



SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH CANTON, MISSISSIPPI

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 23, 2025

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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 February 22 – February 28

Sat. 5:15 p.m. – Emelia M. Gorka

Sun. 9:30 a.m. – John Markley

Sun. 12:30 p.m.

Mon. **NO MASS**

Tues. **NO MASS**

Wed. **NO MASS**

Thur. **NO MASS**

Fri. **NO MASS**

Saturday, March 1, 2025

Sunday, March 2, 2025

Usher(s):	Steve Paulson & David Sandidge	Steven Lutz & Jim Stewart
1 st Reading:	Lori Craft	Cathy Lutz
2 nd Reading:	Patty Kreider	Diane Stewart
Prayers Faithful:	Patty Kreider	Matt Runnels
Sacristan:	Nancy Markley	Donna Doran
Altar Server(s):	B.J. Traylor	Davis & Mary Claire Runnels
Gift Bearer(s):	Wendi & Jose Silverstrini	Russell Armstrong Family
Eucharistic Minister:	Host: Nancy Markley	Host: Jerry Perez
Eucharistic Minister:	Steve Paulson & Patty Kreider	Donna Taylor & Sarah Runnels

Altar Care & Linens

Altar Care: March 1/2 – Sandy Barksdale & Sandra Walker

Large Altar Linens: March/April/Easter 4-20 – Betty Vaughan, Margaret Dowdle, Nancy Markley

Small Linens: March – Mary Burge

March 1/2 – Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C

1st Reading: Sirach 27:4-7 (84C) – Praise no one before he speaks, for it is then that people are tested.

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:54-58 – The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God who gives us victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospel: Luke 6:39-45 – People do not pick figs from thornbushes, nor do they gather grapes from brambles. From the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks.

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



Last week's collection: Offering: \$7,095.

Ordination Anniversary – St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in Madison invites parishioners of Sacred Heart Church to attend the 25th anniversary of Rev. Albeen's Ordination to Priesthood on March 3 at 5 pm. RSVP to the church office at 601-856-5556 before February 23.

Catholic Service Appeal – Our Catholic community is united by our shared faith and commitment to service. Each year, Bishop Kopacz invites us to participate in the Catholic Service Appeal, which provides crucial support to those in need and funds important diocesan ministries like Intercultural Ministries. We invite you to consider making a gift to the Appeal and help our parish reach its goal, continuing the mission of Christ in our diocese.

Bulletin – If you have an item that needs to be published in the bulletin, please contact the office by phone or email no later than every Wednesday by noon.

Ash Wednesday – Mass will be on March 5 at 5:00 pm at Sacred Heart. Mass will be on March 5 at 12:00 noon at Holy Child.

Altar Flowers – If you are interested in donating flower arrangements for the altar in celebration or in memory of a loved one, please call the office by Wednesday. If you have a wedding on schedule at Sacred Heart and plan to leave the flowers on the altar for the weekend masses, please let the office know at least two (2) weeks in advance!

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

Parish Verification Request Forms – To apply for subsidy in Catholic Schools, **completed forms must be submitted to the office to be verified and signed by the pastor **BEFORE APRIL 15.****

Sacred Heart Society – Will be meeting on Thursday, February 27, at 6:00 pm in the parish center.

Youth Sunday School – Sunday school is being offered in the Parish Center after the 9:30 am mass every Sunday to all children who have received their first communion.

Adult Religious Education – Every Sunday after the 9:30 am mass.

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

Prayer List: Mike O'Brien, Becky Sutherland-Davis, Jay Armstrong, Lee Castleberry, Keri Perez, Sister Dorothea Sondgeroth, John Matthew Davis, Ricky Brophy Family, Cale Olbert, Sue Mosby, Michele Hill, Jennifer Leggett, Amy Walker, Lloyd Spivey, Erica Christie, Barbara Varner, Tony Pierce, Pat White, Melanie Spong

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



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