



PARISH INFORMATION

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(Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church)

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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
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870-932-3684 Phone
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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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Council 1702**
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Jim King, Grand Knight
469-766-9012

BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH

SEPTEMBER

4

2022

*Fill us at daybreak
with your kindness,
that we may shout for
joy and gladness all our days.*

Psalm 90:14

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TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PARISH STAFF

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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
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THE PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED PLEASE CALL:
479-763-5070 or 501-687-7299

MASS TIMES & MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 5— No Mass

Tuesday, September 6 - Mass
5:30 p.m. Arthur & Jasmine Waidyaratne †
by The Nonis Family

Wednesday, September 7 - Mass
7:00 a.m. Carl Vaupel †
by Joy Vaupel
6:30 p.m. Los Mas Necesitados

Thursday, September 8 - Mass
5:30 p.m. Int. of Nisa Marianne J. Gloriani
by The Teel Family

Friday, September 9 - Mass
7:00 a.m. Dennis Penter †
by Doris Penter
6:30 p.m. Int. of Nava-Guereca
by The Barron Family

Saturday, September 10 - Mass
Public & Livestreamed Mass
8:00 a.m. Therese Ekanayake †
by The Nonis Family
5:30 p.m. Bertha Schoenborn †
by Rusty & Briane Trevathan

Sunday, September 11- Mass
8:00 a.m. Joe & Carolyn Nolan †
by The Simpson Family
10:00 a.m. Mass for Parishioners
12:00 p.m. Father Ernie Hardesty †
by His Family

Confessions: Saturdays 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Church or by appointment, 870-932-2529.

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.



PARISH ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Parish Office Hours

Monday—Friday

8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Monday September 5

Labor Day

Parish Office is Closed

8:45 a.m.—7:30 p.m. No Adoration

8:15 a.m. No Mass

5:00 p.m. No Rosary

Tuesday September 6

7:30 a.m.— 5:30 p.m. Adoration

5:30 p.m. Mass

Wednesday September 7

7:30 a.m.— 6:30 p.m. Adoration

7:00 a.m. Mass

6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass

Thursday September 8

The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:45 a.m.—5:30 p.m. Adoration

5:30 p.m. Mass

Friday September 9

St. Peter Claver

7:30 a.m.—6:30 p.m. Adoration

7:00 a.m. Mass

6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass

Saturday September 10

8:00 a.m. Mass

8:30 a.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Confessions

5:30 p.m. Mass

Sunday September 11

8:00 a.m. Mass

10:00 a.m. Mass

12:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

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 SEPTEMBER 4, 2022

Sunday Wis 9:13-18b
Phlm 9-10, 12-17
Lk 14:25-33

Monday 1 Cor 5:1-8
Mk 6:6-11

Tuesday 1 Cor 6:1-11
Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday 1 Cor 7:25-31
Lk 6:20-26

Thursday Mi 5:1-4a
Mt 1:1-16, 18-23

Friday 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27
Lk 6:39-42

Saturday 1 Cor 10:14-22
Lk 6:43-49

Sunday Ex 32:7-11, 13-14
1 Tm 1:12-17
Lk 15:1-32

**HAPPY
Labor Day!**

*Parish Offices will
be closed on
Monday, Sept. 5th
in observance of
Labor Day.*





ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MINISTRY UPDATE

For those in our community in need of assistance (rent or utility), volunteers are taking calls at 870-938-1502.

Priority is given to members of our parish family.

During the past week:
Utility assistance for 7 families
Rental assistance for 4 families
were provided.

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



Children's & Youth Ministry Classes

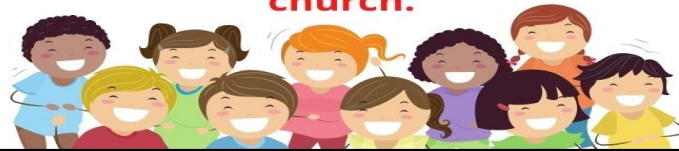
Important Dates

Year 2 Confirmation meeting with Msgr. will be Thursday, September 1st at 6:30 pm in the church. Parents must attend with their child.

Edge and Sr. High classes begin Wednesday, September 7th at 6:00 in the Parish Hall.

Children's Ministry classes begin Sunday, September 11th at 11:00 am in the Parish Hall.

First Communion meeting with Msgr. will be Thursday, September 15th at 6:30 pm in the church.



Mass Intentions may be offered for the Repose of the Soul of a deceased loved one, for healing, a special occasion or a special intention for yourself, a family member or friend. Please contact the office for available date.

A \$10 Stipend is customary for each Mass.



Friends of the Poor Walk

It is time for our annual Friends of the Poor Walk once again! St. Vincent de Paul members invite you to join us on September 24th at 9:00 a.m. in the BSCC parking lot...walkers, strollers, pets on leashes, ALL are welcome!

Janice Massey - Walk Coordinator

Log on to <https://www.fopwalk.org/> and sign up today to register for the Walk and receive a free t-shirt, minimum \$25 donation.



MINISTRY SCHEDULE - September 10/11

	Saturday 5:30 PM	Sunday 8:00 AM	Sunday 10:00 AM
Altar Servers:	Josh Stiles John Stiles Brody Iadanza	Drew Gabe Wyatt Cook Brandon Weisenfels	Sabrina Cruz Avery Young Cambree Grissom
Lectors:	Russ Dixon	Debbie Davidson	Janice Massey
EMHC:	Carol Ward (F) Cindy Cole (FC) Mary Tucker (FC) Amy Clancy (NChr)	Bryce Cook Kelly Gabe (C) Jonette Daffron (C)	Joanie Kremers (F) Susan Smith (FC) Tamara Jansen (FC) Rena Cruz (NChr) Mary Edattukaren (NC)
Ushers:	Frank Springle Johnny Shell Rusty Trevathan Ralph Massanelli	Scott Roberson Mark McCord Steve Hecht Robert Jones	Jerrold Stonecipher Jose Cruz David Smith Spencer Douglas

*Class date TBD.

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

PLEASE PRAY FOR: The special intentions of parishioners, especially those homebound or Hospitalized: John DePriest, Helen Wilson, Kathy Hudson, Harold, Susan & Taylor Perrin, Julieta Bernarte, Flavio Ostos, Joan Culanag, Danny Parker, Andy Sanders, Glenna Throesch, Doug Stapleton, Anna Maiorana, Todd Hamilton, Joseph Blaylock, Carolyn Boling, Ann Schaaf, Calvey Babin, Frank Kremers, Maggie Kickneite, Zita Winemiller, Mike & Becky Davis, Matthew Boswell, Brandon & Micah Schmersal, Jim & Paulette Horman, Melody Kennedy, Dorothy Smith, Shelby Ward, Jody Amick, Peggy George, Kathy Plessinger, Rita Puryear, Millie & Bill Kueter, Daniel & Charlie Cline, Debbie Marthey, James Adams, Mike Massanelli, Tara Banks, John & Sharon Aleman, Nancy Stillman, Hank Pfriemer, Leticia Fernandez, Terry Brimhall, Margaret Teelint, David Intres, Don Nguyen, Genie Davis, Mike Simmons, Steve Reeves, and COVID-19 sufferers.

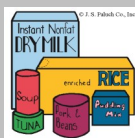
Motherhood Ministry

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,
available.

Helping Neighbors Food Pantry
has received 16 lbs of food
donations from our parish this last
week. Thank you!

F.Y.I.

Helping Neighbors Food Pantry Drive
Thru hours are: Mondays, Tuesday &
Thursdays from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
(weather permitting) HNFP
is located at 501 W. High-
land. For more information
please contact HNFP at
935-7298.



Fall Festival Silent Auction

Register now at
auction.fallfestival.com
to be able to bid on Silent Auction items and
events!

Fall Festival Silent Auction registration can
begin now!

You can view items as we are adding them.

Live bidding September 25th - October 2nd.
Winning bidders will receive a text
notification.

Pick up time will be Saturday, October 8th
10:00 am - 1:00 pm.

WANTED

Gently used
purses, shoes,
wallets, jewelry,
and scarfs etc.
for the
Fall Festival
Blessed Boutique.

Contact Carol Ward
(870) 919-2229

Fall Festival October 1, 2022

We are still in need of committee chairs
as well as volunteers/workers.

BBQ Dry Rub Mixer
BBQ Dry Rub Application
BBQ Helper/Runner
Boston Butt Sales
Boston Butt Wrappers
BBQ Sandwich Prep/Sales
Beans
Slaw
Chicken Dinner Servers

Welcome Center
Drinks
Carnival Tent Set up
Entertainment
Parking/Traffic
Trash Removal/Clean Up
Yard Sign Installation
Inflatables/Non School Games
Power Washing

Please stop by Fall Festival tables in the
Narthex after each Mass to sign up.

Buy a raffle
ticket for a
chance to win
half the pot!



\$10 per ticket

To Purchase tickets:

- 1) Online at fallfestival.com
- 2) Stop by Parish Office
- 3) See volunteer after Masses

Drawing: Monday, October 3rd
*Need not be present to win

Blessed Stanley Rother Shrine Presentations In Arkansas - October 2022

Leaders from the new Blessed Stanley Rother Shrine are coming to five Arkansas parishes in October to present the life of Blessed Stanley Rother and introduce the new Shrine, pilgrimage center, and museum under construction in Oklahoma City. Presentations will be in English and Spanish.

October 1st - 2nd Executive Director, Leif Ardivinson, will present in English, and our Executive Assistant, Cynthia Aranda, will present in Spanish. October 7th - 8th, Jason Spoolstra, Director of Pilgrimages will present in English and Cynthia Aranda in Spanish. Everyone is welcome. Please attend a presentation that is convenient for you. For more information, contact Jeff Hines at jhines@dolr.org.

Saturday, Oct. 1 Barling - Sacred Heart of Mary 7:00pm (English Only)
Sunday, Oct. 2 Bentonville - St. Stephen 11:00am (English), 1:00pm (Spanish)
Friday, Oct. 3 Little Rock - St. Theresa 6:00pm (English & Spanish)
Saturday, Oct. 8 Benton - Our Lady of Fatima 10:00 am (English & Spanish)
Saturday, Oct. 8 Jonesboro - Blessed Sacrament 7:00pm (English & Spanish)

RCIA 2022 - 2023

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process in which adults become full, participating members of the Catholic Church. Participants, known as catechumens go through a process of studying the Gospel, nurturing their relationship with God, becoming familiar with the Catholic teachings and practices, professing their faith in Jesus and the Church, and receiving the sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Communion, and Confirmation.

If you know someone who is interested in joining the Catholic Church, please encourage them to participate in our Right of Christian Initiation of Adults program that begins after Labor Day this fall. Those who have questions should contact the parish office 870-932-2529 or email the following: office@catholicjonesboro.com; Jeff Puryear jpuryear@wpmfirm.com; or Robert Jones rsjones7@sbcglobal.net.



Reserved Game Day Parking Now Available Season Parking Passes Single Game Parking Passes Reserve Yours Now!

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Or contact Deacon Bob bbennett@astate.edu

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Proceeds go to support student activities at St. John Newman



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.

Diocesan Directory

It's time to order your 2023 Diocese of Little Rock Directory. It is an invaluable resource to keep in your house or car to find Mass times for another parish or to call or email a parish, priest, deacon, or religious in the diocese. It only costs \$15, which includes shipping.

Send your check or money order to:
**Directory
Arkansas Catholic
P.O. Box 7417
Little Rock, AR 72217**

Directories will be shipped in
October.



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.



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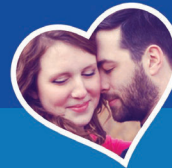
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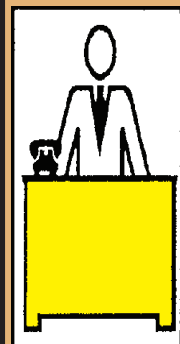


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