

Fifth Sunday of Easter
April 29, 2018

"Let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth." 1 John 3:18

CALENDAR OF MASSES/EVENTS

Sunday, April 29, 2018

Fifth Sunday of Easter

8:00 am PreK – 5th Grade PRE Classes – Last Class
8:00 am Adult Ed
9:30 am Liturgy **Intentions of Fr. Paul Casper**
1:30 pm Farewell for Fr. Francois at CTK
7:00 pm AA & AI Anon

Monday, April 30, 2018

NO Liturgy
6:15 pm Boy Scouts

Tuesday, May 1, 2018

8:00 am Liturgy + **Bill Brown, Jr.** by: Lucy Holland
8:30 am Weight Loss Support Group
7:00 pm Men's Association



Wednesday, May 2, 2018

8:00 am Liturgy + **Charles Long** by: Diane Cullen
11:30 am Silver Saints

Thursday, May 3, 2018 – National Day of Prayer

8:00 am Liturgy + **Mary Frances Dunavant**
9:00 am Adult Ed
7:00 pm Choir Practice
8:00 pm AA & AI-Anon



First Friday, May 4, 2018

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

Saturday, May 5, 2018

9:00 – 12:30 pm First Communion Retreat & Practice
5:15 pm Confessions
Confessions available by appointment also 662-429-7851
6:00 pm Liturgy **For the Parish Community**

Sunday, May 6, 2018 – First Communion

Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:00 am Adult Ed
9:30 am Liturgy **Intentions of First Communicants**
10:30 am First Communion Reception
7:00 pm AA & AI Anon



Priest Contact Numbers:

SERIOUS SACRAMENT EMERGENCY ONLY 901-351-6591

All other needs 662-342-1073

CHILDREN'S HOMILY

April 29 – Allison Baskin

May 6 – First Communion

RELIGIOUS GOODS STORE

April 29 – Merrygen Currick

May 6 – Rose Powell

ALTAR LINENS MINISTRY

April – Rose Powell

May – Cindy Thomas

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, May 5 – 6:00 pm

Greeter: Lorraine Faulkner/Maureen Morgan

Usher: Tony & Julie Stefanik

Server: Landon Ellis/Cooper Sells

Lector: Liz Brown/Bill Marking

Gift Bearer: Helen Spencer/Jim Buechele

Eucharistic Ministers: Sam & Leslye Hall/Toby Goff

Sunday, May 6 – 9:30 am

Greeter: Ron & Shirley Henderson

Usher: Charlie Young/Dennis Fink

Server: Emma Mentgen/Maryn Ludwig/Laurel Ludwig

Lector: Ginny Stinson/Chris Mitchell

Gift Bearer: First Communicants

Eucharistic Ministers: Patsy Clark/Barbara Dean/Kathy Fink
Josephine Muzzi/Jessica Smith/Amanda Ready/Robin Brantley

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.

SUNDAY OFFERING



PARISH SUPPORT

Needed Weekly for Budget.....

\$6,094.81

Last Week's Offering\$5,216.57

Maintenance Fund Last Wk....\$1,868.00

Community Services.....\$ 115.00

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

ATTENTION YOUNG ADULTS a "grotto blog" for young adults has been added to our website provided by ecatholic. Check it out today!!!

Our Holy Spirit web address is:

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

FAREWELL FOR FR. FRANCOIS

This Sunday,

April 29th

1:30 p.m.

Christ the King

For all Parishes



The Widows, Divorced and Separated Group will

meet on Wednesday, May 9th, 2018 at Queen of Peace from 5:30 until 8:30.

The evening will begin with a time of reflection followed by dinner prepared by Fr. Thi and Bingo following the

dinner, please sign up in the Narthex. We hope to see you there for an evening of faith, food and fun...



This Thursday, May 3, is the National Day of Prayer. Pray for Unity in our Nation.

FOOD PANTRY NEED- Sugar Holy Spirit provides the sugar for our Food Pantry here in Hernando. We have a growing number of families coming for food. We have been facing a real shortage of sugar lately to meet this demand. This is an ongoing ministry. You may bring sugar whenever it is convenient. This food pantry serves the poor of our community. Matthew 26:11

God bless your generosity.

GRADUATION BLESSING - All graduates from Kindergarten through Graduate school will be blessed at all the Masses in all our parishes on Saturday, May 26th and Sunday, May 27th. Call the church office with your graduate's name.



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

SHEPHERD'S CENTER MAY MEETING The Shepherd's Center of Hernando will meet Thursday, May 10th at 10 AM at Holy Spirit Catholic Church. The Cedar View Pickers will entertain us! For more information call Barbara Cleveland at 662 449 1632. If you can help with food, please call the church office.



We have a beautiful church and we need your help to keep it picked up and cleaned after the masses.

Take a few minutes after the Mass has ended to straighten the books and check the area for trash.

No food or drink inside! This is our home and should always be clean and welcoming including our bathrooms!

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

Mental Health Care Reform in Mississippi Conference

St. Peter's Cathedral Parish Center,

Wednesday, May 23, 2018, 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Join us in Jackson for a conference focused on the continued need for Mental Health reform in Mississippi. Mississippi is currently facing a lawsuit for its lack of compliance with the 2009 Olmstead Supreme Court ruling which required states "to provide community-based treatment for persons with mental disabilities when... such placement is appropriate."

You can register for this important event online at catholiccharitiesjackson.org.

For more information or to register contact:

Sue Allen, Coordinator of Social Justice Ministry
Catholic Charities Jackson 601-383-3849 or
sue.allen@catholiccharitiesjackson.org



MAY CROWNING – the weekend of May 12 and 13. The children will have as part of the

Offertory Procession of the Masses the Crowning of the Blessed Mother and the presentation of flowers.

Families are encouraged to bring flowers from their yard to be presented to Mary.

Seriously Sick & Hospitalized

Please Pray For The Sick

Your prayers are requested for the following who are having/recovering from surgery or are seriously ill:

Corrine Patton, Emily Ready, Cil Johnson, Ronnie Sheppard, Tad Haas (C. Patton Grand), Rose Burgess, Art Cortesi, Bill Brown (Nancy), Hayley Hardy (Higdon niece), Tony Pangelina, Gilda Stafford, Sr. Antonienne Thoma, Marie Smith, Lee Smith, Andy Bill Whittle (nix nephew), Phyllis Pangelina, James Ferguson, Betty Kuhel, Rosemary Sabbatini, Joe Greenwell (Barbara Dean's bro), Rose Powell, Alice Quick (C. Menne sis), Barney Norys (Terry), Joseph Spence, Jared Smith (Liz Brown), Susan Terry, Mr. Thanh Pham (Fr. Thi's father), Jean Adams, Fr. Paul Casper, Debbie Gowen (Blount), Brenda Caruthers, Nancy Potts, Deanna Greer (Dean Niece), Gene Winters (Nix), Baby Asher Farmer, Ron Pickard, Ginny Skinner, Michael Williams, George Bonner, Joyce & Terry Cobb (Stafford), Mike Johnson, Tony Field (Maria Mitchell dad), Dennis Schwab (Powell nephew), Gloria Slonena (tully), Betty Brotherton (B. Martin mom), Melanie Brauss (Bill Gaudet's sis), Natalie Kane (Higdon), Kerry Helms (Higdon bron law), Pete Cervetti (Cass Douglas), John Foti (Muzzi Bro), Daniel Douglas (Jeffries bronlaw), Birdie Lewis (Felicia grandma), Kim Craig (J. Davis sisn law), Farris Jenkins (N Rachal bron law), Carter Brooks, Josh Bixler (Bill/Liz Brown's nephew), Sherry Vowell (Ken Hoover's sis), and Sara Hewitt (Marie Smith). 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).



HOW DOES PARISH REGISTRATION HELP THE PARISH?

Many ways. First of all, who is part of this community; who helps to make it what it is; who can the parish staff count on to help with the many significant programs and events in the parish. Then, of course, it helps to know how many families are 'part of us'? How many children can we expect to enroll in the first communion class this year so we can be prepared? How many children can we expect to enroll in Confirmation preparation? What can we expect from Young Adults? Are we addressing the needs of young married couples? Who are they? Should we have a vacation bible school? Who has what talents available for helping with many jobs needed for parish maintenance? How can we make a realistic parish budget? Will we have enough or will we have to cut some things out? With a small parish staff, many helping hands are needed.



Don't Delay – Register Today

PENTECOST CELEBRATION-

Sunday, May 20th at 4:00pm,
here at Holy Spirit.

Special celebration of all our six
parishes for Pentecost.

All are invited



MOTHER'S DAY TRIDUUM OF MASSES:

There are envelopes in the pews for you to include the names of your mothers, godmothers, and grandmothers (living and deceased) in the three Masses to be offered for their intentions on May 13, 16, and 18 at Holy Spirit .

MOTHER'S DAY BLESSINGS: At all of the Masses on the weekend of May 12 and 13, there will be a special blessing for all our mothers. We encourage all our men and children to accompany your Mom's & wives to Mass on that weekend.

Your presence will be their greatest delight and blessing.



CALLING ALL YOUTH!

CHRISTIAN SERVICE INITIATIVE (CSI)

Putting Mercy in Motion

CSI is week long, local mission service activity designed to help our youth realize that we do not have to go across the country to find people in need.

We will spend the week at the Sacred Heart Southern Mission's (SHSM) Volunteer House in Walls Mississippi.

Each day we will work alongside the staff of SHSM volunteer program helping clients in need. The jobs could be anything from building a wheel chair ramp to painting walls, from working on a roof to

installing a floor; we could be working at a thrift store, soup kitchen, etc.

WHO: Youth currently in High School.

WHEN: Girls: Sunday – Friday, June 3-8, 2018.

Boys: Sunday – Friday, June 17-22, 2018.

Deadline: Sunday, May 20, 2018.

Meeting: Wednesday, May 30, 2018.

(for parents and participants).

Call the church office for more information or to sign up.



First Communion will be celebrated on:

Sunday, May 6th at 9:30 am

We will have a reception following mass. If you can help, please sign up on the table in the Narthex or call Liz Brown 901-331-3419



Every child should be in class every year. Classes are offered for every grade k through 12!!!

We do not attend classes to 'get a sacrament'; we attend class to learn about our faith. Skipping the years after receiving first communion until time to prepare for confirmation makes it very difficult for catechists to provide all the teaching the students have missed by not coming to classes in between those years.

Confessions available by appointment 662-429-7851

WEIGHT LOSS SUPPORT GROUP Come join us each week as we support each other on our weight loss journey. Tuesday morning at 8:30 am for a weigh in and sharing. Liz Brown is our contact person for this adventure. 901-331-3419. **MAKE PLANS TO JOIN US EACH WEEK AS WE STRIVE TO BECOME HEALTHIER, HAPPIER PERSONS!!!**



NO CELL PHONE ZONE We remind all to please turn off all cell phones and electronic communication devices when entering the church buildings. The signals, even from a silenced phone, interfere with the wireless microphones of the church.





LET'S TALK - A gathering of post Confirmation teens through college sophomores. This group will meet to discuss topics of faith that are relevant to their lives as

young adults.

All are welcome. Bring your ideas, opinions and questions.

Next two meetings:

Wednesday, May 9th from 6:30pm to 7:30pm and

Wednesday, June 6th from 6:30pm to 7:30pm.

Topic: Justice is a Choice ---- At these two meetings we will discuss current justice issues in the news and how the church addresses them. Centering the conversation around the issue of justice, we will look at how God calls us to make our faith a part of our daily life and how we can put that faith into action.

YARD SALE SUCCESS

We did it again!!!!!!!!!!!!!! There are so many to thank for the successful sale that it's hard to know where to start. **First off to all who were so generous with their donations**, then the men and women who helped set up tables and bring down items from the attic and backroom, the women, men and children who unpacked boxes, sorted, cleaned, priced and organized, those who provided lunches for all the loyal workers, the cashiers and baggers the day of the sale, all those who assisted customers with their purchases and the men who took care of the kitchen. A very big thanks, to the Men's Association who provided the pork butts. The bar-b-que was delicious! We are very grateful for all that purchased our treasures and last but not least the good Lord who provided us with great weather!

I believe all of us who worked, formed new friendships and renewed others. We will probably all have a memory we will cherish from this event, whether it was a customer or co-worker or incident. We had workers from age ? thru 80+ and everyone had an enjoyable time. We had one worker from San Jose, CA and one from Washington State who came to help. In fact this year we made every effort to get a list every day of those that worked. The following is a list of those that worked getting stuff out of the attic, setting up, sorting, pricing, providing meals, assist sales days – whatever! Keep in mind some may have been able to work one day, every day, one week, provide a meal, etc. Each one did what they could. It took everyone to make this happen! **Is your name missing? Make plans now to be part of this blessing next year.**

Becky Abernathy	Ramon Almazan	Nick Bickle	Brandon Bonner
Christina Bonner	Cynthia Bonner	Liz Brown	Nancy Brown
Tijuana Buchanan	Tom & Paula Busler	Carol Chimahusky	Diane Cullen
Andrea Daves	Barbara Dean	Vicki Durbin	Lorraine Faulkner
Noreen French	Sal & Sarah Galtelli	Bill Gaudet	Don & Chris Greer
Shirley Henderson	Lucy Holland	Anthony Johnson	Dennis Johnson
Carmen Kreider	Mike & Pat Kuehnel	Bill & Nancy Marking	Andy & Cheryl Massa
Betty Mize	Josephine Muzzi	MaryAnn Nix	Theresa Perez
Merritt & Rose Powell	Cathy Powers	Necie Presley	Carolyn Ratz
Sarah Rauch	Ed Savage	Lynn Simmons	Ron & Theresa
Sheppard			
Barbara Smith	Sandra Spence	Helen Spencer	Barbara Wilder
LaRae Walgenbach			

Special thanks to those who helped – that are not even parishioners – Becky Abernathy (Tijuana's sister), Carol Chimahusky (Liz Brown's sister), Theresa Perez and Carolyn Ratz (MaryAnn Nix's sisters), Lynn Simmons (Kathy Powers friend), and Nick Bickle (daily mass/adult Ed participant) – WOW you guys are the best!!

One more big "THANK YOU" to the guys and gals that pitched in and packed up everything on Saturday afternoon and transported it over to Sacred Heart Thrift Store and broke down tables, chairs and cleaned up the kitchen. What a church family!!!!

Our total sales were:	Yard sale items:	\$6,555.15
	Cash Donations (to offset expenses):	55.00

Kitchen:	1,132.55
Expenses:	(488.60)

Total after expenses \$7,254.10

"WE DID IT TOGETHER"