

October 27, 2024 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Take courage; get up, Jesus is calling you."



Bartimaeus was desperate. He wanted Jesus to heal him, so he cried out repeatedly, "Son of David, have pity on me," (Mark 10:47, 48). The people nearby were clearly annoyed at his persistence. But when Jesus responded to Bartimaeus' cries, they changed their tune. Now they were his advocates, telling him, "Take courage; get up, Jesus is calling you" (10:49).

Today, let these onlookers give you the courage – and the encouragement-you need to come to Jesus with your own needs.

Maybe, like Bartimaeus, you've cried out for Jesus to heal you, but it seems he hasn't answered your prayer. So you've resigned yourself to your circumstances. You don't want to keep asking, just to be disappointed once again. *Take Courage! Jesus is calling you.* Keep coming to him in faith. Believe in his love and his desire to heal. As you wait for him to answer your prayer, know that he will give you comfort and consolation to sustain you.

Maybe you're ashamed of your sins and are afraid to confess them. Or perhaps you are still carrying the guilt of past sins that you've already confessed. *Take courage! Jesus is calling you.* He wants you to come to him and receive his mercy—not just once, but every day if necessary.

Perhaps you feel too weak or ill equipped to be a disciple of Jesus. Or you're afraid that family and friends will judge you if you talk about your faith too openly. *Take courage! Jesus is calling you.* He wants you to ask him for whatever you need—whether that's strength, boldness, or a particular set of gifts and talents—so that you can follow him.

Today at Mass, imagine Jesus asking you the same question he asked Bartimaeus: "What do you want me to do for you?" (Mark 10:51). Don't be afraid to tell him! Know that he is pleased when you come to him with your every need!

~ The Word Among Us

St. Clare Catholic Church

236 S. Beach Boulevard ~ Waveland, MS 39576

Mass and Confession times:

Monday & Tuesday: 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday: 6:00 p.m.

Thursday & Friday: 8:30 a.m. Saturday: 4:00 p.m. Vigil

Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Confession: Saturday at 3:00—3:45 p.m.

or by appointment.

The rosary will be prayed 30 minutes prior to each

*Simply

weekend Mass.

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Deacon: Michael 'Mike' Saxer

Director of Religious Education: Suzan Cox

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Our Mission:

To live a Gospel way of life

*With Humility *Out of Love of God and Neighbor

Let us pray.

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The Altar Flowers are a great way to honor and remember loved ones.

Gayle Probus is the contact person to have your special arrangement done. 228-342-3025



Monday, October 28	8:30 a.m.	Gerry Boelte +		
Tuesday, October 29	8:30 a.m.	The Hille Family (SP)		
Wednesday, October 30	6:00 p.m.	Ursula & Dominic San Fillippo +		
Thursday, October 31	8:30 a.m.	Trinity Yap (SP)		
Friday November 1	8:30 a.m.	Forrest 'Cuddie' Bourgeois, Jr. +		
Saturday, November 2	4:00 p.m.	Henry & Bea Mestayer +		
Sunday, November 3	8:30 a.m.	Gloria Duvieilh +		
	11:00 a.m.	Xavier & Xander Harrington (SP)		
	5:30 p.m.	Sick of the Parish		

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS					
October 27	Priests & Brothers at St. Augustine Seminary and St. Stanislaus High School				
October 28	Deacons & Deacon Candidates & those discerning				
October 29	Deceased Bishops Joseph Howze & Roger Morin				
October 30	Our Seminarians				
October 31	Fr. Charles Arthur				
November 1	Most Reverend (Bishop) Louis F Kihneman, III				
November 2	Pray for an increase in Vocations				



Mass Attendance -	Adults Children			
Saturday, 10/19/2024 at 4:00 p.m.		l	1	
Sunday, 10/20/2024 at 8:30 a.m.—	- 113	14		
10/20/2024at 11:00 a.m	- 117		4	
10/20/2024 at 5:30 p.m.—	47	11		
Total—	340	+	30 = 370	

All Saints Day Mass times—Friday, November 1 at
 8:30 a.m. (there will not be a Vigil Mass on Thursday)

 All Souls' Day Mass—Saturday, November 2 at 8:30 a.m. (This Mass does not fulfill the Sunday obligation.)

All Souls' envelopes should be turned in by Thursday, October 31 for loved ones to receive special prayers beginning Saturday, November 2 and continue through November 30.

Tables of Remembrance will be set up Friday,
November 1 after morning Mass and will remain up
for nine-days as a novena. Tables will be taken down
on Monday, November 11 and pictures may be
picked up.

In the spirit of giving, we thank you for your generosity! Last week's collection was:
Regular Offertory:
\$5,461.00

World Mission Sunday

\$1,085.00

Upcoming second collection:

St. Clare Building Fund-November 2 & 3



Ella Garcia, Renee Mauffray Larry Estrade, Sharon Lewis Trinity Yap, Paula Frazier Wanda Schaeffer

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 Terry Calhoun at (228) 671-8063. Parents and godparents are required to attend a Baptism class.

CENACLE OF DIVINE MERCY: Meetings are held on Fridays beginning at 10:00 a.m., but will not meet on First Fridays. : 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 Charles Walden for more information (985) 285-2997.

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. In-person interviews Wednesday (only) 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.



The Church and Parish Office will be closed following the 8:30 a.m. Mass on Friday, November 1st. We will not have First Friday Adoration this month. The Diocese recognizes All Saints' Day as a staff holiday.





Earlier this year, in January, we held a special second collection for the Safe Haven Baby Box proposed for Waveland. We are proud to announce that the Baby Box has become a reality. There will be a special blessing to be held on Tuesday, November 19th at Noon to signal the 3rd such safe location for babies in Mississippi. This will be held at the HWY 90 Fire Department location. Attendees are asked to RSVP to 228-669-7119. Many thanks to those who helped to make this much needed location a reality!

October is 'membership drive' month for the Altar Society.



- The membership fee is \$5.00 annually and open to men and women.
- The Altar Society is responsible for cleaning the church, Altar linens, St. Joseph Altar, and much more.



Be sure to set you clocks back by one hour Saturday night before going to sleep. This is the weekend we gain an extra hour of sleep!



This is the final week to prepare and turn in the All Souls' Day envelopes for your loved ones. Those envelopes will be placed on the altar from All Souls Day through the end of November. Each person named on the envelopes will be prayed for at every Mass.

A donation of \$5.00 per person for the month of November is requested. You may place these envelopes in the collection basket or drop them off at the Parish Office or drop off in the mailbox under the Church near the elevator and drive way..

The Remembrance Tables will be set up following the morning Mass on Friday, November 1st. Families are invited to bring in pictures of family members, which will remain up through Sunday, November 10th as a nine-day novena.

Harish Calendar

For the week of October 21—October 27, 2024

Monday 10/28/24

- Grief Support 4:00 p.m. St. Clare/ Classroom 4
- Ultreya of Cursillo Movement of South
 Mississippi. 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Center.

Tuesday 10/29/24

Wednesday 10/30/24

- Exposition and Eucharistic Adoration in the Church until 5:00 p.m.
- St. Vincent de Paul Society 10—1:00 p.m. open to meet with neighbors.
- Confirmation Class at 6:45 p.m.

Thursday 10/31/24

- Cleaning in the Church from 9:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. All volunteers are welcome to come lend a helping hand!
- No Choir Practice tonight, Happy Halloween!!
- No Vigil Mass for All Saints Day.

Friday 11/1/24

- Holy Day of Obligation 8:30 a.m. Mass only. All Saint's Day
- No First Friday Adoration for November.
- Today begins the KC annual paper bag food drive!

Saturday 11/2/24

- All Souls' Day Mass 8:30 a.m.
- Turn your clocks back tonight before you go to sleep!!

Sunday 11/3/2024

- Did you turn your clocks back last night?
- CCD 9:45 until 10:45 a.m.

SAINT STANISLAUS - OPEN HOUSE



Founded in 1854 by the Brothers of the Sacred Heart, Saint Stanislaus is a Catholic all-boys boarding and day school for grades 7-12. Join us for Open House on Tuesday, November 19th, from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM! Explore our 42-acre campus on a guided tour showcasing academics, extracurriculars, and athletics. Everyone can customize their tour to focus on their interests. For registration and more info, visit ststan.com/open-house/.

We are in the final week of the candy collection. The Ladies Auxiliary of the KCs #16433 continue to collect candy to be distributed at the Halloween Bash to be held on Thursday, October 31st.

The drop off deadline date is Wednesday, October 30th.





The baby bottle campaign is coming to an end on Thursday, October 31st. Please return the baby bottles as soon as possible. Thank you to everyone who donates to this effort to support the Women's Resource Center!



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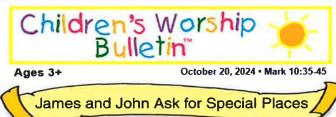
Dr. Bill Bradford to be honored....



All are invited to be in attendance when author, Robert Anderson, Sr. presents a copy of his new book to the Waveland Library.

Mr. Anderson dedicated his book, Divine Intervention, to his longtime friend, Dr. Bill Bradford. The presentation will be held on Wednesday, October 30th at 11:30 a.m. at the Waveland Library.

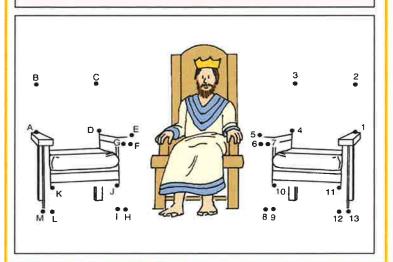
Books will be available for purchase directly from the author during this event. The price listed on the book is \$12.95.

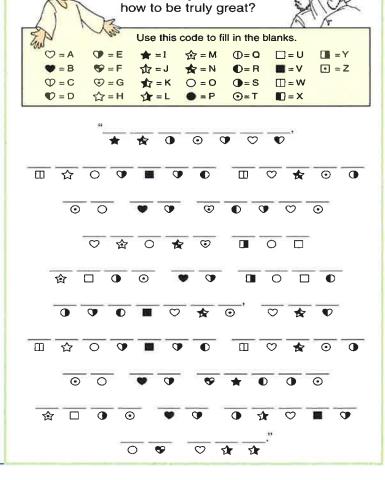


James and John asked to sit on Jesus' right and left in His glory.

Connect the dots.

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Jesus spoke to the disciples.

What did He say to them about

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Knights of Columbus #16433
Assembly #3837



Veterans Luncheon

We invite Veterans to join us for a sit-down dinner to honor them for their service and sacrifice.

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Saturday, November 9, 2024

Speaker: To Be Announced

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9 NOVEMBER 2024

8:30 A.M. UNTIL 9:45 A.M.

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POINT OF CONTACT: RON THORP 601-569-9002 EMAIL: texasthorps@cs.com



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Begins: November 4th and continues through Consecration Day on December 9th, Immaculate Conception at the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

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we'll individually read about and reflect on four great Marian giants: St. Louis de Montfort, St. Maximillian Kolbe, Saint Mother Teresa and Pope Saint John Paul II. Each week we will watch a 30-minute video by Father Michael Gaitley that will help with group discussions. Sessions will begin on Monday, November 4 with two times to chose from, 10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. at St. Clare Catholic Church in the Parish Center.

Contacts are Terry Calhoun —228-671-8063 or terrylcalhoun858@gmail.com or

Susan Marino Kane—504-401-4266

There are several ways to access the **Personal Retreat Guide**. 1) FORMED.ORG, 2) Book [limited copies on hand, but may be ordered], 3) PDF [online file for download], or purchase a copy online. This 'retreat' may be as a group or on your own. The Consecration Mass is open to all those being consecrated the first time or previously consecrated. **Complimentary Retreat Companion** booklets will be provided when you sign up.



All Saints' Day is a solemn holy day of the Catholic Church celebrated annually on November 1st. The day is dedicated to the saints of the Church, that is, all those who have attained heaven. It should not be confused with All Souls' Day, which is observed on November 2, and is dedicated to those who have died and not yet reached heaven.

Although millions, or even billions of people may already be saints, All Saints' Day observances tend to focus on known saints — that is those recognized in the canon of the saints by the Catholic Church.

All Saints' Day is also commemorated by members of the Eastern Orthodox Church as well as some protestant churches, such as Lutheran and Anglicań churches.

Generally, All Saints' Day is a Catholic Holy Day of Obligation, meaning all Catholics are required to attend Mass on that day, unless they have an excellent excuse, such as serious illness.

Other countries have different rules according to their national bishop's conferences. The bishops of each conference have the authority to amend the rules surrounding the obligation of the day.

All Saints' Day was formally started by Pope Boniface IV, who consecrated the Pantheon at Rome to the Virgin Mary and all the Martyrs on May 13 AD. Boniface IV also established All Souls' Day, which follows All Saints.

Prayer for All Saints Day

Dear God,

thank you for the example of the Saints. I desire to join in their company, worshiping you forever in Heaven.

Please help me follow their footsteps, and yours, Jesus Christ.

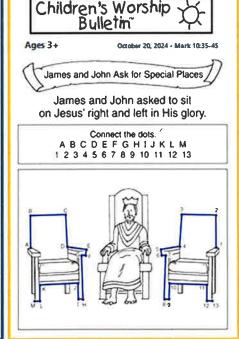
Please help me to conform myself to Your image, seeking Your will in all things, as the Saints did.

Please help me to devote myself, and all that I do, to Your glory, and to the service of my neighbors.

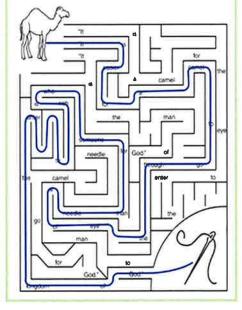
Amen.

O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our beloved Mother, we ask you to intercede on our behalf to your Son, Jesus, to protect all who are in danger of hurricanes and other destructive weather. May His calming powers keep us safe and alert through this Hurricane season. Let us pray to the Lord.





Help the camel get through the maze, and read the words along the way to learn something Jesus told His disciples.







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God Our Father,

Watch over our priests, brothers, sisters & deacons who have labored long in your Kingdom. Give them Peace in this life and the Joy of eternal life, when they enter your Heavenly Home. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen

Sponsoired by:

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