

Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 22, 2018

"See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God." 1 John 3:1

ALTAR LINENS MINISTRY

April – Rose Powell

Ministry Schedule

PLEASE REMEMBER:

You are to arrive at least 20 to 30 minutes before mass is to begin. This is important to be prepared and ready.

Saturday, April 28 – 6:00 pm

Greeter: Paula Busler/Maureen Finley

Usher: Chuck & Martha Blumer

Server: Ron Sheppard

Lector: Tijuana Buchanan/Nancy Brown

Gift Bearer: Steinman Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Danny & Cindy Thomas/Stacy Hughes

Sunday, April 29 – 9:30 am

Greeter: Rose Powell/Michelle Terry

Usher: Larry Goode/Dennis Johnson

Server: Mark Printup/Jessica Smith

Lector: Ginny Stinson/Michael Griffin

Gift Bearer: Cunningham Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Bill & Chellie Warner/LaRae W./

Chris Mitchell/Jimmy & Susan Terry/Morgan Billingsley

REMINDER: If you are unable to fulfill your ministry obligation, it is your responsibility to find someone that can serve in your place. Thank you.

SUNDAY OFFERING



PARISH SUPPORT

Needed Weekly for Budget.....

\$6,094.81

Last Week's Offering\$6,175.73

Maintenance Fund Last Wk....\$4,272.00

Community Services.....\$ 75.00

Rice Bowl.....\$ 746.36

There should be no eating, drinking or gum in the Church. If a child must have nourishment, please do so in the cry room.

ATTENTION YOUNG ADULTS a "grotto blog" for young adults has been added to our website provided by ecatholic. Check it out today!!!

Our Holy Spirit web address is:

<http://www.holyspirit-catholic.com>



Wednesday Night "OPEN GYM"

When: Wednesday evenings

Who: 6th thru 12th grades

Where: Holy Spirit's Family Life Center

CALENDAR OF MASSES/EVENTS

Sunday, April 22, 2018

Fourth Sunday of Easter

8:00 am PreK – 5th Grade PRE Classes

NO Adult Ed

9:30 am Liturgy **For the Parish Community**

2:00 pm Movie Day – St. Francis at QOP

7:00 pm AA & Al Anon

Monday, April 23, 2018

NO Liturgy

6:15 pm Boy Scouts

7:00 pm Baptism Class



Tuesday, April 24, 2018

8:00 am Liturgy +**Bill Brown, Jr.**

by: Robert Massa & Michael Massa Families

8:30 am Weight Loss Support Group



Wednesday, April 25, 2018

8:00 am Liturgy **Intentions of Chad Greer**

by: Don & Chris Greer

5:30 pm Open Gym

6:30 pm 6th through 12th Grade PRE Classes



Thursday, April 26, 2018

8:00 am Liturgy +**Fr. Leonard Elder** by: Holy Spirit

9:00 am Adult Ed

3:30 am Garden Café

7:00 pm Choir Practice

8:00 pm AA & Al-Anon



Friday, April 27, 2018

8:00 am Liturgy **Intentions of Fr. Tom Lind**

Saturday, April 28, 2018

5:15 pm Confessions

Confessions available by appointment also 662-429-7851

6:00 pm Liturgy **For the Parish Community**

Sunday, April 29, 2018

Fifth Sunday of Easter

8:00 am PreK – 5th Grade PRE Classes – Last Class

8:00 am Adult Ed

9:30 am Liturgy **Intentions of Fr. Paul Casper**

7:00 pm AA & Al Anon

Priest Contact Numbers:

SERIOUS SACRAMENT EMERGENCY ONLY 901-351-6591

All other needs 662-342-1073

CHILDREN'S HOMILY

August 22 – Maria Mitchell

April 29 – Allison Baskin

RELIGIOUS GOODS STORE

April 22 – Barbara Nickarz

April 29 – Merrygen Currick

Time: 5:30-6:30pm

Confessions available by appointment 662-429-7851

A BIG THANK YOU

My husband David and I would like to thank you so very much for the lovely welcoming basket so filled with wonderful gifts! We have never received such a thoughtful gesture from a church before!

It is difficult leaving a parish in which years were spent with friends and neighbors doing so many spiritual and social things together, sharing joys and sadnesses, helping one another with life itself! I do believe we will find the same community here at Holy Spirit! For the past three months, we have grown fond of the church, many new faces, and the spirituality of mass participation. We are happy to belong to Holy Spirit parish.

David and Ginny Stinson

*Homemade pickles, jelly, and bread were delicious!
Special thanks to Josephine, Elaine and Barbara! Very kind and thoughtful of you!



**Queen of Peace
Sunday
April 22nd
2:00 PM
"St. Francis"**

Christ the King will have *Michaelangelo* in SPANISH at 2:00 PM All are Welcome!!

FOOD PANTRY NEED- Sugar Holy Spirit provides the sugar for our Food Pantry here in Hernando. We have a growing number of families coming for food. We have been facing a real shortage of sugar lately to meet this demand. This is an ongoing ministry. You may bring sugar whenever it is convenient. This food pantry serves the poor of our community. Matthew 26:11

God bless your generosity.

Mental Health Care Reform in Mississippi Conference

St. Peter's Cathedral Parish Center,

Wednesday, May 23, 2018, 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Join us in Jackson for a conference focused on the continued need for Mental Health reform in Mississippi. Mississippi is currently facing a lawsuit for its lack of compliance with the 2009 Olmstead Supreme Court ruling which required states "to provide community-based treatment for persons with mental disabilities when... such placement is appropriate."

You can register for this important event online at catholiccharitiesjackson.org.

For more information or to register contact:
Sue Allen, Coordinator of Social Justice Ministry
Catholic Charities Jackson 601-383-3849 or
sue.allen@catholiccharitiesjackson.org

Seriously Sick & Hospitalized

Please Pray For The Sick

Your prayers are requested for the following who are having/recovering from surgery or are seriously ill:

Emily Ready, Cil Johnson, Ronnie Sheppard, Tad Haas (C. Patton Grand), Rose Burgess, Art Cortesi, Bill Brown (Nancy), Jo Ellen Ryan, Hayley Hardy (Higdon niece), Tony Pangelina, Gilda Stafford, Sr. Antonienne Thoma, Marie Smith, Lee Smith, Andy Bill Whittle (nix nephew), Phyllis Pangelina, James Ferguson, Betty Kuhel Rosemary Sabbatini, Joe Greenwell (Barbara Dean's bro), Rose Powell, Alice Quick (C. Menne sis), Barney Norys (Terry), Joseph Spence, Jared Smith (Liz Brown), Susan Terry, Mr. Thanh Pham (Fr. Thi's father), Jean Adams, Fr. Paul Casper, Debbie Gowen (Blount), Brenda Caruthers, Nancy Potts, Deanna Greer (Dean Niece), Gene Winters (Nix), Baby Asher Farmer, Ron Pickard, Ginny Skinner, Michael Williams, George Bonner, Joyce & Terry Cobb (Stafford), Mike Johnson, Tony Field (Maria Mitchell dad), Dennis Schwab (Powell nephew), Gloria Slonena (tully), Betty Brotherton (B. Martin mom), Melanie Brauss (Bill Gaudet's sis), Natalie Kane (Higdon), Kerry Helms (Higdon bron law), Pete Cervetti (Cass Douglas), John Foti (Muzzi Bro), Daniel Douglas (Jeffries bronlaw), Birdie Lewis (Felicia grandma), Kim Craig (J. Davis sisn law), Farris Jenkins (N Rachal bron law), Carter Brooks, Josh Bixler (Bill/Liz Brown's nephew), Sherry Vowell (Ken Hoover's sis), and Sara Hewitt (Marie Smith). Please notify the Pastor when serious illness occurs or when hospitalization is indicated: we would like to strengthen the ill with the Eucharist and the Sacrament of the Sick (Anointing).



**FAREWELL FOR FR.
FRANCOIS
Sunday,
April 29th
1:30 p.m.
Christ the King**

For all Parishes

The Widows, Divorced and Separated Group will

meet on Wednesday, May 9th, 2018 at Queen of Peace from 5:30 until 8:30.

The evening will begin with a time of reflection followed by dinner prepared by Fr. Thi and Bingo following the

dinner, please sign up in the Narthex. We hope to see you there for an evening of faith, food and fun...



*Our Holy Spirit Parish Family offers
their deepest condolences to Joe
Hillenbrand on the
recent death of her wife +Anita
Hillenbrand*

*May her soul and the souls of all the
faithful departed rest in peace*

**HOW DOES PARISH REGISTRATION
HELP THE PARISH?**

Many ways. First of all, who is part of this community; who helps to make it what it is; who can the parish staff count on to help with the many significant programs and events in the parish. Then, of course, it helps to know how many families are 'part of us'? How many children can we expect to enroll in the first communion class this year so we can be prepared? How many children can we expect to enroll in Confirmation preparation? What can we expect from Young Adults? Are we addressing the needs of young married couples? Who are they? Should we have a vacation bible school? Who has what talents available for helping with many jobs needed for parish maintenance? How can we make a realistic parish budget? Will we have enough or will we have to cut some things out? With a small parish staff, many helping hands are needed.



Don't Delay – Register Today



**QUEEN OF PEACE
CATHOLIC CHURCH
MEN'S CLUB 16TH ANNUAL
GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Sunday, April 22nd at Wedgewood Golfer's Club in Olive Branch. This event brings golf enthusiasts of all ages together for a fun afternoon of friendly competition and fellowship; all in an effort to help the less fortunate in our community.

Cost per player is \$100 (\$60 is tax deductible), which includes mulligans and all contests. Put together your own team, or we will help you make one. Registration forms are located in the Commons.



MOTHER'S DAY TRIDUUM OF MASSES:

There are envelopes in the pews for you to include the names of your mothers, godmothers, and grandmothers (living and deceased) in the three Masses to be offered for their intentions on May 13, 16, and 18 at Holy Spirit .

MOTHER'S DAY BLESSINGS: At all of the Masses on the weekend of May 12 and 13, there will be a special blessing for all our mothers. We encourage all our men and children to accompany your Mom's & wives to Mass on that weekend.

Your presence will be their greatest delight and blessing.



**CHRISTIAN SERVICE INITIATIVE (CSI)
Putting Mercy in Motion**

CSI is week long, local mission service activity designed to help our youth realize that we do not have to go across the country to find people in need. We will spend the week at the Sacred Heart Southern Mission's (SHSM) Volunteer House in Walls Mississippi.

Each day we will work alongside the staff of SHSM volunteer program helping clients in need. The jobs could be anything from building a wheel chair ramp to painting walls, from working on a roof to installing a floor; we could be working at a thrift store, soup kitchen, etc.

WHO: Youth currently in High School.

WHEN: Girls: Sunday – Friday, June 3-8, 2018.

Boys: Sunday – Friday, June 17-22, 2018.

Deadline: Sunday, May 20, 2018.

Meeting: Wednesday, May 30, 2018.

(for parents and participants).

Call the church office for more information or to sign up.

Alzheimers and Dementia Support Group meets on April 26th from 1:00 – 2:30PM at the Olive Branch Senior Center. Contact Pat Youd at 662-892-8102.



First Communion will be celebrated on:

Sunday, May 6th at 9:30 am

We will have a reception following mass. If you can help, please sign up on the table in the Narthex or call Liz Brown 901-331-3419



MAY CROWNING- the weekend of May 12 and 13. The children will have as part of the Offertory Procession of the Masses the Crowning of the Blessed Mother and the presentation of flowers. Families are encouraged to bring flowers from their yard to be presented to Mary.

CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES

Jason & Andria Gonzales

On the birth of their daughter

Allie Gonzales

Born March 8, 2018

7 lb. 7 oz. and 20" long



GOODBYE, FR. FRANCOIS

Greetings,

As we continue our celebration of the Easter season I hope this celebration of the resurrection has been fruitful and joyful for all of you. With this letter I regret to inform you that Fr. Francois Tsanga, SCJ will be leaving us on May 15. He will be moving to Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Houston, Texas, where he will serve as temporary administrator. We thank Fr. Francois for his service to our cluster of six parishes. Please

Every child should be in class every year. Classes are offered for every grade k through 12!!!

We do not attend classes to 'get a sacrament'; we attend class to learn about our faith. Skipping the years after receiving first communion until time to prepare for confirmation makes it very difficult for catechists to provide all the teaching the students have missed by not coming to classes in between those years.



PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN is the name of the program and regulations demanded by the Diocese of Jackson for the care and safety of our children. These regulations state that no child should be left unsupervised in any part of our parish buildings. Because of this, we ask that if your child needs to leave Mass for any reason that you please go with them wherever they need to go. Ushers have been instructed to ask the child to bring a parent when leaving the Mass. Our restrooms and parish halls are not supervised by *parish or religious education staff during Mass.*

PENTECOST CELEBRATION

Sunday, May 20th at 4:00pm, here at Holy Spirit.

Special celebration of all our six parishes for Pentecost!

All are invited!



keep Fr. Francois in your prayers as he pursues a new avenue of ministry serving the people of God.

We may have one less priest, but I can assure you that the services Fr. Greg and I offer to the people of God will not diminish. With your help, contributing the gifts and talents that the Lord has blessed you with, may we continue to reach out as Pope Francis encourages us to...in love, and in justice and compassion as we all strive to do the works of the Holy Spirit!

**In the Heart of Christ,
Fr. Thi Pham, SCJ**

