



ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Pastoral Staff:

Rev. Abraham Panthalanickal

Deacon: Jim Tucker

SEPTEMBER 21, 2025

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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.*

Though our Lord Jesus Christ was rich, he became poor,
so that by his poverty you might become rich.



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.

We meet in the parish office
at 9:45am on Sundays

UPCOMING EVENTS

**September 21: 2pm
Women's Club Tea**

**Sunday October 19
Parish Picnic
after the 11 am Mass until
3pm**

Mass Intentions

Vigil +Jeff Von Esh

Sunday, September 21

8:30: People of the parish

11:00: Daniel & Michelle
Schachle

4pm Fanny Garduno

Monday, September 22

+Joe Geist

Wednesday, September 24

Julie & David D

Thursday, September 25

Tommy Link

Friday September 26

Ben Kuehler

Saturday September 27

Priests of the

Diocese of Nashville

The month of September is dedicated to
Our Lady of Sorrows - Feast day
Monday September 15.
Reflect on the Seven Sorrows of Mary
and unite yourself to the suffering of
Jesus with her.



ST. CHRISTOPHER
CATHOLIC CHURCH

"God loves the
cheerful giver."
2 Corinthians

Church Offertory:

September 14th Collection

Church: \$ 6,878.00

Hispanic: \$ 899.00

Online Giving: \$ 1,969.89

Total: \$ 9,746.89



Thank you for your
generous
contributions!



Here is the link to our
electronic giving.
Please email or call the
bookkeeper Amy for help to
switch from WeShare to
PushPay, which is integrated into our
office software.



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Birthday List

Sunday 9/21: Shelley Normay Garcia,
Mason Rosborough, Cristian Ruiz

Monday 9/22: Patricia Bomba, Chase
Fambrough

Tuesday 9/23: Hettie Averite,
Guadalupe Guzman, Carson Sander

Wednesday 9/24:

Sarah Hogan

Thursday 9/25: Cleofe Dietz, Nicole
Flanagan, Elizabeth Gomez, Thomas
Link, Maurilio Perez Morales, Jerry
Smith, Seth Smith, Melissa Wallick

Friday 9/26: Mallory Reece Keller,
Carissa Overton, John Suddoth, Jr.,
Kayeloni Turnbull

Saturday 9/27: Angel Aguilera, Kim
Cantu, William Ercambrack, Helton
Palmer, AB Jones, Tammy Rogan

Sunday 9/28:

Orlando Ruiz Bautista

*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!*

Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.

BAAM Goal 2025: \$34,000



\$15,098

received from 41 donors
as of 9/12/25

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL FOR MINISTRIES



The Seven Sorrows of Mary

1. St. Simeon's Prophecy
2. The Flight into Egypt
3. The Loss of Jesus in the Temple
4. The Meeting of Jesus and Mary on the Way of the Cross
5. The Crucifixion
6. Mary Receives the Body of Jesus taken down from the Cross
7. The Burial of Jesus



We occasionally have need of work or get calls asking if there is a parishioner who has a particular business; recently, for example, a request was made for an attorney who does wills. In order to help connect and support our parish family, we'd like to compile an office list of parishioners' businesses for referrals. If you'd like to be on the list, contact the office.



St. Vincent De Paul

Serving those in need.

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

For the past few months SVDP has been short drivers for our monthly Food Box deliveries. Please consider devoting about an hour and a half to help deliver food to our neighbors in need. Please call our office and leave a message if no one volunteer is there. We will get back to you. SVDP's number is: 615- 375- 8510. Thank you.

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



TODAY

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



LECTIO DIVINA

Renovación carismática

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

Veirnes 7 PM en la iglesia



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.



**Knights of
Columbus**

NEW MEETING TIME:

2nd Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. beginning in October

UPCOMING EVENTS:

9/21 - Exemplification of new Knights after 11 a.m. Mass (all Knights are encouraged to attend)

10/4 - Parish clean-up event at St. Christopher from 9 a.m. to noon (lunch will be served)
need Knights to weed, mulch, paint, pressure wash, etc.

10/8 - Monthly business meeting at 7 p.m.

10/19 - Parish picnic - Knights are needed to cook hamburgers, hot dogs, and french fries

Please contact Eric Kuehler at
706-338-7911 if you have any questions.

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, Nancy Brownfiel,
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,
Robert McCutchen (Son of Sylvia McCutchen),
Sydney Matt (family member of Lee Durant)
Fatima Mora,
Anne Marie Reyes (daughter of Carol Cupo),
Rita Seamon (family member of Lee Durant)
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.