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### MASSES:

**Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM**

**Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 5:00 PM**

*10:30 am Sunday and daily Masses are  
live-streamed on our YouTube channel  
and our Facebook page.*

### WEEKDAY MASSES:

**Monday-Friday: 7:00 AM**

**Holy Day: 7:00 AM, 6:30 PM**

### R.C.I.A.

**Wednesday: 6:30 - 8:00 PM**

*New inquirers welcome year round.*

### ROSARY:

**Thursday: 6:40 AM**

### ADORATION:

**Thursday: 5:00 - 7:00 PM**

*Divine Mercy Chaplet prayed at 6:30 PM*

### RECONCILIATION:

**Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 PM & by request**

## From the Desk of Fr. Albeen

**THE GIFT OF THE EUCHARIST:** Today we hear how Abram encounters Melchizedek, "King of Salem . . . and a priest of God Most High" (Genesis 14:18). Melchizedek appears nowhere else in scripture, but is nonetheless significant. Psalm 110 declares of the great King David, "You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek," a description later given (in the letter to the Hebrews) to Christ as High Priest.

Early Christians saw in Melchizedek's bread and wine the bread and wine of the Eucharist; Paul's account of the Last Supper (in today's second reading) is the oldest one in scripture. In the Gospel, Luke describes Jesus providing bread for a crowd in words similar to Paul's, words still used by the Church: Jesus takes bread, gives thanks, breaks it. Together, these three readings reveal how Christian priesthood, Christ's Real Presence, and the call to serve those in need are all found in the gift of the Eucharist.

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## Welcome Deacon Carlisle!

We welcome Deacon Carlisle Beggerly to St. Francis. He is going to be with us for his Diaconate Internship through October. Please keep Deacon Carlisle in your prayers as he spends his time, with us, for a fruitful and enriching ministry. If you see him, please introduce yourself to him.

## *The Parishioners Of Sacred Heart Church*

*Canton, Mississippi*

*Invite You To A Mass Of Thanksgiving*

*In Honor Of Their Pastor*

*Father Mike O'Brien*

*On His Retirement And 50th Anniversary*

*Of Ordination To The Priesthood*

*Monday, June 20, 2022*

*At Six O'clock In The Evening*

*Sacred Heart Church*

*238 East Center Street*

*Canton, Mississippi 39046*

*Reception Following In Parish Center*



## Parish Religious Education

*"Behold, children are a gift from the Lord." Psalm 127:3*

- ✓ **All children who are joining *The Jesus Expedition* VBS will check in at 8:45 a.m. in / outside the FLC with check out at noon daily.**
- ✓ **Artisan's Expedition Creative Arts Camp** for 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> graders begins at 9 a.m. this Monday with check in at 8:45 a.m. inside the FLC and check out at noon.
- ✓ **Snack donation delivery:** Thank you to all who signed up to bring VBS snack items! Please bring your items to the Family Life Center kitchen this Sunday between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. or this Monday morning 8-9:00 a.m.
- ✓ **Our VBS and Creative Arts Camp closing program and picnic lunch** will be held this Thursday at 12:10 p.m. in the FLC. Parents, family members, and friends are invited.
- ✓ **First Communion children's banners** can be picked up from the "green room" in the church. Photo packets will be in soon.

## 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade Life Teen and Youth Ministry:

- ✓ WOW bowling! Meet at Fanning Lanes at 6 pm.
- ✓ VBS volunteers are asked to check in at 8:30 a.m., Monday – Thursday inside the FLC this week.

## UPCOMING EVENTS AT ST. FRANCIS

### Sunday, June 19

8:00 am - 6 pm Bring snacks to the Family Life Center.

### Monday, June 20– Thursday, June 23

8:00 - 9:00 am Bring snacks to the Family Life Center.

8:45 am Check in for VBS in the FLC.

12:00 Noon Check out for VBS.

9:00 - 12:00 Noon Creative Arts Camp in St. Thomas Hall.

### Wednesday, June 22

10:00 am Martha and Mary SCC in St. Clare Hall.

6:00 pm WOW! off campus.

6:30 pm **No** Choir Practice.

### Thursday, June 23

5:00 pm Adoration in the Daily Chapel.

6:30 pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy in the Daily Chapel.

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## Offertory Contributions

Weekly Goal:	\$30,000.00
Collection Basket	\$19,543.00
Children's Offering	\$ 63.00
Online	\$ 2,584.87
Total	\$22,190.87



### Second Collection:

Teach Our Faith, St. Anthony School Tuition Assistance, June 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup>.

Peter's Pence, June 25<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup>. A worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis.





## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

### "Thirsting for God?"

Do you know someone not baptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who is thirsting for what it means to become Catholic? Do you know a Baptized Catholic who has not yet received Confirmation & Communion? They may be thirsting too! The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a place to ask questions and seek understanding. Many times inquirers say an invitation from a family member or friend prompted them to seek more information about joining the Catholic Church. If you have a friend or family member who has expressed interest or attends Mass with you, maybe it is time to extend an invitation. Information about the RCIA program can be found on the St. Francis Parish website or by calling the church office at 601-865-5556.

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### PROTECTION OF CHILDREN

We will have a Diocesan wide audit, and all volunteers need to be compliant by end of June. Please check your emails from **VIRTUS** Online <https://virtus.org>. Read any unread bulletins and answer a multiple-choice question after you have read the bulletin. When you answer the question, submit the answer to update the Diocese of Jackson Protection of Children Database. Thank you for your continued participation in the Diocese of Jackson's Protection of Children Program. We hope you find the training bulletins informative.

We encourage any victim to contact Valerie McClellan, Victims Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of Jackson at 601-326-3728.



This weekend flowers are in memory of

**Tom Sagar**

by Sue & Bill Dickson

In life and death we belong to the Lord.  
Romans 8:38-39



### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Ps 60:3-5, 12-13; Mt 7:1-5

**Tuesday:** 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Ps 48:2-4, 10-11; Mt 7:6, 12-14

**Wednesday:** 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Ps 119:33-37, 40; Mt 7:15-20

**Thursday:** Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17  
Day: Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3, 13-15; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

**Friday:** Ez 34:11-16; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7

**Saturday:** Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Ps 74:1b-7, 20-21; Lk 2:41-51

**Sunday:** 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11; Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62

## MASS INTENTIONS



**Sat., Jun. 18** **VIGIL MASS**  
5:00 PM Mass (+) Jeanne Parks

**Sun., Jun. 19** **THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)**  
8:00 AM Mass (+) Frank Carollo  
9:10 AM Mass - St. Catherine (+) Margaret Williams  
10:30 AM Mass Church | Live Streamed Mass  
5:00 PM Mass (+) Dr. Jay Tice

**Mon., Jun. 20** **WEEKDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
7:00 AM Mass (+) Frank Carollo

**Tue., Jun. 21** **ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA**  
7:00 AM Mass (+) Joseph Gandolini  
8:30 AM Mass - St. Catherine (+) Elizabeth Griggs

**Wed., Jun. 22** **ST. PAULINUS OF NOLE**  
7:00 AM Mass (+) Marie & Raymond Laakso

**Thurs., Jun. 23** **THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST**  
7:00 AM Mass (+) Mary & Ken Brown  
8:30 AM Mass - St. Catherine  
(+) Pansey Damico  
5:00 PM Adoration in the Daily Chapel  
6:30 PM Prayer of the Divine Mercy

**Fri., Jun. 24** **THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS**  
7:00 AM Mass (+) Yolande St. Pierre  
8:30 AM Mass - St. Catherine (+) Jack Skinner Sr.  
(+) Praying for Deceased SI Praying for Special Intention



### PRAY FOR OUR SOLDIERS

Revell Patterson, Mark Vincent,  
Christopher Hanneke, Brian Flaherty,  
Will Walenta, Garrett Kennedy,  
and Caroline Grace Smith.

Thank you for protecting our country.  
May the Lord keep you safe.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR Healing

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