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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)

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME-

August 16, 2020

TODAY, August 16

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

Mass – 11:00 a.m. – Increase in Vocations

MONDAY, August 17

Mass – 8:30 a.m. –

TUESDAY, August 18

Mass - 8:30 a.m. -

WEDNESDAY, August 19

Mass – 5:30 p.m. –

THURSDAY – August 20

Mass – 8:30 a.m. -

FRIDAY – August 21

Mass – 8:30 a.m. –

SATURDAY – August 22

Mass – 5:30 p.m. – Respect for Life

Lay Ministry

August 22-23

Altar Servers

5:30 p.m. -

8:30 a.m. -

11:00 a.m. -

Lector/Commentator

5:30 p.m. – Tony Dardeau – Carolyn Bradley

8:30 a.m. - Joe Coccaro – Jeanine Hanks

11:00 a.m. – Fred & Kay Farrell

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:30 p.m. – Waverley Artz, Bill Bradley, Jessica Delk, Jennifer James, Launo Moore

8:30 a.m. - Cathy Blanche, Kathy Castellane, Karla McHan, Mary Wilds

11:00 a.m. - Karen & Mike Calnan, Ana & Brady Clark, Phillip Doiron

PSR CLASSES FOR ELEMENTARY AND HIGH SCHOOL are back in session.

Pray for ... The Sick in our Community

Judy McCollum, Don Ravetta, Charles Thompson, Jamie Dishman, Jim Conway, Mia Calnan, Bobbie Anderson, Karen Zwissler, Jodie Barnes, Kathy Grant, Belinda McKinney, Pamela Bull, Melissa Barker, Jerri Mocknick, John Alford, Philip Vedros, Milton Farr, Rebecca Battalio, Glenda Daigle, Mark Reddy, Beverly Goodwin, Barb Price, Dana Faye Clausner, Jackie Rushing, Sharon Hanks, Frances Powell, Emily Jane Tucker, James Leo, Matt Holm, Gayle Parker, Lori Stevens, Dan Welp, Bill Roach, Laura Thomas, Ashley Zepponi, Donna Carpenter, Scott Hughes, David Horner, Teresa Marshall, Connie Greer, Patricia Thompkins, Wilma Boland, Lea Floyd, Larry Lucchesi, Joyce Reece, Darlene Smith, Martha Martin, Dolly Moses, Margaret Jo Rose, Virgil Carter, Nick Verzwylvelt, Marvin Webster, Archer Samuel Baughman, Charles Trahan, Walter McCallum, Jonathan Greer, Buddy Irby, Nancy Lucchesi, Annie Mae Mahoney, Rosemary Gordon, Alex Baylot, Phillip Peeler, Avis Phillips, Bobbie Carlisle, Jacob Ingram, Kaci McWhorter, Bradley Barnes, Michael Goff, Joe Zelasko, Otto Clifton, Kimberly Stewart, Justin Gilman, Martha Smith, Michael Joseph Dow, Stephen Assenheimer and Richard Smith.

Collection – 8/9/20 - Regular: \$ 6,994.00.

8/16/20 - Carol Spiers, Joan Donovan, Ron Moomaw

8/16//20 – Jean Callen, Greg Hull, Jerry Roberts



We gratefully acknowledge the Altar Flowers given in loving memory of Homer Greer and celebration of Connie Greer by Laura McCallum.

SPECIAL MASSES – Each time Mass is offered it is offered for a special intention, i.e., in honor of, or in memory of, a loved one, or on special occasions such as marriage anniversaries, birthdays, or other important occasions. Mass may also be offered for things such as world peace, for more vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, in thanksgiving, or for an end to abortion. You may schedule them through the parish office. The stipend is \$10.00

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ADULT FAITH FORMATION - Please join us as we pray our way through the Sunday Gospel. We will be listening to what Jesus has to say to each of us personally and discuss what God reveals to us through His Holy Word. We will meet each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. in the Education Building.

STAINED GLASS WINDOWS - Two out of our four stained glass windows have been sponsored. The remaining two windows are the baptismal window and the mana from heaven. If anyone is interested in sponsoring a window call Fr. Robert at the parish office. The cost is \$20,000. You may sponsor a window in honor of or in memory of a loved one. You can split the cost with another person, or pay for a window over time.

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 601-638-3675 or the Parish office*

BEAUTIFUL DELIVERANCE, -an organization that helps people break the chains of addiction and become disciples of Christ, is in need of school supplies for the children of those they serve. They are also in need of masks for children, teens, and adults. Contributions can be placed in the box in the vestibule beginning next weekend.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS –

Rosary at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday night. 4th Degree at 7 p.m. Corporate meeting starting at 7:30 p.m. . All Social distancing guidelines to be followed.

This Year's KC Drawdown will be held on Oct. 11th It will be a "Virtual" drawdown with takeout food, Tickets are \$75 each. More info to follow.

We welcome our new members Ryan Cox and Steve Harking on the completion of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Degrees.

KC Knight of the Month for July is Bryan Brabston.

KC Family of the Month for July is the Jeff Eckstein family.

For more info check KC Facebook page.

BRICK GARDEN - Our parish brick garden is in NEED of some fertilizer!!! As I am sure you have noticed, there are lots of openings for new brick orders. Please consider honoring, memorializing or recognizing someone with this fundraising effort for our parish. You may download an order form from the website or pick up a form from the parish library. *A small brick is \$50 and a large brick is \$100.* Please contact Sharon Andrews at 601-636-7611 with any questions. Thank you in advance for your order!

RCIA —Curious about the Catholic faith? Know someone who is? Interested in becoming Catholic? If so, contact Cheryl Roberts at RCIA.st.michael.vicksburg@gmail.com <mailto:RCIA.st.michael.vicksburg@gmail.com> or 601.629.9334.

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

RIVER CITY RESCUE MISSION - Please consider helping St. Michael Catholic Church provide a monthly meal to the River City Rescue Mission. Since 2008 St. Michael has helped feed local residents once a month. If interested please contact David McHan (wdmchan@gmail.com) 601-618-9402 or the parish office.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION- One of our parishioners, Bill Nelson is offering his services as a Spiritual Director. Bill was a seminarian in the Jesuit order for ten years. He is approved for this ministry by our diocese. Anyone interested in Spiritual Direction or learning about Spiritual direction can reach Bill at 217-369-2335.

ANGELS OF MERCY – Provide assistance to new and expectant mothers in St. Michael Parish. If your family is expecting, please contact Lori Williams at 601-638-8448 or Evelyn Weaver at 601-415-9500 so we may keep your family in our prayers,

MEALS ON WHEELS – St. Michael participates on the 2nd Friday of each month beginning at 8:00 am in the Parish Hall. If you would like to help by cooking, boxing meals or delivering please contact Carrie Meyer at (601) 218-1007 or Ashton Hotard at (817) 946-0773. Thank you!!

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION – If you are new to our parish please register as a parishioner. Registration forms are on the library counter in the vestibule of the church. You may place them in the collection basket or they can be brought to the Parish office

CALLED TO PROTECT

In accordance with the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People passed by the U.S. bishops in Dallas, the Diocese of Jackson wishes to encourage any victim of sexual abuse by a member of the Catholic Clergy to come forward and begin the healing process. When an allegation is found to be credible, counseling will be offered, so that the healing process can begin in accord with our present diocesan policy. We encourage any victim to contact Valerie McClellan, victims Assistance Coordinator at 601-326-3728.

If you, or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic, or learning more about the Catholic Faith, please call Cheryl Roberts at 629-9334 or e-mail c.c.roberts07@gmail.com to inquire about the RCIA program.