



Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church

803 Division St., Biloxi, MS 39530

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MISSION STATEMENT

***Building lives through one God, one faith, and one baptism
while giving our time, talents and treasures***

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

June 23, 2019

Staff:

Pastor: Rev. Godfrey Andoh
Pastoral Assoc: Deacon Richard Smith
In Residence:
Rev. Truong Trinh, Chaplain
Secretary: Mary Beth Broussard
SO / DRE: Cheryl Thompson

Pastoral Council:

Meets every 1st Tuesday
of the month

Religious Education

Grades K-11: Nativity BVM
Sacred Heart Center on
Wednesdays 5:30 pm

St. Vincent de Paul:

Wednesdays: 9 am – 11 am

Mass Schedule

Saturday (Vigil) Mass – 5:30 pm

Sunday Mass – 10:30 am

Daily Mass – 8:30 am

*Our Mother of Perpetual Help
Devotions: Tuesdays at 9 am*

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
by appointment

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick and / or emergency:

Communion will be brought to anyone desiring to receive but unable to attend Mass for serious reasons. Please call Fr. Godfrey Andoh at 313-544-6330.

Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples should call the parish office at least six (6) months

prior to the anticipated date of the marriage. At least one member of the couple should be a registered and practicing member of the parish for at least six (6) months.

Sacrament of Baptism

Infant baptism requires that at least one parent is a registered and practicing member of the parish for at least six (6) months. It must be the intent of the parent to actively raise the child in the Catholic faith. Contact the parish office.

Funerals

Contact Cheryl Thompson at the office as soon as possible to make arrangements.

CATECHISM CORNER

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, also known as **Corpus Christi**, celebrates the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist—Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. The feast dates to the Middle Ages and originated with a visionary nun and a Eucharistic miracle.

In 1263, a German priest, Fr. Peter of Prague, made a pilgrimage to Rome. He stopped to celebrate Mass at the Church of St. Christina. At the time he was having doubts about Jesus being truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. In response to his doubt, when he recited the prayer of consecration as he celebrated the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, blood started seeping from the consecrated host and onto the altar and corporal.

Fr. Peter reported this miracle to Pope Urban IV. The pope sent delegates to investigate and ordered that host and blood-stained corporal be brought to Orvieto. The relics were then placed in the Cathedral of Orvieto, where they remain today.

This Eucharistic Miracle confirmed the visions given to St. Juliana of Mont Cornillon in Belgium. St. Juliana was a nun and mystic who had a series of visions in which she was instructed by Our Lord to work to establish a liturgical feast for the Holy Eucharist, to which she had a great devotion. After many years, she convinced the bishop, to create this special feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament, where none had existed before. Soon after her death, Pope Urban instituted Corpus Christi for the Universal Church and celebrated it for the first time in Orvieto in 1264, a year after the Eucharistic Miracle in Bolsena.

MASS INTENTIONS

For the week of June 22, 2019

Saturday	Our Parish Family
Sunday	†Ella Mae McLendon
Monday	†Edna Mae Ladnier
Tuesday	†Milfred O. McLendon, Sr.
Wednesday	†Michael J. Suarez, Sr.
Thursday	Our Parish Family
Friday	Our Parish Family

****If you would like to have Masses offered for a loved one or friend, living or deceased, please call the office. The stipend is \$10 per Mass intention.**

PARISH CALENDAR

June 24th – Monday
Eucharistic Adoration; 6 pm
At Our Mother of Sorrows



*Come spend an hour
with Jesus!*

June 28th – 30th
ASBS Pilgrimage in Biloxi

July 4th -- Wednesday
Office Closed

September 28th – Saturday
OMS Drawdown

STEWARDSHIP

Last Week's Collection

Collected: \$ 1,213
Weekly Budget: \$ 1,500

Year to Date Collection

Collected: \$ 116,102
Yearly Budget: \$ 78,000

****There will be a special collection next weekend, June 29th / 30th for Peter's Pence. The Peter's Pence Collection provides the Holy Father with the financial means to respond to those who are suffering as a result of war, oppression, natural disaster, and disease.**

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Sat., June 22 nd	Hurley & Johnnie Smith		
Sun., June 23 rd	E. Mitchell	K. Currie	C. Payne
Sat., June 29 th	Linda Carney		Janice Lee
Sun., June 30 th	T. Craft	J. Polk	C. Payne

LECTORS

Sat., June 22 nd	Mary Beth Broussard
Sun., June 23 rd	Thomas Rhodeman

Sat., June 29 th	Elizabeth Smith
Sun., June 30 th	Gail Esters

USHERS

COMMENTATOR

Sun., June 23 rd	H. Hardy & G. Duffy	Choir
Sun., June 30 th	F. Burney & M. Griffin	Choir

ALTAR SERVERS

Sun., June 23 rd	Micah Walton	Treasure Duffy
Sun., June 30 th	Semaj Manning	Kentrell Isom

CHURCH CLEANING

Sat., June 22 nd	Sheryl Walton	Tina Craft
Sat., June 29 th	Kathryn Wilkerson	Shamar Jones

****For any questions, please call Johnnie Smith (Extraordinary Ministers) 324-4946 or Beverly Duffy (Lectors) 219-4628. Thank you for serving in this ministry!**

Our Mother of Sorrows Heritage Brick Walkway

Bricks are available in two (2) sizes: 4" X 8" and 8" X 8".

YOUTH CALENDAR

BRENDA SARGENT MEMORIAL FUND

On March 22 2018, Brenda Sargent lost her battle with cancer. Brenda worked in the Diocesan Youth Ministry office for many years. Brenda made it a point to go to **Notre Dame Vision** every summer with our youth as a way to go on retreat herself. At the request of Brenda's family we have started a fund to both honor her memory and ensure that all youth from our diocese have a way to attend **Notre Dame Vision**; never letting cost be the deciding factor.

If you would be interested in donating to the Brenda D. Sargent fund please mail your donation to:

**Catholic Diocese of Biloxi
Attn: Brenda D. Sargent Fund
1790 Popps Ferry Rd
Biloxi, MS 39532**

If you are mailing a check please make it payable to "*Catholic Diocese of Biloxi*" with the added Brenda D. Sargent Fund on the "For" line.

If you have any questions you may call the Youth Office at 228-702-2142.



They are engraved using state-of-the-art engraving technology. Please pick up a brochure in the back of the church. More details will be given at a later date. For more information, please call the office.

****This project is made possible by a grant from the Mississippi Gulf Coast National Heritage Area.**



Deacon M.J. Landry's Deaconate Ordination Anniversary June 22, 2009 – June 22, 2019

Congratulations to Deacon M.J. Landry on his 10th Anniversary of his deaconate ordination!
"I have given you a model to follow, so that as I have done for you, you should also do."
~John 13:15

\$2,500 DRAWDOWN TICKETS ON SALE

Our Mother of Sorrows Drawdown will be held **September 28th**. Drawdown tickets are now available to buy and / or sell. Please see Mamie Hardy or Janice Lee for tickets. We can make this drawdown a success with everyone's hard work & participation! Tickets are \$50 each and admit two. **SILENT AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED:** We are in need of items for our Silent Auction. We ask that you help acquire donations (restaurant gift certificates, spa packages, art, etc.) or any items of value. Your help is greatly appreciated! Please call Dolores Pizzetta at 228-365-7540 for more information.



**ASSOCIATES OF THE SISTERS
OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**



The Our Mother of Sorrows ASBS is hosting the 2019 Pilgrimage next weekend, June 28th – 30th. The Associates of the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament, Our Mother of Sorrows Church, was commissioned on November 7, 2009. Reverend Mother Katharine Drexel and The Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament founded Our

Mother of Sorrows School in 1917. Our Mother of Sorrows School open to all African Americans in the area. The Associates commit themselves to live out and witness to the values, spirituality and mission entrusted to Saint Katharine Drexel.

“There can be miracles, if you believe.”