

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sacrament Emergency Number is 256-735-6858. This number is to be used for sacrament emergencies only and during non-office hours.

Holy Water Bottles are available for pickup at all masses. One bottle per family please! Father Patrick will bless the water during Mass. If the holy water bottles run out and you don't receive one please notify the church office so more can be ordered.

Father Patrick will be out this week for St Bernard's annual retreat for the monks June 1-5th. He will also be out June 15-16th for the election of the new abbot. There will be no daily mass, adoration or confession on those dates. Please contact Fr Charles at St Joseph Church for a sacrament emergency.

The Thursday morning Bible study will take a break until September. We will begin a new study at that time.

Father Patrick's Book Club and Bible Study classes will not meet this week while he is on retreat.

Student Awards and Recognition - Saint Michael would like to recognize students of all ages and grades with an achievement bulletin insert highlighting their success over the past school year. Please include the student's name, school, grade and accomplishments. You may email the info to the office or drop the info in the offertory collection with the "Attn: Secretary" written on it. Deadline is June 11th.

Flowers on the Altar are placed by George & Mary Lou Wilson.

Envelopes! If you would like to start receiving offertory envelopes or need to make an address change, please notify the Church office. Envelopes are mailed bi-monthly directly to parishioners.

Totus Tuus - St. Joseph will host Totus Tuus July 12th-17th. This is an "interest link" for those who would like more information <https://forms.gle/1KWY9XKiEgYzsVeo8> or contact Kim Kroger.

Ladies Bible Study continue on Tuesdays at 10am in the Church Library. They are studying Walking toward Eternity: Engaging the struggles of your heart. All ladies are welcome!

Friendly reminder to please silence/turn off phones before Mass starts and also enter and leave Church quietly and respectfully!

FORMED - The easiest way to find our parish on Formed is by our parish name and zip code. Once you find our parish, enter your email address to establish your own personal login.

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The **TRINITY** is the word we use to describe the nature of God. It means there is one God existing in three *consubstantial* divine persons, making one unified God.

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Week of May 31, 2026



Lectio: God

Who is God and what does he mean when he says "I Am Who I Am"? Join Dr. Elizabeth Klein in her latest Lectio series as she begins to unpack the mystery of who God is.



Saint Justin Martyr | Catholic Saints

Dr. Ben Akers sits down with Dr. Elizabeth Klein to discuss St. Justin Martyr, an early Church martyr who wrote several significant Christian apologetic works. He sought the truth in other philosophies, drawing out what was true and good and relating it to Jesus Christ.



St. Boniface | Catholic Saints

Known as the "Apostle to Germany," the bishop and martyr St. Boniface worked tirelessly to renew the Church in Germany. Although his efforts ultimately bore great fruit and helped to recenter the faith of the Germans, St. Boniface often felt like a failure in his missionary work.

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ACTIVITY DIRECTOR NOTES

Nursery available in Parish House during 10 am mass. This service is available for your little one ages birth -4 yrs old. A parent must sign in their child when dropping. Anyone who would like to be a greeter or work in Nursery, contact Donna.

Nursery Schedule for May: 5/31: Jane Burkhart, Ralph Peters 6/07: Megan Eck/ Pam Stumpe 6/14: Frances Holder/ Mary Beth Passerella 6/21: Angie Locker/ Janet Ragland 6/28: Jane Burkhart/ Carolyn Eck

Sacred Heart Movie Showing one time only on Sun. 6/14, 4 pm @ Cinema 12 Theatre, Florence. If you would like to see this movie, meet on this date at theatre and purchase your ticket. All of our local Catholic Churches are invited to attend.

VBS Save the date! July 23, 24, 25, 9am-12 noon. For ages K-6th grade. SAINTS ADVENTURES is our theme!

The church sign is in progress. Any donations may be made marked 'church sign' on check. Thank you for your support.

Baby "Sprinkle" for Melissa Hall, June 14th, 1-3 pm, Parish House. Melissa and family will be welcoming their 5th child, a boy. Diapers, wipes, gift cards to Target or Walmart are helpful. All are invited!

Baby Shower for Jodi Kimbrough Kramer on Sun. June 28, 1-3 pm, Parish House. Jodi is registered on Amazon under Jodi Kramer. It's a girl! All invited.

June 27, 10 am, A Trip to see Tom Hendrix's Wichahpi Commemorative Stone Wall. Built by Tom over 30 yrs in memory of his great-great grandmother, a Yuchi Indian as part of the Indian removal to Oklahoma. Learn more and meet front of church at 10 am on this date and bring a sack lunch if you want to stop on the Natchez Trace close by for lunch together. Bottled water will be provided. Tom Hendrix has now passed away but his son Trace, will be there to talk to us about Tom's Wall. Let Donna know if you would like to go. 256-577-1607. We will car pool, weather permitting. Books are available for \$19 if interested. Cash or checks only.

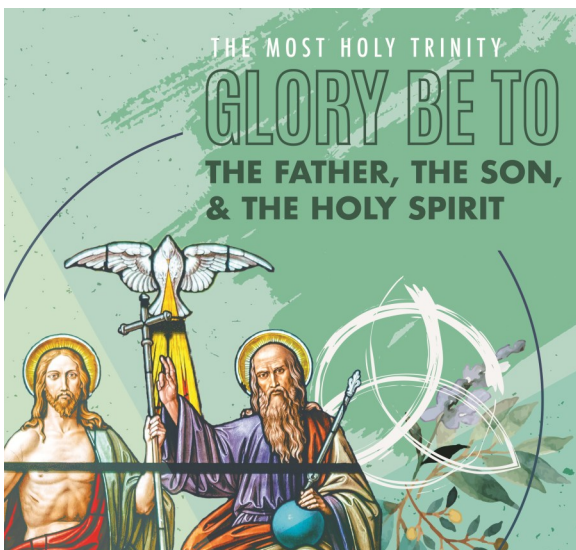
Sat. August 22, Church Yard Sale, with proceeds going to General Fund. Start saving your treasures!

If you know of anyone that is expecting, let us know! We want to love on our church family mamas and offer a shower. Anyone wanting to help with showers/ sprinkles let Donna Peters or Deona Berrens know.

Beverage tabs - Next delivery will be June 15. Save your beverage tabs, put in a ziploc bag and give to Donna Peters. They will be picked up and taken to Bham.

Next Soup Kitchen is July 18th.

Submitted by Donna Peters, contact Donna for more info at 256-577-1607.



July 4 Fundraiser

Sign up sheets for workers starts this weekend after all masses.

Raffle tickets are available for purchase after all masses. Tickets are \$5 each.

Boston Butt pre-orders start next weekend. Pre-order means pre-paid!

Contact Carolyn Eck for questions or if you can help at 256-436-2045 or at ceckleack@aol.com

Submitted by Carolyn Eck