



Resurrection Catholic Church

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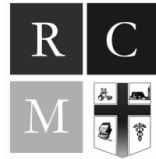
Sr. Gilda Marie Bell, Minister of Care

Mrs. Michelle Coe, Administrative Assistant

Mr. Leon Moore, Parish Council President

Mr. W. Clifford Petty, Pastoral Musician

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



CONTACTS IN THE PARISH AND MISSION CENTER

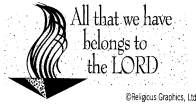
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Regina Sadler
Michelle Coe
Kelley Calloway
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Leon Moore, Vonzetta Graham
Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell
Wanda Twitty
Salena Moore
Grand Knight Bernard Ross
Grand Lady Yolanda Sayles Robinson
Lady Lloria James
Lady Samaria Dunson
Knight Keith Golson
Knight Brandon Thomas
Airy Thomas
Erica Brooks, Linda Carpenter, Nora Powell, LaShaundra Jackson
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Principal, Dr. Martha Pettway
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Linda Carpenter

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 13, 2022 – THE SIXTH 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: (Basket: \$4,303.00 / Online: \$2,338.00).....	\$6,641.00
Building Fund.....	\$135.00
Food Pantry	\$25.00
Interfaith Community Outreach.....	\$35.00
Sanctuary Candle	\$20.00



“Blessed are you when people hate you, ...exclude and insult you, and denounce your name...on account of the Son of Man.” (LUKE 6:22) All of us have been in situations when someone has made a negative comment or joke about God or our Catholic faith. How did you respond? Did you stay silent or pretend to go along with the crowd because you didn’t want to cause waves and then, later, you felt bad? Know that God is with you all the time; the Holy Spirit will put the right words in your mouth. Pray for the strength and courage to proclaim our faith to others, especially during uncomfortable situations.

“Bienaventurados si los odian , ...excluyen e insultan, y desprecian su nombre...por causa del Hijo del Hombre”. (LUCAS 6:22) Todos ustedes habrán estado en situaciones en las cuales alguien hizo comentarios negativos o se burló de Dios o de su fe Católica. ¿Cómo respondieron? Se quedaron callados o pretendieron seguirle la corriente a la multitud porque no querían causar problemas y entonces, más tarde, ¿se sintieron mal? Sepa que Dios está con usted todo el tiempo; el Espíritu Santo pondrá las palabras correctas en su boca. Recé para tener fortaleza y valor para proclamar su fe a los demás, especialmente durante situaciones incómodas.

FREE TAX PREPARATION

Impact America offers free tax preparation for households earning up to \$60,000. Book your appointment online at impactamerica.com/freetaxprep or call 1-888-998-2925.

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY



“Married love differs from any other love in the world. By its nature, the love of husband and wife is so complete, so ordered to a lifetime of communion with God and each other, that it is open to creating a new human being they will love and care for together.” (USCCB, Married Love and the Gift of Life)

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL 2022

If you have not returned your Catholic Charities envelope, please do so now. Envelopes are available in the pew. The parish goal is to have every family participate to the best of their ability. Please, answer the Call to Give to those in need through your prayerful generosity to this year’s Catholic Charities Appeal. Please, help our parish meet our goal of 100% participation.

Si no ha devuelto su sobre de Caridades Católicas, por favor, hágalo. Es nuestra meta que cada familia participe lo mejor posible. Por favor, sean las Manos de Cristo llegando a aquellos que lo necesitan a través de su generosa oración a la Apelación de Caridades Católicas de este año. Por favor, ayuden a la Parroquia recibir 100% participación.

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.

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W. Clifford Petty at cpetty@rcmsouth.org

SCHEDULED EVENTS

February 16	RCIA, 6 p.m., Fr. Richard Building
February 17	Bible Study, 6 p.m. via Zoom
February 17	Monthly FIAAL Hub Session
February 28	Regis College Civil Rights Visit (Tentative)
March 5-12	Creighton University Service Immersion Visit
March 5-12	Catholic University of America Service Immersion Visit
March 12-19	Marquette University Service Immersion Visit
March 23	Catholic Mobilization Network Visit
March 25	FIAAL Statewide Action, MPAC, 6 p.m.
May 6-12	University of Portland Civil Rights Immersion (Tentative)
June 27-July 15	Institute for Black Catholic Studies, Xavier University of Louisiana

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

February 13	Patricia Harris, Tyler Perkins, Terence Perkins, Thelma Williams
February 15	Farrish Danley, Natalie Hurd (12)
February 16	Stephanie Reynolds
February 17	Laura Guilford, Erika Jackson (7), Lisa Jackson
February 19	Jimmie Fenderson, Ernest Lyons, Jr.
February 21	Nicholas Davis (6)
February 22	Kieran Coe, Gail Johnson, Acquanetta Knight, Carlton Ross, Sr., Tura Stinson
February 23	Daniel Webster, Sr.
February 24	Caden Ishman (13), Haley Ishman (13), Timothy Spraggins
February 25	Cameron Prince (21)
February 26	Tonye Odogwu, Shannon Smith

ANNIVERSARIES

February 17	Michelle and Derek Coe (43 Years)
February 19	Denise and Carlton Ross (45 Years)

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

February 13, 1920	Andrew “Rube” Foster organized baseball’s Netro National League.
February 14	Feast of Sts. Cyril and Methodius
February 14	World Marriage Day – Feast of St. Valentine
February 14, 1867	Morehouse College, a historically Black institution of higher learning was formed in Augusta, GA.
February 15, 1804	New Jersey became the last northern state to abolish slavery.
February 16, 1874	Frederick Douglass was elected President of Freedman’s Savings and Trust Company.
February 17	Feast of the Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order
February 17, 1963	Michael Jordan, baseball legend, was born in Brooklyn, NY.
February 18, 1688	Quakers filed the first formal protest against slavery.
February 18, 2006	Shani Davis became the 1 st African-American to win an individual gold medal (long track speed skating) at the Winter Olympics in Turin, Italy.
February 19, 1988	Curtis J. Guillory, SVD was ordained Catholic Bishop of Galveston-Houston, TX

Ministry Schedule					
Date	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers
<i>February 20, 2022</i> The Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sr. Gilda Bell	Brandon Anderson Clif Weatherly	Hospitality Ministers	Ronnie Peters Nora Powell Carlton Robinson	John Carpenter Kassandra Scott Wanda Twitty
Kwanzaa (Nia)		Fay Lyons			

PRAYER REQUESTS

Marian Alexander, Leo Allen, Deacon Terry Anderson, Kendrick Arrington, II, Arthur Bailey, Columbia Baldwin, Bridget Barlow, Dorothy Barlow, Rhonda Barlow, Vickie Barlow, Barry Barber, Carey Barnes, Dakari Barnes, Alma Beasley, Annie Bell, Arnold Bell, Kevin Bell, Edwina Bell, Ethel Bell, Gloria Bell, Lois Bivens, Elmore Boyd, Elder Leo Brock, Jerome Broughton, Jennifer Tarver Brown, Anthony Burden, Erica Butler, Tim Butler, Sr., John Carpenter, Erma Carter, Fr. David Carucci, Derek Coe, Gladys Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Mary Cuffe, Mecylah Danley, Annie David, Sarah Davis, Margaret Day, Yolonda Dickerson, Elaine Dorsey, Gene Elmore, 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, SFCC, Debbie Hall, Doris Hall, Br. Bill Hallas, C.R., Alcyne Harris, Evelyn Harris, Kevin Harris, Marcy Harris, Veronica Moore Harris, James Herndon, Ophelia Hill, Phyllis Hill, Wanda Hill, Keanan Hood, Ronald Howard, Jacqueline Rose Hudson, Iris Hurd Hunter, Barbara Jackson, Kevin Jackson, Veronica Jackson, Rebecca James, Mary Ellen Jeter, Regina Jobe, Ethel Garrison Johnson, Johnetta Johnson, Roxy Jones, Debbie Kemsel, 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, Betty McGowan, Louise McKenzie, Nicole & Carl McKinney, Katie Miller, Deanna McRay, Sr. Carolyn Minert, C.R., Liam Monk, Jacqueline Montgomery, James Moore, Kyle Moore, Sr., Gwendolyn Nicks, LaTonya Nicks, Lula B. Nikoi, Carolyn Norvel, Fr. William Norvel, S.S.J., Dorothy J. Ogden, Audrey O'Connor, Ronnie Peters, Latasha Peterson, Cliff Petty, Michael Pitts, Albert Pickett, Marvin Pickett, Elaine Poole, Austin from Publix, Alaida Pugh, Jerry Radka, Alex Ragesdalle, Anne Reynolds, Joel Rivera, Farley Rudolph, Morris Sayles, Curtis Scott, Mildred Selmar, Rhonda Shell, Fr. David Shoemaker, Rosalyn Silver, Fr. Paul Sims, C.R., Tai-Kristin Smedley, Herbert Smith, Jr., Ruth Smith, Willie Ann Smith, Yvette Smiley Smith, Roosevelt Smitherman, Mary Snoddy, Fr. Frank Sofie, Valentine Spencer, Victor Splitt, Timothy Spraggins, Richetta Stanford, Carol Stevens, Ernestine Stephens, Ronald Stephens, Allen Stevens, Barbara Stevens, Susan Strauss, Clarence Stringer, Maggie Stringer, Rubye Sullivan, Fr. Gene Szarek, C.R., Carrie Tarver, Cynthia Taylor, Jonathan Taylor, Brenda Tell, Faye Thornton, Sherman & Merle Todd, Mary Trainor, Dolores Turner, Judith Turner, Charles Twitty, Mary Vanderbilt, Rosalind Vanderbilt, Leon Varner, Martha Varner, Iris Vanessa Vaughn, Fr. Stephen Vrazel, Zachary Walk, Marie Washington, Jemellia Webb, Steve Webb, Annie Webster, Franklin Webster, Whitney Webster, Ashley Whatley, Brenda White, Kevin Wilcox, 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, Kayla Summerlin.

HEALTH CARE WORKERS: Maurice Asouzu, Erica Brooks, Anil Dalling, Christopher Fenderson, Regina Gibson, Vicki Golson, Myrtle Goore Davis, Cassandra 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.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process in which adults become full, participating members of the Catholic Church. RCIA classes for Resurrection Parish are held every Wednesday evening, from 6-8 p.m. If you are interested in learning more about the RCIA process or would simply like to refresh your knowledge of the Catholic faith, please contact Sr. Gilda Bell, Fr. Manuel Williams, or Mr. Leon Moore.

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. Missalettes 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

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:

- ♥ *Andrea Martin and Elijah Gaddis (2/19/22)*
- ♥ *Katrina Bryant and Andrey Scott (6/25/22)*
- ♥ *Renardo Smith and Isis Hunley*
- ♥ *Susan Moore and Jason Hayes*

BIBLE STUDY



You are invited to join the weekly Bible Study group via Zoom every Thursday evening from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Visit the RCM website for the link to the Bible Study. The class is currently studying the Gospel of Luke.

KUDOS

Congratulations to *Jewell Pitts* who was elected to serve as Vice President, Central Region for the Southern Region of the U.S. Tennis Association. Jewell will serve a two-year term beginning February 5, 2022.

Sanctuary Candle Remembrance



The Sanctuary Candle is lit for the week of February 13 – 19 in honor of *Rose Bruce*. Please contact the parish office at 230-1964 to light the candle for a special intention.

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

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER SUPERBOWL 2022 BBQ FUNDRAISER



The Knights of Council 345 thanks everyone who supported their annual *Superbowl BBQ Fundraiser*. Orders can be picked up **TODAY** until 1:00 p.m. Proceeds from this sale will benefit Resurrection Catholic Missions.

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER, LADIES AUXILIARY CT 345

CONGRATULATIONS TO *YOLANDA SAYLES ROBINSON* - 2022 SPIRIT OF MARION AWARD RECIPIENT

This award recognizes individuals or organizations whose professional efforts have created innovation, positive change or notable advancement in an industry, environment or concept. Like the Marion Nine, nominees must demonstrate great vision, honorable citizenship and success in the face of challenge.

Yolanda meet the following criteria:

Have a record of noteworthy community outreach efforts;

Demonstrate a positive impact on the community.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL THIS WEEK?

On Monday, February 7, 2022, RCS observed *100 Days of School* with the theme: *"We are 100 Days Smarter."* Several students from Kindergarten through eighth grades participated in *"Dressing Up as Old People!"*. In Addition cake was served for the students' enjoyment.

RESURRECTION HEALTH MINISTRY



Resurrection Catholic Church, in partnership with Whynotus.live is hosting weekly Covid testing in the vestibule of the church every Wednesday from 3-5 p.m. Testing is available to the public!

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

BLESSED TRINITY SHRINE RETREATS

- *Celtic Retreat* – March 11-13, 2022.
- *Spending the Day in the Desert with Jesus* with Fr. Stephen J. Giorno, ST. March 30, 2022, 10-3pm EST
- *Encountering the Divine in the Beauty Around Us* with Sr. Terry Bretthauer, MSBT. April 1-3, 2022
- *Annual Men's Retreat – Gospel of Luke* with Fr. Guy Wilson, ST. April 29 - May1, 2022.

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

INSTITUTE FOR BLACK CATHOLIC STUDIES at XAVIER UNIVERSITY LOUISIANA

The Institute for Black Catholic Studies will be held from June 27 – July 15, 2022. Mark your calendars and consider taking a class this summer.

This year *Fr. Manuel Williams* and *Sr. Sandra Helton* are both teaching classes:

Liturgy: Work of the People. The pastoral purposes of liturgy are profound—it informs and bears witness to the faith and faithfulness of the worshipping community. Vatican II even said "good liturgy nurtures faith, poor liturgy destroys it." We will explore foundational principles and characteristics of sound liturgy within the African American Catholic Church. *Fr. Manuel Williams, CR, Th.M.*

Drama: Expressions of Black Belief, Faith and Culture. This course will explore the valuable role of dramatic art in liturgy as well as other ministries. Students will explore the biblical roots of the arts in ministry. They will also learn principles and practices that encourage and inform the use of dramatic arts in ministry today. *Sr. Sandra Helton, SSND, M.A.*

OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time -- February 13, 2022 (World Marriage Day) - "Blessed are those who trust in the Lord." Are you being called to deepen your trust in the love of the Lord by serving Him as a priest, deacon, sister or brother? (251) 434-1559 or email: vocations@mobarch.org.

Sexto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario - 13 de Febrero de 2022 (Día Mundial del Matrimonio) - "Bienaventurados los que confían en el Señor." ¿Está siendo llamado a profundizar su confianza en el amor del Señor sirviéndole como sacerdote, diácono, hermana o hermano?, Comuníquese con la Oficina de Vocaciones al (251) 434-1559 o envíe un correo electrónico a: vocations@mobarch.org.

RESPECT LIFE

LIFE AND DIGNITY OF THE HUMAN PERSON

Catholic Social Teaching is rooted in a belief in the inherent dignity of the human person and the sanctity of all life. Made in the image and likeness of God, the human person is the foundation of a moral vision for society and stands at the heart of the Church's understanding of justice. As Catholics, we also believe in a consistent ethic of life, which extends from conception to natural death. Capital punishment contradicts this ethic. By allowing the state to end a life before natural death, the death penalty does not conform to our pro-life teaching.

Not only does the death penalty violate the sanctity of human life, it also threatens innocent life. Despite our best efforts, our criminal justice system imperfect. According to a 2014 study, an estimated 4% of those sentenced to death in the U.S. are actually innocent. More than 165 people have been exonerated from death row since 1973. Put another way, for every nine people who have been executed since the death penalty was reinstated in 1976, one has been proven innocent.

For more information on how the death penalty violates the dignity of the human person, please visit: catholicismobilizing.org.

COPE)

Cheers to you and for all that you do! Join the COPE staff for the first COPE Connect as we thank YOU for serving, empowering and advocating for the pro-life movement. Let's chat and have a great Chappy's snack! Monday, February 21, 2021 from 3:00pm-5:00pm at Chappy's Deli on Perry Hill Road (1611 Perry Hill Rd, Montgomery, AL 36106 *Back Room*). Invite a Friend and RSVP at-264-9143, text -207-0913, email at copemontgomerydirector@outlook.com

Associates of the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament



*Did You Know
St. Katharine Drexel...*



- In 1915 established Xavier Preparatory School to provide for High School education of African Americans in New Orleans, LA.
- Founded Xavier University of Louisiana in New Orleans in 1925. Teachers graduating staffed rural schools established by St. Katharine in the South.

Xavier University is the only predominantly African American Catholic institution of higher learning in the United States, which is still vibrant to this day.

*"Press Forward and Fear Nothing."
St. Katharine Drexel*