

Resurrection Catholic Church

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Sr. Gilda Marie Bell. Minister of Care

Mr. Leon Moore, Parish Council President Mr. W. Clifford Petty, Pastoral Musician

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 MARCH 10, 2019 -- THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

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.

Collection Basket: \$4,374.00 / Online: \$640.00 / Mailed: \$300.00 Church Collection YTD:\$53,100.00

2nd Collection: Black & Indian Mission......\$123.00 Building Fund: \$60.00 Building Fund YTD Total: \$370.00

Food Pantry:\$40.00



Today's first reading describes the offering of first fruits the people of Israel were to present to the Lord in thanksgiving for their deliverance from Egypt and the gift of the promised land. Is my offering at today's Mass an appropriate response to the many blessings the Lord has given?

Welcome

We welcome the following students, who worship with us today and who will be working in the various ministries at Resurrection Catholic Missions this week.

Creighton

Creighton University (Omaha, NE): Sean Coveny, Ellen Erie, Jada Glover, Sarah Jacober, John Oberst, Carly Rademacher, Maggie Sackinsky, Erika Sailer and Erin Schrader.



Marquette University (Milwaukee, WI): Kristen Cardoza, Lia Grandinetti, Ellie Hope, Jordan Moll, Keely Napoli, Meredith Nee, Grace Rigney, Joe Smith, Karolina Sobieski and Samantha Thompson.

Gonzaga University (Seattle, WA): Emily Cook, Hawa Elias (Student Leader), Gabbi Fuller, Gabby Hanselman, Michael Lawson, Juliane Mora (Staff Advisor), Francesca Nevil, Darcy Phillips (Staff Advisor), Matthew Rogers, Sara Skornik, Barnabas Sirak, and Joe Stewart.



Due to a family emergency, the Bethlehem Christian Families handmade carvings sale will not take place today. It will be rescheduled at a later date.

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 Evelyn Harris Angela Barnes Apostolate for Persons with Disabilities **Archdiocesan Pastoral Council** Gladys Copeland

Altar Servers John Carpenter, Derek Coe

Baptism Classes Vera McDonald Bulletin Alcyne Harris **Burse Club** Kelley Calloway W. Clifford Petty Choir, Adult

Church Environment Thelma Williams, Erma Carter Confirmation Class Leon Moore, Vonzetta Graham

Eucharistic Ministers Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell

Hospitality Committee Wanda Twitty **Interfaith Community Outreach** Salena Moore

Knights of Peter Claver Grand Knight Eugene Elmore Knights of Peter Claver, Ladies' Auxiliary Grand Lady Yolanda Sayles Robinson

Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Daughters Counselor Lady Vicki Golson Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Daughters Assistant Commander Knight Yolanda Dickerson Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Knights Commander Knight Keith Golson Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Knights Assistant Commander Knight Brandon Thomas

Lectors

Liturgical Dancers Erica Brooks, Linda Carpenter, Nora Powell, LaShaundra Ross

Airy Thomas

Marriage Preparation Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R.

Mass Program/Songsheet W. Clifford Petty

Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell Minister of Care

Nazareth /Resurrection Alumni Director Vera McDonald

Nazareth / Resurrection Alumni Organization President, Teresa Anderson Woods **Our Lady's Sodality** President, Deborah Jefferson **Parish Council** President, Leon Moore **Religious Education** Vera McDonald

RCIA

Vera McDonald, Fr. Manuel C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell

Resurrection Catholic School Principal, Tamarcus Milner

Resurrection Catholic School PTO Mr. Keith Golson Linda Carpenter **Youth Ministry**

ONLINE GIVING: 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

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER, JUNIOR DAUGHTERS meets every second 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 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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| March 14, 21 & 28 | Food for Life, 6:00 p.m., Fr. Richard Administration Building | | | | | | |
| March 8, 15, 22, 29 | Way of the Cross, 6:00 p.m., Church, followed by a simple soup supper | | | | | | |
| March 24, 31 | Lenten Awakening Prayer Experience after Mass | | | | | | |
| March 16-21 | Visit from Diocese of Pensacola Gospel Choir | | | | | | |
| March 17 | Black History Program and Potluck Lunch | | | | | | |
| March 23-29 | Service Visit, DePaul University, Chicago, IL | | | | | | |
| March 25 | 75 th Anniversary meeting, 6:00 p.m., Fr. Richard Administration Building | | | | | | |
| March 30-April 6 | Service Visit, Cal State University, Los Angeles, CA | | | | | | |
| April 5 & 12 | Way of the Cross, 6:00 P.M., Church, followed by a simple soup supper | | | | | | |
| April 14 | Palm Sunday Bake Sale | | | | | | |
| May 5 | First Communion Sunday | | | | | | |
| May 13 | NBCCC Board of Directors' Meeting, Villa | | | | | | |
| May 17-21 | Service Visit, University of Portland, OR | | | | | | |
| May 19 | Our Lady Sodality Tea | | | | | | |
| June 2 | 75 th Anniversary Mass with Archbishop Rodi | | | | | | |
| June 8 – 13 | Visit by youth from St. Martin de Porres Church, Charleston, South Carolina | | | | | | |
| June 13 | 75 th Anniversary Conversation: "Two Priests and a Professor"- The Catholic Church & Racial | | | | | | |
| | Reconciliation | | | | | | |
| July 1 – 19 | Institute for Black Catholic Studies, Xavier University, Louisiana | | | | | | |
| July 5 – 7 | Archbishop Lyke Conference, Washington, DC | | | | | | |
| July 20-26 | Visit from St. Ignatius High School, Cleveland Ohio | | | | | | |
| April 30 | ACCW Quarterly Meeting, Resurrection Catholic School | | | | | | |
| | BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS | | | | | | |
| March 10: | Nathaniel Washington | | | | | | |
| March 11: | James Moore, Jr., Patrice Obi | | | | | | |
| March 13: | Jonathan Smith (15) | | | | | | |
| March 14: | Howard Frankl, Iris Hurd-Hunter, Christopher Williams | | | | | | |
| March 15: | Jessica Carpenter, Ricci Taylor | | | | | | |
| March 16: | J-Isaac Broughton (21), Courtney Minor, Jalon Levett | | | | | | |
| March 17: | Helen Jones, John Willard | | | | | | |
| March 18: | Daniel Boyd, Tyler Robinson | | | | | | |
| March 19: | Brandon Anderson, Chatney Spencer | | | | | | |
| March 20: | Dillan Johnson (13) | | | | | | |
| March 21: | Christopher Burke, Shaniyah Herron, Jewell Pitts | | | | | | |
| March 22: | Eric Perkins | | | | | | |
| March 23: | Shanis Sadler, Jermal Patterson, Richetta Cofield-Stanford | | | | | | |
| ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS | | | | | | | |
| March 10: | Willie & Rena Ross (18) | | | | | | |
| March 12: | Willie & Dorothy Barlow (58) | | | | | | |
| March 17: | Darrell & Sheila Sprowl (18) | | | | | | |
| March 18: | Robert & Gia Johnson (14) | | | | | | |
| March 22: | David & Indra Dalling (22) | | | | | | |
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| THIS WEEK IN HISTORY | | | | | | | |
| March 11, 1959 | Lorraine Hansberry's play A Raisin in the Sun, opened on Broadway | | | | | | |
| March 12, 1909 | NAACP founded | | | | | | |
| March 13, 1997 | John H. Ricard, SSJ installed Catholic Bishop, Pensacola / Tallahassee | | | | | | |
| March 13, 1867 | Morehouse College founded, Atlanta, GA (was Augusta Institute) | | | | | | |
| March 14, 1965 | Bus service in Montgomery, AL desegregated | | | | | | |
| March 15 | Feast of St. Louise de Marillac, Patron of Social Workers | | | | | | |
| March 16, 1827 | "Freedom's Journal" the first Black U.S. newspaper published in NY | | | | | | |

| Ministry Schedule | | | | | | | |
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| | Eucharist | Lectors | Gifts | Servers | Ushers | | |
| TODAY March 10, 2019 The First Sunday of Lent | Kelley Calloway, Maggie Stringer, Joan Thomas | Derek Coe, Michelle Coe | Jalen Barlow, Alexandria Brooks, Jimmiah Fenderson | Angel Calloway, Athena Hargrove, Colin Ross | Pamela Garrett, Jacqueline Hudson, Patrice Obi, Denise Vaughn | | |
| NEXT SUNDAY March 17, 2019 The Second Sunday of Lent | Cassaundra Henderson, Kaitlin Coe Jackson, Denise Vaughn | Adrienne Knight, Patrice Obi | Woodrow and Connie Keys Family | Derek Coe, Eugene Elmore, Clif Weatherly | John Carpenter, Walter Davis, Kassandra Scott, Wanda Twitty | | |

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, Watios 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, Tera DuVernay, Japonica Ellis, The Faggard Family, Msgr. Michael L. Farmer, Elsie Finser, Cecilia Fike, Doyle Flowers, Rex Flowers, Joan Ford, 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, Veronica Jackson, Rebecca James, Mary Ellen Jeter, Ethel Garrison Johnson, Gail Johnson, Johnetta Johnson, Roxy Jones, Tricia Keeton, 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, 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, Genene Nelson, LaTonya Nicks, Eleazor Nikoi, Lula B. Nikoi, Carolyn Norvel, Audrey O'Connor, Keesha Peterson, Ronnie Peters, Willie Petty, Elaine Poole, Michael Pitts, Alaida Pugh, Jerry Radka, Alex Ragesdalle, Joel Rivera, Farley Rudolph, Loretta Deville Salomon, Gene Sator, Lula Sayles, Mildred Selmar, Fr. David Shoemaker, Herbert Smith, Jr., Ruth Smith, Willie Ann Smith, Yvette Smiley Smith, 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, 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, Marie Washington, Jemellia Webb, Steve Webb, Ashley Whatley, Brenda White, Lorena Wilkerson, Edward Williams, Deacon Nathan Williams, Deborah Willis.

Engaged Couples: Alida 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

Military Deployed, Overseas or In Training: Steven Beasley, Aaron Billups, Alexander Buchanan, Deltrick Elmore, Heidi Hedblom, Terrance Perkins, and Wesley Pitts.

PARISH NEWS

MEETINGS

Knights of Peter Claver will meet in the Fr. Richard Administration Building today after Mass **KPCLA** will meet in the Villa today after Mass.

Children's Liturgy of the Word will be held today **Sunday** for ages $2 - 2^{nd}$ grade.

LENTEN AWAKENING PRAYER **EXPERIENCE**



During the season of Lent, we strive to become better Christians, to

prepare us mentally, physically, and spiritually for a new awakening; to resurrect us out of old states of consciousness into a new realization of life; and to permit us to reconsecrate and rededicate ourselves to the will and the work of Jesus Christ. Through our spiritual awakening, we shall find renewed life and health, a joyous freedom from burdens, and best of all, peace of mind. A Lenten Awakening Prayer Experience will be held today, and March 24 and 31 in the church after Mass.

BLACK HISTORY PROGRAM



The parish annual Black History Program and potluck lunch will be held next Sunday in the school gym. Please wear African Attire and bring a dish to share.

LENTEN DEVOTIONS

Be free of sin!



You are invited to Walk in the Footsteps of Jesus at 6:00 p.m. at Stations of the Cross, followed by a simple Lenten Soup Supper.





Our Resurrection Male Chorus will rehearse on Tuesdays, March 12 and 26 at 6:00 p.m. in the church.

Sanctuary Candle Remembrance



The Sanctuary Candle is lit for the week of March 10 – 16 in memory of Dr. Ben Jobe's anniversary of entrance into eternal life.

SPECIAL PRAYERS



Let us keep in our prayers in a special way the following young people who are preparing to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation and First Eucharist: Charlotte Gail Brooks, Zoé McKenzie Dejerinett, Natalie Marie Hurd, Caden Lee Ishman, Haley Benet' Ishman, Grayson Evan Maxwell, Caleb Michael Ross, Cytrus Lyjour Rudolph, III, and Katori Rainne Stanford.

HIDDEN TREASURES SALE



There will be a **Hidden Treasures** Sale in the Fr. Richard Administration Building this Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to

2:00 p.m. and after the Black History Program on Sunday, March 17. The sale will include clothing, furniture, artwork, jewelry, books, file cabinets and other items that have been donated to the Mission over the past year. Proceeds from the sale will benefit the Young Adult Ministry and the 75th Anniversary fund.

OUILT RAFFLE



Two beautiful handmade quilts, donated by Regina Jobe, will be raffled at the 75th anniversary banquet. Tickets are \$2.00 each

or three for \$5.00 and are available after Mass. If you would like to take tickets to sell, please see Michelle Coe.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING STATEMENTS

Your sacrificial giving statements for the calendar vear 2018 are available in the vestibule. Call Michelle Coe at 230-1964.

SODALITY TEA

Our Lady Sodality will host a High Tea fundraiser on Sunday, May 19. More information to come.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

BREWING THE FAITH

Young Adults, 21-39, are invited to "Brewing the Faith" this Tuesday, March 11 at 6:30 p.m at CuCo's Mexican Café on Chantilly Parkway. Brusie Sherburne will give a talk entitled "How to Have a Productive Lent."

KPC NEWS

Please join me in congratulating and welcoming the newly initiated Ladies of KPCLA Ct 345: Lady Lloria Munnerlyn James, Lady Shirley Parker, Lady Rena Ross, Lady Shelecia Parker Robinson, Lady Ayla Davis Thomas, Lady Ruby Wooding (reinstated)

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

CAPP TRAINING



A CAPP training session will be held at Montgomery Catholic High School at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 27.

OPEN DRIVE FOR ADORERS

Adoration Drive: March 10-30



What are you doing for Lent? Why not spend one hour per week as a special Lenten sacrifice with the crucified Jesus! We pray

that you consider getting closer to God during this Lenten journey. Adorers are needed for the Adoration Chapel at Our Lady Queen of Mercy Parish. Call Dorothy Barlow at 717-7475.

BLESSED TRINITY RETREAT

March 15 - 17, 2019 "Journey of a Celtic Heart". Carmel Boyle will share her gifts and love for the Trinity, Irish saints and the faith rooted in Celtic spirituality. She will guide you through gentle movement, prayer, poetry, song and stories in a reflective atmosphere. Registration is Friday, March 15 at 7:00 p.m. The fee is \$180.00. Call (334) 855-4474.

CATHOLIC NEW ORLEANS PILGRIMAGE



The River Region Catholic Seniors will take a pilgrimage to the Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos Shrine and Gift Shop, National Shrine of Our Lady of Prompt Succor,

Mother Cabrini Shrine of St. Frances and Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in New Orleans on April 9-10. The cost of \$190.00 per person, is due by Wednesday. Send fee, contact phone number, and parish to: Royce Cook, 319 Foxhall Road, Pike Road, AL 36064. Make check payable to Holy Spirit Church. Call Royce Cook at (334) 272-7120 or Barb Brienza (334) 221-5423.

BLESSED TRINITY RETREAT



March 23 - 24, 2019 – "Religious Life" Retreat". Join young women from Auburn Campus Ministry to hear from sisters about the practical side to

religious life and living in community. As a group, spend time outside while you help the Retreat Center maintain one of its trails (bring work clothes!). Sr. Beth Henken is the presenter. Retreat begins on Saturday at 9:00 a.m. (Eastern) and ends with noon meal on Sunday. The fee is \$80.00. Call Rudi DiPrima at (334) 209-1711. Registration forms are in the vestibule.

The Light is ON for You



Individual confession may be heard on Wednesdays March 13, March 20, 27, April 3and 10 from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at St. Bede Parish and Holy Spirit

Parish.

RESPECT LIFE



"Maya discovered she was pregnant six months into her freshmen year of college. When her son was born, she placed him with a very kind adoptive family; she knew

they were the right choice.' Now, years later, Maya emphasizes the importance of offering ongoing support to expectant mothers considering adoption."

> Learn how at www.usccb.org//women-considering-adoption USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Accompanying Expectant Mothers Considering Adoption"

We pray that expectant mothers placing their children for adoption. May they receive loving support as they walk this journey.

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

KICKSTART YOUR HEALTH!



The response to the Kickstart Your Health program was so good that there is a waiting list! If you missed the current session of Kickstart Your

Health, presented by Dr. Bryan Strickland and Food for Life instructors, Carolyn Strickland and Bari Levin, contact Carolyn at (334) 717-6943 for information on the next session.