



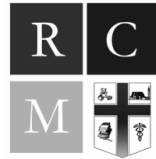
Resurrection Catholic Church

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Church Environment
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SUNDAY, APRIL 15, 2018 – THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

SACRIFICIAL GIVING: Thanks be to God and to you for your support of your Church last Sunday. May God continue to inspire us to share time, talent and treasure with this faith community.

Weekly Offering (Church Collection):	\$10,742.00
<i>Collection Basket: \$3,845.00 / Online: \$500.00 / Mailed: \$100.00</i>	
Church Collection YTD:	\$70,887.00
Building Fund:	\$70.00
Building Fund YTD Total:	\$798.00
ICO:	\$15.00
Food Pantry:	\$15.00
75 th Anniversary:	475.00
75th Anniversary Total:	550.00



The disciples in today's Gospel came to know Jesus in the breaking of the bread. When we share what we have with those who are in need, we, too, will discover Jesus in our midst.

FIRST RECONCILIATION



First Reconciliation will be held next Sunday after Mass in the Church. Please keep in your prayers, **Kendall Marielle Dunson, Jo'Liam McKenneth Golson, Aiden Yvette James, Xavier Dillion Maddox, and John-Elliott David Ernest Willard, Jr.,** who are preparing to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Eucharist.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



Resurrection Catholic Church and Missions, as part of the 75th Anniversary celebration, will sponsor three performances of **Tolton: From Slave to Priest** at the J.G. Hardy Student Center on the campus of Alabama State University. There will be a 7:00 p.m. performance on Wednesday, May 9 and performances at 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 10. To learn more about this production, visit www.ToltonDrama.com

Email: Sr. Rita Washington at ritaw43@aol.com * Sr. Gilda Bell at sgildab@yahoo.com * Michelle Coe at mcoe@rcmsouth.org * Clifford Petty at cpetty@rcmsouth.org or Alcayne Harris at aharris@rcmsouth.org

PRAY FOR THE UNBORN: The Rosary is said every 2nd Sunday before Mass. Please join us in the Sanctuary.
SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Preparation and celebration of sacrament scheduled as needed. **Call the parish office.**
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is celebrated before Mass, and by appointment.
SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: The Archdiocese requires a four-month preparation period before marriage. A couple **must** inform the Parish Office before a date is set.
SACRAMENT OF FIRST EUCHARIST: In order to receive the sacrament of First Eucharist in second grade, children must regularly participate in Catholic religious education in Kindergarten and First Grade.
CONFIRMATION: In order to receive the sacrament of Confirmation, young people must have regularly participated in Catholic religious education from First Eucharist until they are a junior in High School. Classes are held the last Tuesday of each month.
RCIA: Adult religious education classes – every Wednesday at 7 p.m. from September through Pentecost.
SUNDAY SCHOOL/CCD: Children/youth religious education classes every Sunday after Mass, September through May.
OUR LADY'S SODALITY meets every 1st Sunday after Mass in the Fr. Richard Administration Building
KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER meets every 2nd Sunday after Mass in the Fr. Richard Administration Building
KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER, LADIES' AUXILIARY meets every 2nd Sunday in the Fr. Richard Administration Building
KPC/KPCLA meets jointly every 5th Sunday in the Fr. Richard Administration Building
KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER, JUNIOR KNIGHTS meets every 3rd Sunday after CCD
NAZARETH / RESURRECTION ALUMNI ORGANIZATION meets every 4th Thursday of the month in the Villa Conference Room
NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to Resurrection! PLEASE REGISTER. Forms are available in the vestibule.

PLEASE NOTE. Celebrations, baptisms, special events, etc. to be included in the Sunday Liturgy **MUST** be coordinated through Sr. Rita

BULLETIN: To ensure that your bulletin announcement appears in the Sunday bulletin, please submit your announcements **no later than Wednesday, 4:30 p.m.** Email your announcement to mcoe@rcmsouth.org, parish@rcmsouth.org, call 263-4221, fax it to Mrs. Alcayne Harris at 263-4999 or bring it by the parish office.

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 22	First Reconciliation, after Mass
May 4-6	71 st KPC and KPCLA Annual Gulf Coast District Senior Conference, Huntsville, AL
May 5	ACYC Jr. for Middle School Youth, Location TBA
May 5-6	Youth Group BBQ, Resurrection School
May 9	The Tolton Story, J.G. Hardy Student Center, ASU, 7:00 p.m.
May 10	The Tolton Story, J.G. Hardy Student Center, ASU, 10:00 a.m & 7:00 p.m.
May 9-16	Portland University Summer Trip (Portland, OR)
June 8-10	KPC Gulf Coast District Junior Conference, North Charleston, SC
June 9	Women's Day of Reflection, Resurrection School Gymnasium
June 18-21	Notre Dame Regional High School Civil Rights Trip
June 19-23	Archbishop Lyke Conference, Xavier University, Louisiana, LA
June 21-24	Youth Group Universal Studios and Islands of Adventure Trip
June 25-July 13	Institute for Black Catholic Studies, Summer Session, Xavier University, New Orleans, LA
August 3-8	KPC 102 nd Annual National Convention, Anaheim, CA
September 29	75 th Anniversary Banquet, Location TBA
October 6	Called to Love Conference for Women of the Archdiocese
November 3	3 rd Annual Black Catholic History Month Celebration, Montgomery
November 8	RCM's Annual Fundraising Gala & Silent Auction

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

April 15:	Amanda Nichols, Bennita Vaughans
April 16:	Athena Hargrove
April 18:	James Minor
April 19:	Melanie Bassett, Katrina Bryant, Aurelia Pettus
April 20:	Charles Asouzu
April 21:	Cassandra Henderson
April 22:	Cassidy Jackson, Durwin Jackson, Jorrdan Boyd
April 23:	Cedric Hutcherson
April 24:	Fannie Bruce, Tony Chambers, Chavon Washington
April 28:	Kamaria Bryant (15), Nicholas Maye

ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS

April 28	Twila and Dante Wheat (28)
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THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

April 16, 1968	National Black Catholic Clergy Caucus (NBCCC) founded
April 16, 1862	Abraham Lincoln freed slaves in Washington, DC
April 17, 1983	Alice Walker won the Pulitzer Prize for <i>"The Color Purple"</i>
April 18, 1977	Alex Haley won the Pulitzer Prize for <i>"Roots"</i>
April 19, 1897	First Boston Marathon held
April 20, 1853	Harriet Tubman founded the Underground Railroad
April 20, 1875	Fisk University founded in Nashville, TN
April 21	Feast of St. Anselm, Benedictine monk and Archbishop of Canterbury
April 21, 1565	Black explorers with Menendez founded St. Augustine, FL

Ministry Schedule					
	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers
TODAY April 15, 2018 The Third Sunday of Easter	Sr. Gilda Bell, Erma Carter, Farrish Danley	Sean Golson Patrice Obi	The Richetta Cofield-Stanford Family	Jimmiah Fenderson Cameron Prince Cet-Ki Williams	John Carpenter Walter Davis Theodore Smith Wanda Twitty Kassandra Scott
NEXT SUNDAY April 22, 2018 The Fourth Sunday of Easter	Ernestine Bryant, Michelle Coe, Cassandra Henderson	Caro Stanford & Cameron Prince	The Vicki Golson Family	John Carpenter, Farrish Danley, Cliff Weatherly	Leon Moore, Nora Powell, Cynthia Taylor, Brandon Thomas

PRAYER LIST

Marian Alexander, Leo Allen, Brandon Anderson, Kendrick Arrington, II, Bridget Barlow, Dorothy Barlow, Vickie Barlow, Carey Barnes, Alma Beasley, Arnold Bell, Kevin Bell, George & Ethel Bell, Louella Belton, LaKita Bivens, Lois Bivens, Melanie J. Sparks Bosak, Elmore Boyd, Johnny Brannon, Jerome Broughton, Anthony Burden, John Carpenter, Cassandra Copeland, Steward Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Edmund Costello, Bernice Crenshaw, Doris Crenshaw, Mary Cuffe, Mecylah Danley, Margarete Day, Fr. Stan Deresienski, SSE, Dr. Sibyl Duncan, Japonica Ellis, Msgr. Michael L. Farmer, Brandi Fisher, , Doyle Flowers, Rex Flowers, Lucinda Garrison Fowler, Helen Foster, Sr. Gloria Fox, C.R., Robert Ganucheau, John German, Terry German, Edward Goellner, Steve Goellner, Veronica Goellner, Yvette Wilcox Goellner, Cecile Gray, Michelle Greer, Dorothy Guilford, Samuel James Guadalupe, Sr. Patsy Guyton, S.F.C.C., Debbie Hall, Doris Hall, Phyllis Hall, Alcyne Harris, Evelyn Harris, Kevin Harris, Marcy Harris, Barry Hedblom, Lois Herndon, Ophelia Hill, Carol Hodges, Jacqueline Hudson, Iris Hurd Hunter, Kevin Jackson, Priscilla Jackson, Veronica Jackson, Rebecca James, Mary Ellen Jeter, Ethel Garrison Johnson, Gail Johnson, Johnetta Johnson, Roxy Jones, Debbie Kemsel, Felicia Kenney, Marie Kenny, Nathan Kozel, Frances Knight, Shaquille LaFond, Jewel Lewis, Rosetta Lovelace, Andrew Lyke, Most Reverend Oscar H. Lipscomb, Clarence Manly, Robert Masline, Deacon Stanley Maxwell, Melanie McDonald, Vera McDonald, Betty McGowan, Jamil McKenzie, Deanna McRay, Cyndi Messina, Cyntina Milner, Makena Milner, Sr. Carolyn Minert, C.R., Courtney Minor, James Minor, Jacqueline Montgomery, Evelyn Moore, James Moore, Sr., Samuel Moore, Ronnie Munnerlyn, Dale & Susie Nadeaux, Mabel Neely, Lula B. Nikoi, Gene Nelson, LaTonya Nicks, Carolyn Norvel, Audrey O'Connor, Sr. Francis Pielmeier, CSA, Michael Pitts, Alaida Pugh, Jerry Radka, Alex Ragesdalle, Joel Rivera, Farley Rudolph, Mary Frances Sadler, Loretta Deville Salomon, Gene Sator, Lula Sayles, Morris Sayles, Jr., Mildred Selmar, Erica Shepherd, Fr. David Shoemaker, Ruth Smith, Willie Ann Smith, Yvette Smiley Smith, Vernon Snoddy, Valentine Spencer, Victor Splitt, Ernestine Stephens, Richetta Cofield Stanford, Ronald Stephens, Deacon Allen Stevens, Barbara Stevens, Rubye Sullivan, Fr. Gene Szarek, C.R., Carrie Tarver, Nayobi Taylor, The Telleria Family, Betty Thomas, Derek Thomas, The Lewis Thompson Family, Faye Thornton, Sherman & Merle Todd, Mary Trainor, Dolores Turner, Charles Twitty, Iris Vanessa Vaughn, Dr. Percy Vaughn, Marie Washington, Sr. Rita Washington, SFCC, Jemellia Webb, Steve Webb, Ashley Whatley, Brenda White, Kevin Wilcox, Lorena Wilkerson, Edward Williams, Deacon Nathan Williams, Deborah Willis.

Engaged Couples: Sinéad Coe & Najgee Gatson (5/26/18); Amanda Nichols & Hyderick T. Norman, IV (7/14/18); LaShaundra Ross and Zaron Johnson (6/2/18); Brittany Powell and Bradley Harper; LaTonya Nicks and Naveon Kittler, Alaida Pugh & Brannan Cunningham (7/7/18); Jarred Twitty & Shaunté Bailey; Ayla Davis & Brandon Thomas

Homebound Parishioners: Bridget Barlow, LaKita Bivens, Sarah Davis, Jessie Hudson, Mabel Neely, Carol Roper, Sheila Sprowl, Edna Thornton, Edward Williams, Dr. Percy Vaughn

Military Deployed, Overseas or In Training: Steven Beasley, Alexander Buchanan, Heidi Hedblom, Terrance Perkins and Caro Stanford

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)



We've Come This Far By Faith. Classes are held each Wednesday evening in the Fr. Richards Building. This week's topic will be *"Pastoral Leadership"* presented by Sr. Gilda Bell. Contact Vera McDonald, Sr. Rita Washington, S.F.C.C., Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell, or Leon Moore.

PARISH NEWS

MEETINGS

The **KPC Junior Knights** will meet in the Fr. Richard Administration Building today after Sunday School.

A **Universal Studios Trip Meeting** will be held today in the Villa dining room today after Mass. Those that are interested, please attend this meeting.

Eucharistic Ministers: There will be a brief meeting next Sunday, April 22, after Mass for all Eucharistic members in the Villa Conference Room.

Living Well Alabama Chronic Disease Self-Management class will meet tomorrow from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Alice Lewan Conference Room in the Fr. Richard Administration Building.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



Thank you all so much for your prayers love and support, generosity, delicious food and the beautiful service celebrating the life of Carolyn Fay Williams Waire. There are not enough words to fully express our heartfelt thanks and gratitude for all of the kind expressions of sympathy that were gratefully acknowledged and so very deeply appreciated.

~The Family of Carolyn Fay Williams Waire

ZIP'S STATE



Congratulations to Robert E. Lee's Zipporah Broughton who was crowned Miss Basketball of the Year by the Alabama Sports Writers Association! Zipporah is a Rutgers signee who led Lee to its first 7A state semifinals. She averaged 23.6 points per game as a senior and scored 2,419 career points. The award and luncheon was sponsored by Alfa Insurance. Zipporah is also a contender to be Lee's valedictorian.

WOMEN'S DAY OF REFLECTION



The Women's Day of Reflection will be held on Saturday, June 9, in the School Gymnasium.

FIRST EUCHARIST



Mrs. McDonald and the parents of children who are preparing to receive the Sacrament of First Eucharist will meet next Sunday in the school library. The children should have completed Lessons 7-9 before this meeting. **First Communion Rehearsal will be held on Saturday, May 5.**

EASTER BASKET FUNDRAISER



Our Lady's Sodality thanks everyone who supported the annual Easter Basket Fundraiser. Congratulations to Mary Gardner, winner of the boy's basket; Lloria James, winner of the girl's basket and to Kelley Calloway, winner of the adult basket.

YOUTH GROUP

UNIVERSAL STUDIOS TRIP

Resurrection Youth Council is sponsoring a family trip to Universal Studios and Islands of Adventure on June 21 thru 24, travelling by charter bus. We need at least 30 people to sign up. Rates include three (3) nights' hotel accommodation at Universal's Cabana Bay Beach Resort, tickets to both parks for 2 days and early park admission to the Wizarding World of Harry Potter one hour before the theme park opens. A deposit of \$200.00 per person will reserve your space for this trip. Rates for transportation will come soon. The rates below are the Summer 2018 rates.

Single Room (1 adult) - \$908.00
Double Room (2 people) - \$577.00
Triple Room (3 people) - \$478.00
Quad (4 people) - \$429.00

ANNUAL MOTHER'S DAY BBQ / WINGS



The annual Mother's Day Bar-B-Q will be held on May 5 and 6. Slabs will be \$21.00 cut or uncut, and \$1.00 for extra sauce. 12 Wings will be \$21.00. They freeze well and are perfect for Mother's Day! All proceeds go toward youth activities/Universal Studios Trip. Order forms are in the vestibule.

KPC NEWS

SUNDAY DINNER

Spring into April with Sunday Dinner sponsored by the Knights of Peter Claver today after Mass. Menu: Gumbo, Potato Salad, Bread and Dessert. Cost is only \$10.00.

KPC/KPCLA GULF COAST RAFFLE



The KPC/KPCLA Gulf Coast will have their annual Conference Raffle. Prizes are: 1st - \$500.00; 2nd Prize - \$250.00; and 3rd Prize - \$100.00. See any member of the KPC/KPCLA.

2018 SCHOLARSHIP RAFFLE



The KPC & KPCLA National office is sponsoring a Scholarship Raffle. You have 13 chances to win!!! Cash prizes are: 1st - \$5,000.00; 2nd - \$2,000.00; 3rd - \$1,000.00; and 10 - 4th - \$300.00. Drawing will be held on Tuesday, August 7. Tickets are \$1.00. See any member of this organization.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

SPRING INTO FASHION!



RCS will have a Fashion Show this Saturday at 3:00 p.m. in the school gymnasium. Students will model garments that they created and sewed. Cost is \$3.00 ages 5+up and \$5.00 adults.

RESPECT LIFE



"A model of care has been developed specifically for families whose infant is likely to die before or after birth. Often called perinatal hospice, it's a way of caring for both the baby and the baby's family before, as well as after, birth."

*USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
"Supporting Families Who Receive a Prenatal Diagnosis"*

We pray for all who feel incapable of welcoming life. May the Lord fill their hearts with peace and strengthen them to receive this gift.

BECOME AN "ADORER"



The Montgomery Area Perpetual Adoration Chapel has a number of open, available hours for adorers and prayer partners.

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

GOSPEL EXPLOSION



The Montgomery Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. presents Montgomery's Sunday best presents multi-award winning gospel singing legend Dottie Peoples on Sunday, April 29 at 4:00 p.m. at True Divine Baptist Church. Other guests are The Alabama Boys, **W. Clifford Petty**, Bonita Moore Angier Stewart Johnson **Resurrection Catholic Church Praise Dancers**, ASU Department of Theatre & Dance and other local artists. Doors open at 3:00 p.m.

STANDING TOGETHER AGAINST RAPE



Standing Together Against Rape presents *Take Back The Night* on Friday, April 20 at 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. at Frazer United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. A fashion show and silent auction will be held. Donations of new underwear, socks, etc. will be accepted. This is a free event. Call (334) 213-1227.

PETER PAN



The Cloverdale Playhouse's production of *Fences* will be held on April 26-29 and May 2-6 at 7:30 p.m. and Sundays at 2:00 p.m. **Sean Golson** is in the cast. Call Melanie Bennett at (334) 262-1530, ext. 2 for information on groups of 10 or more or special needs.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Volunteers are needed to assist with the Equal Justice Initiative's Grand Opening of the Legacy Museum and the National Memorial for Peace and Justice opening from April 24 to Saturday, April 28th. All volunteers must commit to completing a minimum of two 4-hour shifts. Visit <http://rcmsouth.eji.volunteerhub.com/> to sign up. **More information is on the table in the vestibule.**