



BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH

PARISH INFORMATION

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Blessed Sacrament School

PreK—6th Grade
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St. Vincent de Paul Ministry:

324 W. Huntington Avenue
Tuesday 9:00 a.m.
870-316-0229

Motherhood Ministry:

324 W. Huntington Avenue
Wednesday 9:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Knights of Columbus Council 1702

1103 E. Highland Drive
Robert Monteforte, Grand Knight
870-761-6183

MAY 24
2020



ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Men of Galilee,
why are you standing there staring at the sky?
This Jesus who has been taken up from you into heaven
will return in the same way
as you have seen him going into heaven.

ACTS 1:11

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501-772-2272 or 870-520-8331

Currently our schedule of Masses and Adoration is as follows:

May 25, Mon	7.00am	Public Mass	Communion only during the Mass
May 25, Mon	7.30am-7.30pm	Adoration	Entrance through the main door
May 26, Tue	5.30pm	Private Mass	Communion offered to those who participate the livestreaming 6pm-6:15pm
May 27, Wed	7am	Public Mass	Communion only during Mass
May 27, Wed	7.30am-3.00pm	Adoration	Entrance only by the main door
May 28, Thu	5.30pm	Private Mass	Communion offered to those who participate the livestreaming 6pm-6:15pm
May 29, Fri	5.30pm	Private Mass	Communion offered to those who participate the livestreaming 6pm-6:15pm

From June 1st our schedule of Masses is as follows:

Mondays and Wednesdays public Mass and Communion during the Mass at 7am, and Adoration will continue thereafter.

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays Private Mass and Communion after each Mass for those who participate in the live streaming

Weekend Masses - Saturdays: 8am and 5.30pm; Sundays: 8am and 10am English; 12pm and 2pm Spanish
Confessions - Saturdays 4pm -5pm (Drive through available at the school entrance)

Guidelines:

Those who visit the Church **must** follow the directives and restrictions imposed by the Governor and Bishop and respect Blessed Sacrament Church guidelines:

The Sunday obligation to attend Mass is still under suspension until revoked by the Bishop. So, do not worry about missing Sunday Masses, at this time.

Those who visit the church or attend any religious worship such as adoration and Mass must always wear masks (age 10 and over) or other covering of mouth and nose except when receiving Holy Communion during Mass.

All must use a hand sanitizer upon arrival at the Church. Please bring your own hand sanitizer if possible. Please bring your own disinfectant wipes and clean your area before and after use.

Maintain social distance of 6', no handshake, no holding hands, no hugs, etc.

Holy Communion will be the Body of Christ.

Holy Communion reception only on the hand (without gloves). Communion will not be given on the tongue.

Those who do not receive Holy Communion are asked to, please, stay in their pew and don't come forward for a blessing.

Music will be provided by the Cantor.

No Hymnals or prayer books will be provided. If you wish, bring your own, but take them when you leave the church. Any items left on the pews will be removed and trashed.

Only the Family restroom will be available for use.

Only the Church main doors (that is southside entrance) will be open for entry and exit.

May 30, Sat	8am	Public Weekend Masses	Holy Communion during the Mass
May 30, Sat	5.30pm	Public Weekend Mass also Live streaming	Holy Communion during the Mass For those who participate via livestreaming Communion will be offered from 6:30pm-7:00pm
May 31, Sun	8.00am	Public Weekend Mass	Communion during the Mass
May 31, Sun	10am	Public Weekend Mass	Communion During the Mass
May 31, Sun	12pm	Public Weekend Spanish Mass & Live streaming	For those who participate via live streaming Communion will be offered from 1pm-1:30pm
May 31, Sun	2.00pm	Public Weekend Spanish Mass	Communion During the Mass

**Pro-Life Camp Joshua 2020
Planned for July 24-26!**

**Campamento de Pro-Vida 2020 en
Arkansas para el 24-26 de Julio**

If you are a teen or know a teen who has an interest in making a difference for life, Camp Joshua is the place where you/they will spend a weekend learning about the issues of abortion, euthanasia, infanticide and embryonic stem cell research while enjoying Cross Heirs Lodge, eating great food, playing pool and meeting new friends from around the state who share their love for life!

Cost per student is \$100. To register or for more information visit :

www.campjoshuaar.com

Limited scholarships available.

Sponsored by Arkansas Right to Life 501-663-4237 or artl4237@att.net



Sabe de algun joven que tiene interés en hacer diferencia a favor de la vida? El Campamento Joshua es el lugar en donde estarán un fin de semana; aprendiendo sobre los problemas del aborto, eutanasia y la investigación de células madre embrionarias mientras disfrutan de una gran comida , jugando al billar y conociendo a nuevos amigos de todo el estado que comparten su amor por la vida! El costo por estudiante es de \$100.

Para inscribirse o para más visita:

www.campjoshuaar.com

Becas limitadas disponibles.

Patrocinado por Arkansas Derecho a la Vida 501-663-4237 o artl4237@att.net

**Have you
prayed the
Rosary
today?**



**¿Ha rezado
usted el
Rosario
hoy**

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK
MAY 24-31, 2020**

Sunday Acts 1:12-14
Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8, 13
1 Pt 4:13-16 Jn 17:1-11a

Monday Acts 19:1-8 Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday Acts 20:17-27 Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday Acts 20:28-38
Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday Acts 22:30; 23:6-11
Jn 17:20-26

Friday Acts 25:13b-21
Jn 21:15-19

Saturday Acts 28:16-20, 30-31
Jn 21:20-25

Sunday Acts 2:1-11
Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13
Jn 20:19-23

**MASS TIMES &
MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, May 25
7:00 a.m. Lillian Fowler
by Martha Stafford

Tuesday, May 26 - Live Streaming
5:30 p.m. Bruce Osowski

Wednesday, May 27
7:00 a.m. Chris Henson

Thursday, May 28 - Live Streaming
5:30 p.m. Howard Moore
by Sissy Moore

Friday, May 29 - Live Streaming
5:30 p.m. Alvin Turner (Anniv. 3/21/17)
by Cold Family

Saturday, May 30 - Live Streaming
5:30 p.m. Angelia Nolan Blevins
by Martha Stafford

Sunday, May 31 - Live Streaming - Misa
12:00 p.m. Mass for Parishioners

**PARISH ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK
Office Hours 8 a.m.—1 p.m.**

Monday May 25
St. Bede the Venerable, St. Gregory, St. Mary Magdalene de Pazzi,
Memorial Day 
Parish offices are closed
7 a.m. Mass
7:30 a.m.—7:30 p.m. Adoration

Tuesday May 26
St. Phillip Neri
5:30 p.m. Mass—Live Streaming
6—6:15 p.m. Communion

Wednesday May 27
St. Augustine of Canterbury
7 a.m. Mass
7:30 a.m.—7:30 p.m. Adoration

Thursday May 28
5:30 p.m. Mass—Live Streaming
6-6:15 p.m. Communion

Friday May 29
5:30 p.m. Mass—Live Streaming
6-6:15 p.m. Communion

Saturday May 30
8 a.m. Mass— Public Mass
5:30 p.m. Mass—Public & Live Streaming
6:30—7 p.m. Communion, Parking lot

Sunday May 31
8 a.m. Mass—Public Mass
10 a.m. Mass—Public Mass
12 p.m. Mass in Spanish—Live Streaming
1—1:30 p.m. Communion, Parking lot
2 p.m. Mass in Spanish

**SACRAMENTS OF
FIRST EUCHARIST & CONFIRMATION**

Keep in prayer the youth who will receive the Sacrament of



this week and

those who will receive their
next month.



**BLESSED SACRAMENT
PARISH
CONGRATULATES**

**BLESSED SACRAMENT
SCHOOL'S
GRADUATING CLASS
OF 2020!**



PLEASE PRAY FOR: The special intentions of parishioners, especially those homebound/hospitalized, Agnes Tipton, Michelle Veteto, Shelby Ward, Lloyd McCuiston, Tim Veteto, Koen Smith, Yelba & Raymond Stevenson, Kathy & Donald Plessinger, Jody Amick, Doris Fitzgerald, Millie & Bill Kueter, Nikki Amick, Mary Ann Eaton, Vicki Elder, Rita Vaught, Metta Nesmith, Nancy McFarland, Freda & Jim Cole, Carolyn Boling, Jeannette Haddad, Pat Dacus, Rita Puryear, Charles Kline Family, Eddie Reinhart, David Wolters, Odette Dawood, Linda Cole, Mary Lane, Frank DiGaetano, Nancy Blades, Charlie Payne, Brenda Hetler, COVID-19 sufferers



POSITION OPEN

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Qualified candidates must be a practicing Catholic; must be a self-starter, well organized, have good communication skills and understand the nature of Blessed Sacrament Parish; must have office, administrative, and organizational skills to manage multiple tasks; possess excellent interpersonal skills to relate well with those who visit and call the church office; must have proficiency in Microsoft Office. Full time with benefits

Interested & qualified candidates should email resume & references to: pastor@catholicjonesboro.com

YOU'VE GOT THIS

Put yourself in the disciples' shoes. This is May, the season of graduations, new jobs, new cars, marriages, and so many other transitions as young people strike out on their own. Jesus reminded the disciples, "I have the power, and I've been teaching you for three years. Now you have the power. Go. Make Disciples. Baptize in the name of the Trinity. Teach them what I taught you." Surely the disciples were frightened, and Jesus must have felt both fear and pride. This was the moment that happens in every lifetime. It was time for these disciples, these students, his "children" to become the masters. And how did he reassure them? As parents and teachers and mentors have been doing for centuries. He smiled and reminded them, "Behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." Or as we might say, "You've got this."

TIENES ESTO

Ponte en los zapatos de los discípulos. Este es mayo, el tiempo de graduaciones, nuevos trabajos, nuevos carros, matrimonios y muchas otras transiciones que los jóvenes emprenden por sí mismos. Jesús les recuerda a los discípulos: "Dios me ha dado toda la autoridad, les he enseñado por tres años. Ahora ustedes tienen la autoridad. Vayan y hagan discípulos. Bauticen en el nombre de la Trinidad. Enséñenles lo que yo les enseñé". Seguramente los discípulos estaban asustados, y Jesús debió haber sentido tanto miedo como orgullo. Este era el momento que sucede en todas las vidas. Era hora para que estos discípulos, estos estudiantes, sus "hijos" se hicieran los maestros. ¿Y cómo los tranquilizó? Como los padres, maestros y mentores lo han estado haciendo por siglos. Él sonrió y les recordó: "Por mi parte, yo estaré con ustedes todos los días, hasta el fin del mundo". O quizá podríamos decir: "Tienes esto".