

St. Clare

236 S. Beach Boulevard



Catholic Church

Waveland, MS 39576

Sunday, January 28, 2024

“Let us not again hear the voice of the Lord.”



Addressing the Israelites as they are about to enter the Promised Land, Moses recalls what happened when God was about to give them the Ten Commandments on Mount Sinai. God announced his presence with lightning, thunder, a deafening shofar blast, and menacing dark smoke (Exodus 20: 18-19). Terrified, the people backed away, saying, “Let us not again hear the voice of the Lord!” (Deuteronomy 18:16). They begged Moses to go and bring God’s word back to them!

Now, knowing he was not going to be with them much longer, Moses promises that God will send them someone to take his place, “a prophet like me ...to whom you shall listen” (Deuteronomy 18:15). What a relief! God promises they will never have to endure the trauma of hearing him directly.

And so it was. In every generation, God raised up prophets for the people. Deborah, Elijah, Isaiah, Jeremiah: these and others heard God directly and proclaimed what they heard.

But now, through Jesus, the living “Word” of God, everything has changed. By destroying sin and death, he has opened the pathway for us sinners to come before the all-holy God. Now, every single person can know God personally. Every single person can hear his voice—in Scripture, through the Church, and most important, in the depths of their hearts.

You don’t ever have to be afraid of coming into God’s presence! In fact, he is already present in you! Through his Spirit, he is urging you to call out to him, “Abba, Father!” (Romans 8:15). He is waiting to receive you with open arms, to wash you clean in his mercy, and to fill your heart with his joy and consolation.

Your heavenly Father has a message that he wants to speak to you today—a message meant only for you. So quiet your heart, calm your fears, and listen.

~ *The Word Among Us*

Our Mission:

To live a Gospel way of life

***Simply *With Humility *Out of Love of God and Neighbor**

Readings for the 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- ◆ 1st Reading— Deuteronomy 18:15-20
- ◆ 2nd Reading— 1 Corinthians 7:32-34
- ◆ Gospel Reading— Mark 1: 21-28

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Church Office Hours:.....
 Monday through Friday 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM (Holidays change these days and hours.)

CONFESSION: Saturdays - 1 hour before 4:00 PM
 Vigil Mass, by appointment, or anytime during office hours.
 Call the office ahead to schedule a time.

*In the spirit of giving,
 we thank you for
 your generosity!* **Last week's collection was:**
Regular Offertory:
\$3,580.00
Safe Haven Baby Box
\$3,641.00

Pope Francis gives 3 reasons to pray the rosary.
 † First, he said that the Rosary is a “compendium of the entire history of our salvation.”
 † Then, the Pope noted, the “Holy Rosary is a powerful weapon against evil.”
 † Finally, the Pope said, it is “an effective means of obtaining true peace in our hearts.”
 All are welcome to stay and pray the Rosary after morning Mass and after the 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday. Weekend Masses, the Rosary will be recited 30 minutes before Mass.



The Altar Flowers this weekend are in memory of Robert R Howard.

Intentions available for the living (SP) or Deceased (+). Check with the office for date availability.



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| Monday, January 29 | 8:30 a.m. | Benton & Persis Williams + |
| Tuesday, January 30 | 8:30 a.m. | Laura Arnold + |
| Wednesday, January 31 | 6:00 p.m. | Brenda Scianna (SP) |
| Thursday, February 1 | 8:30 a.m. | Mary Cassard (SP) |
| Friday, February 2 | 8:30 a.m. | Mary San Fillippo + |
| Saturday, February 3 | 4:00 p.m. | Terry Calhoun (SP) |
| Sunday, February 4 | 8:30 a.m. | Jeff Barthel + |
| | 11:00 a.m. | Sick of the Parish |
| | 5:30 p.m. | Troy Rutledge + |



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| January 28 | Our deceased Bishops Joseph Howze & Roger Morin |
| January 29 | Our Deacons, Deacon Candidates & those discerning |
| January 30 | Our Seminarians |
| January 31 | Father Jacob-Matthew Smith, OFM |
| February 1 | Father Chinnappa Mark, HGN |
| February 2 | Most Reverend (Bishop) Louis F Kihneman, III |
| February 3 | An Increase in Vocations |



Abby Theriot, Al Jacobi, Al Moreaux, Jr., Alan & Lana Noonan, Alan Atkins, Alexandria Pitts, Alice Richardson, Alice Rosemann, Allan & Marilyn Murphey, Alleen Murphy, Angie Phearson, Ann Vandeslice, Anne Chicafok, Annette Haas, Ashley & Chip Dupiere, Betty Youngblood, Bill & Mary Gillen, Bill & Susan Kane, Bill Boyd, Bill Bradford +, Bob & Donna Martin, Bobbie & Tom Worrel, Brandon Butera, Brenda Scianna, Brenda Toter, Brian Roe, Bruce Necaize, Calvin Wood, Carl & Courtney, Carmencita Baker, Carol Ritter, Casey Holfus, Catholic Community Media, Cathy Smith, Celino family, Charlee Renee Ladner, Charles Biesecker, Charles Piazza, Sr., Charlie Saale, Charlotte & John Johnson, Christen Maddox, Cindy Russell, Claire & Ellen Palmer, Cody Smith, Cooper Dupiere, Damian Colato, Dan Richards, Dana Parker, Danny & Daren Reinhart, Dave & Laurie Stepro, David & Meghan, Dawn P Frommeyer, Deb Cranmer; Deb, Jim & Jimmy Bourgeois; Dennis & Bonnie Bates, Diane Perkins, Dieckhaus family, Dominic Porter, Don & Kim

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PARISH MINISTRIES

ALTAR SOCIETY: Open to men and women; envelopes are available to pay \$5.00 membership.

BAPTISM: To schedule an appointment to setup a Baptism date, please call the Church Office at (228) 467-9275. Parents and godparents should also attend a Baptism class.

CENACLE OF DIVINE MERCY: Meets each Friday at 10:00 a.m., a group meeting to study the Diary of St. Faustina & incorporate with Scripture and the Catechism. Contact Suzan Cox at (601) 209-6811 or suzan713@gmail.com.

GRIEF MINISTRY: Meets to support, encourage and equip those grieving the death of a loved one. For more information, leave a message at the Parish Office or contact Sherry at (228) 332-0256.

HOME BOUND: Volunteers bring Communion to the Home Bound. Volunteers must be trained as extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist. Contact Paul Pitts, Jr. for more information (228) 216-0091.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS/LADIES AUXILIARY: Meet every 2nd Tuesday in the Parish Center—6:30 meeting. The Assembly meet on the 2nd Tuesday after the council meeting. **Ladies Auxiliary** meet every 2nd Tuesday at 6:00 p.m.

MARRIAGE PREP: Please contact Leslie and Terry Asher (228) 467-9275 if you are engaged and wish to be married at St. Clare. Marriages must be scheduled 6 months in advance.

OVER 50'S GROUP: All parishioners over 50 are invited to join (no charge). Luncheons 2nd Wednesday & Bunco 3rd Tuesday. Call Janis for details (228) 324-8715.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ST CLARE CONFERENCE: (228) 342-4117/stclaresvdp1@gmail.com. Utilities help and limited food pantry available. In-person interviews Tuesday and Wednesday 10 am-1 pm.

WALKING WITH MOMS IN NEED: We invite all parishioners to join St. Clare as we embark on this journey together. For more information, and to ensure you receive news and updates, please contact: Linda Walden, OFS at (228) 304-2305 or lwalden855@gmail.com.

PARISH NEWS

Our St. Clare Grief support series will begin on Monday, January 29 at 4:00 in the St. Francis classroom. We will meet weekly for 9 sessions. Please share with anyone who needs or wants support on the often lonely journey of grief.



CCD will not meet on Sunday, February 4th, so that all can enjoy Krewe of Nerieds (Waveland) parade. CCD will start again February 11th.



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Parishioners may partake in the Blessing of the Throats following the Friday, February 2nd Mass and any of the weekend Masses, February 3 & 4.



Friday, February 2nd following the 8:30 a.m. Mass until 12:00 Noon. Fr. Jacob-Matthew will be available to hear confessions during Adoration.

Special Second Collection

For the Diocese of Kiev in Ukraine

February 3 & 4



Letter of annual donations for tax purposes are available by request. All requests should be emailed to

finance@stclare-catholic.com

Happy Birthday!!!!

Philip Getske

Tom Lundin

Karen Rupp

Kathy Willis

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Forty days after Christmas, the Church celebrates the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, an event that the evangelist Luke recounts in Chapter 2 of his Gospel. In the East, the celebration of this feast dates back to the 4th century. By the year 450, it was called *The Feast of the Meeting of the Lord* because Jesus enters the Temple and “meets” the priests, as well as Simeon and Anna, representatives of the people of God. Around the middle of the 5th century, we know the feast was also celebrated in Rome. At a certain point, the blessing of candles was added to this feast to

recall that Jesus is the “light to the gentiles”. Thus, this feast is also sometimes referred to as Candlemas.

Parishioners are invited to bring in candles to be blessed on Friday, February 2 at the 8:30 a.m. Mass. If you are unable to attend that Mass, but would like to drop off candles for the blessing, please drop them off at the Church prior to Friday. Please mark your candles/container with a name and telephone number so that we may be sure they are returned.

News of Jesus spread quickly.
Help these people get to the crowd.

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A message from the Diocese of Biloxi regarding a special collection for Ukraine Relief and Bishop Vitalii of Kiev, Ukraine.

Special Second Collection

Recently Bishop Vitalii returned to the Mississippi Gulf Coast to visit and update Bishop Kihneman and the Diocese on the support given to the Diocese of Kiev by the Diocese of Biloxi last year. “During his visit, Bishop Vitalii expressed profound gratitude for our spiritual and financial support. He conveyed heartfelt thanks for being a source of strength during their ongoing struggles.” In his words, “We survived because of you.”

The message from the Diocese of Biloxi states; “In light of our commitment to supporting Bishop Vitalii and the people of Ukraine, Bishop Kihneman has approved a special collection to be conducted at all Masses on February 3rd and 4th, 2024. It is our opportunity to contribute to the relief efforts and stand in solidarity with our brothers and sisters facing immense challenges.”

Let us also continue to fervently pray for the end of war and violence across the globe, seeking peace among all of God’s people. Our collective efforts, both in prayer and support, can make a difference in the lives of those affected by conflict.



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2024

SCHOOLS WEEK

Jan. 28 - Feb. 3



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| Sun | Celebrate your Parish! Wear your uniform to Mass and bring in a Church Bulletin for Free Dress on Monday, Jan. 29th |
| Mon | Celebrate your Community! The Ambassadors take on a Community Service Project! Be on the look out for a treat in car line! |
| Tues | Celebrate your Students! Students may wear Free Dress and will receive a special treat! |
| Wed | Celebrate your Nation! Open House 9:00 - 2:00 Invite your friends to tour our school! |
| Thurs | Celebrate Vocations! Career and Vocations Day at HTCS Dress as your Career of Choice |
| Fri | Celebrate your Faculty! Join us as we celebrate the faculty and staff of Holy Trinity with a Duty Free Luncheon and Jeans |

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'We should find no pleasure or delight in anything except
'Our Creator, Redeemer, and Savior: He alone is true God, 'Who is perfect good,
'All good, and every good. 'The true and supreme good, And in Him
'Is all pardon, all grace and all glory, 'For the penitent, the just
'And the blessed who rejoice in heaven. Amen
St. Francis of Assisi*



*You are invited to attend the Celebration of the Eucharist and Rite of Profession Ceremony
As Renee Fauchaux will make her profession
in the Secular Franciscan Order,
as member of:
Our Lady of the Pearl Fraternity*

*St. Clare Catholic Church
Sunday February 11, 2024
11:00 am Mass
Lite refreshments to follow in the
Parish Hall
Please join us in this Celebration!*

January 28th

Many people are unaware that someone they know personally is silently suffering from participation in abortion. If a friend confided in you tomorrow that she had an abortion, would you be able to respond in a way that brings her closer to healing? Learn how in "How to Talk to a Friend Who's Had an Abortion": <http://bit.ly/friend-had-abortion>

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities



Retreats

Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Retreats are held in over 375 locations. They offer you a supportive, confidential and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express, release and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions to begin the process of restoration, renewal and healing.

**In the Diocese of Biloxi
Deacon Johnny Williams is the
point of contact.
johnwilliams@biloxidiocese.org
228/702-2169**



**Next retreat to be held April
2024. Date and location to
be announced soon.**

*Eternal Father,
Source of all mercy and love,
out of love for us you sent your Son,
and willed that blood and water
flow from his side to cleanse us of sin
and restore lost innocence.*

Hear the cry of each woman who mourns the loss of her child to abortion. Forgive her sin, restore her to your grace, and still the terror of her heart with a peace beyond all understanding. Through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of all tenderness and our Mother, strengthen her faith in you. Give her the consolation to believe that her child is now living in the Lord. We ask this through Christ our Lord, who conquered sin and death, and who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Safe Haven Baby Box

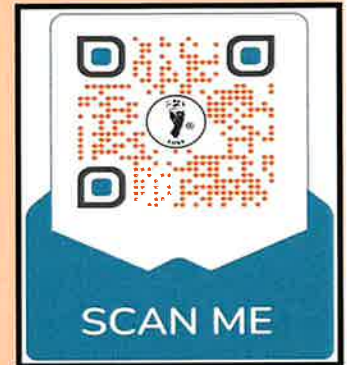


Last weekend there was a second collection to help the reality of **Safe Haven Baby Box** to be installed at the Waveland Fire Department. Your generous donations are greatly appreciated. Donations continue to be accepted, as the goal has not yet been reached.

The QR code provided below will direct you to the Safe Haven site. *Please be sure to make a notation the donation is for the Waveland Box.*

Checks may be made out to **Safe Haven Baby Box—Waveland**. Donations may be dropped off at Church, either in the basket or at the office.

The images provided were taken at the Fire Department in Long Beach, MS. They provide a good look at the Safe Haven Baby Box from inside the Fire Department, as well as where the baby would be surrendered on the outside of the building.



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Thank you to all who have visited and continue to visit the blessed Sacrament during our open hours and special days of Adoration. Terry Calhoun is the point of contact for this ministry. She may be reached at 228-671-8063.

Our Adoration Chapel is open weekdays from 10 a.m.—3:00 p.m. Wednesday Adoration is from 10 a.m.—5:00 p.m. in the Church, unless there is a conflict. First Friday Adoration is from 10 a.m.—12 Noon in the Church.

The Wisdom of the Saints—365 Days of Inspiration

January 28—“We can never know how patient or humble someone is when everything is going well with him. But when those who should cooperate with him do exactly the opposite, then we can know. A man has as much patience and humility as he has then, and no more.” ~ St. Francis of Assisi

January 29—“The secret of happiness is to live moment by moment and to thank God for all that He, in His goodness, sends to us day after day.” ~ St. Giana Molla

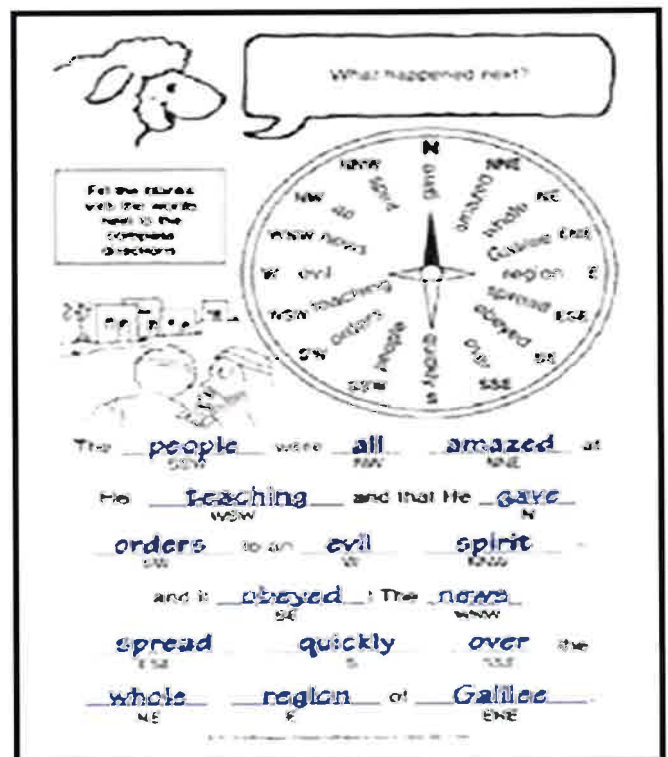
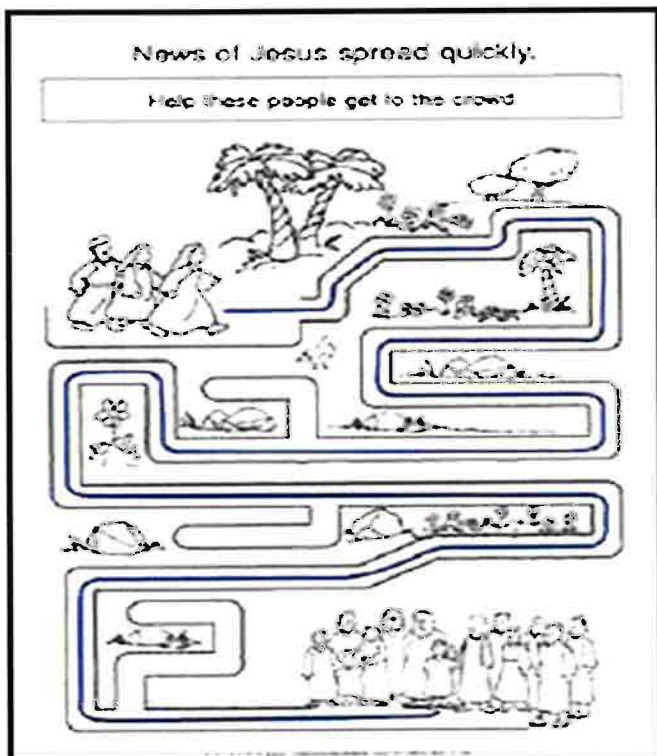
January 30—“If disappointed, don’t say hard things. Only think a little, pray a little, and try to remember that God will bring about what is best in God’s own time.” ~ St. Mary MacKillop

January 31—“Aspire not have more, but to be more.” ~ St. Oscar Romero

February 1—“Go forward bravely. Fear nothing. Trust in God; all will be well.” ~ St. Joan of Arc

February 2—“Speak the truth in a million voices. It is silence that kills.” ~ St. Catherine of Sienna

February 3—“Every human being is neighbor to every other human being. Is this person known as a friend? Let them stay as a friend. Is this person your enemy? Let them become a friend.” ~ St. Augustine



Saint

Of the Week

St. Blaise

Patron of throats, Bishop and Martyr

Feast Day: February 3

Popular legend states that Blaise (also spelled “Blasé”), was born into a wealthy family in Armenia. He was educated as Christian and subsequently was made a bishop of Sebaste. Blaise was also a trained physician and he devoted much of his time to the Armenian citizenry, both rich and poor, day and night.

Under the reign of persecution initiated by the Roman government, Blaise was targeted for his beliefs. When Agricolausa, the governor of Cappadocia and Lesser Armenia, called for the bishop’s arrest, Blaise fled to the hills, seeking refuge in a cave inhabited by wild animals. When Agricolausa’s men arrived to capture him, they found Blaise coexisting with the creatures, tending to their wounds and nursing them back to health.

Kindness in Adversity

When Blaise was later jailed, he was visited by a woman whose pig he had saved from the jaws of a wolf. The woman brought him food and candles to brighten his cell. This story, and another story that tells how Blaise saved a boy who was coking on a fish bone, are the reason he is associated with sufferers of sore throats. Also, Blaise apparently promised that those who lit a candle in his memory would be forever immune from throat infections.

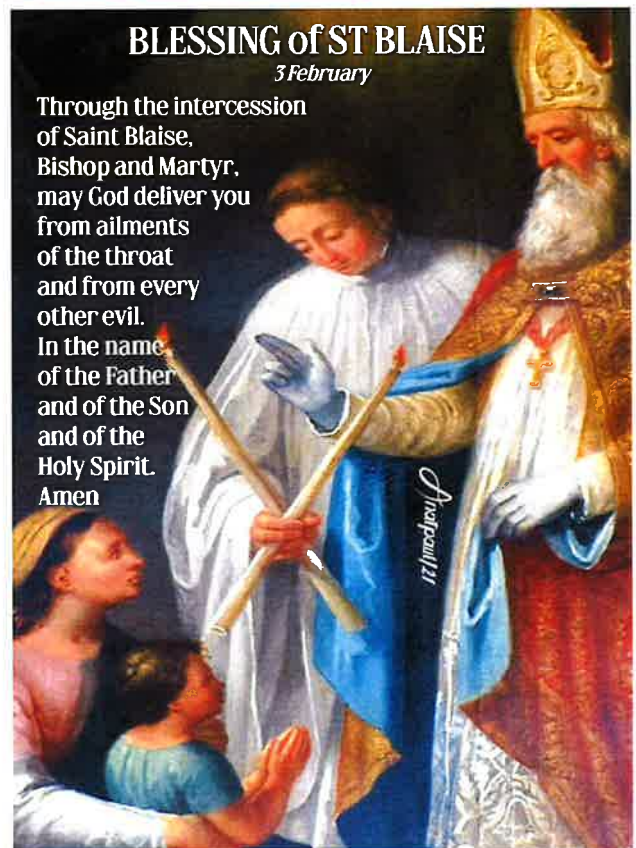
Through the centuries Blaise has become a popular saint; particularly in western Europe, where churchgoers mark his feast day of February 3 by having their throats blessed. In Germany, Blaise is known as one of the 14 Holy Helpers.

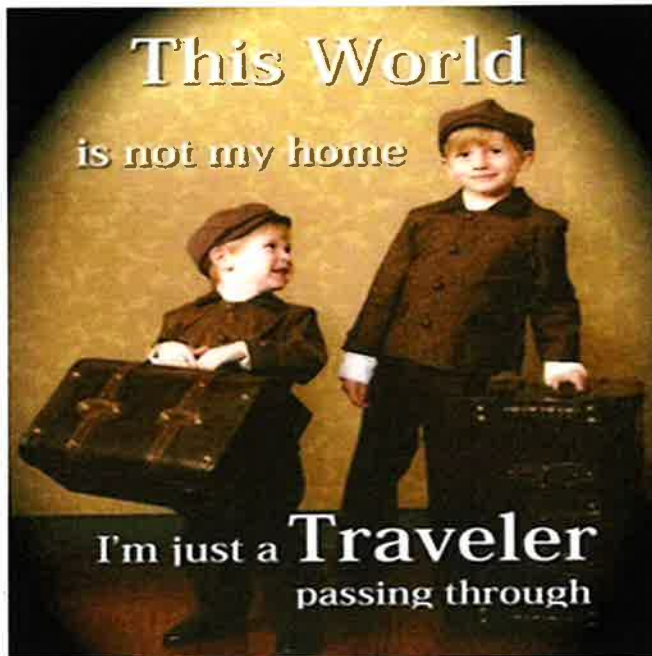


BLESSING of ST BLAISE

3 February

Through the intercession of Saint Blaise, Bishop and Martyr, may God deliver you from ailments of the throat and from every other evil. In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen



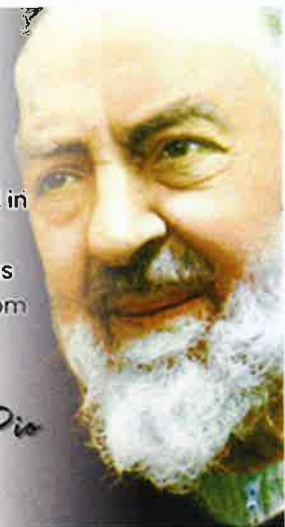


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Don't allow any sadness to dwell in your soul, for sadness prevents the Holy Spirit from acting freely.

St. Padre Pio



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2024

JANUARY 10TH

TWELFTH NIGHT CELEBRATION
 BILOXI | 5:30 PM

FEBRUARY 3RD

GCCA ANNUAL 5K RUN FOR THE BEADS
 BILOXI | 9:00 AM

FEBRUARY 10TH

KREWE OF DIAMONDHEAD PARADE
 DIAMONDHEAD | 12:00 PM

JANUARY 13TH

JEEP-A-GRAS 2024
 LONG BEACH | 6:00 PM

BILOXI CHILDREN'S WALKING PARADE
 BILOXI | 10:00 AM

JACKSON COUNTY
 CARNIVAL ASSOCIATION
 PASCAGOULA | 12:00 PM

MARDI GRAS TAILGATE PARTY
 GAUTIER | 2:00 PM

KREWE OF GEMINI DAY PARADE
 GULFPORT | 2:00 PM

CARNIVAL ASSOCIATION OF LONG BEACH
 PARADE
 LONG BEACH | 6:00 PM

KREWE OF NEPTUNE NIGHT
 PARADE
 BILOXI | 5:30 PM

JANUARY 27TH

ELKS & KREWE UNIQUE PARADE
 OCEAN SPRINGS | 1:00 PM

GAUTIER MEN'S CLUB PARADE
 GAUTIER | 7:00 PM

FEBRUARY 11TH

PASS CHRISTIAN CARINVAL
 ASSOCIATION PARADE
 PASS CHRISTIAN | 1:00 PM

FEBRUARY 4TH

KREWE OF BARKLOXI PET PAWRADE
 BILOXI | 11:00 AM

ST. PAUL CARNIVAL ASSOCIATION
 PASS CHRISTIAN | 12:00 PM

SECOND STREET SOCIAL CLUB
 GULFPORT | 1:00 PM

KREWE OF NEREIDS PARADE
 WAVELAND | 12:00 PM

NORTH BAY MARDI GRAS
 ASSOCIATION
 D'IBERVILLE | 1:30 PM

FEBRUARY 9TH

OCEAN SPRINGS CARNIVAL
 ASSOCIATION NIGHT PARADE
 OCEAN SPRINGS | 7:00 PM

FEBRUARY 12TH

MYSITIC KREWE OF THE
 SEAHORSE
 BAY ST. LOUIS | 5:00 PM



FAT TUESDAY

GULF COAST CARINVAL ASSOCIATION MARDI GRAS PARADE | BILOXI | 1:00 PM
 KREWE OF THE REAL PEOPLE NEXT GENERATION PARADE | BSL | 1:00 PM

Join Us
Every Friday at Noon
February 16 – March 22 (Lent)

Way of the Cross
Participate in Voice or Sign



The Stations of the Cross are a 14-step Catholic devotion that commemorates Jesus Christ's last day on Earth as a man. The 14 devotions, or stations, focus on specific events of His last day, beginning with His condemnation. The stations are commonly used as a mini pilgrimage as the individual moves from station to station. At each station, the individual recalls and meditates on a specific event from Christ's last day. Specific prayers are recited, then the individual moves to the next station until all 14 are complete.

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Childcare Ministry Survey

A parishioner has volunteered to lead a Childcare Ministry at St. Clare for children ages 15 months to 4 years. To determine the interest and Mass most likely to need this ministry, please take a moment to answer the questions provided below. Linda Ruiz is the point of contact and can be reached at (225) 210-5993. The start date goal is the weekend of February 17 & 18, 2024. Please return this survey by February 4, 2024.

1. Does your family have a need for this ministry, and would you support this new ministry? _____ Yes or _____ No
2. Which Mass do you regularly attend?
____ 4:00 p.m. or ____ 8:30 a.m. or ____ 11:00 a.m. or ____ 5:30 p.m.
3. If you have children who meet the age requirements of 15 months to 4 years, how many would participate in this ministry?
What are their ages?

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4. Would you be willing to volunteer to work in this ministry as a childcare provider? If yes, please provide your contact information below.

_____ I would be interested in using this ministry.

_____ I am interested in volunteering with this ministry.

Name _____

Contact me at (____) - _____.

A box or basket will be available on the table in the hallway to collect completed surveys. Thank you!