



SAINT JAMES
CATHOLIC CHURCH

"Leading people to heaven with Christian hospitality and fostering Eucharistic Discipleship."

366 COWAN RD. | GULFPORT, MS 39507



JUNE 22, 2025

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Then taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing over them, broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets. - Lk 9:16-17

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PASTOR - Father Ryan McCoy

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 9:00AM, 11:00AM and 5:30PM

Monday: 7:00AM and 8:30AM

Tuesday: 6:00PM, 7:00PM XLT | Adoration

Wednesday: 8:30AM

Thursday: 7:00AM and 12:00PM (Noon)

Friday: 8:30AM

PERPETUAL ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

In the Convent Chapel

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:00PM - 4:00PM or by appointment

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 9:00AM - 4:00PM

WEDNESDAY 9:00AM - 2:30PM

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Welcome to Saint James Catholic Church

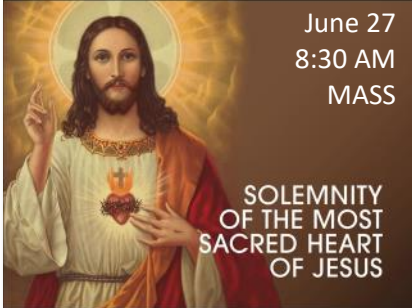
Whether you're just visiting for a brief time, looking for a new parish home, returning to the practice of your Catholic faith or interested in finding out more about the Catholic Church, we are happy you're here!

If you are new to the parish, please go to our website and click on the new parishioner link to register.

Happy Anniversary!



We are thankful to God for the gift of Deacon Henderson, who celebrates the 32nd anniversary of his ordination on June 26th. May God continue to bless his ministry.



June 27
8:30 AM
MASS

SOLEMNITY
OF THE MOST
SACRED HEART
OF JESUS

The Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus is celebrated on the octave day of the feast of Corpus Christi. In the 17th century Jesus appeared in a vision to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque asking her to request that this feast be celebrated in honor of his Sacred Heart in reparation for the ingratitude of Mankind toward the sacrifice of his love on the Cross. Pope Pius IX extended the feast of the Sacred Heart to the universal Church in 1856. The imagery of Christ pointing to his heart, on fire with love, signifies his immense and infinite love for humanity which took Him to the Cross to die for our salvation. The Sacred Heart of Jesus desires that all mankind draw close to Him in love and trust. Today this devotion, given to the faithful by Our Lord himself, is among the most popular of the Catholic Church. (Source: www.morningoffering.com)



"The Eucharist is truly a glimpse of heaven appearing on earth. It is a glorious ray of the heavenly Jerusalem which pierces the clouds of our history and lights up our journey."
-Saint Pope John Paul II

PRAYER FOR HURRICANE SEASON

O Heavenly Father, all the elements of nature obey your command. Calm the storms that threaten us and turn our fear into praise of your goodness. Protect us from hurricanes and disasters of nature. We pray through Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you through the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Keep up with our parish happenings and stay updated on news and announcements:



Text SJCC to 57838

Bulletin Deadline

All announcements for the bulletin must be submitted to the Parish Office by 4:00PM on Monday.

Readings for the week of June 22, 2025

Sunday:

Gn 14:18-20/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 (4b)/
1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

Monday:

Gn 12:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20 and 22/
Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday:

Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab
and 17/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17

Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/
Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

Wednesday:

Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Mt
7:15-20

Thursday:

Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/
Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5/Mt 7:21-29

Friday:

Ez 34:11-16/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/
Rom 5:5b-11/Lk 15:3-7

Saturday:

Gn 18:1-15/Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 and 53,
54-55/Mt 8:5-17

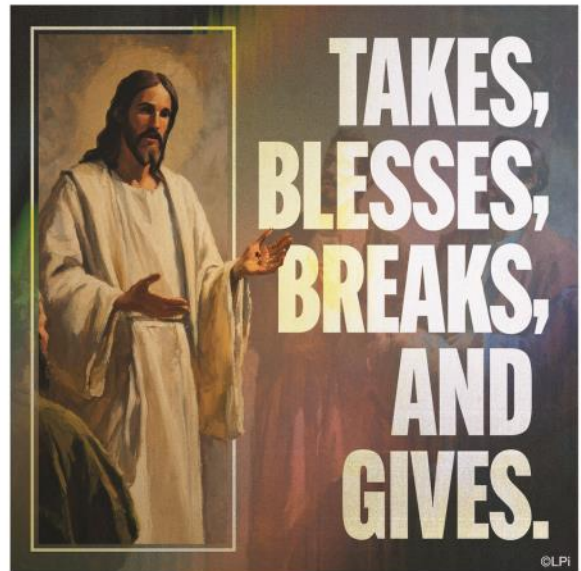
Next Sunday:

Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-20/
Jn 21:15-19

Day: Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/
2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19



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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

A Catholic friend of mine occasionally says, "The Eucharist is not a noun. It's a verb." In so saying, he is making the point that the Eucharist isn't simply Jesus' bodily presence given to us in holy Communion. It also manifests the dynamic pattern by which Christ actively loves and saves us. He teaches us to cooperate with that pattern. This Eucharist actually embodies four verbs: Jesus takes, blesses, breaks, and gives. Let's consider each one.

He **takes**: Do we acknowledge that we are totally in God's hands? Do we receive everything in our lives as a gift, and act responsibly with it?

He **blesses**: Do we actively reflect that Jesus makes us holy in our baptism? Do we embrace our bodies and souls as temples of God, worthy of love, peace, and joy?

He **breaks**: Do we run from failure and disappointment, from getting old or being ignored? Are we too worried about getting hurt or sick? Do we embrace our sufferings with confidence?

He **gives**: Are we willing to make our lives a gift for others? Are we confident that we will always have enough love to give to others, that God will always provide enough for us? Do we rejoice in giving away what we have to others, expecting nothing in return? This is the dynamic life the Eucharist empowers us to live.

— Father John Muir

SUNDAY, JUNE 22, 2025 | THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

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Flowers

This week, the Domino Family donated
the altar flowers in memory of
Sal & Dusty Domino and Pat O'Brien.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

We are accepting donations for sanctuary flowers. If you would like to have flowers placed in front of the altar for a week in honor of a birthday, anniversary or other celebration, or in memory of a deceased loved one, please contact Linda Hartfield (228-697-3420). Donations must be scheduled at least two weeks in advance.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

To add or remove a name from the prayer list, please contact the Parish Office.
Names will appear on the prayer list for six weeks, but are renewable.

Katherine Adams	Rose Mary Collins	David Harris	Josie Lindsey	Doris Seymour
Jeanviere Angeron	Paul Corley	Kealeal Hassin	Clark Lizana, Jr.	Kathy Shankweiler
George Barlow	Debbie Cothorn	Jim Haupt	Amy Longo	Ralph Shankweiler
Terry Barnes	Joe Culpepper	Jessi Hebert	Will Major	Jaclyn Simpson
Hoshall Barrett	Fr. Joseph Dang	Sgt. Eric J. Heitkamp	Gayle Rivet Martinez	Amanda Smith
Diana Berman	Marilyn Davis	Tom Hicks	Tanya McClellan	Josh Sniffen
Faith Black	Mimi Davis	Shannon Holliday	Dalton McGuire	Julia Sterling
Thomas Blankenbaker	Nicholas James Davis	Erik Hosler	Karen McCoy	Lisa Moran Stevens
Asher Bonura	Rose Dellenger	Fr. Jey Jordan	Max Millet	Jennifer Stolarski
Jerry Boudreaux	Elinor Donovan	William Jordan	Beverly Moore	April Styczenski
Susan Bourgeois	Brenda Dubuisson	Wendy Kennard	Pete Moran	Laurie Sumrall
Debra Boyd	Anna Dugas	Elaine Kennedy	Jennifer Morgan	Vince Tester
Vikki Blum Brewton	Susan Dunne	Holly Kersten	John Mozingo, Jr.	Fr. Doan Tran
Hope Broadus	Craig Elliott	Analyse Khalifeh	Fr. George Murphy	Fr. Joseph Trinh
Jennifer Brown	Jill Eure	Jan Khalifeh	Kristina Myers	Fr. Joseph Uko
Teresa Buckman	Wendy Figer	Sheena Khalifeh	Lois Ann Necaize	Bob Usey
Charlotte Jean Buras	W.C. Fore	Sophia Khalifeh	Butch Oustalet	Jim Usery
Valerie Buras	Lisa Glavin	Aaron Kiehl	Brian Pellegrin	Donna Valestro
Melissa Byars	Theresa Frontz	Bishop Louis Kihneman	Kage Pickett	Brittany Varney
Martha Chapin	Ada Grace Glass	Doug Kirk	Jean Piltz	Alyssa Vega
Bernard Chevalier	Ashley Hage	Roger Labit	Melissa Robbins	Ferdie Walker
Dannie Chevalier	Ouida Mae Hagwood	Jeff Lawson	Steve Rocha	Kim Casano-Ware
Kevin Chevalier	Loretta Hahn	James Laya	Jim Roos	Kemon Welford
Rhonda Clark	Denise Hancock	Danny Lechner	Barbara Russo	Damon Wesfaul
Edward Collins	Jeff Harper	Kathy Letaw	Leo Seicshnaydre	Teresa Whiteside

If you or anyone in your family is ill, at home or in the hospital and would like us to visit, please contact the parish office at 228-896-6059. If in the hospital, be sure to notate which hospital and provide a room number.

SYMPATHY

The Saint James community wishes to extend our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of:



Bill Hoffmann and
Claudetta Rosetti

May they and all the souls of the faithful departed now share in Eternal Glory and may their loved ones receive God's consolation and peace.

A Prayer for our Military and First Responders

Lord, please hold our military and first responders in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform.

Amen.

THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 21

4:00PM Father's Day Novena

Sunday, June 22

9:00AM Father's Day Novena
11:00AM People of Saint James
5:30PM †Carl Ladner

Monday, June 23

7:00AM Father's Day Novena
8:30AM †Mary Francis Wilbur

Tuesday, June 24

6:00PM †Alton Welch, Jr.

Wednesday, June 25

6:00AM Communion Service
8:30AM †Charley Hewes

Thursday, June 26

7:00AM †Bob Jones
12:00PM Communion Service

Friday, June 27

8:30AM †Jackie Smith

Saturday, June 28

4:00PM †Wilma Theresa Groomer

Deceased - † Healing - ♥ Special Intention - 🙏

TWO WEEKS AT A GLANCE - EVENTS

June 23 - June 28

Monday, June 23

10:00AM Legion of Mary, Philomena House
6:30PM Al-Anon, Raphael Room

Tuesday, June 24

9:00AM H & F Card Game, Philomena House
7:00PM XLT with Confessions, Church

June 30 - July 5

Monday, June 30

10:00AM Legion of Mary, Philomena House
6:30PM Al-Anon, Raphael Room

Tuesday, July 1

7:00PM XLT with Confessions, Church

Thursday, July 3

7:00PM Knights of Columbus, Raphael Room

LECTORS SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 21

4:00PM Gaines Cleveland

Sunday, June 22

9:00AM Chris Spear

11:00AM Arthur Jaramillo

5:30PM Edwina Conason

Saturday, June 28

4:00PM Mackie Dominguez

Sunday, June 29

9:00AM Meggan Gray Stolarski

11:00AM Matthew Schloegel

5:30PM Debby Weeks

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 21

4:00PM Debby Weeks, Josie Six and Beverly Moore

Sunday, June 22

9:00AM Gretchen Ellis, Bonnie Jacobs and Shirley Henderson

11:00AM Julie & Alan Black, Roberta Hosler and Becky Graves

5:30PM Ashlie Herbert, Deanne Goulet and Paul Correro

Saturday, June 28

4:00PM Debbie Bazzone, Connie O'Neal and Debby Weeks

Sunday, June 29

9:00AM Jennifer & Steve Broadus and Don & Sherry Alfonso

11:00AM John Mozingo, IV, Stephanie Guirola and Ginger & David Carney

5:30PM Yolanda Edwards, Butch Plitt and Diana Holder

TREASURE

June 14/15, 2025

First Collection: \$11,244

ACH: \$7,517

Online Giving: \$2,290

Second Collection: \$1,222

Special Father's Day Collection for the Priest Retirement Fund

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend's second collection will be for Tuition Assistance.

Next weekend's second collection will be for Peter's Pence.

ACH & ONLINE GIVING CONTRIBUTIONS

There are two options for ACH Giving - one draft to be made on the Monday following the first Sunday of the month, or two drafts to be made on the Monday following the first and third Sunday of the month. Please contact the Parish Office for more details.



Venmo donations may be made at @St_James_GPT.



2025 CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL

Building
a future of
Hope

"hope does not disappoint because the love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us."

Romans 5:5



DIocese of BILOXI



\$87,997.00 Saint James Goal

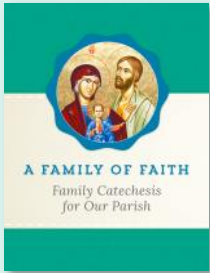
- 127 Donors -
Total Pledges and
One-Time Gifts= \$66,225

QUESTIONS?

Please call the Office of Mission Advancement at 228-702-2113 or email dwyrrich@biloxidiocese.org

FAITH FORMATION

A FAMILY OF FAITH GRADES K-5



We have concluded our year-long study on Life in Christ.

Up next - Christian Prayer

Be on the lookout for
Summer Activities.

For more information, please contact Linda Hebert at
lindahebert@saintjamescc.com



SAINT J YOUTH GROUP GRADES 6-12

Sunday 6:30-8:00PM

Edge & Life Teen

For a list of our summer activities,
please visit our website.

For more information, please contact
Bridgett Bermond
youthminister@saintjamescc.com



Please pray for our youth and their adult chaperones, along with Fr. Ryan, as they attend the Steubenville Florida Youth Conference this weekend. May they journey safely and return home having encountered Jesus in a very real and personal way.

IT'S A BIBLE BONANZA!

The Life Teen Catholic Youth Bible is the New American Bible Revised Edition NABRE with additional content for bible study for teens. This Catholic youth bible for teens has captivating artwork, relevant insights, practical tips, and words of encouragement that will both inspire you to make a habit of reading Scripture and to allow the eternal voice of truth to guide you above all others.



Saint J needs new Bibles; and we'd like to provide them with the *LifeTeen Catholic Teen Bible, New Edition*. A donation of \$27 will provide one Bible and will give our teens the gift of God's word - made just for them. The donor's name will be notated on the inside cover of the Bible.

Donor slips may be found in the back of the church and on the side tables. Please fill out a slip and return it with cash/check to the church office or place it in the weekend collection. You may also Venmo the payment and notate Bible Bonanza.



**Congratulations to
Beckham Broadus
who made his
First Holy Communion
on Monday!**



OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) classes are offered for those interested, baptized and unbaptized, in learning about the Catholic Faith and/or those cradle Catholics who have never been confirmed.

Classes will begin in September.

For information, contact Deacon Henderson 228-209-6960.



Our middle school youth and their adult chaperones had a fun, spirit-filled week in the Georgia Mountains.

Faith Formation

From July 2024 to June 2025, here's a recap of a very busy year in faith formation:

Our Saint J Youth Ministry CoreTeam walked with **FIFTY-TWO** middle school students and **SEVENTY-FIVE** high school students. There were **TWENTY-ONE** families that participated in *A Family of Faith*; and **FORTY-THREE** second graders received their First Holy Communion and **THIRTY-FOUR** teens were confirmed. Our Order of Christian Initiation Program (including St. Patrick Catholic High School) prepared **THREE** elementary school children, **EIGHT** high school students and **TWELVE** adults to receive their Sacraments of Initiation during the Easter Season. Adult Faith Formation presented **FOUR** studies, which consisted of **TWENTY-THREE** sessions and **SIXTY-SEVEN** participants.

We are grateful to all who gave of their time and commitment to this faith formation year; and we thank our Youth Ministry CoreTeam, our Catechists in the parish and at Saint James Catholic School and our Study Facilitators.

FAITH FORMATION (CONTINUED)

LET'S MAKE HEAVEN CROWDED — **ARE YOU UP FOR THE MISSION?**

For the upcoming school year, we are looking for catechists to teach our sacramental prep class for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion and for our Order of Christian Initiation of Children (OCIC) Program. Requirements are that you must be at least 18 years of age, a practicing confirmed Catholic, and in good standing with the Church (i.e., must be able to receive the sacraments). Most importantly, you must have a desire to share our faith with our children.



If you or someone you know may be interested, please contact Linda Hebert via email at lindahebert@saintjamescc.com or by phone at 228-896-6059 (office)/228-297-5126 (cell).

Our Safe Environment policy requires all adults who work with our children to have a background check and undergo safe environment training.

Saint J Youth **Core Team**

Are you passionate about your faith?

Love working with teens?

Ready to make a real impact while growing as a disciple yourself?

Then **YOU** belong on our Adult Core Team!



What We Do:

- Help plan and run youth nights
- Organize group events and retreats
- Walk with teens on their journey to become Eucharistic disciples

This is relational ministry — building authentic, Christ-centered connections through laughter, prayer, and real-life conversations.

Join Us Today!

Contact Bridgett:

228-209-9281

youthminister@saintjamescc.com

Experienced or brand new to ministry — if you feel the call, this is your moment to answer.

Our safe environment policy requires all adults who work with our teens to have a background check and undergo safe environment training.



FAMILY ROSARY NIGHT THURSDAY-JULY 17 6:00PM CHURCH

All are invited to come pray the Luminous Mysteries and learn about a very special saint, who is soon to be canonized. Afterwards, lemonade and cookies will be served in the Parish Center Gym.



Please RSVP through the QR Code or email Linda Hebert at lindahebert@saintjamescc.com.

SAINT J LEAD TEAM

SIGN UP TODAY!

Attention High School Teens: Are you ready to make a difference? Do you want to grow in your faith while helping others? God may be calling YOU to be a leader among your peers!



The Saint J Lead Team is a team of passionate teens who help bring their friends and community closer to Christ through fun, faith-filled activities and real connection.

WHAT YOU'LL GET TO DO:

- ✦ PLAN EPIC LIFE NIGHTS AND FAMILY NIGHTS
- ✦ DESIGN AWESOME DBYC BANNERS AND DISPLAYS
- ✦ LEARN HOW TO SHARE YOUR OWN FAITH STORY
- ✦ LEAD SMALL GROUPS AND GAMES
- ✦ DIVE DEEP INTO BIBLE STUDIES
- ✦ BE PART OF SOMETHING BIGGER THAN YOURSELF!



WHETHER BOLD OR QUIET IN FAITH, YOU BELONG HERE!



MINISTRY NEWS

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

"Time spent in prayer is never wasted, however urgent the duties that press upon us from every side."

ADORERS NEEDED!

Sunday 3:00PM - 4:00PM; Monday 12:00AM - 1:00AM, 1:00AM - 2:00AM, 12:00PM - 1:00PM;

Wednesday 12:00AM - 1:00AM, 1:00AM - 2:00AM;

and Saturday 12:00AM - 1:00AM, 1:00AM - 2:00AM, 9:00AM - 10:00AM, 5:00PM - 6:00PM

Second or Third Adorers are always needed in each hour for a substitute system.

If you can help or substitute with any hours, please call Ralph at 228-539-2434 or contact the Parish Office.

We Adore Him

Saint James Perpetual Adoration Chapel is now offering enhanced adorer scheduling, substitute requests and more with this user-friendly program!

You can sign in or create your account using this easy QR onboarding code.

Just use your cell phone's camera app to scan the QR Code, then tap the yellow box that appears and follow the prompts!



Knights of Columbus
Saint James Council # 11541

MEN ON A MISSION
A Catholic brotherhood
changing the world

Meetings: 7:00PM | Parish Center | Raphael Room

- General Meeting - 1st Thursday of the Month
- Planning Meeting - 3rd Thursday of the Month

Want to learn more about the Knights of Columbus?
Email us at saintjameskoc11541@gmail.com

www.saintjamescc.com/kc11541

www.kofc.org
www.kofc-ms.org

HELP OUR ST. VINCENT DEPAUL CONFERENCE



We challenge each family to bring at least one non-perishable item to Mass every week, and to place it in the **"Food Drop Box"** located in the back of the church. When you are shopping and select your item for the poor, thank God for the ability to adequately provide for your own family; and pray for those less fortunate.

MOST NEEDED ITEMS

Peanut butter, jelly, cereal, rice, spaghetti sauce, spaghetti noodles, baked/pork 'n' beans, Vienna sausages, canned fruit, bottled water, protein bars, crackers, dried beans, canned vegetables, rice and feminine items.

**Open: Tuesdays 9:00AM - 11:45AM,
Food & Financial Assistance**

Thursdays 10:00AM - 11:30AM, Food Assistance ONLY



The Pray for a Priest
Calendar (June 2025)
is available on our website.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ITE AD JOSEPH

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
26 JUN 2025

ST. JOSEPH MEN'S NIGHT

A night of food, fellowship
and masculine spirituality.



RSVP is necessary to attend.

Contact Chris Molino to RSVP at
evangelization@saintjamescc.com or
scan QR Code below

LOCATION

963 RIVERVIEW DRIVE | BILOXI, MS 39532

A SUMMER STUDY

**The Three Stages of the Spiritual Life Using
St. Peter and Sacred Scripture**

July 14 & 21 | 6:00-7:30 PM | Philomena House

A study guide will be provided.



Please RSVP through the QR Code
or email Chris Molino at
evangelization@saintjamescc.com

FAMILY LIFE NEWS

MARRIAGE

Please note: The Diocese of Biloxi requires that engaged couples should begin the Marriage Preparation process no fewer than six months prior to the anticipated wedding date. Wedding dates CANNOT BE SCHEDULED until the engaged couple contacts and meets with the Family Life Coordinator.

To begin the process, please contact Mara Russo at FLC@saintjamescc.com or 228-896-6059.

BAPTISM



Baptism Preparation classes are held once a month. The next class will be July 12.

For more information and to register, please contact Mara Russo at FLC@saintjamescc.com or 228-896-6059.

COUPLES DATE NIGHT TACO THURSDAY

JULY 24
2025

6:00PM

SAINT JAMES
PARISH CENTER GYM



*All engaged and married couples are invited to join us for good food, beer & wine, and fellowship!
*There is no cost to attend, but you MUST pre-register!

Married Couples Retreat

January 10-11, 2026
St. Joseph Abbey Retreat Center
Covington, LA

Reserve your room at
faithandmarriage.org/retreats



SCAN ME

TO REGISTER



Faith and Marriage
an Apostolate of the Willwoods Community

Mississippi's Bishops: A Historical & Spiritual Reflection

Discover the story of Mississippi's bishops—from the first to the present—through this engaging course led by our visiting seminarian, Jacob Lott. Blending rich history with spiritual insight, this series offers a meaningful look at the Church's leadership and legacy in our state. All are welcome!



Four-Week Study beginning Wednesday, July 9th

Location - T.B.D.

Time - 6:00PM



Use this QR Code to sign up today!

Cursillo

Of South Mississippi

Experience a weekend to:

- Deepen your prayer life
- Make new friends
- Grow spiritually
- Celebrate Mass
- Learn about your faith

Scan the
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Women's Cursillo
June 26 – 29, 2025



For more information, contact:

Laura Mattina (228) 669-3607

Mara Russo (228) 697-8553

HAVE YOU FILLED OUT THE 2025 CENSUS?



tinyurl.com/DOB2025Census

Order of Alhambra

The Order of Alhambra is an organization of Catholic men and women who enjoy one another's company; help preserve the Catholic heritage on the North American continent; and work to support God's people, who are intellectually and developmentally disadvantaged. Alhambra sponsors a Mass for and by people with intellectual and developmental disabilities each month at St. Mary Catholic Church in Woolmarket. The Mass is open to all who wish to receive God's Grace.

For more information, call Jim Rigby at 228-435-5665

THIS WEEKEND, A REPRESENTATIVE FROM ALHAMBRA WILL BE AT ALL MASSES.

Frassati Fellowship of the Coast

THEOLOGY ON TAP summer series



social at 5:30 pm, speaker at 6 pm
Matthew 16:23
Theology on Spiritual Warfare

July 14
2025



social at 5:30 pm, speaker at 6 pm
In the Beginning
Theology on Church History

Aug 11
2025

ALTERED REALITY BREWING
969 HOWARD AVE. BILOXI, MS 39530

FELLOWSHIP,
THEOLOGY, AND
DRINKS FOR YOUNG
ADULTS

JOIN OUR TEAM!

SJCS
ST. JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL

WE ARE HIRING!

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL IS CURRENTLY SEEKING APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR.

AVAILABLE POSITIONS:

AFTER-SCHOOL CARE WORKERS

CERTIFIED TEACHERS:

- PRE-K 4
- 4TH GRADE

INTERESTED IN APPLYING?

Please send a cover letter and current resume to:
Tricia Harvey, Principal
tharvey@stjamesgulfport.com

603 West Avenue, Gulfport MS | 39507 | 228-896-6631

Shamrocks & Snowflakes

December 6, 2025

Christmas trees, wreath & garland Sale

Sponsored by:

St. Patrick Catholic High School Booster Club



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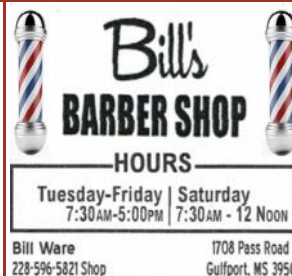
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