



# ST. JOSEPH

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### MASS TIMES

Sunday

9:00 am, 11:30 am, 5:30 pm

Wed & Fri

12:05 pm

Tues & Thurs

5:30 pm

### SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Thurs

8:30 am - 2:00 pm

Fri

8:30 am - 12:00pm

### RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 4:30 pm - 5:25 pm

Thursday 5:00pm - 5:25 pm

Sunday 4:30 pm - 5:20 pm

First Saturdays 9:30 am  
or by appointment

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tues 7:00 am – Wed 7:00 am

### “My Word shall not return to me void”

The First Reading from Isaiah is a great image of how the Word of God works. Throughout history, God has given us many words. Going back to the very beginning in Genesis, God has revealed Himself to us. This has continued through the Old Testament with the Patriarchs, the law that was revealed, and the words of the Prophets and into the Time of Fulfillment with Jesus Christ. The prophet Isaiah gives us an image of Rain and Snow falling from the Heavens as does the Word of God. And once the water has been useful and helped plants grow offering seeds and grain for the production of more seeds or bread, then the water returns to the Heavens. These days, we know this process as evaporation. Our souls have to be like good soil where seeds and plants can thrive, or where the Word of God that comes to us from above can take root and really begin to produce fruit. As the Word goes forth from the mouth of God, and it shall do His will, achieving the end for which it was sent. The water from the snow and rains makes the fields ripe for harvest, but it takes work...real work to keep to reap the seeds and keep bread in the cabinet. May we have hearts and souls that are open to God's word so that we might be fertile and fruitful in our lives.

Peace,  
Fr. Jason Johnston

### MASS INTENTIONS

(+) Deceased; (SI) Special Intention

<b>Monday, July 13</b>	12:05 pm - Communion Service
<b>Tuesday, July 14</b>	5:30 pm - Holy Souls
<b>Wednesday, July 15</b>	12:05 pm- Special Intention
<b>Thursday, July 16</b>	5:30 pm - Thanksgiving - Zelecko Family
<b>Friday, July 17</b>	12:05 pm - Glenn Palmer
<b>Saturday, July 18</b>	5:00 pm - (Corpus Christi) Mass for the People
<b>Sunday, July 19</b>	9:00 am - Mass for the People 11:30 am - Mass for Priests of the Jackson Diocese 5:30 pm - Mass for the People

## STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION

July 5, 2020: Regular \$ 8,302.50 Online \$ 7,610.00

### REFLECTION

May our stewardship of time, talent, and treasure show us to be among those who have heard the message of Christ and taken it in, yielding a hundred - or sixty - or thirty-fold!

Visit our website to see how you can **give online**  
StJosephStarkville.org

## Readings for the Week

**July 13** - Monday

Is 1:10-17; Mt 10:34 - 11:1

**July 14** - Tuesday - St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

Is 7:1-9; Mt 11:20-24

**July 15** - Wednesday - St. Bonaventure, Doctor of the Church

Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Mt 11:25-27

**July 16** - Thursday

Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Mt 11:28-30

**July 17** - Friday

Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Mt 12:1-8

**July 18** - Saturday

Mi 2:1-5; Mt 12:14-21

**July 19** - Sunday

Wis 12:13, 16-19; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43

## FORMED PICK



Our Parish Code is:

HT24XG

## 33 Days to Morning Glory

Stage 1 of the Hearts Afire Parish-based Program offers individuals a quick and easy way to withdraw from the demands of daily life and enter into a peaceful interior reflection on their relationship with Christ in the context of Marian devotion.

**SIGN UP FREE AT**  
**FORMED.ORG/SIGNUP**

Here's what's going on this week at St. Joseph

**All Parish activities and meetings continue to be suspended until further notice.**

You can now view the live-stream of Sunday 9:00 am Mass on our new YOUTUBE channel. The link is posted on our Facebook page and on our parish website in the Links Section.

### Thought for discussion for the ride home

The seeds that fall on good ground produce a fruitful harvest. How can my soul be tilled in order to better produce good fruit?

**TOUR de PRIEST**  
Pedaling for Seminarians  
Down the Natchez Trace Parkway

**July 11-17, 2020**  
With Fr. Nick Adam

Tupelo  
Starkville  
Kosciusko  
Jackson  
Natchez

**TOUR STOPS**

Help Us Grow  
Jackson Seminarian  
**Homegrown Harvest**  
GALA



### Sign-Ups for Sunday Mass

Sign-ups for Sunday Mass are available on the St. Joseph Facebook page and St. Joseph website. New signups for the upcoming Sunday will be posted every Wednesday afternoon.

## Annunciation Catholic School

ACS is accepting applications for the following positions:  
Kindergarten Assistant Teacher  
After Hours Staff - Columbus

To apply visit our website at  
[www.annunciationcatholicsschool.org](http://www.annunciationcatholicsschool.org)

Summer Office Hours  
July 13th - July 24th 8:00-1:00 (M-F)  
July 27th - July 31st 8:00-4:00 (M-F)

August 3rd Normal Office Hours Begin 7:30 3:30 (M-F)

Prayers for Parishioners

Robert Wolverton, Sr.  
 Emily Jones  
 John Andol  
 Mary Sowers  
 Peter Franco  
 Flo Henley  
 Rose Fischer  
 Anmarie Palmer  
 Maria Elena Cristova  
 George Sills  
 Ronnie Puckett  
 Lea Pitre  
 Tim Bastow  
 Diane Crutchfield  
 Edwina Hogue  
 Lee Ann Wilson  
 Joe & June Schmidt  
 Duane Aultman  
 Twila Alpe  
 Dan Ryder  
 Joel Okula  
 Dan Stumpf  
 Mary Beth Moore  
 Barbara Clynych  
 Kathryn Randall  
 Ana Maria Lopez  
 Robert Harris  
 John Simpson  
 Al Baca  
 Patricia Raines  
 Jason Rollins  
 Susan & Virginia Brown  
 Dianna & Kolten Janus  
 Jane Ammerman  
 Charley Joel  
 Kathy Winston  
 Jane Bell  
 Lainie Anthony  
 Hugh Comish  
 Tara Puckett  
 Dee Cook  
 Barbara Setaro

Prayers for Families and Friends of Parishioners

Brian Engelland: friend of Dawn McGinley and Lea Pitre  
 Kim Corroero Fandell: daughter of John and Cloria Corroero  
 Matthew Cini: son of Peggy Cini  
 Jean Thraillkill, Jim McCoy, Edgar L. Miller and Asa Cistrunk; friends of Felecia Miller-Beber  
 Ellen Kanatzar: mother of Meg Ferguson  
 John Haug: friend of Ronnie Puckett  
 Bobby & Lynn Martin: friends of Ethan Seal  
 Brian McKee: brother of Jay McKee  
 Abraham & Bobbie Potts: friends of a parishioner  
 Jacob Weber: brother-in-law of Mark and Karen Lilly  
 Deanne and Henry Coolidge: relatives of Barbara Frank  
 John and Lois Riske: parents of Sarah Twietmeyer  
 Deborah Cox: sister-in-law of Hillary Smith  
 Myra and Bob Fritzius: friends of Barbara Frank  
 Susan Griffin: friend of Jeri Mangum  
 Stan Rodgers: friend of Dennis & Deborah Reginelli  
 John Reginelli: brother of Dennis Reginelli  
 Kyle Williams and Wanda Box: friends of John and Jeanne Marszalek  
 Ledge McDowell: brother-in-law of David and Mike Reese  
 Maggie Reedy: niece of Mary June Lavelle  
 Dave Hogue: relative of Robin Pigg  
 Mike Buisson: friend of Robin Pigg  
 Sara Wilson: sister-in-law of Beverly Wilson  
 Kim Coenen and John Lord: friends of Beverly Wilson  
 Vic "Sarge" Nickels: friend of David Darce

Denise Kidd: former parishioner and friend of Katy Richey  
 John B. Lane, III: uncle of Dianna Janus  
 Alexander Rosener & family: brother of Dianna Janus  
 Logan McPhail: grandfather of Laura McPhail  
 Mary Kay Collins: sister of Barbara Setaro & Rich Herschede  
 Bernie McGinley: father of Deacon John  
 Lisan Woods and Marilyn Muse: friends of Mary Lavelle  
 Donnie Buckner & family: friends of parishioner  
 Edmund and Shirley Blancher: uncle & aunt of Kathryn Barbier  
 Charles Gerald: brother of Hugh Gerald  
 Larry Priest: friend of parishioner  
 Ida Harrell: friend of parishioner  
 Catherine and Michael: sister and brother of Trish Auel  
 Jon Walker and Carly: friends of Tim Bastow  
 Stefanie Zadravec, LS Wills, Mary Hellen & Chloe Zamiela, and T. Moore: friends of Demi Dunne  
 Cody Ray Slaughter: friend of Jack Day  
 Michael Goff: friend of Susan Brown  
 Monica Monts: sister-in-law of Dave & Barbara Monts  
 Muse Davis: brother-in-law of John & Gloria Corroero; husband of Linda Davis  
 Carol Reese: sister of David & Mike Reese  
 The Burnham family: friends of a parishioner  
 Chris Coleman & family: friends of a parishioner  
 George Bond: relative of Melissa Follett  
 The Dakhllalla family: friends of the Folletts  
 Eugene Sheehan: friend of Joel Okula

Gizela Jalocha: mother of Bo Haupt  
 Mary Delaney Hall: niece of Mark Janus  
 Mary Lynn McKee: sister of Jay & Laura McKee  
 Pat Wilkes: sister of Liz Rook and Barbara Coats  
 Kyle Williams & Hector Mula: friends of John & Jean Marszalek  
 Gary Dildy: cousin of Kathryn Barbier  
 The Shippel family: friends of the Keiths  
 Jean Kelley: sister of Mary June Lavelle  
 Bob Nadorff: father of Michael Nadorff  
 Bob Lambert: brother of Mary McCoy  
 Gary Keith: father of Jason Keith  
 Walter Stewart: father of Sarah Nedoff  
 Dan Reese: brother of David Reese  
 Barbara Brown: mother of Robin O'Nan  
 Margaret Williams: aunt of Tamara Allen  
 Dawn Repta: cousin Gregg Twietmeyer  
 Walker Scrivner: friend of Gregg Twietmeyer  
 Family of Rebecca Howell Trevino: cousin of Margaret Ann Chandler  
 Cindy Pittman: daughter of Wil & Judy White  
 Mike Delouche: son of Curt & Shirley Delouche  
 Greg Bevill: son of Amelia Bevill  
 William Stephens, Melinda Redwine & Brenda Sisson: friends of Jimmy & Patti Abraham  
 Fr. Robert Dalton: friend of Al Baca  
 Conor Moran: nephew of Barbara & David Monts  
 Lyn Barbier: mother of Kathryn Barbier  
 José Solorzano: father of Fr. Mario

Prayers for our soldiers

Adam Fuhrmann  
 Christian Bondi  
 Ryan Mangum  
 Matt Savage

Conor Mangum  
 Cory Delouche  
 Robert Elias  
 Clayton Eckler

Prayers for our seminarians

Dcn. Cesar Sanchez  
 Carlisle Beggerly  
 Ryan Stoer

Dcn. Andrew Nguyen  
 Andrew Bowden  
 Tristan Stovall

Will Foggo

**Prayer to St. Michael**

Saint Michael the Archangel defend us in battle.  
 Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.  
 May God rebuke him, we humbly pray  
 and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host,  
 By the power of God,  
 Thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits  
 Who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.  
 Amen