



ST. CHRISTOPHER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Dickson, TN 37055

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Pastoral Staff:
Rev. Abraham Panthalanickal
Deacon: Jim Tucker

August 2, 2026

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*One does not live on bread alone,
but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.*

Mass Times

Sunday :

8:30am, 11:00am,
and 4:00pm (Spanish)

Monday, Thursday,
Friday and Saturday :

8:30am

Wednesday: 6:30pm
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Communion Service

Tuesday: 8:30am

Confessions

(in sunroom)

Monday, Thursday,
Friday: 7:30am

Saturday: 7:30am &
4:00pm

Wednesday: 5:30pm
Or by appointment

Adoration and

Benediction

Monday, Tuesday

Thursday,

Friday and Saturday :

7:30am

Wednesday: 5:30pm

Parish office hours:

9am-1pm M-F

*or by appointment. Please
leave a message so we
can return your call.*



Today is the last day to register for the
2026-27 Religious Education Program
CLASSES BEGIN NEXT WEEK, AUGUST 9.

Amber Gonzales will be in the religious ed office in the CHEM building on the following Sundays after each Mass. *Please note: Religious education registrations will not taken in the parish office; you must see Amber in person.*

Before you register your child for class, please go online to stchristophercc.com and click the I'm New tab and fill out the parish registration form for your family even if you have filled it out before. Printed forms are available in the church entrance to the left in the rack or in the office M-F 9am-1pm.

The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.



ST. CHRISTOPHER
CATHOLIC CHURCH

"God loves the
cheerful giver."
2 Corinthians

Church Offertory:

July 26th Collection

Church:	\$ 4,520.00
Hispanic:	\$ 1,076.00
Online Giving:	\$ 1,653.53
Total:	\$ 7,249.53

Future Projects Collection
\$912.00



Thank you for
your generous
contributions!



BAPTISM



Welcome to the Church
Isamar Mondragon Marin



DIOCESAN EVENTS

VISIT DIOCESEOFNASHVILLE.COM



SEPTEMBER 12, 2026 | 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
CATHOLIC PASTORAL CENTER
NASHVILLE, TN



MASS INTENTIONS

VIGIL: Tobias Schwemmer

Sunday, August 2

8:30: People of the Parish

11:00: +Esperanza Marie Suiter
& all Souls of the Unborn

4pm: Souls in Purgatory

Monday, August 3

Eric & Julie Kuehler

Wednesday, August 5

Brian Jayne

Thursday, August 6

Bill Sain

Friday, August 7

JR. Elias Attea

Saturday August 8

+ Rev. Thomas Pathickal



PARISH EVENTS

Knight's of Columbus
Invite you to a
Family Picnic
A Day of Fun, Food & Togetherness

August 23rd
4-7 pm

Enjoy:

Families with kids of all ages are invited to partake in fun and fellowship! The KofC will be grilling hamburgers & hot dogs. Please bring a side dish to share & your favorite water gun.

Free

location:
Montgomery Bell State Park
For more information,
please contact:
emailjoshelton@gmail.com

St. Christopher's
Women's Club

TEA Party

2 August 2026 | 2pm - 4pm

Family Life Center

Cookbook Themed • Afternoon Tea • Appetizers

BIRTHDAY LIST

Sunday 8/2:

Dixie Broyles

Monday 8/3:

Marcia Standley

Tuesday 8/4:

Juana Felipe, Benjamin Partusch, Robert Keele

Wednesday 8/5:

Dan Schachle, Giuliana Sofia, Frank Gonzales,
Adam Hafner, Cayden Schoenly

Thursday 8/6:

Harrison Whitfield, Elin Haskell

Friday 8/7:

Rodrigio Cano-Aviles, Sami Naddy,
Jesús Luna Lopez, Jessica Rojas,
Amber Gonzales, Cary Oliver

Saturday 8/8:

Fernando Zamudio, Owen Hatley, Juan Sanchez
Palacio, Emir Sanabria, Don Crohan, Bob Deitz

Sunday 8/9:

Renata Toro Arroyo, Brandon Gonzalez, Ashley
Gonzalez, Brittany Hudson

*Please help us keep our data current;
if you see a name that shouldn't be here or we
missed a name that should be here, tell us! If
you are an adult listed on your parents' profile,
we need your contact information and church
of attendance, so please download the app or
fill out your own registration form.*



St. Vincent de Paul

Serving those in need.

CALL US:
(615) 375-8510

Thank you for helping our neighbors in need!

Next food basket delivery date is Saturday, August 15th

Nonperishable donations may be placed in the boxes at the top of the stairs to the basement*

**Please make checks payable to St. Vincent de Paul. Our PayPal account is svdpdickson1951@gmail.com.
At Venmo use the "Friends & Family" option via Venmo! @svdpstchristopher**

"Charity is the cement which binds Communities to God and persons to one another . . ." St. Vincent de Paul

THIS WEEK AT ST. CHRISTOPHER



KNITTING MINISTRY

Meets on Wednesdays

Call Susana if interested at (805) 276-2584



Cor Men's group meets on
1st and 3rd Wednesdays of
the month
in the Parish Office at 7:15pm

COMMUNITY ROSARY

Thursdays in the church at 7pm

We pray in Spanish but all in the parish
are welcome to join us!

Contact Felix for questions:
(615) 454-1555



Music Ministry

We invite talented musicians to join our
choir. Please email Marisa
(see P. 4), to schedule an audition.



**Knights of
Columbus**

Please contact
Eric Kuehler at 706-338-7911
for more information
Upcoming Events:

Family Picnic @ Montgomery Bell Park Aug 23rd
Funnel Cake Booth @ Dickson County Fair Sept 3-7

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY



If you or someone you know is in need
of receiving Holy Communion at home,
please contact **Philip Brown**,
coordinator of the sick & homebound ministry.
Philip's email is on page 4.

TODAY'S GOSPEL:

THE RETURN OF THE TWELVE AND THE FEEDING OF THE FIVE THOUSAND.

When it was evening, the disciples approached him and said, "This is a deserted place and it is already late; dismiss the crowds so that they can go to the villages and buy food for themselves."16[Jesus] said to them, "There is no need for them to go away; give them some food yourselves."17But they said to him, "Five loaves and two fish are all we have here."18Then he said, "Bring them here to me,"19and he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing, broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, who in turn gave them to the crowds.

Matthew 14: 15-19

BEWARE OF SCAMS!



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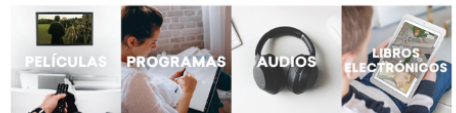
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Admin Notes:

With warmer weather, please take note of the Dress Code that is posted.

In our small church, noises carry across the room. If your child needs a distraction, room to move or is making noise, please use the Children's Room or the Social Hall.
Both have TVs to watch the Mass.
Help keep the Mass reverent.

With all of the rain, please wipe your feet at the door or consider keeping a clean pair of shoes in your car to help keep our carpets clean.

Parish Office

Secretary - Teryl Plaisance
secretary@stchristophercc.com

Bookkeeper - Olga Suiter
bookkeeper@stchristophercc.com

Religious Ed - Amber Gonzales
religiouslyeducation@stchristophercc.com

Music Coordinator - Marisa Kryza
musicministry@stchristophercc.com

Sick & Homebound Ministry - Philip Brown
homeboundministry@stchristophercc.com

Parish Council

Chairman - Regina Webster
websterreginam@gmail.com

Vice-chair - Tom Roche
rochetom@comcast.net

Prayer List

Jim Anthony, Nancy Brownfiel,
Margaret Chavez (sister of Lois White),
Andrew Capone (nephew of Mary Jane Stark)
Carol & Richard Capone (sister & BIL of Mary Jane Stark)
Roger Durant (brother of Brian Durant),
Charles Elston, Rose & Jerry Elston,
Bob Farris, Barbra Felts, Steve & Susana Freund,
Linda Greene (Sue Zimmerman's sister-in-law),
Margaret Mary Gilgallon (sister of Nora Gilgallon-Keele), Blain
Hogan, Louise Hornick, Sherry Laws (daughter of Sylvia
McCutchen), Jerry Littrell (son of Jerry & Rose Littrell),
Logan Family, Sydney Matt (family member of Lee Durant),
Robert McCutchen (Son of Sylvia McCutchen),
Fatima Mora, Anne Marie Reyes (daughter of Carol Cupo),
Fritz Sander, David Shoulta, Mary Jane Stark, John Suddoth,
Martha Williams (mother of Patsy DeVandry),
Tammy Wright (friend of Kelly Martin), Doug Zimmerman (son of
Jerry & Sue Zimmerman)

Please message Teryl at secretary@stchristophercc.com or call the office and leave a message to retain, add, add back, or remove names.

Detailed or anonymous prayer requests received via the website will be put in the basket taken

Mission Statement

We, the members of St. Christopher Church, are called by God to become a Believing, Loving, Caring and Welcoming Catholic Community. We commit ourselves personally and collectively to study the WORD of God and to proclaim the GOOD NEWS to the world. We gather together to celebrate the LOVE of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist, which inspires and urges us to serve our brothers and sisters as bread broken for many. Filled with the knowledge and love of Christ, we go to the world as a CHRISTOPHER*, bearing the light of Gospel values. *Christopher means "Christ-bearer"

St. Christopher Prayer Almighty and eternal God! With lively faith and reverently worshipping Your Divine Majesty, I prostrate myself before You and invoke with filial trust Your supreme generosity and mercy. Illuminate the darkness of my intellect with a ray of Your Heavenly light and inflame my heart with the fire of Your Divine Love, that I may contemplate the great virtues and merits of the Saint in whose honor I make this prayer, and following his example imitate, as he did, the life of Your Divine Son. Moreover, I beseech You to graciously grant me, through the merits and intercession of St. Christopher, the petition which through him I humbly place before You, devoutly saying, "Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven." Vouchsafe graciously to hear it, if it is to Your greater glory and the salvation of my soul. Amen.



Spanish Marriage Classes

Te quiereres preparar para El Sacramento de Matrimonio. Ven a recibir las Platicas prematrimoniales en Espanol. Para mas informacion con Antonio y Lidia Mota (615) 573-6960

For the Children A children's cry room is open during all Masses. Please feel free to use it when babies and young children are in need of space or distractions. There is a wall flat screen where you can view the on going Mass (See directional signs on east side of church.)

Sacrament Information

- Infant Baptism: Baptism preparation classes take place in English and in Spanish as needed for parishioners who've been registered at least six months. Contact Father Abraham or Felix Leon (Spanish instruction) or call the parish office to register.
- Confession: Confessions are heard every day before Mass during Adoration, every
- Saturday from 4:00-4:45 PM, and on request.
- Sacrament of Matrimony: Contact the pastor at least 4 months prior to proposed wedding date to receive marriage preparation. Couples must fulfill all diocesan regulations.
- Anointing of the Sick: Anyone who is at risk of death or old age can receive this Sacrament; please inform the Pastor if any parishioners are unwell.

O.C.I.A.

The Order of Christian Initiation for Adults Anyone who desires to become Catholic, or anyone, including, Catholics, who would like to learn more about the Catholic faith is invited to call Deacon Jim Tucker to join his class. Please contact Deacon Jim @ 615 446-8281 or jtuck40@bellsouth.net or fill out one of the forms at the church entrance labeled "O.C.I.A Registration Form"