

## ROBO CALL JULY 9, 2020

Good afternoon. This is Fr. Joe, your pastor.

I hope you are all doing well and keeping safe.

The funeral arrangements for Charles Smoot are as follows: the funeral Mass will be on Friday, July 10 at 9:00 a.m., followed by burial in Montevallo, Alabama. Because of the Coronavirus, the funeral is for the family, close friends and colleagues only. If you attend the Mass, you must wear a mask. Please bring a mask from home and remember to observe social distancing. At a later date, there will be a Memorial Mass for Charles when it is safe to do so. Please keep Charles and his family in your prayers.

We will continue to have the two extra Sunday Masses during the month of July. Toward the end of July, we will re-evaluate.

Just as a reminder, everyone attending the 9:45 a.m. Sunday Mass is required to wear a mask. Please bring your own mask from home. At this Mass, there will be no singing. Please follow the seating diagram at the entrances of the church. The Xs on the pews mark the places where you are not to sit. Communion will only be given in the hand for the time being. However, after the final blessing and/or final hymn, I will be available to give Communion on the tongue for those who wish it.

On Saturday, July 18 from 9:00 a.m. to noon, you are invited to the former convent. If there is anything you would like, you will have the opportunity to take it and leave a donation for the Building Fund. This is a one-time event – don't miss it.

Please keep our 2020 First Communion class in your prayers. First Communion will be celebrated on two Saturdays – July 11 and July 25.

For more information, please visit the parish website at [www.saintjosephcc.com](http://www.saintjosephcc.com). In the meantime, I continue to keep you in my prayers and thoughts each day. Take care and be safe.