Resurrection Catholic Church

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Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Pastor



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MASS SCHEDULE: Sunday – 9:00 a.m.; visit <u>www.rcmsouth.org</u> for virtual Mass)

MAY 22, 2022 – THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 22 DE MAYO DE 2022 – SEXTO DOMINGO DE PASCUA

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: \$4,617 / Online: \$1,329.00) \$5,946.00 Building Fund \$93.00 Food Pantry \$38.00
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Interfaith Community Outreach \$113.00
School

...Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid." (JOHN 14:27)

Our limited human understanding cannot begin to understand the immense power of God. Instead of trusting in God, we often think we can control every outcome. Do you want to make God laugh? Tell Him your plans. The next time worry, anxiety or fear creeps in, thank God for all He has given you and trust that He has a better plan for you. Make God your first choice and not your last resort.

"No dejen que sus corazones se turben o teman". (Juan 14:27)

Nuestra limitada comprensión humana no puede comenzar a entender el inmenso poder de Dios. En lugar de confiar en Dios, a menudo pensamos que podemos controlarlo todo. ¿Quiere hacer reír a Dios? Cuéntele sus planes. La próxima vez que sienta que lo embarga la preocupación, la ansiedad o el temor, dele gracias a Dios por todo lo que Él le ha dado, y confíe que Él tiene un mejor plan para usted. Haga de Dios su primera escogencia y no su último recurso.

FIRST COMMUNION



With great joy, *Samuel Guadalupe, Emily Hurtado, Chase James and Jacob Martinez* will receive the sacrament of First Eucharist today. A warm welcome is extended to the family and friends who worship with us and celebrate with them. Please join the First Communicants for a special breakfast prepared especially for them after Mass in the gym.

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER

THE KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER MEMORIAL DAY 2022 BBQ FUNDRAISER Saturday, May 28 & Sunday, May 29, 2022



To place your order for delicious slabs and chicken wings, please return the order form to any member of the Knights of Peter Claver. *Please pre-order. Chicken wings will only be available for pre-orders.* You may pay when you pick up your order. Forms are on the table in the vestibule. Slabs: \$25.00 each / Chicken Wings: \$21.00 for pan of 12 wings

Pickup between 3-6 pm on Saturday and 11 am -1 pm on Sunday.

CONTACTS IN THE PARISH AND MISSION CENTER

Apostles of the ResurrectionEvelyn HarrisApostolate for Persons with DisabilitiesAngela BarnesArchdiocesan Pastoral CouncilGladys Copeland

Altar Servers John Carpenter, Derek Coe
Rantism Classes
Paging Sadler

Baptism ClassesRegina SadlerBulletinMichelle CoeBurse ClubKelley CallowayChoir, AdultW. Clifford Petty

 Church Environment
 Thelma Williams, Erma Carter

 Confirmation Class
 Leon Moore, Vonzetta Graham

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

Hospitality CommitteeWanda TwittyInterfaith Community OutreachSalena Moore

Knights of Peter Claver Grand Knight Bernard Ross

Knights of Peter Claver, Ladies Auxiliary Grand Lady Yolanda Sayles Robinson

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

Knight Brandon Thomas

Lectors Airy Thomas

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

Marriage Preparation Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R.

Mass Program/Songsheet W. Clifford Petty

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

Nazareth / Resurrection Alumni Organization President, Teresa Anderson Woods

Notary Public Michelle Coe

Our Lady SodalityPresident, Deborah JeffersonParish CouncilPresident, Leon Moore

Religious Education Regina Sadler

RCIA Fr. Manuel C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell, Leon Moore

Resurrection Catholic SchoolPrincipal, Dr. Martha PettwayResurrection Catholic School PTOPresident, Mr. Keith Golson

Youth Ministry Linda Carpenter

PRAY FOR THE UNBORN: The Rosary is said every 2nd Sunday before Mass. Please join us in the Sanctuary. **SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Call the parish office to schedule a baptism class as well as a date for the baptism.

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

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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 sgildab@yahoo.com * Michelle Coe mcoe@rcmsouth.org * Sr. Kathryn Frank, SSND kfrank@rcmsouth.org
W. Clifford Petty at cpetty@rcmsouth.org

SCHEDULED EVENTS

May 26	Bible Study, 6 p.m. via Zoom				
May 24	PreK Transitional Program, 10 a.m., School				
May 25	Kindergarten and 8th Grade Graduation, 1 p.m., Church/School				
May 27	Last Day of School for RCS Students				
June 6-Aug 6	Catholic University of America Students Working at RCM				
June 9	Archdiocese of Atlanta, Seminarians' Visit				
June 27-July 15	Institute for Black Catholic Studies, Xavier University of Loiusiana				
July 15-20	Sr KPC National Convention in Chicago, IL (Lombard) at the Westin Hotel				
July 15-21	St. Ignatius H.S., Cleveland, OH Service Visit				

YOUR PARISH PROFILE

Update your personal profile at https://mobile.parishsoftfamilysuite.com/Default.aspx. Click on the "New User" tab to create an account. Once an account has been created you can upload your photo, and update your personal information.

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	Birthday Blessings					
May 22	Sr. Katie Frank, SSND, Deborah Jefferson, Anthony Stacks, Izetta Thomas					
May 25	Camille May, Roderick Parker					
May 26	Jennifer Brown					
May 27	Therese Maye					
May 28	Eian Anderson (10), Tina Golson					
May 30	Zaria Coprich, Leon Moore, Sr.					
May 31	Daphne Hawkins					
June 2	Keri Smith					
June 3	Moses Butcher, Jr., Gerri Perry Golson, Nicholas Perry, James Ward					
June 4	Stasi Buchanan, Byron McKenzie					
	ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS					
May 26	Sinéad and Najgee Gatson (4 Years)					
June 1	Doris and William Turner (54 Years)					
June 2	Rebbeca and Amos James (37 Years)					
June 4	Cassaundra and Bronco Henderson (45 Years)					
	THIS WEEK IN HISTORY					
May 22, 2018	Stacey Abrams became the 1 st African-American woman to be nominated for governor in Georgia.					
May 23, 1972	Major General Frederic E. Davison was the 1 st African American to lead an army division.					
May 24, 1951	The Municipal Court of Appeals ruled racial discrimination in restaurants in Washington, D.C. as illegal.					
May 25	Feast of St. Bede the Venerable, St. Gregory VII, St. Mary Magdalene de Pazzi					
May 26	Feast of the Ascension of the Lord, Feast of St. Philip Neri					
May 26, 1965	The Senate passed the Voting Rights Act					
May 27	Feast of St. Augustine of Canterbury					
May 28, 2014	Maya Angelou, author, poet, dancer, actress, singer, producer and professor, died					

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

in Winston-Salem, NC.

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. (September through May.) 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.

Ministry Schedule								
Date	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers			
May 29 –	Sr. Gilda Bell	Airy Thomas	Hospitality	Charlotte Brooks	Patricia German			
Seventh		Sr. Sandra	Ministers	Keith Golson	Constance Sator			
Sunday of		Helton, SSND		Carlton Robinson	Kippy Tate			
Easter					Airy Thomas			

THOSE IN NEED OF PRAYER

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, Gladys Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Doris Crenshaw, Mary Cuffe, Mecylah Danley, Annie David, Sarah Davis, Margarete 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, Michelle Greer, William Guilford, Cristina Guillet, Larry Guyton, Sr. Patsy Guyton, SFCC, Debbie Hall, Doris Hall, Br. Bill Hallas, C.R., Evelyn Harris, Kevin Harris, Marcy Harris, Veronica M. 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 G. Johnson, Johnstta 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, Deanna McRay, Sr. Carolyn Minert, C.R., Liam Monk, Jacqueline Montgomery, James Moore, Kyle Moore, Sr., Shawntrice Moore, 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, 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., 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, Sam Strickland, 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, Jen Twort, Mary Vanderbilt, Rosalind Vanderbilt, Leon Varner, Ray Vaughn, Iris Vanessa Vaughn, Fr. Stephen Vrazel, Zachary Walk, Marie Washington, Jemellia Webb, Steve Webb, Annie Webster, Franklin Webster, Whitney Webster, Ashley Whatley, Brenda White, Molly White, Diarmuid Wilcox, 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, Cassaundra Henderson, Barbara Jackson, Phillip Lyman, Theresa Maye, Patrice Obi, Keyla Petty, Alida Pugh, Lauren Rowe, Gracie Sayles, Rickey Sequiera, Jameson & Tashawna Stokes, Bryan Strickland, Ann Summerlin, Kanika Thomas, Martha Varner, Twila Wheat and Felicia Williams Smith.

ENTERED ETERNAL LIFE

†Sra. Esperanza Pacheco, the mother of *Margarita Altamirano*, CNP cook at Resurrection Catholic School, and abuela of Carlos, Victoria and Miguel Rodriguez, entered eternal life on Friday, May 13, in Zamora, Michuacan Province, Mexico. Funeral services were held on Saturday, May 14 in Mexico.

Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord and may perpetual light shine upon her. Prayers and condolences are extended to the Altamirano, Pacheco and Rodriquez 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.

MASS PROTOCOLS

Please observe the following protocols when attending Mass:

- Masks or other suitable face covering must be worn throughout the service.
- 2. If you feel sick, please do not enter the sanctuary.
- Please maintain social distancing unless seated with members of your own family or household.
- 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.
- 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.)
- 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:

- ♥ Katrina Bryant and Andrey Scott
- ♥ Lauren Levins and Ennis Harvey
- ♥ Susan Moore and Jason Hayes
- ♥ Renardo Smith and Isis Hunley

Sanctuary Candle Remembrance

The Sanctuary Candle is lit for the week of May 22-28, 2022 in honor of our *First Communicants* – *Samuel Guadalupe, Emily Hurtado, Chase James and Jacob Martinez.* Please contact the parish office at 230-1964 to light the candle for your special intention.

BIBLE STUDY



The next weekly Bible Study class will be this Thursday, May 26, 2022 from 6:00-7:30 p.m. The class will begin to study the *Acts of the Apostles*

this week, so, if you have been considering joining the class, the time is perfect as we begin a new book. All are invited to join the weekly Bible Study group via Zoom. Visit the RCM website for the link.

HEDBLOM FAMILY ADDRESS

Condolences to the family of Barry Hedblom, Sr. can be sent to: Mrs. Judith St. Onge, 9400 Ridge Road, Seminole, FL 33772.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT RCS?

On Wednesday, May 17, 2022, Grades 1st - 4th attended an Educational Field Trip to the *McWane Science Center in Birmingham* via Capital Trailways Chartered Bus. The students engaged in various learning activities and watched a 3D Movie to further enhance their learning of Science. Faculty, staff and parents were chaperones.

Friday, May 20, 2022, Ms. Twila Webster, CNP Manager and the CNP Department hosted a fun day of activities to culminate "Student Appreciation Day". The day was filled with lots of games, face painting, good food and many more fun and enjoyable activities. Kudos to the CNP Department, faculty/staff and ALL Volunteers for assisting in making this day a success.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL'S CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAM



Monday through Friday Resurrection Catholic School's Child Nutrition Program will provide nutritional Grab N Go meals for students, Grades Pre-K to age 18 at no charge. Meals will be available for pickup between 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Pick-Up at 2815 Forbes

Road Montgomery, AL 36110. For more information, please contact the RCS Child Nutrition Director, Twila Webster at 334-230-1976 or email twebster@rcmsouth.org.

RESURRECTION HEALTH MINISTRY

YOGA, TAI CHI AND PILATES



Join Brandon Anderson every Saturday in the school gym for one full hour of exercise. The first 30 minutes will be stretching, yoga and pilates. The second 30 minutes will cater to

the older crowd with chair Tai Chi and traditional Tai Chi classes. **The time is 10:30 am -11:30 am.** All are welcome!

RESPECT LIFE

"[T]he death penalty is inadmissible because it is an attack on the inviolability and dignity of the person" – Catechism of the Catholic Church, no. 2267

https://www.usccb.org/committees/domestic-justice-and-human-development/death-penalty-capital-punishment#tab--_021-present

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

JUSTICE & MERCY POETRY CONTEST FOR YOUNG CATHOLICS

Enter your original poem about the death penalty for a chance to win!



Are you a young Catholic poet between the ages of 18-30? Are you passionate about justice and ending

the death penalty?

Enter Catholic Mobilizing Network's (CMN's) Justice & Mercy Poetry Contest for Young Catholics with an original poem about the injustice of capital punishment and become eligible to win up to \$1,000 in cash.

The first-place winner will also be invited to read their award-winning poem at CMN's 13th anniversary celebration on October 10, 2022 at the Apostolic Nunciature of the Holy See in Washington, DC.

Contest winners will be chosen by a diverse group of committee members who bring an array of interest, experience, and skills when it comes to engaging young Catholics, ending the death penalty, and using poetry as a way to nurture the intersection of justice and faith. **Vsiit** https://catholicsmobilizing.org/poetry-contest

BLESSED TRINITY SHRINE RETREATS

Pentecost is a special time for the Missionary Servants of the Most Blessed Trinity and the Missionary Cenacle Family. It is a time to reflect on, and be grateful for their heritage, rooted in a devotion to the Holy Spirit. During this Pentecost, and for the coming year, the Sisters missioned at Blessed Trinity Shrine Retreat would like to pray for you and your loved ones. Go to our website (https://msbt.org/btsr/prayersat-pentecost/) and fill out the prayer request form. We will send you a prayer card and up to three cards you can personalize and mail to your loved ones with our promise of prayers. Since 1913, the Missionary Cenacle Family has made a perpetual novena to the Holy Spirit, praying that we are all open to, and led by, the Spirit in the providence of our everyday lives. You may join the Missionary Cenacle Family in praying their Holy Spirit Novenas, available for download (https://msbt.org/our-spirituality/) on the MSBT website.

OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

Sixth Sunday of Easter -- May 22, 2022

"Those who love Me will keep my word." Is your love for the Lord leading you to grow in holiness as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact the Vocation Office at (251) 434-1559 or email: vocation@mobarch.org.

Sexto Domingo de Pascua - 22 de Mayo de 2022

"Los que me aman cumplirán mi palabra." ¿Tu amor por el Señor te lleva a crecer en santidad como sacerdote, diácono o en la vida consagrada? Comuníquese con la Oficina de Vocaciones al (251) 434-1559 o envíe un correo electrónico a: vocations@mobarch.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. *Fr. Manuel Williams* and *Sr. Sandra Helton* are both teaching:

Liturgy: Work of the People. - Fr. Manuel Williams, CR, Th.M.

Drama: Expressions of Black Belief, Faith and Culture - Sr. Sandra Helton, SSND, M.A.



Join RENEW on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land October 16-26, 2022

We are glad to be able to offer this pilgrimage of peace now. This trip to the Holy Land will take place from October 16 to October 26, 2022. We'll visit Nazareth, take a boat ride on the sea of Galilee, go to Cana, pray at the Mount of Olives and the Garden of Gethsemane in Jerusalem, and explore Bethlehem. As your spiritual guides and fellow pilgrims, we have built time into our journey for grace and spiritual renewal. Our pilgrimage will include celebrations of the Eucharist, prayer, sightseeing, faith-sharing, and conversations with peace-making leaders in Israel. Pilgrims will even have the option to walk part of the Jesus trail in Galilee.

If you are interested, please visit our <u>Events</u> page to see the itinerary and costs, and reserve your places quickly. Space is limited, and pilgrims will be accommodated on a first-come, first-served basis. **Registrations after May 31 will incur a late fee.**

Thanks to the vaccines, we are confident the pandemic will be under control in the Holy Land by this fall. We will likely be required to show proof of Covid-19 vaccination and booster to travel to Israel, so we can be assured of safe travels.