge and **Anna Claire Thomas** Michelle Hoskins

5:00 pm -

Richard Bohn, Joy Miller and Aimee **Tramontana**

Jacob P. Robin, Olivia Robin and Ellie Kate **Thompson**

ALTAR SERVERS Cooper Ferrell, Gage Garriga and Kaleb Garriga

HOLY FAMILY LECTORS, EEMs & ALTAR SERVERS!

There are still a few Holy Family Parishioners who have not picked up their Ministry Schedule envelopes in the Church Vestibule.

PLEASE do not forget to grab your envelope on your way in before Mass or after Mass.

THANK YOU for being a part of this very important Ministry. Please call the Parish Office at 228-452-4686 if you have any questions. God Bless.





Wednesdays during Lent, beginning March 12 - *Meet Us Adoration* - All are welcome! faculty, staff, students and parishioners - 7:00 am - *Church*

Wednesday, April 2 - 10am - *Altar Society Meeting - Church Multipurpose Room*

Friday, April 4 and 18 - 3pm - *Divine Mercy Chaplet - Chapel* Sunday, April 5 - 7am - *First Saturday Mass - Church and Parish Hall*

Monday, April 7 - Fellowship, Coffee & Donuts - After 8 am Mass - Parish Hall

Monday - Friday During Lent, March 5th - April 11 - NOON

Mass - Chapel

FRIDAYS During Lent - 5:00 pm - Stations of the Cross - Church

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Tuesdays, March 11, 18, 25, April 1, 8 - 7pm - *Lenten Mission - Conference Center*

Thursdays, March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 10 - 7pm Mass - *Lenten Mission - Conference Center*

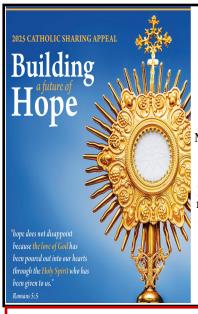
Friday, April 23 - 6:30 pm - *Healing Face of Jesus Healing Ministries Service - Church*

Sunday, April 27 - at 11:00 am Mass - *First Communion - Church*

For Holy Family's *Holy Week Schedule*, April 12 - April 20, please see the Flyer in this Bulletin. Copies of the schedule are also in the Church Vestibule and online: https://holyfamilyparish.cc.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, April 19, 2025 Easter Vigil	7:00 pm	†Sally James †Jimmy Austin †Shelly Bentz
Sunday, April 20 Easter Sunday	8:30 am	† Edward Reid †Andrew Levens †Delores and Gene Peralta
	11:00 am	†Alfredo Alarcon †Beverly Bourgeois †Carol Stewart
	5:00 pm	NO 5pm Mass
Monday, April 21	8:00 am	†Knost Family †Ann Goris Healing for Ann Alexander
Tuesday, April 22	7:00 pm	†Jimmy Austin †Edda and Warren Whaley Special Intentions for Shirley Schmidt
Wednesday, April 23	8:00 am	†Knost Family † Ann Goris Special Intentions for Dale Spaht
Thursday, April 24 (Chapel)	8:00 am	†Mayme Gigl Special Intentions for Tony Van Aken
Friday, April 25	8:30 am *†The Repose of the Soul	†Edda and Warren Whaley Healing for Ginny Lohre



2025 Catholic Sharing Appeal

Thank you to the 96 Holy Family families who have participated in this year's Catholic Sharing Appeal. Your donation goes toward assisting MANY CATHOLIC MINISTRIES!

Our goal is to get ALL 500 PLUS Parish families to participate in this necessary and meaningful annual appeal. What a wonderful way of almsgiving!

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STEUBENVILLE ATLANTA



THIS IS OUR FINAL CALL!

Any rising 9th - 12th graders that wish to attend the Steubenville Conference in Atlanta July 9 - 13, we will not be accepting any more participants after APRIL 27th! If you want to attend, please reach out as soon as possible to Holy Family Youth Director, Emily Clemens, or one of the other youth volunteers.

You can also contact the Parish Office at 228-452-4686.





March Annual Drive for Morning Star Pregnancy Center

Dear Parishioners at Holy Family,

Thank you so much for the generous donation of baby items to our agency. We truly appreciate your commitment to our mission and the people we serve. Thank you for your kindness.

Love

Catholic Charities of South Mississippi Morning Star Pregnancy Center



Holy Family Parish Office will be closed for Easter Friday, April 18th, and Monday, April 21st. We will return to the office on Tuesday, April 22nd.

Have a Blessed

Easter!

Upcoming 2025 Second and Special Collections

April 26 - 27: Catholic Home Missions Appeal

May 31 - June 1: Catholic Communications

June 14 - 15 Special Fathers Day Collection Diocesan Priest Supplemental



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