

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday & Thursday 6:00 p.m. Tuesday & Friday 9:00 a.m.

Parish Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Closed for lunch: 11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

New Parishioners

Welcome! Please register with the Parish Office. Registration forms are at the doors of the church.

Ministry to the Sick and Elderly

Please notify the parish office when a family member is hospitalized.

Anointing of the Sick

Third Friday of the month following the 9:00 a.m. Mass

Eucharistic Adoration & Confession

Tuesdays: Adoration following Mass to 8:00 p.m. Confessions are heard 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact Fr. Hopper, at least six months prior to the wedding date in order to complete your Marriage Preparation requirements.

Sacrament of Baptism

Call the parish office to register for the required class that meets the last Sunday of each month. Baptisms are on the first weekend of each month.

St. Christopher Catholic Church

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The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 14, 2016

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Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

First Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

First Friday of the Month

A Holy Hour in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Following the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

Religious Education

Classes meet on Sunday mornings, September through April. Our program provides religious formation for children in Kindergarten through 12th grades.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church, please contact our Director of Adult Faith Formation.

Bulletin Deadline Submit items, in writing, or email to: dsears@stchristopherparish.org by noon on Wednesday.

Mass Schedule

Saturday	Aug 13	5:00 PM	†	Hazel, Bill & Bobby Stallworth	Vigil, 20 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	Aug 14	9:00 AM		For All Parishioners	The Twentieth Sunday
		11:00 AM	†	James A. Mayer	in Ordinary Time
Monday	Aug 15	6:00 PM	†	Arthur Ohmes	Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday	Aug 16	9:00 AM	†	James A. Mayer	St. Stephen of Hungary
Thursday	Aug 18	6:00 PM	†	James A. Mayer	Weekday
Friday	Aug 19	9:00 AM	†	Ron & Richard Kropczynski	St. John Eudes, Priest
Saturday	Aug 20	5:00 PM	†	Robert, John & Deloras Underdonk	Vigil, 21 st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	Aug 21	9:00 AM	†	Deceased Members of the McGrew,	The Twenty-First Sunday
				Kirk & Stiles Families	in Ordinary
		11:00 AM		For All Parishioners	Time

Rest in Peace – Please remember in your prayers the repose of the souls of Mary Mandt and Philip Corneilson. Remember also their families in prayer.

New Parish Office Hours – Our new office hours:

Monday – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Closed for lunch: 11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Parish Religious Education Registration – will be available following all weekend Masses in August. There will be representatives from our Religious Education Program available at the main front doors of the church to assist you with this process. Our classes will meet on Sunday mornings from 9:30 – 10:45 a.m. beginning Sunday, September 11th. Please be sure to register your child for Sunday Morning Religious Education.

Parish Adult Religious Education classes – We are offering an Adult Education Class during the Sunday Morning Religious Education class time of 9:30 – 10:45 a.m. Parents of our Religious Education students as well as anyone who wish to join can take part in the deeper study of our faith. Please take advantage of this wonderful new parish offering!

Religious Education Catechists – If you are interested in being a Catechist in our Sunday Religious Education Program, please call Fr. Hopper at 270-801-6580.

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary – This year the Holy Day for the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, August 15th, falls on a Monday. Due to this, the Obligation to attend the Holy Day Mass is lifted, however it would be great to see a full church Monday night as we celebrate this Mass!

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Have you ever thought about becoming Catholic? Are you curious about what Catholics believe? Why is the Pope so important to a Catholic? What is the Holy Mass all about? If you've ever asked yourself these questions you may be interested in joining your peers in the process of RCIA. The RCIA is designed for adults wishing to know more about the Catholic faith and possibly joining the Catholic Church. It is the team effort of the pastor, catechists (teachers), and members of the Saint Christopher parish. Sessions begin Monday, Sep 12th at 7:00 pm. For more information or to sign up for RCIA, please contact Glory Kramer, Director of Adult Faith Formation, at 270-317-0985.

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred upon our students this year by the Archbishop Kurtz on Thursday, May 4, 2017! Please be sure to save the date for this Confirmation Celebration! If it is your desire to have your child Confirmed by the Archbishop, please remember that they must complete the Confirmation Class process in our Religious Education Program.

Religious Articles will be on sale THIS weekend before and after all of the Masses.



Your generosity is overwhelming. The Roof is now fully funded. Thank you so very much!!!

Tithing: Needed each week: \$7,299.95 Last weekend's collection: \$6,038.65 Have you remembered your parish in your Will? Consider remembering St. Christopher Church in your Will. Major projects in our parish are sometimes made possible through bequests by parishioners in their Wills. Information about remembering the Church in your Will can be found at the doors of the church.

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC) – The Parish needs additional Extraordinary Ministers. To serve, you must have a mandate from Archbishop which requires the pastor's recommendation. If interested in this ministry, please contact Fr. Hopper. The upcoming training session, is on Tuesday evenings August 23rd & 30th from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. at St. James Church in Elizabethtown. This two-session program is for those preparing to serve as Extraordinary Ministers for the first time. There is no fee for EMHC formation, but registration is required. These sessions are funded by the Catholic Services Appeal. To register for either session, please use the following link from the St. Christopher webpage. http://www.stchristopherparish.org/emhce or you can just send an email to: worship@archlou.org. You may also call 502-636-0296, ext. 1260.

The Children of Mary Movement – a few moms in our parish would like to start a Children of Mary group for girls, ages 10 – 18. Flyers are at the doors of the church with details of a St. Philomena Youth for Purity Crusade. If you are interested in more information, please call: Diana Gatsche @ 910-729-9713, or Cathy Lewis @ 270-723-1369, or Kim Murn @ 270-454-3572.

Parish Photo Directory - 2016 – Sign-ups for photo sittings are available before and after all Masses in August! You can also sign-up via our Web site @ www.stchristopherparish.org, or our Facebook page or you can call the office. We need as many of our parishioners to participate as possible. Please sign up soon, photo sittings are from Tuesday, August 30th through Saturday, September 3rd.

Ushers Needed! - Our Parish will always have room for more ushers, and it is the time to look at the September through December Usher schedule. Please contact Mark Cobb @ 270-300-2901 or cobbma781@hotmail.com to let him know when you will be available to server during these months.

St. Christopher Veterans Tribute Garden Pavers in the Tribute Garden can be engraved in memory of / or in honor of your military loved ones.

- Paver order forms are at the doors of the church.
- A small paver is \$75. Double size paver is \$150.
- Return forms and payment to the parish office.

Baptisms for the Month of September will be on Sunday, September 4th after the 11 a.m. Mass. The required instruction class for parents will be on Sunday, August 28th after the 11 a.m. Mass. To register for both the class and the baptism, call the Parish Office no later than Thursday, August 25th.

Knights of Columbus will have their sale of *homemade donuts* this Sunday after the 8:30 & 11 a.m. Masses. Please patronize the Knights in this fund raising effort.

2016 Peter's Pence Collection - Next week our parish will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. As Pope Francis has reminded us during this Year of Mercy: "the time has come for the Church to take up the joyful call to mercy once more...Mercy is the force that awakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope." Join our Holy Father as a witness of mercy for those who are suffering with your contribution to this collection after Communion next weekend.

Our Military Prayer List

(If you would like to add someone, call the parish office.)

CPT Robert Blume, MAJ William Blume, Jr., MAJ Erik Enyart, TSGT Jesse Escalera, Jason Forcey, Erik Hoffman, José F. Madera, Scott Parham, Tara Reyna, SSgt Fernando Rios, Jr., SGT Tommy Schlett, CPT Drake Sullivan, and all who serve our nation.

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands.
Protect them as they protect us.
Bless them and their families,
for the selfless acts they perform,
for us in our time of need.
And give us peace.
I ask this in the name of
Jesus, Our Lord and Savior.
Amen.

Schedule for Pilgrim Statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Our Lady of Fatima

Week of August 14th Max Gatsche Week of August 21st Joyce Soult Week of August 28th Flordeliza Nantin Please remember to return the Pilgrim Virgin Statue to the Sacristy prior to the Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Our Prayer List

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Joaquin Acfalle, Ruby Aubrey, Saturnino Bagarinao, Nicholas Bisig, Isidia Brooks, Holly Brown, Ashley Butler, Matias Canales, Landon Carr, Derrek Coffey, Danny Cox, Walter & Vivian Cruz, Avery Davis, Rachel Dearborn, Kylee Dempsey, Sue Ann Hambly Devine, Eddie & Maria Escalera, Miranda Escalera, Pamela Esteves, Rose Flaherty, Nelda Flores, Shawn Gardner, Mary Lou Gilbert, Joan Gilley, Judy Gomez, Hairston Family, Stephanie Hall, Betty Hillyer, Steven Hoffman, Joe & Rose Indalecio, Juanita Jenkins, Jenkins Family, Andrea Jones, Christa Kabalen, Margie Kabalen, Quinn Kilcran, Laura Kille, Lula King, Sherri Kirk, Frieda Kropczynski, Catherine Lowry, Mary Lowry, Mary Mace, Alma Mahanna, Mary Mandt, Michael Mattingly, Paul Mattingly, Elizabeth Mayer, Wilma McLane, Millay Monti, Myron Morgan, Jerry Mountardier, Gordon Mullins, Flordeliza Nantin, Joyce Newton, John Norfleet, Audra Nuccitelli, Shannon Owens, Annette Peter, Frank Pignanelli, Michael Quintanilla, Peter Quintanilla, Christian Rios, Vera & Ronnie San Nicolas, Irene Snyder, Annette Strange, Marie Strain, Mary Tackett, Kathryn Thompson, Jim Thurman, Wilfredo & Anne Topasna, Charlotte Vaughn, Rena Vowels, Michelle Weber, Joe Whelan, Paul Whelan, Anna White, Bryce Yates.

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