



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)

MAY 24, 2026 – SOLEMNITY OF THE FEAST OF PENTECOST 24 DE MAYO DE 2026 – DOMINGO DE PENTECOSTÉS



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:\$ 3,103.00
Online\$ 1,729.00
Building Fund\$ 160.00
Boiler Repair Fund (received to date).....\$ 24,025.00
Food Pantry.....\$ 50.00



THE MOST IMPORTANT EFFECT OF PENTECOST

The miraculous tongues of fire, along with the Apostles' ability to speak in different languages, may seem to be the most impressive signs of Pentecost. However, the most important and most lasting effect of Pentecost went deeper than that.

Peter, the leader of the Apostles, stood in front of the crowds and preached. He preached with boldness and conviction. Consider that up until this point the Apostles had not preached at all. Just 10 days before, the Apostles still thought that Jesus' mission was to restore an earthly kingdom to Israel (cf. Acts 1:6). Now, however, Peter recognizes the mission of Jesus and boldly preaches instead of remaining hidden in a room.

The boldness that the Holy Spirit gave the Apostles on Pentecost gave them the courage and wisdom to preach to many nations and peoples. This, in turn, resulted in the spread of Christianity and the conversion of thousands of people. On the day of Pentecost, about 3,000 people were baptized (Acts 2:41).

PENTECOST: THE BIRTHDAY OF THE CHURCH

Pentecost is the birthday of the Church because from that point on the apostles carried the message of Christ to the whole world. The authority that Christ gave his Apostles through the Holy Spirit extends through the bishops today. The Holy Spirit continues to guide the Church. In fact, St. Augustine said that the Holy Spirit was the soul of the Church. Just as the soul gives life to the body, so also the Spirit gives life to the Church.

<http://www.aboutcatholics.com/beliefs/pentecost/>

GRADUATION SUNDAY

We are very proud of all graduates for their achievements and accomplishments. If you are a **parishioner** of Resurrection Catholic Church graduating from **Resurrection Catholic School 8th grade, high school, Post Secondary School or College** please **print** your name on the sheet in the vestibule to be recognized at Mass on Graduation Sunday, **June 21, 2026**. Winter 2025 and Spring/Summer 2026 graduates will be recognized



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.

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

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
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Michelle Coe
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Principal, Dr. Teisha Pessoa

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Brandon Anderson, Erica Brooks, Linda Carpenter

SCHEDULED EVENTS	
May 25	Memorial Day Holiday – All Offices Closed
May 27-June 1	Bellarmine College Preparatory School Service Trip
June 5-9	Gulf Coast District Junior KPC Conference, Montgomery, AL
June 10	Monthly S.A.L.T. meeting, Fr. Richard Administration Building, 10:00 a.m.
June 16-19	Archbishop Lyke Conference, Greenville, SC
June 21	Graduation Sunday at Resurrection
August 8	Annual OLS Tea
August 16	Confirmation Sunday
September 12	KPC White Party, School Gym, 8 p.m.
September 16-18	Archdiocese of Denver Racial Justice Pilgrimage
October 10-16	Creighton University Fall Service Trip
October 28-30	Denver Archdiocesan Committee for Racial Equality and Justice Visit
November 6-11	Jesuit College Preparatory School, Dallas, TX

BIRTHDAYS	
May 25:	Camille May, Roderick Parker
May 26:	Jennifer Brown, Riche Richardson
May 27:	Theresa Maye
May 28:	Eain Anderson (14), Tina Golson
May 30:	Zaria Coprich, Leon Moore, Sr.
May 31:	Daphne Hawkins, Gladys Gardner
June 2:	Keri Smith
June 3:	Moses Butcher, Jr., Gerri Perry Golson, Nicholas Perry, James Ward
June 4:	Stasi Buchanan, Byron McKenzie
June 5:	Ricardo Sequiera
June 6:	Alphonse Harrison, Jr., Lori Watkins Smith, Twila Wheat

ANNIVERSARIES	
June 1:	Doris and William Turner (58 Years)
June 2:	Rebecca and Amos James (41 Years)
June 4:	Cassandra and Bronco Henderson (49 Years)
June 6:	Ayana and Vance Babin (17 Years)

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY	
May 24, 1951	The Municipal Court of Appeals ruled that racial discrimination in restaurants in Washington, DC. was illegal.
May 25	Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church
May 25, 2020	The killing of George Floyd by police sparked a series of police brutality protests across the United States and 60 countries.
May 26	Feast of St. Philip Neri
May 26, 1965	The Senate passed the Voting Rights Act
May 27	Feast of St. Augustine of Canterbury
May 27, 1942	Dorie Miller was awarded the Navy Cross for heroism at Pearl Harbor
May 28, 2014	Maya Angelou, author, poet, dancer, actress, singer, producer and professor, died in Winston-Salem, NC.
May 29	Feast of St. Paul VI
May 29, 1851	Sojourner Truth delivered her “ <i>Ain’t I a Woman?</i> ” speech at the Women’s Rights Convention in Akron, OH.
May 30, 1965	Vivan Malone became the first African American to graduate from the University of Alabama.

Ministry Schedule					
Date	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers
<i>Today, May 24, - Solemnity of Pentecost</i>	Pamela Garrett Barbara Parker	Chelsye Leach Peck Katori Stanford	Charlotte Brooks Caleb Ross	Kyrie Every Erika Jackson Gabriella Jackson	Charlotte Brooks Marcus Carpenter Samuel Guadalupe Leon Moore Caleb Ross
<i>Next Sunday, May 31 – Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity</i>	Maggie Stringer Martha Varner Sheryl Shannon Young	Adrienne Knight Vaughans Keri Smith	The Richetta Cofield Stanford Family	Derek Coe Keith Golson Leon Moore	Victoria Maddox Rena Ross Constance Sator

THOSE IN NEED OF PRAYER

Marian Alexander, Leo Allen, Carlos Altamirano, Felipe Altamirano, Juan Altamirano, Dcn. Terry Anderson, Mary Archdeacon Family, 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, Margaret Day, Yolonda Dickerson, Jack Diez, Elaine Dorsey, Fred Douglas, Sherman Douglas, Willie Douglas, Devin Edinburgh, Sam Fenn, Elsie Finner, Joan Ford, Helen Foster, Sr. Gloria Fox, C.R., Annie Franklin, David Franklin, Jr., David Franklin, Sr., Tonya Franklin, Gladys Gardner, 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, 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, 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., Lynette Moore, Salena Moore, Shawntrice Moore, Marielle Munnerlyn, David Neal, Gwendolyn Nicks, LaTonya Nicks, Carolyn Norvel, 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, Kassandra 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, Sam 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: A’Darianna Bassett, 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

The Mission, Parish and School offices will be closed tomorrow, Monday, May 25, 2026, in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. The offices will reopen on Tuesday, May 26, 2026.

SANCTUARY CANDLE REMEMBRANCE



The sanctuary candle is lit this week in prayer for a restful summer for all educators, that they may be rejuvenated and ready for a new school year this Fall.

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.

BIBLE STUDY



Bible Study classes run from 6:00-7:30 p.m. on Thursday evening. All are invited to participate. 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 June 4. The class will complete the study of the gospel of Mark and begin studying the gospel of Matthew. To prepare, read Mark 15:33-41 and Matthew 26:1-16

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.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to **Cliff Petty** who graduated from Leadership Montgomery Class 42! We will celebrate the accomplishments of parishioners who graduated from Resurrection Catholic School, high school or an institution of higher education, on **Sunday, June 21**. Graduates are encouraged to wear their caps, hoods and ribbons. A sign up sheet is placed on the table in the vestibule.

SPECIAL PRAYER REQUEST

Please hold the members of our parish who currently serve in the military and who have been deployed overseas to the Middle East, especially for **A'Darianna Bassett (Kuwait)** and **Marcus Carpenter (Israel)**. Email the parish office parish@rcmsouth.org with the names of others who are currently deployed.

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER AND LADIES AUXILIARY

BREAKFAST BOWL FUNDRAISER

May 31, 2026

The Breakfast Bowl fundraiser has been moved to NEXT Sunday, after Mass.



Bacon, Eggs, Plain or Cheese Grits \$10
Sausage, Eggs, Plain or Cheese Grits \$10
(Heart Healthy) Scrambled tofu (similar to scrambled eggs), grits, and veggie sausage \$10
Eggs, Plain or Cheese Grits \$8
Salmon Patties and grits- \$14 (pre order only)

KPC MEMORIAL DAY BBQ FUNDRAISER



Missions.

BBQ orders can be picked up after today's service until 1:00 p.m. Call Grand Knight Cliff Petty at (334) 230-1963. Proceeds from this sale will benefit Resurrection Catholic

SPIRITUAL REFLECTION

Great News, the Holy Spirit is still here.



Dear Holy Spirit, if we ever needed you, we need you now.

Fill our hearts with Your love, our minds with Your wisdom, our souls with Your fire, our words with Your power and most of all our spirits with Your Spirit.

We pray in the powerful name of Jesus.

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

MONTHLY GATHERING



The next S.A.L.T. gathering for 2026 will be held this **Wednesday, June 10, 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 SUMMER SCHOOL 2026

Resurrection Catholic School is offering a Summer Enrichment Program this year for **RCS Title I** students in 3rd-8th grades. The Program will run from June 8 through July 26 and is designed to provide additional academic enrichment and learning opportunities to help students strengthen their skills and prepare for the upcoming school year. The schedule is:

Monday through Thursday
8:00 AM – 12:00 PM
No classes on Fridays

Students participating in the program will be served breakfast and lunch daily. We are looking forward to providing our students with a positive, engaging, and enriching summer learning experience. Thank you all in advance for your continued support and dedication to our students.

Blessings, *Dr. Teisha Pessoa*

SUMMER BREAK

Regular school is over for this academic year with a host of activities. This week we had an Awards Program, with students being recognized for their academic and civic excellence. Later in the week we had the PreK graduation, as well as Kindergarten and 8th Grade transition programs. A wonderful end to a great school year!

