

November 13, 2022

The Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



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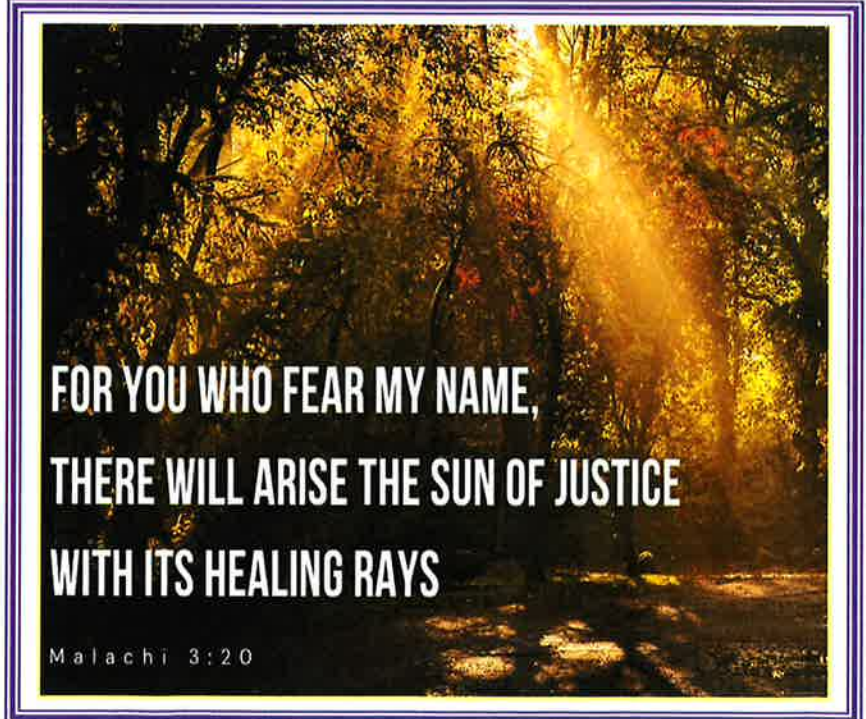
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Upcoming Second Collections
November 6th Military Services
November 13th Building Fund
November 20th Human Development

Mass Schedule

Confessions: Sat. 4:45 – 5:15 PM or by apt.
Vigil: Sat.–5:30 PM, Sunday 8AM, 10:15 AM, 6PM
Weekday Masses:
Mon. – 5:30 PM, Tues. 8:15AM, Wed. – 6:00 PM,
Thur. & Fri. – 8:15 AM

Sacred Heart Mass Schedule: Vigil: Sat. – 4:00 PM,
Sunday 8:00, 10:30 AM; 1:30 PM in Spanish
Holy Rosary Mass Schedule: Sunday: 9:00 AM
St. Fabian Mass Schedule: Vigil: Sat. – 4:00 PM,
Sunday: 10:00AM



**FOR YOU WHO FEAR MY NAME,
THERE WILL ARISE THE SUN OF JUSTICE
WITH ITS HEALING RAYS**

Malachi 3:20

Adoration

Monday Adoration:

Hours are 2-9PM. Starting at 4:45PM the Patriotic Rosary will be prayed during Adoration led by Noelanne Bennett. After the Rosary, we will pause Adoration to prepare for the 5:30 PM Mass. Adoration will resume when Mass is over and will continue until 9PM. Visitors are more than welcome and can come anytime for whatever amount of time they'd like. For any questions, contact Pat Peterson at 601-549-4620 by phone or text.

Tuesday Adoration

From 9am after daily Mass until 12 noon. Please consider spending an hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament. Please be sure to sign in so we know the hours are covered.

Thursday Adoration

begins after the 8:15 AM Mass and goes until 9:00 PM in the church. At that time Our Lord is moved into the Adoration Chapel and adoration continues through the night until Friday Mass. **We currently need help with the 10pm & 12am hour.** To offer your help or for information please contact Patricia Burchell at 601-270-4068.

The Cursillo Movement of South MS will have the next Women's Cursillo #291 weekend on Dec 8-11, 2022, at the Sacred Heart Dedeaux Retreat Center in Pass Christian, MS. Applications are currently being accepted. Applications can be found online at www.biloxicursillo.org. For questions and/or more information, feel free to contact Gay Camagong at (228)424-7722 or Marcia Hebert at (413)433-3903.

Business Sponsor Spotlight



Dr. Trey Thomas and Dr. Rick Pecunia, practice at Hattiesburg Clinic. They specialize in plastic, cosmetic, and reconstructive surgery. They are certified by the American Board of Plastic Surgery and care for children and adults with birth defects, cancer, and traumatic injuries. Their office is located at 28th Place behind Forrest General Hospital and can be reached by calling 601-261-3690.

LIFE TEEN

UPCOMING LIFE TEEN EVENTS:

Sunday, November 13th

Family Formation 11:30 am - 1:30pm
A short portion of the children's activity time will be spent on the annual Safe Environment lesson mandated by our diocese.

Saturday, November 19th

12:00-5:00 pm God's Plan for Sex and Your Body Workshop for parents, middle school, and high school students.

Sunday, November 20th

Bonfire 4:30-5:45

Sunday, November 27th

Thanksgiving Break

Mini-Library:

New Book: The Fruits of Fatima: A Century of Signs & Wonders by Joseph Pronechen. Author Pronechen reports on scores of post-Fatima incidents that reveal the wide-reaching influence the apparitions have had throughout this past century on the lives of ordinary people, popes, saints -and even unbelievers! Armed with this knowledge and perspective, you'll be inspired again by the messages of Fatima and will devote yourself once more - or perhaps for the first time - to Mother Mary, whose love for you and concern for your salvation know no bounds. Librarian, Pat Peterson

Mass Intentions

M-Nov 14th Rosario Carasig – RIP
T-Nov 15th Norma Hernandez – BD
W-Nov 16th Bianca Fernandez- BD & Alfonso Soriano – RIP
T-Nov 17th Cristina Villacorta – RIP
F-Nov 18th Benjamin Sandejas – BD
Sat-Nov 19th Deacon Ralph & Mary Torrelli – Sp. Int
Sun-Nov 20th
8:00am Parish
10:15am Ginger Myers – Sp. Int.
6:00pm Rupert family – Sp. Int.

Readings Nov 14th – 20th

M Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Lk 18:35-43
T Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Lk 19:1-10
W Rv 4:1-11/Lk 19:11-28
T Rv 5:1-10/Lk 19:41-44
F Rv 10:8-11/Lk 19:45-48
Sat Rv 11:4-12/Lk 20:27-40
Sun 2 Sm 5:1-3/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

November Lector Schedule

12th 5:30 Jon Brooks
13th 8:00 Reggie Blackledge
10:15 Italo Subarrao
19th 5:30 Liz Yankay
20th 8:00 Kathy Schimel
10:15 Valerie Acocella
26th 5:30 Noel Anne Bennett
27th 8:00 Rich Mohn
10:15 Peter Deucher

Eucharistic Minister Training

will be offered on Saturday morning November 19th at 10:30 am. We will meet in church. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, please join us. If you have already been trained, but would like to be back on the schedule, you are welcome to attend for a refresher. If you were trained recently with the chalice, you do not need to attend. Any questions, call Kathy in the office.

Bible Study: If you have not been able to access the Mary and the Bible study online, the code has expired. The new code is: **BVM1022-1130.**



The Knights of Columbus are selling Cursillo T-Shirts to benefit the Cursillo Movement. The cost of the shirt is \$20.00 each and will be on sale after all the masses this weekend.

Also, the Knights will NOT be selling turkeys this year for Thanksgiving due to availability issues.

St. Vincent de Paul will supply Thanksgiving turkeys and gift cards to 130 needy families in Hattiesburg. Your generosity is much needed. **Turkey boxes** are at both entrances of the church. Please help St. Vincent de Paul provide for families in need this year with your monetary contribution.

Thanksgiving Mass & Dinner:

We will have a Thanksgiving dinner on Thursday, November 24th. **Mass will be at 10:00am and dinner will be at 11:00.** The main course will be provided, and we ask that everyone bring a side dish to share. There are sign-up sheets at both entrances. In order to properly plan the meal, we ask that you register in advance and let us know what dish you will provide. Thank you, and Happy Thanksgiving.

Midshipman Copeland Nowell will hold a presentation/information meeting for students interested in attending the **United States Naval Academy**. The meeting will be held on November 21st and November 22nd at 10:00 a.m. at Sacred Heart Parish Life Center, 306 Walnut Street, Hattiesburg. For more information, contact Copeland at m254758@usna.edu.

Eagle Catholic Drawdown

Friday, November 18th

Please help support our Eagle Catholic students by purchasing a drawdown ticket. Each \$100 ticket admits 2 to the drawdown on Friday, November 18th, 6-9pm. Tickets are available after mass and during the week in the office.

Father Pat:

In case you have not heard, Fr. Pat O’Shaughnessy is now in Hattiesburg at Alden Pointe on King Road. Fr. Tommy would like him to have at least two visitors every day including Saturday and Sunday between 9am and 4pm. If you would like to help, **please call St. Fabian church** to schedule a day and time to visit. Thank You.



Our parish is sponsoring a half-day workshop **“God’s Plan for Sex and Your Body”** on **Saturday, November 19th from 12:00-5:00pm**. There is no charge to attend and includes lunch. With separate tracks for **parents, middle schoolers, and high schoolers**, the workshop’s aim is to begin cutting through the falsehoods around sexuality and build a perspective anchored in the truths of Scripture, the Catechism of the Catholic Church, and the writings of Saint Pope John Paul II. Register by scanning the QR code on the poster, bulletin, or website.



iGiveCatholic: takes place on #GivingTuesday, November 29th, from 12:00 AM to 11:59 PM for gifts given online or offline through a donation of cash or check directly to the church. There is an Advanced Giving Day phase for both online and offline “pre-Giving Day” gifts running from 12:00 AM on Monday, November 14th through 11:59 PM on Monday, November 28th. Please consider giving back to St. Thomas Aquinas church to help defray the cost of upgrading our computer system in the Parish Center, and also purchasing a new Processional Crucifix and matching Altar Crucifix for the church. We are doing all we can to enhance your experience in church and at any events held in the Parish Center. Watch for the link posted in the bulletin and on Facebook.

Link: <https://tinyurl.com/4ytwa48h>

Catholic in Recovery

Catholic in Recovery is a ministry that provides healing for those seeking recovery from addictions, compulsions, and unhealthy attachments. Meetings combine the spiritual principles of 12-step recovery with the sacraments of the Catholic Church. Join us as we overlap scripture from Sunday’s mass, liturgical themes, and recovery topics with honest discussion and prayer. Confidentiality is protected. We meet every Monday night at 6:30 in the parish hall. For more information, please contact Emily at Emilyosbornerhodes@gmail.com or leave a message at the St. Thomas parish office, (601) 264-5192.

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