

Ascension of the Lord May 8, 2016



God mounts his throne amid shouts of joy; the LORD, amid trumpet blasts. --
Psalm 47:6

TODAY'S READINGS:

First Reading – Acts 1:1-11

Psalm – Psalm 47

Second Reading – Ephesians 1:17-23

Gospel – Luke 24:46-53

Joanne Jackson, Tom/Brenda Steen Family, Laura Tarbutton 5/8; Susan Boyd, Clint Richards, Brenda Williams, Larmay Acy, Jamie Beck, Valerie Bernard, John/Teresa/Mark Bradshaw, Theresa Cannon, Cathy/Mike Eaves, Michael Eaves, Ed Hardy, Grace Jeadron, Lorraine Lorio, Helen Machost, Frank Machost, Ursin Oubre, Jr., Hazel Sanders, Ronnie Shuler, Louis/Tony Smith, Emma Lynn Warren, Jonathan Warren, Sonny/Veronica Womack 5/1; Matthew Develle, Evelyn Durst, Cary/Mariel Forrester, Corey Granier, Olivia Johnson, Francis Rooks Patterson, Robert Perlick, Bill Rush, James Wink 4/24 Helen Alcorn, Julia Carraway, Jack Hardy, John Hardy, June Hutchins, Gary Koon, Helen Opiela, Thomas Putnam, 4/17; **Homebound/Nursing Homes:** James Colon, Sandra Elliott, Abron Haymond, Peggy Huffman, Marjorie Jaap, Ernestine Lindsey, Margaret Major, Lura Matthews, Shirley Redmond, Doris Rush, Sue Trebotich **Priests/Religious:** Bob McGovern, Brian Carroll, Xavier Colavechio, Robert Oliver, Richard Somers, Lenin Vargas, Retired Bishop Joseph Latino. **Persons wanting to be added to the Prayer List need to contact the parish office – Names will stay on for one month.**



THOSE IN THE MILITARY 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, Joe Hayes, Derek Lieding, Michael Machost, Jr., Steven P. Meadows, Blake Nations, Nick Pendleton, Brooks Stevens, James (Alec) Ponder and Nathan Waltman. You may place a picture of the individual on the military bulletin board located in the parish hall.

Sacrificial Giving this past week:

Budget Needed Weekly	\$6,000.00
Regular Tithe	\$4,671.50
“Take a Step”	\$185.69
Coffee & Doughnuts	\$9.00
Food Pantry	\$35.00
Youth	\$11.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$7.00

Thank you for your generosity!



May Month of: Our Lady

**Monday-Friday 7:30am Mass
Carmelite Monastery**

WEEKLY SCHEDULE 7 MASS INTENTIONS:

*** Changes or Additions ***

STT – St. Therese

CTK – Christ the King

OLOG – Our Lady of Guadalupe

MFCC – Christian Catholic Family Movement

MSJLOG – Marian Servants of Jesus the Lamb of God

Saturday, May 7 – Vigil of Ascension of the Lord

10:00am – Training Session for Current and New Altar Servers

12noon-3pm

Adoration

3:00pm

Confession

3:30pm

Rosary

4:00pm

Mass – People of the Parish



Sunday, May 8 – Ascension of the Lord – Mother's Day

World Communications Day

9:00am

English PSR – office classrooms

10:00am

Rosary

10:30am

Mass – Billy Hutchins

11:30am

Confirmation – office classroom

12noon

Rosary

12:30pm

Spanish Mass – Healing Intentions for Gonsalo Lopes and Gonsalo Fernandes

3:00pm

Vietnamese Mass

Monday, May 9 – NO MASS

6:00pm

Knights of Columbus – parish hall

Tuesday, May 10 – St. Damien de Veuster

5:00pm

Cursillo Prayer Group 1 – prayer room

Cursillo Prayer Group 2 – choir area

5:30pm

Mass – Joann Jackson for Healing

6:10pm

Rosary - Chapel

6:30pm

MSJLOG Prayer Meeting –parish hall

Wednesday, May 11

8:30am

Mass – Special Intention

9:00am-7:00pm

Adoration



Thursday, May 12 – Ss. Nereus and Achilleus; St. Pancras

12Noon

Healing Mass – Veronica Womack for Healing

12:30pm

Young at Heart - potluck and fellowship – parish hall

Friday, May 13 – Our Lady of Fatima

8:45am

Mass at CTK

***6:30pm

Town Hall meeting – parish hall

Saturday, May 14 – Vigil of Pentecost

3:00pm

Confession

4:00pm

Mass – Special Intention

Sunday, May 15 – Pentecost Sunday

9:00am

English PSR – office classrooms

***11:00am Bi-lingual Mass

People of the Parish

**Pentecost Potluck Celebration to follow
in the school gymnasium**

MOTHER LOVE

There is only one pretty child in the world,
and every mother has it. --*Chinese proverb*

Month of May

Prayer Intentions of our Holy Father, Pope Francis
Universal: *Respect for Women*

That in every country of the world, women may
be honored, respected and that their essential
contribution to society may be highly esteemed.

Evangelization: *Holy Rosary*

That families, communities, and groups may pray the
Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.

St. Therese Parishioners Rosary Intention:

Mothers and Peace in the World!



CONGRATULATIONS 2016 GRADUATES!

► **Thomas Stevenson** – graduated May 7,
2016 from Mississippi State University

with a major in Criminology.

► **Hannah Turney** - will graduate from Terry High
School May 19, 2016 with honors and plans to attend
Mississippi State in the fall majoring in Pre-Med.

► **Mario Villasenor** – will graduate from Terry High
School May 19, 2016, with high honors and plans to
attend Mississippi State in the fall majoring in Pre-
Med.

► **Regie Alquino** will graduate from Hillcrest
Christian School, May 13, 2016. He has been accepted
at the University of Mississippi where he will major in
Exercise Science.

**Please notify the parish office of your name, school
and future plans, stheresecc@yahoo.com.**

POSITION AVAILABLE

The Catholic Diocese of Jackson is looking for a
para legal/lawyer who would be willing to work on an
hourly basis as needed. In this position, the employee
can work either from home and/or from an office in
the Chancery building. The main task will be to assist
a range of legal support and administration, such as
reviewing contracts, drafting contracts, deeds, titles,
etc.

For a full description or to apply please contact
cathy.pendleton@jacksondiocese.org. If interested
in applying, please submit your resume along with
desired hourly rate.

SAVE THE DATES:

► **May 13 – Town Hall Meeting – 6:30pm,**
parish hall re: Working Together Jackson

► **May 15 –**

**10:00am – Liturgical training for
Lector and Commentators.** For those who
were not able to attend the previous training
are encouraged to attend.

**11:00am – Pentecost Sunday
Celebration** - One bi-lingual Mass at 11:00am
followed by a parish pot luck dinner – details
soon.

► **June 3 – 10th Annual Bruin Classic Golf
Tournament** – Canton Country Club – see
brochures in the gathering space for details.

► **June 4 – 2016 Bishop's Ball**
Catholic Charities 2016 Bishop's Ball will be
held at the Country Club of Jackson. Bishop
Emeritus William Houck will be honored
posthumously for his service to Charities.
Social begins at 6pm/Dinner around 7pm.
For ticket information contact Michael
Thomas at 601-326-3714.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

How am I being challenged to imitate the
unconditional forgiveness of Jesus, God's
“mercy made flesh”?

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PRAYING FOR VOCATIONS



Each week at St. Therese (at all Masses), we
have a chalice and/or vocation framed picture
that goes from home to home. Each home
keeps the item for one week and returns it the
next weekend. There are also suggested
prayers that accompany the chalice and/or picture. If
you would like to sign up to have the chalice/picture in
your home, and pray for vocations during the coming
weeks, please sign the Vocation Board found in the
gathering space.

Catholic Service Appeal 2016 Called to Serve

*We thank all those at St. Therese who have generously
responded to the annual Catholic Service Appeal. Of
the 62 pledges St. Therese has raised \$11,777 for
2016. For more on information about the Appeal or to
donate online please visit www.jacksondiocese.org.
Again, Thank you!*