



Resurrection Catholic Church

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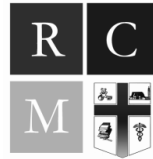
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MASS SCHEDULE: Sunday – 9:00 a.m.; visit www.rcmsouth.org for virtual Mass; Thursday – 10:00 a.m. (School Mass)



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 Grand Knight
Knights of Peter Claver Deputy Grand Knight
Knights of Peter Claver, Ladies Auxiliary Grand Lady
KPCLA, Vice Grand Lady
Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Daughter Counselor
Knights of Peter Claver Asst. Jr. Daughter Counselor
Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Knight 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
Resurrection Catholic School Child Nutrition Program
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
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Lady Lloria James
Lady Samarra Dunson
Knight Cliff Weatherly
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Principal, Dr. Martha Pettway
President, Ms. Janeen Gadson
Director, Ms. Twila Webster
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 PARISHIONER: *Welcome to Resurrection!* PLEASE REGISTER. Forms are available in the vestibule.

FEBRUARY 11, 2024 – THE 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 11 DE FEBRERO DE 2024 - 6^O DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

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.....\$2,991.00
Online Giving.....\$3,997.00
Building Fund\$45.00
Food Pantry\$45.00
Interfaith Community Outreach\$100.00



“Brothers and sisters, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God.”
- 1 Corinthians 10:31

Do a quick check of your priorities. Where does God rank in that list? If He’s not first, you have some work to do. Putting God first in everything helps us from putting other “gods” (like our pride, ego, money and possessions) before God. Before making a decision, ask yourself, “I’m I going this for the glory of God or for the glory of me?”

“Hermanos, ya sea que coman, que beban, o que hagan cualquier otra cosa, háganlo todo para la gloria de Dios”. -1 Corintios 10:31

Haga una revisión rápida de sus prioridades. ¿Dónde está Dios en esa lista? Si Él no está de primero, entonces tiene algo que hacer. Poner a Dios de primero en todo nos ayuda para no poner otros “dioses” (como nuestro orgullo, ego, dinero y posesiones) antes de Dios. Antes de tomar una decisión, pregúntese, “¿Estoy haciendo esto para la gloria de Dios o para mi gloria?”

WELCOME

Today we welcome *Daryl and Audra Williams*, as well as *Ellenclaire and Eraste Stampley*, who are in town to celebrate *Mother Williams’ 88th birthday*.

ASH WEDNESDAY – FEBRUARY 14, 2024

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.

For members of the Latin Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Latin Catholic Church from age 14 onwards.

If possible, the fast on Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil (on Holy Saturday night) as the “paschal fast” to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily his Resurrection.



Ash Wednesday services will be held at 10:00 a.m. with the School community and at 6 p.m. for the Parish on Wednesday, February 14, 2024.

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

February 15	Weekly Bible Study via Zoom, 6:00-7:30 p.m.
February 11	Children's Liturgy of the Word, Resurrection Villa
February 14	S.A.L.T. Gathering, 10 a.m., Fr. Richard Administration Building
February 14	ASH WEDNESDAY
February 21	RCIA class, 6 p.m., Fr. Richard Administration Building
February 23-25	Archdiocesan Catholic Youth Conference, Perdido Beach, AL
February 24	KPCLA Youth Workshop, School Gym
Feb. 24-March 1	Loyola Marymount University Los Angeles, Spring Break Trip
March 2-8	Creighton University Spring Break Trip
March 2-8	Detroit Mercy Spring Break Trip
March 17	Confirmation Sunday
March 24-30	DePaul University Spring Break Trip
April 16-19	Catholic Theological University Civil Rights Pilgrimage
May 5	First Communion Sunday
May 13-19	Misericordia University Civil Rights Trip
June 4-10	Bellarmino College Immersion Trip
June 16-21	Santa Clara University Immersion Trip
June 30-July 19	Institute for Black Catholic Studies at Xavier University, New Orleans
July 17-21	National Eucharistic Congress, Indianapolis, IN
October 4-6	Black Catholic Theological Symposium, Montgomery, AL
October 12-19	Creighton University Fall Service Trip
October 22-24	St. Charles Lwanga Center (St. Louis), Civil Rights Trip

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

February 11:	Dorothy Barlow, Terrance Beasley-Tomkins, George Guilford
February 12:	Steven Beasley-Tomkins, Devery Hedblom
February 13:	Patricia Harris, Terrence Perkins, Tyler Perkins, Thelma Williams
February 15:	Farrish Danley, Natalie Hurd (14)
February 16:	Stephanie Reynolds
February 17:	Laura Guilford, Erika Jackson (9), Lisa Jackson
February 19:	Jimmie Fenderson, Ernest Lyons
February 21:	Nicholas Davis (8)
February 22:	Kieran Coe, Gail Johnson, Acquanetta Knight, Carlton Ross, Sr., Tura Stinson
February 23:	Daniel Webster, Sr.
February 24:	Caden Ishman (15), Haley Ishman (15)

ANNIVERSARIES

February 17:	Carmel Michelle and Derek Coe (45 Years)
February 18:	Iris and Rob Hunter (12 Years)
February 19:	Denise and Carlton Ross (47 Years)
February 19:	Andrea and Elijah Gaddis (2 Years)

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

February 11, 1688	Quakers filed the first formal protest against slavery.
February 12, 1909	The NAACP was founded.
February 13, 1818	Absalom Jones, the 1 st African American ordained in the Episcopal church died in Philadelphia, PA.
February 14	World Marriage Day
February 14	ASH WEDNESDAY
February 14, 1932	Bishop Raymond Caesar, SVD was born in Eunice, LA.
February 15, 1804	New Jersey became the last northern state to abolish slavery.
February 16, 1874	Frederick Douglass was elected President of the Freedman's Savings and Trust Company.
February 17	Feast of the Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order
February 17	Congregation of the Resurrection Founders' Day

Ministry Schedule					
Date	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers
<i>Today, February 11, 2024 – 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	Melvetta Leach Peck	Barbara Jackson Angela Fisher Hall Kwanzaa: Rosalind Pijeaux Hale, Carlton Robinson	Eugene Patterson	Emily Hurtado, Jacob Martinez, Ronnie Peters	Pamela Garrett Jacqueline Hudson Marivel Martinez Patrice Obi
<i>Next Sunday, February 18, 2024 – First Sunday in Lent</i>	Helen Jones	Michael Jackson Gladys Copeland	Sheryl Young	Barbara Parker Jewell Pitts Nora Powell Mays	John Carpenter Delores Coe Kassandra Scott Wanda Twitty

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, Arnold Bell, Ethel Bell, Lois Bivens, Jarred Bridges, Jerome Broughton, Anthony Burden, Beatrice Butler, Erica Butler, Timothy Butler, Jr., Kimberly Carlton, John Carpenter, Linda Carpenter, Erma Carter, Fr. David Carucci, Gladys Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Mecylah Danley, Annie David, Margarete Day, Yolonda Dickerson, Jack Diez, Elaine Dorsey, Elsie Finner, Joan Ford, Helen Foster, Sr. Gloria Fox, C.R., Annie Franklin, David Franklin, Jr., David Franklin, Sr., 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, Evelyn Harris, Kevin Harris, Marcy Harris, Veronica M. Harris, Donna Hartwell, James Herndon, Ophelia Hill, Wanda Hill, Ronald Howard, Jacqueline Hudson, Barbara Jackson, Kevin Jackson, Veronica Jackson, Charles James, Sr., Rebecca James, Deborah Jefferson, Mary Ellen Jeter, Regina Jobe, Ethel G. Johnson, Jhnetta Johnson, Kennard Johnson, Robert Johnson, Robin Johnson, 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, Ayanna Marshall, 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, Marielle Munnerlyn, Gwendolyn Nicks, LaTonya Nicks, Carolyn Norvel, Fr. William Norvel, S.S.J., David Ogden, Dorothy J. Ogden, Audrey O'Connor, Jeanette Penney, Alnita Peters, Ronnie Peters, Latasha Peterson, Cliff Petty, Albert Pickett, Marvin Pickett, Elaine Poole, Alaida Pugh, AR, Jerry Radka, Alex Ragesdalle, Anne Reynolds, Trinity Richards, Joel Rivera, Gavin Roeder, Sara Moran Romano, Farley Rudolph, Morris Sayles, Curtis Scott, Mildred Selmar, Rhonda Shell, Fr. David Shoemaker, 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 Street, Lynda Strickland, Maggie Stringer, Rubye Sullivan, Beverly Elaine Summerlin, Fr. Gene Szarek, C.R., Mel Tardy, Sr., Carrie Tarver, Cynthia Taylor, Jonathan Taylor, Brenda Tell, Airy Thomas, Faye Thornton, Sherman & Merle Todd, Willie Tolbert, Thomas Tolliver, 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, Kevin Wilcox, Maureen Wilcox, Lorena Wilkerson, Isaac Williams, Nathan Williams, Thelma Williams.

HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS: Marion Alexander, Bridget Barlow, Jerome Broughton, Ophelia Hill, Pat and John German, Jeanette Penney, Farley Rudolph, Sheila Sprowl.

MILITARY: Marcus Carpenter, Nakeisha Gauntt, Heidi Hedblom, Terrence Perkins, Wesley Pitts, Gracie Sayles, Rickey Sequeira, Caro Stanford, Kayla Summerlin, Nathan Willkie.

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

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD



Children's Liturgy of the Word resumes **TODAY**, February 11, 2024. Children of the Parish in grades PreK through Third are invited to participate in Children's Liturgy of the Word. During the Mass we dismiss our children along with their adult catechists, to take part in the Sunday Scripture at their level. Terminology at the appropriate age level helps the children to understand and appreciate the Gospel message of Jesus Christ. For more information, please see Kaitlin Coe Jackson.

WEDDING BELLS ARE RINGING



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

♥ **Lauren Levins & Ennis Harvey**

Sanctuary Candle Remembrance



The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week in honor of all members of our parish as we enter into the season of Lent. 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



The next class is this **Thursday, February 15, 2024**. All are invited to join the weekly Bible Study group via Zoom. Visit the RCM website for the link. The current topic is "Women in the Bible". Thus far, we have discussed Sarah and Hagar, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of Jesus, the Samaritan woman, Deborah, the sisters of Lazarus, Martha and Mary, Delilah, Rahab, Miriam, Abigail, Ruth, Makeda, Jezebel and the Syrophenician (Canaanite) woman. This week we will complete the study of Rebecca and look at Leah. To prepare, read Genesis 27; 29-35; 46 and 49.

SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS

CONFIRMATION



Ten young people in the parish are preparing to receive the sacrament of Confirmation in 2024. The Archbishop will confer this sacrament on **Sunday, March 17, 2024**. Please keep in your prayers, the following: **Alexandria Brooks, Angel Calloway, Jaden Davis, Andrew Hargrove, Maddison Morgan, Chandler Ross, Collin Ross, Eliza Sequiera, Sophie Sequiera, and Erin-Michael Tyler.**

FIRST EUCHARIST



Please keep in your prayers the following young people who will receive the sacrament of First Eucharist on Sunday, May 5, 2024: **Gabriella Jackson, Erika Jackson, Roland Maddox, Ava Stanford, Kaitlyn Rowe, and Naomi Ward.**

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

The next S.A.L.T. gathering will be this **Wednesday, February 14, 2024** from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Fr. Richard Administration Building. The group will enjoy a delicious meal prepared by the Child Nutrition staff as well as fellowship and games.

Please make sure to contact Sr. Gilda Bell to reserve your place and for more information at (334) 230-1952 or gbell@rcmsouth.org.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Pre-Registration for Alabama First Class Pre-K **is now OPEN!**

Alabama children deserve a strong start!



Eligibility is not determined on a first come first serve basis. Registration will remain open for a site until the site completes their random selection drawings in March.

Join us for the 2024-2025 school year by visiting children.alabama.gov.



Resurrection Catholic School will have **three** PreK classrooms for the upcoming 2024-2025 academic year. The program is open to students who will be four years old on September 1, 2024.

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER AND LADIES AUXILIARY

Beloved,

Let us ♥ one another.

For ♥ is of God and everyone that ♥ is born of God and knoweth God.

He that ♥ not, knoweth not God, for...



SAVE THE DATE!

KPC/KPCLA 345 will be offering a workshop "Proper Planning Prevents Poor Performance" for ages middle school to college on Saturday, Feb. 24, 9 am - Noon in the Resurrection School Gym. Topics include:

Building:

- Healthy Relationships
- Healthy Eating Habits
- A Good Financial Plan

Each participant will receive a \$10 gift card as well as other gifts! Space is limited. Reserve your space NOW. The deadline for reservations is **Tuesday**, February 20.

Use the following link to register.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/M9PYZ2J>

CONGRATULATIONS

Jr. Grand Lady Chelsye Leach-Peck has been appointed as the Assistant Secretary to serve on the Junior National Board of Directors. Her appointment is for the 2024-2025 term. We are very proud of our Junior Daughters in National Leadership Positions!

KPCLA meeting February 18th at 2:00 via Zoom.

RESPECT LIFE

"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 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*
We pray for all married couples that their openness to new life bear witness to the generous love of God.

COMMUNITY LATIN MASS

Traditional Latin Mass will be offered, Sunday, February 11 and February 18, at 1:45 PM at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 543 South Union St. Montgomery, AL 36104.

Cinderella - March 7 - 10, 2024

"Cinderella," tells the captivating story of a young woman whose kind heart and indomitable spirit shine brightly amidst adversity. Follow Cinderella as she navigates the challenges and hardships of her life, guided by her unwavering belief in the power of hope and the beauty of dreams.

Charlotte Brooks will perform on Thursday night and Sunday. **Alexandria Brooks** and **Chloe Anderson** will perform all three days. Tickets can be purchased at <http://alabamadancetheatre.com/>.

BLUES IN THE NIGHT AT ASF

February 8 – March 3, 2024 | Octagon Stage

The soul of the blues wails out full and strong in *Blues in the Night*, a scorching, Tony-nominated musical! The 26 hot and torchy numbers tell of the sweet, sexy, and sorrowful experiences three women have with the lying, cheating snake of a man who does them wrong. Glorious songs from Bessie Smith, Duke Ellington, Johnny Mercer, Harold Arlen, Alberta Hunter, Jimmy Cox, Ida Cox, and more tell of the pain and misery of life and love — and the dogged determination to get through it all — that is the essence of the blues.

Resurrection Church has purchased a block of tickets for the **February 17, 7:00 p.m. performance**. Call Michelle Coe at 230-1964 or email mcoe@rcmsouth.org. Tickets are **\$26** each. Please pay for your **reserved** tickets in the Parish Office or online no later than **Thursday, February 15, 2023**. Tickets can be picked up from the Parish Office. The online link to purchase tickets is: <https://www.osvhub.com/rcmsouth/giving/funds/asf-tickets>