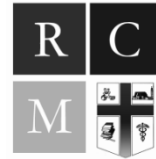




Resurrection Catholic Church

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Fr. Manuel Williams, C.R., Pastor

Sr. Gilda Marie Bell, Minister of Care (334) 230-1952

Mrs. Michelle Coe, Administrative Assistant (334) 230-1964

Mr. Leon Moore, Parish Council President

Mr. W. Clifford Petty, Pastoral Musician (334) 230-1963

MASS SCHEDULE: Sunday – 9:00 a.m.; visit www.rcmsouth.org for virtual Mass; Thursday – 10:00 a.m. (School Mass)

SEPTEMBER 29, 2024 – THE TWENTY SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
29 SEPTIEMBRE DE 2024 - 26º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

The parish online giving link for sacrificial giving is
<https://osvhub.com/rcmsouth/giving/funds>.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING: Thanks be to God and to you for your support of your Church last Sunday. May God continue to inspire us to share time, talent and treasure with this faith community.

Sunday Collection Basket and Mailed Offerings:\$2,852.00
Online Giving:\$1,479.00
Building Fund:.....\$20.00
Food Pantry\$35.00
School\$50.00



“Anyone who gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ, amen, I say to you, will surely not lose his reward.” MARK 9:41

We are made in God’s image and likeness. We tend to forget this. When you look at others, do you see the face of Jesus in them? When others look at you, do they see the face of Jesus in you? When we realize that all lives matter to God, then gratitude and generously become easier. Why? Because that’s the way we are made! We are one Body of Christ; when one of us is hurting, all of us feel the pain.

BLACK CATHOLIC THEOLOGICAL SYMPOSIUM

October 3-6, 2024



Volunteer Sign Up Sheets are in the vestibule or **EMAIL** Michelle Coe at mcoe@rcmsouth.org. Please indicate what day/time you are available for volunteer service. Many, many thanks to everyone who has called so far. If you have called or spoken to Michelle, please sign up on the sheet. The biggest need is for individuals to transport symposium participants from the hotel to Resurrection and back to the hotel on Saturday, October 5 for the 5 p.m. liturgy.

Public Events:

Thursday, October 3, 7 p.m.

The Station at 5 Points

Public Lecture

Rev. Bryan Massingale, STD

“Dreaming While Black: The Resilience of Black Hope and Love in Precarious Times”

followed by a reception

Saturday, October 5, 5 p.m.

Liturgy

Resurrection Catholic Church

CONTACTS IN THE PARISH AND MISSION CENTER

Apostles of the Resurrection
Apostolate for Persons with Disabilities
Archdiocesan Pastoral Council
Altar Servers
Baptism Classes

Bulletin

Burse Club

Choir, Adult

Church Environment

Confirmation Class

Eucharistic Ministers

Hospitality Committee

Interfaith Community Outreach

Knights of Peter Claver Grand Knight

Knights of Peter Claver Deputy Grand Knight

Knights of Peter Claver, Ladies Auxiliary Grand Lady

KPCLA, Vice Grand Lady

Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Daughter Counselor

Knights of Peter Claver Asst. Jr. Daughter Counselor

Knights of Peter Claver Jr. Knight Commander

Lectors

Liturgical Dancers

Marriage Preparation

Mass Program/Songsheet

Pastoral Care / Minister of Care

Nazareth /Resurrection Alumni Organization

Notary Public

Our Lady Sodality

Parish Council

Religious Education

RCIA

Resurrection Catholic School

Resurrection Catholic School PTO

Resurrection Catholic School Child Nutrition Program

Youth Ministry

PRAY FOR THE UNBORN: The Rosary is said every 2nd Sunday before Mass. Please join us in the Sanctuary.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Call the parish office to schedule a baptism class as well as a date for the baptism.

RECONCILIATION is celebrated before Mass, and by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: The Archdiocese requires a four-month preparation period before marriage. A couple *must* inform the Parish Office before a date is set.

SACRAMENT OF FIRST EUCHARIST: In order to receive the sacrament of First Eucharist in Second Grade, children must regularly participate in Catholic religious education in Kindergarten and First Grade.

CONFIRMATION: In order to receive the sacrament of Confirmation, young people must have regularly participated in Catholic religious education from First Eucharist until they are a Junior in High School. Classes are held the last Sunday of each month.

RCIA: Adult religious education classes – every Wednesday at 7 p.m. from September through Pentecost.

SUNDAY SCHOOL/CCD: Children/youth religious education classes every Sunday after Mass, September through May.

OUR LADY SODALITY meets every 1st Sunday after Mass in the Fr. Richard Administration Building

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER meets every 2nd Sunday after Mass in the Fr. Richard Administration Building

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER, LADIES’ AUXILIARY meets quarterly in the Fr. Richard Administration Building

KPC/KPCLA meets jointly every 5th Sunday in the Fr. Richard Administration Building

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER, JUNIOR KNIGHTS meets every 3rd Sunday after CCD

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER, JUNIOR DAUGHTERS meets every 2nd Sunday after CCD

NAZARETH / RESURRECTION ALUMNI ORGANIZATION meets every 4th Thursday of the month in the Villa

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to Resurrection! PLEASE REGISTER. Forms are available in the vestibule.

BULLETIN: To ensure that your announcement appears in the Sunday bulletin, please submit your announcements **no later than Wednesday, 4:30 p.m.** Email your announcement to mcoe@rcmsouth.org or call (334) 230-1964.

Email: Sr. Gilda Bell sgildab@yahoo.com * Michelle Coe mcoe@rcmsouth.org * W. Clifford Petty at cpetty@rcmsouth.org

SCHEDULED EVENTS

September 22	Visit from Archdiocese of St. Louis Group
October 1	School Mass, 10 a.m.
October 3-6	Black Catholic Theological Symposium, Montgomery, AL
October 6	Our Lady Sodality Monthly Meeting (first meeting after summer break)
October 7	Red Mass, 9:30 a.m. at St. Peter's Catholic Church
October 9	S.A.L.T. Gathering, 10 a.m., Fr. Richard Administration Building
October 12-19	Creighton University Fall Service Trip
October 17	School Mass, 10 a.m.
October 20	St. Meinrad Seminary Visit to Resurrection
October 22-24	St. Charles Lwanga Center (St. Louis), Civil Rights Trip
November 1	All Saints Day, Mass at 10:00 a.m. (School) and 6 p.m. (Parish)
November 5	Election Day

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

October 1:	Katelyn Guilford, Martha Varner
October 2:	Aubrey Barnes, Russell Chambers
October 3:	Regina Skrivanek
October 4:	Shawn McDonald, Kendra Golson
October 5:	Bridget Barlow, Stephanie Bassett, Shelecia Robinson
October 6:	Alexandria Brooks (17), Michael Washington, Jr.
October 7:	Mason Crowder (9), Cet-Ki Williams
October 8:	Grayson Maxwell (15), Denise Ross
October 9:	Tyrica Miller, LaQuandra Robinson, Ulrich Stanford
October 10:	Audrianna Beasley, Regina Gibson, Ophelia Hill
October 11:	Rodney Maddox

ANNIVERSARY GREETINGS

October 1:	Alicia and Gene Elmore (19 Years)
October 10:	Sarah and Daniel Webster (60 Years)

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

September 29, 1948	Bryant Gumbel, journalist, was born in New Orleans, LA.
September 30	Feast of St. Jerome
September 30, 1935	Johnny Mathis, legendary singer, was born in Gilmer, TX.
October 1	Feast of St. T�r�se of the Child Jesus
October 1, 1989	Army General Colin Powell took office as the first African American Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the highest U.S. military position.
October 2	Feast of the Holy Guardian Angels
October 2, 1897	George W. Bright became the 2 nd African American Los Angeles firefighter.
October 1856	T. Thomas Fortune, the co-founder of the Afro-American League, was born in Marianna, FL.
October 4	Feast of St. Francis of Assisi
October 4, 1864	The <i>New Orleans Tribune</i> , the first African American owned daily newspaper began.
October 5	Feast of St. Faustina Kowalska and Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos
October 5, 1897	J.H. Evans received a patent for the convertible settee bed.

Ministry Schedule					
Date	Eucharist	Lectors	Gifts	Servers	Ushers
<i>Today, September 29, 2024 – Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	Richetta Cofield-Stanford Maggie Stringer Melvetta Leach-Peck	Kelley Calloway Angel Calloway	Lori and Michael Burke	Derek Coe Leon Moore Ronnie Peters	Victoria Maddox Rena Ross Constance Sator Airy Thomas
<i>Next Sunday, October 6, 2024 – Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	Michelle Coe Richetta Cofield-Stanford Maggie Stringer	Nora Powell Gladys Copeland	Our Lady Sodality	Leon Moore Ronnie Peters Katori Stanford	Michael Jackson Deborah Jefferson Barbara Parker Clif Weatherly

THOSE IN NEED OF PRAYER

Marian Alexander, Leo Allen, Carlos Altamirano, Felipe Altamirano, Juan Altamirano, Dcn. Terry Anderson, Nikki Anderson, Kendrick Arrington, II, Moore Asouzu, Arthur Bailey, Columbia Baldwin, Bridget Barlow, Dorothy Barlow, Vickie Barlow, Barry Barber, Angela Barnes, Carey Barnes, Alma Beasley, Arnold Bell, Sr. Gilda Bell, Ethel Bell, Lois Bivens, Laverne Boland, Jarred Bridges, Jerome Broughton, Anthony Burden, Beatrice Butler, Erica Butler, Timothy Butler, Jr., Kimberly Carlton, John Carpenter, Linda Carpenter, Erma Carter, Fr. David Carucci, Gladys Copeland, Charlotte Corbin, Bernadette Costello, Mecylah Danley, Annie David, Margarete Day, Yolonda Dickerson, Jack Diez, Elaine Dorsey, Elsie Finner, Joan Ford, Helen Foster, Sr. Gloria Fox, C.R., Annie Franklin, David Franklin, Jr., David Franklin, Sr., Tonya Franklin, Roneshia Gardner, Terry German, Carolyn Glass, Yvette Wilcox Goellner, Michelle Greer, William Guilford, Cristina Guillet, Larry Guyton, Sr. Patsy Guyton, SFCC, Debbie Hall, Doris Hall, Evelyn Harris, Kevin Harris, Marcy Harris, Veronica M. Harris, Donna Hartwell, Fr. Greg Heille, O.P., Ophelia Hill, Wanda Hill, Sharon Hood, Ronald Howard, Jacqueline Hudson, Barbara Jackson, Kevin Jackson, Veronica Jackson, Charles James, Sr., Rebecca James, Deborah Jefferson, Mary Ellen Jeter, Regina Jobe, Ethel G. Johnson, Johnetta Johnson, Kennard Johnson, Robert Johnson, Robin Johnson, Roxy Jones, Debbie Kemsel, Felicia Kenney, Marie Kenny, Betty Kerman, Frances Knight, Deacon James Labadie, Shaquille LaFond, Jewel Lewis, Rosetta Lovelace, Fay Lyons, George Mackey, Mildred Maddox, Ivy Malden, Clarence Manly, Ayanna Marshall, Betty McGowan, Louise McKenzie, Nicole & Carl McKinney, Deanna McRay, Sr. Carolyn Minert, C.R., Liam Monk, Jacqueline Montgomery, James Moore, Keith Moore, Kyle Moore, Sr., Shawntrice Moore, Marielle Munnerlyn, Gwendolyn Nicks, LaTonya Nicks, Carolyn Norvel, Fr. William Norvel, S.S.J., David Ogden, Dorothy J. Ogden, Audrey O'Connor, Jeanette Penney, Ms. Pennington, Alnita Peters, Ronnie Peters, Latasha Peterson, Cliff Petty, Albert Pickett, Marvin Pickett, Elaine Poole, Alaida Pugh, AR, Jerry Radka, Alex Ragesdalle, Anne Reynolds, Trinity Richards, Joel Rivera, Gavin Roeder, Sara Moran Romano, Regina Sadler, Morris Sayles, Curtis Scott, Cassandra Scott, Mildred Selmar, Rhonda Shell, Fr. David Shoemaker, Fr. Paul Sims, C.R., Herbert Smith, Jr., Ruth Smith, Shirley Smith, Willie Ann Smith, Yvette Smiley Smith, Mary Snoddy, Valentine Spencer, Victor Splitt, Richetta Stanford, Carol Stevens, Ernestine Stephens, Ronald Stephens, Allen Stevens, Barbara Stevens, Susan Strauss, Kaiyan Street, Lynda Strickland, Maggie Stringer, Rubye Sullivan, Beverly Elaine Summerlin, Fr. Gene Szarek, C.R., Mel Tardy, Sr., Cynthia Taylor, Jonathan Taylor, Airy Thomas, Faye Thornton, Sherman & Merle Todd, Fr. David Tokarz, Willie Tolbert, Thomas Tolliver, Saint Trevel, Judith Turner, Charles Twitty, Wanda Twitty, Mary Vanderbilt, Rosalind Vanderbilt, Leon Varner, Denise Vaughn, Ray Vaughn, Iris Vanessa Vaughn, Fr. Stephen Vrazel, Zachary Walk, Marie Washington, Marya Washington, Jemellia Webb, Steve Webb, Annie Webster, Franklin Webster, Whitney Webster, Fr. Tom Weise, Ashley Whatley, Brenda White, Molly White, Kevin Wilcox, Maureen Wilcox, Lorena Wilkerson, Isaac Williams, Nathan Williams, Thelma Williams, Woodrow Williams.

ENTERED ETERNAL LIFE

†**Claude Vanderbilt, Jr.**, the cousin of *Sr. Gilda Bell*, entered eternal life on Thursday, September 26 in Nashville, TN. Funeral Arrangements are pending.

Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord and may perpetual light shine upon him. Prayers and condolences are extended to the extended Bell and Vanderbilt families.

*We mourn because we are human; We rejoice because we are Christians;
And we celebrate the power of Jesus' Resurrection; For we are a Resurrection People in life and in death.*

PARISH NEWS

WEDDING BELLS ARE RINGING



Please keep in your prayers the following couple who is preparing to be united in the sacrament of Holy

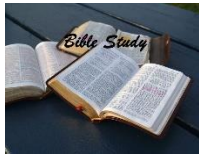
Matrimony:

♥ **Lauren Levins & Ennis Harvey**

PARISH PICNIC

Get ready for the **Parish Picnic** after Mass on Sunday, October 20, 2024, the weekend of Children's Sabbath. The parish will provide the meat and water. Please bring a dish to share.

BIBLE STUDY



Bible Study classes run from **6:00-7:30 p.m.** on Thursday evening. All are invited to participate. The group continues to study the

women in the Bible. You can access the class by clicking on the link on the website at www.rcmsouth.org or visit the Mission calendar on the site.

There will be no class on Thursday, October 3, 2024 due to the Black Catholic Theological Symposium Public Lecture.

SUNDAY SCHOOL



Sunday School will start **TODAY** immediately after Mass. Registration forms are in the vestibule.

Sunday School/Faith Formation is looking for any volunteers willing to help teach Sunday School every Sunday from September through May. If interested, please contact Regina Sadler at 334-315-7166. Thanks

S.A.L.T. (SENIOR ADULTS LIVING TRIUMPHANTLY)



The next S.A.L.T. gathering is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 9, 2024 in the Fr. Richard Administration Building.

To ensure that each person has a space, and our Cafeteria Management will accommodate our seniors, please call Sr. Gilda at: 334-414-4476 to reserve your space.

There will be a **CHECK OFF LIST** when members enter the Administration Building. If you fail to call and you show up, and 36 people have not RSVP'd, you may be blessed to have a seat. If 36 people have RSVP'd and you show up, your name will be placed on the top of the list for the S.A.L.T. gathering for November 13th.

RESPECT LIFE

CATHOLIC MOBILIZING NETWORK



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ENDING THE DEATH PENALTY.
PROMOTING RESTORATIVE JUSTICE.

Advocates for Mercy

In the United States, where dozens of execution dates are scheduled each year, it's crucial for Catholics to stand together as **advocates** against these threats to human life. Representing 22% of the U.S. population, Catholics hold significant moral influence capable of rousing public opposition to upcoming executions and even swaying legal outcomes in capital cases.

Simply put, Catholic pro-life witness has the potential to halt executions and save lives. That's why we're harnessing the power of Catholic advocacy to speak out against every impending execution in the United States.

You Can Be An Advocate

Every month, we'll send you timely advocacy actions, keeping you informed about upcoming cases that need your urgent attention. Subscribers are invited to write letters directly to those in positions of power who are capable of halting upcoming executions.

<https://catholicmobilizing.org/>

KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER AND LADIES AUXILIARY



A Message from Grand Lady Dr. Rosalind Pijaux Hale "Fall Brings About Change"



Fall is here!!! Can you believe it? The temperature is still in the nineties, the grass is still green, and the flowers are still blooming. So, what has changed? Changing seasons usually means a change in these things. Then why not now? Change is relative. It depends on more than just a date on a calendar.

My question to you is... do you also change as seasons change or will you remain the same regardless of the situation? Think about it. As Christians, shouldn't we be the kind of people who reflect God in us regardless of day, time, or situation? My prayer is that people I meet see me as the same person no matter what. I want to always reflect the presence of God in my life. Blessings!!

JUNIOR DAUGHTERS' FUNDRAISER

The KPCLA Junior Daughters of Court # 345 need your help to defray the cost (\$12,000) of sending them to the KPCLA Junior/Senior 2025 National Convention in Maryland by supporting the **"Blue Envelope Campaign."** We are asking for \$20.00 a month. The campaign will run from September 1 - June 30, 2025. We really need and look forward to your support. Online gifts can be made through the parish giving portal at

<https://www.osvhub.com/rcmsouth/giving/funds/junior-daughter-fundraiser>

COMMUNITY

RED MASS

THE ANNUAL RED MASS WILL TAKE PLACE, MONDAY, OCTOBER 7TH AT 9:30 AM, AT ST. PETER, 219 ADAMS AVENUE. Join us as people of all faiths request prayers and intercessions for the Justices, Judges, Lawyers, Litigants and the Court System as we celebrate the Red Mass prior to the opening of the Supreme Court term 2024. The Red Mass also asks for God's blessing and guidance in the administration of justice. Moreover, the Red Mass reflects upon the responsibility of individuals in the legal profession to seek justice both in our courts and in our society.

CARING AND SHARING WORKSHOP

The Successful Living Center, an adult daycare center specializing in care for individuals in the early to moderate stages of dementia is hosting their 3rd annual Caring and Sharing Workshop for Caregivers. This Free event will be held Friday, October 18, 2024, from 9:00 am – 2pm at Beulah Baptist Church; 3703 Rosa L Parks Ave. Montgomery, AL 36105.

For more information and to register, visit: www.successfullivingcenter.org or contact Veronica McKenzie at (334) 318-2968

CANDLELIGHT MEMORIAL



The River Region Community Action Team is hosting its annual Candlelight Memorial in honor of Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day on **October 15, 6:30 p.m.**, at the Gift of Life Foundation building, 1348 Carmicheal Way, 36016. Anyone who has lost a pregnancy, infant or a loved one who died in childbirth is welcome to attend. We will honor them with a special bell ringing and recitation of their names and celebrate their lives through readings and music culminating with the light of candles at 7 p.m. in unity with those all around the world who have shared this experience. Those who want to share their experience will be given space to do so at the event. LED candles will be provided. For more information, see Rosalind Pijaux Hale, or call Mona Davis, Gift of Life, at (334) 399-0158.

GENERAL ELECTION

NOVEMBER 5, 2024

- October 21** Voter registration deadline
- October 29** Last day to apply for an absentee ballot by mail
- October 31** Last day to apply for an absentee ballot in person
- November 4** Last day to hand-deliver an absentee ballot
- November 5** Absentee ballots returned by mail must be received by noon*

**Except for persons casting absentee ballots pursuant to the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA voters).*