



Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,
I want to thank everyone for the wonderful 45th Anniversary celebration. It was truly a wonderful celebration. Thanks to those who planned the Mass and provided the reception. Thanks to everyone who made the Mass so special, especially the choirs and musicians. You were outstanding! And thanks to all who attended. Your presence made it special.

I feel very blessed to spend these few years at St. Therese parish. You are special. Your rich cultural diversity is a shining example to the community and diocese of what it means to be Catholic. I have not experienced a parish as warm and welcoming as St. Therese. You are a blessing to all. May the Lord continue to bless you.

Sincerely yours,
Msgr. Elvin Sunds, Pastor

Help widen our circle of support during #iGiveCatholic 2018



Our parish is again participating in #iGiveCatholic during November. We join other parishes, schools and Catholic groups in the diocese who have signed up for this special Giving Tuesday event.

All funds raised during the 2018 event will go towards items needed in our New Life Building, parish office, classrooms and meeting rooms, ie... fire proof file cabinets, tv/projector for large room, atomic clocks for every room and to assist our Youths Annual Abbey Fest Spring trip.

Please invite your family and forever friends, even your children and others who grew up at St. Therese to participate in #iGiveCatholic on Giving Tuesday, Nov. 27! The instructions are easy - tell them to go to iGiveCatholic.org, find the Diocese of Jackson, then choose our parish - St. Therese Catholic Church, Jackson, MS.

Online donations are made by credit card, however donations can also be made by check to our parish noting #iGiveCatholic in the memo line or cash placed in an envelope Nov. 24/25.

Question of the Week

In what way is Jesus king in my life? How do I live in this world while living for God's kingdom?

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GRATITUDE

What is gladness without gratitude, and where is gratitude without a God?

--Coventry Patmore

Spiritual Direction is available upon request at St. Therese Catholic Church. Contact Teresa Preuss at 601-372-4481, Ignatian Spiritual Director (Marian Servant of Jesus, the Lamb of God). Ignatian Spirituality is spirituality for everyday life. It is a pathway to deeper prayer and insists that God is present in our world and active in our daily lives.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Wednesday Time Change
9:00am – 5:00pm

Wednesday Adoration will end at 5:00pm. *If you are willing to commit to one hour each week please sign up in the gathering space so we know what hours will be covered.*

Thank you!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19; Ps 96:10-13; Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4; Ps 98:1-3ab, 7-9; Lk 21:12-19
Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 21:20-28
Friday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22
Saturday: Rv 22:1-7; Ps 95:1-7ab; Lk 21:34-36
Sunday: Jer 33:14-16; Ps 25:4-5, 8-10, 14; 1 Thes 3:12 -- 4:2; Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

St. Therese Community extends a warm welcome to all new members. Please complete a purple registration form located on the table as you enter church (on the right). It is important for us to know you and know how many registered parishioners we have. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office at 601-372-4481 or email: sttherese@jacksondiocese.org and again,

Welcome to St. Therese Parish!



November Prayer Intentions of our Holy Father, Pope Francis

Evangelization: Universal: In the Service of Peace

That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.

St. Therese Parishioners Rosary Intention:

Put an END to All Racism and Peace in the World!



Young at Heart is Recruiting!

The more smiling faces we have, the more enjoyable our afternoon is. An open invitation to join us any 2nd Thursday of the Month (men and women). We begin with Mass of Anointing at 12 in the chapel, followed by a potluck lunch, fellowship, much enjoyment and laughter. If you have never been, come sometime and check us out. We are a great group of fun folks! We will meet Thursday, December 13th - - Join Us!