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SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: SATURDAY 4:30 - 5:00 PM OR BY APPOINTMENT

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: TO INSURE SUFFICIENT TIME FOR ADEQUATE PREPARATION, COUPLES SHOULD CONTACT THE PRIEST FOUR, PREFERABLY SIX MONTHS IN ADVANCE OF THE WEDDING

IF YOU ARE CELEBRATING A SACRAMENT THIS YEAR, A RECENT COPY OF YOUR BAPTISMAL RECORD MUST BE PROVIDED TO THE PARISH.

**(SATURDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 5:30 PM) (SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM)
(Spanish Mass-Sunday- 2:00 PM)**

Twenty - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time- Oct. 8, 2017

TODAY, Oct. 8

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - People of the Parish

Mass - 11:00 a.m. - Respect for Life

Spanish Mass - 2 p.m. Increase in Vocations

PSR - 9:45 a.m.

MONDAY, Oct. 9

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - Joe Bottino

TUESDAY, Oct. 10

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - Bertha Hull

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 11

Mass - 5:30 p.m. - World Peace

THURSDAY, Oct. 12

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - Special Intentions (JAC)

FRIDAY, Oct. 13

Mass - 8:30 a.m. - Charlie Marshall

SATURDAY, Oct. 14

Mass - 5:30 p.m. - Sick in our Parish

Brown, Linda Hull, Scooter Ward, Victoria Mekus, Ivy May Parker, Al Brown, Delores Coomes, Jessica Letaw, Danny Brady, and Richard Smith.

Lay Ministry

October 14 - 15

Altar Servers

5:30 p.m. - Christine & David Wallace

8:30 a.m. - Chuck & Faith Beamish

11:00 a.m. - Mikaela & Paula Meer

Lector/Commentator

5:30 p.m. - Wally Powell & Tim Welp

8:30 am - David McHan - Cheryl Roberts

11:00 a.m. - Lynn Foley - Bob Lucchesi

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

October 14

5:30 p.m. - Virgil Carter, David Wallace, Nan & Tim Welp

October 15

8:30 a.m. - Dottie Brown, Lisa Conley, John Piazza, Tommy & Tracy Trichell

11:00 a.m. - Lito & Zeny Meer, Betsy & Bobby Folsom, Allyson Windham

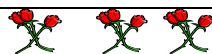
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10/08/17 - Sue Fowler, Marsha Buell, Joane Clarke

10/15/17 - Myrtle Alvarado, Dottie Brown, Kathy Castellane

Pray for ... The Sick in our Community

Judy McCollum, Don Ravetta, Charles Thompson, Jamie Dishman, Frank Joseph, Jim Conway, Bobbie Anderson, Jim Farrell, Karen Zwissler, Mia Isabella Calnan, John Brooks, Jodie Barnes, Kathy Grant, Belinda McKinney, Pamela Bull, , Melissa Barker, Jerri Mocknick, Leslie Shannon, Whitney Doiron, John Alford, Laura Uecker, Philip Vedros, Milton Farr, Rebecca Battalio, Glenda Daigle, Mark Reddy, Bonnie Bruce, Sharon Bowers, Camille & Warren Doiron, Collin Farrell, Sherri McBride, Mark Antoine, Mary Ray, Marian Clark, Beverly Goodwin, Barb Price, Dana Faye Clausner, Jackie Rushing, Sharon Hanks, Walley Hipp, Frances Powell, Zoraida Sanchez, James Powers, Emily Jane Tucker, James Leo, Candice Hicks, Bob Slaven, Matt Holm, Gayle Parker, Christina Pond, Marye Lou Lee, Enloe Kee, Ann Kerr, Debra Dent, Lori Stevens, Debbie Welp, Sr. Annette Seymour, Mary Bottino, Bill Roach, Laura Thomas, Ashley Zepponi, Donna Carpenter, Marilyn Jones, Dolly Claypool, Bob Croisdale. Scott Hughes, David Horner, Teresa Marshall, Greg Hull, Larry Lucchesi, Marty Cappaert Walley, Shelly Morris Hefner, Connie Greer, Lucia



We gratefully acknowledge our Altar Flowers given in loving memory of Ron Cocilova from his parents, Nick & Norma Cocilova, and his daughter Megan.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS –

Oct. 8th 6:30 p.m. – KC Drawdown. \$50 per ticket admits 2 adults. Food, Fun & Fellowship.
Oct. 10th – Columbus Day social
Oct. 17th – 7 p.m. 4th Degree Mtg. 7:30 p.m. Rosary/ 8 p.m. Business Mtg.
Oct. 19th – 6 p.m. Ladies Auxiliary Mtg. – open to all ladies of the parish.
Oct. 21st – 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. – Food Drive @ Wal-Mart to benefit the Community Food Pantry.
Oct. 28th – Trunk or Treat
Oct. 31 – Fifth Tuesday Social is cancelled due to Halloween.
Nov. 14th – 7 p.m. Memorial Mass.
KC Essay Contest for grades 8 -12. Information and entry form can be found at ms-kofc.com/898.
Deadline is Nov. 1st.
KC Substance Abuse Poster Contest for ages 8-14. Information can be found on website.
Deadline is Nov. 1st.

MEALS ON WHEELS - Mark your calendars! The next Meals on Wheels will be Friday, Oct. 13th, beginning at 8 a.m. in the Parish Hall. If you would like to help in any way, please contact Carrie Meyer 601-218-1007 or Jennifer Vincent at 601-529-3230. We especially need help delivering the meals, but you can also help us with cooking and boxing the meals or by donating a bread or dessert. Thank you!

PRAYER MINISTRY – The Mercy Associates are a group of lay men and women who work with the Sisters of Mercy to further the charism of mercy in our parishes and community. Since Sept. 1st we have offered prayer support to over 370 people through our Intercessory Prayer Ministry. This group of 20 women is committed to pray for each intention several times each day for seven days. All prayer requests are held in complete confidentiality. To submit a prayer request, call the Church.

ANGELS OF MERCY – We provide assistance to new and expectant mothers in St. Michael Parish. If your family is expecting, please contact Lori Williams at 601-638-8448 or the Parish office so we may keep your family in our prayers.

CHRIST LIFE – continues to meet at Farrell Hall on Tuesday nights from 6:30 until 8.

ROSARY RALLY – 100th anniversary of the Blessed Mother's appearance at Fatima. Let us all come and pray the rosary for peace in the world, Saturday, Oct. 14th at 12 noon in St. Mary's parking lot. Refreshments served.

<p><u>THE RCIA PROCESS -</u> Our Inquiry Sessions are on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the Education Building. We will end the period of Inquiry on Wednesday, Oct. 13th with a night of prayer and discernment. We will celebrate the Rite of Acceptance & Welcoming on Sunday, Oct. 15th at the 8:30 a.m. Mass with a Welcoming Reception in the Parish Hall immediately after Mass. The presenter for this week is Janey Seabergh and the topic is "Night of Prayer".</p>

CYO – 7th – 12th grade – will meet this Sunday at the KC Hall at 5 p.m. to assist with the setup of the silent auction.
KC Silent Auction - If you have items you would like to donate for the Knights of Columbus silent auction to be held Oct. 8th, please place them in the church vestibule with an estimated cost for the item(s). Thank you for your generosity and support! Proceeds go towards the CYO attending religious youth activities across the state and save for future mission trips.

ANNUAL WOMEN'S RETREAT - will be October 27-29. The Facilitator is Jill Hisaw who has a master's degree in Theological Studies from Spring Hill. It's important to register early! For more info, please call Ellen Moomaw at 601-456-1238 or the Rectory by 12 (noon) 636-3445.

VICKSBURG CANCER CENTER – Volunteers are needed each Monday to furnish a hot lunch and desert to patients receiving chemotherapy treatments at the Vicksburg Cancer Center on Grove Street. Patients are confined to a chair for up to seven hours while receiving their treatment. Each volunteer would be called upon one Monday a month or less to prepare either an entrée or desert.
For more info contact John Barnes at 601-831-7705.

PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY – on May 28-June 8, 2018 with Father Mike Austin. Our Pilgrimage beings in Venice, the city waterways, gondolas and picturesque bridges. On to Florence, home of Michelangelo's David then visit Sienna and discover Tuscany. Then on to Assisi, birthplace of St. Francis. Our Pilgrimage ends with four days in Rome where the highlight of the visit will be an audience with Our Holy Father, Pope Francis. You will be pleased with this tour for it is both high in value and low in cost. Email: tourofitaly2018@gmail.com or call 228-697-7814.

RESPECT FOR LIFE – OCTOBER IS RESPECT FOR LIFE MONTH – The Pennies for Life Fund Raiser will go through the month of October. Please check basket in the vestibule. All money will go towards the Respect for Life fund for St. Michael.

PSR - Schools have fall holiday on Monday so our elementary classes will not meet this Sunday, Oct. 8th. On Sunday, October 15th, we will gather to say the rosary before class. High School PSR will meet on Wednesday, October 11th as scheduled.