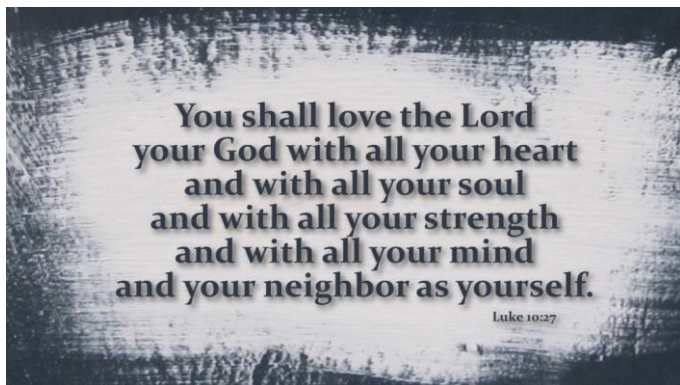


JULY 10, 2016

THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



JULY 11TH – JULY 17TH

MONDAY	COMMUNION SERVICE	8:00 A.M.
TUESDAY	COMMUNION SERVICE	8:00 A.M.
WEDNESDAY	COMMUNION SERVICE	8:00 A.M.
THURSDAY	COMMUNION SERVICE	8:00 A.M.
FRIDAY	COMMUNION SERVICE	8:00 A.M.
SATURDAY	CARROLL ROBICHAUX	†4:00 P.M.
SUNDAY	JOAN MILBURN	†11:00 A.M.

If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for your deceased/living loved ones, please call or mail in your request to the parish office. There are many open dates on the Mass Intention Calendar.
Office phone number: 1-228-762-1653



OFFERING JULY 3, 2016

As stewards of all God gives us, we offer this portion as a sign of our faith...

Weekly Collection \$6,282.00

Feed the Hungry \$2,123.00

MANY THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Special Collection for St Joseph Abbey and Seminary College
"St. Ben's" Flooding in Covington ,La. July 24/25

On March 11, 2016, flood waters from the Bogue Falaya River inundated **St. Joseph Abbey And Seminary College "St Ben's"** in Covington, La., causing approx. \$30 million in damages. Priests of our Diocese have a long standing relationship with the Abbey and Seminary. It is the usual site of our annual Priest retreat and some of our numbers have done undergraduate studies there. Bishop Morin asks all parishes to take up a special collection to assist the Abbey and Seminary in their recovery. **Please be generous!**



CSA UPDATE: Goal \$24,621; Total pledged \$35,270; paid pledges \$28,227. Please remember all funds raised over our goal are returned to the parish for our use. we thank you for your continued support of CSA again this year.

Called to Serve
Lectors

July 16th/17th – July 23rd/24th

Commentator Eucharistic Ministers	4:00 P.M. MASS	Mary Anne Holloman Ann Evans Linda Moore Trevor Crabtree Travis Crabtree
Altar Servers		
Commentator Eucharistic Ministers	8:30 A.M. MASS	Kathy Ory Karen Johnson Portia Sheffield Abby Hurley Mary Hinman
Altar Servers		
Commentator Eucharistic Ministers	11:00 A.M MASS.	Donna Bosco Andy Carpenter Sharon Carpenter Ellis Jackson Will Clemens
Altar Servers		

The **JULY LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE** can be found on Our **NEW** Web site @ www.olvpascagoula.com under Parish Involvement.



Welcome back, Msgr. John McGrath!!!

We thank Msgr. McGrath, our native son, for covering the weekend Masses for Fr. Tony, who is on vacation, until this Friday, July 15th.

Also, Deacon Colten will be available this week. He will cover communion services, hospital visits, and communion calls on Friday.



Pray for: Tamara Anderson, Sr. Anthony, Jamie

Blackwell, Katie Blake, June Blanchard, Angela Bosarge, Susan Bradley, Jerry Brister, Claude Burch ,Patsy Clark, Charity Clay, Dot Clemens, Robert A. (BoBo) Cole, Johnette Colingo, Donna Cox, Gay Cunningham, Ron Cunningham, Anne Davidson, Dennie Denmark, Elizabeth Dickerson, Aline Dobbe, Alice Eldridge, Austen Ely, Margaret Estefan, Brian Eubanks, Norma Ann Farmer, Jesse Fulkerson, Victoria Gaffney, Juanelle Goff, Nolan Goodwin, Frankie Greek Jr., Polly Grubbs, Linda Hammons, Grace Higdon, Connie Holliday, Mickey Hudson, Eleanor Joseph, Paul Kaczorowski, Lanie Karam, Carol Koffel, Steve Krebs, Debbie LaHood, Mitchell LaHood, Elaine LeBlanc, Sam Leslie, Anne Mansfield , Jessica Marquart, Fr. McDermott, Larry McGregor, Brian McGrory, Bob McIntosh, Mark Miles, Ann Miller, Tom Millette, Jack Myrick, John Nicklason, Evelyn Noonan, Jackie Northrup, D'vonne Olsen, Wayne Parker, David Pearce, Larry Raba, Reggie Raba, Tanya Raba, Liza Rivers, Paul Robichaux, Edwina Saba, Gary Schaub, Terri Scott, Paisley Shepherd, Mathew Stone, Michael Sumrall, Jennifer Swanson, Robin Sanford Tanner, JoAnn Toia, and Mirium Wells.

We need you to make our new Parish

Directory complete!

Scheduling for Our new OLV Parish Directory continues. The committee will begin calling those families not yet scheduled.

The photography schedule is as follows:

July 14th & 15th 1:30pm-9:00pm

July 16th 9:30am – 5:00pm

July 26th/27th/28th 1:30pm – 9:00pm

If you would like to make an appointment by phone call Stephanie Dickinson at the parish office 762-1653 or Mary Dickinson at 762-8292

If needed there will be additional dates in August.

The company we will be using is Color Craft.

Portraits will be taken in the Convent Bldg meeting room. Plan for one hour for check-in, photography, & portrait selection. You will view your images and have the opportunity to purchase additional products.

Every family photographed for our directory will receive:

- Professional photography session at no charge
- Free 10x13 portrait
- Free printed copy of the directory & access to mobile directory



OUR DAILY BREAD

“Special thanks to all who helped with providing a meal at Our Daily Bread, last Sunday, especially our volunteers and those who donated tea and desserts. We served 30 meals. Kathy Ory and Deacon Mike Gilly helped to coordinate the service project for our parish. May God Bless you all for your generosity of time and talent.”



ALTAR FLOWERS

The beautiful flowers in front of the Altar this weekend are in loving memory and celebration of:

ALL PAST AND PRESENT OLV/RCS STUDENTS



OLV & RCS REVELRY

Join us for the 8th Annual “Revelry”

Saturday, July 9, 7PM: 2903 Beach Blvd., Pascagoula

Cash, Vacation, & Gift giveaways – casual attire

\$25/ticket or 5/\$100 (You do not need to be present to win)

Contact alachussee@rcseagles.com or 731-0766

JULY 14–Confirmation of registration 9am-6pm RCMHS Café

JULY 15–Confirmation of registration 9am-3pm RCMHS Café

AUGUST 9 – Students begin classes for 2016/17 school year



Do you know of anyone who would like to take instructions in the Catholic Faith? Perhaps a non-Catholic spouse, relative, neighbor, or friend, invite them to our **R.C.I.A. classes, which will begin in September.** Please have them call the Parish office (762-1653) or Michelle Hill (623-4747), and give us their name, address, and phone number or have them fill out the card on the table in the back of church and drop it in the collection basket. **It is only by word of mouth that we can identify and invite new members.**

Check out our
NEW WEBSITE!

www.olvpascagoula.com



COLTEN'S CORNER Why does the congregation respond “And with your spirit” when the priest/deacon greets them with “The Lord be with you?”

If you can remember back about 4 years ago, the response to the greeting “The Lord be with you” was “And also with you.” But when the new translation of the Mass came along, the response was changed to “And with your *spirit*.” A short answer to the question would be that the original Latin text for the Mass from which the Mass in English is translated contains the response, “Et cum *spiritu* tuo” which in English literally means “And with your spirit.” So the new English response actually reflects the original Latin more accurately.

The answer to the question is much more profound. In any conversation at work or at the soccer field for your son or daughter’s game the conversation start-up with someone might go something like this, “Hey! How are you?” to which the person probably responds, “Good, and you?” To our ears, this is normal conversational language. In the Mass, however, our language is not to be just conversational. It intentionally contains more “elevated” language to reflect the sacredness of the Mysteries we celebrate. Furthermore, the language of the Mass is carefully chosen so the realities behind the signs and symbols are clearly communicated.

Just as when the priest/deacon assures the people of the Lord’s presence with the people and to encourage them to enter more deeply into the Sacred Mysteries, so too the response of the people to the priest/deacons - “and with your spirit” - reminds them of the Lord’s presence. In addition to this, the people use the word “spirit” in order to **affirm the reality** and **remind the priest/deacon (and the faithful themselves)** that the priest/deacon possess a *unique* gift of the Holy Spirit by virtue of their ordination. We all possess the Holy Spirit through our common baptism but a unique gift of the Spirit is given in the Sacrament of Holy Orders (Ordination) in order that the priest/deacon may fulfill their sacred duties.

As you can see the dialogue parts of the Mass are present so the priest/deacon and the laity (the faithful) can mutually enrich one another assuring each other of the presence of God among them and to bring our focus to Him alone so that our worship may prove to be worthy of so great a God!

Dc. Colten Symmes