

Resurrection Catholic Church

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MASS SCHEDULE: Sunday - 9:00 a.m.; visit www.rcmsouth.org for virtual Mass); Thursday - 10:00 a.m. (School Mass)

AUGUST 6, 2023 – FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD 6 DE AGOSTO DE 2023 - LA TRANSFIGURACIÓN DEL SEÑOR

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.

Sunday Collection Basket and Mailed Offerings	\$5,510.00
Online Giving	
Building Fund	
School	



Lectors

"...then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.'" -Matthew 17:5 - When Peter, James and John heard this they immediately fell prostrate to the ground and they "were very much afraid."We, too, may respond the same way when we hear God's voice. How many times do you become fearful when invited to participate more fully in the life of the Church? Or, when someone says something negative about the Church, are you afraid to respond? Remember, we too, are beloved sons and daughters of God; Jesus is there to help us, but we need to listen.

"Una voz salió de la nube, diciendo: "Este es Mi Hijo amado en quien Yo estov complacido; escúchenlo a Él."- Mateo 17:5 - Cuando Pedro, Santiago y Juan overon esto inmediatamente se postraron en el piso ante Él y tenían "mucho miedo". Nosotros también debemos responder de la misma manera cuando oímos la voz de Dios.; Cuántas veces nos sentimos temerosos cuando nos invitan a participar más completamente en la vida de la Iglesia?;O, cuando alguien dice algo negativo acerca de la Iglesia, y tenemos miedo de responder? Recuerde, nosotros también somos los hijos amados de Dios: Jesús está allí para avudarnos, pero necesitamos escuchar.

FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD



INTRODUCTION - The Feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord, God and Savior Jesus Christ is celebrated each year on August 6. The feast commemorates the transfiguration or metamorphosis of Christ on Mount Tabor, when our Lord appeared in His divine glory before the Apostles Peter, James, and John.

BIBLICAL STORY - The event of the Transfiguration is recorded in three of the four Gospels: Matthew 17:1-9, Mark 9:2-8, and Luke 9:28-36. Jesus took the Apostles Peter, James, and John with Him up upon a mountain, and while they were on the mountain Jesus was transfigured. His face shone like the sun, and His garments became glistening white. Moses and Elijah appeared with Christ, talking to Him. Peter declared how good it was for them to be there and expressed the desire to build three booths for Moses, Elijah, and Christ. This reference to the booths could imply that this occurred during the time of the Feast of Tabernacles when the Jews would be camping out in the fields for the grape harvest; for this Feast had acquired other associations in the course of its history, including the memory of the wanderings in the wilderness recorded in the Old Testament book of Exodus.

While Peter was speaking, a bright cloud overshadowed them. A voice came from the cloud saying, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to Him." When the disciples heard this they fell on their faces filled with awe. Jesus came to them and told them to not be afraid. When the three looked up they saw only Jesus. As Jesus and His disciples came down the mountain, He told them not to speak of what they had seen until He had risen from the dead. (https://orthochristian.com/63480.html)

CONTACTS IN THE PARISH AND MISSION CENTER

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

John Carpenter, Derek Coe **Altar Servers** Regina Sadler **Baptism Classes** Bulletin Michelle Coe **Burse Club** Kelley Calloway W. Clifford Petty Choir, Adult

Church Environment Thelma Williams, Erma Carter **Confirmation Class** Leon Moore, Vonzetta Graham

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

Hospitality Committee Wanda Twitty **Interfaith Community Outreach** Salena Moore

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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 Sodality President, Deborah Jefferson Parish Council President, Leon Moore

Religious Education Regina Sadler

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

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 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 * W. Clifford Petty at cpetty@rcmsouth.org

SCHEDULED EVENTS

August 9	S.A.L.T. Gathering, 10 a.m., Fr. Richard Administration Building
August 13	Blessing and Ribbon Cutting of the first "Little Library"
August 18	KPC/KPCLA White Party Fundraiser, School Gym
September 13	S.A.L.T. Gathering, 10 a.m., Fr. Richard Administration Building
Nov. 16-18	National Catholic Youth Conference, Indianapolis, IN

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

August 6: Juvon Wilson

August 7: Barry Hedblom, Jr., Sr. Mary Jo Logan, CSJ, LaShaundra Ross Johnson

August 8: Chloe Anderson (14)
August 9: Constance Sator\

August 10: Amy Sequeira-Saurey, Kendale Thomas

August 12: Marivel Martinez, George Sloan, Sr., Alice Terrell

August 13: Vonzetta Graham, Vashti Stanford, Ronald Stephens, Rubye Sullivan

August 14: Connie Batiste, Christopher Powell, D'Alice Rowe

August 15: Kara Jones, Renard Ross, Regina Sadler, Corbin Steward-Pal, Ezra Ward (7)

August 16: Susan Moore Hayes

August 17: Zipporah Broughton, Irais Vargas Luna (8)

August 18: Daphne Hardy, Arrie Petty

ANNIVERSARY WISHES

August 6: Mona and Walter Davis (18 Years)
August 7: Patricia and Charles Harris (46 Years)
August 7: Aleta and Kevin Harris (19 Years)
August 11: Emma and Lester Baldwin (33 Years)
August 13: TaShawna and Jameson Stokes (18 Years)
August 18: Claire and Moses Butcher (15 Years)
August 18: Gina and Lee Ishman (20 Years)

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

August 6, 1965 President Lyndon B. Johnson signed the Voting Rights Act into law.

August 7 Feast of St. Sixtus II and Companions; St. Cajetan

August 7, 1904 Dr. Ralph Bunche, U.N. Representative, was born in Detroit, MI.

August 8 Feast of St. Dominic

August 8, 1796 The Boston African Society was established.

August 9 Feast of St. Teresa Benedicta

August 9, 1936 Jesse Owens won his 4th gold medal in track-and-field events at the Olympics in

Berlin, Germany.

August 10 Feast of St. Lawrence

August 10, 1920 Mamie Smith made first authentic blues recording

August 11 Feast of St. Clare

August 11, 2016 Simone Manuel became the first African American female to win Gold in 100m

freestyle swimming a the Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

August 12 Feast of St. Jane Frances de Chantal

August 12, 1922 The home of Frederick Douglass was dedicated as a memorial in Washington, DC.

Ministry Schedule							
Date	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers		
Today	Dorothy Barlow	Bryan Strickland	Xavier and Roland	Jewell Pitts	Columbia Baldwin		
August 6, 2023		Airy Thomas	Maddox	Nora Powell Mays	Erma Carter		
				Helen Jones	Deborah Jefferson		
					Clif Weatherly		
Next Sunday	Helen Jones	Jacqueline Hudson	Angel Hollins-Morgan	Johnnie Morgan, III	Pamela Garrett		
August 13, 2023		Kanika Thomas	Maddison Morgan	Renardo Smith	Marivel Martinez		
				Erin-Michael Tyler	Patrice Obi		

Please note that the weekly ministry assignments, as well as the readings for each Sunday can be found on the Mission calendar, located on our website. If you are unsure if you are on the schedule, please check the calendar at https://www.rcmsouth.org/home/calendar/

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, Beatrice Butler, Erica Butler, Timothy Butler, Jr., John Carpenter, Linda Carpenter, Erma Carter, Fr. David Carucci, 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, 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 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, Lynlee Faith McDonald, 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, Carolyn Norvel, Fr. William Norvel, S.S.J., David Ogden, 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 Revnolds, Trinity Richards, 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, Mary Snoddy, Fr. Frank Sofie, Valentine Spencer, Victor Splitt, Richetta Stanford, Carol Stevens, Ernestine Stephens, Ronald Stephens, Allen Stevens, Barbara Stevens, Susan Strauss, Kaiyan Xavier Street, Maggie Stringer, Fr. Don Suberlak, C.R., Rubye Sullivan, Fr. Gene Szarek, C.R., Mel Tardy, Sr., Carrie Tarver, Cynthia Taylor, Jonathan Taylor, Brenda Tell, Faye Thornton, Sherman & Merle Todd, Willie Tolbert, Mary Trainor, Saint Trevel, Judith Turner, Charles Twitty, Wanda Twitty, Mary Vanderbilt, Rosalind Vanderbilt, Leon Varner, Denise Vaughn, Ray Vaughn, Iris Vanessa Vaughn, Fr. Stephen Vrazel, Zachary Walk, Marie Washington, Marya Washington, Jemellia Webb, Steve Webb, Annie Webster, Franklin Webster, Whitney Webster, Fr. Tom Weise, Ashley Whatley, Brenda White, Molly White, Diarmuid Wilcox, Kevin Wilcox, Kevin Barry Wilcox, Maureen Wilcox, Lorena Wilkerson, 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.

ENTERED ETERNAL LIFE

†Sean Nichols, son of the late Allean Briers Nichols and the nephew of the late Deacon Fred Briers, Jr. and nephew of Mary Briers, entered eternal life on Sunday, April 30, 2023 in Washington, D.C. Memorial services are pending.

Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord and may perpetual light shine upon him. Prayers and condolences are extended to the Briers and Nichols 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

Observe the following protocols when attending Mass:

- 1. Masks or other suitable face covering may 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. At the Sign of Peace no physical contact is allowed (no hugs, handshakes, etc.)

PARISH NEWS

WEDDING BELLS ARE RINGING



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

- **V** Lauren Levins & Ennis Harvey
- ♥ Caro Stanford & Linda Peña-Resto (8/26/23)

BIBLE STUDY

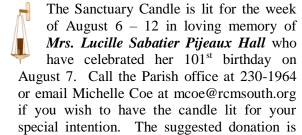


\$20.00.

Bible Study has taken a break over the summer months and will resume this week. The next class is this **Thursday**, **August 10**, **2023.** All are invited to join the weekly Bible Study group via Zoom. The current topic is

"Women in the Bible". Visit the RCM website for the link.

Sanctuary Candle Remembrance



KUDOS



Congratulations to *Twila Webster*, who awarded a scholarship to attend the **2023 CACFP Virtual Summit** from August 15-17, 2023. At the virtual food program training she

will participate in workshops on nutrition, program administration, operations, management, and more. Way to go, Twila!.

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER AND LADIES AUXILIARY



Message from Grand Lady Rosalind Pijeaux Hale



Focus on the Lord to lead you to eternal life...

Have you ever wondered if something you were hoping and praying for would ever happen? It can be hard to have that much patience! It took me a while to realize that I might be waiting and yet something had taken place that I had not realized. Understanding that God's time and response to our prayers are not done on our time or our decision of the outcome. Let us be thankful that we have a God who not only listens but responds based on more than we know. *Blessings, Grand Lady Rosalind Hale*



Join us for a celebration of reading!

Blessing and Ribbon Cutting of the first "Little Library" sponsored by the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary is scheduled after mass on August 13th. These "Little Libraries" are for the community where books are placed to be "taken and read" and returned or replaced with a different book for someone else to have the same opportunity. It will be positioned near the school drop off point. The neighborhood children and our parishioners are invited to place and take books to read.

Bring a new or slightly used book to share at this special event!



KPC/KPCLA PRESENTS:

A White Party

Resurrection School Auditorium 2815 Forbes Drive

August 18, 2023- Friday, 7:00 - 11:00 pm Tickets: \$25.00

For Purchase See: KPC/Knight or KPCLA

Lady

S.A.L.T. (SENIOR ADULTS LIVING TRIUMPHANTLY)

The next S.A.L.T. gathering will be this Wednesday, **August 9** from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Father Richard Administration Building. The group enjoys great fellowship, fun games and a delicious lunch prepared by Resurrection Catholic School's Child Nutrition staff. Contact Sr. Gilda Bell for more information at (334) 230-1952 or gbell@rcmsouth.org.

OUR LADY SODALITY

SUMMER HIATUS

Our Lady's Sodality will resume their monthly meetings on the first Sunday in September.

RESPECT LIFE



"We thank you, heroic mothers, for you invincible love! We thank you for your intrepid trust in God and in his love. We thank you for the sacrifice of your life." (EV

86). ~ Pope Saint John Paul II, Evangelium vitae c.1995, Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission. All rights reserved.

We pray that the Lord may generously provide for the needs of mothers as they dedicate themselves to caring for their children.

COPE Pregnancy Center

Pregnancy Center Volunteers Needed!

COPE Pregnancy Center in Montgomery needs volunteers to help in the center. If you are interested, please contact Moon Young, Director, for more information at copemontgomerydirector@outlook.com or call 334-264-9143.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT RCS?

Resurrection Catholic School is accepting inquiries and applications for two positions: (1) Elementary Teacher and (2) Pre-K Auxiliary Teacher. For more information, please contact Dr. Pettway, Principal at (334) 230-1973. Our Academic Year starts August 9, 2023 for teachers and August 16, 2023 for students. Our 2023-2024 school theme: "Making A Difference, One Child At A Time!"

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Fatima, Lourdes and Shrines of Spain October 3, 2023 through October 14, 2023



Land starting at \$2099 per person based on double occupancy. An \$850 per person deposit is required to hold your space.

Starting from picturesque Lisbon, visit some of the world's most

treasured Marian shrines, pilgrimage sites, and spiritual places of Portugal, Spain, and France. Hear about the apparition of the Blessed Virgin to the shepherd children in Fátima, learn about the journey taken by pilgrims from all over the world into Santiago de Compostela and visit Loyola and Manresa to get inspired by St. Ignacio's Jesuit mission. In Braga, walk the monumental steps of the Sanctuary of Bom Jesus do Monte and in Burgos, marvel at the majestic Cathedral. Join the nightly Rosary and candlelight procession in Lourdes. Spend one night by the inspiring Montserrat Sanctuary, where you will also attend Mass. End in Barcelona with time to celebrate life, reflect, and rejoice.

This 12-day group tour includes hotels, guides, historians, transportation, 11 breakfasts and 7 dinners.

Call Catholic Cruises and Tours at 1-860-399-1785 for more information and to make your reservation.