#### **First Sunday of Lent** February 21, 2021

"Your ways, O Lord, make known to me; teach me your paths." Psalm 25:4

#### CALENDAR OF MASSES/EVENTS

Sunday, February 21, 2021

First Sunday of Lent

9:30 am Liturgy +Mike Cullen by: Diane Cullen (Live Stream also)

7:00 pm AA & Al Anon

Monday, February 22, 2021

Tuesday, February 23, 2021

9:00 am Weight Loss Support Group

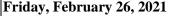


Thursday, February 25, 2021

8:00 am Liturgy +Mel Riffe by: Holy Spirit

9:00 am Adult Ed

7:00 pm AA & Al Anon



8:00 am Liturgy +Robert Brasher by: Holy Spirit

Saturday, February 27, 2021

6:00 pm Liturgy For The Parish Community

Sunday, February 28, 2021

Second Sunday of Lent

9:30 am Liturgy +Catherine Kristen Troutt by Holy Spirit (Live Stream also)

7:00 pm AA & Al Anon

#### PARISH SUPPORT

Needed Weekly for Budget	\$6	5,094.81
Offering		
Maintenance Fund Last Wk		
Community Services		
January On Line Donations		

Please mail your offerings to: Holy Spirit Catholic Church. P O Box 424 Hernando, MS. 38632



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https://www.facebook.com/Catholic-Parishes-of-Northwest-Mississippi-103393917976850/

#### ALTAR LINENS MINISTRY February - Barbara Dean

#### **Ministry Schedule** PLEASE REMEMBER:

You are to arrive at least 20 to 30 minutes before mass is to begin. This is important to be prepared and ready.

Saturday, February 27 – 6:00 pm

Greeter: Tijuana Buchanan/Kelli Bishop **Usher**: Danny Thomas/Craig Holland

Server:

**Lector**: Jim Buechele/Chris Greer

Gift Bearer:

**Eucharistic Minister:** Cindy Thomas

Sunday, February 28 – 9:30 am **Greeter:** Cil Johnson/Barbara Dean Usher: Jack McIngvale/Alan Gho

Server:

Lector: Chris Mitchell/Benedict Ozua

Gift Bearer:

**Eucharistic Minister:** Robin Brantley

**REMINDER:** If you are unable to fulfill your ministry obligation, it is your responsibility to find someone that can serve in your place. Thank you.

Jesus Christ,

you traveled through towns and villages "curing every disease and illness." At your command, the sick were made well. Come to our aid now,

in the midst of the global spread of the coronavirus, that we may experience your healing love.

> Heal those who are sick with the virus. May they regain their strength and health through quality medical care.

We make this prayer in your name, confident that you listen and respond to our prayers.

Amen.

#### **RELIGIOUS GOODS STORE**

February 20 – Kim Orr/February 21 – Barbara Nickarz February 27/28 - Closed



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online you'll always have a report of your giving history available. Signing up is as simple as scanning the OR code and start the process. Thank you for remembering your parish during these difficult times.



#### **Weekday Mass Schedule**

Oueen of Peace—Monday, Tuesday & 1st Friday at NOON Christ the King, Southaven—Wednesday (Bilingual Mass) and Thursday (English Mass) at NOON.

Holy Spirit, Hernando—Thursday and Friday at 8:00 AM



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If you have been tested recently for Covid-19 please <u>DO NOT come to</u>

Mass or participate in any group

activities until you receive a negative



activities until you receive a negative test result. You should be self-quarantining if you have been tested and have not gotten the result back yet.

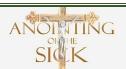
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**Pregnancy Care Center-** Holy Spirit is collecting diapers, formula, and gently used baby gear for infants /toddlers for the Care Center in Southaven. Mini hygiene items for mom's bags are welcome as well.

Please place items in the crib located in the Narthex. Thank you!!!

#### **RESERVATION TO ATTEND WEEKEND MASS**

Don't forget to call the parish office each Monday from 9 am to 12 noon to reserve a spot for you and your family at either the Saturday 6:00 pm Mass or the Sunday morning 9:30 am Mass. 662-429-7851 or you may e-mail the church at <a href="https://hollo.com/hollo.co



Facing surgery or serious health tests? Due to COVID regulations at all hospitals, our

priests are not allowed to go into the hospitals to anoint a parishioner with the Sacrament of the sick. We encourage all parishioners to make an appointment with one of our priests to receive the Sacrament <u>BEFORE</u> an anticipated entrance into the hospital. Call (662) 429-7851 to set up an appointment.

### Seriously Sick & Hospitalized Please Pray For The Sick

Your prayers are requested for the following who are having/recovering from surgery or are seriously ill:

Jo Ann Tominello, Sara Rauch, Sarah Galtelli, Chris Reimer (R. Powell bronlaw), Jennifer Smith (Nix), Virginia Pitts (G. Savage mom), Allen Sanders (G. Savage bro), Rosangela Tarverna (C. Bonner mom), Pat Smith, Bethany Brotherton (B Martin sis), Angela Porter (Nix), Becky Ashworth (Gaudet Niece), Brenda Caruthers, Sr Mary Myles (Powell sis), Mike Willey, Bill Warner, Lucy Holland, Josephine Muzzi, Deanne Greer, Scott Peck (Creg Holland bro-inlaw), Pat Mentgen, George Nickarz (dad), Wanda Ruby (Pam Hall mom), Rebecca Baker (LaRae), Emma Wilkerson (s. Henderson mom), Joe & Betty Kuhel, Charles Hill, Gene Winters (Nix), Lorraine Faulkner, Donald Grafe (J. Hughes bro), Kathy Eldred, Al Gawel, Bill & Nancy Brown, Tommy McFarland (K. Church), Glenn Donnelly, Juanita Young, Bobby Nickarz (brother), Betty Ann Byrad (Terry), Joeng Won Cho (Myong's mother), Dorothy Sheffe (C. Massa sis), Jennifer Thompson (L Holland), Melissa McNary (Kistler), Jennifer Donnelly, Michael Fancher, Ann Landers (Massa sis-nlaw), Toni Fink (Dennie's sis), Lester Johnson (Bob's twin), Jacob Bynum (Blumer nephew), William Selvo (N. French bro), Chris Selvo (N. French), Barney Norys (Terry), Mary Greenwell (B. Dean's sis), Jared Smith (Liz Brown). Please notify the Pastor when serious illness occurs or when hospitalization is indicated: we would like to strengthen the ill with the Eucharist and the Sacrament of the Sick (Anointing).

Pray for medical professionals, caregivers, and researchers responsible for fighting the new coronavirus. Pray for people at higher risk of developing the disease.

# Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



**THANK YOU** to the many families who have come on board and signed up with Parish SOFT Giving. Your gifts and your participation are a blessing to us. This convenient giving option is available by signing up at

https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/holy545151 When you participate, you can view your giving history and pledge progress any time just by logging in.

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The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered by appointment only. Please call the church office at 662-895-5007 or email Queenop@shsm.org to schedule an appointment with Fr. Ardi. Please call 662-342-1073 for Fr. David at Christ the King, Southaven and 662-429-7851 for Fr. Greg at Holy Spirit, Hernando.

weight loss support each other on our weight loss journey. Tuesday morning at 9:00 am for a weigh in and sharing. Liz Brown is our contact person for this adventure. 901-331-3419.

MAKE PLANS TO JOIN US EACH WEEK AS WE STRIVE TO BECOME HEALTHIER, HAPPIER PERSONS!!!

#### **CURRENT Office hours:**

**Monday to Friday** 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Our Religious Goods store is open as well.





#### Volunteers Needed!

Sacred Heart Southern Missions needs your help for its monthly mobile food distribution at

Landers Center, 4560 Venture Dr., Southaven; and

Please contact Lois Harrison to volunteer!! 901-626-5432 or Lharrison@shsm.org.

#### **Distribution Dates for 2021:**

#### Landers Center (Wednesdays):

Mar 17, Apr 21, May 12, Jun 16, Jul 21, Aug 18, Sep 15, Oct 20, Nov 17 and Dec 15.



Christ the King (Southaven) Tuesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 pm

Queen of Peace (Olive Branch) Wednesday, February 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm

Holy Spirit (Hernando) Wednesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 pm

### GUIDE BOOK & DIRECTORY ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITY.

We are in the process of updating our annual Guide Book & Directory for the church. This book will contain everything pertinent to our church: the various ministries, organizations, committees, activities, functions and events plus a complete directory of all members. This book is being provided and direct-mailed to each family at no cost to our church, and it is again being subsidized by local businesses that advertise. If you own or manage a business and would like to find out about advertising in our book, please call the Church Office. Recent survey results by Guide Book Publishing show that 92.1% of families would rather patronize a Guide Book & Directory advertiser over a non-advertiser.

It "will pay" to advertise in our Guide Book & Directory.



#### The theme for our Catholic Service Appeal is "Embrace – Serve –Inspire".

The CSA gives us the opportunity to act together as a diocesan family by supporting programs and services no parish alone can offer. Every gift, regardless of the size, is important to the success of the appeal. To reach our parish goal we are asking each of you to support the Catholic Service Appeal for the many gifts God has given to you.

Knights of Columbus Council 7120 is sponsoring a Blood Drive in the parking lot of Christ the King on Sunday, February 21 from

11:00 am to 2:00 pm. Please join us in helping give the gift of life!



#### **VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

We need someone to take over our Emergency E-mail Prayer Request Ministry. Pat Smith is dealing with chemo and needs to stop – hopefully temporarily. If you are willing to help please call the church office.



#### **UPDATE MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

- Do we have YOUR family information correct?
- Here is your chance to update your record for our annual Guide Book & Directory.
- It is time for us to update our database with any changes, additions, or deletions that may have occurred in YOUR family.
- Have you changed your phone number? Have you moved? Are you preparing to move soon?
- Are all your children still at home? Are all your children living at home included in your record?
- Do you want your record published?

If you have not already informed the Church Office about changes to your record, please let us know now so that the information in the Guide Book & Directory is correct. The Church office number is 662-342-1073. Thank you for your help!

# Have you prayed your rosary today?

#### The Sign of the Cross

At the beginning of our prayer, we make the sign of the cross together. This sign, simple and powerful, operates on many levels. We trace the sign of the cross over our bodies, reminding ourselves that the cross of Christ has become our source of resurrection, life, and grace. With this sign, we also profess our faith in the Trinity: the presider does not say "in the names," but "in the *name* of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit"—three persons, one God. The sign of the cross is also a baptismal reminder, for every sign of the cross echoes the words spoken over us at our baptism, which marked our entry into the saving mystery of Christ. This many-layered sign is also our primary sign of blessing: the cross is traced over people, places, and things upon which we ask God to impart divine benediction.

In blessing ourselves with the sign of the cross at the beginning of Mass, we acknowledge the mystery that has gathered us together: that Christ, the crucified and risen One, is living, and that we are members of his Body. Our response, our Amen, is our *yes* to all this, our first profession of faith.

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### "No law can give me the right to do what is wrong." Pres. Abraham Lincoln



The Knights of Columbus Council 7120 will be serving **Lenten Fish Dinners** on Friday February 19, Friday March 5, and Friday March 19 at Christ the King. In accordance with COVID 19 guidelines, this will be carry out only.

Funds raised from Knights of Columbus fish fries are

Funds raised from Knights of Columbus fish fries are used to support ministries such as the pregnancy Care Center. Thank you for your continued support.

## It's hard to stumble when you are on your knees.



### WEEKEND MASSES—CALL MONDAY between 9AM~NOON to reserve a space.

Good Shepherd, Robinsonville Saturday 4PM 901-487-8321

#### **Christ the King, Southaven**

Saturday 4PM, Sunday 11AM (English) 12:30PM (Spanish) 662-342-1073

> Holy Spirit, Hernando Saturday 6PM and Sunday 9:30AM 662-429-7851

#### **Queen of Peace, Olive Branch**

Saturday 6PM Sunday 10AM 662-895-5007

**St. Gregory, Senatobia** Sunday 8AM – 662-292-1885

#### Sr. Joseph, Holly Springs

Sunday 8AM English 662-544-6218 Spanish 901-674-4960

As a reminder: if you are running a fever, or are feeling sick, please do not come.



Pick up your family's CRS Rice Bowl and don't forget to download the CRS Rice Bowl App! May these 40 days better prepare us to encounter ourselves, our neighbors and God. Don't forget to

bring back your Rice Bowl on Holy Thursday!

#### FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH February 21, 2021

#### ORDER OF WORSHIP

#### NO OPENING SONG

#### PENITENTIAL RITE

We praise you, O Lord, you open our eyes: Christ, have mercy. We praise you, O Lord, you give us life eternal: Lord, have mercy

**OPENING PRAYER** 

#### + + LITURGY OF THE WORD + +

First Reading — "See, I am now establishing my covenant with you and your descendants" (Genesis 9:8-15)

Psalm — Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant. (Psalm 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (10))

**Second Reading** — Christ suffered for sins once, the righteous for the sake of the unrighteous (1 Peter 3:18-22)

**Gospel** — The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent and believe in the gospel. (Mark 1:12-15)

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#### **ALLELUIA**

#### GOSPEL:

#### **HOMILY**

CREED I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

#### PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL - UNIVERSAL PRAYER

#### + + LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST +

#### PREPARATION SONG Only This I Want

**Dan Schutte** 

REFRAIN: Only this I want: but to know the Lord, and to bear his cross, so to wear the crown he wore.

- 1. All but this is loss, worthless refuse to me, for to gain the Lord is to gain all I need. R
- 2. I will run the race; I will fight the good fight, so to win the prize of the kingdom of my Lord. R
- 3. Let your heart be glad, always glad in the Lord, so to shine like stars in the darkness of the night. R

**HOLY HOLY** Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

**MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION** 

**GREAT AMEN** 

LORD'S PRAYER

SIGN OF PEACE

LAMB OF GOD

**COMMUNION SONG** 

On Eagle's Wings

Michael Joncas

- 1. You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, who abide in his shadow for life, say to the Lord: "My refuge, my rock in who I trust!" R
- 2. The snare of the fowler will never capture you, and famine will bring you no fear: under his wings your refuge, his faithfulness your shield. **R**
- 3. You need not fear the terror of the night, nor the arrow that flies by day; though thousands fall about you, near you it shall not come. **R**
- 4. For to his angels he's given a command to guard you in all of your ways; upon their hands they will bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone. **R**

**Refrain:** And he will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of his hand. Final: And hold you, hold you in the palm of his hand.

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION CONCLUDING RITES FINAL BLESSING

CLOSING SONG

Lift High The Cross

Crucifer

**Refrain**: Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim till all the world adore his sacred name.

- 1. Led on their way by this triumphant sign, The hosts of God in Conquering ranks combine. R
- 2. Each newborn servant of the Crucified Bears on the brow the seal of him who died. R
- 3. O Lord, once lifted on the glorious tree, As thou hast promised, draw the world to thee. R
- 4. So shall our song of triumph ever be: Praise to the Crucified for victory! R

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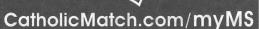
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