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(Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church)

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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

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BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH

JULY 11, 2021 | FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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be God*

who chose us in Christ,
before the foundation
of the world,
to be holy
and without blemish
before him.

~ Ephesians 1:3, 4

PARISH STAFF

Msgr. Scott Friend, Pastor
Fr. Daniel Ramos, Associate Pastor
Dcn. Ramon Ramirez, Pastoral Associate of Hispanic Ministry
Lisa Golden, Facilities Manager
Jennifer Long, Administrative Assistant
Molli Beaverstock, Bookkeeper
Cindy Cole, Director Children's & Youth Ministry
Ann Vazquez, Associate Director Children's & Youth Ministry
Carol Windle, Music Director
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501-912-0452 or 501-687-7299**

MASS TIMES & MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, July 12 - Mass
7:00 a.m. Adrian Vazquez Flores †
by Sara Vazquez

Tuesday, July 13 - Mass
5:30 p.m. Int. of Martha Biskup
by Mike & Helen Massanelli

Wednesday, July 14 - Mass
7:00 a.m. Frank DiGaetano †
by Steve Hecht

Thursday, July 15 - Mass
5:30 p.m. Int. of Mike Massanelli
by Helen Massanelli

Friday, July 16 - Mass
7:00 a.m. Dorothy Massanelli †
by Doris Penter

Saturday, July 17 - Mass
Public & Livestreamed Mass
8:00 a.m. Blair Hubbard †
By Bonnie Goad
5:30 p.m. Int. of June McKinney
by The Roberson Family &
Don McKinney

Sunday, July 18 - Mass
8:00 a.m. Keith Hess †
by The Nonis Family
10:00 a.m. Louella Ray †
by Inez Ray
12:00 p.m. Mass for the Parishioners
Confessions: Saturdays 8:30 a.m. and 4:00
p.m. Church or by appointment,
870-932-2529.

PARISH ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

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

Monday July 12
7:00 a.m. Mass
7:30 a.m.—7:30 p.m. Adoration

Tuesday July 13
St. Henry
7:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m. Adoration
5:30 p.m. Mass

Wednesday July 14
St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin
7:00 a.m. Mass
7:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Adoration

Thursday July 15
St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
7:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m. Adoration
5:30 p.m. Mass

Friday July 16
Our Lady of Mount Carmel
7:00 a.m. Mass
7:30 a.m.—6:00p.m. Adoration
6:00 p.m. Holy Hour

Saturday July 17
8:00 a.m. Mass
8:30 a.m. Confessions
4:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. Mass—Livestreaming

Sunday July 18
8 a.m. Mass
10 a.m. Mass
12 p.m. Mass—Spanish

READINGS FOR THE WEEK JULY 11, 2021

Sunday Am 7:12-15
Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14
Eph 1:3-14
Mk 6:7-13

Monday Ex 1:8-14, 22
Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday Ex 2:1-15a
Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday Ex 3:1-6, 9-12
Mt 11:25-27

Thursday Ex 3:13-20
Mt 11:28-30

Friday Ex 11:10-12:14
Mt 12:1-8

Saturday Ex 12:37-42
Mt 12:14-21

Sunday Jer 23:1-6
Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6
Eph 2:13-18
Mk 6:30-34



Farewell, Briana!!

Blessed Sacrament says "THANK YOU" and farewell as your journey takes you to a new chapter in your life. We appreciate all your hard work in the Parish Office. You were always willing to help out when needed and do so with a smile. We will miss you!

Msgr. Friend, Fr. Daniel, Parish Staff &
Blessed Sacrament Parishioners

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the activities of the Holy See through which Pope Francis governs the Church and exercises his charitable works. When used for charitable outreach, funds from this collection help those most in need. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy. Please be generous today. For more information, visit <http://www.peterspence.va/en.html>.

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 family
Rental assistance for 2 family
were provided.

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

324 W. Hunington

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

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.

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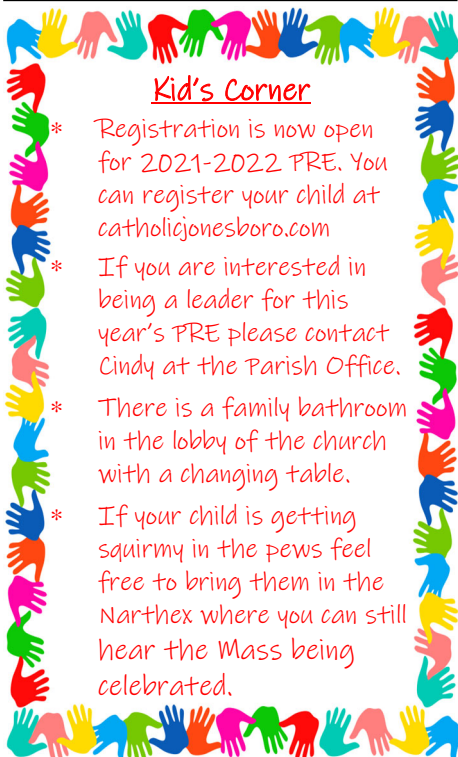
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Ladies of Charity

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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. The next class, is this Tuesday, July 13th, 2021, 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Office Building Conference Room. For more information and/or to set up a meeting with one of the priests please contact the parish office at 932-2529.



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.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: The special intentions of parishioners, especially those homebound/hospitalized, Shelby Ward, Mary Ann Eaton, 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



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WORK OF MERCY

Helping Neighbors Food Pantry has received 53 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 on the corner of Huntington and Vine. For more information please contact HNFP at 935-7298



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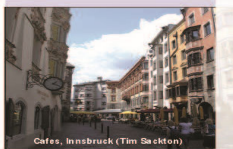
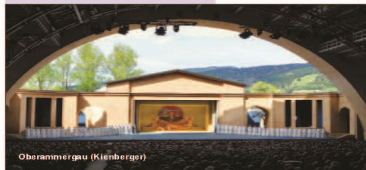
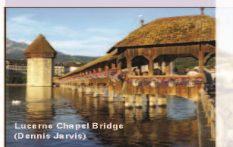
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JOB OPENINGS

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Arkansas Catholic seeks a full-time business manager to handle business operations, including advertising, circulation, bookkeeping and other office duties. Qualified applicants will be practicing Catholics and have at least three years of experience as a business or office manager, preferably in a non-profit. Computer and bookkeeping experience required. The business manager works five days a week at the most beautiful workplace in Little Rock, St. John Center, with occasional special events at other locations. Benefits provided include health and dental insurance, retirement plan, paid time off and sick time. To receive a complete job description, visit arkansas-catholic.org or email editor Malea Hargett at mhargett@dolr.org. A cover letter and resume are required to apply.

Arkansas Catholic seeks to hire a digital media specialist responsible for producing, coordinating and updating content for the *Arkansas Catholic* website, newsletter and social media accounts. Qualified applicants must be practicing Catholics and have at least two years of experience in digital media and/or social media marketing, preferably in the newspaper or magazine industry. The digital media specialist has an office at the most beautiful workplace in Little Rock, St. John Center, and covers events at other locations. This is a 25-hour-a-week position and includes health and dental insurance, retirement plan, paid time off and sick time. To receive a complete job description, visit arkansas-catholic.org or email editor Malea Hargett at mhargett@dolr.org. A cover letter and resume are required to apply.

St. Bernard's Pastoral Care Associates Job Openings

The Pastoral Care department at St. Bernard's Medical Center Jonesboro, is seeking full time and/or part time Pastoral Care Associates. If you have ever felt the call to serve ministering the sick, come and see. Training will be provided. For details, please email Dc. Ricardo Puello, rpuello@sbrmc.org.

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**Have you
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Rosary today?**



Dear Blessed Sacrament Parish:

As some of you may have known this past Friday was my last day as the Administrative Assistant in the Parish Office. My husband is in the Army and our family will be moving to Maryland at the end of July. This past year has been such a blessing working in this amazing parish and I have enjoyed getting to know so many of you.

I want to give a special thanks to the office staff and all of the Church volunteers that welcomed me with open arms a year ago. It has been a pleasure getting to know each and everyone of you. You all have become like a second family to me and I will miss seeing and talking to you all each day.

Blessed Sacrament is a very special parish, filled with very special people and it will always have a piece of my heart.

Being in a military family you learn to never say goodbye but simply to say see you soon.

Love & Blessings,
Briana Kaczmarek



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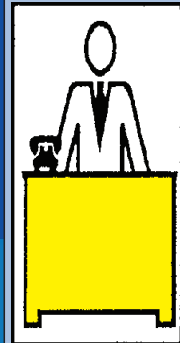
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