

#### Rev. Mike Austin, Pastor Rev. Donbosco, Associate Pastor Deacon Bill Vrazel

Mass Schedule: Summer Months, Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Winter Months, Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

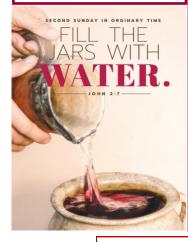
Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.

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### Sunday, January 19, 2025

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



#### Jesus Saves the Best Until Now

A friend invited me to an invitation-only wine-tasting event. There were over two hundred varieties of wine. Having no idea how to approach such a massive selection, I wandered aimlessly among the tables, sipping this and that. At the end of the evening my friend asked if I had tried some of the exceptionally expensive wines. I hadn't. "The really good stuff disappears first," he said. "My man, you missed out on some amazing vino." I was so disappointed. I wasted my chance for amazing once-in-a-lifetime wine. The wine I tasted was, well, *blah*.

Don't we often feel a similar disappointment in life? I missed this or that opportunity. If only I had known. Optimism sputters and fades. The glory days are gone. The chances, it seems, for the really great things in life come and go so quickly. Then they are gone forever. The good stuff goes first. Then life is just *blah*.

Not so with the Lord Jesus. In Jesus' miracle at the wedding at Cana, the steward of the feast says, "Everyone serves good wine first, and then...an inferior one" (John 2:10). That's the natural downward progression of life. The good stuff disappears quickly. But he says of the groom (who symbolizes Jesus), "But you have kept the good wine until now." This is the ever-improving trajectory of the realm of God's grace. With Jesus, the "good wine" of divine love, hope and peace gets better as our journey of faith progresses. Where are your greatest disappointments? Don't give in to the lie that the really good stuff is gone. Tell Jesus you've run out. Then learn how to taste *that* amazingly good wine, because he saves the best until now.

— Father John Muir

Today's Mass Readings

Daily Mass

Bible

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*First Reading:* As a young man marries a virgin, your Builder shall marry you; and as a bridegroom rejoices in his bride so shall your God rejoice in you. (Is 62:5)

**Psalm:** Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations. (Ps 96)

**Second Reading:** But one and the same Spirit produces all of these, distributing them individually to each person as he wishes. (1 Cor 12:11)

*Gospel:* Jesus did this as the beginning of his signs at Cana in Galilee and so revealed his glory and his disciples began to believe in him. (Jn 2:11)

Monday: Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 2:18-22

*Tuesday:* Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c/Mk 2:23-28 *Wednesday:* Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 3:1-6 **Thursday:** Heb 7:25—8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Mk 3:7-12 *Friday:* Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85:8 and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mk 3:13-19 *Saturday:* Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Mk 16:15-18

Next Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 (see Jn 6:63c)/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4;

4:14-21

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This Week's **Events** 

Monday, January 20—	- 7:25 am Rosary - Church - 8:00 am MASS - Church - 10:00 am Parish Prayer Group - Chapel  - 5:00 pm - 11:00 pm Adoration - Church - 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm RECONCILIATION offered in Church - 5:30 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal - Chapel		
Tuesday, January 21 —	- 6:30 pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Chapel - 7:00 pm MASS - Chapel		
Wednesday, January 22 —	- 6:30 am Java & Jesus - Parish Hall - 7:25 am Rosary - Church - 8:00 am MASS with Moms - Church - 9:00 am Bible Study Meet - Parish Hall - 6:30 pm OCIA Faith Formation Class - Conf. Center - 6:30 pm The Healing Face of Jesus Healing Ministry Healing Service - Church		
Thursday January 23 —	- 7:25 am Rosary - Chapel - 8:00 am MASS - Chapel - 9:00 am Adoration until Benediction at 5:00 pm - Chapel		
Friday, January 24 —	- 8:30 am <i>Children's MASS</i> - Church - 9:30 am - 11:30 am St. Vincent de Paul Society - Parish Hall		
Saturday, January 25 —	<ul> <li>1:00 pm Youth Ministry Setup - Parish Hall</li> <li>4:00 pm Vigil MASS - Church (RECONCILIATION offered 30 minutes prior to Mass)</li> </ul>		

# en our Thoughts & Prayers

Mary Helen Allen, Louise Altier, Adam Amort, Jerri Anderson, Leota Ayuso, Lee Ayuso, Tammy Bates, Jeff Beaver, Kim Beech, James Bell, Jan Berry, Tracy Biggs, Sandra Bishop, Rusty Bohn, Asher Bonura, Dian Bradley, Jim Bradley, Mike Brown, John Bull, Josephine C., Martha Burdette, Fr. Ronnie Calkins, Jamie Ann Canton, Patty Caranna, Sarah Carboni, Fr. David Carucci, Bruce Carver, Jerry Casey, Jim Cooke, Mae Mae Cooley, David Corollo, Donna Dantin, Lynn Dantin, Danny Davis, Sr., Jim Dean, Megan Delgado, Marvel Desroche, Dawn Domecq, Brenda Dubuisson, Jeannie and John Dubuisson, Anne Erickson, Peter Fenn, Kim Fitzgerald, Janet Galen, Roy and Betty Gamez, Hannah Gest, Gerry Gough, Donnie Haley, Jr., John Hayden, Alan Hoda, Pat Hoda, Fay Hogan, Olivia Hood, Daniel Huck, Betty Hughes, Paul Hughes. David H. James. Sally and Wayne James, Janet Jefferson, Sierra Jefferson, Faye Johnson, Phillip Jones, Marcus Kaszabowski, Natalie Koenenn, Thomas Koenem, Barbara Ladner, Jill Ladner, Missy Ladner, Pam Ladner, Griffis Lamar, Dustin Leochner, Debbie Lizana, Charlotte Logan, John Logan, Mark Logan, Marlene Logan, Michelle Logan, Rod Malburg, Evelyn Lumpkin, Laura Creel Meadows, Lori Miller, Carl Molesworth, Pat Morley, Dennis Mottola, Kevin Niolet, Rita Norman, Kyle Patridge, Joshua Parker, Larry Peterman, Konner Peterson, Michelle Pisciotta, Jane Prescott, Emily Reaves, Bill Redo, Bryce Riordan, Jacob Rivera, Jaxson Rivera, Bev Rogers, Taige Roof, Tammy Graham Rome, June Rutland, Janet Ryan, Kevin Ryan, Clyde Schepens, William "Scooter", Leah Scott, Beth Sealy, James Senac, Rachel Singleton, Melissa Starita, Barbara Swilley, Jim and Michael Trott, Morgan Ulrich, Brittany Varney, Pat Vial, Anastasia Virvilis, Bragg Williams, Nadia Williams, Becky Wooley, Wayne Wooley, Paul Yaegar, Angie Parker Yonkin, Bruce Young

Please contact the Parish Office at 228-452-4686 to add or remove someone from the Prayer List. Thank you.



**January 20, 2025** 

#### **Weekly Operating Credits**

Offertory/Collection: \$12,517
Building Fund: \$190

Youth Ministry: \$103

Masses: \$90

Cemetery: \$25 Memorials: \$5

Second Collection: \$124

Poor Box and Charity: \$50

TOTAL: \$13,104

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#### **Weekly Fixed Expenses**

Schools: \$3210

Salaries and Benefits: \$4750 Diocese Support Tax: \$917 Utilities: \$1187.50

Janitorial, Maintenance Grounds: \$1189.75

Insurance: \$584
TOTAL FIXED WEEKLY
EXPENSES: \$13,075.00

"These are just the fixed expenses. There are many areas of ministry that require funding throughout the year (Youth Ministry, Religious Education, Adult Education, Liturgy, Office Supplies). I am publishing this as part of our new financial budgeting system. There will also be a general report quarterly. God Bless!" Father Mike Austin



## Pray for PRIESTS



"O Holy Mother of God, pray for our priests your Son has chosen to serve the Church. Help them, by your intercession, to be holy, zealous, and chaste. Make them models of virtue in the service of God's people. Help them be pious in meditations, efficacious in preaching and zealous in the daily offering of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Help them administer the Sacraments with love and joy. Amen".

**Sun., January 19:** For Fathers Fintan Kilmurray and Bartosz Kunat

*Mon., January 20:* For Father Clyde Mahler (Retired)

*Tuesday, January 21:* For Michael Marascalco

Wed., January 22: For Father Chinnappa R. Mark HGN

**Thur., January 23:** For Fathers Ryan McCoy abd Henry McInerney

*Fri., January 24:* For Msgr. John McGrath

Sat., January 25: For Father Joseph Mensah



*January 25 & January 26, 2025* 

#### 4:00 pm -Saturday, 1/25/25 *Vigil*

8:30 am - Sunday, 1/26/25

11:00 am -Sunday 1/26/25 5:00 pm -Sunday, 1/26/25

LECTORS

Lauri Wood

Jennifer D'Aquilla

Joy Burke

**Daniel Huck** 

**EEMs** 

Daren Freeman, Miriam MacDiarmid and Roger Ridgeway Ken Austin, Fran Braud, Justin Pletsch, Isabella Rawls and Lisa Simpson Chad Burge, Carl Mayeaux, Gayle Parker, Don Smith and Jean Smith Richard Bohn, Michelle Hoskins and Jo Johns

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Dave Bernadas, Hadleigh Boswell, Anna Ladner and Abram Herring Elleigh James Burge, James Burge and Anna Claire Thomas Carleigh Russo, Ellie Kate Thompson and Maci Thompson

#### THE HEALING FACE OF JESUS



HEALING MINISTRY OF THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF BILOXI

A night of Healing with Adoration,
Prayers of Deliverance, Sacrament of Reconciliation,
Anointing of the Sick and
One-on-One Pastoral Counseling.

Wednesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> 6:30 pm

Holy Family Church 22342 Evangeline Road Pass Christian

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If you would like a copy of your *Holy Family* 2024 Contribution Statement, please call the Parish Office at 228-452-4686. **THANK YOU.** 

## **Upcoming 2025 Second and Special Collections**

January 25 - 26: Church in Latin America & Saltillo Mission

February 1 - 2: St. Paul Cemetery

March 1 - 2: St. Paul Cemetery

March 5 (Ash Wednesday):

Churches in Eastern Europe and Africa March 8 - 9: Black & Indian Missions

April 5 - 6: St. Paul Cemetery

**April 18:** *Holy Land* 

April 26 - 27: Catholic Home Missions Appeal

#### Mass intentions for the week

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Saturday, January 18	4:00 pm	†Bill Wood †Shelly Bentz Healing for Ken Austin
Sunday, January 19	8:30 am	†Stephanie Hebert †Mr. and Mrs. James Austin, Sr. Special Intentions for Jimmy and Lynette Austin Special Intentions for Father Mike Austin
	11:00 am	† William Hughes †Jasper Reaves Special Intentions for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Olason Special Intentions for Steve and Monica Montagnet
	5:00 pm	
Monday, January 20	8:00 am	†Knost Family Healing for Sam Sandoz
Tuesday, January 21	7:00 pm (Church)	†John and Claire Brennan Healing for Father Truong Trinh
Wednesday, January 22	8:00 am	
Thursday, January 23 (Chapel)	8:00 am	†Knost Family Special Intentions for Steve and Monica Montagnet
Friday, January 24	8:30 am * † The Repose of the Soul	†Ben and Brenne Bridgeman



#### Holy Family Parish

Wednesday, January 22nd - 6:30 pm: *Healing Face of Jesus Healing Ministries Healing Service* - Holy Family

Saturday, January 25th - 10 am: First

**Reconciliation** - Holy Family



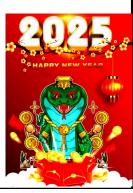
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#### Celebration Mass

Saturday, February 1, 2025
10:00 am at Holy Family
Reception immediately following
Parish Hall





THE MONSIGNOR LEECH COUNCIL 4472 INVITES GENTLEMEN AND LADIES OF THE PARISH TO JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AND THE LADIES AUXILIARY.

#### **Upcoming Events:**

- •KOC Monthly Meetings: 5pm 8pm pm First Tuesday of the month in the Parish Hall February 4, 2025
- •KOC Monthly Corporate Communion: Sunday 8:30 am Mass following the first Tuesday of the month. Parish Fellowship will follow in the Conference Center with coffee and donuts February 9, 2025
- •KOC Coffee and Donuts: 9:00 am Conference Center February 9, 2025
- ■Ladies Auxiliary Monthly Meetings: 6:30 pm Second Tuesday of the month in the Parish Hall – February 11, 2025
- •KOC Lenten Fish Fry: Fridays in lent 5:00 pm 7:00 pm Conference Center– March 7 April 16, 2025
- •KOC Fifth Sunday Rosary: 5th Sunday of the month following 8:30 am Mass March 30, 2025



"Dear Parishioners,

Cross Catholic Outreach thanks you for the welcome you extended to Rev. Nghia Cao, S.S. s. R. during his recent visit to your parish. On behalf of the poorest of the poor, we thank you for having transformed their lives. May our Lord continue to bless all of you for your love and support.

Yours in Christ, Michele Sagarino President"

> Whoever is kind to the poor lends to the Lord and will be repaid in full. Proverbs 19:17

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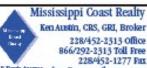


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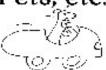
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