

# ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: TO INSURE SUFFICIENT TIME FOR 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 and 11:00 AM

**OFFICE CLOSED** – The parish office will be closed on **Monday, July 5** in celebration of Independence Day.

## FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### **TODAY, July 4**

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Sick and homebound of our parish

Mass – 11:00 a.m. – Gaylon Owens

### **MONDAY, July 5**

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Tim Welp

### **TUESDAY, July 6**

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Special Intention

### **WEDNESDAY, July 7**

Mass – 5:30 p.m. – Blanche Irby

### **THURSDAY, July 8**

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Henry Zorn

### **FRIDAY, July 9**

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Nick Cocilova

### **SATURDAY, July 10**

Mass – 5:30 p.m. – Special Intention

## Liturgical Ministry

July 10 - 11

### **Altar Servers**

5:30 p.m. –

8:30 a.m. –

11:00 a.m. –

### **Lector/Commentator**

5:30 p.m. – Gwyn Neill and Joanne Wright

8:30 a.m. – Jeff Eckstein and Teri Vollor

11:00 a.m. – Chesley Lambiotte and Ann Roberson

### **Eucharistic Ministers**

5:30 p.m. – Sharon Andrews, Gayle Dolan, Tod

Dorbeck, Mary Stewart, Mike Stewart

8:30 a.m. – Tricia Bull, Susan Smith, Adrienne

Eckstein, Jerry Roberts

11:00 a.m. – Mary Arledge, Brian Lambiotte, Marion

Roberson, Ana Ruiz, Anita Webb

### **Please pray for the sick in our community:**

John Alford, Bobbie Anderson, Stephen Assenheimer, Esther Banks, Melissa Barker, Jodie Barnes, Rebecca Battalio, Pamela Bull, Madonna Bliss, Chris Callen, Bobbie Carlisle, Donna Carpenter, Scott Carr, Virgil Carter, Dana Faye Clausner, Norma Cocilova, Jim Conway, Michael Joseph Dow, Jacob Engram, Milton Farr, Lea Floyd, Kathy Grant, Connie Greer, Jonathon Greer, Cindee Griffith, Rosemary Gordon, Bob Head, Mary Martha Hilbun, Matt Holm, David Horner, Marci Houghton, David Hyde, Buddy Irby, Jodie Johnson, Jeanette Ledbetter, James Leo, Larry Lucchesi, Nancy Lucchesi, Thomas Lott, Teresa Marshall, Martha Martin, Judy McCollum, Belinda McKinney, Kaci McWhorter, Sister Patricia, Gayle Parker, Mary Parks, Phillip Peeler, Barb Price, Maria Olivo, Keely Ramshur, Don Ravetta, Margaret Jo Rose, Mike Ruggles, Jackie Rushing, Darlene Smith, Martha Smith, Richard Smith, Lori Stevens, Kimberly Stewart, Fronia Theobald, Louis Theobald, Patricia Thompkins, Charles Thompson, Philip Vedros, Marvin Webster, Dan Welp, Linda Williams, Missy Folsom Williams, Ashley Zepponi, Dennis Zwissler and Karen Zwissler

## WEEKLY OFFERING

**6/27/21 – Regular \$6695 Peter's Pence \$665**

### OFFERING COUNTERS

**7/4/21 – Marsha Buell, Joan Clarke, Sue Fowler**

**7/11/21 – Myrtle Alvarado, Kathy Castellane, Mike Lee**

*We gratefully acknowledge the flowers in the church this weekend given by Dennis and Anita Webb in loving memory of Wanda Webb*

### A PRAYER FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY

God, source of all freedom, this day is bright with the memory of those who declared that life and liberty are your gift to every human being. Help us to continue the good works begun long ago. Make our vision clear and our will strong; that only in human solidarity will we find liberty and justice only in the honor that belongs to every life on earth. Turn our hearts towards the family of nations: to understand the ways of others, to offer friendship, and to find safety in the common good for all.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

AMEN.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ACTIVITIES

July 6 – 6:30 Rosary; 7:00 Business Meeting

July 8 – 6:00 KC Ladies Auxiliary Social at  
Cocktails 101

KC Knight of the Month for May is Bill Ford

KC Family of the Month for May is the Jerry  
Roberts family

KC website: [www.ms-kofc.com/898](http://www.ms-kofc.com/898)

KC Facebook page: <https://facebook.com/kc898>

### VCS EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

St. Francis Xavier has **openings for teachers** certified 1<sup>st</sup> grade and 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Please contact Mary Arledge at 601-636-4824 or send a resume to [mary.arledge@vicksburgcatholic.org](mailto:mary.arledge@vicksburgcatholic.org) if you are interested. The Sisters of Mercy Early Learning Center has **openings for caregivers**. Send your resume to:

[katherine.emfinger@vicksburgcatholic.org](mailto:katherine.emfinger@vicksburgcatholic.org)

Each time Mass is offered it is for a special intention, in honor of, or in memory of a loved one, or for a special occasion such as wedding anniversaries, birthdays, or other important events. 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. We currently have a variety of dates available from which you may choose. You may

**SAVE THE DATE** – Vacation Bible School will be held at Vicksburg Catholic School **July 19 – 23**. We are in need of adult child protected and teenage volunteers. Please contact Joan Thornton at 601-529-4164 or

[joan.thornton@vicksburgcatholic.org](mailto:joan.thornton@vicksburgcatholic.org) if you are able to help.

**ONLINE GIVING** – This July 4<sup>th</sup>, as we watch fireworks and wave flags in celebration, may we also pause to solemnly thank God for all that our freedom allows. Many families may be away from home, but you can still support your parish while away with online giving. This **convenient giving option** is available on our church website: [www.stmichaelvicksburg.org](http://www.stmichaelvicksburg.org) Click the tab that says online giving. May God bless you for the love of our parish family.

**CHURCH MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION** – If you are new to St. Michael, we invite you to become a registered parishioner. Registration forms may be found on the library counter in the vestibule. You may drop the form in the collection basket or you may bring it to the parish office.

**ROSARY** – There will be a recitation of the rosary next **Saturday, July 10 at noon** here in the church. The rosary will be prayed to Our Lady of Fatima for her intercession in resolving some of the issues and problems in our world today.

**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 Erika Rojas, Victims Assistance Coordinator at 601-326-3760