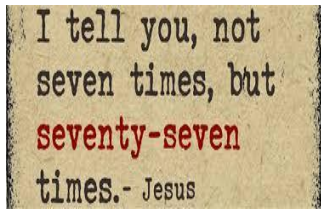


SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH CANTON, MISSISSIPPI

*Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 17, 2017*



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Mass Schedule and Intentions Coming Week

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Margene Tracey	Mon. 7:30 a.m. Father Noonan
Sunday 9:30 a.m. Elizabeth & Russell Munroe (marriage)	Tues. 7:30 a.m. Ben Hayes
Sunday 11:30 a.m. People of the Parish (Mass in Spanish)	*Wed. 7:30 a.m. Communion Service
	*Thurs. 7:30 a.m. Communion Service
	*Fri. 7:30 a.m. Communion Service

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday at 4:30 pm or by appointment

*** There will be a Word & Communion Service on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.**

	Saturday, September 23	Sunday, September 24
Mass Coordinator	Suzanne Scanlan	Mary Burge
Hospitality	Fountain Barksdale, David Sandidge	McLean Family
Altar Server(s):	John Scanlan	Eli Crosby
1 st Reading:	Ruth Lockett	Mary Donnelly
2 nd Reading:	Linda Hayes	Linda Perez
Prayers of the Faithful:	Linda Hayes	Kevin Watson
Gift Bearer(s)	Lee Family	Crosby Family
Eucharistic Ministers:	Steve Paulson, Barbara Varner, Sandy Barksdale	Jerry Perez, Sarah Runnels, Teresa Blaine

Altar Care

Sept 23 Linda Hayes	Large Linens: July-Sept – Betty Vaughn, Sherry Strong
Sept 30 Jean Ferguson	Small Altar Linens: Sept Weety Edwards

Next week's readings: Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A

First Reading [Isaiah 55:6-9] Isaiah prophesied, "Seek the Lord while he may be found; call him while he is near...My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the Lord."
Second Reading [Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a] Paul wrote, "Life is Christ, and death is gain...I long to depart this life and be with Christ, for that is far better. Yet that I remain in the flesh is more necessary for your benefit. Only, conduct yourselves in a way worthy of the gospel of Christ."
Gospel [Matthew 20:1-16a] Jesus told the parable about the vineyard owner who hired workers at different times of the day and paid them all the same amount at the end of the day. The owner concluded, "Am I not free to do as I wish with my own money?" Jesus added, "The last will be first, and the first will be last."

2017-2018 Budget for Offertory: \$260,000

Monthly Budget 21,667.
Weekly Budget 5,000.



September 9/September 10 Collections \$4,958.
Hurricane Relief \$3,836. Thank you Sacred Heart Parishioners for your generosity!

Extension Society: Second Collection, next Sunday, September 24 for our Home Missions.

Finance Council: Tuesday, September 19 at 5:30 in the rectory.

Anointing Mass: Monday, September 25 at 11:00 followed by lunch in the parish center.

Gluckstadt GermanFest 2017: Sunday, September 24 from 11 am to 5 pm at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Gluckstadt. Admission and parking are free! Advance meal tickets are \$6 and are available from parishioners of St. Joseph or by called the parish office at 601-856-2054. Meals the day of the festival will be \$7. Check it out online at www.stjosephgluckstadt.com

Sacred Heart Society: Thursday, September 28 at 6 pm in the Parish Center. Be ready to learn, grow & laugh by enriching our lives through fellowship & the building of community.

Household Help: Parishioner needs household help every 2 weeks for 2-3 hours. Please call Freida at Sacred Heart, 601-859-3749, if you are interested.

Parish Clean-Up: Thank you to all of the volunteers, terrific job cleaning our parish grounds!

R.C.I.A.: Are you interested in learning more about our Catholic Faith or possibly considering joining our Church? We will have an Inquiry Class (RCIA) every Wednesday evening at 6:30 beginning September 27. Call Fr. Mike at 601-954-1440 if you are interested.

Adult Education: Resumes Sunday, October 1 after the 9:30 Mass.

Tutoring Class: We are organizing an after-school program to help our hispanic children with their homework. Since many of their parents don't speak English they are not able to help their children. We have a special fund for this program. We can pay trained teachers \$20 per hour and assistants \$15 per hour. Please call if you can help. Classes will be held on Tues., Wed., and Thurs. at the trailer park from 3 to 7. Please call Fr. Mike if you can help!

Saltillo Mission: We have twenty more copies of Msgr. Flannery's book for sale at \$15.00 per copy. Just pick up a copy and give your check to Fr. Mike or the church office. Make checks payable to Tidewater Press.

Prayer List: PARISHIONERS: Jean Iupe, Beverly & George Kehle, Pat Robertson, Flo & Luther Tuberville, Sis Wohner, Andy Vaughn, Betty Douglas, Jean Ferguson, Wilson Harreld, Sue MOSHER, MARTHA DINKA, EMILY ENDRIS, JEAN DAVI, Cindy Isonhood, BILL VAUGHN, BARBARA WILLIFORD, DEBORAH ANDERSON, ROSIE Cobb. **FRIENDS AND FAMILY:** Anni Davis, John Matthew Davis, Linda Trolio, Danny Sutherland, Amanda Williams Lockey, Gus Kraft, Grace Lockett, Mary Ann McGregor Goldsmith, Sister Mary Anne Poeschl, Angie Burge, Bill Davenport.

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