



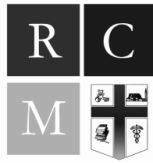
Resurrection Catholic Church
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Sr. Gilda Marie Bell, Minister of Care

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 24, 2019 -- THE THIRD 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.

- Weekly Offering (Church Collection): \$5,420.10
Collection Basket: \$5,030.10 / Online: \$390.00
- Church Collection YTD: \$63,380.10**
- Building Fund: \$115.00
- Building Fund YTD Total: \$545.00**
- 75th Anniversary: \$410.00
- 75th Anniversary Total: \$14,851.00**
- ICO: \$15.00**
- Food Pantry: \$40.00**



The parable in today's Gospel clearly warns that we, like the fig tree, will be judged by our fruit. While God mercifully provides us with time and opportunity, let us give witness to our faith with deeds of kindness and generosity!

Welcome



We extend a warm welcome to DePaul University staff and students from Chicago, IL, *Christine Augustin, Nicole Axe, Fiona Baenzsiger (Student Leader), Brandon Garcia, Ashantis Jones (Staff Leader), Anna Vanessa Kabengele, Andy Kienzman, Yenesis Rivera, and Shawnrice Yarbrough* who worship with us today. These young people will be on

site this week for their 2019 Spring Service Trip working in the various ministries at Resurrection Catholic Missions.

TORNADO VICTIMS' BENEFIT CONCERT

Resurrection Catholic Church will host a benefit concert **TODAY** at 5:00 p.m. in the church sanctuary. The concert is sponsored by the Jewish Federation of Central Alabama and will benefit those affected by the recent tornado in Lee County that devastated several communities. More than 40% of the people affected did not have insurance! Local church choirs will perform as well as musicians from Nashville. If you cannot attend the concert but would like to offer your support, you can write a check to **East Alabama Medical Center Foundation** and put it in the collection basket.

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
- Achdiocesan 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. Daughters Assistant Commander
- 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
- Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell
- Wanda Twitty
- Salena Moore
- Grand Knight Eugene Elmore
- Grand Lady Yolanda Sayles Robinson
- Lady Vicki Golson
- Knight Yolanda Dickerson
- Knight Keith Golson
- Knight Brandon Thomas
- Airy Thomas
- Erica Brooks, Linda Carpenter, Nora Powell, LaShaundra Ross
- Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R.
- W. Clifford Petty
- Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell
- Vera McDonald
- President, Teresa Anderson Woods
- President, Deborah Jefferson
- President, Leon Moore
- Vera McDonald
- Vera McDonald, Fr. Manuel C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell
- Principal, Tamarcus Milner
- Mr. Keith Golson
- Linda Carpenter

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

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

March 28	Food for Life, 6:00 p.m., Fr. Richard Administration Building
March 29	Way of the Cross, 6:00 p.m., Church, followed by a simple soup supper
March 31	Lenten Awakening Prayer Experience after Mass
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 7	Book Signing with Nelson Malden, Fr. Richard Administration Building
April 14	Palm Sunday Bake Sale
April 24	River Region Catholic Seniors Luncheon, Arrowhead Country Club
April 30	ACCW Quarterly Meeting, Resurrection Catholic School
May 3-5	2019 Senior Gulf Coast Conference, Greenville, SC
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
August 2-7	2019 Senior National Convention, Atlanta, GA

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

March 24:	Khloe Stokes (8), Milton C. Davis, Rosetta Young
March 25:	Charlotte Brooks (8), Catherine Hutcherson
March 26:	Clarence Manly
March 27:	Ava LaFond (10), Veranese McDonald, Michelle Woods, Veronica Willkie, Archbishop Thomas Rodi
March 28:	Karen Wilson, Andrew Davis (7), Ava Murphy (3)
March 29:	David Dalling
March 30:	Audrienna Jackson, Barbara Jackson
March 31:	Micah Davis, Keaira Guice-Webster, Prevella Wilson
April 1:	Willie Barlow, Sinéad Coe Gatson, Najgee Gatson, Dorothy Guilford (11)
April 2:	Harry Golson, Anthony Thomas, Denise Vaughn
April 3:	Linda Bassett, John Johnson, Chimeka Williams, Willie Williams, Kendrick Vaughans, Kendra Vaughans
April 4:	Lynnette Djonret Hall
April 5:	Erma Carter, Kaleshia Crawford
April 6:	Frankie Jefferson

ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS

April 6:	Andy & Tracy Childs (17)
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THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

March 25, 2002	Halle Berry and Denzel Washington awarded Oscars for Best Actress and Best Actor
March 24	The Annunciation of the Lord
March 26, 1872	Thomas Martin awarded a patent for a fire extinguisher
March 27, 1969	Black Academy of Arts/Letters organized in Boston, MA
March 30, 1990	Sr. Thea Bowman died
March 30, 1867	Augusta Institute, later Morehouse College, opened in Atlanta
March 30, 1870	15 th Amendment giving Blacks Voting rights passed

Ministry Schedule					
	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers
TODAY <i>March 24, 2019</i> The Third Sunday Of Lent	Derek Coe, Helen Jones, Richetta Cofield Stanford	Barbara Jackson, Jewell Pitts	Moses & Claire Butcher Family	Athena Hargrove, Chandler Ross, Cet-Ki Williams	Marcus Carpenter, Delores Coe, Leon Moore, Nora Powell, Cynthia Taylor
NEXT SUNDAY <i>March 31, 2019</i> The Fourth Sunday of Lent	Michelle Coe, Melvetta Leach Peck, Gladys Copeland	Kelley Calloway, Nora Powell	John & Veronda Willard Family	Farrish Danley, Keith Golson, Jewell Pitts	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, Watios Boyd, Johnny Brannon, Jerome Broughton, Anthony Burden, John Carpenter, Father David Carucci, Russell Chambers, Cassandra Copeland, Steward Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Bernice Crenshaw, Doris Crenshaw, Mary Cuffe, Mecylah Danley, Annie David, 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., Tonya Frankly, Robert Ganuchau, 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, Fr. Pierre Riches' Family & Friends, 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

MEETING

Children's Liturgy will be held on April 14. Ages 2-2nd grade.

75TH ANNIVERSARY MEETING

The RCM Anniversary planning meeting will be held tomorrow at 6:00 p.m. in the Fr. Richard Administration Building. All are welcome.



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.**

BOOK SIGNING



On Sunday, April 7, 2019, Nelson Malden will conduct a book signing after Mass of *The Colored Waiting Room: Empowering the Original and the New Civil Rights Movements; Conversations Between an MLK Jr. Confidant and a Modern-Day Activist.* The book signing will be in the Fr. Richard Administration Building.

Male Chorus

Our Resurrection Male Chorus will rehearse this Tuesday, March 26 at 6:00 p.m. in the church.

SODALITY TEA



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

LENTEN DEVOTIONS



You are invited to Walk in the Footsteps of Jesus at **5:00 p.m.** at *Stations of the Cross*, followed by a simple Lenten Soup Supper. **(Please note this week's time change.)**

LENTEN AWAKENING PRAYER EXPERIENCE

A Lenten Awakening Prayer Experience will be held today in the Administration Building.

QUILT 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.

WORKOUT CLASS



Brandon Anderson will be offering a workout class on Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday at 5:00 p.m. in the school gym. Class will be \$10.00 and will begin on April 8. Only 15 spots available.

Sanctuary Candle Remembrance



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

YOUTH COUNCIL

Thank You

Thank you to everyone who baked, cooked decorated, setup, cleaned up, and served to make the Black History/Pot Luck a great success. Special thanks to our Youth Group, Young Adults, Catechists, KPCLA, and Our Lady Sodality.

ANNUAL FISH DINNER FUNDRAISER



The RYC annual fish dinner is scheduled for Friday, April 12, 2019. More information to come soon.

KPC NEWS

THANK YOU

Thank you for affording us the opportunity to coordinate the Soulful Supper(Black History Program) for Resurrection Church community. It was a honor and a privilege. We appreciate everyone's support and cooperation. Special thanks to Lady Rosalind Hale for her display of Afrocentric Attire, Books and Memorabilia

KPCLA Ct 345

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

FISH FRY



The RCS PTO Fish Fry has been postponed. They will be serving fish sandwich meals from 5:00 p.m. p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Resurrection Catholic School on Friday, March 29. Entrée options include catfish, mullet, and tilapia. Each meal is \$7.00 and includes a fish sandwich, fries, and a drink.

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

OPEN DRIVE FOR ADORERS



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. Call Dorothy Barlow at 717-7475.

CAPP TRAINING



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

RIVER REGION CATHOLIC SENIORS



The Resurrection Seniors will host the River Region Catholic Seniors at a luncheon on Wednesday, April 24, 2019 at the Arrowhead Country Club.

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 is \$190.00 per person. Call Royce Cook at (334) 272-7120 or Barb Brienza (334) 221-5423.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES

Catholic Social Services continuous to provide low cost legal Immigration Services at its office in Montgomery, AL. Please contact Olga Fernandez White at (334) 288-8890 ext. 219.

The Light is ON for You.



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

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

CARING FOR CAREGIVERS



G.I.F.T.S. presents *Caring for Caregivers*, a free conference for caregivers, parents, nurses, and social workers, on Friday, April 12 from 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. at the Lakepoint Resort in Eufaula. Registration is required. For hotel reservations, call (334) 687-8011 with group code 45911. To RSVP registration call (256) 859-4900 or email to vreeves@uphuntsville.org.

IT'S BBQ TIME



The Southern Youth Leadership Development Institute will hold a BBQ Fundraiser on March 29, April 5, 12, 19, and 26. All proceeds and donations will support the Southern Youth Leadership Development Institute. Boston Butts are \$35.00, Rib Slabs are \$26.00 and Rib Sandwiches are \$11.00. Pre-orders preferred. Pickup time is 10:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. at 530 S. Union Street. Contact (334) 590-9996.

RESPECT LIFE



"Ira Byock, a hospice medical director, illustrates in his book, *The 4 Most Important Things* how saying 'I love you,' 'I'm sorry,' 'I forgive you,' and 'Thank you' can promote much-needed healing during the dying process. You can help ensure a peaceful transition for your loved one by facilitating opportunities for reconciliation with others and for mutual expressions of love and gratitude."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
"Caring for Loved Ones at Life's End."

We pray for all Christians that we may live out our baptismal call to proclaim the Gospel and be messengers of God's love for every human life.