27th Sunday IN ORDINARY TIME

"So should it be with you.
When you have done all you have been commanded, say,
'We are unprofitable servants; we have done what we were obliged to do." - Lk 17:10



October 2, 2022

HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC PARISH

Holy Spirit Catholic Parish is a faith community, centered in Jesus Christ, empowered by the Holy Spirit to proclaim God's love and the Gospel message through word and action to all.



HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH 733 James I Harrison, Jr. Parkway E., Tuscaloosa, AL 35405

Mass Schedule:

Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	
Nursery available (up to age 5) during 8:-	45 & 11 AM Masses
Misa en Espanol (cada domingo)	1:00 PM
Monday-Friday	6:45 AM
Holy Days	Check Bulletin
	4.00 PM on Saturday



St. John The Baptist Catholic Church 800 Lurleen B Wallace Blvd N, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401 (Mailing: 733 James I Harrison Jr. Pkwy E; Tuscaloosa, AL 35405)

Mass Schedule:

Sunday Suspended until further notice Monsignor Michael J. Deering, Pastor Father Victor Salomon, Associate Pastor Rev. Mr. Adrian Straley, Deacon

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



Here's a little Quiz from "The Pastor's Desk"
I wrote 2 weeks ago.

Why did God establish Tithing?

- 1. So we're sure **to thank Him** for the income we receive from our labors.
- 2. So we're able to **sustain our Church**.

Perhaps you recalled **the Acronym** I made up for **Tithing**:

<u>Transfer Income To Him In Never-ending Gratitude!</u>

Yes, the reasons for Tithing include ... Showing our Gratitude and providing our Support:

The Catholic model for Tithing might look like this:

- Give 5% of your income to your Parish
- Give 1% of your income to the **Diocese** (Catholic Charities & Communities)
- Give 4% to the Charities of your choice.

This totals 10% of your income given to God!

Hopefully you've received your **Personal Pledge Card** in the mail and spent some time in prayer / reflection to assess how you plan to do **your tithing** in **2023**.

There are 57 apostolates and ministries that receive and distribute the money given to Catholic Charities.

While all you need to do is <u>pledge</u> at this time ... you may certainly attach a <u>full</u> or <u>partial</u> **payment** if you wish.

And you may also choose to be billed monthly in 2023 for your pledge.

You <u>may bring</u> your **Personal Pledge Card** with you to **Mass or** <u>fill out</u> a **blank one** <u>in the pew</u> and <u>place it in</u> the **Offertory basket** on any Sunday.

Many people now <u>choose to make</u> a Pledge / Payment on - line through our Diocese of Birmingham Web Site.

A good many people choose to make a Pledge / Payment by mailing it in to the Diocese of Birmingham.

Regardless of how you make your Pledge/ Payment,
your participation in the
Catholic Charities and Communities Annual Appeal
is showing your gratifula to God for His blessings

is showing your gratitude to God for His blessings and is providing your support for His Church.

Please <u>reply</u> in <u>any of the above ways</u> **as soon as you can**.

You see, we were the First Parish out of 50 to meet our Catholic Charities Goal in each of the past 5 Years!

Our Motto last year was: Strive for Five!

Our Motto this year is: Seeking Six!

God wants us to trust His plan of Tithing.

And when we do, He comes right back and lavishes us with even more of his wonderful blessings.

One thing's for sure, God will never be outdone in generosity!

Thank you for your generosity to this Parish and your support of Catholic Charities & Communities.

God bless you! Love, Father Deering

Mass Intentions October 2 - October 8

Sunday, October 2
†Bubs Cummings

Monday, October 3
†Frank Slapikas

Tuesday, October 4
Ewart family

Wednesday, October 5
Dan Plunkett

Thursday, October 6
Gratitude to God for ending legal abortion

Friday, October 7
†Judy Davis

Saturday, October 8 †Jeff Connor



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Habakkuk 1:2-3;2:2-4

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:6-8,13-14

Gospel: Luke 17:5-10



Next Week's Liturgical Schedule				
2 nd Sunday of the Month				
Saturday, October 8 th	Sunday, October 9 th			
5:00PM	8:45AM	11:00AM		
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion				
Nancy Shockley	Berni DellaPenna	Jose Giron		
Robert Poole	Bill Colburn	Haley Thompson		
	Patty Jacobs	Carley Thompson		
Lectors				
Dan Tidwell	Barbara Slapikas	Billy Hannah		
Rita Lueth	Mark Griffith	Chace Lake		
Altar Servers				
	See Jason McCrory			

ROUND THE PARISH

Week

Sunday, October 2 Mass Hispanic Mass	8:45am & 11:00am 1:00pm	Church Church
Monday, October 3 Daily Mass Ultreya	6:45am 6:30pm	Church Parish Hall
Tuesday, October 4 Daily Mass Women's Bible Study RCIA—Are You Saved? Hispanic Mass	6:45am 9:00am 7:00pm 7:00pm	Church Molly Room Parish Hall Chapel
Wednesday, October 5 Daily Mass Scriptural Rosary Sacramental Prep Bible Study	6:45am 5:30pm 5:30pm 6:00pm	Church Chapel Parish Hall Knights Hall
Thursday, October 6 Daily Mass Mom Group Hispanic Mass	6:45am 9:30am 7:00pm	Church Parish Hall Chapel
Friday, October 7 Daily Mass Pro-Life Rosary First Friday Adoration	6:45am 8:00am 5:00pm	Church Chapel Church
Saturday, October 8 Confessions Mass	4:00pm 5:00pm	Church Church





COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (KOC): Meets 2nd Thurs @ 7 pm KC Hall. Grand Knight John Pomerleau (659) 239-0844 KOC LADIES AUXILIARY: Meets 3rd Thursday @ 1 pm KC Hall,

President: Carol Naylor (349-5566)

HOLY SPIRIT LADIES GUILD: Meets 2nd Thursday @ 10:00 am Parish Hall. (September-May) President: Carol Naylor (205) 349-5566 CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS: Meets 3rd Monday @ 6:00 pm. Regent: Laura Ballard/Kim Diano (205) 792-8711

ULTREYA/CURSILLO: 1st Monday, 6:30-8 pm, Parish Hall. Contact George & Lisa Lake, tuscaloosaultreya@gmail.com,

my4lakes@gmail.com or text (205) 792-2701.

MEALS ON WHEELS: Serves 2nd Sunday, Contact Ken Miksis at (205) 242-2966.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: Call (205) 561-0282.
CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES: Call (205) 759-1268, located at 608 James I Harrison Jr Pkwy E, Open M - Th. 9:00-11:30 am & 1:30 - 3:30 pm, Director: Sister Maria Elena Mendez

HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL: Elementary School, principal Josh Saibini, phone (205) 553-9630; High School, principal Jonathan Loper, phone (205) 553-5606.

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Parent/Godparent preparation. Contact the Parish Office. FIRST RECONCILIATION/FIRST COMMUNION: Students must attend Catholic School or Religious Education classes to be eligible for this Sacrament.

Contact Jeanne Doyle at holyspirittuscaloosa.reled@gmail.com.

CONFIRMATION: Students must attend Catholic School or Religious Education classes to be eligible for this Sacrament. Contact Jeanne Doyle at holyspirittuscaloosa.reled@gmail.com.

MATRIMONY: Arrangements should be made with the Priest six months in advance. Contact the Parish Office.

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays at 4:00—5:00 pm; Sundays at 2:15—3:00pm; daily after 6:45am Mass; or by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Recommended for all who are seriously ill or in danger of death. Contact the Parish Office.

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH OFFICE

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RCIA TUESDAY OCTOBER 4

TOPIC: ARE YOU SAVED?

Class begins at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall. light meal will be served at 6:30



Bama Catholic will be hosting a **Eucharistic Procession in honor** of the National Eucharistic Revival! The procession will begin at St. Francis University Parish and continue throughout the campus as a compelling witness to the power of the Eucharist. Feel free to join us for the Procession or for all of the evening's activities! For more info, contact Mary Stahlman (mstahlman@crimson.ua.edu)

5:30 PM Daily Mass (optional)

6:15 PM Witness Talk About the Power of the Eucharist in the church

6:35 PM Procession Begins

6:35-8 PM Procession across campus

8-9 PM S'mores outside the Saban Catholic Student Center

Overnight Eucharistic Adoration in the church (optional)

Thankyou

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