ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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APRIL 14, 2024 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Upcoming Events :





Sunday, April 21 -Parent Meeting for 1st Communion Sunday, April 28 -Parent Meeting for Confirmation Saturday, May 11 -1st Communion @ 10am Friday, May 31 -Confirmation @ 6pm

<u>COR Men's Formation</u> <u>Program:</u>

All men of the parish are invited to our next COR meeting on Wednesday, April 17 at 7:15 PM in the church office.

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



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

<u>Confessions</u> 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 - +Bill Dooris

Sunday, April 14

8:30 - People of the Parish

11:00– Joe Schachle

4:00 - +Feliciano Pantaleon

Monday, April 15

Souls of Purgatory

Wednesday, April 17

James Graham

Thursday, April 18

+Leo Schachle, Sr

Friday, April 19

+Shirley Anthony

Saturday , April 20

+Joe Webster



Lord help me to remember that nothing is going to happen to me today the You and I together can't handle.

Amen

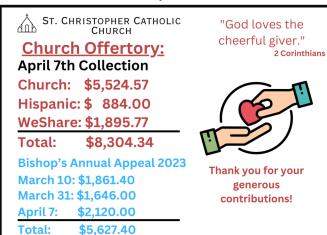
Birthday List

04/14: Jeffrey Edwards, Annabella Garcia, Steven Martin, Nicholas Tidwell 04/15: Jennifer Alt, Cristina Cano-Aviles, Cedar Katherine England, Roberta Richards, Leanette Serna, Lauren Webster 04/16: Jeff Coleman, Marisela Figueroa, Christopher Long, Austin Williams 04/17: Renee Cyr, Susan Lutz 04/18: Guadalupe Arteaga, Sally Guttery, Pedro Martinez 04/19: Elia Garcia, Ann-Marie Greer, Maria Martinez, Andy Ruiz, Catalina Nunez 04/20: Jackson Edwards, Jessica Elston, Juan Figueroa, Elizabeth Mirabella 04/21: Alan Fambrough, Terri Thomas

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

Church Offertory



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.

Magnificat Announcement

Magnificat is a monthly publication designed for daily use that aligns your personal prayer life with the liturgical rhythm of the Church, while immersing you in ongoing Faith formation. If you are interested in subscribing, please call or email the office. The yearly cost is \$39 per person.

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

May 5 - Parish-wide potluck after 11 a.m. Mass Volunteers needed to set up Family Life Center and to clean up afterwards May 5 - Monthly KC Business meeting at 1 p.m.



DICKSON RIGHT TO LIFE

The Dickson Right to Life Chapter will be hosting our Annual Oratory Contest for **High School Students** featuring for-life themes on Wednesday, April 17 from 6-8 pm the the Dickson YMCA. This year we will also include a Pro-Life Art Contest for students in grades 6-8. Cash prizes will be presented at each level. For more information and rules, please e-mail us at dicksonrighttolife@gmail.com. Entry deadline is April 12.

Parish Subsidy Forms for St Patrick School

If you would like to receive a subsidy, please stop by the office for a form. The deadline to turn in the form is May 1st. A meeting will be scheduled in May so that Father can meet with the families.

Gospel

Luke 24:44



YOUNG ADULT GROUP

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

<u>55 & OVER</u>

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.

MOTHER'S GROUP

Text or Call Shannon Baudry at 615-332-4892



<u>KNITTING MINISTRY</u>

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

"...everything written about me in the law of Moses and in the prophets and psalms must be fulfilled."

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

St. Vincent de Paul: Chip Fye, President (615) 446-3927, ext 7

Women's Club: Diana Morgan, President (615) 351-1591

Parish Council: Dan Schachle, Chairman (423) 991-2044

Parish Council

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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) 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), 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)

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

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"

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.