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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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| Mon | Oct 28 | Eph 2:19-22, Lk 6:12-16 |
| Tues | Oct 29 | Rom 8:18-25, Lk 13:18-21 |
| Wed | Oct 30 | Rom 8:26-30, Lk 13:22-30 |
| Thu | Oct 31 | Rom 8:31b-39, Lk 13:31-35 |
| Fri | Nov 01 | Rv 7:2-4, 9-14, 1 Jn 3:1-3, Mt 5:1-12a |
| Sat | Nov 02 | Wis 3:1-9, Rom 5:5-11, Rom 6:3-9, Jn 6:37-40 |
| Sun | Nov 03 | Wis 11:22—12:2, 2 Thes 1:11—2:2, Lk 19:1-10 |

CHRISTMAS CASH AND STOCKING STUFFER

As you may know we have recently experienced several thefts in and around the parish campus. Sacred Vessels from the cathedral and chapel, thefts from Fr. Dennis’ office, and pilfering in the Sacred Heart Center have all occurred. This is requiring a change of our locking system. To help alleviate the cost, we are having a **Christmas Cash and Stocking Stuffer Giveaway**. First prize is \$3,500.00 Christmas Shopping Cash, second prize is an Apple Watch 5 Series, and Third prize is a Nintendo Switch Lite. Tickets will be drawn on Thanksgiving Day. Proceeds from this fundraiser will help defray the cost of changing the locks. Tickets are now available!!

Tickets are \$30 each OR 3 for \$75.00! Please keep this week’s bulletin insert for all details. Thank you for your support!

CCD

CCD classes will be on Wednesday, October 30th. Classes are held in the Sacred Heart Center behind the Cathedral from 5:30-6:30 p.m. on Wednesdays.

On Wednesday, November 6, we will have a Saints presentation and we’ll invite our youth to come to CCD that day dressed as their favorite saint. More information will be sent home about this. As with every class, parents are invited to come to the Saints presentation!

RCIA

This week the RCIA class will be learning about the Mass with Father Dennis, and our prayer service will be led by Danny Williams. Please continue to pray for the Catechumens, Candidates and Sponsors as they are on this journey of faith together learning and experiencing the teachings and traditions of our Catholic faith. If you would like further information, please contact Greg or Penny Payne 228-365-6348.

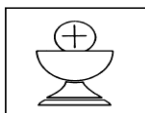
MEN OF ST. JOSEPH’S CLUB

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 heads 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.

END OF DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

Remember to “fall back” by changing your clocks to one hour earlier. Daylight savings time ends on Sunday, November 3, 2019 at 2:00 a.m.

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.

YOUR SUNDAY TITHING AND CONTRIBUTIONS

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| Regular Collections | \$ | 17,667.00 |
| Maintenance | \$ | 1,115.00 |
| Capital Improvement | \$ | 240.00 |
| Nativity Elem. | \$ | 136.00 |
| All Souls | \$ | 695.00 |
| Miscellaneous | \$ | 640.00 |
| TOTAL COLLECTION | \$ | 20,493.00 |

Thank you for your generous contributions!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Oct 28** Women of Mary, 5:30 p.m.
- Oct 29** Men of St. Joseph 7:00 a.m. SHC
BINGO, 5:30 p.m. Bingo Hall
RCIA, 6:00 p.m. in SHC
- Oct 30** **Cleaning Team “C”**
CCD, 5:30 p.m., SHC
- Oct 31** Greenbriar Mass, 10:00 a.m.
Adoration, 6:00 p.m., Cathedral

CONGRATULATIONS TO PAT JACQUET!

Pat Jacquet received the Lumen Christi Award on Saturday, October 26, 2019. Thank you, for your service and the light you share with Nativity Cathedral. Congratulations!

The ANNUAL MASS OF WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

The Annual Mass of wedding anniversaries will take place next Sunday, November 3, 2019 at 2 p.m. at the Nativity B.V.M. Cathedral. Couples celebrating 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65 or 70 years of marriage.

NATIVITY BVM SCHOOL NEWS!

If you have a second grader who will be making his/her First Penance, there will be a meeting on Oct. 30th at 5:30 in the school cafeteria. Pizza will be provided and Fr. Dennis will talk with the parents while the second graders make a craft in the classroom. We look forward to seeing everyone.

There will be a Mass for All Saints Day on Friday, Nov. 1st, at 9:00 a.m. in the school gym.

LITURGICAL COMMITTEE MEETING (DATE CHANGED)

In preparation for the upcoming Advent and Christmas Seasons, we will have a Liturgical Committee Meeting on Wednesday, November 13th at 6:00 p.m. in the Sacred Heart Center

BLESSING OF THE BISHOPS CEMETERY

On Saturday, November 2, 2019, both Bishop Kihneman and Bishop Morin will be present to celebrate the 4:00 p.m. Mass in commemoration of All Souls Day. Following this vigil Mass, the community will gather at the new Bishops’ Cemetery located behind the cathedral church for a blessing and dedication. Please plan on attending.

| EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS | LECTORS | ALTAR SERVERS |
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| Nov 2 4:00 pm 1. Deacon 2. Deacon 3. Jim Shugart 4. Barbara Ziz Nov 3 7:00 am 1. Marcia Mayfield 2. Colleen Kavanagh 3. Danny Kavanagh 9:00 am 1. Michael Kessler 2. Traci Kessler 3. Linda Bourgeois 4. John Brauchle 5. Jim Compton 11:00 am 1. Deacon 2. Marianne Sherman 3. John Sherman 4. Linda Welter 5. Robert Moniot 5:30 pm 1. Tricia Creel 2. Roland Creel | Nov 2 4:00 pm Jennifer Coon Nov 3 7:00 am Marcia Mayfield 9:00 am Liz Wilkinson 11:00 am Peter Abide 5:30 pm Elizabeth Becker CANTORS Nov 2 4:00 pm KC Arnold Nov 3 9:00 am Phil Frisby 11:00 am Peter Abide | Nov 2 4:00 pm Keegan Cuevas Nov 3 7:00 am Wyeth Stewart Alex Stewart 9:00 am Simon Randall Bryan Stoddard Arny Gollott 11:00 am Aiden Tarrant Brennan Tarrant Annabelle Tarrant Bailey Joy Tarrant 5:30 pm Sydni Wills Taylor Yasar |

| 6:30 AM | 8:00 AM |
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| Mon Oct 28 Adrianna O'Shea | Jacinto/Norine Baltar |
| Tue Oct 29 Chester Balius Fly. | Phong Tran |
| Wed Oct 30 Adrianna O'Shea | Vicki Gollotte Cobb |
| Thur Oct 31 Collins/Sims Fly. | Vicki Gollotte Cobb |
| | 6:00 PM.....Sr. Mary Jo Mike |
| Fri Nov 01 Doris & Gil Akins | Herbert & Bertha McDonnell |
| NOON... Bishop Joseph Howze. | 6:00 PM... Sr. Martha Milner |
| Sat Nov 02 <u>8</u> Doris/Gil Akins | <u>4</u> Thomas Andrews |
| Sun Nov 03 <u>7</u> Dec. Fournier Fmly. | <u>9</u> F.T.P. |
| 11:00 -Jerrod Kostmayer | 5:30 Collins-Sims Fly. |

PLEASE KEEP OUR SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS
 Harry Kostmayer, Sr., Nolan Broussard, Sr., Peter Skrmetta, Kay Semski, Kevin Kavanagh, Carolyn Urbanoto, Heather Boudreaux, Phil Beining, Mable Viator, Buck O'Gea, Jennifer Fink, Nick Pass, Sue and Gene Daudelin, Lesa Walker-Kirkman, Rose Collins, Jerry Ellis, Lehwmom Skrmetti, Annette Luther, Macklyn Holloway, Mary Wimberly, Candy Widener, Tiffany Whitehead, Holly Hill, Georgia Bellais Dominick, Mickey Bradley, Gwen Gollott, Greg Hotaling, Jack Joachim, Jr., Michael Zorich.

From the Music & Fine Arts Ministry:

CHILDREN'S CHOIR: Our November Children's Choir Mass will be held on Sunday, November 24th at the 11 a.m. – Special "Christ the King" Mass and Eucharistic Parade. We are participating in this special Mass at the request of our clergy. The Children's Choir will also share in a special Veteran's Day Concert to be given at the Armed Forces Retirement Facility on Sunday, November 10th at 3 p.m.

ADULT CHORAL MINISTRY:

"Gloria In Excelsis" – "GIE" – the Cathedral's Choral Society continues rehearsals on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. on the stage in the Academy of the Sacred Heart. We welcome any interested singers at any time.

"Cathedral Choir" – The Cathedral Choir continues rehearsals on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. We welcome any interested individuals who would like to sing with our choral family. Our next Choral Mass will be on Sunday, November 3rd on the Anniversary Mass followed by the 4:00 p.m. Mass on Sunday, November 9th.

A SAD NOTE: The Music & Fine Arts Ministry Family is truly saddened to learn of the passing of Sr. Martha Milner. Sr. Martha had been from time to time and most recently a member of the Cathedral Choir. Her enthusiasm was infectious, and she had a great love for music and the Music Ministry of the Cathedral. Her spirit and presence will be greatly missed! May her memory be a blessing ~ always!

For more information regarding any of these program/event offerings or any other aspect of our Music & Fine Arts Ministry Program - please contact: Terry D. Maddox, M.M. – terrydalemaddox@gmail.com &/or 251 406-1454.

MUSIC FOR THIS WEEKEND

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| ENTRANCE HYMN | #303 |
| OFFERTORY | #518 |
| COMMUNION | #456 |
| SENDING | #581 |

AN OAK TREE IN MEMORY OF GERIE WELDON

The friends and family of Gerrie Weldon, who passed away several months ago, have planted a live oak in her memory in front of the rectory on Howard Avenue. May it grow beautiful, strong and tall giving cool shade in the heat of life.

ALL SOULS DAY ENVELOPES

Please consider naming your deceased family and friends to be included in the Cathedral's Book of All Souls. All Masses, both weekday and Sunday, celebrated during the month of November will be for the repose of the souls of our beloved dead. Envelopes are currently located in the pews and will continue to be until the end of October. Simply put your envelope with your donation in the collection. **THIS IS THE LAST WEEKEND TO BE ABLE TO ADD NAMES.**

ALL SAINTS DAY MASS

Mark your calendars for the Holy Day of Obligation of All Saints Day, on Friday, November 1st. A vigil will be celebrated on October 31st at 6:00 p.m. Masses for November 1st will take place at 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m. 12:00 Noon and 6:00 p.m. All Masses will be celebrated in the Cathedral.

ALL SOULS DAY CEMETERY MASS

Our annual Old Biloxi City Cemetery All Souls Day Mass will take place on Saturday, November 2nd at 9:00 a.m. at the site of the Priests' Grave located in the north-western side of the cemetery south of the RR tracks.

BINGO MANIA

Doors open at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday. The following families are scheduled for October 29, 2019: Sanchez (Alvarez, Juanita), Simnicht (Ron & Dusti), Skrmetti (John Ernest & Dhiana), Smith (Scot & Alexandra), Snyder (Tommy & Alexandra) and Stevenson (Mark & Chere). **If you are unable to attend, it is your responsibility to secure a replacement!!!**

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.