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#### **MASS TIMES**

Sunday 9:00 am 11:30 am 5:30 pm Tues & Thurs 5:30 pm Wed & Fri 12:05 pm

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Mon-Thurs 8:30 am - 4:00 pm Fri 8:30 am - 12:00pm

#### RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 4:30 pm - 5:25 pm Thursday 4:30 pm - 5:25 pm Sunday 4:30 pm - 5:25 pm

#### **ADORATION**

Tuesday 7:00 am - Midnight

# ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

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#### **Christ the King!**

This weekend we celebrate the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. This is also the very last Sunday of the Church year, right before Advent. It's appropriate that we end the Church year with this feast because it reminds us of that essential idea — that Christ is king. He is the alpha and the omega, as St. John tells us in Revelation. He is the beginning and the end. The end all and be all. "The one who is and who was and who is to come." The idea that Christ is King is of utmost importance to our personal lives. As we look toward the end of the year and the beginning of a new year, we can also consider the beginning and end of our lives and see the work of Christ the King active throughout that time. We can put this idea into practice by offering our own service to Jesus Christ, King of the Universe through prayer at the beginning and ending of every day. Let us use this opportunity to praise the Lord and thank Him for His sovereign reign and let us renew our own fidelity to Christ and His Church.

Peace, Fr. Jason Johnston

#### **MASS INTENTIONS** (+) Deceased; (SI) Special Intention; (NI) No Intention Monday, November 22 No Mass Tuesday, November 23 5:30 pm - NI Wednesday, November 24 12:05 pm - Ana Maria Lopez+ Thursday, November 25 5:30 pm - NI Friday, November 26 12:05 pm - NI Saturday, November 27 5:00 pm - (Corpus Christi) Mass for the People 9:00 am - Mass for the People 11:30 am - Mass for the People Sunday, November 28 5:30 pm - Mass for the People

#### STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION

November 14, 2021 Regular \$ 5,025.00 Online \$ 3,529.31

Today's second reading reminds us that the sacrifice of Christ frees us from sin and makes us a royal nation of priests *in the service* of God. How am I using my gifts to serve God and others?

Scan the QR code and it will take you directly to St. Joseph's online giving.



Scan me



#### Readings for the Week

**November 22 - Monday - St. Cecilia** Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Lk 21:1-4

November 23 - Tuesday

Dn 2:31-45/Lk 21:5-11

**November 24 - Wednesday St. Andrew Dung-Lac** Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Lk 21:12-19

**November 25 - Thursday** Dn 6:12-28/Lk 21:20-28

**November 26 - Friday** Dn 7:2-14/Lk 21:29-33

**November 27 - Saturday** Dn 7:15-27/Lk 21:34-36

**November 28 - Sunday - First Sunday of Advent** Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

#### **New Parishioners**

Are you new to St. Joseph parish? Welcome! We are happy to have you as a part of the St. Joseph parish family. Please stop by the Church Office to introduce yourself and complete a New Parishioner Form. Forms are also available on our parish website stjosephstarkville.org.

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

(CCM events are in maroon)

#### Sunday, 11/21 - Christ the King

10:15 am - Adult Education (Hall)

10:15 am - Coffee and Donuts (Hall)

10:15 am - K-8th Religious Education (Center/House)

12:30 pm - Coffee and Donuts (Hall)

6:30 pm - High School Religious Education (Center)

#### Monday, 11/22

6:00 pm - Choir Practice for 9am Mass (Church)

8:00 pm - Girls' Group (The House)

#### **Tuesday, 11/23**

7:00 am - Midnight - Adoration (Church)

5:30 pm - Mass (Church)

6:30 pm - Tuesday Night Dinner & Fuel (Parish Hall)

#### Wednesday, 11/24 - Office Closed

7:00 pm - LIFT (The House)

#### Thursday, 11/25 - Thanksgiving - Office Closed

8:00 am - Game Day Parking (Parking Lots)

#### Friday, 11/26 - Office Closed

11:30 am - Pro-Life Rosary (Church)

#### Saturday, 11/27

10:00 am - 20 Decade Rosary for Families (Church)

### Sunday, 11/28 - First Sunday of Advent No Religious Education Classes today.

10:15 am - Adult Education (Hall)

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# PICK OF THE WEEK November 21, 2021



#### 33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY

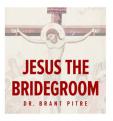
Ever considered consecrating yourself or your family to the Mother of God? Follow Fr. Michael Gaitley this Advent in order to draw nearer to Mary—the Mother of God—and her Son and to prepare yourself for a spiritual renewal.

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#### PRESENCE

This week we celebrate Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. Ring in this great feast by diving deeper into the mystery of Christ's greatest gift to His Church—the Holy Eucharist.





## JESUS THE BRIDEGROOM: THE GREATEST LOVE STORY EVER TOLD BY BRANT PITRE

Listen in as Dr. Brant Pitre examines what it really means to have a "personal relationship" with Jesus Christ as Lord, Savior, and Bridegroom.

ISTEN

Our parish has a FORMED subscription. To set up your free account visit formed.org/signup and select our parish.

#### **RCIA**

RCIA will not meet during Thanksgiving week. The next RCIA session will be Wed., Dec. 1 at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall, when the topics will be Mary and the rosary. All are welcome!







The Salvation Army

needs our help ringing the bells

December 18th

from 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm

at both Walmart entrances.

Sign-up sheets are in the gathering space
or you can call Deacon Jeff at the Church Office.



#### K-12th Grade Religious Education Classes

On Sunday, Nov. 28th, we will not have religious ed. classes due to the Thanksgiving holiday. Classes will resume on Dec. 5th, and then we will be off again Dec. 26th and Jan. 2nd. If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Jeff.



#### Adopt-A-Family Christmas Tree

The Adopt-A-Family tree will have names available for adoption on the First Sunday of Advent, November 28th. If you want to help, please take a card to supply a gift for a family in need.

Wrapped gifts with the card attached will need to be brought to the Church by THURSDAY December 16th.



Wednesday, December 1st 5:30 PM



#### **CYO Garage Sale**

After not having it last year, we are glad to announce that the annual CYO Garage Sale is back! It will take place Saturday, Dec. 4th, from 8-11:30am in the Parish Center. Donations in good and working condi-

tion may be dropped off Thursday, Dec. 2nd, from 8:30am-5pm and Friday, Dec. 3rd, from 8:30am-1pm. *No clothes please*. If you have large items to donate and need help getting them here, please contact Deacon Jeff.



December 5 Penance Service - 5:30 pm
December 5 2nd Sunday of Advent

December 8 Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation)

Mass Times: 7 am Noon 7 pm

December 12 Third Sunday of Advent

Parish Christmas Party and Dinner - 5:00 pm

December 19 4th Sunday of Advent

#### **Pray for Parishioners**

David Gaudin

Bill Wilson

JoAn Tubertini

Mike Kassouf

Amelia Bevill

Karen Lilly

Florence Richardson

Richard & Emily Rust

Jim Smith

Robert Wolverton, Sr.

**Emily Jones** 

John Andol

Mary Sowers

Flo Henley

George Sills

Tim Bastow

Edwina Hoque

Lee Ann Wilson

Ronnie & Tara Puckett Joe & June Schmidt Joel Okula

Mary Beth Moore

Kathryn Randall

Robert Harris

John Simpson

Al Baca

Patricia Raines

Susan Brown

Dianna & Kolten Janus

Kathy Winston

Jane Ammerman

Dee Dee Cook

Barbara Setaro

#### Pray for Families and Friends of Parishioners

Marie Faust: friend of parishioner

Ryan Vaughn: friend of Greer and Jim

Smith

Mark Poole: relative of Marie Portera

Jordan Riske: niece of Gregg and Sarah Twietmeyer

Mary Celeste Reese: daughter of Dan Reese

Katey Overstreet: friend of the Bock family

Jeffrey and Catherine Simmons: brother and sister-in-law of Rhonda and Bradley Burns

Portia Keel and Alando Keel: grand-daughters of Claire Keel.

Sophia Corbin: daughter of David and Monica Short

Stephanie and Mike Missanelli: friends of Laura McPhail

Betty Mooney: mother of Laura McKee.

Elbert J. Day: father of Jack Day

Samantha and Nathan Hood: friends of Cynthia Harris

Dan Mangum: son of Jeri Mangum; Braden Preus: friend of Jeri Mangum

Mary Katherine Prewitt: relative of John and Anna Andol

Ginger Puckett: daughter of Ronnie Puckett

Jeannine Dionne: mother of Dawn McGinley. Wes Webb: brother-in-law of Deacon John and Dawn McGinley. Thomas Lott: friend of Deacon John and Dawn McGinley

Mark Lilly, Sr.: father of Mark Lilly

Kim Horner, Rebecca Plunkett, Pam Champion & Robin Hunter: friends of Amy Rollins

John Hendricks, Sheila Rubin and Jimmy Willcutt: friends of Marc and Lainie Anthony

Annette Campbell, the Burnham family, the Coleman family and Ida Harrell: friends of a parishioner.

Tom and Joy Impastato: parents of Debra Few

James and Mary Brown; Karen McRae and family: family members of Susan Brown

Olivia: young friend of Alex and Cindy Harris

Hershey Baker: infant son of Anja and Nate Baker (former parishioners).

John and Lois Riske: parents of Sarah Twietmeyer

Mr. & Mrs. Glenn Turner: friends of Lisa and David Darce and Romma Bourgeois

Kyle Williams: friend of John and Jeanne Marszalek

Bob Rosener: step-father of Dianna Janus

Emily Bastow: mother of Tim and Stephen Bastow

Abby Bosarge: friend of Greer Smith

Ann Thompson: friend of parishioner

Hunter Smith: son of Greer and Jim Smith

Keith Winfield: father of Charlie Winfield

Angela Efantis: mother of Demi Dunne

Ann George: mother of Ethan and Emily George

Mike Janus: cousin of Mark Janus

Pat Bastow: father of Tim and Stephen Bastow

Paul Lilly: brother of Mark Lilly

Patricia Uzoigwe: friend of Mary June Lavelle and former parishioner

Hartley Kittle: grandson of Kathy Kimbrell

Shawn Bastow: nephew of Tim Bastow

Ginger Martin: daughter of Jim & Jamie Ellis and friend of Emily Jones

Mike Delouche: son of Curt and Shirley Delouche

Alex Meiring: nephew of Barb Meiring Emily Hairston: granddaughter of Frances Hairston Brian Pitre: son of Lea Pitre

Anna Keefe Atkinson: requested by a parishioner

Kim Correro Fandell: daughter of John and Gloria Correro

Matthew Cini: son of Peggy Cini

Jean Thrailkill, Jim McCoy, Edgar L. Miller and Asa Cistrunk; frends of Felecia Miller-Beber

John Haug: friend of Ronnie Puckett Bobby & Lynn Martin: friends of Ethan Seal

Abraham & Bobbie Potts: friends of a parishioner

Deanne and Henry Coolidge: relatives of Barbara Frank

Susan Griffin: friend of Jeri Mangum

Stan Rodgers: friend of Dennis & Deborah Reginelli

John Reginelli: brother of Dennis Reginelli

Dave Hogue: relative 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

John B. Lane, III: uncle of Dianna Janus

Alexander Rosener & family: brother of Dianna Janus

Mary Kay Collins: sister of Barbara Setaro & Rich Herschede

Donnie Buckner & family: friends of parishioner

#### Pray for our soldiers

#### Pray for our seminarians

Adam Fuhrmann Christian Bondi Ryan Mangum Conor Mangum Cory Delouche Robert Elias Clayton Eckler Carlisle Beggerly Deacon Andrew Bowden Ryan Stoer Tristan Stovall Will Foggo Grayson Foley

Father, all of Creation rightly owes you thanks and praise. Your justice, love and mercy abound.

We thank you this day for all that you have given us:

For the Passion and Death of your Divine Son, we thank you Father, through the Cross, He redeemed the world. For the Church, we thank you Father, it is our beacon for salvation.

For the martyrs and saints who give testimony to your Son, we thank you Father, their witness to your Son is our inheritance. For our loved ones and friends who have died and gone before us,

we thank you Father, their love abides with us forever. For loving spouses, we thank you Father, together we seek you.

For the gift of children, we thank you Father, they are your precious gifts to us and to the world. For the gift of our families, loved ones and good friends, we thank you Father,

Through them we see the reflection of your Son.
For jobs, our homes and all that we have, we thank you Father, give us only that which we need, as we seek Your Kingdom.
For the bounty we are about to eat, we thank you through Christ Our Lord.