

ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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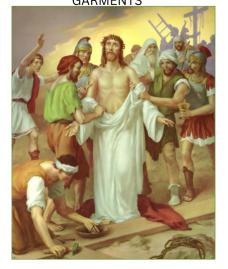
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MARCH 10, 2024 THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

Upcoming Events:

JESUS IS STRIPPED OF HIS GARMENTS



STATIONS OF THE

CROSS

Please join us for the Stations Of The Cross every Thursday at 9:00 am and Fridays at 7:00 PM *All Fridays in Lent are days of Abstinence from meat.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday, March 24:
Sat 5pm
Sun 8:30am &11:00am
Procession starting at church
office
Holy Thursday, March 28:
7:00pm
Good Friday, March 29:
Stations of the Cross 3pm
Good Friday Service at 7pm
Easter Vigil, Sat March 30:
7:00pm
Easter Sunday, March 31:

8:30am & 11:00am

ADD A DISH

When: Sunday, March 10
Where: After the 11 AM
Mass in the Family Life
Center
Why: Join us for the
monthly Add A Dish,
this is a opportunity to
enjoy fellowship with
our Church Family.

"GOD, MAY YOUR LIGHT GUIDE MY DAY, AND YOUR SPIRIT BRING ME PEACE. AMEN."

FISH FRY

Friday, March 22 Available for pickup at 6pm-8pm

PENANCE SERVICE

Monday, March 18, 2024 at 7 PM

EASTER EGG

<u>HUNT</u>

Sunday, March 31 following the 8:30 AM Mass.

"And when they came to a place called Golgotha (which means the place of a skull), they offered him wine to drink, mingled with gall, but when he tasted it, he would not drink it. And when they had crucified him, they divided his garments among them by casting lots; then they sat down and kept watch over him there."

Mass Times

Sunday : 8:30am, 11:00am, and 4:00pm

Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday : 8:30am Wednesday: 6:30pm Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Communion Service Tuesday: 8:30M

Confessions
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

Mass Intentions

Vigil Mass: + Joe Webster

Sunday, March 10

8:30- + Amanda Jackman

11:00- Michelle Schachle

4:00- The People of the Parish

Monday, March 11

+Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, March 13

+Celso Martinez

Thursday, March 14

Julie Link

Friday, March 15

+Shirely Anthony

Saturday, March 16

+Donna Zuercher



ST. EPHRAIM THE SYRIAN

O Lord and Master of my life, Give me not the spirit of laziness, despair, lust of power, and idle talk. But give rather the spirit of sobriety, Humility, patience and love to your Servant.

Yea, O Lord and King, Grant me to see my own transgressions and not to judge my brother, for you are blessed unto ages of ages.

Amen.

Birthday List

03/10:Cameron Long and Alexander Morales.

03/11:Julieta Correa, Blaine Hogan, Jacob Osgood, Jesus Ramirez, and Adam Vossler.

03/12:Id Gaines, Luis Hernandez, Victor Olayo, and Daniel Perez.

03/13:Judith Nuxoll.

03/14: Diane Pezo, Matilde Sanche, and Keyla Zeferino.

03/15: Autumn Fambrough, Sebastian Regalado, and Emily Rogan.

03/16: Jonathan Bates, Jayne Cauthen, Justine Henderson, Michelle Paniangua, Scott Pringle, and George Tenorio.

03/17: Margaret Gorzny and Evelyn

Diocese Announcements

Chrism Mass at the Catholic Pastoral Center is scheduled for Tuesday, March 26th at 6:30pm. This family event is a great way for parishioners in Middle Tennessee to gather, make new friends, and celebrate our shared love of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Church Offertory



ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC

Church Offertory:

Church: \$8,072.17

WeShare:\$2,167.71

Hispanic: \$604.97

Total: \$10,844.85

Church in Central

and Eastern Europe: \$440.28

cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians

"God loves the



Thank you for your generous contributions!

Spiritual Direction, Pastoral Care, and Blessings.

Father Abraham has opened up his schedule to accommodate more hours for those needing Spiritual Direction and Pastoral Care. Mondays and Fridays from 10 AM- 12 PM there is a open invitation for any Parishioners needing direction to come in to the office and receive Council from Father. If you need a meeting with Father outside of these hours , please contact the church office for an appointment.

Bishop's Annual Appeal Announcement

Thank You to all who donated to Bishop's Annual Appeal for 2023. Unfortunately we did not fulfill our obligation. If you were unable to help last year and would like to donate now, you will have 3 opportunities to do so. We will have a second collection on March 10th, Easter Sunday, and April 7th.

Announcement from Father

Father may be anointing or giving blessings after Mass. Please observe a time of silence after Mass for those still in worship.

MOTHER'S GROUP

Text or Call Shannon Baudry at (615)332-4892

KNITTING MINISTRY

Meets on Wednesdays, Call Susana if you are interested at (805) 276-2584

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 8241

March 10- Parish Wide Add A Dish- Help needed setting up the Family Life Center and cleaning up afterwards. March 10- Knights Meeting.

March 20-Men's Formation Program

All the men of the parish are invited to join the Knights of Columbus COR program, a gathering for the purpose of 'fraternity, formation, and prayer.' We will meet on at 7:15 PM in the church office.

55 & OVER

Meets every third
Monday of the Month
in the Social Hall at
noon, please bring a
sack lunch and a drink,
dessert will be
provided.

St. Vincent De Paul Serving those in need.

We are pleased to announce that 249 people visited the Eucharistic Miracle Exhibit. 157 parishioners from St. Christopher attended and 92 visitors from 16 other parishes also attended. Thank you for your support. March 2024 items needed for the Food Baskets: Peanut butter, spaghetti sauce, mayonnaise. Personal care items for Men and Women are always needed. Non Perishable Items are always welcome.

Collection this weekend March 10. If paying by check
please make check payable
to St. Vincent de Paul. You
may donate to SVDP
anytime, just use your
PayPal account at
svdpdickson1951@gmail.co
m. Please use the "Friends &"
Family" option or donate via
Venmo!

@svdpstchristopher.

"Charity is the cement which binds Communities to God and persons to one another.

..." St. Vincent de Paul

YOUNG ADULT GROUP

Call Chrissy Cesario if interested at (615)970-2516



Gospel



"Whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God."



Alleluia

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so everyone who believes in him might have eternal life.

Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!

Parish Leaders

55 & Over:

Rose Littrell 615 406-5938

Finance Council:

Paul Hudson

Chairman- 615 289-1630

Knights of Columbus:

Josh Helton-

GK 615-428-7060

Parish Library:

Terri Thomas, Chairman-

615 330-0033

Parish Council:

Dan Schachle, Chairman-

423 991-2044

St. Vincent de Paul:

Chip Fye, President 615-446-3927, ext 7

Women's Club:

Diana Morgan, **President** - (615) 351-1591

Parish Council

Chairman - Daniel Schachledaniel.schachle@outlook.com

Vice-chair. Regina Webster - websterreginam@gmail.com

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Sheila Kight - sheila.kight@hcahealthcare.com

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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."



Sacrament Information

- •Infant Baptism: Baptism preparation classes in English are held on the first Wednesday of the month at 7 PM and in Spanish on the second Saturday of the month at 6 PM. Contact the parish secretary for Baptism paperwork and to register for the class.
- •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.

Prayer List

Jim Anthony, Mark Beasley (son of Joyce Henning), Alvin Biggs (cousin of Sylvia McCutchen), Mike Calvo, Margaret Chavez (sister of Lois White) Kaedence Clark, James David Cauthen(Son of Jayne and Joe Cauthen) Scott Davdison (Nephew of the Duckart Family), Dawn Davis, Dennis DeBlock, Leigh Durant, Mark Engele (son of Leo Engle) Charles Elston, Rose & Jerry Elston, Ben Fanta, Steve & Susanna Freund, The Friddle Family, Martina Fye, Mike Greer, Nick Hansen (son of Loretta Hansen), William Hargreaves (brother of Sylvia McCutchen), LeAnne Hennessy (daughter-in-law of Sandy Hennessy), Joyce Henning, Maria Luisa Miranda Hernandez (mother of Olga Gonzales), Joey Hornick, Louise Hornick, Wyatt Hudson (Son of Michael and Brittany Hudson), Cecile Jenkins (friend of the McCutchen Family), Michael & Mary Johnson, Michael Joseph, Marie Kanyuh (daughter of Justine Reilly), Brett Kiser (brother of Brenda Lill), Rose & Jerry Littrell, Jessica Lundquist (Daughter of the schachle Family) Aida Malihan (sister of Glory Farris), Anothy Mazzo, Carolyn McCann, Sabrina McCann (Granddaughter of Carolyn McCann) Judith McCliss, Robert McCutchen (Son of Sylvia McCutchen) Fatima Mora, Rick Moses, Kimberly Niemisto (Daughter of Richard Niemisto), Larry Overby (father of Cissy Byrne), Kathy Pharris, Denise Rangel (Daughter of Glenn and Brenda Lill) Justine Reilly, Bob & Delores Rosenthal (brother and sister inlaw of Marcia Standley), Anna Sanchez (sister of Lou Pena), Robert & Amy Schoenly, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Sluck, Mary Jane Stark, John Suddoth, Kathy Tucker, Lily Whelan, Martha Williams (mother of Patsy DeVandry), Jo Winters, Amy Woodworth (Daughter of Joyce Henning), Woody Woodworth, Doug Zimmerman (son of Jerry & Sue Zimmerman)

Message from Management

Please do not leave the Bulletins or Homilies in the Church Pews, if you do not plan to take your bulletin or Homily with you, please return them to the front of the Church.

Marriage Classes

Te quireres preparer para El Sacramento de Matrimonio. Ven arecibir 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.)

R.C.I.A.

(The Rite 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"