

The Baptism of the Lord
 January 13, 2019
*"He saved us through the bath of rebirth
 and renewal by the Holy Spirit." Titus 3:5*

CALENDAR OF MASSES/EVENTS

Sunday, January 13, 2019

The Baptism of the Lord

- 8:00 am PreK – 5th Grade PREP
- 8:00 am Adult Education
- 8:00 am RCIA Classes
- 9:30 am Liturgy **For The Parish Community**
- 7:00 pm AA & Al Anon



Monday, January 14, 2019

- 6:15 pm Boy Scouts

Tuesday, January 15, 2019

- 9:00 am Weight Loss Support Group



Wednesday, January 16, 2019

- 5:30 pm Open Gym
- 6:30 pm 6th through 12th Grades PRE

Thursday, January 17, 2019

- 8:00 am Liturgy +**Bill Brown, Jr.** 10th months mind ,
by: Liz Brown
- 9:00 am Adult Ed
- 10:30 am Senior Center
- 3:30 pm Interfaith Meets
- 6:30 pm Choir Practice
- 8:00 pm AA & Al-Anon



Friday, January 18, 2019

- 8:00 am Liturgy **Intentions of Hu Smith**

Saturday, January 19, 2019

- 9:00 am – 1st Reconciliation Service CTK
- 5:30 pm Confession

Confessions available by appointment also 662-429-7851

- 6:00 pm Liturgy **For The Parish Community**

Sunday, January 20, 2019

The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 am PreK – 5th Grade PREP
- 8:00 am Adult Education
- 8:00 am RCIA Classes
- 9:30 am Liturgy +**Parker & Katherine Carroll**
by: Patsy Brotherton
- 7:00 pm AA & Al Anon



**January – Barbara Dean
 Ministry Schedule**

PLEASE REMEMBER:

You are to arrive at least 20 to 30 minutes before mass is to begin. This is important to be prepared and ready.

Saturday, January 19 – 6:00 pm

- Greeter:** Lorraine Faulkner/Maureen Morgan
- Usher:** Chuck & Martha Blumer
- Server:** Landon Ellis/Cooper Sells
- Lector:** Bill Marking/Liz Brown
- Gift Bearer:** Shane Hughes Family
- Eucharistic Ministers:** Danny & Cindy Thomas/Stacy Hughes

Sunday, January 20 – 9:30 am

- Greeter:** Rose Powell/LaRae Walgenbach
- Usher:** Alan Gho/Bill Warner
- Server:** Jessica Smith/Clay/Harris Arnell
- Lector:** Morgan Billingsley/Chris Mitchell
- Gift Bearer:** Durbin Family
- Eucharistic Ministers:** Greg & Leanne Meng/Kristin Carter/Diane Cullen/Merritt Powell/Barbara Nickarz/Amanda Ready

REMINDER: If you are unable to fulfill your ministry obligation, it is your responsibility to find someone that can serve in your place. Thank you.

SUNDAY OFFERING



PARISH SUPPORT

Needed Weekly for Budget.....

\$6,094.81	
January 6 Offering	\$7,118.22
Maintenance Fund Last Wk.....	\$ 903.00
Community Services.....	\$ 200.00
Children's Collection.....	\$ 14.01

There should be no eating, drinking or gum in the Church. If a child must have nourishment, please do so in the cry room.



BLESSING OF MINISTERS- All ministers who serve at liturgy will receive a special blessing and commissioning this

weekend .

2019 Calendars!!! Please pick up a 2019 Feasts and Saints Calendar located in the Narthex.

Save-the-Date:

Women's Morning of Spirituality 2019
Saturday, February 23, 2019 at Catholic Church of the Incarnation, Collierville
Keynote Speaker: Johnnette Benkovic Williams
More info at: <http://womensmorning.com>

ALL PARISH FIRST RECONCILIATION

(For children who will make their 1st Communion in May, 2019)

**Saturday, January 19th
 9:00 AM**

Christ the King, Southaven



Priest Contact Numbers:
SERIOUS SACRAMENT EMERGENCY ONLY 901-351-6591
 All other needs 662-429-7851

CHILDREN'S HOMILY

January 13 – Allison Baskin
 January 20 – Maria Mitchell

RELIGIOUS GOODS STORE

January 13 – Beverly Goode
 January 20 – Brenda Caruthers

ALTAR LINENS MINISTRY

The Knights of Columbus will provide a pancake breakfast immediately after the service for the children and their families.

Thank You For the Gift of Your Time

**A GREAT BIG THANK YOU
to all of you who gave of your time at such a
busy season to help our
Interfaith Council on Poverty Christmas Drive.**

**To all of our parishioners who purchased items
and gave monetary donations
to assist with our 63 families, thank you!**

**To all of our parishioners who came on
Wednesday (the work day) and worked so hard
to pack and sort and put together the 63
awesome baskets for our needy families,
thank you!!**

**And to all our parishioners who came on
Saturday morning to help distribute those
wonderful baskets to the 63 families that came,
thank you!!!**

*God bless all of you who gave of yourselves so
generously during the Interfaith Council on
Poverty Christmas Drive in so many ways during
this special time of the year.*

*Through your generosity many children will wake
up Christmas morning with smiles and laughter
because they have gifts under the tree.*

*We ask you to continue to pray for those who are
experiencing hardships, and for those who are
without jobs, that they may soon find a way to
provide for their families.*

**“In every way I have shown you that by hard work
we must help the weak, and keep in mind the words
of the Lord Jesus who Himself said,
‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’” Acts 20:35**

Planting the Seeds of Good Stewardship in our Children



Each weekend the children are encouraged by the presider to come forward and bring their offerings and place them in the basket on the Altar. Through this practice we want to teach our children how to be good stewards. At the same time, we want to teach our children that our monetary offering is only one way of being good stewards. All that we have comes from a loving God and in gratitude we

acknowledge that by offering our time, treasure, and talents to serve God and his people.

Confessions available by appointment 662-429-7851

Seriously Sick & Hospitalized

📖 Please Pray For The Sick 📖

Your prayers are requested for the following who are having/recovering from surgery or are seriously ill:
Pat Smith, Adella Hicks, Nancy Rachal, Robert Brasher (Neechie's dad), Chris Selvo (N. French), Steve Polumbo, Marcia Perryman (J. Terry's sis), Victor Pretti, Nancy Potts, Neechie Presley, Diane Smith (Cil sis), David Ward, Bill Warner, Marie Smith, Christopher Noel, Al Gawel, Deeanna Greer (Dean Niece), Sr. Mary Myles (Powell sis), Caralee Joyner (Barb Wilder niece), Mary Greenwell (Barbara Dean's sis), Noah Sansom, Hayley Hardy (Higdon niece), Tony Pangelina, Gilda Stafford, Sr. Antonienne Thoma, Phyllis Pangelina, James Ferguson, Rosemary Sabbatini, Alice Quick (C. Menne sis), Barney Norys (Terry), Jared Smith (Liz Brown), Susan Terry, Mr. Thanh Pham (Fr. Thi's father), Brenda Caruthers, Baby Asher Farmer, Ron Pickard, Joyce & Terry Cobb (Stafford), Mike Johnson, Dennis Schwab (Powell nephew), John Foti (Muzzi Bro), Betty Brotherton (B. Martin mom), Pete Cervetti (Cass Douglas), Daniel Douglas (Jeffries bronlaw), Birdie Lewis (Felicia grandma), Kim Craig (J. Davis sisn law), Farris Jenkins (N Rachal bron law), Carter Brooks, Josh Bixler (Bill/Liz Brown's nephew), Sherry Vowell (Ken Hoover's sis), and Sara Hewitt (Marie Smith). Please notify the Pastor when serious illness occurs or when hospitalization is indicated: we would like to strengthen the ill with the Eucharist and the Sacrament of the Sick (Anointing).



NEW COURSE BEGINNING AT QUEEN OF PEACE: MORALITY: AS I HAVE LOVED YOU.

Sr. Emily will teach this course beginning on Thursday, January 17 at 6:45pm in the parish hall at Queen of Peace. The course requires 8 sessions (all on Thursdays) and homework. The text is *As I Have Loved You* by James P. Hanigan. You can get the book on Amazon, used, cheap. The second text is *Moral Theology*, edited by James Keating. Please sign up in the gathering space. Homework before the 1st class will be chapters 1 and 2 of *As I Have Loved you*. Please come prepared. For those doing the CALL classes, this is the next one up.

DESOTO LANDERS MOBILE FOOD DISTRIBUTION SPONSORED BY

SACRED HEART SOUTHERN MISSIONS
Once a month SHSM has a mobile food distribution at the Landers Center in Southaven to help families in need in Desoto County. SHSM serves 1500 families so it is a massive undertaking that requires at least 75 volunteers. SHSM needs volunteers from 1:30PM – 5:00PM.

The days in 2019 are January 16, February 13th, March 20th, April 17th, May 15th, June 19th, July 17th, August 21st September 12th (Thursday), October 9th, November 20th and December 18th.

Please contact Lois Harrison at Lharrison@shsm.org or 901-626-5432. THANK YOU!!

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THE WORD AMONG US--FREE!

Each issue includes daily meditations based on the Mass readings, articles about the saints, and practical advice on living the Christian life. Pick up your family's copy located in the box at the bulletin board.



NO CELL PHONE ZONE We remind all to please turn off all cell phones and electronic communication devices when entering the church buildings. The signals, even from a silenced phone, interfere with the wireless microphones of the church.



PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

FAMILY IDEAS

In the Prayer of the Faithful at Mass, we offer prayers to God for the needs of others. We pray for the church, for the world, for our leaders, for people living in poverty, for those who do not have enough to eat, for people facing illness, for those grieving the loss of a loved one, and others. We can also add our own individual prayers silently in our hearts.

Encourage children to pray for the needs of others not only at Mass but at other times too. When you hear an ambulance siren or a fire engine, ask family members to take a moment and pray for the person who needs help.

Make a family prayer calendar. Write down a different person or group to pray for each week. Then on Sundays, say a short prayer for that intention. Simply add the prayer for the people in need right after saying grace before dinner.

FAMILY PRAYER:

God of compassion, we pray for the elderly, for people living in poverty, for the sick and for children who go to bed hungry at night. May our family find a way to reach out to people who need help. May others see your love for them through our actions. Amen.

NOTE TO FIRST COMMUNION FAMILIES

First Communion children should learn to pray not only for our own needs but for the need of other people, even those they do not know. God created us to be a community that prays for one another and cares about one another. Teach your children that God sends us to help others.



WEIGHT LOSS SUPPORT GROUP Come join us each week as we support each other on our weight loss journey. Tuesday morning at 9:00 am for a weigh in and sharing. Liz Brown is our contact person for this adventure. 901-331-3419. **MAKE PLANS TO**



Pregnancy Care Center- Holy Spirit is collecting diapers, formula, new clothing and gently used baby gear for infants/toddlers for the Pregnancy Care Center in Southaven. Please place items in the cradle located in the Narthex. This is an ongoing ministry

Care Center \$2,835.06 Baby Bottle Campaign
Many Thanks to all that returned their baby bottles!

“The commandment to love God and neighbor is the first, not because it is at the top of the list of commandments. Jesus does not place it at the pinnacle but at the center, because it is from the heart that everything must go out and to which everything must return and refer.”

—Pope Francis, *The Joy of Discipleship*

BAPTISM REGISTRATIONS--

Please call Sr. Emily (662-342-1073) for an appointment by January 24th. Registrations will take place on Saturday, February 2nd

Baptism days are Saturday, February 23rd and Sunday, February 24th.

Qualifications for godparents are that they are practicing Catholics, registered in a parish, attending Mass regularly, baptized, confirmed, Holy Communion and if married, married in the Catholic Church. Godparents who live in another parish require a letter from their pastor recommending them as godparents.



Sacred Heart School

Sacred Heart School is a Catholic environment dedicated to developing young people whose actions reflect knowledge, respect, and integrity.

Open House at Sacred Heart Catholic School is this Sunday, February 10th from 2:00 – 4:00 PM

Please bring the family and take a tour of Sacred Heart School! Faculty, staff and proud parents will be on hand to answer all of your questions.

Sacred Heart School, recognized by Today's Catholic Teacher as one of three most innovative Catholic Identity Schools in the United States provides a small close knit family atmosphere with approximately 330 students representing 24 different countries.

We are now accepting applications for the 2019-2020 school year and classes are filling up quick. Let us show you how SHS can meet your educational needs.

**JOIN US EACH WEEK AS WE STRIVE TO
BECOME HEALTHIER, HAPPIER PERSONS!!!**



Wednesday Night "OPEN GYM"

When: Wednesday evenings

Who: 6th thru 12th grades

Where: Holy Spirit's Family Life Center

Time: 5:30-6:30pm

FOOD PANTRY NEED– Sugar Holy Spirit provides sugar for our Food Pantry here in Hernando. This is "Sugar Weekend" we hope you brought sugar to mass with you. We have a growing number of families coming for food. We have been facing a **real shortage of sugar** lately to meet this demand. You may bring sugar whenever it is convenient. This food pantry serves the poor of our community. Matthew 26:11 **God bless your generosity.**

Update Membership Information

Does our Parish database have your family membership record correct? Here is your chance to update your record for our annual Guide Book and Directory (if you have not already done so).

Have you changed your phone number? Have you moved? Are you preparing to move soon? Are all of your children still at home and are they all included in your membership record?

If you have not already informed the Parish office about changes to your record, please let us know now so that the information in the Guide Book and Directory is correct. The office number is 662-429-7851 or email holyspiritchurch@shsm.org Thank you for your help.

Registration forms are located at the Bulletin Board as you enter the church for new members.

Ministry Need – answer to your resolution to "answer the call to a ministry at church": We need someone to mail bulletins to our shut-ins each week. Please call MaryAnn 662-429-7851 if you are God's "**Gifted and Called**" to this ministry.



A CALL TO HOLINESS BY POPE FRANCIS.

37. Thanks be to God, throughout the history of the Church it has always been clear that a person's perfection is measured not by the information or knowledge they possess, but by the depth of their charity. "Gnostics" do not understand this, because they judge others based on their ability to understand the complexity of certain doctrines. They think of the intellect as separate from the flesh, and thus become incapable of touching Christ's suffering flesh in others, locked up as they are in an encyclopaedia of abstractions. In the end, by disembodiment of the mystery, they prefer "a God without Christ, a Christ without the Church, a Church without her people".[\[36\]](#)

38. Certainly this is a superficial conceit: there is much movement on the surface, but the mind is neither deeply moved nor affected. Still, gnosticism exercises a deceptive attraction for some people, since the gnostic approach is strict and allegedly pure, and can appear to possess a certain harmony or order that encompasses everything.



UN LLAMADO A LA SANTIDAD DEL PAPA FRANCISCO.

37. Gracias a Dios, a lo largo de la historia de la Iglesia quedó muy claro que lo que mide la perfección de las personas es su grado de caridad, no la cantidad de datos y conocimientos que acumulen. Los «gnósticos» tienen una confusión en este punto, y juzgan a los demás según la capacidad que tengan de comprender la profundidad de determinadas doctrinas. Conciben una mente sin encarnación, incapaz de tocar la carne sufriente de Cristo en los otros, encorsetada en una enciclopedia de abstracciones. Al descarnar el misterio finalmente prefieren «un Dios sin Cristo, un Cristo sin Iglesia, una Iglesia sin pueblo»[\[36\]](#).

REQUEST FROM PRIEST OR RELIGIOUS FOR GIFT CARDS, MONEY.....SCAM

**SCAM
ALERT!**

If you receive a text, email, or phone call from someone using the name of one of our Priests or Religious, Fr. Thi Pham, Fr. David Szatkowski, Fr. Greg Schill, Sr. Emily Morgan or Sr. Rose Hacker asking for you to send gift cards or money to them, or stating they need a favor – hang up immediately and delete the text/email message. Our Priests and Religious would never contact you asking for money or gift cards.

This is a scam.

Do not respond to them in any way.

Thank you and God bless you.



PIETA BY MICHAELANGELO

During the visit of the replica of the Michelangelo Pietá CTK will have two additional masses for all parishioners. The

First Saturday of the month at **9 am** and **every Wednesday** at **5:30 pm**.

38. En definitiva, se trata de una superficialidad vanidosa: mucho movimiento en la superficie de la mente, pero no se mueve ni se conmueve la profundidad del pensamiento. Sin embargo, logra subyugar a algunos con una fascinación engañosa, porque el equilibrio gnóstico es formal y supuestamente aséptico, y puede asumir el aspecto de una cierta armonía o de un orden que lo abarca todo.

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