

**STRIKING BALANCE IN OUR SPIRITUAL JOURNEY IS A GREAT CHALLENGE.**

The attributes of both Martha and Mary are to be admired and imitated. By sitting at the feet of Jesus, we learn to accept the challenge to be of service to others. Christ remains the one to imitate in our daily interactions with others.

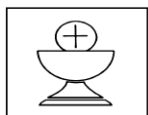
**LIVESTREAMING AT NATIVITY**

The Diocese of Biloxi will begin live streaming both Sunday and daily Masses from Nativity BVM Cathedral. Viewing of these Masses is available on the Diocese of Biloxi website, the Nativity BVM Cathedral website and on YouTube. Of course, Sunday Masses will be livestreamed from the Cathedral Church. Daily Masses will be from the Marian Chapel. This service is being sponsored by Bishop Kihneman and the Diocese of Biloxi for those who are ill, homebound or those who are unable to attend Mass. Please spread the word and take advantage of this generous service provided by the Cathedral.

**VOLUNTEER NEEDED FOR SUNDAY LIVESTREAMING**

A volunteer is needed to occasionally assist in running the live streaming from the Cathedral Church for Sunday Masses. Most of the time, the live streaming will occur at the 11:00 a.m. Mass. However, there may be occasional weekends when it takes place at other Cathedral Sunday/Vigil Masses. A simple understanding of operating a windows-based laptop computer is needed. It requires a generalized understanding of the parts of the Mass. A tutorial will be given to the volunteer. If interested, please call Fr. Dennis at the rectory at 228-374-1717.

**COMMUNION VISITATION**



Jesus says of you and me, “You are the salt of the earth”. No one should be deprived of the Most Holy Eucharist because they are homebound, elderly, have no means of getting to Mass and/or sick in their home. Sister Jackie Tarrant, RSM will gladly bring the Eucharist to you in your home. Together we can be “salt of the earth”. Sister can be reached at the rectory at 228-374-1717.

**WEEKLY ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Thursday Adoration is on Thursday, July 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.

**MUSIC FOR THIS WEEKEND**

ENTRANCE HYMN	#462
OFFERTORY	#311
COMMUNION	#434
SENDING	#597

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

<b>Mon Jul 22</b>	2 Cor 5:14-17, Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
<b>Tues Jul 23</b>	Ex 14:21—15:1, Ex 15:8-10, 12, 17, Mt 12:45-50
<b>Wed Jul 24</b>	Ex 16:1-5, 9-15, Mt 13:1-9
<b>Thu Jul 25</b>	2 Cor 4:7-15, Mt 20:20-28
<b>Fri Jul 26</b>	Ex. 20:1-17, Mt 13:18-23, Sir 44:1, 10-15, Mt 13:16-17
<b>Sat Jul 27</b>	Ex 24:3-8, Mt 13:24-30
<b>Sun Jul 28</b>	Gn 18:20-32, Col 2:12-14, Lk 11:1-13



**YOUR SUNDAY TITHING AND CONTRIBUTIONS**

Regular Collections	\$	8,757.25
Maintenance	\$	560.00
Capital Improvement	\$	806.10
Nativity Elem.	\$	904.00
Miscellaneous	\$	610.00
<b>TOTAL COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>11,637.35</b>

**Thank you for your generous contributions!**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Jul 23** Men of St. Joseph, 7:00 a.m. – SHC  
BINGO, 5:30 p.m. Bingo Hall
- Jul 24** **Cleaning Team “A”**
- Jul 25** Greenbriar Mass, 10:00 a.m.  
Thursday Adoration, 6:00 p.m.
- Jul 26** Mom’s Bible Study, 10:30 a.m., SHC

**NATIVITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWS**

Final registration is underway. If you didn't make it to the school on Thursday or Friday, please come by on Monday the 22nd between 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. to finalize your child's/children's registration. Reminder: any remaining balances from the 18-19 school year must be paid before you may register.

The final day of Summer Saints camp is July 26th. Thank you for a great summer!

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

The SVdP provides assistance each Tuesday from 9-11:00 a.m. For those wishing to make regular contributions, envelopes are located in the vestibule. We also value your one time gift! Your continued support helps to ensure SVdP is able to provide support for those in need.

**CATHOLIC MOM’S BIBLE STUDY**

Join fellow parish moms for a Bible Study/Play Group. This group meets on Fridays at 10:30 a.m., in our Sacred Heart Center. Children are welcome! Please call Keelin Cromar at 240-401-8236 for more information.

<b>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS</b>	<b>LECTORS</b>	<b>ALTAR SERVERS</b>
<b>Jul 27 4:00 pm</b> 1. Maggie Landry 2. Nanette Burke 3. Kalin Lloyd 4. Liz Joachim 5. Kathleen Coskey	<b>Jul 27 4:00 pm</b> Michael Bruffey	<b>Jul 27 4:00 pm</b> Veronika Landry Julia Landry
<b>Jul 28 7:00 am</b> 1. Joan Strayham 2. Nancy Powell 3. Linda Stewart	<b>Jul 28 7:00 am</b> Joe Powell	<b>Jul 28 7:00 am</b> Wyeth Stewart Alex Stewart
<b>9:00 am</b> 1. Jim Compton 2. Vicki Howard 3. John Brauchle 4. Traci Kessler 5. Michael Kessler	<b>9:00 am</b> Steve Theobald	<b>9:00 am</b> Tristan Davis Kingston Davis McKinzy Mathis
<b>11:00 am</b> 1. Robert Moniot 2. Linda Welter 3. John Sherman 4. Sarah Barhonovich	<b>11:00 am</b> Linda Bourgeois	<b>11:00 am</b> Brady Barhonovich Victoria Barhonovich
<b>5:30 pm</b> 1. Tricia Creel 2. Roland Creel	<b>5:30 pm</b> Mary Townsend	<b>5:30 pm</b> Samantha Sharplin Breanna Smith
	<b>CANTORS</b>	
	<b>Jul 27 4:00 pm</b> Dennis Burke	<b>5:30 pm</b>
	<b>Jul 28 9:00 am</b> Phil Frisby	
	<b>11:00 am</b> John Welter	

	<b>6:30 AM</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>
<b>Mon Jul 22</b>	Wayne Leckich	Nora Ziz
<b>Tue Jul 23</b>	Wayne Leckich	Doris & Gil Akins
<b>Wed Jul 24</b>	Wayne Leckich	Nora Ziz
<b>Thur Jul 25</b>	Gerrie Weldon	Stanley Dellenger
<b>Fri Jul 26</b>	Collins/Sims Fly.	Gaspar/Mary Pisarich
<b>Sat Jul 27</b>	<u>8</u> Jacinto/Norine Baltar	<u>4</u> Gabriel/Doris Kasovich
<b>Sun Jul 28</b>	<u>7</u> Wayne Leckich <b>11:00</b> – Betty Hilton	<u>9</u> <b>5:30</b> Collins/Sims Fly.

**PLEASE KEEP OUR SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Kevin Kavanagh, Carolyn Urbanoto, Heather Boudreaux, Phil Beining, Mable Viator, Buck O’Gea, Jennifer Fink, Nick Pass, Cooper Williams, Sue and Gene Daudelin, Lesa Walker-Kirkman, Rose Collins, Jerry Ellis, Lehmon Skrmetti, Annette Luther, Macklyn Holloway, Mary Wimberly, Candy Widener, Tiffany Whitehead, Holly Hill, Georgia Bellais Dominick, Marie Manning, Mickey Bradley, Cheryl Terry, Gwen Gollott, Greg Hotaling, Jack Joachim, Jr., Michael Zorich and Sr. Fatima Starks.

**From the Music & Fine Arts Ministry:**

**CHILDREN’S CHOIR:**

In the next week, we will be reaching out to the members of our Children’s Choir and their parents to arrange for those who can, to serve as the guest Children’s Choir for the Biloxi Diocese’s “Opening of the School Year – Mass of the Holy Spirit” Celebration. This Mass is scheduled for Tuesday, August 6th at 10 a.m. Currently, we plan to have a rehearsal in the late afternoon on Thursday, August 1st at 5:30 p.m. on the stage of the Academy of the Sacred Heart.

**WHAT CAN ONE DO?**

Please pray for our Children’s Choir and members of our Cathedral Choir and Cathedral Choral Society. Pray for their rest, renewal and continued answer to the call of this ministry. Pray too, that more will answer this call and join one or more of these programs.

**A MOMENT FOR HISTORY:**

In the development of Western Music, the “first” musical ensemble was the monks’ choirs of the Roman Catholic Monasteries and the early Churches in the later portions of the Dark Ages. As the Middle Ages progressed and the Catholic Church continued to grow and evolve, boys dedicated to the life of becoming religious – in the care of the church, joined the early “Religious Choirs” that had been previously ONLY men. As the boys became more and more included – the art formed became either: -all men, -men and boys, or eventually – all boys.

For more information regarding our Music & Fine Arts Ministry Programs - please contact: Terry D. Maddox, M.M. – terrydalemaddox@gmail.com &/or 251-406-1454.

**PRAYER FOR PROTECTION FROM HURRICANES**

Father, may all the elements of nature obey Your command. Calm the storms that threaten us and turn our fear of Your power into praise of Your goodness. Grant this, through Our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

**PRIEST CELEBRANTS FOR THE WEEKEND OF JULY 27TH AND JULY 28TH**

July 27th, 4:00 p.m., Fr. Sebastian, July 28th, 7:00 a.m., Fr. Sebastian, 9:00 a.m., Father Sebastian, 11:00 a.m., Father Sebastian, and 5:30 p.m., Msgr. McGrath.

**ST. PATRICK HIGH SCHOOL**

It’s not too late to apply for admission for the 2019-20 school year at St. Patrick Catholic High School. Our faculty and staff are called to educate scholars, train disciples, and support champions. To apply online or to learn more about the St. Patrick experience, visit our website at [www.stpatrickhighschool.net](http://www.stpatrickhighschool.net). For more information or to schedule a tour of the school, please give us a call at 228-702-0500.

**MEN OF ST. JOSEPH’S CLUB**

The St. Joseph’s Club meets every Tuesday morning at 7:00 a.m. The Gospel for the following Sunday’s Mass is read and discussed. This gives us a head’s up on the Homily which will be delivered at Sunday Mass. The meetings usually are completed by 7:30 a.m. We urge men to join us as often as possible.

**BINGO MANIA**

Doors open at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday. The following families are scheduled for July 23rd: Richards (Sally), Richardson (Debbie), Simnicht (Ron & Dusti), Smith (Scot & Alexandra), Snyder (Tommy & Alexandra) and Stanley (Robert & Remelyn). If you are unable to **attend, it is your responsibility to secure a replacement!!!**