

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

*June 18th/June 19th 2022: Corpus Christi (English)
Second Sunday After Pentecost (Latin)*



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Pastor

Rev. Jim W. Booth

SACRAMENTS and LITURGY

English Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m.

English Sunday Mass: 9:00 a.m.

Traditional Latin Sunday Mass: 7:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

English Weekday Masses: 8:30 a.m. Monday to Friday

Latin Weekday Masses: 7:00 a.m. Wednesday and Friday, 6:30 p.m. on First Friday

First Saturday Latin Mass: 8:30 a.m. with confessions beginning at 8:00 a.m.

Holy Day Mass: As Announced

Confessions: Saturday 3:30-3:55 p.m., Sunday 7:00-7:25, 8:30-8:55, and 10:15- 10:40 a.m.

Baptisms: By Appointment

Marriage Arrangements must be made with the Pastor **at least 6 months before the date of the wedding. Talk to the Pastor before making any firm wedding plans. No destination weddings.**

COVID-19 RESPONSE, MASS & DEVOTIONS: We have an additional Sunday Latin Mass at 7:30, to aid in the social distancing, and continues on a provisional basis.

NOTE ON CONFESSIONS: If there is a significant line for confession, Fr Booth might say part of the formula of absolution while the penitent recites the act of contrition. The full formula of absolution is always said, but the first part might be said softly during the act of contrition. Thus, you might only hear “and I absolve you from your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.”

WELCOME to all of our visitors: We are glad you have attended Mass with us. If you wish to join Blessed Sacrament, please pick up a parish census form at the Religious Goods Counter located in the vestibule of the front entrance.

IN MEMORIAM: In memory of Mary & Sam Montalbano, the sanctuary lamp will burn for the repose of their souls from June 19th until June 25th. The sanctuary lamp will burn for the repose of Julia Woods from June 26th until July 2nd.

THIRD SUNDAY: This Sunday is the Third Sunday of the month. We will have vocations prayers and a potluck lunch following the 10:45 a.m. Mass.

SECOND COLLECTION: Next Sunday there will be a second collection for the Mission Cooperative Appeal. This collection brings much needed help to specific dioceses and ministries in Mexico, India, Cameroon, Nigeria, and Nicaragua.

BEWARE OF TREE: An old and very large tree behind and to the east of the church has split and is poised to split again. This tree is scheduled to be cut down in late June. In the mean time, please keep away from this tree for the sake of safety. Trees will likely be planted in its stead.

PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS: Please pray for our seminarians: Daniel Sessions, Charles Deering, Matthew Gubenski, Patrick DePew, Max Gallegos, John Gardiner, Andrew Vickery, John Paul Stepnowski, Collins Hess, Hunter Limbaugh, Francisco Rodriguez, Adam Sellers, and Dominic Rumore. May more good men to answer God’s call to the priesthood.

2022 HIGH MASS SCHEDULE: The High Mass schedule for the 10:45 a.m. Mass is as follows: Every second, third, and fourth Sunday of the month with the addition of All Saints Day (Tuesday, November 1st), and Immaculate Conception (Thursday, December 8th).

PARISH SUPPORT: The collection last week was \$6570 and \$230 was donated to the Preservation Fund. Many thanks for your generosity.

NOTE ON MASS INTENTIONS: There is about a seven-month backlog on Mass Intentions. Thus, requested Mass dates cannot always be honored.

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS: (*Masses in the Rectory Chapel)

Sat, June 18: 9:15 a.m. Special Intention for Shane Henderson (Sophie Duvall Henderson)
4:00 p.m. † Amber Mason (by Mary & Betty Mason)
Sun, June 19: 7:30 a.m. † Amber Mason (by Mary & Betty Mason)
9:00 a.m. Pro Populo
10:45 a.m. Special Intention for Jeff Hahn (by the Hahn Family)
Mon, June 20: *8:30 a.m. Special Intention for the Pinter Family (by the Hahn Family)
Tues, June 21: *8:30 a.m. Special Intention for Josh & Hannah Meeker (by the Hahn Family)
Wed, June 22: *7:00 a.m. Special Intention for Jennifer Rodriguez & Family (by the Hahn Family)
*8:30 a.m. † Daniel Wheeler (by the Duvall Family)
Thur, June 23: *8:30 a.m. † Sr Mary Vernon Gentle (by Maddie Duvall)
Fri, June 24: *7:00 a.m. Special Intention for Fr David Skillman (by the Duvall Family)
*8:30 a.m. † Eugene Mason (by Mary & Betty Mason)
Sat, June 25: 4:00 p.m. † Eugene Mason (by Mary & Betty Mason)
Sun, June 26: 7:30 a.m. Special Intention for Emily Elizabeth Mathews (by the Duvall Family)
9:00 a.m. Pro Populo
10:45 a.m. Special Intention for Sebastian McIntyre (by the Duvall Family)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND especially Sam Montalbano, Josie Nickell, Gloria Archambault, Don Williams, James Bonner, Matthew Clune Sr., Ronnie Buchanan, Barbara Williams, Gail McMahan, Gracimo Ribeiro Bento, Bob Wiseman, Eve Moore, Aaron Minjares, Bill Dinan, Carol Brandley, Eddie Hunter, Lawrence Brandley, Pete Ransom, Jerry Joiner, Beryl Curtis, Nicole Copeland, Linda Cooper, Lee Dinan, Danny Rohling, Kay Dorion, Krissy Chism, William Scroggins, Lamar Smith, Paul Herrmann, Wayne Little, Maria Morin, Andrea Little, Joseph Edwards, George Dunham, Fran Costanza, Christine Cover, Thatcher Kerzie, Malcolm Perry, Koslyn Chism, Kathleen Strawmeyer, and Stephanie Perry.

NEXT WEEK'S MASS READINGS

4:00 p.m. Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time 1Kgs 19:16,19-21, Gal 5:1,13-18, Lk 9:51-62
7:30 a.m. Third Sunday after Pentecost 1Pet 5:6-11, Lk 15:1-10
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A Letter From the Bishop



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Office of the Bishop

June 8, 2022

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

It is time for our special collection for the Mission Cooperative Appeal. The collection will be taken up on the weekend of June 25th and 26th. The heartfelt generosity that you have always given to the missions is greatly appreciated by those who are less fortunate. Pope Francis often speaks about call to be missionary disciples. Helping the Missions is a way to fulfill that call.

A quote from Pope Francis:

"Jesus is 'the evangelizer par excellence and the Gospel in person.' His solicitude, particularly for the most vulnerable and marginalized, invites all of us to care for the frailest and to recognize his suffering countenance, especially in the victims of new forms of poverty and slavery. The Lord says: 'I was hungry, and you gave me food, I was thirsty, and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked, and you clothed me, I was sick and you visited me, I was in prison and you came to me.' The mission of the Church, herself a pilgrim in the world and the Mother of all, is thus to love Jesus Christ, to adore and love him, particularly in the poorest and most abandoned; among these are certainly migrants and refugees, who are trying to escape difficult living conditions and dangers of every kind."

This year the funds received from this collection will directly help support the following participating groups:

1. Diocese of Aguascalientes, Mexico-Bishop Juan Espinoza Jimenez
2. Diocese of Irinjalakuda, India-Bishop Pauly Kannookadan
3. Diocese of Kumba, Cameroon-Bishop Agapitus Nfon
4. Diocese of Maiduguri, Nigeria-Bishop Oliver Dashe
5. Diocese of Matagalpa, Nicaragua-Bishop Rolando Alvarez
6. Pontifical Ecclesiastical Academy, Rome, Italy-Archbishop Joseph Marino
7. Diocese of Warangal, India-Bishop Udumala Bala

I hope we can make this year's appeal a highly successful one.

Blessings to you and your families.

Gratefully yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Steven J. Raica
Bishop of Birmingham in Alabama