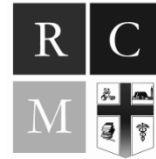




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Mr. W. Clifford Petty, Pastoral Musician (334) 230-1963

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

FEBRUARY 1, 2026 – THE 4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
1 DE FEBRERO DE 2026 – DOMINGO 4^º 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:\$ 1,772.00
Online\$ 7980.00
Building Fund\$ 10.00
School.....\$ 243.00



Sacrificial Giving Statements for 2025 will be available in the vestibule next Sunday.
If you would like to pick them up from the Parish Office next week, they will be available after noon on Monday, February 2.

FEBRUARY 1 – THE DAY OF NATIONAL PRAYER FOR THE AFRICAN AMERICAN AND AFRICAN FAMILY



Feb. 1, the first Sunday of Black History Month, is the day of national prayer for the African American and African family. The Diocesan Council for Black Catholics is asking Catholics to pray a prayer, written in 1989 by Father Jim Goode, OFM:

“God of mercy and love, we place our African American and African families before you today. May we be proud of our history and never forget those who paid a great price for our liberation. Bless us one by one and keep our hearts and minds fixed on higher ground. Help us to live for you and not for ourselves, and may we cherish and proclaim the gift of life. Bless our parents, guardians and grandparents, relatives and

friends. Give us the amazing grace to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world. Help us, as your children, to live in such a way that the beauty and greatness of authentic love are reflected in all that we say and do. Give a healing anointing to those less fortunate, especially the motherless, the fatherless, the broken, the sick and the lonely. Bless our departed family members and friends. May they be led into the light of your dwelling place, where we will never grow old, where we will share the fullness of redemption and shout the victory for all eternity. This we ask in the Precious Name of Jesus, our Savior and Blessed Assurance. Amen. Holy Mary, Mother of our families, pray for us.”

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 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.

- 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 Pijeaux 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 * Michelle Coe mcoe@rcmsouth.org * W. Clifford Petty at cpetty@rcmsouth.org

SCHEDULED EVENTS

February 5	Weekly Bible Study Class, 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
February 8	Children’s Liturgy of the Word
February 11	Monthly S.A.L.T. meeting, Fr. Richard Administration Building, 10:00 a.m.
February 12	School Mass, 10:00 a.m.
February 18	ASH WEDNESDAY – Masses at 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.
February 20	Way of the Cross, 6 p.m., Church
February 26	School Mass, 10:00 a.m.
February 27	Way of the Cross, 6 p.m., Church
February 27-Mar 1	ACYC, Orange Beach, Alabama
March 6	Way of the Cross, 6 p.m., Church
March 7-14	University of Detroit Mercy Spring Break Service Trip
March 7-14	Marquette University Spring Break Service Trip
March 13	Way of the Cross, 6 p.m., Church
March 20	Way of the Cross, 6 p.m., Church
March 27	Way of the Cross, 6 p.m., Church
August 16	Confirmation Sunday

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

February 2:	Bob Elmore, Regina Jobe, Zaron Johnson, Sebastian Smith (2)
February 5:	Louise LaGrave
February 6:	Carlos Morrison
February 9:	Elijah Gaddis, Lloria James
February 10:	Tera Duvernay, Lauren Rowe
February 11:	Dorothy Barlow, Terrance Beasley-Tomkins, George Guilford
February 12:	Steven Beasley-Tomkins, Devery Hedblom
February 13:	Patricia Harris, Phillip Lyman, Thelma Williams (90)

ANNIVERSARIES

February 3:	Lisa and Michael Jackson (19 Years)
February 4:	Anne and Rob Reynolds (48 Years)

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

February 1, 1976	Black History Month inaugurated in honor of USA’s bicentennial.
February 2	Feast of the Presentation of the Lord
February 2, 1914	William E. Artis, sculptor, was born in Washington, NC.
February 3	Feast of St. Blaise and St. Ansgar
February 3, 1882	Mother Mary Lange, OSB, died in Baltimore, MD.
February 4, 2007	Tony Dungy became the first African American head coach to win a Super Bowl (Super Bowl XLI)
February 5	Feast of St. Agatha
February 5, 1990	Barack Obama, Columbia University graduate and Harvard University law student, became the first African American president of the Harvard Law Review.
February 6	Feast of St. Paul Miki and Companions
February 6, 1945	Bob Marley, Reggae musician, was born in Saint Ann, Jamaica.
February 7, 1887	Eubie Blake, composer, lyricist and pianist, was born in Baltimore, MD.

Ministry Schedule					
Date	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers
<i>Today, Sunday, the 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 1, 2026</i>	Kelley Calloway Maggie Stringer Martha Varner	Barbara Jackson Kara Jones Kwanzaa: Caleb Ross	Xavier and Roland Maddox	Kyrie Every Leon Moore Katori Stanford	Deborah Jefferson Barbara Parker Clif Weatherly
<i>Next Sunday, the 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 8, 2026</i>	Dorothy Barlow, Jeannie Burke, Sheryl Shannon Young	Adrienne Knight-Vaughans Katrina Scott Kwanzaa: Acquanetta Knight	Brandon Cole	Erika Jackson Gabriella Jackson Roland Maddox	Pamela Garrett Kippy Tate Martha Varner

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, Columbia Baldwin, Bridget Barlow, Dorothy Barlow, Vickie Barlow, Barry Barber, Angela Barnes, Carey Barnes, Alma Beasley, Arnold Bell, Sr., Lois Bivens, Carolyn Bivins, Judy Bjorklund, Darren Brown, Maxine Bullock, Kimberly Carlton, Jessica Carpenter, John Carpenter, Linda Carpenter, Erma Carter, Fr. David Carucci, Derek Coe, Gladys Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Siobhán Costello, Mecylah Danley, Marty Davenport, Annie David, Margarete Day, Yolonda Dickerson, Jack Diez, Elaine Dorsey, Fred Douglas, Sherman Douglas, Willie Douglas, Sam Fenn, Elsie Finner, 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, Keith Golson, Deborah Graham, Michelle Greer, William Groce, Samuel Guadalupe, Laura Guilford, William Guilford, Cristina Guillet, Larry Guyton, Sr. Patsy Guyton, SFCC, Debbie Hall, Evelyn Harris, Kevin Harris, Marcy Harris, Veronica M. Harris, Wanda Hill, Ronald Howard, Jacqueline Hudson, Pamela Hudson, Edith Hunter, Barbara Jackson, Kevin Jackson, Rebecca James, 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, Benjamin Morton, Sheila Mosely, James Moore, Keith Moore, Kyle Moore, Sr., Salena Moore, Shawntrice Moore, Marielle Munnerlyn, David Neal, 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, Riche Richardson, Joel Rivera, Sara Moran Romano, Regina Sadler, Morris Sayles, Curtis Scott, Cassandra Scott, Mildred Selmar, Geraldine Sheehan, 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, Michael Tyler, 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, Maureen Wilcox, Russell Wilcox, Lorena Wilkerson, Nathan Williams, Thelma Williams, Woodrow Williams.

HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS: Marion Alexander, Bridget Barlow, Pat German, Jeanette Penney.

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



The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week in honor of the **African American and African family**. Call the Parish office at 230-1964 or email Michelle Coe at parishoffice@rcmsouth.org if you wish to have the candle lit for your special intention. The suggested donation is \$20.00.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD IS POSTPONED UNTIL NEXT SUNDAY.

BIBLE STUDY



Bible Study classes run from 6:00-7:30 p.m. on Thursday evening. All are invited to participate. The group is currently studying Psalmody. You can access the class by clicking on the

link on the website at www.rcmsouth.org or visit the Mission calendar on the site. The next class will be held on Thursday, February 5, 2026. The class is currently studying the role of angels in our lives.

PRAYER GROUP

Join Sister Patsy and members every Wednesday evening from 6:30 -7:00 on the prayer call line at 1(727) 731- 5133 or call to give Sister Patsy your prayer request, at (334) 451- 0328.

YOUTH COUNCIL

ARCHDIOCESAN CATHOLIC YOUTH CONFERENCE (ACYC)

The Youth Conference will be held on February 27 through March 1 in Orange Beach, Alabama. This Conference is for students in 9th – 12th grades. Registration forms are available from the Youth Ministry leaders. See Brandon Anderson, Linda Carpenter, or Keri Smith if you have questions or are interested in attending ACYC.

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

MONTHLY GATHERING



The next S.A.L.T. gathering for 2026 will be held on **Wednesday, February 11, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.** 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

ALABAMA FIRST CLASS PRE-K

How to Pre-Register

- VISIT PREK.ALACEED.ALABAMA.GOV from a computer, tablet, or smartphone
- ENTER INFORMATION for child and family
- SELECT SITE(S) - a child may be pre-registered for multiple locations on the same form
- SUBMIT THE PRE-REGISTRATION FORM to be placed in random selection process for each site selected
- RECEIVE RESULTS EMAIL notification by April 18
- ACCEPT OR DECLINE if offered a position for an available seat. If not selected for an available seat, child will be placed on the site's waiting list

No child will be denied participation on basis of income, sex, race, color, national origin, or disability.

Eligibility	Documents
Child must be an Alabama resident and be 4 years old on September 1. Children who are eligible for kindergarten are not eligible for pre-k.	Upon enrollment, enrollees must provide a copy of the child's birth certificate, proof of residence, and immunization record.

Early Childhood Education | children.alabama.gov

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The Alabama First Class Pre-K registration portal is open. The deadline to apply is 9:00 a.m. **March 16, 2026.**

Information is on the table in the vestibule.

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER AND LADIES AUXILIARY

KPC SUPERBOWL BBQ FUNDRAISER

The Knights of Council 345 is holding their annual **Superbowl BBQ Fundraiser** on **Saturday, February 7 and Sunday, February 8.** Slabs are \$27.00 each; Chicken Wings are \$26.00 for a pan of wings. Wings are available for preorders only. They can be picked up on Saturday between 3-6 p.m. and Sunday after Mass until 1 p.m. Call Grand Knight Cliff Petty at (334) 230-1963. Proceeds from this sale will benefit Resurrection Catholic Missions.



CELEBRATING:

PAST GENERATIONS
OUR FOUNDATION
PRESENT GENERATIONS
OUR PROMISE
FUTURE GENERATIONS
OUR FULFILLMENT



Breakfast Bowls on sale today.

Breakfast bowls available from \$8-\$10 in the School Gym. On site purchase accepted.

OUR LADY SODALITY

Our Lady Sodality will have their monthly meeting in the Fr. Richard Administration Building after Mass today.

At the December meeting, a representative from COPE spoke to the group to talk about the needs of the center. To show love for the work of COPE, during the month of February, the organization will collect needed baby items that will be donated at the end of the month. Please see the COPE Angel Tree in the vestibule of needed items.

COMMUNITY

Unforgettable: John-Mark McGaha Sings Nat King Cole

FEBRUARY 14, 2026

An unforgettable concert honoring legendary crooner Nat King Cole



The genius and warmth of Montgomery's own Nat King Cole is brought to life by acclaimed singer, storyteller, and multi-instrumentalist John-Mark McGaha (*The Ray Charles Legacy, Smokey Joe's Cafe*).

Resurrection has group tickets for Saturday, February 14, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. Call the Parish Office at (334) 230-1964 or email mcoe@rcmsouth.org to reserve your tickets. Tickets are \$30 each can be paid by cash or check or through the online portal at <https://www.osvhub.com/rcmsouth/giving/funds/asf-tickets>



The Montgomery Guild of Actors is thrilled to present **The Radio Time Machine!** Featuring a cast of high schoolers from across the Montgomery district, including our very own **MaKenzie Wilson**. This play tunes into the past to honor and celebrate Black History through sound, story, and imagination.

One night only - February 12, 2026

Location TBA

Tickets are \$10 at the door | 6:00 P.M.