

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
 November 19, 2017
 "Blessed are you who fear the LORD." Psalm 128:1a



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

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, November 25 – 6:00 pm

Greeter: Paula Busler/Maureen Finley

Usher: Tony & Julie Stefanik

Server: Don Greer/Cooper Sells

Lector: Jim Buechele/Chris Greer

Gift Bearer: Kathy Powers/Helen Spencer

Eucharistic Ministers: Sam & Leslye Hall/Toby Goff

Sunday, November 26 – 9:30 am

Greeter: Ron & Shirley Henderson

Usher: Charlie Young/Bill Warner

Server: Mackenna Smith/Rhiannon Smith/Anthony Johnson

Lector: Michael Griffin/Jessica Smith

Gift Bearer: Beatty Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Amanda /Keelan Ready/Kathy Beach/Robin Brantley/ Katherine Carroll/Scott & Pam Wiederholt

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\$4,883.00

Maintenance Fund Last Wk.... \$ 490.00

Community Services..... \$ 160.00

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/LANDSCAPE MINISTRY THANK YOU

A great big THANK YOU to all our **Lawn Ministers** and **Landscape Ministers** who worked together so faithfully this year to keep our Holy Spirit Grounds looking beautiful. These ministries save Holy Spirit thousands of dollars every year! It's a real service to the Lord.

God Bless all our lawn/landscape 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.



The office will be closed on Thursday, November 23th and Friday, November 24th.

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. Matthew 26:11
God bless your generosity.

CALENDAR OF MASSES/EVENTS

Sunday, November 19, 2017

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NO PreK – 5th Grade PRE

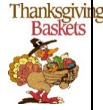
8:00 am Adult Ed

9:30 am Liturgy +Harry Tobin by: Jim Buechele

10:45 am Christmas Pageant Practice

3 – 5 pm Youth Sort & fill Baskets for Elderly

7:00 pm AA & Al Anon



Monday, November 20, 2017

NO Liturgy

9:00 am Deliver Food Baskets to the Elderly

Tuesday, November 21, 2017

8:00 am Liturgy **Olivia & Tony Leisner** by: Carmen Kreider

NO Weight Loss Group

Wednesday, November 22, 2017

8:00 am Liturgy **Intentions of Stanley Chimahusky**

by: The Morning Crew

NO PRE Classes

Thursday, November 23, 2017 – Thanksgiving

Office Closed

8:00 am Liturgy +**Dorothy Chimahusky**

by: Stanley Chimahusky

8:00 pm AA & Al-Anon

Friday, November 24, 2017

NO Liturgy – Office Closed

Saturday, November 25, 2017

5:15 pm Confessions

Confessions available by appointment also 662-429-7851

6:00 pm Liturgy +**Tony Muzzi** by: Josephine Muzzi

Sunday, November 26, 2017

Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus, King of the Universe

NO PreK – 5th Grade PRE

NO Adult Ed

9:30 am Liturgy For the Parish Community

7:00 pm AA & Al Anon

Priest Contact Numbers:

SERIOUS SACRAMENT EMERGENCY ONLY 901-351-6591

All other needs 662-342-1073

CHILDREN'S HOMILY

November 19 – Maria Mitchell

November 26 – Thanksgiving

RELIGIOUS GOODS STORE

November 19 – Beverly Goode

November 26 – Thanksgiving

ALTAR LINENS MINISTRY

November – Rose Powell

Holy Spirit Men's Association E-mail
holyspiritmensassn@gmail.com



FAMILY ADVENT RECONCILIATION is scheduled for the following days:
Nov. 29th at 7:00 pm at Christ the King.
Dec. 6th at 7:00 pm at Queen of Peace.
Dec. 13th at 7:00 pm at Holy Spirit.

Dec. 19th at 7:00 pm at St. Joseph.
Dec. 19th at 7:00 pm at St. Gregory.
Dec. 19th at 7:00 pm at Good Shepherd.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT ---Mark your calendar Sunday, December 3rd, at 4:00 pm for the Advent/Christmas Concert at Christ the King.

The concert will be followed by a Chili dinner. Everyone is invited!



GIVE BLOOD **BLOOD DRIVE SPONSORED BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** will be on Sunday, November 19th from 11:00am to 3:00pm. Call Christ the King to set your time 662-342-1073.

New Ladies Association e-mail
holyspirit.la.hernando@gmail.com

Confessions available by appointment 662-429-7851

THANK YOU!!! Holy Spirit had a total of **\$2,055.00** from the Baby Bottle Campaign. That is great. We are so appreciative.

All of the Care Center

32 baby bottles are still missing. If you took a baby bottle, please return it – even if it is not full or has nothing in it as they will be passed on to another ministry to fill. Thank you.



Our Holy Spirit web address is:
<http://www.holyspirit-catholic.com>

THANKSGIVING DAY–
Thursday, November 23rd is Thanksgiving Day. All are encouraged to come as a family to celebrate the Eucharist/Mass which is the Greek word for “Thanksgiving”. The Lord’s Eucharistic Last Supper is the origin and real source of our National celebration of Thanksgiving.

Families are encouraged to bring a food item, that later will be eaten with their family, to have blessed at the Mass. There will be a table before the altar to receive the food items during the offertory procession. There will be a collection at all the scheduled Masses.

The scheduled Masses are as follows:

8 am at Holy Spirit, Hernando.

9 am at Queen of Peace, Olive Branch.

9 am at Christ the King, Southaven, Bilingual
Seriously Sick & Hospitalized

✠ Please Pray For The Sick ✠

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

Debbie Gowen (Blount), Lynn Nix, Brenda Caruthers, Nancy Rachal, Nancy Potts, Victor Pretti, Deanna Greer (Dean Niece), Rosemary Sabbatini, Rose Powell, Lucy Holland, Joann Rains (Liz Brown’s sis), Dawn Kovaloski, Gene Winters (Nix), Baby Asher Farmer, Ron Pickard, Al Gawel, Ginny Skinner, Michael Williams, George Bonner, Tom Schrenk (Gawel), Joyce & Terry Cobb (Stafford), Jon Wilson, Penny Mracich (Aime Anderson mom), Mike Johnson, Sr. Antonienne Thoma, Raymond & Gloria Slonena (tully), Dennis Schwab (Powell Nephew), Betty Brotherton (B. Martin mom), Sonny Payne (Traicoff Uncle), 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 sisn 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 Sr. Rose A. Hacker, SSSF. Sr. Rose will be Pastoral Assistant for Fr. Thi. She will be working in our six parishes. Sr. Rose comes to us from Boone, IA. She is a native of south central Kansas.



DAILY MASS DURING ADVENT
Mass will be offered Monday through Friday during the Advent Season (Dec, 3-Dec. 25) **Holy Spirit at 8:00 am**, Queen of Peace at 9:00 am and Christ the King at 9 am each weekday morning. It is a catholic tradition to attend daily Mass each day of Advent.



NATIVITY SET only has 5 items left to be sponsored:
2 Kings – 2 Sheep – 1 Shepherd

If your family would like to sponsor one or more of these items in honor of your family or a loved one or would like to sponsor one in loving memory of one or more deceased family members, please call the church office right away 662-429-7851.

CELEBRATING OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Las mañanitas, the traditional early morning serenading of Our Lady, will be held at Christ the King at 5:30 am on Tuesday, December 12. The masses are scheduled on Dec. 12 as follow:



5:30 pm at St. Gregory followed by a reception.
 7:00 pm St. Joseph, followed by a reception.
 7:00 pm Queen of Peace, followed by a reception.
 7:00 pm at Christ the King, followed by a reception.

**The foreigner residing
 among you must be treated
 as your native-born.**

*Love them as yourself,
 for you were foreigners in*

**Egypt.
 I am the
 LORD your God.**

Leviticus 19:34

THE STRANGER LIVING AMONG YOU

The stranger living with you must be treated as one of your native born. Love them as yourself, for you were strangers in Egypt. Leviticus 19:34

At our Catechists' Kickoff Day for children's religious education classes, Sr. Emily had a short 1 hour presentation on the Facts and Myths of Immigration Issues. Of our 800 children in religious ed. classes, 650 or so are Hispanic, many of whom are dealing with deportation and the demise of DACA. So we wanted our catechists to have some knowledge of what some of the children are experiencing in their lives.

Several people in the parishes have been asking if we can provide some instruction about these issues. Both the Priests of the Sacred Heart and the Sisters of Mercy (Sr. Emily's community) have websites for peace and justice. Both communities have people working full time with understanding these issues. The websites are www.sistersofmercy.org (click on the justice button) and www.dehoniansocialjustice.org The USCCB (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops) also sponsors the website: www.justiceorimmigrants.org.

During the first week of Advent, Sr. Emily will present again the workshop we gave for the catechists:

Dec. 4 at Christ the King at 7:00 pm- Parish Hall.

Dec. 5 at Holy Spirit at 7:00 pm- Parish Hall, and

Dec. 11 at Queen of Peace at 7:00 pm- Parish Hall.



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION—This year the Holy day of obligation is on Friday, Dec. 8th.

There will be a collection at all the Masses. The masses are scheduled as follow:

VIGIL: Thursday, December 7th

5:30 pm at Good Shepherd.

5:30 pm at St. Joseph

7:30 pm at St. Gregory.

7:30 pm at Queen of Peace.

FEAST DAY: Friday, December 8th

8 am & 7 pm at Holy Spirit.

9 am & 7 pm (bilingual) at Christ the King.

9 am at Queen of Peace.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR KINDNESS

Thank you my Holy Spirit family for the Crucifix that I received from you when I was confirmed. It will be hung up in my room.

Sincerely,
 Catrena Kovaloski

MANGER BLESSING with brunch will be Sunday, December 3, immediately following mass. Make plans to stay.



LA POSADA – On Monday Dec. 18th at 7:00 pm we will celebrate La Posada at Christ the King. Everyone is invited to join in the procession with Mary and Joseph in their search for shelter. The night will end with hot chocolate and sweet bread.

**WIDOWED/DIVORCED/SEPARATED
 Christmas Party**

When: December 10th Time: 1:00 pm - ???

Address: 5743 Iroquois Dr. Horn Lake
 Potluck – bring a side dish – meat provided
 Bring a \$10.00 or less gift
 if you want to participate in Dirty Santa

“The Christmas Story”

2017 HOLY SPIRIT
 YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

We need

- ◆ Angels ◆ Shepherds ◆
 - ◆ Costumers ◆ Stage Hands
- And especially YOU!***

Rehearsals

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| Sunday* | November 19 | 10:45 am – Noon |
| Sunday* | December 3 | 10:45 am – Noon |
| Saturday (Dress Rehearsal) | December 9 | 9:00 am – 11:00 am |

*Lunch will be provided for all Sunday rehearsals

Performance

Sunday, December 10 - 6:00 p.m.

Any questions, call Annemarie Gaudet 901-828-0768

Or Jeannine Gaudet 901-828-0768

*****Come to the Family Life Center
 Immediately After Sunday Mass**



If you can serve in a ministry for the Thanksgiving Mass or either Mass for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, please sign up or call the church office.



Interfaith Thanksgiving



Once again we approach the holidays!

We want to share our blessings with those in need!

ALL YOUTH 7th thru 12th grade are encouraged to come and help sort and pack Thanksgiving Baskets for the elderly poor of our community starting at 3:00pm in the Family Life Center here at Holy Spirit this Sunday, November 19th. Pizza supper will follow.

We will need many volunteers to help distribute these 110 baskets to (elderly) needy families in the Hernando area this coming Monday, November 20, 2017 at 9:00 am.



Christmas Dinner Signup



The children of the parish have been rehearsing with Annemarie Gaudet and Mary Gaudet to put on a wonderful pageant called "*The Christmas Story*". You can see this pageant and enjoy a delicious Christmas Dinner with your parish family on Sunday evening, December 10, at 6:00 p.m. Ham and turkey will be provided by the church. Each family is asked to bring a **LARGE** dish. We want to make sure we have enough of everything. So don't forget to sign up and let us know how you will be helping. Volunteers to cook and cut up the ham and turkeys are also needed.

We have it from a reliable source that **Santa** will be there to visit with the kids and take their last minute requests. We always have a lot of fun and fellowship at this dinner and it is a blessed way to celebrate the Christmas season. Hope to see you there.

Jessica Smith has volunteered to be in charge of decorating this year. She will need lots of volunteers to help setting up the room, decorating, organizing and of course clean up for this event. If you are willing to help, e-mail Jessica Smith at jessicsmith@hotmail.com (notice there is no "a" at the end of her first name), or call her at 901-486-9555 or the church office 429-7851. Be sure and let us know what you plan to bring and how you are willing to help!!

**!!!! JUST ONE !!!!
TABLE, THAT IS**

We are asking your family to decorate a table for the annual Children's Christmas Program and Pot Luck Dinner. Make our Family Life Center more festive and fun, using your creativity and personality. You can come by during the week before the Dec. 10 program and decorate, or decorate on Saturday, Dec. 9, from 9:00 a.m. to

11:00 a.m., when the children will be there for dress rehearsal. If you would like to take part in this merry project, e-mail Jessica Smith at jessicsmith@hotmail.com (notice there is no "a" at the end of her first name), or call her at 901-486-9555.