HOLY SAVIOR CATHOLIC CHURCH Old Vicksburg Rd. at 714 Lindale Street P.O. Box 85 Clinton, MS 39060

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24th Sunday in Ordinary Time September 17, 2023

Weekend Mass Schedule at Holy Savior Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 10:30 a.m. Week Day Mass Schedule Tuesday & Thursday 5:30 p.m. Wednesday 11:00 a.m. Friday 8:30 a.m.

Raymond: Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Penance: Saturday 4:30 – 4:45 p.m.

<u>PASTORS REFLECTION</u>: This weekend, as we continue our journey during Ordinary Time, and as we celebrate Catechetical Sunday, we honor our catechists, teachers, and all who participate in the religious education program in our parish. Life-long formation for our children, youth, and adults was one of the topics that our parishes identified in the synodal process. Evangelization, faith formation, Eucharistic renewal, and outreach through acts of mercy are some of the areas I have been emphasizing to all of you this past year as your pastor as well. We are very thankful to so many parishioners who contribute to these areas in so many different ways. The theme of Catechetical Sunday this year is: "Come to me all you who labor and are burdened." (Matthew 11:28). This year's theme reminds us of the invitation we receive from our Lord to follow him and the way he does not want to add to our burdens, but to lighten them. Blessings to all of you as we celebrate Catechetical Sunday. Have a blessed week - Father Lincoln.

<u>RELIGIOUS EDUCATION</u> meets Sundays at 9 a.m. PreK3-6th will meet in the RE building and 7-11th will meet in McGing Hall. Children are expected to attend faith formation.

<u>ST. MICHAEL SERVICE PROJECT</u> 7th – 11th grade religious ed classes are collecting snack items for the Clinton Police and Fire Departments to honor St. Michael the Archangel's feast day. Items needed are: Coffee, sugar, coffee creamer, bottled water, Gatorade, granola/nutrigrain bars, Pop tarts, cookies, goldfish crackers, cheese- it's, popcorn, Little Debbie snacks, packaged nuts, trail mix, pretzels, fruit cups, apple juice, cranberry juice, flavor packs for water. Please place donations in the vestibule by October 1st.

<u>ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION</u> meets Sunday at 9 a.m. in McGing Hall. ALL ages are invited. "OREMUS: A Guide to Catholic Prayer", a new video discussion series that teaches you the essentials of an effective and fruitful prayer life. Over the course of eight weeks, you will discover how to place yourself in the presence of God and how to express yourself to God in prayer. The presentation is led by Fr. Mark Toups of the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux. Another wonderful presentation of Ascension Press! <u>RCIA</u> will meet Tuesday, September 26th at 6:00 p.m. in the RE building and is for anyone wishing to become Catholic. Please contact Trish Ballard or the church office for more information.

<u>YOUTH NEWS</u> Join us for a movie night this Wednesday, September 20^{th} from 6 – 8 p.m. in McGing Hall. Middle School retreat sign-up is due September 20^{th} !

<u>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS</u> is offering lunch this Sunday, September 17th after 10:30 a.m. Mass. Pulled pork, baked beans, coleslaw for \$8 per plate/5 or more plates per family \$35. To go plates are available and credit cards will be accepted. The Ladies Auxiliary will have desserts available for \$1 each.

<u>COLLEGE MINISTRY</u> All college age individuals are invited to the KC monthly luncheons. Your meal will be sponsored by families of the parish. Parishioners, if you are interested in sponsoring a lunch or lunches please contact Chris or Libby Callegan at 601-966-1367.

MOMS GROUP will meet this Sunday, September 17th at 6:30 p.m. in McGing Hall.

<u>YOUNG AT HEART</u> Daily Mass on September 20th is at 11 a.m. followed by lunch and a presentation in McGing Hall. Lunch will be provided. Please sign up in the vestibule or call the Parish Office to RSVP.

<u>FOOD DRIVE</u> We are collecting non-perishable food items for the 4Cs next Sunday, September 24th. Please place your donations in the box in the vestibule. This monthly food drive occurs on the last weekend of the month.

<u>MEN'S RETREAT</u> The KC's will host a parish wide men's retreat for all men of the parish on September 30th from 9 a.m. until noon in McGing Hall. Pizza will be served afterwards. All men are encouraged to sign up. Father Lincoln will lead the retreat.

<u>HAPPY BIRTHDAY</u> to parishioner Geraldine Fraiser who is turning 100 years old on September 19th. Her mailing address is 1054 Westbury Sq., Jackson, MS 39212.

<u>THANK YOU</u> from Rose Richard and her family to the Holy Savior Parishioners and especially Father Lincoln and Father McGing for prayers and service during the loss of Rose's husband, James Richard.

<u>ALTAR SOCIETY</u> parishioners wishing to put flowers at the Altar in memory of a loved one should contact Sharon Hopkins at 601-668-7216 or skhop48@bellsouth.net

<u>WEBSITE AND CALENDAR</u> Check the website for a calendar of events for the Parish. From the homepage, scroll down and click "calendar" on the right. Current and past bulletins can be found by hovering over Bulletin, then click "Bulletin Archives"

September 10th COLLECTION – TOTAL: \$7,463 REGULAR: \$4,505 LOOSE: \$272 BUILDING FUND: \$1,725 Seminarian Education: \$60 Extension: \$901 THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

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