

Resurrection Catholic Church

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Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Pastor



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.; visit www.rcmsouth.org for virtual Mass); Thursday - 10:00 a.m. (School Mass)

MARCH 12, 2023 – THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT 12 DE MARZO DE 2023 – 3^{ER} DOMINGO EN CUARESMA

The parish online giving link for sacrificial giving is https://osvhub.com/rcmsouth/giving/funds.

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 and Mailed Offerings	\$4,936.00
Online	
Second Collection (Black and Indian Missin)	\$50.00
Building Fund	\$10.00
Interfaith Community Outreach	
Sanctuary Candle	\$20.00
School	\$223.00



[&]quot;Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again." John 4:13



Jesus reminds us that material things, even something as basic as water, can never satisfy us over the long run. When we build our lives around material possessions we will always want more and no amount will ever satisfy our desire. True joy and peace only comes when we follow Jesus - when we become more "Godcentered" and less "self-centered."

"Todo el que beba de esta agua volverá a tener sed" JUAN 4:13

Jesús nos recuerda que las cosas materiales, aun algo tan básico como el agua, nunca pueden satisfacernos a largo plazo. Cuando construimos nuestras vidas alrededor de las posesiones materiales siempre querremos más y ninguna cantidad logrará satisfacer nuestros deseos. El verdadero gozo y la verdadera paz

vienen cuando seguimos a Jesús, entonces nos volvemos más "centrados en

Welcome

We welcome members of the *Cosmopolites Civic Club*, under the direction of President Edrice Leftwich, who have chosen to worship with us this morning. Welcome Ladies!

LENTEN ACTIVITIES

Walk with Jesus at the *Way of the Cross* every Friday during Lent at 6:00 p.m. This week's meditation will be followed by a Simple Soup Supper.

CONTACTS IN THE PARISH AND MISSION CENTER

Apostles of the Resurrection Evelyn Harris
Apostolate for Persons with Disabilities Angela Barnes
Archdiocesan Pastoral Council Gladys Copeland

Altar Servers John Carpenter, Derek Coe

Baptism ClassesRegina SadlerBulletinMichelle CoeBurse ClubKelley CallowayChoir, AdultW. Clifford Petty

Church EnvironmentThelma Williams, Erma CarterConfirmation ClassLeon 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 Grand Knight Carlton Robinson

Knights of Peter Claver Deputy Grand Knight Knight Keith Golson

Knights of Peter Claver, Ladies Auxiliary Grand Lady Grand Lady Rosalind Pijeaux Hale - kpcla345gl@gmail.com

KPCLA, Vice Grand Lady

Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Daughter Counselor

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Lady Lloria James

Lady Samarria Dunson

Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Knight Commander

Lectors

Knight Commander

Knight Clif Weatherly

Airy Thomas

Liturgical Dancers Erica Brooks, Linda Carpenter, Nora Powell

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 School
 Principal, Dr. Martha Pettway

 Resurrection Catholic School PTO
 President. Mr. Keith Golson

Youth Ministry Brandon Anderson, Erica Brooks, 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 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 quarterly 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 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 <u>no later than</u> **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 * W. Clifford Petty at cpetty@rcmsouth.org

SCHEDULED EVENTS

March 10-March 31 Stations of the Cross, 6 p.m., every Friday during Le	nt
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March 12 KPC/KPCLA Joint Meeting, After Mass, Fr. Richard Administration Building

March 16 Visit from Catholic Mobilization Network
March 18-25 DePaul University Service Immersion

March 23 Bible Study, 6 p.m. via Zoom

April 2 Our Lady Sodality Monthly Meeting, Fr. Richard Administration Building

April 2 Palm Sunday
April 9 Easter Sunday
May 7 First Eucharist Sunday

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.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

March 13: Jonathan Smith (20)
March 14: Iris Hurd-Hunter
March 15: Jessica Carpenter

March 16: J-Isaac Broughton, Courtney Minor
March 17: Helen Jones, Ralph Stinson, John Willard
March 19: Brandon Anderson, Chatney Spencer

March 20: Dillan Johnson (17)

March 21: Christopher Burke, Jewell Pitts

March 22: Carlton Robinson

March 23: Richetta Cofield-Stanford, Angel Morgan, Jermal Patterson, Shanis Sadler

March 24: Milton Christopher Davis, Khloe Stokes (12)

March 25: Charlotte Brooks (12)

ANNIVERSARY WISHES

March 12: Dorothy and Willie Barlow (63 Years)
March 22: Indra and David Dalling (26 Years)

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

March 19, 1894	Moms Mabley, comedien/entertainer, was born in Brevard, NC.				
March 20	Feast of St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary				
March 20, 1995	George V. Murry, SJ was ordained Catholic Bishop in Chicago, IL.				
March 21, 1965	The Freedom March from Selma to Montgomery began.				
March 22, 1873	Puerto Rico abolished slavery.				
March 23	Feast of St. Turibius of Mogrovejo				
March 23, 2015	Fernand Cheri, III, OFM was ordained Auxiliary Bishop for New Orleans,				
	LA.				

March 24, 1837 Canada extended the vote to Black men.

March 24, 2002 Halle Berry and Denzel Washington won Oscars for Best Actress and Best Actor, the first time the award was won simultaneously by African-

American actors.

March 25 Feast of the Annunciation of the Lord

March 25, 1942 Aretha Franklin, singer, was born in Memphis, TN.

Ministry Schedule								
Date	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers			
Today	Sr. Gilda Bell	Roderick Parker	Erica Jackson	Charles Twitty	Pamela Garrett			
March 12, 2023		Helen Jones	Katori Stanford	Renardo Smith	Jacqueline Hudson			
Third Sunday in				Barbara Parker	Patrice Obi			
Lent					Denise Vaughn			
Next Sunday	Maggie Stringer	Airy Thomas	Gabriella Jackson	Derek Coe	John Carpenter			
March 19, 2023		Jackie Rose Hudson	Roland Maddox	Keith Golson	Kassandra Scott			
Fourth Sunday in				Leon Moore	Kippy Tate			
Lent (Feast of St.					Wanda Twitty			
Joseph)								

THOSE IN NEED OF PRAYER

Marian Alexander, Leo Allen, Felipe Altamirano, Juan Altamirano, Dcn. Terry Anderson, Kendrick Arrington, II, Moore Asouzu, Arthur Bailey, Columbia Baldwin, Bridget Barlow, Dorothy Barlow, Vickie Barlow, Barry Barber, Angela Barnes, Carey Barnes, Alma Beasley, Annie Bell, Arnold Bell, Sr. Gilda Bell, Kevin Bell, Edwina Bell, Ethel Bell, Gloria Bell, Lois Bivens, Jarred Bridges, Jerome Broughton, Jennifer Tarver Brown, Anthony Burden, Erica Butler, Tim Butler, Sr., John Carpenter, Linda Carpenter, Erma Carter, Fr. David Carucci, Bishop Ferd Cheri, OFM, Gladys Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Bernadette Costello, Doris Crenshaw, Mecylah Danley, Annie David, Margarete Day, Yolonda Dickerson, Jack Diez, Elaine Dorsey, Dora Fenderson, 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, Janice Grant, 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, Gertha Herndon, James Herndon, Ophelia Hill, Phyllis Hill, Wanda Hill, Keanan Hood, Ronald Howard, Jacqueline Hudson, Iris Hurd Hunter, Barbara Jackson, Kevin Jackson, Veronica Jackson, Rebecca James, Deborah Jefferson, Mary Ellen Jeter, Regina Jobe, Ethel G. Johnson, Johnetta Johnson, Robert Johnson, Robin Johnson, Bobbetta Jones, Roxy Jones, Debbie Kemsel, Felicia Kenney, Marie Kenny, Betty Kerman, 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, Keith 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, Alnita Peters, Ronnie Peters, Latasha Peterson, Cliff Petty, Michael Pitts, Albert Pickett, Marvin Pickett, Elaine Poole, Alaida Pugh, AR, Jerry Radka, Alex Ragesdalle, Anne Reynolds, Joel Rivera, Gavin Roeder, Sara Moran Romano, Farley Rudolph, Morris Sayles, Curtis Scott, Mildred Selmar, Rhonda Shell, Fr. David Shoemaker, Joseph Silver, Rosalyn Silver, Fr. Paul Sims, C.R., Herbert Smith, Jr., Ruth Smith, Shirley 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, Kaiyan Xavier Street, Maggie Stringer, Rubye Sullivan, Fr. Gene Szarek, C.R., Carrie Tarver, Cynthia Taylor, Jonathan Taylor, Brenda Tell, Faye Thornton, Sherman & Merle Todd, Willie Tolbert, Mary Trainor, Saint Trevel, Dolores Turner, Judith Turner, Charles Twitty, Mary Vanderbilt, Rosalind Vanderbilt, Leon Varner, Denise Vaughn, 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, Kevin Barry Wilcox, Maureen Wilcox, Lorena Wilkerson, Fr. Clarence Williams, CPpS, Isaac Williams, Nathan Williams, Thelma Williams.

HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS: Bridget Barlow, Jerome Broughton, Ophelia Hill, Farley Rudolph, Sheila Sprowl. MILITARY: Marcus Carpenter, Nakeisha Gauntt, Heidi Hedblom, Terrence Perkins, Wesley Pitts, Gracie Sayles, Rickey Sequeira, Caro Stanford, Kayla Summerlin.

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. (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.

MASS PROTOCOLS

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.
- 3. 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.
- 5. 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:

▼ Lauren Levins & Ennis Harvey

Sanctuary Candle Remembrance



The Sanctuary Candle is lit for the week of March 12 – 18, 2023 for the special intentions of the *Wanda and Charles Twitty*Family. Please call the Parish office at 230-

1964 or email Michelle Coe at mcoe@rcmsouth.org if you wish to have the candle lit for your special intention. The suggested donation is \$20.00.

BIBLE STUDY



Bible Study is held every Thursday evening from 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. via Zoom. The next class is this Thursday, March 23, 2023. To

prepare, read Acts Chapter 21 and Chapter 22. All are invited to join the weekly Bible Study group via Zoom. Visit the RCM website for the link. Scroll through the slides until you find the Bible Study slide or wait for it to load on your device.

OUR LADY SODALITY

Our Lady Sodality will have their next meeting after Mass on Sunday, April 2, in the Fr. Richard Administration Building.

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER AND LADIES AUXILIARY

KPCLA COURT# 345

Blessings for all.

We pray Ephesians 3:20 over Resurrection's parishioners and those they are connected to by blood and desire.

In the name of Jesus, Amen!♣

Joint meeting today 11:15 after Mass Hybrid (Admin. Bldg. & Zoom)

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER FRIDAY FISH FRY



The Knights of Council 345 will be holding a *Friday Fish Fry* on Friday, **March 24.** The choices are catfish and

mullet and the cost is \$10.00 per plate. Served from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Contact any Knight to preorder.

INTERFAITH COMMUNITY OUTREACH RESURRECTION FOOD PANTRY



The Resurrection Food Pantry is available to those who need food assistance. Call (334) 263-4221 to be directed to a staff member who will arrange for a food

package to be put together based on the family size.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT RCS?

Students in Grades 3 - 8 attend an educational Ultimate Field Trip to the Huntsville Rocket and Space Center in Huntsville, Alabama on Monday, March 6, 2023. The students and staff had a wonderful time.

This past week, college students from Creighton University, the Catholic University of America and University Detroit Mercy spent time volunteering at Resurrection Catholic School as well as in other service areas at the Mission. Our students enjoyed meeting these young people from all over the country.

Our First Class Pre-K Alabama's Voluntary Pre-K Program (FREE) is open for Pre-Registration through March 31, 2023. Enrollment is open to all children four years of age on or before September 1, 2023 who are Alabama residents. Pre-register at https://prek.alaceed.alabama.gov.

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!

FREE COVID TEST KITS

FREE Covid test kits are available in the church vestibule. The kits expire on September 17, 2023. Please take no more than four per family.

RESPECT LIFE

"We are facing an enormous and dramatic clash between good and evil, death and life, the 'culture of death' and the 'culture of life'. We find ourselves not only 'faced with' but necessarily 'in midst of this conflict: we are all involved and we all share in it with the inescapable responsibility of choosing to be unconditionally pro-life" ~ *The Gospel of Life* ~

Pope Saint John Paul II, *Evangelium vitae*. © 1995 Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission.

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY CATHOLIC CRUISES

Fatima, Lourdes & Shrines of Spain Tour June 9th - 20th, 2023

Land starting at \$2139 per person based on double occupancy. An \$850 deposit per person is needed to reserve your space. This 12-day group tour includes hotels, guides, historians, transportation, 11 breakfasts and 7 dinners. Call Catholic Cruises and Tours at 860-399-1785 for more information and to make your reservation.

UPCOMING LATIN MASS: March 12 at 1:45 p.m.

Confessions in the rectory next door from 1:15-1:45 p.m. These Holy Masses are at St. John the Baptist, 543 South Union St., Montgomery, AL 36104. Everyone is welcome. For more information, email fatherirwin@stjosephprattville.org or call Fr. Den Irwin at 334-365-8680.

BLESSED TRINITY SHRINE RETREAT CENTER

BTSR is hosting a Discernment in Everyday Life Retreat the weekend of April 28-30, 2023. For more information visit www.msbt.org/btsr.

ARCHDIOCESAN ONE FAMILY ONE FAITH CONFERENCE

The next Archdiocesan One Family One Family Conference will be held on Saturday, March 18th with an optional Pre-Conference celebration the evening before. This year, the conference will be held at the Mobile Convention Center and the theme is "May They Be One". In addition to Archbishop Rodi, the keynote speakers will be Dr. Andrew and Sarah Swafford. The Swaffords speak frequently across the country, Sarah is a wife, mother and an author, Andrew is a husband, father and Professor of Theology at Benedictine College. This conference is designed for everyone in the archdiocese, regardless of age or family status. Special children's activities are available for children, middle school age and younger. More information about the conference can be found at: mobarch.org/one-faith-one-family or by calling the Office for Evangelization and Family Life at 251-433-6991.



SENIOR SPIRITS HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH St. Patrick's Party

Please join us on Thursday, March 17th. Lunch 11:00 a.m.

> Cucos Mexican Café 11123 Chantilly Parkway Pike Road, AL 36064

Come and enjoy a Great lunch
Irish Fun!
St. Patrick's Party
RSVP, March 14th
Royce Cook at 334-272-7120

Seniors 50+ are invited to the Irish party