



Resurrection Catholic Church
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MASS SCHEDULE: Sunday – 9:00 a.m. (digitally due to COVID-19; visit www.rcmsouth.org)

SUNDAY AUGUST 22, 2021 – THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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): \$4,312.00
Mailed/Dropped Off: \$3,134 / Online: \$1,178.00
Building Fund \$25.00
Sanctuary Candle..... \$25.00



“The good steward must not show favoritism. The rich may have many material gifts to share, but St. James reminds us in the second reading that God has chosen the world’s poor to be rich in faith and inheritors of God’s kingdom.

MASS PROTOCOLS

Please observe the following protocols when attending Mass:

1. Masks or other suitable face covering must be worn throughout the service.
2. **If you feel sick, please do not enter the sanctuary.**
3. Please maintain social distancing unless seated with members of your own family or household.
4. Each person receives their own personal missalette to keep for use throughout the remainder of the year. Missallettes will not be collected at the end of Mass.
5. Offertory baskets will not be passed person to person. A collection basket will be placed by the entrance for your offertory.
6. At the Sign of Peace no physical contact is allowed (no hugs, handshakes, etc.)
7. Communicants must keep social distancing when in the Communion line.

Ministry Schedule

	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers
Next Sunday <i>September 5, 2021</i> <i>23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	Sr. Gilda Bell	Airy Thomas Jackie Rose Hudson	Hospitality Ministers	Nora Powell Renardo Smith Carlton Robinson	Erma Carter Deborah Jefferson Felicia Smith Clif Weatherly

CONTACTS 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. Daughter Counselor
Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Daughter Counselor
Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Knight Commander
Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Knight Assistant Commander
Lectors
Liturgical Dancers
Marriage Preparation
Mass Program/Songsheet
Pastoral Care / Minister of Care
Nazareth /Resurrection Alumni Organization
Notary Public
Our Lady 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
 Regina Sadler
 Michelle Coe
 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 Bernard Ross
 Grand Lady Yolanda Sayles Robinson
 Lady Lloria James
 Lady Samaria Dunson
 Knight Keith Golson
 Knight Brandon Thomas
 Airy Thomas
 Erica Brooks, Linda Carpenter, Nora Powell, LaShaundra Jackson
 Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R.
 W. Clifford Petty
 Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R. / Sr. Gilda Bell
 President, Teresa Anderson Woods
 Michelle Coe
 President, Deborah Jefferson
 President, Leon Moore
 Regina Sadler
 Fr. Manuel C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell, Leon Moore
 Principal, Dr. Martha Pettway
 President, Mr. Keith Golson
 Linda Carpenter

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.**
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 Sunday 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 Villa
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 2nd Sunday after CCD
NAZARETH / RESURRECTION ALUMNI ORGANIZATION meets every 4th Thursday of the month in the Villa
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 or call (334) 230-1964.

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

SCHEDULED EVENTS

August 30	Prayer for Peace Vigil, Resurrection Catholic Church, 7 p.m.
August 31	Choir Rehearsal
September 4-5	KPC Boston Butt Fundraiser, Resurrection Catholic School (see bulletin)
September 8	Covid-19 Pfizer Vaccination Clinic, RCS Gym, 4-7 p.m.
September 9	Bible Study resumes via Zoom, 6-7:30 p.m. (every Thursday)
September 12	Burse Club Sunday
September 16	Bible Study via Zoom, 6-7:30 p.m.
September 19	ENIGMA Bi-monthly Gathering, Resurrection, 4-8 p.m.
September 20	Prayer for Peace Vigil, Resurrection Catholic Church, 7 p.m.
September 23	Bible Study via Zoom, 6-7:30 p.m.
September 30	Bible Study via Zoom, 6-7:30 p.m.
October 25	Prayer for Peace Vigil, Resurrection Catholic Church, 7 p.m.
November 7	ENIGMA Bi-monthly Gathering, Resurrection, 4-8 p.m.
November 29	Prayer for Peace Vigil, Resurrection Catholic Church, 7 p.m.
December 27	Prayer for Peace Vigil, Resurrection Catholic Church, 7 p.m.
January 9	ENIGMA Bi-monthly Gathering, Resurrection, 4-8 p.m.
February 4-6, 2022	ENIGMA Weekend Retreat

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

August 29	Erin-Michael Tyler (14)
August 30	Frederick Beasley, Jamaal Fisher
August 31	Alicia Dean
September 1	Ernestine Bryant, Nkele Davis, Joan Thomas
September 2	James Cornelius Jackson
September 3	Macynn Butcher (6)
September 4	Veronica Jackson, Johnetta Johnson, Judith May
September 5	Justin McDonald, Victoria Patterson (12)
September 7	George Sloan, Jr., Kevondra Washington
September 8	John Streety, Jr.
September 10	Eugene Anderson, Gwendolyn Dean
September 11	Kassandra Scott

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

August 29	The Passion of St. John the Baptist
August 30, 1997	The dedication of Mother of Africa Capel-Basilica Shrine, Washington, DC.
August 31, 1836	Henry Blair patented the cotton planting machine.
Sept. 1, 1993	Condoleezza Rice named provost of Stanford University, became the youngest, and the first African-American person to hold this position.
Sept. 2, 1993	Carl A. Fisher, SSJ became Catholic Bishop of Los Angeles, CA.
Sept. 3	Feast of St. Gregory the Great
Sept. 3, 1838	Frederick Douglass escaped from slavery.
Sept. 4, 1908	Richard Wright, novelist, was born in Roxie, MS.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Marian Alexander, Leo Allen, Deacon Terry Anderson, Kendrick Arrington, II, Columbia Baldwin, Bridget Barlow, Dorothy Barlow, Rhonda Barlow, Vickie Barlow, Barry Barber, Carey Barnes, Dakari Barnes, Rev. Steve Bartzyszyn, C.R., Alma Beasley, Arnold Bell, Kevin Bell, Ethel Bell, Lois Bivens, Elmore Boyd, Elder Leo Brock, Susie Brock, Jerome Broughton, Jennifer Tarver Brown, Anthony Burden, Erica Butler, Tim Butler, Sr., John Carpenter, Erma Carter, Father David Carucci, Derek Coe, Gladys Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Mecylah Danley, Annie David, Sarah Davis, Margarete Day, Lady Yolonda Dickerson, Elaine Dorsey, Gene Elmore, Charlie Ester, Wilbur Finks, Elsie Finner, Joan Ford, Helen Foster, Sr. Gloria Fox, C.R., Vivian Fox, Annie Franklin, David Franklin, Jr., David Franklin, Sr., Ida Freely, Tonya Franklin, Roneshia Gardner, John German, Terry German, Carolyn Glass, Edward Goellner, Yvette Wilcox Goellner, Anthony Golson, Michelle Greer, William Guilford, Cristina Guillet, Larry Guyton, Sr. Patsy Guyton, S.F.C.C., Debbie Hall, Doris Hall, Alcyne Harris, Evelyn Harris, Kevin Harris, Marcy Harris, Veronica Moore Harris, Barry Hedblom, James Herndon, Ophelia Hill, Phyllis Hill, Wanda Hill, Ronald Howard, Jacqueline Rose Hudson, Iris Hurd Hunter, Barbara Jackson, Kevin Jackson, Veronica Jackson, Rebecca James, Mary Ellen Jeter, Regina Jobe, Ethel Garrison Johnson, Gail Johnson, Isabella Johnson, Johnetta Johnson, Roxy Jones, Felicia Kenney, Marie Kenny, Betty Kerman, Nathan Kozel, Frances Knight, Deacon James Labadie, Shaquille LaFond, Jewel Lewis, Rosetta Lovelace, Fay Lyons, Mildred Maddox, Ivy Malden, Clarence Manly, Melanie McDonald, Betty McGowan, Nicole & Carl McKinney, Katie Miller, Deanna McRay, Sr. Carolyn Minert, C.R., Liam Monk, Jacqueline Montgomery, James Moore, Kyle Moore, Sr., Melvin Moore, Gwendolyn Nicks, LaTonya Nicks, Lula B. Nikoi, Carolyn Norvel, Fr. William Norvel, S.S.J., Dorothy J. Ogden, Audrey O'Connor, Anne Depas Orange, Ronnie Peters, Cliff Petty, Elaine Poole, Michael Pitts, Albert Pickett, Marvin Pickett, Alaida Pugh, Jerry Radka, Alex Ragesdalle, Fr. Pierre Riches' Family & Friends, Joel Rivera, Dennis Romano, Farley Rudolph, Baby Braylen Rumph, Morris Sayles, Curtis Scott, Tony Scott, Mildred Selmar, Rhonda Shell, Fr. David Shoemaker, Herbert Smith, Jr., Pauline Smith, Ruth Smith, Willie Ann Smith, Yvette Smiley Smith, Roosevelt Smitherman, Mary Snoddy, Fr. Frank Sofie, Valentine Spencer, Victor Splitt, Timothy Spraggins, Richetta C. Stanford, Carol Stevens, Ernestine Stephens, Ronald Stephens, Allen Stevens, Barbara Stevens, Susan Strauss, Clarence Stringer, Maggie Stringer, Rubye Sullivan, Kayla Summerlin, Fr. Gene Szarek, C.R., Carrie Tarver, Cynthia Taylor, Jonathan Taylor, Brenda Tell, Derek Thomas, Nia Thomas, Lewis Thompson Family, Faye Thornton, Sherman & Merle Todd, Mary C. Trainor, Dolores Turner, Judith K. Turner, Charles Twitty, Mary Vanderbilt, Rosalind Vanderbilt, Leon Varner, Martha Varner, Iris Vanessa Vaughn, Fr. Stephen Vrazel, Zachary Walk, Marie Washington, Michael Washington, Jemellia Webb, Steve Webb, Annie Webster, Franklin Webster, Whitney Webster, Ashley Whatley, Brenda White, Maureen Wilcox, Lorena Wilkerson, Fr. Clarence Williams, CPpS, Deacon Nathan Williams, Thelma Williams, Deborah Willis.

HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS: Bridget Barlow, Sarah Davis, Sheila Sprowl, Dolores Turner.

MILITARY: Nakeisha Gauntt, Heidi Hedblom, Wesley Pitts, Rickey Sequeira, Caro Stanford

ENTERED ETERNAL LIFE

†**Mr. Leroy German**, the brother of John German, brother-in-law of Patricia German and father of Eric German and Felicia Parish Nesis, entered eternal life on August 23, 2021. Funeral services were held at Phillips-Riley Funeral Home Chapel on Saturday, August 28, 2021.

†**Mrs. Carol Roper** entered eternal life on August 26, 2021. (Mrs. Roper is the parishioner who lived on the corner of Forbes and Conrad). Funeral services will be announced.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and may perpetual light shine upon them. Prayers and condolences are extended to the German, Nesis and Roper families.

*We mourn because we are human; We rejoice because we are Christians
And we celebrate the power of Jesus' Resurrection
For we are a Resurrection People in life and in death.*

PARISH NEWS

WEDDING BELLS ARE RINGING



Please keep in your prayers the following couples who are preparing to be united in the sacrament of Holy Matrimony:

- ♥ **Katrina Bryant and Andrey Scott**
- ♥ **Andrea Martin and Elijah Gaddis**
- ♥ **Renardo Smith and Isis Hunley**

PRAYER CALL

Sister Patsy Guyton, SFCC and friends invite you to join them on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. for prayer. You can either email your prayer requests to patsysfcc@aol.com and/or by calling 1 727/731-5133 no access code needed. For more info, call Sister Patsy at 334/593-9541

PRAY FOR OUR HEALTH CARE WORKERS



Brandon Anderson, Maurice Asouzu, Erica Brooks, Christopher Fenderson, Regina Gibson, Vicki Golson, Myrtle Goore Davis, Cassaundra Henderson, Barbara Jackson, Phillip Lyman, Theresa Maye, Patrice Obi, Keyla Petty, Alida Pugh, Lauren Rowe, Gracie Sayles, Rickey Sequiera, Regina Skrivanek, Jameson & Tashawna Stokes, Bryan Strickland, Ann Summerlin, Kanika Thomas, Martha Varner, Twila Wheat and Felicia Williams Smith.

SANCTUARY CANDLE



The Sanctuary Candle is lit for the week of August 22-28 for the intentions of **Melanie Bassett Smith**.

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER

BOSTON BUTTS FOR LABOR DAY



The Knights of Peter Claver, is having a Labor Day Boston Butt sale with pick up on **Saturday, September 4 after 2 p.m. and on Sunday, September 5, from 11:30 to 1:30 p.m.** The cost of each Boston Butt is \$35.00. Call Derek Coe at (334) 303-5622 or Keith Golson at (334) 868-9404 to place your order.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

RCS SCHOOL NOTES



Technology classes for grades 5-8 have begun and are going well. Teachers are really enjoying using their ViewSonic Interactive Panels to enhance learning.

Enrollment is about 93 students and we continue to accept students for the FREE PreK-4 program.

Continue to pray for our students.

PRAY FOR OUR STUDENTS

Dear Lord, thank you for our children. We **pray** for every child and their **safety** for this school year. Grant every child listening ears because Your Word says that whoever listens to You will live in **safety** and be at ease without fear or harm.

RESURRECTION HEALTH MINISTRY

COVID VACCINATION CLINIC



As Covid-19 cases surge in Alabama it is vitally important to get as many people vaccinated as possible. To that end, Resurrection Catholic Church Health Ministry, in partnership with **WhyNotUS.Live**, a program of Metropolitan United Methodist Church, **will hold a Pfizer Covid-19 clinic on Wednesday, September 8, 2021** at Resurrection Catholic School from 4-7 p.m. Please encourage your unvaccinated friends and family members to attend this clinic or get vaccinated at any of the other locations available.

The BOOSTER shot will be available at this clinic as well as the initial two doses.

WhyNotUS.Live is bringing vaccination clinics to communities throughout Montgomery. Volunteers are needed to do phone banking to get the word out about the clinics. If you have a computer and are able to help with the phone banking, call Michelle Coe at (334) 230-1964 for more information.

BREASTFEEDING SUPPORT GROUP

The breastfeeding support group meets every Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. via Zoom **Amy Sequiera**, hosts the group. The group is open to parishioners and non-parishioners. Please **text** Amy Sequiera at 850-261-8330 for more information.

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

ENIGMA RETREAT



The ENIGMA Retreat will be held at Resurrection again in 2022. The dates for the retreat are February 4-6, 2022. Please mark your calendars as, once again, the parish organizations will be asked to assist with making the weekend a meaningful one for the young retreatants.

There will also be monthly gatherings for the past and future ENIGMA participants leading up to the retreat in February. Every other month the young men will gather at Resurrection on a Sunday evening for a social and meal together. The first gathering is scheduled for **Sunday, September 19.**

OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time-- August 29, 2021-- You are called to be a person of integrity. Live in a way that shows that God is your center. (Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23). If you think God is calling you to be a priest, call Father Victor Ingalls (251) 415-3871, or write: vocations@mobarch.org

Vigésimo segundo domingo del tiempo ordinario - 29 de agosto de 2021 - Estás llamado a ser una persona íntegra. Viva de una manera que demuestre que Dios es su centro. (Marcos 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23). Si cree que Dios lo está llamando a ser sacerdote, llame al Padre Victor Ingalls (251) 415-3871, o escriba a: vocations@mobarch.org.

RESPECT LIFE



"No sin or crime is greater than God's mercy. The sacrifice of the Cross reveals that Christ's greatest desire is to forgive those with a repentant heart." ~ *USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities* "Death Penalty:

Catholic Q & A

We pray for those who are imprisoned that they may be treated with the respect due to every human person..

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY



Blessed Trinity Shrine Retreat is offering in-person retreats again in the Fall. Please check our website for details www.msbt.org/btsr

- *The Three Secrets of Resilience* - Fr. Matt Linn Retreat. September 3
- *Healing Our Deepest Fear: Discover the Joy and Satisfaction of Living* – Fr. Matt Linn Retreat. September 3-5
- *Beginning Again, A Blessed Lunch* – Fellowship and Wisdom for Living with Sr. Gail Lambert, MSBT. September 18
- *Rosary Pilgrimage to the Grotto* – for our Nation and World Peace. October 3
- *Living Abundantly: Reducing Stress and Living Well* – Fr. Mike Kerin. October 20

Contact Sr. Gail Lambert, MSBT, sponsored retreat coordinator, for more information and to register. Phone: 334-855-4474 or Email: btsr@msbt.org

COMMUNITY

CELEBRATE RECOVERY MINISTRY

Christchurch Anglican announced their new Celebrate Recovery ministry to be held every Friday night, beginning September 3, 2021. Dinner is served at 6:00 p.m. followed by the meeting at 6:30 p.m. Nursery is available for children age four and under. Celebrate Recovery is for anyone struggling with Hurts, Hang-ups and Habits. For more information, call Dolly McLemore at 334-301-3490 or email dwmclmore@knology.net.

FAITH IN ACTION ALABAMA (FIAAL)

FIAAL's Montgomery Hub Peacemakers Campaign invites people of EVERY faith to gather on the lawn in front of Resurrection Church on the fourth Monday of every month at 7 p.m. for a prayer vigil against gun violence. Bring umbrellas and rain gear in case of rain. Call/text 334-717-1107 for more information. The first gathering is tomorrow, August 30.