

Readings for Daily Mass

Monday: Is 65:17-21/Jn 4:43-54
Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9,12/Jn 5:1-16
Wednesday: Is 49:8-15/Jn 5:17-30
Thursday: Ex 32:7-14;Jn 5:31-47
Friday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a,12-14a,16;Rom 4:13, 16-18,22,Mt 1-16,18-21,24a
Saturday: Jer 11:18-20/Jn 7:40-53
Sunday: Is 43:16-21/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11

Mass Intentions

Saturday March 13
5:00 PM @ICC
Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Ciccarino (Angie Ciccarino)
Sunday March 14
8:00 AM @SWM
*All Parishioners (Fr. Rich)
11:00 AM @ICC
*Barbara Ayres (McLendon Family)
Tuesday March 16
9:00 AM @ICC
+ Juanita Rodriguez (Castillo Family)
Wednesday March 17
9:00 AM @ICC
+Anton Cuong Nguyen (Nguyen Family)
Thursday March 18
9:00 AM @ICC
+Marie Hermsen (Catherine Flanagan)
Friday March 19
9:00 AM @ ICC
+Anphongso Dieu Nguyen (Nguyen Family)

Stewardship---

The "divine economy" of stewardship--

"The relief of others ought not to impoverish you; there should be a certain equality. Your plenty at the present time should supply their need so that their surplus may in turn one day supply your need. (2 Corinthians 8:13-14)

ICC

Average weekly offertory \$4711.00
Collection for March 7, 2010
Actual Offertory \$4731.11
Building Fund \$3285.56

Abuse Hotline Number

To report sexual abuse of a minor by a Diocese of Savannah employee or volunteer, call the abuse hotline number at 888-357-5330 or the Protection of children and Young People, 912-201-4073/4. To read the diocesan policy on sexual abuse of minors, go to www.diosav.org/chilyouthprotection.

Congratulations to Benjamin Wright, son of Suellen and Lee Wright, for being chosen the 2010 Page Star Student at Dublin High School.

March 14, 2010

***Our Lenten Journey
Fourth Sunday of Lent***

Our Humble Servers

5:00 PM Vigil Mass @ ICC

Ushers: Bud and Sue Schultz

Lector: Karen Hightower

Altar Server: Karen Delgado

Communion Ministers: Marge Plummer
Jep Craig

8:00 AM Mass at St. William Mission

11:00 AM Mass @ ICC

Ushers: Tom Cody, Jim Caldwell
Jack Cammack, Dennis Gryzenia

Lector: Bill Hoyt

Altar Server: Benjamin and Jonathan Wright

Communion Ministers: Ed Fitzgerald
Annette Castillo
Martha and Garry Kelley

March 21, 2010

5:00 PM Vigil Mass @ ICC

Ushers: Mary McEnrue, Bob Plummer

Lector: Sue Schultz

Altar Server: Ashley and Amber Hartwell

Communion Ministers: Lorraine & Frank Ackerson

8:00 AM Mass at St. William Mission

11:00 AM Mass @ ICC

Ushers: Harold McLendon, Glenn Johnson
Martha and Garry Kelley

Lector: Glenn Johnson
Bryant McLendon

Altar Server: Evan and Trevor Haser

Communion Ministers: Tim and Margee Edge
Noni Broadbooks
Jose Archila

Music

We want to thank the music people for their dedication in providing the beautiful music during the celebration of Mass, you add so much more to our weekend Mass.

We all appreciate and love our new sanctuary, This is where we communicate and fellowship with our Lord.

The Narthax is where we should enjoy one another in fellowship with conversation.

Dates to Remember

April

21-First Reconciliation

May

1-First Holy Communion

10-Confirmation

(REP) Religious Education Program

Pre-K through 8th grade, meets from 9:30 AM to 10:20 AM at the Dampier House.

**Remember REP Classes
ends at 10:20 AM**

Parents in order for you and the REP teachers to be on time to participate in the 11:00 o'clock Mass it is imperative that you pick your children up from class on time.

Bible Study

Wednesday-Class meets at 9:30 AM in Father Toner Hall. Everyone is welcome.

Sunday- Following the 11:00 AM Mass.

Knight OF Columbus NEWS

The Knights will be selling Corned beef and cabbage tickets after all the Masses.

The Knights of Columbus are honoring our priests with a dinner and presentation on Sat., March 27th at Sacred Heart Church PAC in Warner Robins. Tickets are on sale for \$18 per person. Please contact Grand Knight Jim Caldwell to purchase your tickets.

You are invited to come to St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Macon to the CCW annual yard and bake sale, Saturday, March 20th from 7:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Lenten Rules

ALL FRIDAYS In Lent are days of abstinence (no meat).

Lent means "time-out for Jesus".

The Prayer Box

Lifting one another in prayer is a way to bind us together as a parish family. You are invited to leave your prayer requests and thanksgiving requests in the prayer box located at the back of the church. They are offered as part of the Prayers of the Faithful at the Wednesday evening Mass. After Mass the requests are burned so that only God reads them.

Sponsored by MCA

Feast of St. Joseph, Patron of the Universal Church March 19, 2010

Good Saint Joseph, your faithful love protected and nourished the Mother of God and Jesus Christ, her son. Your fatherly care led to maturity he through whom all creation began. Through your intercession, may God guide and protect all human life from conception to natural death, and lead this nation in the ways of truth and of love. Pray for us, good Saint Joseph, that joined with Christ Jesus, we might give praise to God forever. Amen

Happy Birthday

March

15-Lynn Schlup, Rocio Hidalgo

16-Carolina Garcia

17-Maria de Tavera

18-Buddy Haggard, Aurelia Sanchez

19-Alexander Bateman

20-Randy Clark, Ellie Horne

21-Barbara DeFauw, Benita Cuevas, Yadira Delgado

Happy Anniversary

15-Michael and Roxanne Rice

16-Valentin and Mayra Arjona

20-Dr. Earle and Kathleen Taylor

The **Dublin Ministry Center Food bank** (which we have joined) is growing every day. They are serving many families and are in short supply of some of the food items.

Items needed:

Rice, spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, boxed macaroni and cheese, grits, 1 lb containers of quick cook oatmeal, canned English peas, canned mixed vegetables, canned milk Bisquick and instant mashed potatoes.

Please take these items to the Dublin Ministry Center on Bellevue (the Red Cross Building) on Mondays or Wednesdays. They are open from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM or you can bring the food to the church office. They also will take monetary donations to purchase food.

Volunteers are needed to help. If you want to serve in this ministry please call the office or go to the center.

Visit our Book Store

We have readings for Lent and beautiful carpenters rosaries, like the one used by Pope John Paul II. We have free movies for your families enjoyment. They are in Father Toner Hall, just sign them out and return them when you are finished. We also have gift certificates for the Book store. These would make nice gifts for the First Holy Communion and Confirmations children.

Celebration of the Sacraments

Holy Communion

As Catholics, we fully participate in the celebration of the Eucharist when we receive Holy Communion. We are encouraged to receive devoutly and frequently. In order to be properly disposed to receive Holy Communion, one should not be conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted for one hour. A frequent reception of the Sacrament of Penance encouraged for all.

Baptism

Requesting the Sacrament of Baptism for a child involves a serious obligation and a faith commitment on the part of both parents. In order to prepare the parents for this task, they will be requested to attend a Baptismal Preparation Class prior to the baptism. To register call the Parish Office (272-0266). A date for the Baptism cannot be set until the necessary preparation has taken place. Parents are encouraged to begin preparation prior to the birth of their child.

Confirmation

Candidates are those already baptized and who have received the necessary information in religious education. Candidates must be at least in the 7th or 8th grade to receive the Sacrament.

Reconciliation

The Sacrament is celebrated each Saturday at 4:00 PM until 4:45 PM at Immaculate Conception in Dublin. It is celebrated on Thursday afternoon at 5:00 PM at St. William in Sandersville. Additional opportunities for receiving this Sacrament are made available during Advent and Lent.

Anointing of the Sick

The Sacrament is administered on request to those who are ill at home, in the hospital or nursing home. Please call the Parish Office (272-0266).

Matrimony

Congratulations on your engagement! Call the Parish Office (272-0266) to make arrangements at least six (6) months in advance! It is necessary that either the prospective bride or groom or their family be registered members in good standing of Immaculate Conception or St. William Parish.

Holy Orders

If you desire help in discerning God's will for your life and that He may be calling you to a vocation to serve the people of God in the Priesthood of Jesus Christ, contact Fr. Tim McKeown at the Diocesan Vocation Office (912) 925-4725, St. Frances Cabrini Church, Savannah, Ga. or ask to speak to the parish priest.

Precepts of the Church

- ***You shall** attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation and rest from servile labor.
- ***You shall** confess your serious sins at least once a year.
- ***You shall** receive the Sacrament of the Eucharist at least during the Easter Season.
- ***You shall** observe the days of fasting and abstinence established by the Church.

Updating our Office Records:

Moving? Please let us know if you are leaving the area. Or, if you are moving locally, please let us know your new address and telephone number. By letting us know you have moved, we can save money on postage returns and keep our membership roster up to date. Accurate church records enable us to assist you when you have a need of verifying your registration. The absence of verifiable records has rendered ineligible persons seeking to be sponsors for Baptism and Confirmation, as a participating parish member and such like.

If in doubt about your parish record, contact the office at 272-0266. We ask that all families of our parish be registered before attending REP or sacramental preparation classes. Thank you.

Welcome New Parishioners

If you are new in the parish please introduce yourself to Fr. Hart after Mass and come to the parish office to register. We want to know who you are to be able to better serve you. We hope you will support your parish by your prayers, your presence, your talents, and your financial gifts.

Hospital Visits

Hospitals may not give patient information; therefore, we have no way of knowing your needs. Please call the office if you or a family member is in the hospital. If you are scheduled for surgery, please contact Fr. Hart to receive the Sacrament of the Sick.

Leave A Legacy: We appreciate the thoughtfulness of parishioners who have made bequests to the parish. Their gifts help us build a solid foundation for future generations.

After Hours Emergency- If you need to inform the parish of an emergency situation outside of office hours, please call 275-9252 and leave a message. You will receive a return call as quickly as possible.

Traveler's Mass Schedule
www.masstimes.org

PRAYER LIST

“For everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven...

For those who are serving our country: Marcus and Carrie Cornelius, Captain Robert H. Gregory Jr., Salvarado and Alice Upshaw, Johnny and Anna Sweat, John Ethan McCoy, Kevin Kelley, Lloyd Bane, Natalie McLendon, Chris Smith and Hilario Alvarado

*a time to be born...
a time to heal...*

Lester Wood, (relative of Deborah Wilkins); Liam Coady, Rose Johnson, Lillie Heard, Barbara Ayres, Erin Kelly (daughter of Karen and Patrick); Carolyn Halasz, Kelley Sargent (friends of Don and Julie Hardy), Mary Szydloski, Pam Beard and Marge Holman (sisters of Barbara Bourscheski), Rebecca Harris, Hugh Cloyes, Leonard Burke (father of Elaine Goolsby), Dick Lattimer, Camilla Allen (sister of Rebecca Harris), Esther Hardy (Don's mother), Mary Gough (Carol Ingrando's mother), Tom Synder, Anne Caldwell (Jim's mother), Deb Avenarius (friend of Sue Schultz), Natalie Peddicord, George Geotis (relatives of Pete and Adele Mistin), Larry Whittle (father of John Whittle); Brenda Wynn (friend of Catherine Flanagan) Jim DeFauw, Bobby Cochran, Jordon Lysaght (nephew of Stephanie Schultz Tews), Jim and Jacky McMillan (parents of Terry Kennedy), Teofila Del Rosario Aracena Cepeda (sister of Maris Pastore), Pop Shelley (friend of Noni Broadbooks), Brian Bell (brother of Sharon Haser), Helen Correa (Cathy Mahoney's mother), Billy Garland, Jofe L. Vega, Fr. Richard Hart, Midge and Johnny Sterling (parents of Candy Traxler), Mary Ellen Shaw (daughter of Adele and Pete Mitsin) Rodney Crosslin Jr., Lloyd Huffman (father of Cyndi Santamaria) Warren McLendon A.W. Stuckey, Pat Marquez, Harriet and Bob Boyer (cousins of Glenn Johnson) and all the sick.

*and a time to die...
and a time of peace.”*

Ecclesiastics 3.11

Names will remain on the list for 30 days, Please notify the office if additional time is needed.

June 19, 2009—June 19, 2010 Ä

“To encourage priests in the striving for spiritual perfection on which, above all, the effectiveness of their ministry depends, I have decided to establish a special “Year for Priests” that will begin on 19 June and last until 19 June 2010. In fact, it is the 150th anniversary of the death of the Holy Cure d’Ars, John Mary Vianney, a true example of a pastor at the service of Christ’s flock”. —

Pope Benedict XVI,

Please pray for all priests especially during this special year set aside by the Holy Father for that purpose.

A Prayer for Our Priests

Almighty God, in your love you bless your Church with priests, a sign of your faithfulness to your people.

May our prayerful encouragement, during this year and years to come, help them remain faithful to the calling they have received from you.

As they tend your flock, grant them a caring heart. In them may we know the voice of Christ, our Good Shepherd, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen

St. John Vianney, universal patron of priests, pray for us and our priest.

Give us the strength and the joy, O Jesus, To live our faith as a humble service, not as a privilege

As a fight for justice, not for your own comfort. Lead us, O Risen One, On ways of life and resurrection.

