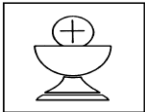


**GOD IS MERCIFUL TO THE FAITHFUL**

Faithfulness to God is blessed with grace and mercy. Jesus interceded for us, as Abraham did for Sodom, and salvation is ours through his cross. Righteous living, which is adhering to God’s commands and caring for one another, is how we embrace our salvation. Let us pray for one another and for those who may not yet know the Lord – that salvation may be theirs as well. For God is merciful to the faithful.

**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, August 1, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.

**FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION**

First Friday Adoration will be on August 2, 2019 from 8:30 a.m. until 9:30 a.m., in our Chapel.

**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.

**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.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

<b>Mon Jul 29</b>	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34, Jn 11:19-27, 1 Jn 4:7-16
<b>Tues Jul 30</b>	Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28, Mt 13:36-43
<b>Wed Jul 31</b>	Ex 34:29-35, Mt 13:44-46, 1 Cor 10:31-11:1, Lk 14:25-33
<b>Thu Aug 01</b>	Ex 40:16-21, 34-38, Mt 13:47-53, Rom 8:1-4, Mt 5:13-19
<b>Fri Aug 02</b>	Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37, Mt 13:54-58
<b>Sat Aug 03</b>	Lv 25:1, 8-17, Mt 14:1-12
<b>Sun Aug 04</b>	Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23, Col 3:1-5, 9-11, Lk 12:13-21



**YOUR SUNDAY TITHING AND CONTRIBUTIONS**

Regular Collections	\$	8,757.25
Maintenance	\$	1,291.00
Capital Improvement	\$	265.00
Nativity Elem.	\$	150.00
Miscellaneous	\$	1,802.00
<b>TOTAL COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>12,265.25</b>

**Thank you for your generous contributions!**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Jul 30** Men of St. Joseph, 7:00 a.m. – SHC  
BINGO, 5:30 p.m. Bingo Hall
- Jul 31** **Cleaning Team “B”**
- Aug 01** Greenbriar Mass, 10:00 a.m.  
Thursday Adoration, 6:00 p.m.
- Aug 02** Mom’s Bible Study, 10:30 a.m., SHC

**PRIEST CELEBRANTS FOR THE WEEKEND OF AUGUST**

**3<sup>RD</sup> AND AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEBRANTS**

August 3rd, 4:00 p.m., Msgr. McGrath, August 4th, 7:00 a.m., Fr. Sebastian, 9:00 a.m., Father Sebastian, 11:00 a.m., Bishop Kihneman, and 5:30 p.m., Fr. Dennis.

**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 30th: Stevenson, (Mark & Chere), Stoddard (Bryan & Kerry), Stoddard (Clay & Jody), Talley (Bart & Nicole), Tarrant (Gerard & Alicia) and Terry (George & Cheryl). If you are unable to **attend, it is your responsibility to secure a replacement!!!**

<b>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS</b>	<b>LECTORS</b>	<b>ALTAR SERVERS</b>
<b>Aug 03 4:00 pm</b> 1. Jim Compton 2. Sondra Ahern 3. Andrea Gilich 4. Gayle Mavar 5. Dale Dorcik	<b>Aug 03 4:00 pm</b> Jennifer Coon	<b>Aug 03 4:00 pm</b> Keegan Cuevas
<b>Aug 04 7:00 am</b> 1. Linda Stewart 2. Nancy Powell 3. Frank Hill	<b>Aug 04 7:00 am</b> Joe Powell  <b>9:00 am</b> Terry Simons  <b>11:00 am</b> Jim Shugart  <b>5:30 pm</b> Elizabeth Becker	<b>Aug 04 7:00 am</b> Wyeth Stewart Alex Stewart  <b>9:00 am</b> Chaz Byers Izabelle Byers McKinzy Mathis  <b>11:00 am</b> Blake Walli Kendall Walli
<b>9:00 am</b> 1. Vicki Howard 2. Belinda Corley 3. Judy Trahan 4. Sharon Tash 5. Maggie Landry	<b>CANTORS</b>  <b>Aug 03 4:00 pm</b> Elizabeth Cobb  <b>Aug 04 9:00 am</b> Peter Abide  <b>11:00 am</b> Rocky Long	<b>5:30 pm</b> Taylor Yassar
<b>11:00 am</b> 1. Sandy Steckler 2. Judy Steckler 3. Edith Richardson 4. Rhonda Clark 5. Susan Toch		
<b>5:30 pm</b> 1. Tricia Creel 2. Roland Creel		

	<b>6:30 AM</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>
<b>Mon Jul 29</b>	Wayne Leckich	Kathleen Curley
<b>Tue Jul 30</b>	Wayne Leckich	Jake Labella (S.I.)
<b>Wed Jul 31</b>	Betty Hilton	Gerrie Weldon
<b>Thur Aug 01</b>	Wayne Leckich	Betty Hilton
<b>Fri Aug 02</b>	Chester Balias Fly.	Glenn/Joyce Pizarich
<b>Sat Aug 03</b>	<u>8</u> Shirley Broussard	<u>4</u> Andrew/Jackie Gilich
<b>Sun Aug 04</b>	<u>7</u> Betty Lou Callegari	<u>9</u> F.T.P.
	<b>11:00</b> – Wayne Leckich	<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:**

**THIS WEEK** - 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. Once again, this year, our Children’s Choir has been asked to serve as the guest 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. The participants at the rehearsal on Thursday will have a pizza and soda treat at 6:15 p.m. and will depart at approximately 6:30 p.m.

**WHAT CAN ONE DO?**

Consider making an honorarium &/or a memorial contribution to the Music & Fine Arts Ministry. These funds aid in the financing of music for the various programs and for instrumentalists for special occasions. Those being honored &/or memorialized will be remembered in our Midnight Christmas Eve Observance/”Lessons & Carols” Service.

**A MOMENT FOR HISTORY:**

**(from Bach, Beethoven and the Boys) “....**

By about the ninth century the principles of Gregorian Chant were established as a sort of monastic etiquette, telling the monks what to sing and when and for how long. Guido of Arezzo was the one who figured out that the scribes would have an easier time writing down the music if they had the lines to guide them.”

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

**MUSIC FOR THIS WEEKEND**

ENTRANCE HYMN	#548
OFFERTORY	#650
COMMUNION	#491
SENDING	#535

**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

**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.