

Infant Jesus Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule

Saturday—5:30 PM
Sunday—7:30 AM; 11:30 AM
Daily Mass
Tuesday—6:00 PM
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—
8:30 AM

“Cry Room” is Open during all Masses

Confession

Thursday: 4:00-6:00 PM
and by appointment

Office Hours

755-1734
Monday thru Friday
9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Church offices are located at
243 S. LHS Dr.

Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Persons wishing to use the Adoration
Chapel should contact the Parish Office
for more information.

Religious Education

Office Hours
Monday-Thursday 9AM to 2:00PM

Grades Pre-K-12: Wednesdays, 6:00-7:30PM

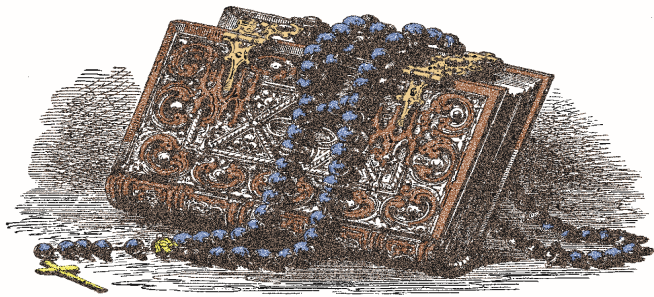
Pastoral Staff

Rev. Andrew Moore	Pastor	ext. #103
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Rev. Mr. L.D. Keen	Deacon	ext. #100
Rev. Mr. Garry LeBlanc	Deacon	ext. #100
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Live Your Faith
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PRAYER GROUP

Pray for the sick

Hermolene D'Amico, Robert Trahan Sr., Matt, McGau, Harper Hoyt, Kendall Dix, Cheyenne Eads, Benny Warner, Kathy Ware, Robert Trahan, Rosie Rodriguez, Anne Bottoms, Barry & Shelia, Larry Coplen, Mary Gallo, Randy Cassity, Boyce Barnes, Margaret Barnes, Marciano Guerrero

Janice Morris, Fr. Martin Nelson, Kyle Tantillo, Melissa Langhart, Keith Falcon, Jim Venable, JoAnn Sonnier, Joe Farve, Lois Lockwood, Margaret Darby, David Norton, Daniel Begnaud, Karen Getz, Donald Poche, Debbie Desmond, Florence Paladino, Gail Montalbano, Lee Summers, Margie Poche, Trevor Reeves, Johnnie Foret, Judson Stone, Jackie Bonvillion, Ronnie Vincent, Hunter Oney

Names placed on the prayer list will remain for one month unless the Parish Office is notified otherwise.

SUNDAY CELEBRATIONS IN ABSENCE OF A PRIEST

A communion service led by a deacon is scheduled in place of Mass for the following times. It is encouraged that if possible you try to attend Mass at another time instead of the communion service, but for those who cannot do so without difficulty, participation in the communion service will fulfill the Sunday Mass obligation.

September 24: Infant Jesus 5:30am

October 2: Infant Jesus 11:30am

GOOD NEWS—Inspiration for daily life—September 25

So valuable to heaven is the dignity of the human soul that every member of the human race has a guardian angel from the moment the person begins to be.—St. Jerome (347-420), Theologian, Confessor, Feast Day September 30th

UNRECOGNIZABLE

All God's angels come to us disguised.

—James Russell Lowell

WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT

All women who have not attended an ACTS Retreat are invited to attend the next Hardin County ACTS Retreat **October 27-30, 2022** to be held at The Holy Family Retreat Center. Registration forms are available in the foyer/Narthex of Infant Jesus, St. Mark's, Holy Spirit and Our Lady of Victory parishes.

Space is limited so please turn in your application as soon as possible.

Registration ends October 14, 2022.

For more information contact

Vicki Cavaretta (409) 673-6536, Sherre White (409) 466-7349 or Tammy Daleo (409) 659-1118

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 25, 2022

Keep the commandment without stain or reproach until the appearance of our Lord Jesus Christ.

— 1 Timothy 6:14

CARE FOR EACH OTHER

Don't delude yourselves, Jesus says through the parable of the rich man and Lazarus. We really are supposed to care for others. It is not enough to go to Mass and occasionally serve at a parish or outreach function. We cannot remain complacent and consider ourselves followers of Jesus. No matter how much or how little material wealth we have, we always have something to give—our time and attention, care, and, when possible, our money. The way we treat and care for others, especially the poor and vulnerable, is the manner in which we show our love of God. As disciples, we must "pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience, and gentleness." Jesus calls us to see and respond to the least among us, because, as God's children, we are all part of one another.

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Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

O God, who manifest your almighty power above all by pardoning and showing mercy, bestow, we pray, your grace abundantly upon us and make those hastening to attain your promises heirs to the treasures of heaven.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

How has God shown mercy to me?

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Altar Society News

All women of the parish are invited to the next Altar Society meeting, Wednesday, October 5th at 9:00am in the Altar Society Building.

Thursday, October 6th join us for Gumbo making at 7:30am in Dollinger Hall

All are welcome and please make plans to join us.



OCTOBER
Month of the Rosary

Pray for Vocations



Fight the good fight of the faith.

Is your faith in Christ leading you to grow in holiness as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life?

Contact Fr. Rodel Faller at the Vocations Office by calling 409-924-4361 or by emailing: rfaller@dioceseofbmt.org.

NOTE FROM PASTOR

I want to say a heartfelt "Welcome Home" to the parishioners of St. Mark's. After learning about structural issues with our church roof in spring of 2021 we had to close down the church for 18 months while the entire roof structure was rebuilt, along with added support structures to the outside of the church buildings. During those 18 months we were blessed to be able to use the parish hall for Mass, and our parish life didn't miss a beat! This weekend we are happy to welcome Bishop Toups to St. Mark's to bless our newly rebuilt and renovated church building. We have taken the opportunity to upgrade the flooring, paint the walls, install a new sound system and LED lighting, and hang a new wall crucifix behind the altar. These renovations should serve our parish family well for years to come.

As good as it feels to be back in our church building, we are reminded that at its essence the Church is made of "living stones"... you and me! What matters is that a beautiful church building inspire us to seek to make our souls, our families, our faith community beautiful before the Lord.

On behalf of the faithful at Infant Jesus and Holy Spirit, I want to congratulate our friends at St. Mark's on this fresh new start in the life of the parish. May the Lord of all faithfulness continue to build us into his Church, faithful and beloved.

--Fr. Andy

PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY

Please join in the 2022 Public Square Rosary Crusade.

Our nation is in great need of public prayer, repentance and conversion. We ask God to save America through the Rosary of His Most Holy Mother. Join us in praying for our nation on October 15, 2022 at 12:00 noon. The local

Public Square Rosary Rally will take place in front of Infant Jesus Church.



For more information please contact Eileen Chapman @ (409) 201-5010



Welcome October

BIBLE STUDY

Breaking Open the Word with Dcn. Keen

Lectionary-Based Bible Study

Monday evenings 6:00-7:00pm, Fellowship Hall



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Mark and Connie Chase

October, 2022 BIRTHDAYS

Cass Faykus, Anthony Michalsky, Earl

McClelland, Ewert McClelland, Jim Maxey, Kyle Borne, Mark

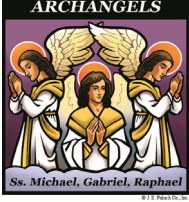
Chase, David Richard, Kenneth Barras, Dcn Grimes, Ray

Nunez, Glen Cook, Jerry Joe Wilkerson

Business Meeting every 2nd Monday of each month at 6:00pm in Dollinger Hall.

Family Night meets every 4th Monday of each month at 6:30pm in Dollinger

Hall. ALL PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED. Bring your favorite covered dish.

25 Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30am Mass <i>People of the Parish</i> 11:30am Mass <i>Wallace Hebert</i>	26 8:30AM Mass NOMASS Parish Offices Open 9:00 AM-2:00 PM 6:00pm Bible Study w/ Dcn. Keen (FH)	27 6:00PM Mass <i>Tony Fuselier</i> 5:30pm Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet Parish Offices Open 9:00 AM-2:00PM 6:30pm ACTS-W (FH) 	28 8:30AM Mass <i>Martha Lara</i> 8:00am Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet Parish Offices Open 9:00AM-2:00PM 9am Adoration  9:30am Legion of Mary (DH) 6:00pm RCIA (FH) 6:00pm Rel. Ed	29 8:30AM Mass <i>George Garsea</i> 8:00am Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet Parish Offices Open 9:00AM-2:00PM 4-6pm Confessions 	30 8:30AM Mass 8:00am Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet Parish Offices Open 9:00AM-2:00PM 4-6pm Confessions <i>St. Jerome, Priest & Doctor</i> 	1 5:30PM Mass Vigil-Twenty- Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00 Eucharistic Adoration
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FH-Fellowship Hall, DH-Dollinger Hall, CR-Conference Room, D-Drexel Building, B-Bosco Building, AS-Altar Society Rm

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Sunday September 25, 2022
Thursday, September 15, 2022 by 11:15am

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