Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 19, 2015

"Behold, the days are coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up a righteous shoot to David." Jeremiah 23:5a

CALENDAR OF MASSES/EVENTS

Sunday, July 19, 2015 – Sugar Weekend Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Mystagogy/RCIA Class

9:00 am Joy of the Gospel with Chris Greer

10:30 am Liturgy +John Gillispie by: Margaret Gillispie

11:30 am Coffee

4:00 pm Joy of the Gospel – with Barbara Smith

Monday, July 20, 2015

Take breakfast to ICU waiting room at Baptist Desoto There will be mass at 9:00 am at Christ the King

Tuesday, July 21, 2015

There will be mass at 9:00 am at Christ the King

Wednesday, July 22, 2015

There will be mass at 9:00 am at Christ the King

Thursday, July 23, 2015

There will be mass at 9:00 am at Christ the King 10:00 am **Joy of the Gospel** with Sara Rauch 8:00 pm AA & Al-Anon

Friday, July 24, 2015

There will be mass at 9:00 am at Christ the King 6:00 pm Confirmation Retreat Begins

Saturday, July 25, 2015

5:30 pm Confessions

Confessions available by appointment also 342-1073 6:00 pm Liturgy For the Parish Community

Sunday, July 26, 2015

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Mystagogy/RCIA Class

9:00 am Joy of the Gospel with Chris Greer

10:30 am Liturgy Intentions of Sr. Antonienne

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by: The Morning Crew

11:30 am Coffee

3:00 pm Confirmation Retreat Ends

Priest Contact Numbers: SERIOUS SACRAMENT EMERGENCY ONLY 901-351-6591 All other needs 662-342-1073

RELIGIOUS GOODS STORE

July 19 – Len Wright July 26 – Beverly Goode

CHILDREN'S HOMILY

July 19 – Joy Sample July 26 – Maria Mitchell

ALTAR LINENS MINISTRY

July - Barbara Dean

BULLETIN INFORMATION All material for the bulletin must be submitted to MaryAnn Nix, 662 429-7851 or

holyspiritchurch@shsm.org by NOON TUESDAYS for inclusion in Sunday's bulletin.

Liturgy Ministry Schedule PLEASE REMEMBER:

You are to arrive at least 20 to 30 minutes before mass is to begin. This is very important to prepare and be ready.

Saturday, **July 25 – 6:00 pm**

Greeter: Tijuana Buchanan/Nancy Brown

Usher: Chuck & Martha Blumer

Server: Don Greer

Lector: Charlie Young/Lori Stephens

Gift Bearer: Ellis Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Chris Greer/Liz Brown/Jean Adams

Sunday, July 26 – 10:30 am Greeter: Rose & Merritt Powell

Usher: Bill Warner/Merritt Powell/Ron & Shirley Henderson

Server: Noah Sansom/A. J. Castro (Gutierrez)
Lector: David Yelverton/Katherine Carroll

Gift Bearer: Gutierrez Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Chris Mitchell/Sarah Galtelli/ Mark & Diane Dryja/Keelan Ready/Felicia Hill/Barbara Dean

<u>REMINDER:</u> If you are unable to fulfill your ministry obligation, it is your responsibility to find someone that can serve in your place. Thank you.

PARISH SUPPORT

Needed Weekly for Budget\$5	,153.85
Last Week's Offering\$4	,172.75
Needed Weekly for Note Payment \$1	,626.23
Debt Reduction Last Wk\$	731.00
Community Services\$	55.00
Bread	8 25 00

LAWN MINISTRY

Team #1 – Brian Sajdak, Sal Galtelli, Blaine Anderson and Mark Dryja Team will begin Wednesday, July 22 through Saturday, July 25. Team #2 – Don Greer, Bill Marking, Ronnie Henderson, David Marking, and the Ward boys Team will begin Wednesday, July 28 through Saturday, August 1. This ministry saves Holy Spirit thousands of dollars every year! It is a real service to the Lord.

God Bless all our lawn ministers.

PARISH SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

The parish summer schedule:

July 20 - 25 9am Christ the King

July 27 – 31 9am Queen of Peace

Aug. 3 – 7 9am Holy Spirit

The location will be announced each week in the bulletin.

There should be no eating, drinking or gum in the Church. If a child must have nourishment, please do so in the cry room.

Gifted and Called – I say "yes," Lord

REGISTRATION FOR RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTSAND CHILDREN AGE 7 AND UP) IS OPEN NOW. Adult classes are on Sundays beginning the Sunday after Labor Day. Call Sr. Emily for an appointment to register.

FALL BAZAAR NEWS

WE HAVE LESS THAN 2 MONTHS BEFORE OUR FALL BAZAAR TO BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 12, 2015

RAFFLE TICKETS – Available August 1st. All prizes will be CASH

SAVE-A-LOT GROCERY – We would like every family to donate as many of the following items as possible: Paper Towels – Dish Detergent – Canned Soup – Canned Vegetables – Mac/Cheese. Start looking for deals on these items.

SILENT AUCTION – New items, gift certificates, perfect condition antiques, time shares, etc.

BOOTH RENTAL SPACE – Contact Barbara Dean 901-486-6470

As always VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED for a variety of jobs. Contact
Barbara Smith H-662-233-4833 C-901-413-8102

PREP CLASSES AND TIMES....ALL PARISHES REGISTER NOW!

CHRIST THE KING K-4 SUN 8:30, 11:15AM

5-8 TUES. 6:30-8PM 9-12 WED. 6:30-8PM

GOOD SHEPHERD K-3 SUN. 9AM

CONFIRMATION 1 SUN. 9AM

HOLY SPIRIT K-5 SUN. 9AM

6-12 WED. 6:30 -8PM

QUEEN OF PEACE K-5 SUN. 9AM

6-12 SUN. 7-8:30PM

ST. GREGORYK-12 SUN. 9:00AM

ST. JOSEPH K-12 SUN.



BACKPACK BLESSINGS! At the weekend Masses of August 9th and 10th, all the children of our parishes are asked to bring their backpacks to the Mass they will attend.

There will be a special blessing to begin the school year for all students and for all of the school workers.

Every Day is a Gift - even when you don't like the wrapping paper!

NO CELL PHONE ZONE We remind all to please turn off all cells phones and electronic communication devices when entering the church buildings. The signals, even from a silenced phone, interfere with the wireless microphones of the church.

Seriously Sick & Hospitalized Please Pray For The Sick

Your prayers are requested for the following who are seriously ill:

Kendall Shaw, Ronnie Rauch, Cil Johnson, Corrine Patton, Bob Haas (C. Patton), Daniel Douglas (Jeffries bronlaw), John Foti (Muzzi Bro), Cathy Cuthbertson (Sheila Parr Aunt), Mike Shelby (MaryAnn's Bro), Parker Carroll, Carol Krug (Nancy M. sisnlaw), Howard Snyder (D. Dryja dad), Al Gawel, Dreston Gaboya, Harriet Lupo, Chad Greer, June Vanlandingham, Don Smith (Marie's son), Thelma Duke, Joseph Ingoglia, Leslye Hall, Fr. Lenin Vargas, Joe Menne (Charlie's bro, Birdie Lewis (Felicia grandma), Nancy Rachal, Farris Jenkins (N Rachal bro-n-law), Chuck Dean (Fr. Greg), Mary Griffin, Joy Smith, Meredith Hannah, Lucas Goeller (Newcamp), Nobuko Allen, Kim Craig (J. Davis sisnlaw), Dr. Robert Maddux, Dan Chalk (N. French), Carter Brooks, Michael Caruthers, Myriam Suarez (M. Rexroade's mom), Sherry Vowell (Ken Hoover's sis), Josh Bixler (Bill/Liz Brown's nephew), David Poudrier (son), Sara Hewitt (Marie Smith), Robert Tully (brother-in-law), Carolyn Ann Hollahan (B. Kelly's sis), Linda Buechele, Kevin Nelson (Jeannine nephew), and Jared Smith (Liz Brown). Please notify the Pastor when serious illness occurs or when hospitalization is indicated: we would like to strengthen the ill with the Eucharist and the Sacrament of the Sick (Anointing).

RECYCLING The Men's Association is now accepting aluminum cans. Bring your bags to the garage door or if you are in the Family Life Center, put them in the containers marked for cans. Proceeds are being split between Catholic Social Services, Interfaith Food Bank, and the Cindy Pretti Scholarship Fund. For further information, contact Lee Smith at 233-4833 or Sal Galtelli at 429-5071.

Praise the Lord!! Brent Hughes has volunteered to represent Holy Spirit in the Velvet Cream Ice Cream eating contest July 23, 5 pm.

2015 Confirmation Retreat

(2015 Confirmandi only) Friday, July 24 thru Sunday, July 26, 2015. The retreat will be held at Wall Doxey State Park in Holly Springs, MS. Letters with all information will be mailed out this coming week.

LADIES' ASSOCIATION <u>holyspiritladies@gmail.com</u>

ATTENTION BOWLING GROUP

We will have a brief meeting this Sunday immediately following the Mass, approximately 11:30 am, regarding our plans for the fall. If you haven't signed up yet, just come on to the meeting. This will be more for fun than for competitive bowling. If you are interested, please call Cindy Thomas at 662-429-7651 or the church office at 662-429-7851.



Catholic Social Thought calls us to take responsibility for our use and care of the earth.

The decisions we make can make a positive difference as we respond to the call to be better stewards and to reflect on how our lifestyle choices impact God's Creation and the poor in our midst.

Global climate change continues to be a major topic in the public spotlight.

While everyone from scientists to politicians are joining forces to address

this reality, there are numerous simple things each one of us can do to make a difference. Are you ready to make a difference?

- 1. Plan Car Trips Ahead of Time: If you are like most people who live in their car, be mindful of the number of unnecessary trips you make in given week. Plan your errands, meetings, pick-ups, and routes ahead of time in order to cut back on your contribution to emissions and gas use.
- 2. Use Earth-friendly Cleaners: The products that you use to clean your home may actually be harmful for the earth, containing damaging chemicals and upsetting the ecological balance. Buy or make "green" cleaning products that are biodegradable and designed with the earth in mind.
- **3. Ride Your Bike**: More and more cities are jumping on the bandwagon of cutting gas emissions by promoting bike paths for commuters. Consider using your bike to get to or from work or, if that is impractical, consider increasing bike use on the weekends to make those shorter trips to the store. The earth will benefit and so will your overall health.
- **4. Look for the Energy Star**: When making purchases of new appliances, check to see that they carry the Energy Star symbol indicating that they are designed to be more energy efficient than other models. Appliances with this label not only use less power but can also greatly reduce your energy bill.
- **5. Conserve Water**: Water tends to be something we take for granted, but it is quickly becoming one of the most precious resources of the earth and needs our care and conservation. Be more mindful of unnecessary water use and don't leave the faucet running. Repair leaking faucets.
- **6.** Change Your Light Bulbs: One significant way to curb energy use: the light bulb socket. Compact florescent light bulbs (CPL) are a small purchase and can make a big change. These spiral shaped bulbs may cost more, but they

use one-fourth the energy and can be found anywhere light bulbs are sold.

- **7. Hang a Clothes Line**: This may sound like a return to the 1950's but using a clothes line instead of your heated dryer can cut back drastically on energy use. Additional benefits include that fresh clothesline scent and a smaller electric or gas bill.
- **8.** Consume Less, Share More: Unbridled consumption is part of the dynamic increasing demand on the need for energy and fuels. Assess your own buying habits and consumerist tendencies. Cut back where you can, sharing unused or unneeded items with others. As the saying goes, "Have less, be more."
- **9. Support a Local Farmer**: Most of the food we eat travels hundreds and sometimes even thousands of miles to reach our grocery stores and markets. Do your part to reduce our dependency on oil and fossil fuels and buy locally from a farmer in your region. Find a farmers market in your area through the internet or yellow pages.
- **10. Plant Extra Veggies**: As the gardening season gets underway, add an extra plot of vegetables to provide fresh produce for a local soup kitchen or homeless shelter. The garden will be bountiful and others will reap what you sow.

www.education for justice.org

ATTENTION LANDSCAPE LOVERS, DIRT DIVAS & FOLIAGE FANATICS MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY

You know you are gifted. Is God calling you? We welcome any and all who are *willing to help* us keep our grounds looking loved and well maintained. REMEMBER, our grounds are the first impression people have of our love for our Church!! We especially need *people to be responsible for one area* – weeding, watering if needed, etc. Any level of interest is needed so don't let limited time stop you!! We have the whole summer ahead to use your skills. For more information you can contact Roxanne McIngvale at 429-9294 or roxannebmc@yahoo.com.

FREE MINISTRY TO TRAVELING CATHOLICS

For nationwide Mass times and locations: call 1-800-627-7846 or Internet www.Masstimes.org Yes, Holy Spirit is there!



THANK YOU

Dear Holy Spirit Family,

Thank you very much for all your prayers during and after my surgery. I am very grateful.

Sincerely, Nita Young We have a beautiful church. We need your help keeping it picked up and cleaned after the masses. Take a few minutes after the Mass has ended to straighten the books and check the area for trash. This is our home and should always be clean and welcoming including our bathrooms! No food or drink inside!

JOB OPENINGS

Holy Family School 4th Grade Teacher Needed! Holy Family School, a PreK-8 elementary Catholic school



operated by Sacred Heart Southern Missions located in Holly Springs, MS seeks a full-time Fourth Grade Teacher for the 2015-2016 school year. Applicants must meet MS state teacher certification and licensure requirements. Qualified applicants should send a cover letter and

resume to HR Manager, SHSM, P.O. Box 190, Walls, MS 38680; FAX: 662-781-3340; or email: https://hrw.ncg.

Sacred Heart School Music Teacher Needed!
Sacred Heart School, operated by Sacred Heart Southern
Missions and located in Southaven is seeking candidates for
the position of Music Teacher (PreK – Grade 8) for the
2015-2016 school year. Experience in choral
and instrumental band instruction is a plus.
Applicants must meet MS state teacher
certification and licensure requirements.
Qualified applicants should send a cover
letter and resume to: Principal, Sacred

Southaven, MS 38671 or Fax to: 662-349-0690 or e-mail to: shsjobs@shsm.org.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHER/ATHLETIC DIRECTOR NEEDED!

Heart School, 5150 Tchulahoma Road,

Sacred Heart Catholic Elementary School, Pre-K – 8th grades, operated by Sacred Heart Southern Missions, located in Southaven, Mississippi is seeking candidates for the position of Physical Education Teacher/Athletic Director for the 2015-2016 school year. In addition to physical education,



the AD will organize and schedule all interscholastic and intramural events. Will oversee the facilities and the Logistics of each sports program associated with the school. Stipend offered.

Applicants must meet MS state teacher certification and licensure requirements.

Qualified applicants should send a cover letter and resume to: Principal, Sacred Heart School, 5150 Tchulahoma Road, Southaven, MS 38671 or Fax to: 662-349-0690 or e-mail to: shsjobs@shsm.org.

Volunteers needed to serve at the weekend liturgies. Be praying about where God is calling you to serve.

BAPTISM REGISTRATIONS FOR AUGUST will be on August

15. Please call Sr. Emily for an appointment.
Baptisms dates are Aug. 29 and 30 in all parishes.
Preparation sessions are Aug. 17 and 24. No babies!
Qualifications for godparents are that they are
practicing Catholics, registered in a parish, attending
Mass regularly, baptized, confirmed, Holy Communion
and if married, married in the Catholic Church.
Godparents who live in another parish should request a
letter from their pastor recommending them as godparents.

PROTECTION OF CHILDREN CLASSES OFFERED

Each year Sacred Heart School host numerous Protection of Children training classes. The training they do is for parents. They are set for:

August 3 at 5:00 pm
August 11 at 5:00 pm
August 15 at 4:00 pm
August 28 at 8:00

August 15 at 4:00 pm
September 12 at 10:00 am

If you think you may like to take part in field trips, or help in a classroom, or help here at church with religious education classes, VBS, etc. and haven't had the class as yet, here is your opportunity. Be sure and add Holy Spirit as an affiliated site. Contact Sacred Heart School, 5150 Tchulahoma Road, Southaven, Ms 38671, 662-349-0900 phone or www.sheartschool.org

GONE WITH THE WIND......

Fr. Bob July 16 - 24

Sr. Emily July 22-Aug 2

Fr. Greg Schill July 27-Aug. 7

Annual Dress-A Child Program

Each year Interfaith Council on Poverty works with its member churches to provide a complete outfit, shoes, back pack, and the <u>school supplies</u> for the less fortunate children in our area.

Once again this year Holy Spirit's contribution will be to provide the school supplies for the children that are part of this dress-a-child program. We are blessed to have a volunteer that will get the school lists, take our donations and purchase the supplies.

We are also blessed to have volunteers to sort per child and take the individual bags to the schools involved.

WE WILL BE ACCEPTING DONATIONS THIS WEEKEND – July 18/19

Your generosity has always been wonderful, for this very special program!

We ask each family to PARTICIPATE IN SOME WAY

Checks should be made payable to Holy Spirit as this is our church's contribution to this project and the monies collected will be used to purchase the school supplies.

There are now 15 churches taking part in this Interfaith project.

WEIGHT LOSS SUPPORT GROUP Wednesday morning at 8:30 am for a weigh in and sharing. Liz Brown is our contact person for this adventure. 901-331-3419.

Parish registration helps the parish staff plan programs, budgets, etc. for the many needs of our people. If you have been coming to our parish but are not yet registered, please do so. The forms are at the bulletin board at the entrance of the church.