



BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH

July 25, 2021 • Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Offices:

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Mailing Address:

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www.catholicjonesboro.com

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Blessed Sacrament
(Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church)

Email:

office@catholicjonesboro.com

Phone:

870-932-2529

Office Hours:

Monday–Friday
8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Children's & Youth Ministry:

PreK—12 Grade
www.catholicjonesborocym.com

Blessed Sacrament School:

PreK—6th Grade
1105 E. Highland Drive
870-932-3684 Phone
870-932-3613 Fax
www.catholicjonesboroschool.com

St. Vincent de Paul Ministry:

324 W. Huntington Avenue
Tuesday 9:00 a.m.
870-316-0229

Motherhood Ministry:

324 W. Huntington Avenue
Wednesday 9:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Knights of Columbus

Council 1702
1103 E. Highland Drive
Robert Monteforte, Grand Knight
870-761-6183



JESUS TOOK THE LOAVES, GAVE THANKS,
AND DISTRIBUTED THEM TO THOSE WHO WERE RECLINING,
AND ALSO AS MUCH OF THE FISH AS THEY WANTED.

JOHN 6:11

PARISH STAFF

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501-912-0452 or 501-687-7299

MASS TIMES & MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, July 26 - Mass †
 7:00 a.m. Rina Jocson
 by Maria & Tyson Teel

Tuesday, July 27 - Mass †
 5:30 p.m. Jean Reynolds
 by Delbert Reynolds

Wednesday, July 28 - Mass †
 7:00 a.m. Blanche Blackburn
 by Bonnie Goad

Thursday, July 29 - Mass †
 5:30 p.m. Int. of Vicenta & Tyson Teel
 by Mike & Helen Massanelli

Friday, July 30 - Mass †
 7:00 a.m. Daniel Thrasher
 by Mercedita Thrasher

Saturday, July 31 - Mass †
 Public & Livestreamed Mass †
 8:00 a.m. Adele Massanelli
 by Ralph & Sherry Massanelli †
 5:30 p.m. Carl Vaupel †
 by Joy Vaupel

Sunday, August 1 - Mass †
 8:00 a.m. Michelle Veteto & †
 Int. of Tim Veteto
 by Paul & Carolyn Black
 10:00 a.m. Int. of Dr. James Fletcher
 by Joseph Fleszar
 12:00 p.m. Mass for the Parishioners

Confessions: Saturdays 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Church or by appointment,

PARISH ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Parish Office Hours
 Monday—Friday
 8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Monday July 26
Ss. Joachim & Anne
 7:00 a.m. Mass
 7:30 a.m.—7:30 p.m. Adoration
 5:00 p.m. Rosary

Tuesday July 27
 7:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m. Adoration
 5:30 p.m. Mass

Wednesday July 28
 7:00 a.m. Mass
 7:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Adoration

Thursday July 29
St. Martha
 7:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m. Adoration
 5:30 p.m. Mass

Friday July 30
St. Peter Chrysologus
 7:00 a.m. Mass
 7:30 a.m.—6:00p.m. Adoration
 6:00 p.m. Holy Hour

Saturday July 31
St. Ignatius of Loyola
 8:00 a.m. Mass
 8:30 a.m. Confessions
 4:00 p.m. Confessions
 5:30 p.m. Mass—Livestreaming

Sunday August 1
 8 a.m. Mass
 10 a.m. Mass
 12 p.m. Mass—Spanish

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK
 JULY 25, 2021**

Sunday 2 Kgs 4:42-44
 Ps 145:10-11,15-16,17-18
 Eph 4:1-6
 Jn 6:1-15

Monday Ex 32:15-24, 30-34
 Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28
 Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday Ex 34:29-35
 Mt 13:44-46

Thursday Ex 40:16-21, 34-38
 Jn 11:19-27 or
 Lk 10:38-42

Friday Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27,
 34b-37
 Mt 13:54-58

Saturday Lv 25:1, 8-17
 Mt 14:1-12

Sunday Ex 16:2-4, 12-15
 Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54
 Eph 4:17, 20-24
 Jn 6:24-35

Vaccination Clinic

For those wanting to receive the Pfizer Covid-19 vaccine, we will be hosting a vaccination clinic on **Sunday, August 1, 2021** 9:00 am - 1:30 pm. Ages 12 and older. Please see the volunteers after Mass to sign up or call the office to have your name added.

MARRIAGE GUIDELINES

Those considering marriage need to notify the parish priest or deacon of their intention to marry at least six months prior to their intended wedding date. Wedding dates will be finalized only after consultation with the priest or deacon. Attendance of an approved marriage preparation program is required. Please call the parish office, 932-2529, for further information and/or an appointment.



A private area for nursing mothers is now available in the Narthex next to the women's restroom.



**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
MINISTRY UPDATE**

For those in our community in need of assistance (rent or utility), volunteers are taking in person applications Tuesday beginning at 9 a.m.

Priority is given to members of our parish family.

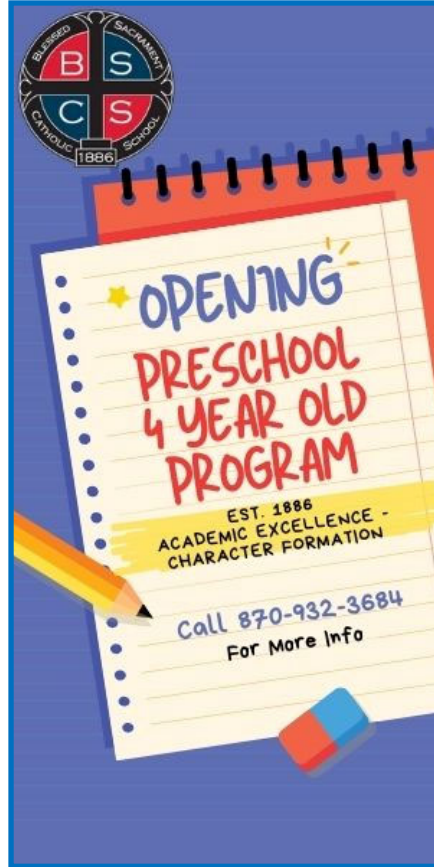
During the past week:

Utility assistance for 7 families
Rental assistance for 5 families were provided.

If you or someone you know, is a resident of Craighead County, and struggling to make ends meet, please visit:

324 W. Huntington

We thank you for answering our prayers and ask for your continued support! God bless you all.



**Part Time Opportunities
Available at Blessed Sacrament
Catholic School**

We have openings in our **Cafeteria** and **After Care Program** for the upcoming school year beginning in August.

Cafeteria Assistant: 20 hours per week during the school day.

After Care Program: 15 hours per week from 2:30-5:30pm

Qualified candidates will be energetic and enjoy working with children; possess strong communication and organizational skills. Ability to manage groups of students in grades Pre-K3 through 6 grade is essential.

Interested candidates, please email resume and references to:
principal@catholicjonesboroschool.com

Motherhood Ministry

is located at

324 Huntington. Each Wednesday, volunteers assist those in need 9:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Expectant mothers may obtain free maternity clothes. Free clothing for children, infancy to size 14, is available.

Ladies of Charity

The Ladies of Charity of Arkansas, a local chapter of a worldwide organization started 400 years ago by St. Vincent de Paul, the “Apostle of Charity”, in 1617 in the Diocese of Lyons located in the mountainous region of eastern France. Today, the Ladies of Charity are in over 50 countries with over 260,000 lay volunteers. Our local chapter was founded in 2008 and is the only Ladies of Charity organization in the state of Arkansas. We are a non-profit 501c3 and are listed in the Official Catholic Directory for the Diocese of Little Rock, where we hold Masses and Quarterly Meetings. Our meetings are conducted in person as well as virtually via Go-To-Meeting. Sr. Mary Ann Azar, DC, is our Sister Moderator. She guides our membership in all our activities for the poor and vulnerable. If you would like to help but are already involved in so many organizations, membership requirements are very minimal with our organization. Attending meetings are not a requirement of membership. Annual dues are \$25, which helps us fund our programs. For more information please contact us at LCArk@dolr.org

Kid's Corner

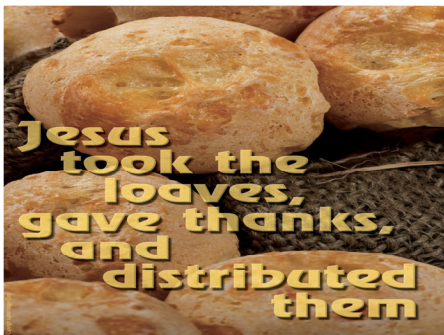
- * Registration is now open for 2021-2022 PRE. You can register your child at catholicjonesboro.com
- * If you are interested in being a leader for this year's PRE please contact Cindy at the Parish Office.
- * There is a family bathroom in the lobby of the church with a changing table.
- * If your child is getting squirmy in the pews feel free to bring them in the Narthex where you can still hear the Mass being celebrated.

BAPTISM PREPARATION

Prior to the Baptism of a child, parents are to meet with Msgr. Friend or Father Daniel. After the parents have met with one of the Priests, parents and godparents are required to attend a Baptism Class. For more information and/or to set up a meeting with one of the priests please contact the parish office at 932-2529.



PLEASE PRAY FOR: The special intentions of parishioners, especially those homebound/hospitalized, Shelby Ward, Mary Ann Eaton, Jody Amick, Peggy George, Kathy Plessinger, Rita Puryear, Millie & Bill Kueter, Paul Black, Helen Wilson, Debbie Marthey, James Adam, Mike Massanelli, Tara Banks, Carolyn Schilly, John & Sharon Aleman, Nancy Stillman, Hank Pfriemer, Millie Gain, Leticia Fernández, Kirk Douglas, Terry Brimhall, Don Throesh, Margaret Teelint, Dennis Krenn, David Intres, Don Nyguen, Tim Veteto, Genie Davis, Mike Simmons, Perry Osborn, June Mckinney, Bobby Puryear, Johnny Tindel, COVID-19 sufferers



WORK OF MERCY

Helping Neighbors Food Pantry has received 36.5 lbs of food donations from our parish this last week. Thank you!

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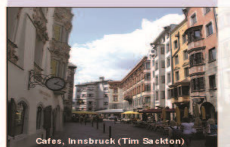
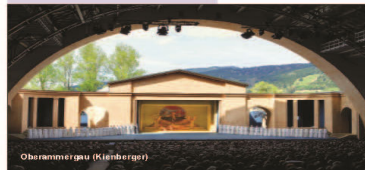
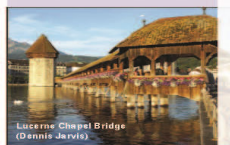
Helping Neighbors Food Pantry Drive Thru hours are: Mondays, Tuesday & Thursdays from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. (*weather permitting*) HNFP is located on the corner of Huntington and Vine. For more information please contact HNFP at 935-7298



save the date

Saturday, August 7th
6:30 - 9:30 pm
Parish Hall

Details to come soon!!



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For details or reservations, contact **Kathy Primm** at **Sue Smith Vacations**, (501) 771-0987 or kathy@suesmithvacations.com or visit suesmithvacations.com

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Arkansas Catholic Job Openings

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Parish Gift Shop

Our Parish Gift Shop has Bibles, Crucifixes, Rosaries & other religious articles available in the parish office, Monday through Friday 9a.m.—3p.m.
1107 East Highland



Sodality of the Rosary of the Blessed Mother

Meets every Monday at 5:00 p.m. in the church for recitation of the Rosary.

Join us for half an hour to say the Holy Rosary of the Blessed Mother and learn of the fifteen promises of the Rosary given to us by our Blessed Mother.

Have you prayed the Rosary today?



The Catholic Diocese of Little Rock is committed to protecting Children, Youth & Adults at risk.

If you are aware of abuse or have been abused by clerics, Church volunteers or Church workers, please contact the **State of Arkansas Hotline for Crimes against Children at 1-800-482-5964** and the **Chancellor for Canonical Affairs, Dcn. Matthew A. Glover, 501-664-0340, ext 361.**

For pastoral assistance please contact: **Diocese of Little Rock Victim Assistance Coordinator, Laura Gottspomer, 501-664-0340, ext. 425.**

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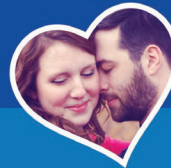
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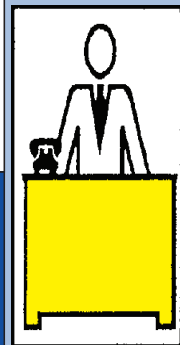
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