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SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: SATURDAY 4:30 - 5:00 PM OR BY APPOINTMENT

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: TO INSURE SUFFICIENT TIME FOR ADEQUATE PREPARATION, COUPLES SHOULD CONTACT THE PRIEST FOUR, PREFERABLY SIX MONTHS IN ADVANCE OF THE WEDDING

IF YOU ARE CELEBRATING A SACRAMENT THIS YEAR, A RECENT COPY OF YOUR BAPTISMAL RECORD MUST BE PROVIDED TO THE PARISH.

(SATURDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 5:30 PM) (SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM)

(Spanish Mass-Sunday- 2:00 PM)

Fourth Sunday of Easter - April 22, 2018

TODAY, April 22

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - People of the Parish

Mass - 11:00 a.m. - Respect for Life

Spanish Mass - 2 p.m. - Increase in Vocations

PSR - 9:45 a.m.

MONDAY, April 23

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - Jimmy Speyerer

TUESDAY, April 24

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - Mary Jo Nelson

Wednesday, April 25

Mass - 5:30 p.m. - Delores Coomes

THURSDAY, April 26

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - World Peace

FRIDAY - April 27

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - Special Intentions (VNS)

SATURDAY, April 28

Mass - 5:30 p.m. - Special Intentions (Sr. Patricia)

Lay Ministry

April 28 - 29

Altar Servers

5:30 p.m. - Elizabeth Theriot - Emily Wallace

8:30 a.m. - Chuck & Faith Beamish

11:00 a.m. - Victoria Morehead - Maggie Roberson

Lector/Commentator

5:30 p.m. - Wally Powell - Tim Welp

8:30 am - David McHan - Cheryl Roberts

11:00 a.m. - Betsy Folsom - Jeanette Ledbetter

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

April 28

5:30 p.m. - Virgil Carter, David Wallace, Nan & Tim Welp

April 29

8:30 a.m. - Dorothy Brown, Lisa Conley, John Piazza, Tommy & Tracy Trichell

11:00 a.m. - Lito & Zeny Meer, Betsy & Bobby Folsom, Allyson Windham

Pray for --- The Sick in our Community

Judy McCollum, Don Ravetta, Charles Thompson, Jamie Dishman, Frank Joseph, Jim Conway, Bobbie Anderson, Jim Farrell, Karen Zwissler, Mia Isabella Calnan, John Brooks, Jodie Barnes, Kathy Grant, Belinda McKinney, Pamela Bull, Melissa Barker, Jerri Mocknick, Leslie Shannon, John Alford, Laura Uecker, Philip Vedros, Milton Farr, Rebecca Battalio, Glenda Daigle, Mark Reddy, Bonnie Bruce, Sharon Bowers, Sherri McBride, Mark Antoine, Mary Ray, Beverly Goodwin, Barb Price, Dana Faye Clausner, Jackie Rushing, Sharon Hanks, Walley Hipp, Frances Powell, Zoraida Sanchez, James Powers, Emily Jane Tucker, James Leo, Bob Slaven, Matt Holm, Gayle Parker, Marye Lou Lee, Enloe Kee, Ann Kerr, Lori Stevens, Debbie Welp, Bill Roach, Laura Thomas, Ashley Zepponi, Donna Carpenter, Marilyn Jones, Dolly Claypool, Scott Hughes, David Horner, Teresa Marshall, Greg Hull, Marty Cappaert Walley, Shelly Morris Hefner, Connie & Homer Greer, Lucia Brown, Linda Hull, Scooter Ward, Victoria Mekus, Al Brown, Patricia Thompkins, John Given, Wilma Boland, Lea Floyd, Dennis Gilman, Josephine Pratt, Larry Lucchesi, Joyce Reece, Darlene Smith, Sr. Patricia, Neely Hicks, Debra Vines, Anna Manning and Richard Smith.

Collection -

4/22/18 - Sue Fowler, Marsha Buell, Joan Clarke

4/29/18 - Myrtle Alvarado, Dottie Brown, Kathy Castellane



We gratefully acknowledge our Altar Flowers given in honor of all who volunteer and give their time and resources to our Church. God Bless.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS -

April 24th – 7:30 p.m. Rosary/ 8 p.m. Meeting
May 6 – 10:30 a.m. – Corporate Communion
@ St. Paul. KC families are welcome.
May 10th– NO KC Ladies' Aux. Mtg.
May 12th – Scouts Pancake Dinner.
Mary 13th – 12:30 p.m. Mother's Day Recognition Luncheon. No Cost.

The family of the Month is Charles & Pat Hahn family.

MEALS ON WHEELS - The Meals on Wheels will be the second Friday of the month, beginning at 8:00 am in the Parish Hall. If you would like to help in any way, please contact Carrie Meyer (601) 218-1007 or Jennifer Vincent (601) 529-3230. Thank you!!

CYO – 7th – 12th grade – CYO will meet this Sunday, April 22nd at 5:30 p.m. in Farrell Hall.

YOU CAN UNDERSTAND THE BIBLE – The Bible Timeline is a Catholic Bible study that can help you make sense of the Bible. Karla and David McHan will facilitate this program on Sunday mornings at 9:45. For more info, please contact Karla at mchanfam@bellsouth.net.

VICKSBURG CATHOLIC SCHOOL –
Alumni Banquet – April 28th
2018 Graduation – May 26th

JUST A REMINDER – when you change your e-mail, your physical address or your phone number, please notify the parish office.

THE RCIA PROCESS - We have entered into the final period of the RCIA process called Mystagogy. "Mystagogy" means guiding into the mystery. The mystery into which one is immersed through the sacraments of initiation is the unfathomable love of God in Christ.

The process of mystagogy during the Easter season, then, is the unfolding of this wonderful mystery, through the great fifty days and beyond.

This Wednesday at 6:30 pm we will explore the theme of Holy Orders. Fr. Robert will be our presenter. We joyfully welcome our new members - Dana Allen, Seth Carpenter, John Heggins, Suzanne Heggins, Madison Heggins, Amanda LaSalle, Olivia McMahan, Mary Owens and Joey Windham.

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE – We are here to help you and your family while dealing with the loss of a loved one. Volunteers prepare meals for parishioners who suffer a loss in their family. If this committee can be of help to you, please contact the Parish office. We are always happy to have new volunteers in this ministry. If you would like to help in any way, please contact Christy Middleton at 601-638-7398 or the Parish office

SPECIAL MASSES – don't forget that we have special Masses said during the week for your Intentions or in special memory of a loved one. The donation is \$10 and a card will be sent to let the family know when the Mass will be offered. Please call or come by the office.

FREE ROSARY REPAIR SERVICE - Send your broken rosaries in a padded envelope to: Betty and Dick Holden at 7930 Estero Blvd. #502, Fort Myers Beach, FL 33931. They will repair and return it to you within the week of receipt. Donations of old and broken rosaries are also accepted which will be repaired and sent on to the missions. Include a note indicating repair and return to me or this is a donation. Contact info is holdenbnd@gmail.com.

SECOND COLLECTION – there will be a second collection next weekend to benefit the Catholic Home Missions Fund. "Home Missions" is the name for dioceses and parishes in the United States, including its territories and former territories, which cannot provide basic pastoral services to Catholics without outside help. Basic pastoral services include Mass and sacraments, religious education, and ministry training for priests, deacons, religious sisters and lay people.

ST. MICHAEL SOFTBALL - Anyone 16 years of age or older who wants to play slow pitch softball for St. Michael, is asked to call Joe Loviza at 638-2117. There is no fee. League play starts in April.

CONFIRMATION PRACTICE – will be this Sunday, April 22nd at 5 p.m. All candidates and their sponsor or parent must attend. Confirmation is Tuesday, April 24th at 6 p.m.

ST. ALOYSIUS GIRLZ GROUP - and Families First in partnership with Vicksburg Catholic school is excited to invite all girls, in grades 6 through 12, to participate in a Self-Awareness and the Effects of Social Media day of Reflection. Mrs. Cindy McCarley, director of Warren County Children's Shelter, will be the keynote speaker for the day. Please encourage your daughter and her friends to join us. There is no cost involved just a desire to grow and learn. Date: May 6, 2018 - Location: St. Michael Catholic Church Time: 2pm-5pm - Please call Kara Doiron or Joan Thornton at 601-636-3445 if you have additional questions.