

# Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church

1301 Golden Springs Road, Anniston, AL 36207

Rev. John G. McDonald, Pastor



**June 8th, 2025**

**Solemnity of Pentecost**



**Panel from the Maesta Altarpiece of Siena**  
*Duccio, di Buoninsegna, d. 1319*

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## Parish Mission Statement

We, the faith community of Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church, in striving to be like Christ, are committed to living the Gospel by participating in the Sacraments, promoting spiritual growth and religious education, and being an example of His Eucharistic love.

## MASS TIMES

Saturday

Reconciliation 3:30PM - 4:30PM

Mass 5:00 PM

Sunday

Mass 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM,  
1:00 PM (Misa en Español)



## Patronal Feast

**Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish**  
1301 Golden Springs Rd.  
Anniston, Alabama 36207

## Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus



Friday, June 27 at 5:30pm  
followed by a procession, coronation,  
parish gathering, music, and folk dancing

## Grand Parish Fair

Saturday, June 28 at 9am- 7pm

Authentic Latin food, music, raffles, vendors, and more!

*next week*

## New Mass Times

starting on

**June 14<sup>th</sup>**

**Saturday**

*Reconciliation*

**2:30pm-3:30pm**

*Vigil Mass*

**4:00pm**

**Sunday**

**8:30am, 11am and 1pm**

# A Message from our Pastor

Dear Parish Family,

On the Feast of Pentecost, we celebrate the great gift of unity of heart, mind, and body that we experience as members of the Church. In a fractured and crumbling world, we have the powerful joy to belong to the Mystical Body of Christ, preserved in unity by His Holy Spirit, living in a way that encourages life and gives peace to others.

As the pastor of this parish community, this Pentecost feast is a wonderful moment to me! I have been powerfully reminded of the many fruits of the Spirit that we live in the heart of this little corner of the Holy Catholic Church. In the life of our parish, we experience profound unity around the altar of the Lord, unity in prayer and chant, unity in liturgy and in the Word. Our efforts to promote adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament continue to bring blessing upon our community, and so many gather in prayer at all hours in the parish to bring their common supplications before the Lord.

We are also a multi-cultural community, just like the community of those first Christians. We are a community of many languages, English, Spanish, Vietnamese, Tagalog, Kiché, Akateka, and others... but we are one in the language of prayer. In the midst of our diversity, we experience powerful unity in our worship and in our lives together, working for the Kingdom of Our Lord Jesus Christ. Strong friendships are formed through fellowship and prayer together, and we give an example to our community of a place of harmony and refuge from the storms of life that pass over.

As your pastor, I am overwhelmed by the outpouring of charity in the hearts of so many parishioners who have reached out to help the poor and those who other local agencies cannot or will not help. They have reached into the lives of many to bring light, peace, and consolation – all fruits of the Holy Spirit! This Pentecost, give thanks to God for the gift of being a member of His Body in the One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church, and especially, a member of this beautiful little parish that makes the life of the Universal Church accessible to all to are drawn to Christ!

In His Most Sacred Heart,

*Fr. John*



Hello Sacred Heart Parish and Happy Pentecost!

My name is Justin Brouillette and I will be one of the seminarians here this summer supporting the life of the parish and learning from Father McDonald. Reflecting on my previous summer assignments, it is always the people I remember the most. So, I look forward to meeting more of you all as the summer unfolds.

I grew up at Our Lady of Sorrows parish in Homewood and then went on to Auburn University to study aerospace engineering. Over the course of my time there, I became actively involved with the Catholic student group. By my graduating semester, I felt God prompting me to consider the seminary and potentially the priesthood. I then applied to the Diocese of Birmingham, and three years later I have now completed my first year of theology studies. Thank you to everyone for hosting us seminarians for another summer and helping us to feel welcome. I hope that this will be a blessed and fruitful summer for us all.

*Justin Brouillette*



**Immaculate Heart of Mary  
Parish Life Center  
Debt Reduction**

Loan Amount: \$1,424,299.66

Current Loan Balance: \$1,380,591.60

Monthly Payment: \$15,869.93

Total Construction: \$2,665,220.00

Building Fund Collections: May

June 1<sup>st</sup>: \$1,815.00

## *This Week* at Sacred Heart

### *Sunday*

9:00am Mass

11:00am Mass

1:00pm Mass en español

2:00pm Ladies Guild

### *Monday*

Office Closed

### *Tuesday*

7:00am-Mass

### *Wednesday*

7:00am-Mass

6:00pm-Choir Practice

### *Thursday*

7:00am-Mass

10:00am-Young at Hearts

### *Friday*

7:00am-Mass

### *Saturday*

2:30pm- Reconciliation

4:00pm Mass

### *Sunday*

8:30am Mass

11:00am Mass

1:00pm Mass en español



The parish offices will be closed on Mondays during the summer months of June and July

## **Grass Cutting Schedule**

**Team 1-June 8- 21st Robbie Morrison**

Joe Meier John Deno, Britton Proper

Geraldo Mancillas, Henry Mancillas

Juan Morales

## **EXPLORING THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS VBS 2025**

Sacred Heart will have Vacation Bible School beginning tomorrow from 8:30am - 2:30pm. Please pack a lunch each day for your child. Sign up now in the Narthex after Mass!

### **Soup Bowl!**

Sacred Heart will be serving at the Anniston Soup Bowl, June 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>. Please sign up after all Masses if interested in volunteering.



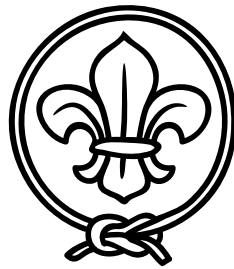
### **Adult VBS**

Adult Vacation Bible School will be held the week of July 15th-18th.

More information to come!

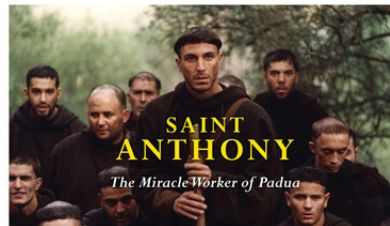
## **Sacred Heart Scouting**

Sacred Heart Catholic Scouting will be expanding our Summer Camp Offerings for 2025. Troop Scouts will be attending Summer Camp the week of June 29-July 5 at Camp Sequoyah. Summer Camp this year is \$375 per attending scout.



Currently we have twenty-three scouts hoping to attend camp. Additionally, this year, our Cub Scouts will be attending a Cub Scout Camp at Camp Comer the week of July 6-12. Cost for Cub Scout Camp is \$110 per scout and currently we have thirteen Cubs scheduled to attend.

If anyone would like to 'Send a Scout to Camp,' please make a donation to Sacred Heart Catholic Scouting via the church office. Our scouting program continues to expand and grow due to the strong support of our parish community.



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### **Saint Anthony: Miracle Worker of Padua**

This beautiful Italian film depicts the life of St. Anthony of Padua, including his preaching, his love for the poor, and the wonders of his miracles. It will doubtless help you cultivate devotion to this beloved saint.

Our parish has a Formed subscription. Visit [formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup) and select our parish. Scan the QR code to download the Formed app to your phone.



An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE



### **Yard Sale**

If you have items you would like to donate to the parish yard sale, please contact Pauline Anderson, 256-453-1440 to arrange a drop off time. The yard sale will be in January.

## Daily Mass Schedule

**Saturday, June 7th**

**5pm--** Noah Paredes

**Sunday, June 8th**

**9 am----**+Minnie Breaux

**11am ---**Parish Family

**1 pm -+**Desiderio Gutierrez

**Tuesday, June 10th**

**7am-** Brittany Rosas

**Wednesday, June 11th**

**7am--**Ximena Martinez

**Thursday, June 12th**

**7am--**+Mary Jo Moloney

**Friday, June 13th**

**7am-**+Mickey Zilenski

**Saturday, June 14th**

**5pm--** +Robert Moore

**Sunday, June 15th**

**9 am----**Parish family

**11am ---**+Leo Elmore and

Jennifer and Stephen Flores

**1 pm -+**Gerardo Paredes

## MINISTER'S SCHEDULE

**Sat, June 14, 4:00 PM**

**Lector-**Teresa Kauffman

**Eucharistic Minister-**Corinne Hopper

**Altar Servers-**

Dean and Evan Lombardi, Efe Sevgi

**Ushers-**Ximena and Jorge Martinez

**Sacristan-**Keila Sevgi, Susan Watson

**Hospitality-**Mary Snyder

**Sun, June 15<sup>th</sup> 8:30 AM (with Choir)**

**Lector-**Shari Doyal

**Eucharistic Minister-**Mike Cova

**Eucharistic Minister (Choir)-**Michelle Proper

**Altar Servers-**Henry and Tony Mancillas, Paul and Sam Maniscalco, Piper Moreau

**Usher-**Felipe and Daneal Gijon

**Sacristan-**Nora Becerra and Sonja Deno

**Hospitality-** Terry Hughes

**Sun, 11:00 AM (w/o Choir)**

**Lector-**Teresa Scheuring

**Eucharistic Minister-**Mike Cova

**Altar Servers-** Lindsey and Andrew Cofield, Joseline, Felipe and Jesus Gijon

**Usher-**Patricia and Jorge Martinez, Sr.

**Sacristan-**Glori Hart Whitaker, Kelly Matson

**Hospitality-** Delinda Garcia

**Hospital Ministry-June**

June 3<sup>rd</sup>- June 9<sup>th</sup>-Shari Doyal

June 10<sup>th</sup>-June 16<sup>th</sup>-Al and Sally Smith

June 17<sup>th</sup>-June 23<sup>rd</sup>- David Hopper

June 24<sup>th</sup>-June 30<sup>th</sup>-Gina Reaves

**Mass Attendance**  
**May 31st&June 1st**

5:00pm- 168

9:00am- 260

11:00 am - 205

1:00 pm - 394

### UPCOMING SCRIPTURE READINGS

June 14th&15th

The Holy Trinity

Prv 8:22-31

• Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

• Rom 5:1-5

• Jn 16:12-15

### Weekly Offertory

Offering:\$9,921.54

Online:\$2,923.16.00

Total: \$

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### Online Giving

You can make your offertory gift by scanning the QR code which links directly to our online giving website.



## Prayers Requested

Cathy Little, Kitty Moore, John Winn, Migdalia Santiago, Chris Clement, Jim Roberts, Andrew Wackerle, Teresa Atkins, Nan Estes, Carolyn Brouillette, Isabela Gomez, Telly & Michelle Munn, Robert Pate, Janet Reese, Brenda Marcelino, Connie & Everett Pollard, Bobby Yates, Lillian Jennings, Jessica Haas, Benny & Marilyn Holderfield, Gail Foster, Stephanie Velasquez, Judy Myers, Rita Lindsey, Janet Griffin, Elizabeth-Anne Heathcock, Diane Seales, Debbie Buzan, Julianne & Oliver Semmes, Tom Beam, Sharon Coverstone, Chris Warden, Michael Ingram, Sandie Pasquinelli, Bob Anderson, Allison Doyal, Sandy Demarois, Sheri Ballard, JoAnn Nelson, Cameron Chenard, Samantha Presson, Shirley Koshan, Scott Presson, Jim Pierce, Paula and Mark Crews, Jamie and Misty Seehafer, Jane Eldemire, Jim Coverstone, Michael Griffin, Florence Harvey, Sharon Palomba, Trent Jones, Kim Athon, Linda Chenard

### St. Anthony of Padua Feast Day, June 13th

Glorious Saint Anthony, you have exercised the divine power to find what was lost. Help me to recover the grace of God, and make me zealous in the service of God and in the practice of living the virtues. Let me find what I have lost, thus showing me the presence of your goodness.



### Young at Hearts

Young at Hearts, a group of seniors who meet monthly to pray the Rosary, play bingo and share in a pot luck lunch, will meet this Thursday at 10am in the Parish Life Center Parlor.