



Resurrection Catholic Church
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Sr. Gilda Marie Bell, Minister of Care

Mrs. Michelle Coe, Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Alcyne Harris, Clerical Assistant

MASS SCHEDULE: Sunday – 9:00 a.m.; **Holy Days** – 6:00 p.m., **Daily Hours:** Thursday, 9:00 a.m. with the school
 Monday through Thursday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.; Friday 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2018 – THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

SACRIFICIAL GIVING: Thanks be to God 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): **\$4,529.00**

Collection Basket: \$3,984.00 / Online: \$390.00 / Mailed \$155.00

Church Collection YTD: \$167,333.69

2nd Collection: Catholic University \$131.00

Building Fund: \$15.00

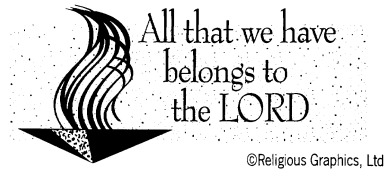
Building Fund YTD Total: \$4,251.00

75th Anniversary: \$95.00

75th Anniversary Total: \$9,861.00

ICO: \$30.00

Food Pantry: \$60.00



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Today's second reading warns that a heart consumed with avarice and envy leads to jealousy, strife, conflicts, and disputes. A giving heart, in contrast, can sing instead with the psalmist, "Freely will I offer you sacrifice; I will praise your name, O Lord, for its goodness." (Psalm 54)

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY 2018



Today is Catechetical Sunday! Parish catechists, school faculty and staff will be commissioned for their ministry during Mass. This year's theme is *"Enlisting Witnesses for Jesus Christ"*. In Baptism, they are charged with the responsibility of handing on and witnessing to the faith in all they do and rededicate themselves to the mission as a community of faith.

RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY



The Annual Life Chain will be Sunday, October 7 from 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. This is a prayerful time with a powerful message to the public. Join hundreds of Christians and their Clergy at Vaughn Road at Catholic High School to be exemplary public witnesses for Christ – to pray against the spirit of abortion in our community and nation.

Email: Sr. Gilda Bell at sgildab@yahoo.com * Michelle Coe at mcoe@rcmsouth.org * Clifford Petty at cpetty@rcmsouth.org or Alcyne Harris at aharris@rcmsouth.org

CONTACT IN THE PARISH AND MISSION CENTER

Apostles of the Resurrection
 Apostolate for Persons with Disabilities
 Archdiocesan Pastoral Council
 Altar Servers
 Baptism Classes
 Bulletin
 Burse Club
 Choir, Adult
 Church Environment
 Confirmation Class
 Eucharistic Ministers
 Hospitality Committee
 Interfaith Community Outreach
 Knights of Peter Claver
 Knights of Peter Claver, Ladies' Auxiliary
 Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Daughters Counselor
 Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Knights Commander
 Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Knights Assistant Commander
 Lectors
 Liturgical Dancers
 Marriage Preparation
 Mass Program/Songsheet
 Minister of Care
 Nazareth /Resurrection Alumni Director
 Nazareth /Resurrection Alumni Organization
 Our Lady's Sodality
 Parish Council
 Religious Education
 RCIA
 Resurrection Catholic School
 Resurrection Catholic School PTO
 Youth Ministry

Evelyn Harris
 Angela Barnes
 Gladys Copeland
 John Carpenter, Derek Coe
 Vera McDonald
 Alcyne Harris
 Kelley Calloway
 W. Clifford Petty
 Thelma Williams, Erma Carter
 Leon Moore, Vonzetta Graham
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 Wanda Twitty
 Salena Moore
 Grand Knight W. Clifford Petty
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 Lady Vicki Golson
 Knight Dr. Theodore Smith
 Knight Keith Golson
 Airy Thomas
 Erika Brooks, Linda Carpenter, Nora Powell, LaShaundra Ross
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 President, Leon Moore
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 Principal, Tamarcus Milner
 Mr. Keith Golson
 Linda Carpenter, Farley Rudolph

ONLINE GIVING: [HTTPS://OSVONLINEGIVING.COM/1006](https://osvonlinegiving.com/1006)

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.

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. Alcyne Harris at 263-4999, or bring it by the parish office.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| Tuesdays | “View Your Child’s World”, 6:00 p.m. |
| October 6 | Called to Love Conference for Women of the Archdiocese, Corpus Christi Parish, Mobile AL, 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. |
| October 7 | Life Chain Sunday |
| October 13 | Rosary Crusade, RCM Grounds, 12:00 noon |
| October 13-19 | Creighton University Fall Service Visit |
| October 14 | Parish Picnic, Gateway Lodge, Celebration of Children’s Sabbath |
| October 19-21 | Visit from St. Alphonsus “Rock” Church, St. Louis |
| November 1 | Feast of All Saints Day Mass, 9:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. |
| November 3 | 3 rd Annual Black Catholic History Month Celebration, Montgomery, AL |
| November 8 | RCM’s 21 st Annual Fundraising Gala & Silent Auction, RSA Activity Center |
| January 15 | ACCW Winter Quarter Luncheon & Meeting, St. Bede Catholic Church |
| February 22 | KPC Mardi Gras Ball, Resurrection Catholic School, TBA |

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

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| September 23: | Dr. Theodore Smith, Ceeon Quiett |
| September 24: | Alphonse Harrison, Jamil McKenzie, W. Clifford Petty |
| September 26: | Joseph Anderson, Jr. (17), Kendrick Arrington (19), Faith Perkins (11), Woodrow Williams |
| September 28: | Rachael Hurd (6), Michelle Terrell, Josef Anderson, Sr., Sharon Bivens, James Garland, Vance Babin |
| September 29: | DeAndra Goss |
| September 30: | W. Bernard Ross, Nora Broughton |
| October 1: | Katelyn Guilford (16) |
| October 2: | Julia Baldwin, Robert Singagliese, Aubrey Barnes, Russell Chambers |
| October 4: | Kendra Golson, Shawn McDonald |
| October 5: | Bridget Barlow, Stephanie Bassett, Shelecia Parker |
| October 6: | Alexandria Brooks (11), Michael Washington, II (16) |

ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS

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| September 24: | Alphonse & LouElla Harrison (25), Cedric & Beverly Hutcherson (17) |
| October 1: | Eugene & Alicia Elmore (13) |
| October 3: | George & Felicia Mackey (21) |
| October 4: | Corey & Nicole Landers (15) |

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

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| September 25, 1957 | Nine Black students, under the protection of the National Guard integrate Central High School in Little Rock, AR |
| September 25, 1974 | Barbara W. Hancock, first Black female White House Fellow |
| September 26 | Feast of Sts. Cosmas & Damian, patrons of pharmacists |
| September 27, 1912 | W.C. Handy published “ <i>Memphis Blues</i> ” |
| September 28, 1961 | Ruby Dee opened in “ <i>Purlie Victorious</i> ” |
| September 29 | Feast of Sts. Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, Archangels |

| Ministry Schedule | | | | | |
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| | Eucharist | Lectors | Gifts | Servers | Ushers |
| TODAY <i>September 23, 2018</i> The Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Catechetical Sunday) | Sr. Gilda Bell, Erma Carter, Michelle Coe | Kelley Calloway, Derek Coe | Tamarcus Milner, Saundra Stewart, Tamara Williams | Farrish Danley, Keith Golson, Cliff Weatherly | Marcus Carpenter, Delores Coe, Leon Moore, Nora Powell, Cynthia Taylor |
| NEXT SUNDAY <i>October 7, 2018</i> The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Our Lady’s Sodality Sunday) | Richetta Cofield- Stanford, Rebecca James, Theodore Smith | Jimmiah Fenderson & Jewell Pitts | The Anita Hargrove Family | Angel Calloway, Andrew Hargrove, Chandler Ross | Jerome Broughton, Patricia German, Constance Sator, Kippy Tate, Airy Thomas |

PRAYER LIST

Marian Alexander, Leo Allen, Brandon Anderson, Kendrick Arrington, II, Bridget Barlow, Dorothy Barlow, Vickie Barlow, Barry Barber, Carey Barnes, Alma Beasley, Arnold Bell, Essie Bell, Kevin Bell, Ethel Bell, Lois Bivens, Melanie J. Sparks Bosak, Elmore Boyd, Johnny Brannon, Jerome Broughton, Anthony Burden, John Carpenter, Father David Carucci, Cassandra Copeland, Steward Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Bernice Crenshaw, Doris Crenshaw, Mary Cuffe, Mecylah Danley, Sarah Davis, Margarete Day, Fr. Stan Deresienski, SSE, Dr. Sibyl Duncan, Japonica Ellis, Msgr. Michael L. Farmer, Cecilia Fike, Brandi Fisher, Doyle Flowers, Rex Flowers, Lucinda Garrison Fowler, Helen Foster, Sr. Gloria Fox, C.R., Robert Ganucheau, John German, Terry German, Edward 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, Clarence Harris, Evelyn Harris, Kevin Harris, Marcy Harris, Barry Hedblom, Lois Herndon, Ophelia Hill, 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, Tricia Keeton, Debbie Kemsel, Felicia Kenney, Marie Kenny, Nathan Kozel, Frances Knight, Shaquille LaFond, Jewel Lewis, Kathy Long, Rosetta Lovelace, Andre 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, Benjamin Morton, Mabel Neely, Lula B. Nikoi, Gene Nelson, LaTonya Nicks, Carolyn Norvel, Audrey O’Connor, Keesha Peterson, Elaine Poole, Michael Pitts, Alaida Pugh, Jerry Radka, Alex Ragesdalle, Joel Rivera, Farley Rudolph, Loretta Deville Salomon, Gene Sator, Lula Sayles, Morris Sayles, Jr., Mildred Selmar, Fr. David Shoemaker, Herbert Smith, Jr., Ruth Smith, Dr. Theodore Smith, Willie Ann Smith, Yvette Smiley Smith, Alfred Snoddy, Vernon Snoddy, Valentine Spencer, Victor Splitt, Timothy Spraggins, Richetta Cofield Stanford, Carol Stevens, Ernestine Stephens, Ronald Stephens, Deacon Allen Stevens, Barbara Stevens, Rubye Sullivan, Fr. Gene Szarek, C.R., Carrie Tarver, Jonathan Landon Taylor, Nayobi Taylor, Brenda Tell, The Telleria Family, 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, Jemellia Webb, Steve Webb, Ashley Whatley, Brenda White, Kevin Wilcox, Lorena Wilkerson, Edward Williams, Deacon Nathan Williams, Deborah Willis.

Pray for those affected by Hurricanes Florence’s heavy rains that caused flooding across the Carolinas especially the infant and mother.

Engaged Couples: Alaida Pugh & Brannan Cunningham; Jarred Twitty & Shaunté Bailey

Homebound Parishioners: Bridget Barlow, 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, Aaron Billups, Alexander Buchanan, Heidi Hedblom, Terrance Perkins, Wesley Pitts, and Caro Stanford

PARISH NEWS


TODAY'S MEETING

The KPCLA Ct. 345 monthly meeting will be held next Sunday in the Alice Lewan Conference Room in the Fr. Richard Administration Building after Mass.


KUDOS

Congratulations to LaQuandra Robinson who graduated from the University of Phoenix (New Jersey Institute of Technology Campus) with a Degree in Information Technology/Networking on September 15.


RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)

 **We've Come This Far By Faith.** Classes will resume on September 26, 2018. Please complete the form located in the vestibule. Contact Vera McDonald, Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell, or Leon Moore.


CHOIR INVITATION & REHEARSALS

 Individuals who would like to be part of the third Annual Black Catholic History Month Joint Choir are invited to participate in two rehearsals. They will be Saturday, October 13 at 11:00 a.m. and Saturday, October 20 at 11:00 a.m. at Resurrection Catholic Church. Call W. Clifford Petty at (334) 230-1963.

PARISH PICNIC 2018

 In celebration of Children's Sabbath, the annual parish picnic will be held on October 14 at Gateway Lodge from 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish to share as well as your own beverages. Students from Creighton University will join us. Sign-up sheets will be available next week.

Sanctuary Candle Remembrance

 To have a loved one or special intention remembered, please call the parish office at 269-1770. Cost is \$20.00.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

BREWING THE FAITH



Young Adults, 21-39, are invited to "Brewing the Faith" on Monday, October 8, at 6:30 p.m. at CuCo's Mexican Café on Chantilly Parkway. Sister Maria Onyida, IHM from Nigeria will be the speaker. Her topic will be "Reflecting Christ in These Times".

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

VIEW YOUR CHILD'S WORLD



"View Your Child's World" for new parents and teachers, will be held each Tuesday evening from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Classes will end on October 2. This week's topic will be "Sacred Scripture and Morality: The Bible, Catholic Tradition, The Ten Commandments and the Beatitudes". Call Vera McDonald at (334) 281-2899.

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

CAPP TRAINING



A C.A.P.P. training session will be held at Montgomery Catholic High School at **7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 26.**

SAVE THE DATE!



Please join the Montgomery Catholic Community in praying the Holy Rosary on Saturday, October 13 at 12:00 noon on the front lawn of Resurrection Catholic Church. Call Dorothy Barlow at (334) 717-7475.

BLACK CATHOLIC HISTORY MONTH



The 3rd annual Black Catholic History celebration for the Archdiocese of Mobile will be held on Saturday, November 3, 2018 in Montgomery, AL, the Feast Day of St. Martin de Porres. Mass will be at 11:00 a.m. at Resurrection Catholic Church followed by a lunch and program at the Doubletree Hotel. Information will be distributed by the ushers today.

ANNUAL ROSARY PILGRIMAGE



Sunday, October 7, 2018 – Blessed Trinity Shrine Retreat invites all to their pilgrimage to Our Lady of Grace grotto on the retreat house grounds. It provides an opportunity to pray for peace and demonstrate our devotion to Mary. It begins in the main chapel at 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time) and concludes with the Blessing of the Sick and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Refreshments follow. Please call (334) 855-4474 if you plan to attend.

RED MASS



The annual Red Mass will be held at St. Peter's Catholic Church on October 1 at 9:30 a.m. This mass is for judges, lawyers, litigants and the court system. All are invited to attend.

ADORATION CHAPEL



Greatly Needed!!! Open hours are: Wednesday 2:00 a.m. – 3:00 a.m.; Tuesday 12 Midnight – 1:00 a.m.; Wednesday 2:00 A.M. – 3:00 A.M.; Thursday 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.; Friday 12:00 Midnight – 1:00 a.m., and 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; Saturday 3:00 a.m. – 4:00 a.m. Prayer partners are needed: Thursday 9:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.; Friday 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.; and Saturday 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. For questions, call Dorothy Barlow at 593-6093.

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

HEALTH FORUM



Beulah Baptist Church and Rev. Porter Osby will have their annual Health Forum on Saturday, October 13 from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. focusing on seniors and the disabled. There will be knowledgeable speakers with information on Social Security, Medicare, Medicaid, mental health issues, transportation, probate information, medicines, and more. Call (334) 265-2697.

RCM NEWS

ANNUAL FUNDRAISING GALA



RCM's 21st Annual Fundraising Gala will be held on Thursday, November 8 at the RSA Activity Center. If you would like to volunteer to help at this event, buy a ticket or have Silent Auction items to donate, please call Michelle Coe at 230-1964.

RESPECT LIFE



"We are created to walk with and support one another, we don't need to fear reaching out in love. Help your friend experience the strength of God's message that resounds throughout time; "Do not fear; I am with you" (Isaiah 41:10)

USB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
"What to Do When a Friend is Considering Abortion"
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We pray for all who welcome children in the face of hardship, may they find strength and renewal in Christ.

LET US PRAY



Let us "pray for all people. Ask God to help them; intercede on their behalf, and give thanks for them. (1 Timothy 2:1)." Let us pray for the husband and father of the mother and infant child who lost their lives, for a unified community and an outpouring of loving support from neighbors and friends, for strength and endurance for the responders who are coming to aid victims and help them rebuild, and as people return to their homes that they will experience God's faithful care as they grieve their losses, lean on Him, and start putting their lives back together. O Source of all consolation, comfort with the sure sense of your presence all who feel forsaken, whose hope is dried up. Please give us strength to come together as a community to help those in great need as a result of this devastation of this storm. Merciful Lord, be with each family who are now displaced. Be a light and provide shelter, food, water, medicine, and clothing. Supply their every need and may the volunteers be a blessing to them. May there be an abundance of support for all affected. We ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen