



ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MARCH 31, 2024

EASTER SUNDAY: RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Upcoming Events :

JESUS IS LAID IN THE TOMB



PARISH COUNCIL

The Church is having Parish Council elections if you would like to nominate someone please talk to Rev. Abraham

CHURCH IS HIRING

The Church is looking for a new secretary , please call the Office if you are interested

Easter Schedule

Easter Vigil, Sat March 30:

7:00pm

Easter Sunday, March 31:

8:30am & 11:00am

EASTER EGG HUNT

Sunday, March 31

following the 8:30

AM Mass.

Young Children - Front

Lawn

Older Children - Prayer

Garden



The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be said on Sunday, April 7th at 3:00 PM with adoration and benediction.

Reception will follow in Parish Library. Divine Mercy items available.

Easter Vigil 2024

Candidates

Congratulations and Prayerful wishes to all who received Baptism and all who have come into full union with the Holy Catholic Church.

Brian Jayne

Kristi Michelle Bean

Maria Guadalupe Andrea

Jessica Villar

Richard Allen Boymen

Melissa Meyers



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

Easter Vigil - People of the Parish

Sunday, March 31

8:30 - The Holy Catholic Church

11:00- Louella Piper

Monday, April 1

+Shirley Anthony

Wednesday, April 3

Steve Fouche

Thursday, April 4

Leah Link

Friday, April 5

Henderson Family

Saturday, April 6

+Joe Webster



EASTER PAYER

We praise you in this Easter season. Change our lives, change our hearts to be messengers of Easter joy and hope. We make our prayer through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord forever.

Amen

Birthday List

03/31: Heather Allsbrooks, Jennifer Duckart, Amadeo Gomez Lopez, Esgar Miranda-Sanchez

04/01: Rita Bassett, Paige Hewitt, Renee Kittrell, Brett Lovett, Dawson Smith

04/02: Cristian Cano, Akram Gomez-Garcia

04/03: Juana Colin, Martina Fye, Billy Martin Jr, Terry Fambrough

04/04: Joel Avila, Elizabeth DeCovic, Ethan Hatcher, Evan Osting

04/05: Edwin Andrade

04/06: Katie Byrne, Veronica Turner

04/07: Silvia Cano-Barrera, Wilson Owen, David Shoulta

Special Announcement

We are working on improving the church. New cameras have been installed to ensure the safety of our parishioners. If you noticed any areas of improvement we should look into, please don't hesitate to call Steve Freund, 805-827-2288

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 an 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.

Church Offertory



ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

**Church Offertory:
March 10th Collection**

Church: \$6,329.36

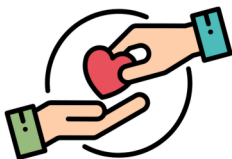
Hispanic: \$1,674.76

WeShare: \$1,648.22

Total: \$9,652.34

**Fish Fry for the Parking Lot:
\$1,475.49**

"God loves the cheerful giver."
2 Corinthians



Thank you for your generous contributions!

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 2 opportunities to do so. We will have a second collection on Easter Sunday, and April 7th. Checks should be made out to the church.

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.



St. Vincent De Paul

Serving those in need.

February donations were \$2156 and SVDP assisted 16 families with rent/utilities totaling \$3718. Thank you for your continued support. April 2024 items needed for the Food Baskets: Tuna, mixed fruit cups, dried beans, mac and cheese. Personal care items for Men and Women are always needed. Personal care items for Men and Women are always needed. Non Perishable Items are always welcome.

Collection - April 28. 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.com. 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

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 8241

April 2 - Fraternal Benefits night at St. Christopher
6:30 p.m. meal and social
7:00 virtual presentation begins

April 7 - Parish-wide potluck after 11 a.m. Mass

Volunteers needed to set up Family Life Center and to clean up afterwards

April 7 - Monthly KC Business meeting at 1 p.m.



KNITTING MINISTRY

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

ADD A DISH

When: Sunday April 7th
Where: After the 11am Mass in the Family Life Center

Why: Join us for the monthly Add a Dish, this is an opportunity to enjoy fellowship with our Church Family.

Gospel

John 20:1-2



On the first day of the week, Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark, and saw the stone removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them, "They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don't know where they put him."

YOUNG ADULT GROUP

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

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.

COR Men's Formation Program:

All men of the parish are invited to our next COR meeting on Wednesday, April 3 at 7:15 PM in the church office.

MOTHER'S GROUP

Text or Call Shannon Baudry at 615-332-4892

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 Schachle-
daniel.schachle@outlook.com

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

Jody Cesario -
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Bill Morgan-
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Prayer List

Jim Anthony, Mark Beasley (son of Joyce Henning),
Alvin Biggs (cousin of Sylvia McCutchen), **Mike Calvo**,
Margaret Chavez (sister of Lois White) **Kaendence Clark**,
James David Cauthen (Son of Jayne and Joe Cauthen) **Scott Davidson** (Nephew of the Duckart Family),
Dawn Davis, Dennis DeBlock, Leigh Durant, Mark Engele (son of Leo Engele) **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), **Anthony 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 in-law 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)

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.

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 quiereres preparar para El Sacramento de Matrimonio. Ven a recibir las Platicas pre-matrimoniales 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"