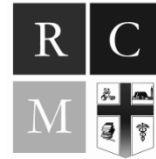




# Resurrection Catholic Church

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Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Pastor

Sr. Gilda Marie Bell, Minister of Care (334) 230-1952

Mr. Leon Moore, Parish Council President

Mrs. Michelle Coe, Administrative Assistant (334) 230-1964

Mr. W. Clifford Petty, Pastoral Musician (334) 230-1963

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

**SEPTEMBER 28, 2025 – THE TWENTY SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**28 DE SEPTIEMBRE 2025 - DOMINGO 26<sup>o</sup> DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO**



The parish online giving link for sacrificial giving is  
<https://osvhub.com/rcmsouth/giving/funds> or click the QR code.

**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: .....\$ 2,506.00  
Online .....\$ 1,266.00  
Building Fund .....\$ 110.00  
School.....\$ 30.00

## ATTENTION CHECK WRITERS

The Parish Office has the capability of processing checks in-house through PNC's Remote Deposit program. When you write a check, please try to make sure that you do not write below the signature line. If there's any mark covering the preprinted information at the bottom your check may be rejected. Many thanks for helping us to be more efficient.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL



Sunday School resumes **TODAY**, September 28<sup>th</sup> immediately after Mass. Registration forms are in the vestibule. Sunday School/Faith Formation is looking for any volunteers willing to help teach Sunday School every Sunday from September through May. If interested, please contact Regina Sadler at 334- 315-7166. Thanks.

## CATECHETICAL SUNDAY 2025

***“Always be ready to give an explanation...for a reason for your hope” ~ 1 Pet 3:15***

***“Estén siempre listos a responder a todo el que les pida razón de su esperanza.” ~ 1 Pedro 3:15***

The 2025 theme encourages us to be prepared to share the basis of our faith, the Lord, and the hope he provides. In the same manner Saint Peter encouraged the believers of his time, the Scripture reminds us, the sharing should be done with gentleness and respect..

El lema de 2025 nos anima a estar preparados para compartir la base de nuestra fe, el Señor, y la esperanza que Él nos brinda. De la misma manera que San Pedro animó a los creyentes de su tiempo, la Escritura nos recuerda que compartir debe hacerse con amabilidad y respeto.

Today, we celebrate Catechetical Sunday when our catechists and members of the school community are commissioned. As they begin a new year of teaching and service, please pray for these faithful servants.

## 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/Worship Aid
- 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
- PRAY FOR THE UNBORN: The Rosary is said every 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Mass in the Fr. Richard Administration Building
- KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in the Fr. Richard Administration Building
- KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER, JUNIOR KNIGHTS meets every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after CCD
- KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER, JUNIOR DAUGHTERS meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after CCD
- NAZARETH / RESURRECTION ALUMNI ORGANIZATION meets every 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month in the Villa
- NEW PARISHIONERS: **Welcome to Resurrection! PLEASE REGISTER.** Forms are available in the vestibule.

- Evelyn Harris
- Angela Barnes
- Gladys Copeland
- Keith Golson, Leon Moore
- Regina Sadler
- Michelle Coe
- Kelley Calloway
- W. Clifford Petty
- Thelma Williams, Erma Carter
- Leon Moore, Vonzetta Graham
- Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell
- Wanda Twitty
- Michelle Coe
- Grand Knight W. Clifford Petty
- Knight Carlton Robinson
- Grand Lady Rosalind Pijaux Hale - kpcla345gl@gmail.com
- Lady Pamela Garrett
- Lady Melvetta Leach-Peck
- Lady Daphne Hawkins
- Knight Clif Weatherly
- Airy Thomas
- Erica Brooks, Linda Carpenter, Nora Powell May
- Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R.
- W. Clifford Petty
- Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R. / Sr. Gilda Bell

- Michelle Coe
- President, Tina Golson
- President, Leon Moore
- Regina Sadler
- Fr. Manuel C.R., Sr. Gilda Bell, Leon Moore
- Principal, Dr. Teisha Pessoa

- Manager, Ms. Twila Webster
- Brandon Anderson, Erica Brooks, Linda Carpenter

**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 parishoffice@rcmsouth.org or call (334) 230-1964.

Email: Sr. Gilda Bell [sgildab@yahoo.com](mailto:sgildab@yahoo.com) \* Michelle Coe [mcoe@rcmsouth.org](mailto:mcoe@rcmsouth.org) \* W. Clifford Petty at [cpetty@rcmsouth.org](mailto:cpetty@rcmsouth.org)

## SCHEDULED EVENTS

<b>September 28</b>	Catechetical Sunday
<b>October 5</b>	Children’s Liturgy of the Word
<b>October 5</b>	Our Lady Sodality Dress Out Sunday
<b>October 5, 12, 17, 24</b>	Rosary in the Cry Room, 8:30 a.m.
<b>October 8</b>	Monthly S.A.L.T. meeting, Fr. Richard Administration Building, 10:00 a.m.
<b>October 9</b>	School Mass, 10:00 a.m., Church
<b>October 11-17</b>	Creighton University Fall Break Service Immersion
<b>October 12</b>	KPC & KPCLA Monthly Meeting, Fr. Richard Administration Building, After Mass
<b>October 23</b>	School Mass, 10:00 a.m., Church
<b>October 28-31</b>	Black Catholic Flourishing Gathering, Home2Suites, Montgomery
<b>November 2</b>	Daylight Savings Time
<b>November 2</b>	OLS Monthly Meeting, Fr. Richard Administration Building, After Mass
<b>November 6</b>	School Mass, 10:00 a.m., Church
<b>November 11</b>	Veteran’s Day – Mission Offices Closed
<b>November 12</b>	Monthly S.A.L.T. meeting, Fr. Richard Administration Building, 10:00 a.m.
<b>November 20</b>	School Mass, 10:00 a.m., Church
<b>November 24-28</b>	School Closed for Thanksgiving
<b>November 27</b>	Thanksgiving Day – Mission Offices Closed

## BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

<b>September 28:</b>	Vance Babin, Sharon Bivens
<b>September 30:</b>	Nora Broughton, Bernard Ross, Juliette Wimberly
<b>October 1:</b>	Katelyn Guilford, Martha Varner
<b>October 2:</b>	Aubrey Barnes, Russell Chambers
<b>October 3:</b>	Regina Skrivanek
<b>October 4:</b>	Kendra Golson, Shawn McDonald
<b>October 5:</b>	Bridget Barlow, Stephanie Bassett, Shelecia Robinson
<b>October 6:</b>	Alexandria Brooks (18), Michael Washington, Jr.
<b>October 7:</b>	Mason Crowder (10), Cet-Ki Williams
<b>October 8:</b>	Grayson Maxwell (16), Denise Ross
<b>October 9:</b>	Tyrica Miller, LaQuandra Robinson, Ulrich Stanford
<b>October 10:</b>	Audrianna Beasley, Regina Gibson
<b>October 11:</b>	Rodney Maddox

## ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS

<b>September 26:</b>	Melanie and Jabrelle Smith (5 years)
<b>October 1:</b>	Alicia and Gene Elmore (19 Years)
<b>October 6:</b>	Brittany and Jamarcus Brown (12 Years)
<b>October 10:</b>	Sarah and Daniel Webster (60 Years)

## THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

<b>September 28, 1961</b>	Ruby Dee opened in <i>Purlie Victorious</i> .
<b>September 29</b>	Feast of Sts. Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael
<b>September 29, 1975</b>	WGPR became the nation’s first African-American owned television station.
<b>September 30</b>	Feast of St. Jerome
<b>September 30, 1935</b>	Johnny Mathis, legendary singer, was born in Gilmer, TX.
<b>October 1</b>	Feast of St., Thérèse of the Child Jesus
<b>October 1, 1962</b>	James Meredith was the first African American to enroll at the University of Mississippi.
<b>October 2</b>	Feast of the Holy Guardian Angels
<b>October 2, 1897</b>	George W. Bright became the second African American Los Angeles firefighter.
<b>October 3, 1856</b>	T. Thomas Fortune, co-founder of the Afro-American League, was born in Marianna, FL.
<b>October 4</b>	Feast of St. Francis of Assisi
<b>October 4, 1864</b>	The <i>New Orleans Tribune</i> , the first African American owned daily newspaper, began.

Ministry Schedule					
Date	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers
<i>Today- September 28, 2025-The 26<sup>th</sup></i>	Kaitlin Coe Jackson Jewell Pitts Regina Sadler	Xavier Maddox Erika Jackson	Gabriella Jackson Madison Pugh	Tacorie Richardson Cytrus Rudolph Roland Maddox	Marcus Carpenter Gabriella Jackson Leon Moore Madison Pugh
<i>Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>					
<i>Next Sunday – October 5, 2025 – the 27<sup>th</sup></i>	Pamela Garrett Maggie Stringer Sheryl Young	Rebecca Mohr Gladys Copeland	Our Lady Sodality	Helen Jones Jewell Pitts Katori Stanford	Deborah Jefferson Barbara Parker Clif Weatherly
<i>Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>					

## *THOSE IN NEED OF PRAYER*

Marian Alexander, Leo Allen, Carlos Altamirano, Felipe Altamirano, Juan Altamirano, Dcn. Terry Anderson, Kendrick Arrington, II, Brandon Anderson, Moore Asouzu, Arthur Bailey, Columbia Baldwin, Bridget Barlow, Dorothy Barlow, Vickie Barlow, Barry Barber, Angela Barnes, Carey Barnes, Alma Beasley, Arnold Bell, Sr., Lois Bivens, Carolyn Bivins, Maxine Bullock, Kimberly Carlton, Jessica Carpenter, John Carpenter, Linda Carpenter, Erma Carter, Fr. David Carucci, Gladys Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Siobhán Costello, Mecylah Danley, Annie David, Margaret Day, Yolonda Dickerson, Jack Diez, Elaine Dorsey, Fred Douglas, Sherman Douglas, Willie Douglas, Sam Fenn, Elsie Finner, Baby Girl Flynn, Joan Ford, Helen Foster, Sr. Gloria Fox, C.R., Annie Franklin, David Franklin, Jr., David Franklin, Sr., Tonya Franklin, Roneshia Gardner, Terry German, Carolyn Glass, Yvette Wilcox Goellner, Michelle Greer, William Groce, Samuel Guadalupe, Laura Guilford, William Guilford, Cristina Guillet, Larry Guyton, Sr. Patsy Guyton, SFCC, Debbie Hall, Doris Hall, Evelyn Harris, Kevin Harris, Marcy Harris, Veronica M. Harris, Fr. Greg Heille, O.P., Wanda Hill, Sharon Hood, Ronald Howard, Jacqueline Hudson, Edith Hunter, Barbara Jackson, Kevin Jackson, Rebecca James, Deboah Jefferson, Mary Ellen Jeter, Regina Jobe, Ethel G. Johnson, Johnetta Johnson, Robert Johnson, Robin Johnson, Roxy Jones, Debbie Kemsel, Felicia Kenney, Marie Kenny, Betty Kerman, Frances Knight, Eraine Kozel, Deacon James Labadie, Shaquille LaFond, Jewel Lewis, Rosetta Lovelace, Fay Lyons, George Mackey, Mildred Maddox, Ivy Malden, Clarence Manly, Ayanna Marshall, Deacon Clarence McDavid, 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, Sabrina Osborne, Audrey O'Connor, Jeanette Penney, Ms. Pennington, Alnita Peters, Ronnie Peters, Latasha Peterson, Cliff Petty, Albert Pickett, Marvin Pickett, Elaine Poole, Alaida Pugh, AR, Jerry Radka, Alex Ragesdalle, Trinity Richards, Joel Rivera, Sara Moran Romano, Regina Sadler, Morris Sayles, Curtis Scott, Kassandra Scott, Mildred Selmar, Rhonda Shell, Erica Shepherd, Fr. David Shoemaker, Fr. Paul Sims, C.R., Annie Smith, Herbert Smith, Jr., Ruth Smith, Shirley Smith, Willie Ann Smith, Yvette Smiley Smith, Mary Snoddy, 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 E. Summerlin, Mel Tardy, Sr., Cynthia Taylor, Jonathan Taylor, Airy Thomas, Faye Thornton, Sherman & Merle Todd, Fr. David Tokarz, Willie Tolbert, Saint Trevel, Judith Turner, Charles Twitty, Wanda Twitty, Robert Tyus, Rosalind Vanderbilt, Leon Varner, Lillie 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, Nathan Williams, Thelma Williams, Woodrow Williams.

**HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS:** Marion Alexander, Bridget Barlow, Jerome Broughton, Pat German, Jeanette Penney, Sheila Sprowl.

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

## PARISH NEWS

### SANCTUARY CANDLE REMEMBRANCE



donation is \$20.00.

### OUR LADY SODALITY

Next Sunday the members of Our Lady's Sodality will dress out as a body in honor of the Blessed Mother, Mary.

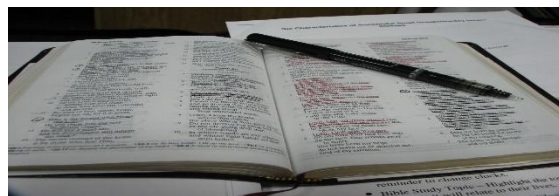
### PRAY THE ROSARY



October is the month which the Catholic Church dedicates to the Holy Rosary, a devotion which Our Lady loves most. **Our Lady Sodality (OLS)** will celebrate during the month of October, the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Our celebration

begins next Sunday and will continue each Sunday morning for the month of October before mass from 8:30 -9:00. All are welcome. Please join us in the Church as we pray the Rosary.

### BIBLE STUDY



Bible Study classes run from 6:00-7:30 p.m. on Thursday evening. All are invited to participate. The group continues to study the women in the Bible. You can access the class by clicking on the link on the website at [www.rcmsouth.org](http://www.rcmsouth.org) or visit the Mission calendar on the site. The next class will be held on Thursday, October 2, 2025.

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

### MONTHLY GATHERING



The next S.A.L.T. gathering is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on **Wednesday, November 12, 2025.**

The S.A.L.T. gathering is open to all senior (retired) parishioners. Please call Sr. Gilda at: 334-414-4476 to reserve your space.

## RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

### FIELD TRIP FUN AT THE MOOSEUM!



Our Pre-K students had an amazing time visiting the MOOuseum, where they learned all about the Alabama cattle industry!

From dressing up like real cowboys and cowgirls to watching educational videos and exploring the rich history of cattle in our state, the day was packed with fun and learning!

The highlight of the trip?... Meeting and snapping a picture with Dusty the Texas Longhorn! He made a BIG impression and quickly became a student favorite!

Before heading home, our little explorers even got to shop for souvenirs at the gift shop!

Thank you to everyone who helped make this field trip a success. We had a blast and learned so much about Alabama's cattle heritage!

## KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER AND LADIES AUXILIARY



### Prostate Cancer Awareness Month

The Knights of Peter Claver observe Prostate Cancer Awareness Month today by wearing blue.

**Just wait until you see why God took his time and didn't do it on YOUR time.**

### JEREMIAH 29: 11

*"For I know the plans I have for you, plans to give you a hope and a future."*

### EATING TO BEAT BREAST CANCER

As we enter October, Breast Cancer Awareness month, KPCLA Court 345 invites all ladies of Resurrection to a virtual nutrition and cooking class on Sunday, October 5th at 2:30pm. The class will be held on Zoom and will feature educational information and a cooking demo with a few tasty and healthy recipes. This class is open to all who are interested, and there is no charge!

**Topic:** Eating to Beat Breast Cancer

**Host:** Lady Carolyn Strickland, Food for Life Instructor

**Date and Time:** Sunday, October 5, 2025 02:30 PM

To join the Zoom Meeting:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88088225701?pwd=RaAxFvADNxyCApnm2VlqzZZT6hZV1.1>

Meeting ID: 880 8822 5701

Passcode: 766024

## CATHOLIC COMMUNITY BLACK CATHOLIC FLOURISHING INITIATIVE

### Black Catholic Flourishing Initiative Convening

October 29-31, 2025  
Montgomery, AL



The *Black Catholic Flourishing* group will convene in Montgomery at the end of October 2025. Information on how our parish can welcome the conveners will be in a future bulletin.

### LA MISA EN ESPAÑOL

La misa en español se ofrece en las siguientes iglesias:

#### St. Joseph (San José)

511 N. Memorial Drive, Prattville, AL 36067

**Domingo: 4:00 p.m.**

#### St. Bede Church

3870 Atlanta Highway, Montgomery, AL 36109

**Domingo: 12:30 p.m.**

#### Our Lady Queen of Mercy Church

4421 Narrow Lane Road, Montgomery, AL 36116

**Sábado: 6:30 p.m.**

#### St. Jude Church

2048 West Fairview Avenue, Montgomery, AL 36108

**Domingo: 11:30 a.m.**

#### St. Michael Church

1100 N. College Street, Auburn, AL 36830

**Domingo: 12:30 p.m.**

## RESPECT LIFE

"The truth of the Gospel of life is at the foundation of who we are as followers of Christ. In his earthly life, Jesus provided the perfect model for how we are to love our neighbor and live out the Gospel call: "Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brethren, you did it to me" (Mt. 25:40)."

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USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "Live the Gospel of Life"

[respectlife.org/live-the-gospel-of-life](http://respectlife.org/live-the-gospel-of-life)

*We pray for all who are forgotten or cast off, especially the unborn, the poor, the sick and the aged. May they be treated according to the dignity with which God created them.*