



# ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

713 W College St,  
Dickson, TN 37055

615-446-3927  
www.stchristophercc.com



## January 25, 2026

### THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Pastoral Staff:

Rev. Abraham Panthalanickal

Deacon: Jim Tucker

### 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.*

Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom  
and cured every disease among the people.

**St. Christopher Music Ministry**

Is looking for talented adult musicians to join their ministry.  
Piano accompanists and strong vocalists are especially  
needed.

Please reach out to our music coordinator if you are  
interested in serving the Parish in this way.

Marisa Kryza  
musicministry@stchristophercc.com

Weather cancellations  
due to the snow storm:

All services and  
classes

Sat Jan 24 through  
Tuesday, Jan 27

DIocese of  
Nashville

*World Marriage  
Day*

WEDDING  
ANNIVERSARY MASS  
WITH BISHOP SPALDING

For Couples Celebrating any  
Wedding Anniversary  
(Special Recognition  
for 25, 50, 60+ years)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2026  
2:30 P.M.

CATHEDRAL OF THE INCARNATION  
2015 WEST END AVE.

RECEPTION FOLLOWING MASS

RSVP:  
Visit [nashvillefaithformation.com](http://nashvillefaithformation.com)  
or call the Marriage and Family Life Office  
615-645-9752

DIocese of  
Nashville

*Día Mundial  
del Matrimonio*

MISA DE ANIVERSARIO  
DE BODAS  
CON EL OBISPO SPALDING

Para Parejas que Celebran  
cualquier Aniversario de Bodas  
(Reconocimiento Especial  
por 25, 50, 60+ años)

DOMINGO 1 FEBRERO 2026  
2:30 P.M.

CATEDRAL DE LA ENCARNACIÓN  
2015 WEST END AVE.

RECEPCIÓN DESPUÉS DE LA MISA

CONFIRME SU ASISTENCIA:  
en línea: [nashvillefaithformation.com](http://nashvillefaithformation.com)  
o llame a la Oficina de Matrimonio y Vida Familiar  
615-645-9752

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK:  
CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA

Father Abraham is on vacation from  
January 19 to February 16.  
Masses will continue as scheduled.

## Mass Intentions

Vigil canceled for weather

**Sunday, January 25**

8:30: canceled

11:00: canceled

4pm: canceled

**Monday, January 26**

Canceled

**Tuesday January 27**

No Communion Service

**Wednesday, January 28**

+Tom Holmes

**Thursday, January 29**

+Norma Knauss

**Friday January 30**

No Mass

**Saturday January 31**

+Daniel Spivey

JANUARY is devoted to the Holy Name of Jesus. We are commanded to keep the name of God holy, not using it in anger, dishonestly, or carelessly by cursing with it. We should use the name of Jesus as an invocation such as in the Jesus Prayer:

*"Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God,  
have mercy on me a sinner"*

"There is no salvation through anyone else, nor is there any other name under heaven given to the human race by which we are to be saved." Acts 4:12

FORMED.ORG sign up for  
free under parish account  
zipcode: 37055



The parish app is ready for download so you can verify your contact info and see your giving.

**PLEASE ASK ADULT CHILDREN TO REGISTER THEIR OWN CONTACT INFORMATION.**

Use the QR code or look in your app store for the Diocese of Nashville app. When opening the app the first time, you will be asked to enter the key-word for our parish.

Our parish's keywords:

English: stchristopher

Spanish: sancristobal



## Birthday List

**Sunday 1/25:**

Jase Aguilera, Emma Cass,  
Crystal Hatley, Jade Ibarra,  
Ronnie Tidwell

**Monday 1/26:**

Michael Clarke, Christine McKeever,  
Namir Reyes, Christopher Valdivia  
Chacon, Samuel Vasquez Gutierrez

**Tuesday 1/27:**

Dylan Bucio-Ruiz,  
Mateo Tirado-Garduno

**Wednesday 28:**

Kathleen Davis, William Orgain

**Thursday 1/29:**

Charlie Covington,  
Juan Gonzalez Barajas

**Friday 1/30:**

Brayner Ramirez,  
Yaslin Ramirez Lucas, Alivia Vossler

**Saturday 1/31:**

Vidalindo Ramirez, Ann Marie Walsh,  
Karen Webster

**Sunday 2/1:**

*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 you are an adult listed on your parents' profile, we need your contact information and church of attendance, so please download the app or fill out your own registration form.*



ST. CHRISTOPHER  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

## Church Offertory:

### January 18th Collection

Church: \$ 5,419.36

Hispanic: \$ 797.00

Online Giving: \$ 1,175.06

Total: \$ 7,391.42

"God loves the  
cheerful giver."  
2 Corinthians



Thank you for  
your generous  
contributions!

**The Lord is my light and  
my salvation.**

**FEBRUARY 8:**  
**WOMEN'S CLUB ANNUAL**  
**GAME DAY BAKE SALE!**

**OPEN HOUSE**

**RESCHEDULED TO FEBRUARY 8**  
1-3 pm

175 St. Patrick St.  
McEwen, TN 37101

sps-tn.org

Enrolling for Pre K3-8<sup>th</sup> grade 2026-27





**St. Vincent De Paul**

*Serving those in need.*

**CALL US**  
**(615) 375-8510**

Please continue to pray for our work in Dickson County

. We are in need of a couple of people who have a few hours once a week to train to be case workers.

**Next food basket delivery date is Saturday, February 21.**

*\*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

### **HOMEBOUND MINISTRY**

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



### **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



**Knights of  
Columbus®**

Please contact Eric Kuehler at 706-338-7911 if you have any questions. or check our webpage: [www.stchristophercc.com/kofc](http://www.stchristophercc.com/kofc).

## *Today's Gospel*

### **THE CALL OF THE FIRST DISCIPLES**



**As he was walking by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon who is called Peter, and his brother Andrew, casting a net into the sea; they were fishermen.**

**He said to them,**

**"Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men."**

**At once they left their nets and followed him.**

**He walked along from there and saw two other brothers, James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John.**

**They were in a boat, with their father Zebedee, mending their nets. He called them, and immediately they left their boat and their father and followed him.**

**Matthew 4:18-22**

### Parish Office

**Secretary** - Teryl Plaisance  
secretary@stchristophercc.com

**Bookkeeper** - Amy Schoenly  
bookkeeper@stchristophercc.com

**Religious Ed** - Amber Gonzales  
religiouseducation@stchristophercc.com

**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, Nicole Bond (Chris Bond's daughter), Nancy Brownfiel,  
Margaret Chavez (sister of Lois White),  
Carol & Richard Capone (sister & BIL of Mary Jane Stark)  
Andrew Capone (nephew of Mary Jane Stark)  
Roger Durant (brother of Brian Durant),  
Charles Elston, Rose & Jerry Elston,  
Steve & Susana Freund,  
Linda Greene (Sue Zimmerman's sister-in-law),  
Blaine Hogan, Louise Hornick,  
Jim McCann (son of Carolyn McCann)  
Sherry Laws (daughter of Sylvia McCutchen),  
Logan Family,  
Robert McCutchen (Son of Sylvia McCutchen),  
Sydney Matt (family member of Lee Durant)  
Fatima Mora,,  
Bill Morgan  
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 prematrimoniales 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.