

SUNDAY, APRIL 22, 2018

SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH • HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA

Saint Joseph CATHOLIC CHURCH



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (Anticipated): 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m.
Weekdays: 7:00 a.m.
Saturday: 8:00 a.m.
Holy Days of Obligation: 7:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday at 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
or by appointment with the pastor.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The Parish Office is open Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and is closed during lunch 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Submit all bulletin announcements to bulletin@saintjosephcc.com no later than Friday, a week prior, at 12:00 p.m.

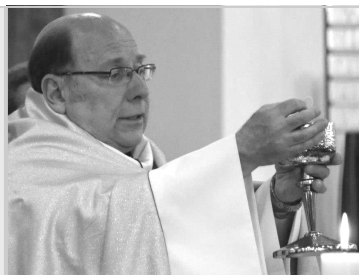


Holy Family School—Huntsville

Libby Parker, Principal - 256.539.5221

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256.430.1760



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

For all inquiries, please call Carmen Amato at the parish office. For sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation, there must be at least one year of formation immediately prior to the preparation for the sacraments.

BAPTISM. Parents and godparents must attend a baptism preparation session before scheduling a baptism.

MARRIAGE. If you intend to be married at St. Joseph Church, you must be registered in the parish and be active by donating your time, talent or treasure in support of parish projects. Regular Mass attendance on Sunday and on Holy Days of Obligation is also required. Couples planning marriage should contact the parish before setting a wedding date.

RCIA. Adults and children of catechetical age are welcomed into the Church through a process called the Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA).

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call Father Joseph Lubrano at the parish office to schedule an anointing.

FUNERALS

We have a number of people to help plan funeral liturgies and to set up funeral luncheons. Please call the parish office before contacting the funeral home to avoid scheduling conflicts.

PARISH REGISTRATION

If you are new to our parish and wish to register, please call the parish office for the appropriate forms.

A PARISH OF THE DIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM IN ALABAMA

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

8:00am +Marie Pentecost
5:00pm +Brian Joseph McGinn

SUNDAY, APRIL 22

8:15am Eva Nave
11:15am For the Parish

MONDAY, APRIL 23

7:00am +Fr. Gary New, S.D.S.

TUESDAY, APRIL 24

7:00am +Joyce Montgomery

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25

7:00am +Joe Trotter

THURSDAY, APRIL 26

7:00pm +Virginia Rickey
8:15am* Mary Jane Noto

FRIDAY, APRIL 27

7:00am +Uland Jones

SATURDAY, APRIL 28

8:00am +Dale Dugal
5:00pm +William Fleming

SUNDAY, APRIL 29

8:15am For the Parish
11:15am +Kenton Hughes

**HFS School Mass*

PRAYER REQUESTS

We are here to pray for you!



Henry Hollman, James Hudson Miller, Janice Mazikowski, Marie McCune, George Franklin, Debi Royer, Cecilia Hall, James McGee, Janet Ennis, David Miller, Barbara Brodeur, Jim Berthot, Carolyn Wingenter, Zanetta Brown, Reb Salvo, Chuck Salvo, Teresa Gregory, Rachel Johnson, Faye Fletcher, Batchelder Family, Stachura Family, Richard Wertz, Maddie Clearly, John Rourk, Jr., Greg Riley, Cindy Morales, Richard Chandler, Mary Chandler, John Dimmock, Linda Dimmock, Sharon Vandurn, Sally Purvis, Wanda Sharp, George Wertz, Ada Carden, Dollie Jackson, Josephine Stratton, Katherine Algie, Nick Rosa, Helen Kissel, Ralph Kissel, Dan Vandergrift, Marrisssa Lefebzre, Eva Nave, Mary Jean Brost Travis, John Howard, Lisa Andrews, Harold Jones, Sondra Adams, Judi Trygg, Marianna Young, Bill Mitchell, Bob & Elaine Sayre, and Steven Velkei.

Note

This is our new, updated prayer request corner. If you wish to add someone to the list, please contact Renate at the parish office. When that person recovers, please call again to remove their name so that others can be put on the list.

Thank you, Fr. Joe

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

This weekend is Good Shepherd Sunday and World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Each of us has a special vocation that we live out in different ways. Every one of us has been called by God to be His disciple and spread the Good News of God's love. This weekend we especially pray for priests, religious and deacons. The following prayer comes from the Black and Indian Mission Office. Let us pray today that God will bless the church with faith-filled men and women who will accept the invitation to priesthood, religious life (religious sisters, religious brothers and religious priests) and the diaconate.

FROM THE



PASTOR

Prayer for Vocations

Creator of all peoples and cultures, lead faith-filled

Men and women to **hear** the call to

serve your Catholic Church. Bless today's sisters,

priests, brothers and deacons with zeal and

perseverance. **Rekindle** in them the **fire**

of the Holy Spirit. Grant that many will be inspired

by their lived faith and lives of **service**. I earnestly

pray for an increase of vocations among all peoples.

Draw to your extravagant and loving heart, O God,

Candidates to **serve** the universal Church.

Especially we pray for our young people, may they

Hear your call to be a prophetic presence, bringing

Christ to an ever-changing world. **Bless** the

Evangelization efforts of our parish and diocese in its

Vocation **outreach**. Through, with and in

Our brother, Jesus. **Amen**.

May God's peace reign in your hearts. I pray that you have a blessed day. Always know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Always in the Savior, Fr. Joe

Have you checked out **FORMED.ORG**?

Our Parish Code is: CYQ663

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday	Acts of the Apostles 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; John 10:1-10	Friday	Acts of the Apostles 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-9, 10-11ab; John 14:1-6
Tuesday	Acts of the Apostles 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-7; John 10:22-30	Saturday	Acts of the Apostles 13:44-52; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; John 14:7-14
Wednesday	1 Peter 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17; Mark 16:15-20	Sunday	Acts of the Apostles 9:26-31 Ps 22:26-28, 30-32; 1 John 3:18-24 John 15:1-8
Thursday	Acts of the Apostles 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27; John 13:16-20		

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE HAPPY REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF THE MOST REVEREND DAVID EDWARD FOLEY, BISHOP EMERITUS OF THE DIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM

Bishop Foley, 88, passed away peacefully at 7:01 p.m. on Tuesday, April 17, 2018 at the St. John Vianney Residence for Priests.

Eternal rest grant upon him O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

THE KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER & LADIES AUXILIARY extend a warm thank you for your contributions to our Annual Easter Egg Hunt. Your thoughtfulness and kindness are appreciated.

We are asking for comments on making this a more joyful experience for our children. A suggestion/comment box is in the breeze-way. Thank you for your support.

The Knights & Ladies of Council & Court #286

BISHOP DAVID FOLEY FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Bishop Foley's body will be received at the Cathedral of Saint Paul, 2120 3rd Avenue North, in Birmingham at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 22, followed by prayers on the hour until 6:30 p.m. A Rosary will begin at 4:00 p.m., led by Fr. Kevin Bazzel. At 6:30 p.m., Bishop Robert Baker will preside over the Vesper service, with Abbot Cletus Meagher of St. Bernard Abbey preaching.

The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Monday, April 23, at 11:00 a.m. at the Cathedral of St. Paul. Archbishop Thomas Rodi of the Archdiocese of Mobile will preside. Burial will follow immediately in the Cathedral of Saint Paul courtyard.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Seminarian Education Fund, Diocese of Birmingham, P.O. Box 12047, Birmingham, AL 35202-2047.

The funeral proceedings will be broadcast live on EWTN Catholic Television Network.

DISASTER RELIEF TEAM NEEDS YOU! The Saint Zita Disaster Relief Team strives to be the hands and feet of Christ in a disaster situation. We go into communities and clean up after tornadoes, we have helped in flood areas and we have collected supplies for those in need. You must be 18 years of age or older to participate. Call Linda Pohuski at 256-520-2621 or the parish office for more information.



SANCTUARY FLOWERS

If you would like to make a donation to seasonal flower arrangements, please call the parish office at 256-534-8459.

WEEKLY OFFERING

Regular Collection	\$ 10,287.38
Other Designated Funds	\$ 1,212.00

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE • APRIL 28, 2018 - APRIL 29, 2018

ALTAR SERVERS

5:00pm: John Barisa, Patrick Moore
8:15am: William Pacello, Cale Stewart
11:15am: Skye Grant, Callie Good

LECTORS

5:00pm: Randy Buckner, Mary Graham
8:15am: Steve Kane, Kiki Kane
11:15am: Michael Glenn, Meagan Glenn

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5:00pm: Adriana Ayala*, Damien Donnelly, Geri Donnelly, Taylor Stegall, Ann Gunderman
8:15am: Liz Joffrion*, Bob Joffrion, Nonda Sloan, Regina Shelton, Ellen Styles
11:15am: Pete McGraw*, Bruce Taylor, Helen Taylor, Jessica Mayer, Natalee Weir

GIFT BEARERS

5:00pm: Sabine Wlodarski
8:15am: Theresa Arnold
11:15am: Good Family

USHERS

5:00pm: Homer Reynolds
8:15am: Frank & Becky Hayes
11:15am: Darrell Brown/Charles Smoot

Religious Education

Formation and Catechesis



St. Joseph will host a summer kids' event called *Shipwrecked VBS* from June 11 to June 15.

At Shipwrecked, kids discover that Jesus rescues them! They participate in memorable Bible-learning activities, sing catchy songs, play teamwork-building games, make and devour yummy treats, experience one-of-a-kind Bible adventures and collect Bible Memory Buddies to remind them of God's love. Plus, kids will learn to look for evidence of God all around them through something called "God Sightings."

All forms are in the Breezeway—sign up today!

CALENDAR

April 22 RE/RCIA/Adult Ed 9:30—11:00
 April 29 RE/RCIA/Adult Ed 9:30—11:00

1st Communion Celebration

This wonderful sacramental event will take place on Saturday, May 5 at 10:00 a.m. Our parish community is cordially invited to be part of the celebration!

Adult Education

Our Adult Ed classes continue! Here are your choices.

Wednesday 10-11:15 a.m. **King David** with Tom Uss (RE Center)

Wednesday 5:30-7:00 p.m. **Seven Deadly Sins, Seven Lively Virtues** with Fr. Joe (SFH)

Sunday 9:30-11:00 a.m. **Seven Deadly Sins, Seven Lively Virtues** (SFH)



Her Choice Birmingham Women's Center
15th Annual GOLF FORE LIFE
Friday, May 11, 2018
Highland Park Golf Course
Noon Lunch & Shotgun Start at 1:00 p.m.

The Her Choice Birmingham Women's Center annual golf tournament - a scramble format - will be played on Friday, May 11 at Highland Park Golf Course.

We will tee off promptly at 1:00 p.m. Lunch will be provided at noon. The cost is \$250 (\$125 tax deductible) per individual golfer and prizes will be awarded immediately following the tournament. Individual golfers are welcome and will be paired up. We are also asking individuals, families and companies to be Hole Sponsors for \$500.00.

Online Personal and Team Registration
or contact Jim Pinto @ 205.447.8796 or 252.0706
Golf4life@herchoicebirmingham.org

Pay on the day of the event, online now, or mail a check to:
 Her Choice Birmingham, 2120 7th Ave. South, Birmingham 35233
Registration Deadline is Friday, May 4

THE BENEDICTINE SISTERS RETREAT CENTER IN CULLMAN will host a weekend retreat: *The Gospel of Mark: Faith, Fear, and Healing* on April 27-29, 2018.

Noted New Testament scholar Bonnie Thurston will lead us in exploring an introduction to Mark's gospel and the spirituality of the Gospel as expressed through themes of faith, fear and healing. For registration information, please contact the Benedictine Sisters Retreat Center at 256-734-8302, or by e-mail at retreats@shmon.org.

CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL COLLECTION April 28-29, 2018. Our diocese will take up this special collection next weekend. Proceeds support struggling dioceses in the United States and help many of these churches keep their doors open and provide essential pastoral services. Your contributions also help outreach to prison inmates through liturgical and educational supplies, volunteers' and priests efforts to provide sacraments and bring Christ's message to this often forgotten population. In our diocese, your support touches Hispanic ministries in rural areas as well as the efforts of religious education, Catholic schools and our smaller mission parishes throughout the diocese.

For more information, visit www.usccb.org/home_missions.

Here Is What's Happening This Week

TUESDAY, APRIL 24

10:00am: Parish Staff Meeting (LIB)
 6:00pm: Boy Scouts (HFS)
 6:00pm: Spiritual Life Commission (LMR)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25

10:00am: Adult Formation (LMR)
 5:30pm: Adult Formation (LMR)
 6:00pm: St. Vincent de Paul (LIB)
 7:00pm: 8:15 am Mass Choir Practice (SJC)

THURSDAY, APRIL 26

8:15am: HFS School Mass (SJC)
 5:30pm: HFS Indoor Soccer (FMC)
 5:30pm: Joyful Workers (LMR)

SATURDAY, APRIL 28

9:00am: 1st Communion Retreat (SJC/SFH)
 6:00pm: Gospel Choir Practice (SJC)

SUNDAY, APRIL 29

9:30am: RE/RCIA/Adult Ed (LMR/LIB/SFH/HFS)
 10:00am: Sanctuary Choir Practice (SJC)

Facilities Key

FMC = Father Messmer Center/Gym
 SJC = St. Joseph Church
 LMR/LIB = RE Center
 SFH = St. Francis Hall
 STA = St. Thomas Aquinas Chapel
 BEA = Beasley Hall
 BRZWY = Breezeway