



Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**October 12, 2014**



## Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church

228 South Beach Boulevard ~ Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

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**Pastor: Reverend Michael P. O'Connor**

**Deacons: Mike Harris & Eddie Renz**

### Our Mission Statement

Our Lady of the Gulf Parish was established in 1847 for the Salvation of Souls (Matthew 6:20)  
and the Greater Glory of God (1 Corinthians 10:31).

*Come to worship—leave to serve!*

### Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 p.m.

(4:00 p.m. in Winter)

Sunday: 8 & 10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Every Weekday: 7:00 a.m.

Monday, Thursday & Friday at 8:15 a.m.

Tuesdays: 6:00 p.m.

Wednesdays: 5:30 p.m.

Saturdays: 7:30 a.m.

### Confession Schedule

◆ One hour before Saturday Vigil Mass

◆ 30 minutes prior to all Sunday Masses

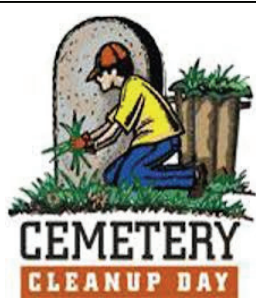
◆ 30 minutes prior to the Tuesday &  
Wednesday evening Masses

◆ 30 minutes prior to the Monday, Thursday and  
Friday 8:15 a.m. Masses

◆ 30 minutes prior to Saturday morning Mass

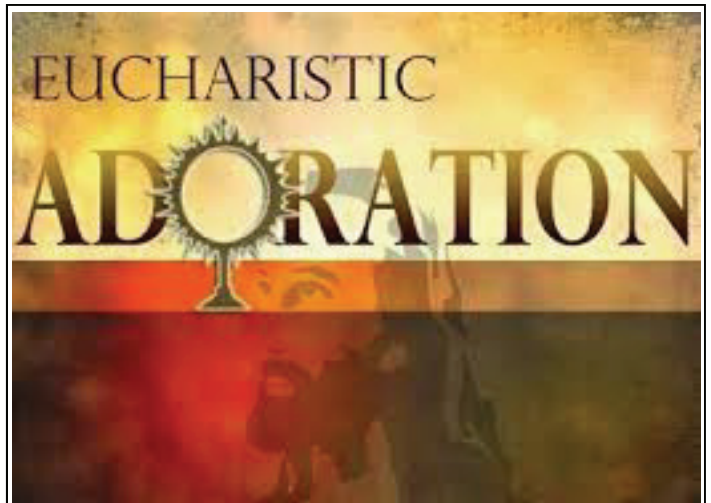
*Other times by appointment*

*Communal Penance celebrations held during Advent and Lent*



**ST. MARY  
CEMETERY CLEAN UP  
SATURDAY,  
OCTOBER 18TH  
8:00 AM—12 NOON**

Please join us on Saturday,  
October 18th from 8 a.m.  
till noon in preparation for All Souls and All  
Saints Days. We will provide cold water and  
garbage bags. Please bring rakes, weed  
eaters, mowers, and any other tools you  
might want to use. If you cannot be there on  
that day, come any day you can to pitch in.



List of available hours inside bulletin →  
please consider taking an hour.

**New Parishioners:** To register call the parish office and request a parish registration form or download our parish registration form from our website at [www.olgchurch.net](http://www.olgchurch.net).

**Baptisms:** The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated the third Sunday of each month after the 10:30 a.m. Mass. At least one parent or guardian must be (or become) a regular attending member of OLG parish. Non-parishioners who wish to have their child baptized here must provide a letter from their pastor. Parents and Godparents are required to attend a "baptism class". (Visitors may attend class at their home parish). We offer the class the first Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the Catholic Life Center. Godparents must be at least 16 years old, confirmed Catholics, who practice the faith. At least one Godparent is needed.

**Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:** Those who are seriously ill should be given the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick as soon as possible. Communal celebrations are held during Advent and Lent.

**Sacrament of First Holy Communion:** The First Communion program of OLG parish is now be a 2-year program (1st and 2nd grades). Please contact Kathleen LeBlanc for info or questions.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Arrangements for weddings must be made at least six months ahead of time. A pre-marriage preparation program and individual counseling with the parish priest are required for all.

**House Calls:** Please notify the parish office of the names of any who desire to receive Holy Communion, the Sacrament of the Sick or the Sacrament of Reconciliation at home.

**St. Joseph Perpetual Adoration Chapel:** We welcome you to visit our chapel as a guest or a committed adorer. Call the parish office for questions or to sign up for an hour.

**St. Mary Cemetery:** A sacred enclosure to receive those who have lived within the faith. For information or questions, call Joe Monti at 228-216-7409.

**Continuing the Church:** Please remember Our Lady of the Gulf Parish and its schools in your will.

**Church Support:** Parishioners are encouraged to base their giving on the principles of stewardship and sacrifice. Please use your envelopes or sign up for Direct Debit.

***OLG Status Update Quick Registration Form***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

New Parishioner     Updated info listed above

I would like a call from Father     Address change

*Please return to the parish office or place in the collection basket at any Mass. Thank you!*

**PARISH STAFF DIRECTORY**

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**Permanent Deacon,** Eddie Renz.....ext. 307  
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**Director of Music,** Ed Grotkowski.....228-493-9010

**Secretary to the Pastor,** Jo Sharp.....ext. 301  
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**Receptionist,** Karen Parker.....ext. 303

**MINISTRIES & CONTACT INFO**

**Altar Server Training:** Rich & Deborah-Mae Kren  
[krenfam@earthlink.net](mailto:krenfam@earthlink.net)

**Altar Society:** Kathy Donner 363-1838  
*Meets 2nd Monday of every month at 6:00 p.m.*

**Angel Ministry:** JoAnn Hille 467-6169 or 467-6509

**Annulment Counseling:** Deacon Eddie Renz

**Booking of Facilities:** Jo Sharp

**CCD & Religious Education:** Kathleen LeBlanc,  
Chris Austin & Patricia LaFontaine 467-6509

**Choir Practice:** Ed Grotkowski 493-9010

**Crab Festival:** Pamela Metzler 467-6509

**Electronic Transfer (Direct Debit):** Jo Sharp

**HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL (PreK3-6):**  
Janet Buras, Principal—[principal@holytrinitycatholic.net](mailto:principal@holytrinitycatholic.net)  
467-5158 [www.holytrinitycatholic.net](http://www.holytrinitycatholic.net)

**K of C Ladies Auxiliary:** Sue Brocato 342-2902

**Knights of Columbus:** Mel Estrade 324-0530

**Men's Night Out (Thursdays):** Deacon Eddie Renz

**Men's Prayer Group (Mondays):** Jay Poolson 760-9823

**Novena of Perpetual Help:** *Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m.*

**OUR LADY ACADEMY (Girls Grades 7-12):**

Tiffany H. Lindmark, Principal  
467-7048 [www.ourladyacademy.com](http://www.ourladyacademy.com)

**Perpetual Adoration:** James San Fillippo 228-671-1835

**Prison Ministry:** Deacon Mike Harris

**Rabboni Ministry:** Suzi Lee 493-3449

**RCIA, RCIC:** Deacon Mike Harris

**Sacramental Preparation:** Kathleen LeBlanc

**ST. STANISLAUS COLLEGE (Boys Grades 7-12):**

Brother Francis David, President  
Patrick McGrath, Principal  
467-9057 [www.ststan.com](http://www.ststan.com)

**St. Vincent de Paul Conference of OLG-St. Clare-St. Rose:** Call 228-342-1545 on Mondays from 9-11:30 a.m. for assistance. Hancock County residents only.

**St. Vincent de Paul Pharmacy:** Meets in Bay St. Louis on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month. Call 374-9097 for more information.

**Together Forever Marriage Prep:** Deacon Mike Harris

**Wedding Coordinators:** See Wedding Guidelines Packet at [www.olgchurch.net](http://www.olgchurch.net).

**CHANGE OF DATE FOR OCTOBER ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING:** Next meeting of the OLG Altar Society will be Monday, October 20th at 6:00 p.m. in the Catholic Life Center.

**DOES YOUR CHILD WANT TO BE AN ALTAR SERVER?** There will be a training session for those 4th—6th graders wishing to become OLG Altar Servers on Friday, October 24th at 4 p.m. in the Catholic Life Center. Training will conclude between 5 and 5:30 p.m. Current servers that would like some additional training are welcome to attend as well. Contact Rich or Deborah Mae Kren at krenfam@earthlink.net.

**St. Rose de Lima Heritage Festival  
Saturday, October 18th ~ 11 am—11 pm  
Free Admission & Parking**

Amazing food that includes BBQ, gumbo, and sweets! Arts & Crafts booths, plants, silent auction, water ball activities, and much more! Live entertainment includes Bo & Ms. Dee, Phil “Smooth” Williams & The Smooth Band, 4 Greater Glory & Barbara & Company.

**St. Clare \$10,000 Drawdown**

Saturday, October 25, 2014 ~ 7-10 p.m. Tickets are \$100 each and you may purchase a whole ticket or part of a ticket. For tickets contact Mikelle Williamson at 228-547-4852.

**Fry the Friars: A Benefit Roast of  
Fathers Louis Lohan & Mike Austin**

November 1, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

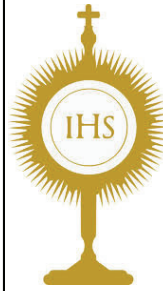
Steak dinner, spirits, and a fun night of roasting the pastors of St. Thomas in Long Beach and Holy Family Parish in Pass Christian. Price: \$50/person or \$100/couple. Tickets are available at the OLG parish office or by contacting Anne James at 228-234-2022.

**MAKE A NOTE: Daylight Savings Time ends on Sunday, November 2, 2014. The Vigil Mass will return to 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 8, 2014.**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Linda Beauregard, Beulah Benigno, Dot Bermond, Ricky Bouvier, Marian Brown, Kaaren Kolodziej Burke, Dick Chapman, Summer Seymour Cuevas, John Dahn, Sherri Deagano, Louis Doussan, Pete Furze, David Gallaspy, Margaret Gavagnie, Mark Gonzales, Ed Grotkowski, Buster Heitzmann, Gene Hoffmann, Beryl Kidd, Doug Kren, J. C. Lyons, Edna Moran Lutz, Joan H. T. Mary, Paul E. Mary IV, Pat Monti, Paul Mutter, Glen & Karen Parker, Fred Petrie, John Petrie, Helen Piazza, George Proulx, Terry Rayborn, Dr. J. D. Rutherford, Arlin Schaap, our shut-ins, and all others in our parish and community who are in need of physical, mental, emotional or spiritual healing.

*For our parishioners entering the hospital at any time, please inform the hospital that you are a member of OLG for visitations. Names will remain on the list for one month unless we are otherwise notified.*



**PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC  
ADORATION AT OLG**

Can you spend an hour with Jesus? Please visit our St. Joseph Adoration Chapel located at 107 Union Street. If you would like to commit to an hour, contact James San Fillippo at 228-671-1835.

**Available Hours**

Sunday: 9-10 & 10-11 am; 3-4 & 5-6 pm; Monday: 1-2 am; Tuesday: 12-1, 1-2 & 2-3 am; Wednesday: 2-3 am; Friday: 5-6 pm & 11 pm-12 am; Saturday: 3-4 am & 11 am-12 pm; 5-6, 8-9 & 10-11 pm

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

|                  |            |                                      |
|------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|
| Monday, 10/13    | 7:00 a.m.  | Seminarians of the Diocese of Biloxi |
| Monday, 10/13    | 8:15 a.m.  | †Abner Abella & Elise Abella Espano  |
| Tuesday, 10/14   | 7:00 a.m.  | †Gertrude Buehler                    |
| Tuesday, 10/14   | 6:00 p.m.  | †Gerald Tomasich                     |
| Wednesday, 10/15 | 7:00 a.m.  | †Jerry McCurley                      |
| Wednesday, 10/15 | 8:15 a.m.  | †Laverne Garcia                      |
| Wednesday, 10/15 | 5:30 p.m.  | †Watson Johns                        |
| Thursday, 10/16  | 7:00 a.m.  | †Craig Waller                        |
| Thursday, 10/16  | 8:15 a.m.  | Rev. John Kelly                      |
| Friday, 10/17    | 7:00 a.m.  | †Bill LeBlanc                        |
| Friday, 10/17    | 8:15 a.m.  | †Mrs. Mary Adams                     |
| Saturday, 10/18  | 7:30 a.m.  | †Jacqueline Harris                   |
| Saturday, 10/18  | 5:30 p.m.  | †Frank Langenbacker, Jr.             |
| Sunday, 10/19    | 8:00 a.m.  | Special Intention of Donor           |
| Sunday, 10/19    | 10:30 a.m. | Mass for the People                  |
| Sunday, 10/19    | 6:00 p.m.  | †Victoria Saxer                      |
|                  |            | †Pete Chapman                        |
|                  |            | †Gene & Mary Alice Monti             |

Notice: Beginning October 22nd, the Wednesday evening Mass will change to 6:00 p.m.

Copies of *The Diocese of Biloxi: Our Parishes, Our Missions, Our Faith* by Tammy Muller are available for sale at the parish office for \$20 each.

Holy Trinity Catholic School will host a Living Rosary on Friday, October 17th at 2:00 p.m. in the OLA/HTCS gymnasium. All are welcome and encouraged to attend!

**FINANCES WEEK OF OCTOBER 5, 2014**

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| Offertory:                                     | Envelopes               | \$ 3,108.00 |
|                                                | Loose                   | \$ 4,131.41 |
|                                                | Direct Debit            | \$ 1,620.00 |
|                                                | St. Vincent de Paul     | \$ 348.00   |
|                                                | Extra & Other Donations | \$ 536.00   |
| Number of Identifiable Contributions . . . . . |                         | 165         |
| <i>Thank you for your continued support!</i>   |                         |             |