

St. Joseph's News

*Special collection envelopes may still be turned in this weekend for Catholic Relief Services.*

At all Masses celebrated at St. Joseph Church, please remember to observe social distancing and sit together in your family group. Allow 6 feet of distance between your family and others. Every other pew is marked off. Hand sanitizer is available at both entrances. Wearing a face mask is strongly recommended. Ushers will not take up collection. Baskets will be set up at the entrance. You may place all donations in the same basket (regular collection, special building fund envelope or as designated on your check)). Please practice social distancing in the communion line and exiting the church at the end of Mass. At this time, altar servers will not be needed.

The faithful continue to be dispensed from the obligation to participate in Mass. If you are vulnerable, continue to remain at home for as long as you need. If you are sick, please stay home. Your cooperation will help all of us to celebrate together as a faith community.

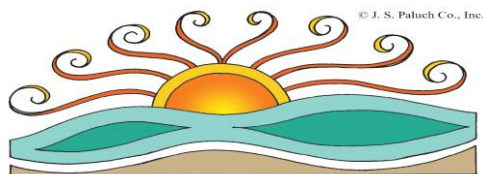
**Mass** will continue to be live-streamed from St. Joseph at **10 a.m.** each Sunday on the St. Joseph Facebook page.

You may still go to [www.stjosephmosspoint.com](http://www.stjosephmosspoint.com) to view copies of the weekly bulletin.

**Copies of the missalette are available in the entrance of church. Please take one and put your family's name on it. This will be your copy to bring to church each weekend.**

**DAILY MASS** will be celebrated in the church (Tuesday – Friday) at 8 a.m.

**HEAVENLY HOUSEKEEPERS** for **June 20 – Team # 3**  
Linda Huy and Judie Sellars

**FREE CATHOLIC VIRTUAL VBS**Summer Faith Adventure

This week long summer VBS provides an opportunity for families to create a backyard vacation bible school experience for their younger children (includes videos, games, activities, coloring pages, and fun recipes). and **easy** so the older kids can run it for the younger ones. Choose from one of the three week programs: **June 15-19, June 22-26, or July 20-24**. Read about it and sign up at: <https://www.holyheroes.com/Summer-Faith-Adventure-Catholic-VBS-s/110.htm>

St. Ann's News**DATES TO REMEMBER**

Sundays – **NO CCD & RCIA**

**We will have a 6 pm Vigil Mass on Saturday, 8 am Mass on Sunday, and 7 pm Mass on Wednesday**

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**Father will also continue to celebrate Mass each Sunday via Facebook LIVE at St. Ann at 8 am.**

Deacon Frank will be available to the elderly and vulnerable after mass by appointment to receive the Holy Eucharist. Please let him know ahead of time if you need him.

**New Copies of the missalette are available in the entrance of church. Please take one and put your family's name on it. This will be your copy to bring to church each weekend.**

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

We are seeing more clients right now. If you would like to help by making a monetary or food donation. They may be dropped off on Wednesday from 9 am – 1 pm.

**FIRST COMMUNION  
TODAY AT ST. ANN**

Congratulations to those who have prepared to receive Jesus for the first time today:  
**Tommy O'Bryant, Krebs Goff, Anna Kate Lennep and Foster Lennep.**

**FATHER'S DAY COLLECTION**

The special collection next weekend is to supplement the pension given to diocesan Priests of retirement age. This collection is important to our retired Priests. Priests of the Diocese of Biloxi who do not belong to religious orders are provided with a modest pension in their golden years by an endowment to which parishes pay a yearly assessment. In addition, Priests who are seniors receive a small pension supplement from the Catholic Sharing Appeal. The proceeds from this special Father's Day collection will be used to increase the Diocese's pension supplement.

**TRUST IN JESUS**

Today’s feast celebrates another central mystery of our faith—the mystery of the Eucharist. Like the mystery of the Trinity, the real presence of the Body and Blood of Christ in the Eucharist can never be fully understood, but can only be believed. Just as the Israelites in the desert were invited to put their trust in God’s word to them, we are invited to trust wholly in the word of Jesus. In today’s Gospel Jesus promises to give us a share in his very own flesh and blood, and a share in eternal life besides. We are called to take him at his word and open our hearts to receive true nourishment and life from our participation in the Eucharist.

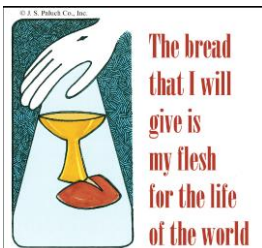
**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Never forget the LORD your God, who brought you out of slavery and fed you with manna in the desert (Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a).

**Psalm** — Praise the Lord, Jerusalem (Psalm 147).

**Second Reading** — Because the loaf of bread is one, we who partake of it, though we are many, are one body (1 Corinthians 10:16-17).

**Gospel** — Jesus said to the crowds, “I am the living bread; whoever eats this bread will live forever”



**STAFF OF LIFE**  
Bread is the staff of life.  
—English saying

Originally this feast was on the Thursday after Trinity Sunday, but after the calendar reform of 1970, its title was expanded from “Corpus Christi” to “The Body and Blood of Christ” and moved to the Sunday after Trinity Sunday. Even though Easter season ended two weeks ago, this beautiful feast is aglow with Easter light.

**COLLECTIONS for June 6 - 7**

**ST. JOSEPH**

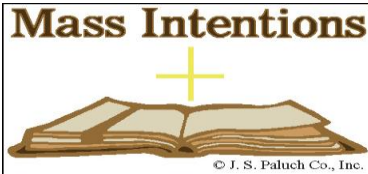
Regular Collection – \$ 3,909.00  
Building Fund – \$ 157.00  
Catholic Relief Services – \$ 45.00

**ST. ANN**

Regular Collection – \$ 1,629.25  
Building Fund – \$ 88.00

**UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTION**

**June 20 – 21 – Special Father’s Day Collection for Diocesan Priest Supplemental**



- Saturday – Elarry Brumfield, Sr. (RIP)  
Elarry Brumfield, Jr. (RIP)  
Robbie Guardia (RIP) St. Ann
- Sunday — Dolores Green (RIP)
- Tuesday – Norma Welch (RIP)
- Wednesday – Mrs. Alsip (RIP)
- Thursday – Maria Ngat (RIP)
- Friday – Lynn McElroy (RIP)

**MASS REQUESTS** – If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for the intention of a loved one, a special occasion, or a deceased friend or family member, envelopes are available in the vestibule or you may call or mail your request to the parish office.

*Lord Jesus, who went about doing good and healing, bless our family and friends who are sick. Give them strength in body, courage in spirit, and patience in pain. If you would like to add someone to this list, please call the parish office.*



Arthur Trochesset, Barbara N. Thomas, Audria Viers, the Holt family, Janet Wells, Nicole Mary Green, Effie Williams, Gary Brown, Kelly Chamberlain, George Hinkel, Eva Hinkel, Wanda St. Andrie, Laurie Laffery, Steve Martinez, Glenda Jackson, Charles Pinkney, Tom Browning, Judy Smith, Susan George, Jane Norton, Nikki Hans, Gloria Long, Linda Huy, Conner Driscoll, Amsley Goodings, Tenny Henderson, Ellen Scheeler, Lara Lander, Inge Bellone, Nathan Rowe, Anita Matthews, Denny Denmark, Tim and Annette Spiriti, Ron Hudson, Joan and Kermit Loupe, Deborah Green, Kenneth Hoskins, Greg Davidson, Barbara Easley, Bruce Merrill, Elma Carter, Karen Zettler, Christi Seely, Betty Bodden, Tony Garriga, Heather Huy, Bill Massey, Doris Batte, Terri Byrd, Lynn Roberts, Roun McNeal, Kitty Griffin, Karen Freeman, James and Kay Gully, Pat McAdams, Norman Jardine, Allen Elmore, Mary McMahan, Gwen Blackledge, the first communicants, all those affected by the coronavirus, all those providing essential services, our faith communities, the unemployed, the unborn, healing for our country, the family of Robbie Guardia, all the faithful departed, the poor souls in purgatory, and all military personnel stationed in harm’s way.

**CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION**  
The special collection originally scheduld for March 21-22, 2020 is still in progress. Envelopes are available in the pews. All funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ’s love and mercy to all people here and abroad. Please give generously and **help Jesus in disguise**. To learn more visit [www.usccb.org/catholic-relief](http://www.usccb.org/catholic-relief)