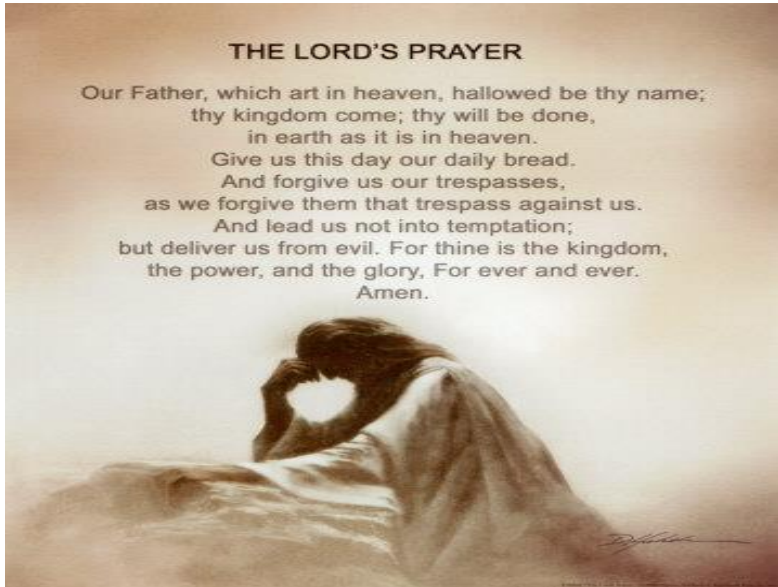


**JULY 24, 2022**  
**SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**



<b>MONDAY</b>	JOSEPH WATTS MARTIN III	†8:00 A.M.
<b>TUESDAY</b>	SARAH, JEREMY & AARON GUISINGER	A8:00 A.M.
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	BARBARA HOLMES	†8:00 A.M.
<b>THURSDAY</b>	ANNIE MAI JAMISON	†8:00 A.M.
<b>FRIDAY</b>	SARAH, JEREMY & AARON GUISINGER	A8:00 A.M.
<b>SATURDAY</b>	BETTY STOCKMAN	†4:00 P.M.
<b>SUNDAY</b>	MIKE ROBICHAUX	†8:30 A.M.
	FOR ALL PARISHIONERS LIVING AND DECEASED	A†11:00A.M.

One must never forget the infinite graces that flow from the Sacrifice of the Mass which benefit one's soul.

When a priest offers Holy Mass, he has three intentions: first, to offer the Mass reverently and validly in accord with the norms of the Church; Second, to offer the Mass in union with the whole Church and for the good of the whole Church; Third, to offer the Mass for a particular intention, such as the repose of the soul of someone who has died.

We find not only the origins of this practice dating to the early Church but we also clearly recognize its importance. We realize that we are all the Body of Christ; those living on earth, those souls in Purgatory, and those who are in heaven, and that we share spiritual goods. When we face the death of someone, even a person who is not Catholic, to have a Mass offered for the repose of his /her soul and to offer our prayers are more beneficial and comforting than any other sympathy card or bouquet of flowers. To have a Mass offered on the occasion of a birthday, anniversary or special need is appropriate, beneficial and appreciated. So if you would like to have Masses said for a loved one please call the parish office at 762-1653.

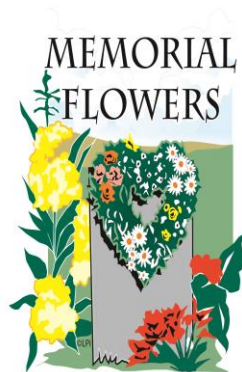
**UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS**

**July 30/31 – Extension Society**  
**August 6/7 - Feed the Hungry**



**July 30, 4:00 PM Saturday Mass**  
Reader – Donna Rivers  
Servers – Joseph Foster, Jr. and Trayson Crabtree  
**July 31, 8:30 AM Sunday Mass**  
Reader – Dwayne Coats  
Servers – Sophie Sisson and Ethan Keenum  
**July 31, 11:00 AM Sunday Mass**  
Reader – Nick Bosco  
Servers – Dalton Forester and Andrew Harbin

**\*\*\* HELP LECTORS & ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED! \*\*\***  
**Is anyone interested in volunteering to lector or Altar serve at any of our masses? Please call Stephanie at the office if interested 228-762-1653.**



**ALTAR FLOWERS**  
The beautiful flowers in front of the Altar and side statues this week are in loving memory of:

**JOSEPH WATTS MARTIN III**  
**On the sixth anniversary of his death**  
and were placed there by his Family.



**Pray for:** Scott Brown, Maggie Carlisle, Rita Sue Carpenter, Pam Cheeks, Carol Dawson, Ronnie Delmas, Phylis Devers, Ewa Duffy, Aimee Dugger, Anna Dunbar, Maurice Dupont, Penny Dupont, Alvin Felts, Joanne Foster, Jerry Garriga, Camille Gautier, Michelle Gibbs, Elizabeth Gully, Kay & James Gully, Tommy Habeeb, Diane Hanson, Bettina Hurley, Wyatt Johnson, Charlotte Jones, Jimmy Jones, Debbie LaHood, Mitchel LaHood, Karen Palmer Lambuth, Mary Ellen Lestrade, Lynn Lupo, Deacon Frank Martin, Mike McFaul, Janet McIlwain, Darla Lawrence, Patty Lou McGrath, Isabelle Millette, Buddy Moseley, Debby Moseley, Joyce Pitt, Paul Robichaux, Jewel Rowell, Melanie Rowell, Francis Saucier, W. T. Sparkman, Alan Stiglet, Freddie Stuart, Margie Szymonik, Fawn Thibodeaux, Mary Wilson, Sandi Wright, Charles Young, Gwen Zelenka and all victims of COVID-19.



Happy birthday to our parishioners celebrating birthdays this week: Katie Wieniewitz(23<sup>rd</sup>), Braedyn Holder(24<sup>th</sup>), Reid Zelenka(24<sup>th</sup>), Lauren O'Brien (25<sup>th</sup>), and Jeffery Trammell(26<sup>th</sup>).



If you know someone who is need of assistance, please have them call St. Vincent de Paul Society at 228-217-7651.  
If you would like to volunteer with the St. Vincent de Paul Society, come to one of the sales.



Gloria in Excelsis, a community wide Chorale Society open to all, will begin their Sixth Season on August 23rd at 6:30 p.m. The hour-and-a-half, weekly rehearsals are held at Sacred Heart Academy on the campus of Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (BVM) Cathedral – 870 Howard Avenue in Biloxi. There is no membership fee required. The Chorale presents annually an Advent, Christmas, Holy Week and Patriotic Concerts and will also feature a special presentation of Gabriel Faure's "Requiem" this fall. For more information, Contact: Terry D. Maddox – Artistic Director at 251 406-1454 or [terrydalemaddox@gmail.com](mailto:terrydalemaddox@gmail.com)



**August 5, 2022 in the Chapel til 3pm**



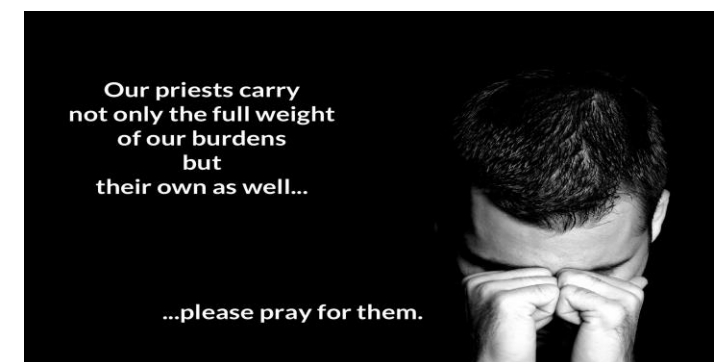
Are **YOU** or do you know **SOMEONE** who:  
\*Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?  
\*Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and the Eucharist?  
A journey of faith...The Rite of Christian Initiation, is a program that invites adults into a process that guides and gradually introduces the Catholic faith as a way of life. This journey is a series of sessions, with classes in the evenings, instruction and discussion, and shared prayer. There is no fee. If you are, or know someone, who is interested please contact the Church office at 762-1653.



**Sunday, July 31**  
3:00pm 7th Grade Orientation RCHS  
6:00p PreK2, PreK3, PreK4- Open House

**Tuesday, August 2**  
Teachers Return/Staff Retreat

**Wednesday, August 3**  
Opening School Mass Teachers and Staff only  
RCES Parent Night K-6th Grade



**Sunday-** Fr. Thomas Mullally SVD  
**Monday** – For Our Deacons and Deacon Candidates and Those Discerning  
**Tuesday** – For Priest and Brothers @ St. Augustine Seminary and St. Stanislaus High School  
**Wednesday** – For Our Deceased Bishops Joseph Howze and Roger Morin  
**Thursday-** For Retired Extern and Deceased Priests, Brothers, and Deacons  
**Friday** – For ALL Our Biloxi Diocese Bishop, Priests and Deacons  
**Saturday** – For Our Seminarians