



## ***Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church***

***803 Division St., Biloxi, MS 39530      228-435-0007***

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### ***MISSION STATEMENT***

***Building lives through one God, one faith, and one baptism  
while giving our time, talents and treasures***

***Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time***

***September 22, 2019***

#### **Staff:**

Pastor: Rev. Godfrey Andoh  
Pastoral Assoc: Deacon Richard Smith  
In Residence:  
Rev. Truong Trinh, Chaplain  
Secretary: Mary Beth Broussard  
SO / DRE: Cheryl Thompson

#### **Pastoral Council:**

Meets every 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday  
of the month

#### **Religious Education**

**Grades K-11:** Nativity BVM  
Sacred Heart Center on  
Wednesdays 5:30 pm

#### **St. Vincent de Paul:**

Wednesdays: 9 am – 11 am

#### **Mass Schedule**

Saturday (Vigil) Mass – 5:30 pm

Sunday Mass – 10:30 am

Daily Mass – 8:30 am

*Our Mother of Perpetual Help*

*Devotions: Tuesdays at 9 am*

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

by appointment

#### **Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick and / or emergency:**

Communion will be brought to anyone desiring to receive but unable to attend Mass for serious reasons. Please call Fr. Godfrey Andoh at 313-544-6330.

#### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Engaged couples should call the parish office at least six (6) months prior to the anticipated date of the marriage. At least one member of the couple should be a registered and practicing member of the parish for at least six (6) months.

#### **Sacrament of Baptism**

Infant baptism requires that at least one parent is a registered and practicing member of the parish for at least six (6) months. It must be the intent of the parent to actively raise the child in the Catholic faith. Contact the parish office.

#### **Funerals**

Contact Cheryl Thompson at the office as soon as possible to make arrangements.

## CATECHISM CORNER

The **Works of Mercy** are actions and practices which Christianity, in general, expects all believers to perform. The practice is commonly attributed to the Roman Catholic Church as an act of both penance and charity.

The Works of Mercy have been traditionally divided into two categories, each with seven elements: the Corporal Works of Mercy, which concern the material needs of others, and the Spiritual Works of Mercy, which concern the spiritual needs of others.

### The Seven Corporal Works of Mercy

- 1) Feed the hungry.
- 2) Give drink to the thirsty.
- 3) Clothe the naked.
- 4) Shelter the homeless.
- 5) Visit the sick.
- 6) Visit the imprisoned.
- 7) Bury the dead.

### The Seven Spiritual Works of Mercy

- 1) Counsel the doubtful.
- 2) Instruct the ignorant.
- 3) Admonish sinners.
- 4) Comfort the afflicted.
- 5) Forgive offenses.
- 6) Bear wrongs patiently.
- 7) Pray for the living and the dead.

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## MASS INTENTIONS

For the week of September 21, 2019

Saturday	Our Parish Family
Sunday	†Jayne Fournier
Monday	Our Parish Family
Tuesday	Jennifer Harrelson
Wednesday	Our Parish Family
Thursday	Our Parish Family
Friday	Our Parish Family

**\*\*If you would like to have Masses offered for a loved one or friend, living or deceased, please call the office. The stipend is \$10 per Mass intention.**

## PARISH CALENDAR

**September 23<sup>rd</sup> – Mon., 6 pm  
Eucharistic Adoration at  
Our Mother of Sorrows**

**September 28<sup>th</sup> – Saturday  
OMS Drawdown at  
Gruich Community Center**

**September 30<sup>th</sup> – Mon., 6 pm  
Eucharistic Adoration at  
Our Mother of Sorrows**

**October 3<sup>rd</sup> – Thurs., 6 pm  
Hour of Grace at  
Blessed Seelos**

**October 6<sup>th</sup> – Sunday; 1:30 pm  
Rosary, Mass and Healing  
Service at Blessed Seelos**



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## STEWARDSHIP

### Last Week's Collection

Collected: \$ 1,432  
Weekly Budget: \$ 2,031

### Year to Date Collection

Collected: \$ 25,121  
Yearly Budget: \$105,634

**LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE  
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST**

Sat., Sept. 21 <sup>st</sup>	Linda Carney	Janice Lee
Sun., Sept. 22 <sup>nd</sup>	F. Parker      K. Currie	M. Hardy
Sat., Sept. 28 <sup>th</sup>	Hurley Smith	Linda Carney
Sun., Sept. 29 <sup>th</sup>	K. Wilkerson   T. Craft	K. Parker

**LECTORS**

Sat., Sept. 21 <sup>st</sup>	Mary Beth Broussard
Sun., Sept. 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Gilda Sizer

Sat., Sept. 28 <sup>th</sup>	Elvira Mitchell
Sun., Sept. 29 <sup>th</sup>	Gail Esters

**USHERS**

**COMMENTATOR**

Sun., Sept. 22 <sup>nd</sup>	G. Duffy & F. Burney	Choir
Sun., Sept. 29 <sup>th</sup>	H. Hardy & M. Griffin	Choir

**ALTAR SERVERS**

Sun., Sept. 22 <sup>nd</sup>	D. Jones	S. Manning	C. McLendon
Sun., Sept. 29 <sup>th</sup>	K. Isom	M. Walton	J. Scott

**CHURCH CLEANING**

Sat., Sept. 21 <sup>st</sup>	Janice Lee	
Sat., Sept. 28 <sup>th</sup>	Sheryl Walton	Tina Craft

**\*\*For any questions, please call Johnnie Smith (Extraordinary Ministers) 324-4946 or Beverly Duffy (Lectors) 219-4628. Thank you for serving in this ministry!**

**Heritage Brick Walkway**

Bricks are available in two (2) sizes: 4" X 8" (\$100) and 8" X 8" (\$150). They are engraved using state-of-the-art engraving technology. Please pick up a brochure and an order form in the back of the church. Please return the order form and payment to the office.

**PLEASE TURN IN YOUR ORDER FORMS AND PAYMENT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**

**YOUTH NEWS**

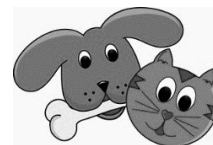
**Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> – Sunday; 4:00 pm  
CCD / Life Teen  
grades 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>  
Nativity Sacred Heart Center**

**Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> – Wed.; 5:30 pm  
CCD - Grades K through 5<sup>th</sup>  
Nativity Sacred Heart Center**



**Nativity Elementary  
Blessing of the Pets  
Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>**

Nativity Elementary invites everyone to bring their pets for the annual Blessing of the Pets on Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup> at 8:15 am on the school grounds. Rain or shine!!



**Living Donor  
Liver Transplant**

James Doug Vincent, the son of Eves Vincent, a parishioner of Blessed Seelos, is in need of a liver transplant. For more information, call Jennie Errigo, Living Donor Transplant Coordinator, at (585) 275-5875. Please pick up a flier in the back of church.



## **AN HOUR OF GRACE** **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00 PM**

During Hour of Grace, we adore His presence and open ourselves to His Graces which flow from the Eucharist. Abandon yourself to Jesus in this “Sacrament of Love.” He will refresh you! The more time you spend with Jesus, the more you will come away feeling renewed and healed! **Come join us for an Hour of Grace on Thursday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00 pm at Blessed Seelos Church.**

## **Blessed Seelos Church – Rosary & Healing Mass** **Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm**

Rosary and Marian hymns will begin at 1:30 pm followed by Mass and praying over at 2:00 pm. Included will be individual anointings with oil from the National Blessed Seelos Shrine and the opportunity to venerate the Seelos relic. Please come and invite all others who wish to pray for physical, spiritual or emotional healing.

## **ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS**



The annual Wedding Anniversary Mass will be held on Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 2:00 pm at the Nativity B. V. M. Cathedral. Couples celebrating milestone dates of 25 years or more are welcome to attend. This Anniversary Mass has become a tradition in our Diocese, and now, more than ever, is a strong reminder of the sacredness of married life.

**The deadline for registration by mail is October 14<sup>th</sup>.** Please note that forms will only be accepted by mail. Please pick up a registration form in the back of the church.