

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 30, 2017

"All things work for good for those who love God." Romans 8:28a

CALENDAR OF MASSES/EVENTS

Sunday, July 30, 2017

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30 am Liturgy +**Andrew Kalamarie** by: Margaret Gillispie

7:00 pm AA & Al Anon

Monday, July 31, 2017

NO Liturgy

Tuesday, August 1, 2017

NO Liturgy

9:00 am Weight Loss Group

7:00 pm Men's Association



Wednesday, August 2, 2017

NO Liturgy

Thursday, August 3, 2017 – First Day of School

8:00 am Liturgy +**Shawn Leisner** by: Carmen Kreider

9:00 am Adult Ed

8:00 pm AA & Al-Anon

Friday, August 4, 2017

8:00 am Liturgy +**Mark Nix**

Saturday, August 5, 2017 – Blessing of Backpacks

5:15 pm Confessions

Confessions available by appointment also 662-429-7851

6:00 pm Liturgy For the Parish Community

Sunday, August 6, 2017 – Blessing of Backpacks

The Transfiguration of the Lord

9:30 am Liturgy +**James Bedsole** by: Lucy Holland

7:00 pm AA & Al Anon

Priest Contact Numbers:

SERIOUS SACRAMENT EMERGENCY ONLY 901-351-6591

All other needs 662-342-1073

RELIGIOUS GOODS STORE

July 30 – Rose Powell

August 6 – Kim Orr

ALTAR LINENS MINISTRY

July – Barbara Dean

August – Leslye Hall

CHILDREN'S HOMILY

July 30 – Allison Baskin

August 6 – Mindy Williamson

NEW MASS SCHEDULE: The following schedule will go into effect the

First Sunday in August – Next Weekend:

Saturday at 6:00pm. Confession from 5:30 to 5:45pm or after mass.

Sunday at 9:30 am *Note Mass time change on Sunday.



Our Holy Spirit web address is:

<http://www.holyspirit-catholic.com>

Ministry Schedule

PLEASE REMEMBER:

You are to arrive at least 20 to 30 minutes before mass is to begin. This is important to be prepared and ready.

Saturday, August 5 – 6:30 pm

Greeter: Paula Busler/Maureen Finley

Usher: Charlie Young/Don Greer

Server: Danny Thomas/Landon Ellis/Alex Hughes

Lector: Sam Hall/Nancy Brown

Gift Bearer: Ryan Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Toby Goff/Cindy Thomas/Stacy Hughes

Sunday, August 6 – 10:30 am

Greeter: Ron & Shirley Henderson

Usher: Gary Cannon/Help

Server: Anthony Johnson/Benedict Ozua/Francis Ozua

Lector: Morgan Billingsley/Chris Mitchell

Gift Bearer: McKnight Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Steve & Kim Orr/Amanda Ready/Keelan Ready/Kathy Fink/Robin Brantley/Jessica Smith

REMINDER: If you are unable to fulfill your ministry obligation, it is your responsibility to find someone that can serve in your place. Thank you.

PARISH SUPPORT

Needed Weekly for Budget.....\$6,094.81

Last Week's Offering\$4,092.00

Needed Weekly for Note Payment \$1,626.23

Debt Reduction Last Wk.....\$3,229.00

Community Services..... \$ 140.00

Debt On Loan Balance.....\$28,481.09

There should be no eating, drinking or gum in the Church. If a child must have nourishment, please do so in the cry room.

LAWN MINISTRY



Team #3 – Lee Smith, Bob Johnson, Merritt Powell, and Robin Brantley will begin

Wednesday, August 2 through Saturday, August

5. Team #4 – Jackie Ellis, Adam Thomas, and Cooter

Ellis. will begin Wednesday, August 9 through Saturday,

August 12. This ministry saves Holy Spirit thousands of

dollars every year! It is a real service to the Lord.

God Bless all our lawn ministers.

BULLETIN INFORMATION All material for the bulletin must be submitted to MaryAnn Nix, 662 429-7851 or holyspiritchurch@shsm.org by NOON TUESDAYS for inclusion in Sunday's bulletin.

ATTENTION CURSILLISTAS interested in forming a men's prayer group – please call Wayne Miller at 901-679-3400.

2017 CCD Registration Forms are located in the Narthex of the church. Parents please pick up one form for each child, fill it out **completely**, and return it to the basket labeled "COMPLETED FORMS" by August 1, 2017.






Thanks, Amanda
BACKPACK BLESSING --- A special blessing for all students will take place at the Mass next **Saturday, August 5 and Sunday, August 6.** All are asked to bring their backpacks to Mass and join in the entrance procession; please be in the Narthex 15 minutes before Mass.

RCIA REGISTRATION is open- Call Sr. Emily for more information 662-342-1073.





Sr. Emily will do a daytime RCIA workshop for those who did not have the opportunity to attend last year. This is a REPEAT! Mon., Aug. 14, Tues, Aug. 15 at Queen of Peace from 9:45am to 12noon. Please sign up so we can have materials ready.

TIME CHANGE!

Starting on Sunday, August 13, 2017 CCD classes will begin at 8:00 am and end at 9:15 am in time for 9:30 am Mass.

Thank you – Amanda Ready

Parish
Religious
Educational
Program

For a funeral, please contact the church before arranging with the funeral home. We want to make sure a priest is available for you and your family.

Keep valuables hidden and doors locked in your vehicles.

Seriously Sick & Hospitalized

Please Pray For The Sick

Your prayers are requested for the following who are seriously ill:

Baby Asher Farmer, Jeannine Gaudet, Jimmy Terry, Michael Williams, Al & Dee Gawel, Ron Pickard, Jean Chalk (Noreen sis), George Bonner, Tom Schrenk (Gawel), Joyce & Terry Cobb (Stafford), Jackie Donnelly, Don Smith, Ginny Skinner, Penny Mracich (Aime Anderson mom), Corrine Patton, Mike Johnson, Sr. Antonienne Thoma, Gloria & Raymond Slonena (tully), Dennis Schwab (Powell Nephew), Sonny Payne (Traicoff Uncle), Betty Brotherton (B. Martin mom), Mary Kiefer (Blount), Melanie Brauss (Bill Gaudet's sis), Tony Field (Maria Mitchell dad), Tony Pangelina, Natalie Kane (Higdon), Kerry Helms (Higdon bron law), Donna Youngblood (J. Terry cousin), Pete Cervetti (Cass Douglas), John Foti (Muzzi Bro), Daniel Douglas (Jeffries bronlaw), Birdie Lewis (Felicia grandma), Kim Craig (J. Davis sistn law), Meredith Hannah, Farris Jenkins (N Rachal bron law), Carter Brooks, Josh Bixler (Bill/Liz Brown's nephew), Sherry Vowell (Ken Hoover's sis), Sara Hewitt (Marie Smith), and Jared Smith (Liz Brown). Please notify the Pastor when serious illness occurs or when hospitalization is indicated: we would like to strengthen the ill with the Eucharist and the Sacrament of the Sick (Anointing).



WELCOME ---- Please welcome Fr. **Francois Tsanga, SCJ** who will be serving temporarily here in northern Mississippi with our six parishes. Father comes to us from Cameroon. Welcome him with a big southern hello and help to make his stay feel like home.

Confessions available by appointment 662-429-7851

Retreat! **RCIA CATECHISTS RETREAT** on August 20, 2pm to 7pm at Queen of Peace for all RCIA catechists and anyone who would like to be involved with RCIA. Sponsors are welcome, also. The theme of the retreat will be the topic of **CONVERSION, How the Holy Spirit works, helps and hindrances.**

A REMINDER: When planning a wedding or a funeral, the **FIRST CONTACT** you need to make is your church to see when the church space is available and when the priest' schedule will accommodate your need. Given the fact that we have many celebrations scheduled already, the sooner you contact the church, the better. For a wedding, six months in advance gives time for proper preparation.



INTRODUCTION TO OLD TESTAMENT: This class will be held on Tuesday evenings from 6:45 to 9p at Queen of Peace beginning on August 15, ending October 3. This is a ten session course. Required reading: Old Testament passages and the text book: **Reading the Old Testament** second edition by Lawrence Boadt Paulist Press. You can get new or used copies on Amazon. Sr. Emily will teach the course. Sign up by July 30 so we can get materials ready.

WHAT DID VATICAN II REALLY SAY? This class will be held on Thursday evenings from 6:45 to 9p at Christ the King beginning on August 10, ending September 28. Text: **the documents of Vatican II** (These can be read online) and one other text (TBA). Sr. Emily will teach the course. Please sign up by July 30 in order to get materials ready.

The Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Mother is a Holy Day of obligation. The Masses are scheduled as follows:

Monday, August 14th: (Vigil)
 5:30 pm at St. Gregory, Senatobia.



5:30 pm at St. Joseph, Holly Springs.
7:30 pm at Good Shepherd, Robinsonville.
7:30 pm at Queen of Peace, Olive Branch.

Tuesday, August 15th:

8:00 am at Holy Spirit, Hernando.

9:00 am at Christ the King, Southaven.

9:00 am at Queen of Peace, Olive Branch.

7:00 pm Christ the King, Southaven. **(Bilingual Mass)**

7:00 pm at Holy Spirit, Hernando.

FOOD PANTRY NEED– Sugar Holy Spirit provides the sugar for our Food Pantry here in Hernando. We have been facing a real shortage of sugar lately to meet this demand. Bring sugar whenever it is convenient. This food pantry serves the poor of our community.

God bless your generosity. Matthew 26:11



Sacred Heart School

Sacred Heart School is a Catholic environment dedicated to developing young people whose actions reflect knowledge, respect, and integrity.

Open Enrollment is continuing at Sacred Heart School PreK through 8th grade. The school is fully accredited by AdvancED (formerly SACS), the Mississippi Department of Education, and the National Catholic Education Association. We offer a state-of-the-art campus, small class sizes, advanced technology instruction, before school care and after school care, enrichment and athletic programs, cultural diversity and service-oriented faith formation. To set up a private tour or receive additional information, please contact Principal Bridget Martin at 662 349-0900 or email her, bmartin@shsm.org.

Aftercare Worker – Sacred Heart School

Sacred Heart Catholic Elementary School, operated by Sacred Heart Southern Missions, located in Southaven, Mississippi is seeking candidates for the position of Aftercare Worker. This is a part-time position with work hours from 2:15 pm – 6:00 pm, Monday–Friday. Job entails supervising children during after-school program activities. Req. 1 to 2 years working with children, and a willingness to support the values of Sacred Heart School. \$9.00 per hour.

Please send a letter of interest and resume in confidence to: Principal, Sacred Heart School, 5150 Tchulahoma Rd, Southaven, MS 38671; fax: 662-349-0690; or email: shsjobs@shsm.org.

Holy Spirit Men's Association E-mail

holyspiritmensassn@gmail.com

THANK YOU! THANK YOU!! THANK YOU!!!

Our Holy Spirit Parish Family did it again!!! You donated **\$4,023.50** for school supplies for the annual **Dress-A-Child program**



Baptism registrations for August-- Please call Sr. Emily for an appointment by August 8. Registrations will take place on Saturday, August 12.

Baptism days are August 26 and 27.

Qualifications for godparents are: practicing Catholics, registered in a parish, attending Mass regularly, baptized, confirmed, Holy Communion and if married, married in the Catholic Church. Godparents who live in another parish require a letter from their pastor recommending them as godparents.

MANY THANKS

Thank you for the welcome basket. We were overwhelmed with its contents. We appreciated all the gifts but most especially the thoughtfulness of the homemade items. Your time and talent was put to good use: the bread was thickly sliced and became delicious garlic bread, the pickles topped our hamburgers and gave them a spicy crunchy kick, and the blueberry jam was a new flavorful filling for our crape pancakes. I am going to attempt blueberry jam filled muffins next.

Thank you and God bless you all for your thoughtfulness.

Karl and Judy Resele



ADOPT AN AREA

You know you are gifted. Is God calling you? Help is needed in keeping our parish home in tip top shape. You and your family could help by adopting an area to keep clean and in good condition for a year. Our grounds, **OUR COMMON HOME**, needs a little tender loving care. Weed pulling, watering, litter pick up..... we have something for everyone. Limited time? **NO PROBLEM.....** Those interested in keeping our wonderful parish home beautiful should contact Roxanne McIngvale at 429-9294 or roxannebmc@yahoo.com.

THANK YOU

Thank you each and everyone who have prayed for my granddaughter. She's home and she's ok. Haven't been able to reach anyone as of now, just had a call to say she's ok! Thank you for the prayers. When you are far from a loved one it's a little hard. I know that God hears prayer and I know that from experience. My prayers are with all of you there at Holy Spirit! Miss not being at Mass, so much. I'm pretty much home bound. I go to the doctor when I have too. Thinking of all of you and God Bless. Amen.

Love,
Corrine Patton



FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST EUCHARIST -

The normal years to prepare for First Reconciliation and First Communion are the first and second grades. All children are welcome to prepare for

the sacraments. Please register for Parish Religious Education classes.

CONFIRMATION - Candidates, including our Catholic High School students, wishing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation must be in high

school and must complete the parish Confirmation Program. Confirmation will be held in October of the third year. Families must be registered in the church and the candidate must have a Catholic Baptismal Certificate.



FALL BAZAAR NEWS

***This year our Fall Bazaar will be held on
September 30, 2017***

RAFFLE TICKETS – Will be ready around August 15. All prizes will be CASH.

SAVE-A-LOT GROCERY – We would like every family to donate as many of the following items as possible: Paper Towels – Dish Detergent – Canned Soup – Canned Vegetables – Mac/Cheese – Cereal. Start looking for deals on these items. Any good deals on cereal or non-perishable items will be appreciated.



SILENT AUCTION – New items, gift certificates, gift cards, perfect condition antiques, time shares, etc.

TASTE OF DESOTO – We need new things for these baskets. We will have kitchen baskets, bathroom baskets, girls and boys baskets, etc. Lorraine is very creative in using the new items you donate.

BOOTH RENTAL SPACE – Contact Barbara Dean – 901-486-6470

As always **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED** for a variety of jobs.

Contact Barbara Smith H-662-233-4833 or C-901-413-8102.



*Holy Spirit Parish Family offers their deepest condolences to Joy Sample and
Family*

on the recent death of her mother +Mary Rathheim

May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace