



PARISH INFORMATION

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www.catholicjonesboro.com

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Blessed Sacrament
(Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church)

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office@catholicjonesboro.com

Phone:

870-932-2529

Regular 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.
870-938-1502

Motherhood Ministry:

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

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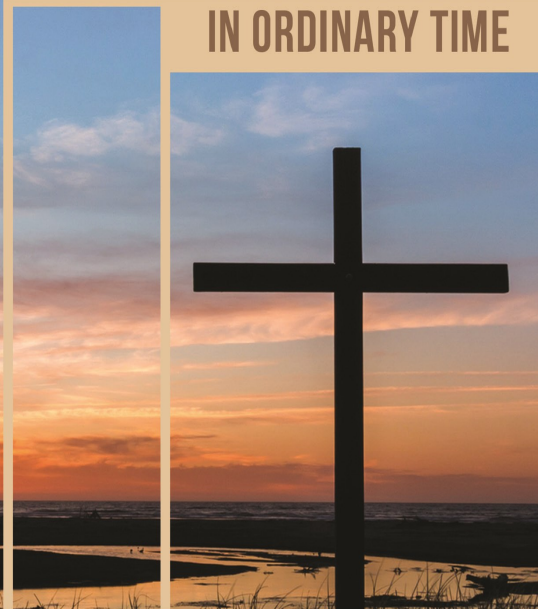
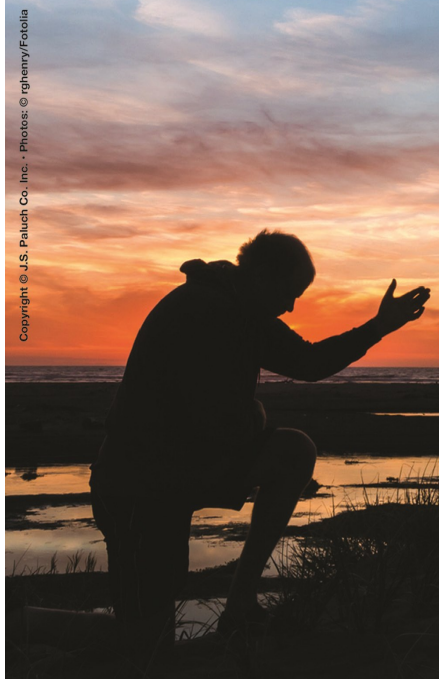
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BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH

October 23, 2022

THIRTIETH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

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Jesus said to them,
"I tell you, the tax collector went home justified,
not the Pharisee; for whoever exalt themselves
will be humbled, and those who humble
themselves will be exalted."

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Luke 18:14

PARISH STAFF

Msgr. Scott Friend, Pastor
Fr. Martin Amaro, Associate Pastor
Dcn. Ramon Ramirez, Pastoral Associate of Hispanic Ministry
Dcn. Martin Huss
Lisa Golden, Facilities Manager
Jennifer Long, Administrative Assistant
Molli Beaverstock, Bookkeeper
Director of Children's & Youth Ministry
Ann Vazquez, Associate Director Children's & Youth Ministry
Carol Windle, Music Director
Mary Kay Jones, School Principal

Robert Jones, R.C.I.A.
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Dcn. Martin Huss, Baptism Classes

Scott Roberson, Pastoral Council President
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THE PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED PLEASE CALL:
479-763-5070 or 501-687-7299

MASS TIMES & MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 24— Mass 8:15 a.m. Fr. Ernie Hardesty by His Family	+
Tuesday, October 25 - Mass 5:30 p.m. Int. of Nina J. Maulit by The Teel Family	
Wednesday, October 26 - Mass 7:00 a.m. Joe & Carolyn Nolan by The Simpson Family	+
6:30 p.m. Roberto Bartolo Ixta by His Family	+
Thursday, October 27 - Mass 5:30 p.m. Bernard Messersmith by The Sustich Family	+
Friday, October 28 - Mass 7:00 a.m. Anna Vithayathil by Mary Edattukaren	+
6:30 p.m. Int. of Jesse & Manuel Guereca by The Barron Family	
Saturday, October 29 - Mass Public & Livestreamed Mass 8:00 a.m. Jon DePriest by Steve, Anita & Amelia Smith	+
5:30 p.m. Bill McKee by Charlotte Hemphill-McKee	+
Sunday, October 30- Mass 8:00 a.m. Kurry Tindel by The Tindel Family	+
10:00 a.m. Diana Torres by Rusty & Briane Trevathan	+
12:00 p.m. Mass for Parishioners	

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.



PARISH ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

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

Monday <i>St. Anthony Mary Claret</i> 8:45 a.m.—7:30 p.m. Adoration 8:15 a.m. Mass 5:00 p.m. Rosary	October 24
Tuesday 7:30 a.m.— 5:30 p.m. Adoration 5:30 p.m. Mass	October 25
Wednesday 7:30 a.m.— 6:30 p.m. Adoration 7:00 a.m. Mass 6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass	October 26
Thursday 7:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m. Adoration 5:30 p.m. Mass	October 27
Friday <i>Ss. Simon & Jude</i> 7:30 a.m.—6:30 p.m. Adoration 7:00 a.m. Mass 6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass	October 28
Saturday 8:00 a.m. Mass 8:30 a.m. Confessions 4:00 p.m. Confessions 5:30 p.m. Mass 6:00 p.m. CYM Trick or Trunk	October 29
Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass 10:00 a.m. Mass 12:00 p.m. Spanish Mass 6:30 p.m. Mom's Ministry Hayride/Potluck	October 30

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



BAPTISM PREPARATION

Prior to the Baptism of a child, parents are to meet with Msgr. Friend or Father Amaro. 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 (870) 932-2529.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OCTOBER 23, 2022

Sunday	Sir 35:12-14, 16-18 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18 Lk 18:9-14
Monday	Eph 4:32-5:8 Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday	Eph 5:21-33 Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday	Eph 6:1-9 Lk 13:22-30
Thursday	Eph 6:10-20 Lk 13:31-35
Friday	Eph 2:19-22 Lk 6:12-16
Saturday	Phil 1:18b-26 Lk 14:1, 7-11
Sunday	Wis 11:22-12:2 2 Thes 1:11-2:2 Lk 19:1-10

Parish Financial Report

GENERAL COLLECTIONS

	Goal	Actual
July	\$78,423.08	\$82,407.60
August	\$98,000.00	\$79,512.47
September	\$78,423.08	\$73,745.51
October		
November		
December		
January		
February		
March		
April		
May		
June		
YTD (Jul-Present)	\$254,800.00	\$235,665.58
YTD Budget Surplus / Shortage		\$19,134.42

Thank you for your parish support!!



St. Vincent de Paul
324 W. Huntington
Jonesboro, AR 72401
870-938-1502

Ministry Update

For those in our community in need of assistance (rent or utility), volunteers are available each Tuesday at 9:00 am.

During the past week we were able to help the following:

Utility assistance for 7 families
Rental assistance for 6 families

Priority is given to members of our parish family.

We thank you for answering our prayers and ask for your continued support!

God Bless you all!!



CHILDREN FROM OUR SCHOOL & PARISH ARE INVITED TO

Trick or Trunk

**SATURDAY, OCT. 29TH 6:00 – 7:30PM
IN THE CHURCH PARKING LOT**

**SPONSORED BY THE SENIOR HIGH
CONFIRMATION CLASSES AND STUDENTS.
CHILDREN THROUGH THE 5TH GRADE ARE
WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE.**

BAG CANDY DONATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED IN THE PARISH OFFICE OR CAN BE LEFT IN THE NARTHEX.



"YOU SHALL BE MY WITNESSES"
"PARA QUE SEAN MIS TESTIGOS"

OCT. 23, 2022

World Mission Sunday 2022

Today is World Mission Sunday. We celebrate this day by remembering our baptismal call to bring the Gospel to all! The collection today for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith supports the work and witness of the Mission Church, as it provides for priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions.

Thank you for your generosity.



**Blessed Sacrament
Mom's Ministry**

ANNUAL HAYRIDE & POTLUCK

Everyone in the Parish is welcome to attend. So invite your parents, family, friends, etc.!

**Sunday, Oct 30th
6:30 pm
Parish Hall**

**RSVP:
Cari Dunham
870-897-3280**

Volunteers Needed

The Helping Neighbors Food Pantry is needing volunteers on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. Especially the 2nd and 4th weeks of the month from 10-12 and 12-2.

Opportunities include:
Picking up food donations,
Making service food bags,
Checking in Clients for assistance,
& order runners to cars.

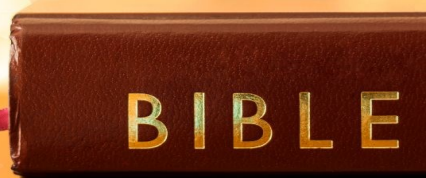
Anyone interested can stop by
501 Highland Dr.
(corner of Highland &
S. Culberhouse)



Gospel Girls Bible Study

**Meets in the Parish
Hall each Wednesday
at 4:00pm**

**Please contact the
Parish Office or
Janice Massey for
more details.**



Mary's Heart

Study Group

Please join us
each Thursday at
12:30 pm in the
Parish Hall.

Contact Carol Ward
or the Parish Office
for more details.

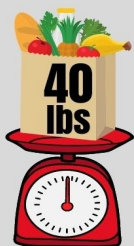
Prayer List

Please pray for the special intentions of parishioners, especially those homebound or hospitalized.

Sharon Pruett, Cathy Aitken, Kathy Hudson, Harold, Susan & Taylor Perrin, Julieta Bernarte, Joan Culanag, Danny Parker, Andy Sanders, Glenna Throesch, Doug Stapleton, Anna Maiorana, Todd Hamilton, Carolyn Boling, Ann Schaaf, Frank Kremers, Maggie Kickneite, Zita Winemiller, Mike & Becky Davis, Matthew Boswell, Brandon & Micah Schmersal, Jim & Paulette Horman, Jody Amick, Dorothy Smith, Shelby Ward, Peggy George, Tara Banks, Kathy Plessinger, Rita Puryear, Bill & Millie Kueter, Daniel & Charlie Cline, James Adams, Mike Massanelli, Genie Davis, Debbie Marthey, Nancy Stillman, Hank Pfriemer, Leticia Fernandez, David Intres, Terry Brimhall, Don Nguyen, Margaret Teelint, Mike Simmons, Steve Reeves and all COVID sufferers.



Helping Neighbors Food Pantry
has received



of food from our parish this week.

Thank you!

Motherhood Ministry

324 W Huntington

Each Wednesday
9:30 am - 1:00 pm
volunteers assist those
in need.

Expectant mothers may
obtain free maternity
clothes as well as free
clothing for children.

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are infant - 14.

Volunteers are always welcome! For more
information please contact the Parish Office.

Saturday Mass Time Change



Beginning Saturday, November 12th
Mass will now be at 4:30 p.m.

HONORING THE BRAVE VETERANS APPRECIATION DINNER



Join us for a
complimentary dinner
as we honor and say
"Thank You"
to all Veterans
in our Parish.

*Donations accepted at the door

Sunday, November 13
5:00 - 7:00 pm
Knights of Columbus Hall
1103 E. Highland Drive, Jonesboro
Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Assembly 1426



MINISTRY SCHEDULE - October 29/30

	Saturday 5:30 PM	Sunday 8:00 AM	Sunday 10:00 AM
Altar Servers:	John Stiles Brody Iadanza Kamila De Lo Santos	Marianna Nonis Tiffany Weisenfels Nate Barajas	Sabrina Cruz James Ross Paul Ross
Lectors:	Russ Dixon	Robert Jones	Inez Ray
EMHC:	Mary Tucker (F) Molli Beaverstock (FC) Cindy Cole (FC) Amy Clancy (NChr)	Gwen Gschwend Bryce Cook (C) Tamara Roberson (C)	Susan Smith (F) Angela Black (FC) Mary Edattukaren (FC) Lorna Douglas (NChr) Hannah Douglas (NC)
Ushers:	Johnny Shell Joe Butler Donald Schmidt Ralph Massanelli	Bobby Puryear Scott Roberson Mark McCord Steve Hecht	Ed Kremers Eric Bacsa David Smith Carl Dyer

F=Front, FC=Front Cup, NChr=Narthex/Choir, NC=Narthex Cup)



Faith Formation Office

Formation Days
The Mystery of the Eucharist
in the Life of the Church

To address the many challenges facing the Church today, the US Conference of Catholic Bishops has called us to reflect deeply upon the Eucharist. Parish leaders and catechists are invited to attend a Formation Day to study the recent USCCB document, *The Mystery of the Eucharist in the Life of the Church*. Through presentations by priests and catechists, and discussion with peers from Arkansas parishes, attendees will gain a deeper understanding of the meaning of Christ's gift of himself in the Eucharist, and our response to his gift.

Formation Day training will be held five separate times throughout the state in English and Spanish. The cost will be \$10.00 per person to cover lunch; payable by cash or check to the Diocese of Little Rock. The day will begin with check-in at 8:30am and finish with Mass at 4:00pm (Mass times will vary by location). Register for the location that is most convenient for you.

Locations:

- November 12, 2022: St. Theresa Church, 6219 Baseline Road, Little Rock, 72209 *Deadline to register is November 1, 2022*
- January 28, 2023: St. Benedict Church, 81 W. Parish Dr., Subiaco, 72865 *Deadline to register is January 9, 2023*
- March 18, 2023: Blessed Sacrament Church, 1101 E. Highland Dr., Jonesboro, 72401 *Deadline to register is March 1, 2023*
- April 29, 2023: St. Louis Church, 202 N. Adams Ave., Camden, 71701 *Deadline to register is April 10, 2023*
- May 13, 2023: St. Vincent de Paul Church, 1416 W. Poplar St., Rogers, 72758 *Deadline to register is May 1, 2023*

To register online, visit: <https://forms.office.com/r/p003UJRE08> or email your registration form(s) to jmoore@dolr.org.



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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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.



Adorers Needed

Jesus waits for YOU!

Adoration is open Monday-Friday. To sign up for a Holy Hour, call

Inez Ray
 (870) 273-6535
 or
 Luisa Aquino
 (870) 761-0909.



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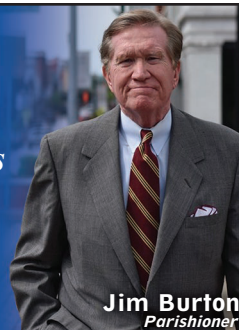
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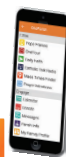
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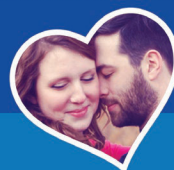
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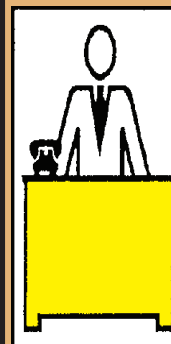


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