



# St. Francis Of Assisi Catholic Church

“Make me an Instrument of Thy Peace”

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June 13, 2021 Year B

## Eucharistic Celebration Of The Eleventh Sunday In Ordinary Time

The kingdom of God is like a mustard seed, which springs up and becomes the largest of plants, like a tender shoot from the cedar which will bear fruit and become a majestic cedar. So shall the just one flourish, like a cedar. As we walk by faith and not by sight, may our lives bear fruit in abundance.

### Staff

Fr. Manohar Thanugundla, Pastor  
Erin Womack, Secretary, DRE  
Sue Junkin, Bookkeeper  
Angele Bartholomew, Youth Minister

### Sacraments

#### Reconciliation:

4:40 PM on Saturday or by appointment.

**Baptism:** Contact the office to make an appointment with Fr. Mano.

**Marriage:** Contact the office to make an appointment with Fr. Mano at least six months in advance.

#### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass - 5:00 PM

Sunday Mass - 8:00 AM

Sunday Mass - 10:30 AM

Spanish Mass Sunday at St. Martin (Hazlehurst) 1:00 PM

#### Daily Mass Schedule

Monday, June 14- No Mass

Tuesday, June 15 - 11:50 AM Rosary, 12:10 PM Mass

Wednesday, June 16 - 11:50 AM Rosary, 12:10 PM Mass

Thursday, June 17 - 11:50 AM Rosary, 12:10 PM Mass

Friday, June 18 - 7:15 AM Mass

### Baby Bottle Boomerang!

Father's Day is approaching! Those of you who have donated, thank you so much! If you have not, there is still time to donate. Your donations are the fundraisers for the Center for Pregnancy Choices in Lawrence County and the Crisis Pregnancy Center of SW Mississippi in McComb.

*This year, you have the choice of filling a baby bottle or simply dropping your change in the large bottle in the vestibule as you enter or leave the Church.*

“There is still work to be done! There are still babies to be saved!” Your generosity is greatly appreciated!



**Prayers for Healing:** Merle Alexander, Karla Gerald, Nathan Williamson, James & Carol Laird, Lona Pool, Sherry Williams, Ken Berry, Megan Gerald, Shirley Armstrong, Heath Louviere, John Dietz, Butch & Dot Schott, Cindy Winstead, Billie June Peeler, Bridget Fairbrother, Ashley & Ryley Toups, Karen Faubion, Doug Schutzle, Katie Jones, Melinda Williams Rogers, Daniel Furlow, Kellie Barrett, Iddo Davis, Jeff Beeson, Dale Foster, Brenner Babin, Carla Bayer Holly, Will Stanback, Sophia Murray, Ronnie D. Lee, Ricky Whitehead, Kathy Bailey, Lonnie May Young, Gene Scoggins, Ben Williams, Sonny Parsons, Robert Grice, Madeline King, Loren Mays, Robin Rushing, C.W. Edge, Robert Wusterbarth, Paul Phillips, Cindy Galey, Ginger Dees, Georgia Kirton, Maryn Toups, Emily Picou, Mason Rodrigue, Connor Bray, Sally Nations McKee, Sue Peets Berch, James Howard  
**Prayers for the Homebound:** Bill Medor, Helen Walters, Elsa & Bela Nagy, John Damico, Judy Rudman.  
**Our prayers are with all of those called to defend our country, especially:** Major Charles Andrew Griggs

### Please note the following changes:

#### June

**5:00 PM & 10:30 AM Mass will have 1 Cross Bearer/Eucharistic Minister & 1 Lector and 1 Commentator.**

**8:00 AM Mass will have 1 person serve as Lector & Commentator.**

**Gift Bearers at all Masses will be those who have a birthday for the upcoming week.**

#### July

**The 10:30 AM Mass will be TEMPORARILY MOVED to 10:00 AM.**

**Nursery will be open at the 10:00 AM Mass.**

**Altar Servers will serve at the 5:00 PM & 10:00 AM Masses**

**Adoration will be at the 5:00 PM and 10:00 AM Masses on the 1st weekend of every month.**

Henry Ledet (June 12)  
Pat Barrett (June 12)  
Doris Panzica (June 13)  
Hien N. Guyen (June 15)  
Josie Townsend (June 18)

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a trip to the Mississippi Braves baseball game on Thursday, June 17th. All youth entering grade 4 and up and their families are invited. Please contact Bo Allen 601-757-1312 or Myron Bartholomew 601-551-1178 ASAP if you are interested in attending.

The Knights of Columbus will meet June 16, at 6:00 PM in the Parish Center Library.

Pastoral Council will meet June 17 at 6:00 PM.

### VACATION

**BIRTHDAY BLAST**  
A CELEBRATION OF LIFE!  
July 20th- 22nd  
5:00 PM - 8:00 PM  
Register now by calling Erin: 601-833-1799

## First Holy Communion

Mass will be June 27th at the 10:30 AM, reception following in Serio Hall.

Hunter Bartholomew  
Matti Kate Gaudet  
Phillip Murray  
Isabella Rejon  
Emerson Robinson



### EWTN Approaching Father's Day

There's always great programming just for men. All you fathers out there check these out:

**Battle Ready** - Monday evenings 10:00 pm.;  
**Long Ride Home with Bear Waznick** - Tuesday evenings 10:00 pm.;  
**Crossing the Goal** - Wednesday evenings 10:00 pm.;  
**Real Life Catholic** - Thursday evenings - 10:00 pm.

Watch your local TV listings and the EWTN app for more programs for men like **The Carpenter Shop** and more.

Sign up for the EWTN app on your phone for schedules, live streams, On Demand, the Bible and more!  
Now you can watch EWTN anywhere, any time with thousands of programs available on our new platform, On Demand. Visit [ewtn.com/ondemand](http://ewtn.com/ondemand)!

**New 5 part Series: Whole Person Care 4:30 pm each day 6/14 - 6/18. Subjects: Whole Person Care (Cura Personalis); Understanding Palliative Care; Praying for a Happy Death; Whole Person Care and the Works of Mercy; Care, Prepare and Connect. Physicians, health care professionals and pastoral counselors give advice on the concept of whole person care, its roots in Catholic teaching and why it's a loving alternative to physician assisted suicide.**

### Altar Server Ministry

Are you an Altar Server? Have you received your First Holy Communion and would like to be an Altar Server? If you answered YES to either of these questions, you are needed! For more information, please contact the church office at 601-833-1799.



**Mass Protocol**  
Bishop Joseph Kopacz will lift the general dispensation from the Sunday obligation to attend Mass effective June 5/6 for the Feast of Corpus Christi.

There will be three masses per weekend, Vigil Mass at 5:00 pm on Saturdays, and 8:00 am, 10:30 am on Sundays.

Reconciliation is at 4:40 PM on Saturdays or by appointment.

Masks are encouraged for those who are not vaccinated and for children and youth under 16 years old. But the families and the individuals may make the decision to use masks considering the risks involved.

Those individuals who have compromised immune systems and other underlying health conditions may choose to still wear masks and are encouraged to do so.

Those who wish to continue wearing a facemask and would like to sit only around those with masks may sit in the chairs located at Mary's Altar or St. Francis Altar. Please bring your own face mask.

The nursery will be available starting July 4th at 10:00 AM masses.

The cry room is available.

Altar Servers will resume at the 5:00 PM and 10:00 AM Masses starting July 3rd.

Adoration will resume in July after the 5:00 PM & 10:00 AM Masses.

The parish center will be open along with the restroom behind the office, the code is 1799.

Hymnals will be placed back in the pews June 5.

Offering will be taken up using a non-touch basket.

Communion will be disbursed in the form of bread only, with 1 Eucharistic Minister and will only be offered in the hand. There will be no placing of the host on a tongue. Communion procedure will return to the Pre-COVID way using the center aisle.

Please maintain appropriate social distancing of 3ft. and abide by all state and local health recommendations while inside the building.

Following the 5:00 PM Mass & 8:00 AM Mass, the church will be disinfected/sanitized.

**Everyone's vigilance with proper distancing, hygiene, and other measures is necessary whenever we gather. Thank you for your cooperation as we adhere to these guidelines.**

### St. Francis Parish Offerty

Fiscal Year July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021

	Actual	Budget	% of Goal
June	\$ 29,152	\$22,775	128%
Annual	\$ 271,336	\$273,300	99%

If you have any requests for the Fiscal Year budget, please contact Sue Junkin or Aaron Achord.

Mass Date & Time	Cross Bearer & Eucharistic Minister	Music	Lector & Commentator	Ushers
Saturday June 19 5:00 PM	Michele Ratliff	Eileen	L – Shelley Harrigill C – Cathy Fuselier	Chandler Bowman
Sunday June 20 8:00 AM		Tara	L & C – Celine Craig	Achord Bonner
10:30 AM	C. Ditcharo	Johnna & Emily	L – Sue Junkin C – J. Atwater	J. Phillips O. Junkin