

Prayers for Healing: Johnny Newport, Jason Boatwright, Ariella Beard & Family, Bob Feduccia, Troy Allen, Clifford & Cindy Gale, Nathan Williamson, Jimmy Cuevas, Charleen Rush, Thomas Young, Caleb Haymes, Merideth Walker, Pierre Ahlstrom, Chris Smith, Norris Acy, Nick Andrews, Darryl White, Joe Pennington, Bertha Hughes, Rick Bedwell, Gates Mims, Robbie Arnold, Lenore Gillispie, Benjamin Smith, Larry Howard, Elizabeth Wesse, Sandy Wojcik, Glen Ray James, Fred Robinson, Cheryl Matherne, Ed Powell, Jamie Hill, Dickie Conn, Courtney Vanover, Taylor White, Stephanie Gustavson, Keagan Smith, Cam Martin, Patti Austin, Mark Nettles, Axel Smith, Lori Ann Dougherty, Carla Webb, Henry Ledet, Shannon Patterson, Ransom S. Furlow, Cathy Fuselier, Robert Rogers, Carol Bennett, Kristy Lambert, Pat Gardner, Eddie Britt, Carrol Black, Ledger Smith, Hugh Louviere, Ryley Touns and Baby, Julia Haydel and Baby, Donald Lewis, Bubba James, Tommy Cupit, Gerald Williams, Alice Hearn, Ashley Touns, Joseph Harris, Ladale Thompson

Prayers for the Homebound: Bela Nagy, Roseann Harris, James Laird, Joe Robin, Stephanie Gustavson, Steve Albright, Cindy Slagle, Bob Weathersby, Paul Phillips

Our prayers are with all of those called to defend our country, especially

Major Charles Andrew Griggs, Tucker Hoeniges, Joey Davenport, Patrick Willis

Prayers for Healing
Please contact the
Parish Office
601-833-1799
to add a name to the
prayer list.

June 13 & 14, 2026	
Regular Offertory	
Envelopes	\$3572.61
Loose Cash	\$620.06
Total	\$4192.67

St. Francis Parish Offertory
\$6,077.00 in offertory contributions is needed each week to meet the budget.

JUNE LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

Saturday, June 27 @ 4:00PM

Eucharistic Ministers: (H) Alice Methvien

Lector: Bobbye Dear
Commentator: Alice Methvien
Altar Servers: Kenneth Goodrum, Vidalia Foster
Ushers: Brandon Bowman, Charles Feduccia
Greeters: Lanelle Wusterbarth, TA Boyd
Music: Steve, Joshua Smith

Sunday, June 28 @ 9:00AM

Eucharistic Ministers: (H) Jim Bonner
Tara Bonner, Jennifer Townsend
Lector (1): Lindsey Smith
Lector (2): Sue Junkin
Commentator: Larry Baker
Altar Servers: Piper Douchard, Preslee Womack, Tucker Smith
Ushers: Joshua Townsend, Brett Douchard
Greeters: Kathy Phillips, Beth DeLaughter
Music: Eileen, Celine



Summer Food Service Program

FREE MEALS June 1st-25th, 2026 for kids 18 and younger

Monday - Thursday
11:00 - 12:30
Grab & Go
Breakfast & Lunch

Minnie Martin Elementary
420 Vivian Merrill Street
Brookhaven, MS 39601



Nativity Pilgrimage

ROME ASSISI AMALFI COAST

THE PILGRIM'S PATH THROUGH ITALY

Join Fr. Dominic Pham
Sept. 16 - Oct. 1, 2026

Contact Paula Spears
pilgrimageofitaly@gmail.com
(228) 697-7814



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JUNE 21, THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Staff

Fr. Manohar Thanugundla, Pastor
Eileen Neal, Office Administrator
Emily Phillips, DRE
Ange’le Bartholomew, Youth Minister

Mass Times

- Saturday Vigil Mass at 4:00PM
Spanish Mass at 5:30PM
- Sunday Mass at 9:00AM

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday: No Daily Mass
Tuesday: Communion Service 12:10PM
Wed: NO Daily Mass
Thursday: 11:50 Rosary 12:10 Mass
Friday: 11:30 Exposition
12:00 Angelus 12:10 Mass
light lunch to follow

Benediction

First weekend of the month.

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration from 9am—1pm on Mondays in the church

Sacraments

Reconciliation: 3:30 PM on Saturday & 8:30 AM on Sunday 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.

St. Francis of Assisi Pastoral Council Members

Jennifer Townsend, President

Jim Bonner, Vice President
Leslie Phillips, Secretary
Bo Allen, Christian & Family Life Commission
Kenneth Goodrum, Liturgy Commission
T. A. Boyd, Social Activities/Concerns Commission
Eddie Britt, Member

St. Francis of Assisi Finance Council Members

David Phillips, Chairperson

Sabrina Smith	Eric Postma
James Bellipanni	Mike Smith
Laura Murray	Ashley Davis
Gerry Whitman	

St. Vincent de Paul Ministries Food Pantry

St. Francis Catholic Church Ministry
706 South 1st Street
Brookhaven, MS 39601
601-833-2709

We extend a special welcome to all of our visitors. If you are new to the area and have decided to make St. Francis your church family, please pick up a blue registration card in the vestibule of the church, complete the card and place it in the offering basket.



**GOD is GOOD -
All the Time
All the Time—
GOD is GOOD!**

- Josh Albritton (20)
- Peggy Henriquez (21)
- Sarah Guthrie (22)
- Jimminette Phillips (23)
- Carley Craig (25)
- William Murray (25)
- Ronin Ruble (25)
- Aaron Achord (26)

Coffee &
Donuts
on Sunday
after the
9:00AM Mass

Second
Collection
June 27th &
28th for
Peter's Pence



BABY BOTTLE BOOMERANG

Please return your filled baby bottles to church this weekend, Saturday, June 20 and Sunday, June 21. If you are including a check please make check payable to McComb Crisis Pregnancy Center or Center for Pregnancy Choices of Lawrence County

Giving Thanks for Summer

Father, Creator of all, thank You for Summer!

Thank you for the warmth of the sun and the increased daylight.

Thank You for the beauty I see all around me and for the opportunity to be outside and enjoy Your creation.

Thank You for the increased time I have to be with my friends and family, and for the more casual pace of the summer season.

Draw me closer to You this summer.

Teach me how I can pray no matter where I am or what I am doing.

Warm my soul with the awareness of Your presence and light my path with Your Word and Counsel.

As I enjoy Your creation, create in me a pure heart and a hunger and a thirst for You.

Amen

-Author Unknown

The First Day of Summer is Sunday, June 21, 2026

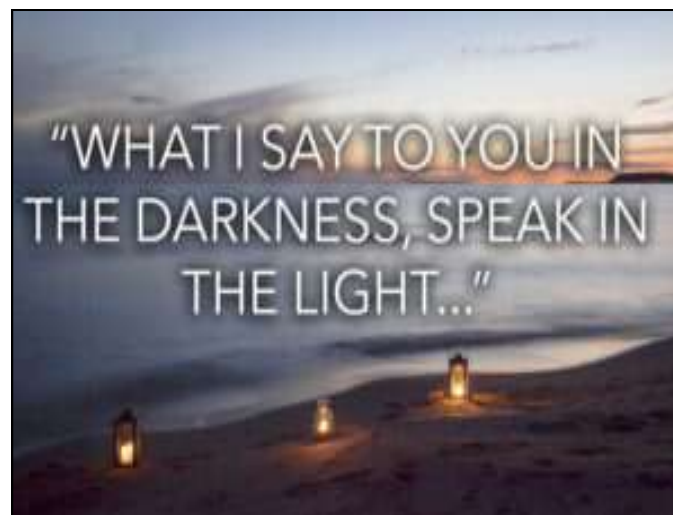


June 21—Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

We read today's Gospel in the context of last week's Gospel in which Jesus sent the twelve disciples to proclaim the kingdom of heaven. In between last week's reading and today's reading, Jesus has predicted that the disciples will face difficulties in their mission. Many people will not receive them well, even within the land of Israel. Even family members will turn away from the disciples because of the disciples' commitment to Jesus and the kingdom. Today's Gospel offers the disciples consolation against this difficult truth. This section of Matthew's Gospel should be read in the context of Matthew's intended audience, a Jewish-Christian community.

The Gospel alludes to the dangers and persecutions that this community has most likely already faced and will continue to face. To reassure this community, Matthew recalls for them the encouraging words of Jesus that we read today.

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Don't forget:
Eucharistic Adoration
Mondays in the church
9:00AM to 1:00PM



GOD, OUR FATHER

God, our Father,
Bless these men,
that they may find strength as fathers.
Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.
Grant that we, their sons & daughters,
may honor them always
with a spirit of profound respect.
Amen.
-Author Unknown



Altar flowers are given by The Ladies of St. Francis in honor of all Fathers and Father Figures in our Family of Francis!
Happy Father's Day!

What year was the First **Father's Day** celebrated in the United States?

1910