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THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 11, 2018



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MISSION STATEMENT

We, with the grace of the Holy Spirit, proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ as expressed in the beliefs and traditions of the Holy Roman Catholic Church. Through a passion for righteousness and consciousness of duty to God, we uphold the faithful worship of God in our mission to our church family and the Sunnyside Community.

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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Sat: Vigil 5:00 p.m.

Sun: 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday: 7:00 a.m.

First Friday: 6:30 p.m.

Holy Days: 7:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 4:15p.m. - 4:45p.m.

Sundays: 6:45a.m. - 7:15a.m.

9:20a.m. - 9:45a.m.

11:35a.m. - 12:00p.m.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED

SACRAMENT:

First Friday: 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

CHOIR REHEARSALS:

Adult Choirs

Judah Choir:

Tuesday @ 7:00 p.m.

God's Chosen Choir:

Wednesday @ 7:00 p.m.

Youth Choir:

Saturday-12:00pm (Harris Center)

Thursday before the 4th Sunday-7:00pm (In Church)

BIBLE STUDY/

ADULT CATHECHISM:

Tuesday: 6:30 p.m.

CHOIR DIRECTORS:

Jerry Givens 281.772.9276

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VISITATION OF THE SICK

Communion for the sick and shut-in is available. Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the parish office for information. Preparation classes are required for parents and godparents.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

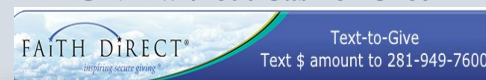
Please contact a priest a minimum of six months prior to proposed date.

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NEWCOMERS

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Save the number as a contact in your mobile phone for easy giving.

MASS INTENTIONS

SAT. 11/10/18 5:00PM
M/M Joseph Duplechaine (D) – Family
Kristina M. Chaney (D)
 Family & Friends
Willie & Theresa Roy (D)
 Joy Roy York
Deacon Albert Henry (D) – The Family
Annie Ruth Frank (D)
 Margaret Chaney

SUN. 11/11/18 7:30AM
People of the Parish

SUN. 11/11/18 10:00AM
Gaston Joseph, Jr. (D)
 The Joseph Family
Francis Lee Williams (D) – Pat Wiltz
Henry Bougere (D) – Pat Wiltz
Jermaine Walker (D)
 Donald Chambers
Earlene T. Newman (D)
 Louis & Sylvia Carrier

SUN. 11/11/18 12:15PM
All Veterans (L/D)
Kristina M. Chaney (D)
 Family & Friends
Sidney B. & Elizabeth G. Sam (D)
 The Sam Family
Barbara Yeldell (D) – Roland Yeldell
Herbert Goodwin, Jr. (D)
 M/M Herman & Theresa Rayme

MON. 11/12/18 7:00AM
Mary A. Babineaux (L)
 KPCLA Court 138

TUE. 11/13/18 7:00AM
Earlene Duplechaine (D)
 SFX Sisters in the Spirit

WED. 11/14/18 7:00AM
Josephine Simon (D) – 5:00pm Ushers

THUR. 11/15/18 7:00AM
Earlene Duplechaine (D)
 Tywanna Navy

FRI. 11/16/18 7:00AM
No Mass – Communion Service Only



Deacon Alfred Abram,
 Nathan Addison, Algy Alfred,
 Mary Meg Babineaux,
 Margaret Cadoree,
 Charolette Davis,

Marguerite Durall, Derella Ann Heflin, Willie Mae Henderson, Mable Isadore, Helen Kennison, Cynthia Ann Malone, Barbara Martin, Shannon Martin, Dorothy Milstead, Aline Norman, Carolyn Ollison, Helen Foreman Orsort, Jesse Pena, Cynethia Pichon, William Pierre Sr., Clematis Potts, Nona Rayme, Oliver Rose, Sylvia Royster, Evelyn Smith, Joan Strayhan, Mackenzie Swanks, Kennedi Swanks, Bessie Swindle, Erma Taylor, Pamela Thibodeaux, and all of the sick and shut-in in our parish family.
After 30 days, please call the office to remain on the prayer list.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Army:
 Barbara Baber, Sade Beck,
 Wadie Troy Butler, Tamika Rochelle Carmouche, Shanta Charles, Josiah Charles,
 Stephen Jones, LaTroy King,
 Gary Christian Robertson,
 Anthony Lamar Smith II, David Stagnoli

Navy:
 Debreaanna Brown, Jermaine Ceaser,
 Kevin Crockett, Courtney Harris,
 Nia D. Hawkins, Randolph J. Navy III,
 Anthony N. Russell

Air Force:
 Hayden Jacob Jr, Roderick Jones,
 Joffre Lander, Bena Sellers,
 Terrance J Valiare, Thomas Q Valiare II

Marines
 Alyssa Dugar, Jakob Trahan,
 Reginald Ward

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"...she...put in everything – all she had..."
 Mark 12:44



Each reading today tells of someone who sacrificed the very last thing they could offer. The widow who welcomes Elijah sacrifices her last grains of flour and last drops of oil to bake bread for this stranger. The widow Jesus sees outside the temple sacrifices two small coins, her whole livelihood, to the temple treasury. The author of Hebrews points out that Jesus sacrificed his very life for our sins. As we listen to scripture today, let us think about what we ourselves are willing to sacrifice.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- **Sunday – November 11**
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 1 Kings 17:10-16
 Psalm 146:7, 8-9, 10
 Hebrew 9:24-28
 Mark 12:38-44 or 12:41-44
- **Monday – November 12**
Saint Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr
 Titus 1:1-9
 Psalm 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6
 Luke 17:1-6
- **Tuesday – November 13**
Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin
 Titus 2:1-8, 11-14
 Psalm 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27, 29
 Luke 17:7-10
- **Wednesday – November 14**
 Titus 3:1-7
 Psalm 23:1-3, 4, 5, 6
 Luke 17:11-19
- □ **Thursday – November 15**
Saint Albert the Great, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
 Philemon 7:20
 Psalm 146:7, 8-9, 10
 Luke 17:20-25
- □ **Friday – November 16**
Saint Margaret of Scotland; Saint Gertrude, Virgin
 2 John 4:9
 Psalm 119:1, 2, 11, 17, 18
 Luke 17:26-37
- **Saturday – November 17**
St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious
 3 John 5-8
 Psalm 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6
 Luke 18:1-8



Bible Study Class is canceled this week.. Classes resume Tuesday, November 20th.



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PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

We encourage parishioners to take the chalice home for a week and pray for vocations. The sign-up sheet is in the vestibule of the church.



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Rev. Mr. Alfred Abram

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Rome B. Bougere

Leo Patrick Boutte

James E. Charles

Andrew Davis

Edward A. Davis

Calvin Dillard, Jr

Willie B. Davis (Deceased)

Michael Dozier

Rev. Mr. Darryl K. Drenon

Wendell Keith Duplechine

Sandy Cashe Duplechine

Rodney Ellis

James A. Epps (Deceased)

Rodney Garrison

George Lee Green (Deceased)

Beulah Alexis Hadrick

Joseph Paul Hamilton

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Victor Jenkins (Deceased)

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Louis McChristian (Deceased)

Willie J. Murray

Percy L. Pichon, Sr

Leon Poindexter, Jr (Deceased)

Leo E. Prescott, Jr

Lionel Russell, Sr

Michael A. Russell

Francis X. Savoie

CSM Frankie C. Sinclair, Sr

Alfred St. Mary

Donald Wayne Sterling

Charles Turner

Joseph Melvin Vallery (Deceased)

Paul Valsin

Ulysses W. Watkins, Jr (Deceased)

Mack Williams (Deceased)

Ltc. Lisa Williams



November 12th6:00pm
6th -10th CCE CLASSES

November 17th9:30am
Pre-K-5th CCE CLASSES

RCIA

Classes are **Thursdays** at **6:30p.m.** in the Harris Center.



THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

KPC Court 138 is having a Thanksgiving Food Drive through **November 17th**. Non-perishable foods can be dropped off in the vestibule of the Church. Donations benefit SVPD Food Pantry.

2019 SUNDAY MISSAL SALES

The New St. Joseph Sunday Missal for 2019 are now available for purchase. The cost is **\$3.00** each, or **2 for \$5.00**. Your 2018 Sunday Missals will end on **November 25th, Christ the King Sunday.**

2019 MASS INTENTIONS

Requests for Mass Intentions for the year **2019** are currently being accepted. Please use the *Mass Intention Request Forms* for your requests.

All Ministries and Organizations

Your 2019 Calendars may be submitted to the Parish Office at this time. Meeting Room requests and Parish Hall reservations will be posted on a first come, first served basis. Parish Hall dates will be opened to the public beginning **December 1st**.

The Christian Women Organization will have a **BAKE SALE** Bake Sale after the **7:30am** and **10:00am** Masses this weekend.

The Ministers of Hospitality will sell Turkey Legs and Chicken Wings after all Masses next weekend.

Next Pastoral Council Meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, November 14, 2018 at 6:00 P.M.** Please call the Parish Office to be on the agenda to present concerns.



We pray during the month of November for all the faithful departed. *The Book of Remembrance of the Dead* has been placed near the Commentator's Podium in the Church for you to add the names of your loved ones who died from **Nov 1, 2017 to Oct 31, 2018**, to be remembered throughout the month of November. To request a Mass Intention, use the forms located in the vestibule of the Church. Use your All Souls Envelopes to record names to be placed beneath the Altar throughout the month of November.



ADVENT REVIVAL

Our Advent Revival is **December 10, 11 and 12** at 7:00pm nightly. **Rev. John Judie**, from the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Louisville, Kentucky will be our guest revivalist.



ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTERS

Families are invited to sign up again this year to be Advent Candle Lighters during the four (4) weekends of Advent, beginning the weekend of **December 1st & 2nd** and ending the weekend of **December 22nd & 23rd**. We have four (4) Masses each weekend, so we will need to have sixteen (16) families. The Sign-up sheet will remain in the vestibule of the church until all 16 slots are filled.



Thursday, November 22, 2018

Thanksgiving Day
 Mass – 9:00am
 (No 7:00am Mass)

Friday, November 23, 2018

Mass – 7:00am
 (Parish Office is Closed)

ATTENDANCE

Attendance on November 3rd and November 4th was **487**. Please come worship with us and bring a friend.

NEXT WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION

Next week, our second Collection will be for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD). Over 43 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.



AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

THE VENERABLE HENRIETTE DELILLE MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

This year's Mass will be hosted collaboratively by the Sisters in the Spirit of Houston, and Associates of the Sisters of the Holy Family at 3:00pm Sunday, December 2nd at Our Mother of Mercy Catholic Church. Contact Janet Hall at 713-515-1911, jhall6@me.com or Evelyn Wagner Wright at 713-385-6607, ewagner@gmail.com for info.

GUMBO BAZAAR FUNDRAISER

St. Philip Neri Catholic Church is selling "Gumbo" on Sunday, November 18th after the 8:00am & 10:00am Masses. Pre Orders will be taken - \$10.00/Bowl. Contact Paula Journet at 271-773-0840, Sherry Chilo at 713-254-3723 or Beth Hahn at 832-866-4292.

CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION



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