



Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church
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MISSION STATEMENT

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

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

June 14, 2020

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 1st Tuesday
of the month

Religious Education

Grades K-5: Nativity BVM
Sacred Heart Center on
Wednesdays 5:30 pm
Grades 6-11: Lifteen
Sun. 4 pm at Nativity Center

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 Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, also known as **Corpus Christi**, celebrates the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist—Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. The feast dates to the Middle Ages and originated with a visionary nun and a Eucharistic miracle.

In 1263, a German priest, Fr. Peter of Prague, made a pilgrimage to Rome. He stopped to celebrate Mass at the Church of St. Christina. At the time he was having doubts about Jesus being truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. In response to his doubt, when he recited the prayer of consecration as he celebrated the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, blood started seeping from the consecrated host and onto the altar and corporal.

Fr. Peter reported this miracle to Pope Urban IV. The pope sent delegates to investigate and ordered that host and blood-stained corporal be brought to Orvieto. The relics were then placed in the Cathedral of Orvieto, where they remain today.

This Eucharistic Miracle confirmed the visions given to St. Juliana of Mont Cornillon in Belgium. St. Juliana was a nun and mystic who had a series of visions in which she was instructed by Our Lord to work to establish a liturgical feast for the Holy Eucharist, to which she had a great devotion. After many years, she convinced the bishop, to create this special feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament, where none had existed before. Soon after her death, Pope Urban instituted Corpus Christi for the Universal Church and celebrated it for the first time in Orvieto in 1264, a year after the Eucharistic Miracle in Bolsena.

MASS INTENTIONS

For the week of June 13, 2020

Saturday	†Patrick Spears
Sunday	Amara Mason - Folse
Monday	†Linda Aytes
Tuesday	†Peter & Rosa (Luc Family) †Peter & Maria (Lien Ga)
Wednesday	Our Parish Family
Thursday	†Minh & Hoa (Peter)
Friday	†Thomas Skrmetti, Sr.

****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 NEWS

Mon., June 15th; 6:00 pm
Eucharistic Adoration at
Our Mother of Sorrows

Sun., June 21st
Father's Day



Bible Study will resume in
October. We hope everyone
stays safe and healthy!! We
will see you in the Fall!!

STEWARDSHIP

Last Week's Collection

Collected: \$ 1,296

Weekly Budget: \$ 2,031

Year to Date Collection

Collected: \$118,640

Yearly Budget: \$105,634

****There will be a special**
Father's Day collection next
weekend, June 20th / 21st for the
retired priests of the Diocese of
Biloxi. The pension/retirement
income sources have not kept pace
with inflation. Rather than asking
parishes to contribute more to the
endowment, the Diocese has opted to
have a direct appeal on Father's Day.
The annual second collection will
supplement the pension given to
diocesan priests of retirement age.
Please give generously to the Father's
Day Special Collection for the well
deserving priests of the Diocese of
Biloxi.

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

Extra Ordinary Minsters will not be scheduled at this time.

LECTORS

Sat., June 13th Myrna Rainey
Sun., June 14th Alphonso Staten

Sat., June 20th Elvira Mitchell
Sun., June 21st Gilda Sizor

USHERS

Sat., June 13th Mary Beth Broussard
Sun., June 14th Fred Thompson

COMMENTATOR

Choir

Sat., June 20th
Sun., June 21st Fred Thompson Choir

Altar Servers will not be scheduled at this time.

CHURCH CLEANING

Sat., June 13th Orelia Nunley Spears Family
Sat., June 20th Janice Lee and Family

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

ADULT SPIRITUALITY

We will be live streaming both Sunday Masses on

FACEBOOK LIVE:



Blessed Seelos Sunday Mass at 9:00 am

Our Mother of Sorrows Sunday Mass at 10:30 am

There are many resources that are available for personal spiritual growth during this time. Please visit our websites:

Blessed Seelos' website: **SeelosBiloxi.com**

Our Mother of Sorrows' website: **OMSbiloxi.com**

The Diocese of Biloxi's website: **Biloxidiocese.org**

Parish Youth Recognition



Ramon Fisher 5th grade at Nativity Elem. – Honor Roll

Arabella Jackson 5th grade at Nativity Elem. – Honor Roll

Semaj Manning 11th grade at St. Martin H. S. – Honor Roll

Cobie Martino -- 6th Grade at Nativity Elem. – Honor Roll

Landon Mattina 5th grade at St. Martin E. Elem. - Honor Roll

Lyle Ramon 3rd grade at Nativity Elem. – Honor Roll

JaMarri Scott 3rd grade at Gorenflo Elem. – Honor Roll

Jayden Scott 2nd grade at Gorenflo Elem. – Honor Roll

Ava Simnicht 4th Grade at Nativity Elem. – Honor Roll

Lola Simnicht 6th Grade at Nativity Elem. – Honor Roll

Congratulations to all for your hard work and great accomplishments!!

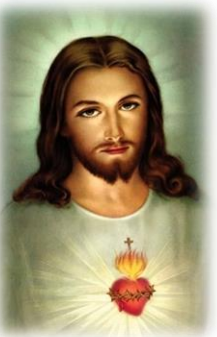
FATHER'S DAY MASS CARDS

The Father's Day Mass cards are in the back of the church. Please write the name of the father being honored on the large envelope, place your donation inside, and place it in the collection. Keep the card and smaller envelope to send to the person for whom the Mass is being celebrated. **** Please return the large envelope with the names so the Mass intentions may be kept on the altar during the month of June. *Father's Day is Sunday, June 21st***



FATHER'S DAY SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR PRIESTS – JUNE 20th & 21st

Beginning at age 65, priests of the Diocese of Biloxi who do not belong to a Religious Order are provided with a modest pension. The funds for this pension come from an endowment to which parishes pay a yearly assessment. There is also a small supplement to the pension from the Catholic Sharing Appeal. These pension/retirement income sources have not kept pace with inflation. Rather than asking parishes to contribute more to the endowment, the Diocese has opted to have a direct appeal on Father's Day. The annual second collection will supplement the pension given to diocesan priests of retirement age. Please give generously to the Father's Day Special Collection (June 20th / 21st) for the well deserving priests of the Diocese of Biloxi.



O most holy heart of Jesus, fountain of every blessing, I adore you, I love you, and with lively sorrow for my sins I offer you this poor heart of mine. Make me humble, patient, pure and wholly obedient to your will. Grant, Good Jesus, that I may live in you and for you. Protect me in the midst of danger. Comfort me in my afflictions. Give me health of body, assistance in my temporal needs, your blessing on all that I do, and the grace of a holy death. Amen.



DO NOT WORRY about anything; instead ***PRAY*** about everything. Tell ***GOD*** what you need and ***THANK HIM*** for all ***HE*** has done. Then you will experience ***God's PEACE***, which exceeds anything we can understand. His ***PEACE*** will guard your heart and mind as you ***LIVE IN Christ Jesus***.