



**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 5, 2012**

The Lord tells the number of the stars and calls them by name.
--- Psalm 147:4

Today's Readings:

First Reading - Job 7:1-4, 6-7

Psalm - Psalm 147

Second Reading- 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23

Gospel Reading - Mark 1:29-39



Dorothy Peoples Beach 2/5; Kenny & Laura Evans, Reba Jennings, Joe Morgan, Ted Opiela, 1/29; Bill Gleason, Susie Gleason, Brad Stubblefield, 1/22, Sandy Hamilton & Family, Sr. Mary Hanh, Doug Trovato, Ayla Whitehead 1/15; Ruth Beaudoin, Elsie Bridges, Jimmy Garner, Bob Gorrell, Robbie Graves, Paula Greco, Joan Latham, Kermit Littleton, Helen McDearman, Bruno Tubertini, Esperanza Velasquez 1/8/2012;

Persons wanting to be added to the Prayer List need to complete the prayer request form and forward to the office - Names will stay on the Prayer List for one month.

PRAYER REQUEST FORM 2012

Date _____ By _____

Please pray for: _____

Reason: _____

Is this a: New name _____ Renewal _____ (check one)

Please place in the collection basket or mail to the office.



Prayers for Safety for all service men and women at home and abroad, who give of their lives daily in order that we may enjoy our freedom:
Preston Blocker, David Brooks, William Aaron Burks,

Michael P Collins, Nathan Darnell, Michael Jessie, Kimberly Johnson, Derek Lieding, Michael Machost, Jr., Steven P. Meadows, Nick Pendleton, Damian Perrin, James (Alec) Ponder, Nathan Waltman, Jeremy Walton, and Austin Whitetted. *You may place a picture of the individual on the military bulletin board located in the parish hall.*

Sacrificial Giving Last Weekend

Regular tithe	\$ 4,911.17
"Take a Step" Capital Campaign	
To date: Received	\$ 51,185.00
118 pledges- 3 Year Pledged	\$206,000.00

Thank you for your generosity!

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

February 11 & 12:

"MISSISSIPPI CATHOLIC"

Renew your yearly subscription \$20.00



**Month of February
"The Passion of Our Lord"**

MASS INTENTIONS & WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

*****Note Changes*** for the Week**

Saturday, February 4 - Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday

12Noon Eucharistic Adoration - chapel

4:00pm Confession

Blessing of Throats at all Masses this weekend!

5:00pm People of the Parish

Sunday, February 5 - 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass - Agnes David

9:15am PSR - church

9:30am Confirmation - parish office meeting room

11:00am Mass - John Kuk

Monday, February 6 - NO MASS - St. Paul Miki and Comp.

6:00pm Knights of Columbus/parish office

6:30pm Madonna Circle/parish hall

Tuesday, February 7

5:30pm Mass - Brian McSwain for Healing

6:10pm Rosary - chapel

6:30pm Prayer Meeting - chapel

Wednesday, Feb. 8-St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita

8:30am All School Mass - Extension Society Intention

9:30 - 7pm Eucharistic Adoration - chapel

6:15pm LifeTeen - parish hall

Thursday, February 9

*****12Noon** Anointing Mass - Emma Pepper

12:30pm Young at Heart/parish hall

5:30pm Mass - Joan Latham for Healing

6:30pm RCIA - parish hall

Friday, February 10 - St. Scholastica

12Noon Mass - Brian Smartt

CWA BAKE SALE AFTER ALL MASSES

Saturday, February 11 - Our Lady of Lourdes;

Blessed Virgin Mary; World Day of the Sick

4:00pm Confession

5:00pm Jeff Schwindaman Birthday Intention

Sunday, February 12 - 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass - Jeanette Kuluz

9:15am PSR - church

9:30am Confirmation - parish office meeting room

11:00am Mass - People of the Parish

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday

9:30am - 7:00pm

(Praying for Family Renewal)

(please sign-up in advance - the time you are available)



REMINDER

Please bring last years palm branches to church and place them in the basket in the gathering space to be burned on Sunday, February 19th after Mass. *We will use the ashes produced for Ash Wednesday distribution.*





CWA will hold a **Bake Sale** after all Masses next weekend to help defer costs for our annual retreat in March.

"Catholicism" Discussion Series

Change of day & time!!!

We are excited to announce an extraordinary opportunity that will be offered at St. Therese Church **beginning Feb. 24, the first Friday of Lent** following the Friday Lenten Stations of the Cross, Benediction and Soup Suppers.

Each of the weekly sessions will consist of an hour-long DVD segment followed by insightful discussion. Topics covered in the series include: the mystery of God, the teachings of Jesus, Mary, the missionary adventure of Peter and Paul, the Church as Body of Christ, the liturgy, the Eucharist, the Communion of Saints, prayer, and the last things.

Deadline for ordering Study Guide extended until Monday Feb. 6th: Available for the discounted price of \$28.17 each. Please contact the parish office 601-372-4481 or email stheresecc@yahoo.com.

Knight's Table #8285



► Will hold their monthly meeting on **Monday, February 6** beginning with the Rosary at 6:00pm and meeting at 6:30pm in the parish office.

*Thank you – Rusty Kemp
Grand Knight 769-798-0169*

SAVE THE DATES:



February 22, 2012 - Ash Wednesday Mass times and distribution of ashes:

8:30am All School Mass and 6:30pm Mass - Ash Wednesday is a day of universal **fast and abstinence** in the Church.

February 24, 2012 - 12Noon Mass; 5:30pm Stations of the Cross; 6:00pm Soup Supper and "Catholicism" Discussion Series

March 2-4, 2012– Catholic Women's Association Annual Spring Retreat at Chatawa St. Therese CWA is raffling an original Celeste Zepponi Angel Painting. Funds raised will assist women attending the March 2-4, 2012 Women's Retreat. Raffle tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. The painting is on display in the gathering space. Tickets available after Mass.



Celeste Zepponi will be our retreat leader!
(Raffle will take place at Chatawa Retreat, March 2012.)

Young at Heart Thursday, February 9 12Noon Anointing Mass



Please join us! We begin at 12Noon with Anointing Mass (chapel) followed by good food, good fun and fellowship. Bring a favorite dish to share. Bring a friend or two!

Hope to see you on the 9th.

HINDSIGHT

God's presence is not discerned at the time when it is upon us, but afterwards, when we look back. – *John*

Henry Newman

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

February 5, 2012

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Keep your family safe, O Lord, with unfailing care, that, relying solely on the hope of heavenly grace, they may be defended always by your protection. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

How can I come to rely more on heavenly grace?

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Inquiring minds want to know:

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Announcement

In accordance with the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People passed by the U.S. bishops in Dallas, the Diocese of Jackson wishes to encourage any victim of sexual abuse by a member of the Catholic Clergy to come forward and begin the healing process. When an allegation is found to be credible, counseling will be offered, so that the healing process can begin in accord with our present diocesan policy. We encourage any victim to contact Ms. Valeria McClellan, Victims Assistance Coordinator at 601-326-3728. (2/2012)

CHAPLAIN ASSOCIATE POSITION

St. Dominic Hospital Pastoral Care Services is looking for a devout and practicing Catholic who can be recommended by his/her pastor. Serious applicants apply on line at stdom.com – then click on **Careers > Job Listings > Any > Search > Chaplain Associate** for more information.

St. Joe Draw Down - Jeans, Jazz and Bruin Blues - February 11, 2012 - Tickets/sponsorships now available - call Becky Adkins at 601-613-8526.



Honor a loved one with a Birthday, Anniversary or Healing Intention - Remember a loved one with a Memorial Mass Intention. Email:

stheresacc@yahoo.com or call the parish office 601-372-4481 to check available calendar dates. Requested Mass stipend is \$10.



January 22, 2012
39th Anniversary of Roe v. Wade
Pray for an end to abortion.

Hospital Notification for the Church Office

Due to the "privacy act", hospitals do not release a patient's name or give out any information. Please notify us if you are planning surgery or other procedures. In an emergency, a relative or friend should call us or ask the hospital staff to notify us at 601-372-4481. We also need permission to list your name in the church bulletin.

St. Richard will host Fr. Fred Kammer, SJ at 7pm on Tuesday, February 28.

Fr. Kammer will address the *Biblical Roots of Faithjustice*. Open to the Public. See flyer in gathering space. On Wednesday, Fr. Kammer will address the **Catholic Day at the Capitol** on the immigration issue expected before the legislature.

Catholic Day at the Capitol 2012 - The 2012 Mississippi Legislative Session is now underway, and the Poverty in America Taskforce with Catholic Charities, Inc. Office of Parish Social Ministry is gearing up for the 2nd Annual Catholic Day at the Capitol* on **February 29, 2012**.

Participants will have the opportunity to gather at the Central High School Auditorium to learn about issues from key leaders, attend Mass with Bishop Joseph Latino of the Jackson Diocese and Bishop Roger Morin of the Biloxi Diocese, and meet with their legislators to discuss important issues. All are welcome to attend. To register, please visit our website at:

www.CatholicCharitiesJackson.org today! *Catholic Day at the Capitol is sponsored by the Poverty in America Taskforce with the Catholic Charities, Inc. Office of Parish Social Ministry in Jackson in partnership with Catholic Charities of Biloxi, the Catholic Diocese of Jackson, and the Catholic Diocese of Biloxi.*

Purchase a subscription of the Mississippi Catholic \$20 - for someone in our parish who can't afford it.



PLEASE REMEMBER OUR ST. THERESE FOOD PANTRY

WHEN SHOPPING AND PICK UP A FEW EXTRA ITEMS. OUR FOOD PANTRY IS IN NEED OF CANNED MEAT, FRUIT, AND VEGTABLES, PEANUT BUTTER AND JELLY, ETC. WE ASK THAT YOU TO PLEASE CHECK THE EXPIRATION DATE BEFORE DONATING.

THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS!

PLEASE LET US KNOW

If you have recently **joined our parish family**, we ask you to please complete a Parish Registration form found in the gathering space and forward to the parish office.

If you have **changed your phone number, moved, or have a new email address**, please take the time to let us know.

Our parish records are very important.

All one needs to do is:

Email: stheresacc@yahoo.com,

Fax: 601-376-0094 or call in: 601-372-4481

up-dated information today. **Thank you.**

Are you elderly? Have you fallen into the Medicare "Donut Hole"? You may qualify for prescription assistance. Contact Mary Patterson at Catholic Charities, Inc. 601-326-3765 for more information.

Canon Law for Pastoral Ministers - A six week course is being offered by the Diocese of Jackson, in conjunction with Spring Hill College, from 9 a. m. to 4 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic High School in Madison beginning February 25, 2012. Father Kevin Slattery, a priest of the Diocese of Jackson and adjutant judicial vicar of the Jackson Tribunal Office, will present an overview of the code and touch on other forms of legislation within the Catholic Church. The course is available for undergraduate or graduate credit, but may also be taken as an "easy listener." Information and registration brochure in the gathering space or contact: Fabvienen at 601-960-8470 or fabvienen.taylor@jacksondiocese.org.

ST. JOSEPH PARISH - GLUCKSTADT invites you to our Parish Mission beginning Sunday, March 4!! Father Louis Guardiola, a Father of Mercy Priest, will be at all three Masses on Sunday, March 4 to introduce his topic "The Church as the Ark of the Covenant Leading Us to Our Heavenly Homeland". The mission sessions will be on Sunday evening beginning at 6:30 p.m. and Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday evenings beginning at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome!!