

ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Pastoral Staff: Rev. Abraham Panthalanickal

Deacon: Jim Tucker

713 W College St,

Dickson, TN 37055

JULY 27, 2025

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Lord, on the day I called for help, you

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 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.

answered me.



FAITH FORMATION

Registration is open for children's Religious Education catechism classes. Students wanting First Holy Communion or Confirmation who don't have a baptism certificate when registering will need to talk to the parish secretary to request one from the church of baptism as soon as possible.

Classes begin August 10.

OCIA (formerly known as RCIA) is the **ADULT FORMATION** class for those wishing to join the Church, complete their Sacraments of Initiation by getting Confirmed, or reconnect after an absence from the Church. Those just wanting to refresh their knowledge and commitment are also welcome to join. We are always looking for Confirmed Catholics to be sponsors for those joining the Church. Classes begin at the end of August. See page 4 for contact info

If you have building keys, please keep in mind that you still need to check in with the office and get on the schedule when using any of the church facilities. If you cancel a scheduled activity, please let us know. We'd like to know if we see activity that it is our parishioners.

ALTAR SERVERS

Phil Brown will be hosting a training session for all current altar servers and any young man who has already received First Communion that is interested in serving at weekend Masses. The training will take place on **Saturday**, **August 2nd**, directly following daily Mass from 9-11am. We look forward to seeing both returning and new servers there!

Mass Intentions

Vigil Ursula Kintscher Sunday, July 27

Sunday, July 27
8:30: Lois & William Roche
11:00: People of the parish
4pm +Maria & +Elena Sanchez
Monday, July 28
Paul & Robin Hudson
Wednesday, July 30
Susan & Steve Fouche
Thursday, July 31
Trevor & Annie Von Esh

Friday August 1

Eric & Julie Kuehler

Saturday August 2

+Craig Hayden

ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

Church Offertory:

July 20th Collection

Church: \$ 4,259.00 Hispanic: \$ 763.00

Online Giving: \$ 1,760.84

Total: \$ 6,782.84

"God loves the

cheerful giver."

2 Corinthians

Thank you for your generous contributions!

Here is the link to our electronic giving. If you are still using WeShare, please

check for an email from Amy or call her for help to switch to PushPay, which is integrated with our new office software.



You have received a Spirit of adoption, through which we cry, Abba, Father.

Birthday List

7/27: Maria Garcia,

Emily Garduno Arteaga, Damian Robles

7/28: Raul Ibarra,

Bonnie Kulham Breazeale,

Yesmy Ramirez, Elvin Soto, Hailey Barnes

7/29: Gilberto Cruz, Ann Rickert

7/30: Ever Antonio Chirino, Junior Rivas

7/31: Pam Dotts, Cristian Garcia,

Luis Garcia Gutierrez, Kayla Schoenly

8/1: Cyndy Anderson,

Rocio Duran Gomez,

Arianna Garduno Arteaga,

Jose Angel Solabac Galvez

8/2: Dixie Broyles

8/3: Eve Anderson, Leonardo Correa,

Marie Kanyuh, Robert Rogan,

Marcia Standley, Justin Tinsley



Welcome to the Church
Lindsey Vasquez Esparza

Baptisms



Early Bird Registration ends tomorrow!





SEPTEMBER 13, 2025
CATHOLIC PASTORAL CENTER | NASHVILLE, TN





Welcome to the Church
Ivan Duarte Perez



Would you be able to give 15 min of your time to SVDP? Pray for our neighbors.

1 hour? Deliver food boxes on the 3rd Saturday of the month.

3 hours? Be trained as a case worker.

Thank you for all the support you have given!

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 sydpdickson1951@gmail.com.
At Venmo use the "Friends & Family option via Venmo! @sydpstchristopher

"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



LECTIO DIVINA

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

Veirnes 7 PM en la iglesia



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

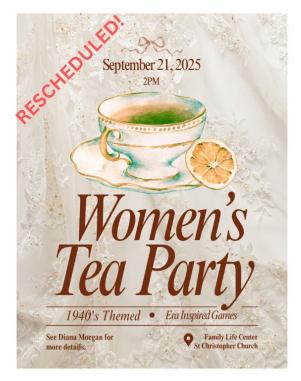




HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

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.



And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.

Luke 10:9-10.

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 - Daniel Schachle daniel.schachle@outlook.com

Vice-chair - Regina Webster websterreginam@gmail.com

Prayer List

Jim Anthony, Margaret Chavez (sister of Lois White), 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,

Jim McCann,

Robert McCutchen (Son of Sylvia McCutchen), 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)

Names not highlighted have been on the list for awhile and will drop off. 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.



Te quireres preparer para El Sacramento de Matrimonio. Ven arecibir las Platicas prematrimonia les en Espanol. Para mas informacion con

Marriage Classes

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.)

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.

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"