### **PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

**Father Patrick** is teaching an adult catechesis class on Sundays in the Parish House between the two Masses (around 8:40am). All are welcome!

The parking lot adjacent to the Church is under reconstruction and will be unusable until completed. New asphalt and concrete entries will make the parking more usable on completion. A police officer will help direct/stop traffic during this time during the weekend masses. Please be patient during this time, this project is much needed.

**Sympathy** is expressed to Chris & Kim Kasmeier and family on the passing of his brother, Jason Kasmeier. May his soul rest with Our Risen Lord.

**First Sunday Adoration is this Sunday**, September 14th, following the conclusion of the 10am Mass until 3pm. All are welcome to come adore Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

**Tuesday Morning Bible Study** will resume class this Tuesday, September 16th at 10am in the Church Library. All ladies are welcome.

**Finance Council** will meet this Thursday September 18th at 10am in the Parish House.

**Altar Server Ministry** - Altar Servers are needed for each Mass. We are seeking girls and boys Grade 3 / age 8+ that have received their First Communion and have an interest in serving. Please contact Karen if your children would like to get involved! 256-412-5793.

**FlockNote** - Join our parish's text and/or email system! Simply text FAITHHOPELOVE to 84576 to join the list. FlockNote messages will pertain mostly to all liturgical stuff (mass canceled, holy day reminders, adoration, funeral time, etc). Father Patrick may also send info about understanding more about the Catholic faith. The Church office is still going through training to better utilize the system.

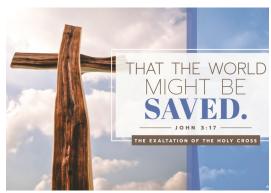
Flowers on the altar are in memory of Jim Brink placed by Barbara Brink.

**Ladies in charge of the altar** for month of September are Beth Bernauer, Ella Rane, Vicki Farina and Linda Eckl.

**Offertory Envelopes!** If you currently have offertory envelopes and no longer want them or would like to start receiving them, please notify the Church office. We changed envelope companies at the beginning of the year and now envelopes are directly mailed bi-monthly to parishioners.

**Children's Church** - Children ages 4-7 (that are not participating in First Communion preparation classes) are welcomed to follow adults to the Parish House for the duration of the readings, gospel and homily. If anyone is interested in helping, please contact the church office or Melanie Connolly. Children's Church is only for the 10am Mass.







## **ACTIVITY DIRECTOR NOTES**

**Nursery now available** in Parish House during 10 am mass. This service is available for your little one. A parent must sign in their child when dropping off child, not a sibling.

**Sat. Sept. 20:** Soup Kitchen. Contact Donna if you would like to help. There is a box near Infant of Prague to collect snacks, socks, shirts, religious items to take to Soup Kitchen.

**Family Mass** will be held quarterly at the 10 am mass in which Michael Mauter will accompany with his guitar. Our first Family Mass is 9/21 at the 10 am mass and will include the same things we do for Youth Mass. Youth wanting to read, sing, altar serve, please contact Donna.

**Sept. 28**: St. Michael's Archangel meal and Birthday recognition for Fr. Patrick after 10 am mass, approx. 11:15 am. This meal will include smoked chicken quarters, fixins' and dessert that will be provided.

**Baby Shower**, Sunday, Sept. 28, 1-3pm in Parish House for Madison Tidwell Phillips. Madison is the daughter of Brian & Amy Tidwell. Baby's gender will be a surprise. All invited.

**Sat. Oct. 25**: St. Michael's Trunk or Treat, 2-4 pm in Gym parking Lot. Mark your calendar to decorate your trunk and give out candy on this date. CYO will help give out candy.

**Sun. Oct. 26**: "Sundae Sunday" and Bingo, Oct.26, 3 pm. Come enjoy a sundae. ice cream scoop, or Coke float ,and then play Bingo. Cost is \$15. Proceeds will go to CYO for yearly events. Mark your calendar!

**Nov. 2**, All Souls service at cemetery, 3pm. Soup and Sandwich meal to follow in gym. Let Donna know if you can make a soup or sandwiches for this meal.

Church Yard Sale, Sat. Nov 15, gym. This yard sale profits will go back to the church. Watch bulletin for more details of drop off and help needed.

**Available** - Drexel dresser, night stand and twin size mattress available for someone in need. Or this will be put in church yard sale in Nov. if no one needs. Contact Donna if you know someone in need.

**Anyone** who would still like to be a greeter or work in Nursery, contact Donna. St. Michael's can always use more people.

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

## This Week on Formed

Week of September 14, 2025



# The Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Seven Sorrows of Mary is a traditional Catholic devotion featuring meditations on sorrowful episodes in the life of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Join us in prayer as we celebrate the feast of Our Lady of Sorrows.



# Stations of the Cross by Saint Alphonsus Liguori

The Augustine Institute presents a beautiful meditation on the Stations of the Cross by Saint Alphonsus Liguori, narrated by Dr. Christopher Blum. This prayerful reflection is accompanied by the Schola Cantorum, chanting the traditional Catholic hymn Stabat Mater to aid your prayer.



#### The Seven Sorrows of Mary | Brother Francis

Join Brother Francis as he prays and explores the Seven Sorrows of Mary Devotion!

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#### PSR SCHOOL BUILDING SAFETY

Diocesan Regulation requires all school entrance/exit doors to remain locked at all times for the safety of the children. Times that the school building doors are locked are as follows:

- PSR Elementary Hours 8:45-9:45 am on Sundays
- PSR High School Hours 7:00-8:00 pm on Wednesdays

(If you are <u>not</u> a parent dropping off children, student or teacher please use the restroom in the parish house during this time.) Adult Catechism classes are in the Parish House 8:45-9:45am on Sundays. Classroom doors will remain closed during lesson times.

Thank you for your patience, cooperation and understanding.