

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Mission of Holy Savior Catholic Church, Clinton, MS
Raymond, Mississippi

Fr. Lincoln Dall, Pastor
Mass: Sunday, 8:00 a.m.

Holy Savior Catholic Church
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Reconciliation: Saturday, 4:15 to 4:45 p.m. Web address: www.holy-savior-ms.org

Second Sunday of Advent December 10, 2023

Sunday: December 10

Lector: Cookie Schemmel **Minister:** Lulu Birdsong **Server:** Typhanie Teague

Sunday: December 17

Lector: Deon Carrena **Minister:** Teresa Dow **Server:** Lily Nalker

Lectors and Servers: The schedule for January – March is now available at the back of the church. The present schedule is at the back of the church. For 2024, 2 lectors, 1 Eucharistic Minister and 2 altar servers will be scheduled. If you would like to be scheduled as a lector, Eucharistic Minister or server, please contact Teresa Dow.

Please Remember in Prayer: (Parishioners & Friends Who Are Ill): Cecilia Young, Bobby Mashburn, Sam and Ann Grecco, Peggy Broom, Mabrey Logan, Grace Salter, Shirley Jackson, Lois Litwin, Stacey Davis, Alyse Thresher, Anne Marie Womack, Tracie and Lark Sowell, and Cheryl Bozeman (Please contact Teresa Dow if adjustments to this list are needed.)

REFLECTION from Fr. Lincoln: With our busy schedules and with all the activities we have going on in our lives, we are called to be intentional in the way we prepare for the way of the Lord and the birth of our Savior during this holy season of Advent. We are called to make time for prayer and for silence. We are called to look around us to see the ways God is present to us in our experiences, in our relationships, in our work, and in our leisure. Even if we have every intention to have a meaningful Advent season of preparation, sometimes the reality of our lives steers us in a different direction. As we commemorate the second Sunday of Advent this weekend, we are progressing throughout our Advent journey. Last Friday, we celebrated the Blessed Mother in the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception. This Tuesday, December 12, we celebrate Mary again in a special way on the feast day of Our Lady of Guadalupe,

when Mary appeared to the humble peasant Juan Diego in the year 1531 in Mexico. It is appropriate that we celebrate Mary in different ways during the Advent journey, since Mary always accompanies us on our journey of faith, especially during this season of faith. May we pray for the intercession of our Blessed Mother today, that she bless us and guide us as we prepare for the coming of her son. Blessings to all of you

December Birthdays/ Anniversaries:

12/9 Martha McInnis 12/18 Nichole Carrena
12/11 Linda (Lulu)Birdsong 12/31 Sandi Munden

COLLECTION ENVELOPS for 2024 can be picked up on the church steps or in the Marian Hall. Please take a box and write down your name and the number indicated on the box of envelopes.

FOOD PANTRY Thank you for donating items for the First Baptist Church Food Pantry. Throughout 2024 we will collect canned fruit (packed in natural juice or light syrup) or any other food item you wish to donate for the pantry. We are to take them to FBC on the 5th of each month. If you would like to help FBC stuff or distribute the food boxes, they will do that on Dec. 11 and 13 at 9:30 a.m.

AT HOLY SAVIOR:

- **SPRING STUDY** - The great sacraments of the Church are true encounters with Christ. Through the seven sacraments of the Church, Jesus is present. Please join our Adult RE class as we dive into the beauty and mystery of The Sacraments, a seven week video/classroom discussion from Bishop Robert Barron. Classes begin on Sunday, January 14 at 9 am in McGing Hall. Workbooks will be available for purchase. If you have questions, please contact Chris Halliwell at 601-757-9910 or the church office.
- **MASS OF HEALING** is this Friday, December 15 at 8:30 a.m.
- **BORN FREE ANGELS** Wrapped gifts should be returned to the church this weekend! Contact the office for any questions.
- **ANGELS AND COFFEE** will meet Tuesday at 9 a.m. in McGing Hall for a brunch for last meeting before Christmas.
- **YOUNG AT HEART** will not meet this month. We will resume on January 17.
- **NEW RESOURCES** 2024 yearly calendars and liturgical calendars are available in the vestibule to take home. Children's Missalettes and Spanish Missalettes are now available for use during Mass. Please return missalettes to the vestibule.

4th SUNDAY OF ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

4th Sunday of Advent: Saturday, December 23 at 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, December 24 at 10:30 a.m.

NO 8 a.m. Mass at Immaculate Conception on Sunday, December 24
Christmas Masses: Sunday, December 24 at 5:00 p.m. at Holy Savior
Sunday, December 24 at 7:30 p.m. at Immaculate Conception
Monday, December 25 at midnight and 9 a.m. at Holy Savior