



# ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Dickson, TN 37055

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Pastoral Staff:

Rev. Abraham Panthalanickal

Deacon: Jim Tucker

**OCTOBER 5, 2025**

**TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

## **Mass Times**

Sunday :

8:30am, 11:00am,  
and 4:00pm (Spanish)

Monday, Thursday,  
Friday and Saturday :  
8:30am

Wednesday: 6:30pm  
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

## **Communion Service**

Tuesday: 8:30am

## **Confessions**

(in sunroom)

Monday, Thursday,  
Friday: 7:30am

Saturday: 7:30am &  
4:00pm

Wednesday: 5:30pm  
Or by appointment

## **Adoration and**

## **Benediction**

Monday, Tuesday

Thursday,

Friday and Saturday :  
7:30am

Wednesday: 5:30pm

*Parish office hours:*

*9am-1pm M-F*

*or by appointment. Please  
leave a message so we can  
return your call.*

The word of the Lord remains forever.  
This is the word that has been proclaimed to you.

## **TODAY'S GOSPEL: ATTITUDE OF A SERVANT**

‘When you have done all you have been commanded,  
say, ‘We are unprofitable servants; we have done what  
we were obliged to do.’”

Luke 17:10

Father Abraham will be on PTO this week  
but Masses will continue as scheduled.  
Please call and leave a voicemail for the  
secretary (option 1) if you have need of a  
priest in an emergency.

## ***UPCOMING EVENTS***

**Saturday October 4**  
Parish Spruce-up Day

**Sunday October 19**  
Parish Picnic  
after the 11 am Mass until 3pm

**Thursday October 23**  
Red Mass 12:10 pm at Cathedral  
of the Incarnation



## Mass Intentions

Vigil +Howard Schoenly

**Sunday, October 5**

8:30: +Joe Webster

11:00: People of the Parish

4pm +Ollie Berens

**Monday, October 6**

Dawson Family

**Wednesday, October 8**

Rosemary Calvin

**Thursday October 9**

+Remigio Rosa

**Friday October 10:**

+Chuck Snyder

**Saturday October 11**

8:30 am: Ernst Leberzammer

Vigil: +Rita Seamon

The month of October is dedicated to  
the Holy Rosary.

Pope Leo XVI has asked us to pray the  
rosary for peace every day this month.



ST. CHRISTOPHER  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

"God loves the  
cheerful giver."

2 Corinthians

### Church Offertory:

#### September 28th Collection

Church: \$ 4,248.00

Hispanic: \$ 827.00

Online Giving: \$ 1,298.66

**Total: \$ 6,373.66**



Thank you for your  
generous  
contributions!

Here is the link to our electronic giving.

Please email or call the  
bookkeeper Amy for help to  
switch from WeShare to  
PushPay, which is integrated  
into our office software.



## Birthday List

**Sunday 10/5:** Celia Armbruster,  
Jose Bautista, Ella Garcia,  
Bridget Jenkins, Shayla McNeil

**Monday 10/6:** Emery Fambrough,  
Joselin Galvez, Romel Garcia,  
Carlos Garduno Itehua,  
Osiel Mondragon Marin, Antonio Mota,  
Jorge Luis Rivera Medina,  
Nathaniel Schachle

**Tuesday 10/7:** Glenn Dotts,  
William Palomino,  
Maria de la Cruz Antonio

**Wednesday 10/8:** Mariela Cervantes,  
Joaquin Guerrero Rubio, Traci Ann Hall,  
Sarah Price

**Thursday 10/9:** Milton Genella,  
Augustus Imhoff, Connie Lovett,  
Elizabeth Medrono, Connie Oliver,  
Leslie Shepard, Joe Walker

**Friday 10/10:** Carlos Mejia Diaz,  
Michael Pogreba, Amanda Roche,  
Tyler Zell

**Saturday 10/11:** Jose Garcia,  
Michael Hudson, Jose Rivera-Reyes

**Sunday 10/12:** Matthew Arreola,  
Patricia Horsch, Paul Hudson

*Please help us keep our data current; if you  
see a name that shouldn't be here or we  
missed a name that should be here, tell us!*

## If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

We occasionally have need of work or get calls asking if there is a parishioner who has a particular business; recently, for example, a request was made for an attorney who does wills. In order to help connect and support our parish family, we'd like to compile an office list of parishioners' businesses for referrals. If you'd like to be on the list, contact the office.

### DID YOU KNOW?

There are televisions in the children's room and downstairs in the social hall for viewing the Mass. Please keep in mind that when possible, standing is the norm during the Consecration when not kneeling.

**Enroll free by clicking on parish and using the zipcode 37055**



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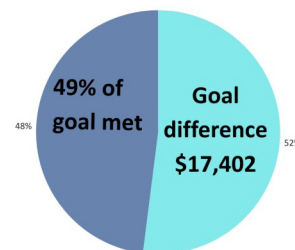
1. Visit [formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup)
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Learn more at [formed.org](https://formed.org)

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**BAAM Goal 2025: \$34,000**



**\$16,598**

received from 46 donors  
as of 9/26/25

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL FOR MINISTRIES



[DIOCESEOFNASHVILLE.COM/APPEAL](https://dioceseofnashville.com/appeal)





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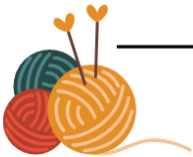
Your generous donations of \$3,060.75 in September are greatly appreciated. We have had a large number of requests for assistance from our neighbors this week. Please pray and ask God if you are to help your neighbors through SVDP.

*\*Nonperishable donations may be placed in the boxes at the top of the stairs to the basement\*\**

**Please make checks payable to St. Vincent de Paul. Our PayPal account is svdpdickson1951@gmail.com.  
At Venmo use the "Friends & Family" option via Venmo! @svdpstchristopher**

**"Charity is the cement which binds Communities to God and persons to one another . . ." St. Vincent de Paul**

## THIS WEEK at ST. CHRISTOPHER



### KNITTING MINISTRY

Meets on Wednesdays

Call Susana if you are interested at (805) 276-2584

### COMMUNITY ROSARY



Thursdays in the church at 7pm

We pray in Spanish but all in the parish are welcome to join us!

Contact Felix for questions:  
(615) 454-1555



### LECTIO DIVINA

Renovación carismática

Te invita a orar y meditar la palabra de Dios,  
siempre viva y eficaz La lection divina.

Veirnes 7 PM en la iglesia

### Our Lady of Guadalupe Rosary.

Prayed Saturdays at 7 pm in the church by the  
Hispanic community in preparation for the  
festival of the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe  
on December 11 & 12



### HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

If you or someone you know is in need of receiving  
Holy Communion at home, please contact Philip Brown,  
coordinator of our new sick & homebound ministry.  
Phil's email is on page 4.

### DC Young Adult Group

October 7 meeting is offsite. For  
info, contact Jake at  
jakelittleton30@gmail.com



**Knights of  
Columbus®**

**10/4** - Parish clean-up event at  
St. Christopher from 9 a.m. to noon  
**need Knights to weed, mulch, paint,  
pressure wash, etc.**

**10/8** - Monthly business meeting at 7 p.m.

**10/19** - Parish picnic - Knights are needed to  
cook hamburgers, hot dogs, & fries

**11/8** - Volunteer appreciation reception for  
funnel cake booth helpers (tentative date)

Please contact Eric Kuehler at 706-338-7911  
if you have any questions.

America Needs Fatima

# Rosary Rally

**Join Us**

Over 23000 Rallies Nationwide  
Tom Waychoff Memorial Park  
Corner of Main St. & College St., Dickson, TN

**OCTOBER 11, 2025  
12:00 P.M.**

America Needs Fatima [www.anf.org](http://www.anf.org)  
Call Don or Gayle Crohan for info: 615 812-9736



### Parish Office

**Secretary** - Teryl Plaisance  
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**Bookkeeper** - Amy Schoenly  
bookkeeper@stchristophercc.com

**Religious Ed** - Amber Gonzales  
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**Music Coordinator** - Marisa Kryza  
musicministry@stchristophercc.com

**Sick & Homebound Ministry** - Philip Brown  
homeboundministry@stchristophercc.com

### Parish Council

**Chairman** - Regina Webster  
websterreginam@gmail.com

**Vice-chair** - Tom Roche  
rochetom@comcast.net

### Prayer List

Jim Anthony, Nancy Brownfiel,  
Margaret Chavez (sister of Lois White),  
Roger Durant (brother of Brian Durant),  
Charles Elston, Rose & Jerry Elston,  
Steve & Susana Freund,  
Harold Goodrum,  
Linda Greene (Sue Zimmerman's sister-in-law),  
Blaine Hogan,  
Louise Hornick,  
Sherry Laws (daughter of Sylvia McCutchen),  
Logan Family,  
Robert McCutchen (Son of Sylvia McCutchen),  
Sydney Matt (family member of Lee Durant)  
Fatima Mora,  
Anne Marie Reyes (daughter of Carol Cupo),  
David Shoulta,  
Mary Jane Stark,  
John Suddoth,  
Martha Williams (mother of Patsy DeVandry),  
Doug Zimmerman (son of Jerry & Sue Zimmerman)

*Please message Teryl at secretary@stchristophercc.com or call the office and leave a message to retain, add, add back, or remove names.*

*Detailed or anonymous prayer requests received via the website will be put in the basket taken up with the gifts at Sunday Masses.*

### Mission Statement

We, the members of St. Christopher Church, are called by God to become a Believing, Loving, Caring and Welcoming Catholic Community. We commit ourselves personally and collectively to study the WORD of God and to proclaim the GOOD NEWS to the world. We gather together to celebrate the LOVE of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist, which inspires and urges us to serve our brothers and sisters as bread broken for many. Filled with the knowledge and love of Christ, we go to the world as a CHRISTOPHER\*, bearing the light of Gospel values. \*Christopher means "Christ-bearer."

**St. Christopher Prayer** Almighty and eternal God! With lively faith and reverently worshipping Your Divine Majesty, I prostrate myself before You and invoke with filial trust Your supreme generosity and mercy. Illuminate the darkness of my intellect with a ray of Your Heavenly light and inflame my heart with the fire of Your Divine Love, that I may contemplate the great virtues and merits of the Saint in whose honor I make this prayer, and following his example imitate, as he did, the life of Your Divine Son. Moreover, I beseech You to graciously grant me, through the merits and intercession of St. Christopher, the petition which through him I humbly place before You, devoutly saying, "Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven." Vouchsafe graciously to hear it, if it is to Your greater glory and the salvation of my soul. Amen.



### Marriage Classes

Te quiereres preparar para El Sacramento de Matrimonio. Ven a recibir las Platicas prematrimonia les en Espanol. Para mas informacion con Antonio y Lidia Mota (615) 573-6960

### For the Children

A children's cry room is open during all Masses. Please feel free to use it when babies and young children are in need of space or distractions. There is a wall flat screen where you can view the on going Mass (See directional signs on east side of church.)

### O.C.I.A.

**(The Order of Christian Initiation for Adults)** Anyone who desires to become

Catholic, or anyone, including Catholics, who would like to learn more about the Catholic faith is invited to call Deacon Jim Tucker to join his class. Please contact Deacon Jim @ 615 446-8281 or jtuck40@bellsouth.net or fill out one of the forms at the church entrance labeled "

R.C.I.A.  
Registration Form"

### Sacrament Information

**Infant Baptism:** Baptism preparation classes take place in English and in Spanish as needed for parishioners who've been registered at least six months. Contact Father Abraham or Felix Leon (Spanish instruction) or call the parish office to register.

•**Confession:** Confessions are heard every day before Mass during Adoration, every Saturday from 4:00-4:45 PM, and on request.

•**Sacrament of Matrimony:** Contact the pastor at least 4 months prior to proposed wedding date to receive marriage preparation. Couples must fulfill all diocesan regulations.

•**Anointing of the Sick:** Anyone who is at risk of death or old age can receive this Sacrament; please inform the Pastor if any parishioners are unwell.