



SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH CANTON, MISSISSIPPI

Second Sunday of Advent

December 8, 2024

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The Rosary on Saturdays at 4:40 p.m. before Mass. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. only on first Fridays after 8:00 a.m. Mass. Benediction at 9:30 a.m.

Mass Schedule and Intentions for December 7 – December 13

Saturday 5:15 p.m.	Tues.	NO MASS
Sunday 9:30 a.m. – Marion Perez	Wed.	NO MASS
Sunday 12:30 p.m.	Thur.	NO MASS
Mon. NO MASS	Frid.	NO MASS

Saturday, December 14, 2024

Sunday, December 15, 2024

Usher(s):	Rafe Randall & John Noble	Steve & Salley Otting
1 st Reading:	Lori Craft	Jessica Brown
2 nd Reading:	Patty Kreider	Christy Laughlin
Prayers Faithful:	Patty Kreider	Susan B. Riddell
Sacristan:	Steve Paulson	John Boudreaux
Altar Server(s):	B.J. Traylor	Jude & Malcolm Brown
Gift Bearer(s):	Vania & Redmond Peterson	Nerfee Saylor Family
Eucharistic Minister:	Host: Steve Paulson	Host: Annette Harreld
Eucharistic Minister:	Patty Kreider & Nancy Markley	Lee Ann & Roy Damiens

Altar Care & Linens

Altar Care: December 14/15 – **Martha Dinkha**

Large Altar Linens: Nov. & Dec. (Christmas) – **Susan Riddell, Cathy Lutz, Linda Hegwood**

Small Linens: December– **Betty Vaughan**

December 14/15 Readings – Third Sunday of Advent – Year C

1st Reading: Zephaniah 3:14-18a (9C) – Be joyful Jerusalem! The Lord will come and save you from your enemies. Do not be discouraged or lose heart, for “the Lord, your God, is in your midst, a mighty savior.”

2nd Reading: Philippians 4:4-7 – “Rejoice in the Lord always,” wrote Paul. “I say it again: rejoice! ... The Lord is near ... Make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses understanding will guard your hearts and minds.”

Gospel: Luke 3:10-18 – John the Baptizer said to the crowds, “I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming ... He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.” In that way he preached good news to the people.

2023-2024 Budget for Offertory: \$ 450,000.
Monthly Budget \$ 37,500.
Weekly Budget \$ 8,654.



Last week's collection: Offering: \$10,841.

Saturday, December 7 – 5:15 pm – Monsignor Mike Flannery
Sunday, December 8 – 9:30 am & 12:30 pm. – Monsignor Mike Flannery

Altar Flowers – Flowers on the altar were donated by Mary Brieten and Courtlandt in loving memory of: Rose Setaro Webb, Robert Alan Webb, Sr., William Garner Cheney, Veleair Courtlandt Smith, II, Ida Mary Buffington and Betsy Street.

Second Collection – December 8th – Support of Retired Religious

Confessions – **Saturdays** – 4:30 to 5:00 pm; **Sundays** – 8:45 to 9:15 am (**temporarily**)

Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary – (**Holy Day of Obligation**) – Monday, December 9th, Mass at 12:00 noon at **Holy Child Jesus** – **No Mass at Sacred Heart**

Advent Reconciliation Service – Tuesday, December 10th - 6:00 pm at **Sacred Heart Church**

Christmas Eve Vigil Mass – Practice for the Christmas Eve Vigil Mass on Dec. 24 will be on **Sunday, Dec. 22** after the 9:30a mass. Any young people that would like to participate, please be present. Bridget Smith is in charge of all the people and animals. She may need some help. Frazier is in charge of music and Christy Laughlin is in charge of readers.

Christmas Mass Schedule

Christmas Vigil Mass, Tuesday, December 24 @ 4:00 p.m. – Hispanics – 7:00 p.m.

Christmas Day Mass, Wednesday, December 25 @ 9:30 a.m. – No Hispanic Mass

Adult Religious Education – Classes will resume on Sunday, December 8th after the 9:30 a.m. mass with an Advent Series.

Our Daily Bread – Anyone interested in participating in the ministry, please contact Mary Burge at 769-348-5989.

Home Bound Ministry – please call the parish office if you know of someone that would benefit from this ministry or if you would like to participate.

Weddings – **at least six (6) months' notice is required.** Call the office to set up an appointment.

Baptisms – Call the office to set up an appointment. Preparatory class is required.

Prayer List: Fr. Mike O'Brien, Jay Armstrong, Lee Castleberry, Keri Perez, Sister Dorothea Sondgeroth, John Matthew Davis, Jo Langham, The Ricky Brophy Family, Cale Olbert, Michelle Jeanfreau, Sue Mosby, Michele Hill, Jennifer Leggett, Amy Walker, Lloyd Spivey, Erica Christie, Barbara Varner, Tony Pierce, Pat White, Melanie Spong, Sydney Faye Bridges

**Prayer list will be refreshed the first weekend of every month. Call office by Wednesday to add a loved one.*



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