

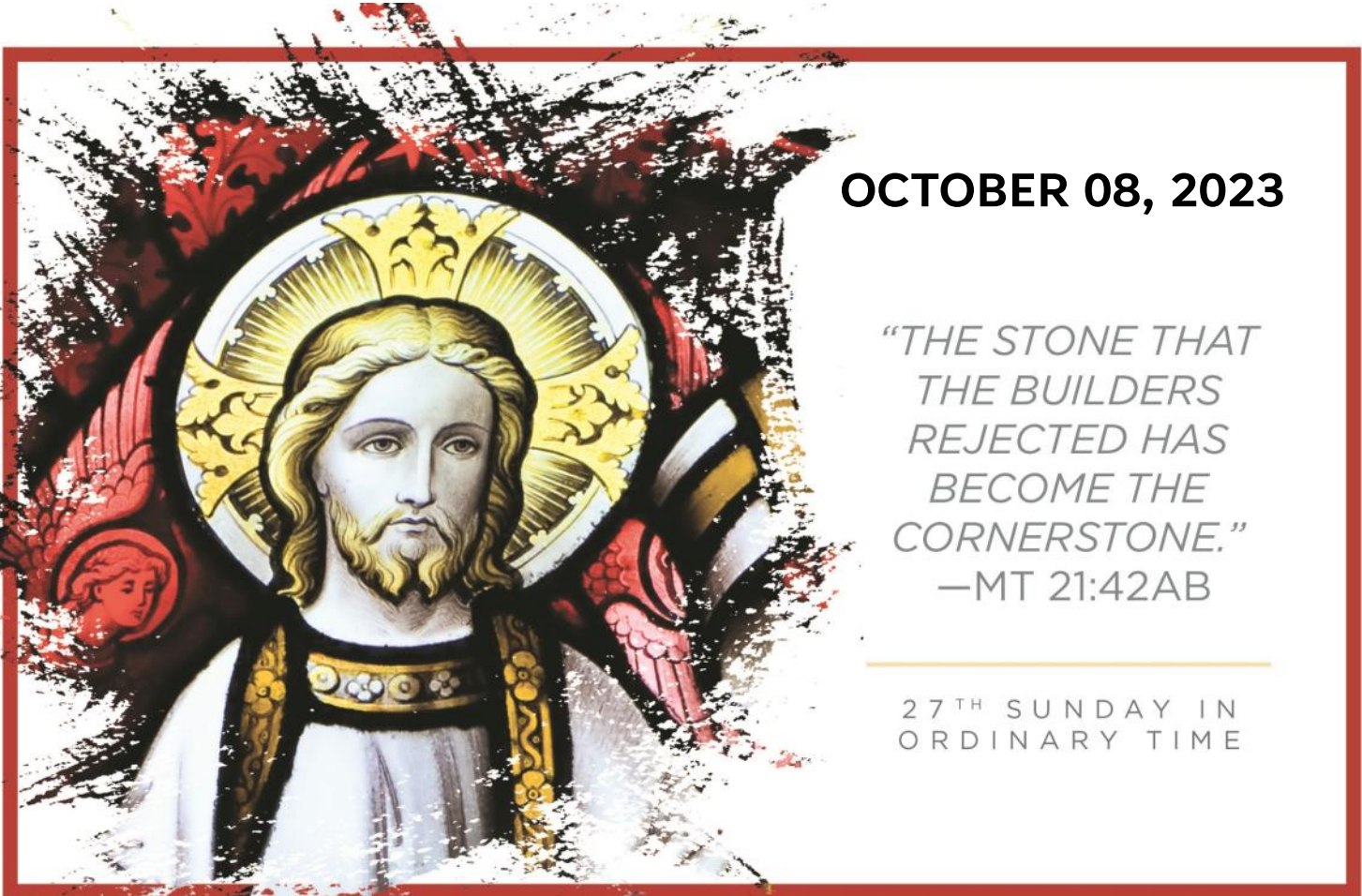


SAINT JAMES

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

366 COWAN RD. | GULFPORT, MS 39507



OCTOBER 08, 2023

*"THE STONE THAT
THE BUILDERS
REJECTED HAS
BECOME THE
CORNERSTONE."
—MT 21:42AB*

27TH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

EXCERPTS FROM THE LECTIONARY FOR MASS ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD. ©LPI

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 - Friday 9:00AM - 4:00PM

Office: 228-896-6059 | Fax: 228-896-5498

Website: www.saintjamescc.com | **Church Email:** office@saintjamescc.com

Pastoral Staff

Pastor:

Father Ryan McCoy

pastor@saintjamescc.com

Spiritual Emergency Phone.....228-563-0866

Priest In Residence:

Father George Kitchin

Pastoral Associate:

Richard Henderson

deacon@saintjamescc.com

Deacon:

Rick Conason

Parish Secretary:

office@saintjamescc.com.....Ext. 301

Finance Manager:

Shannon Holliday.....Ext. 304

finance@saintjamescc.com

Director of Religious Education:

Linda Hebert.....Ext. 302

lindahebert@saintjamescc.com

Family Life Coordinator:

Mara Russo.....Ext. 303

FLC@saintjamescc.com

Evangelization Coordinator:

Chris Molino

evangelization@saintjamescc.com

Youth Ministers:

Bridgett Bermond

Sarah Rhodes

youthminister@saintjamescc.com

Communications Manager:

Derek Fountain.....Ext. 305

comms@saintjamescc.com

Facilities Coordinator:

Joshua Faul

joshuaful@saintjamescc.com

Plant Maintenance:

Patrick Sutherlin

Catholic Education

St. James Catholic School

603 West Avenue

Gulfport, MS 39507

228-896-6631

www.stjamesgulfport.com



St. Patrick Catholic High School

18300 St. Patrick Road

Biloxi, MS 39533

228-702-0500

www.stpatrickhighschool.net



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. Registration forms can also be found in the back of the church.

OFFICE CLOSURE

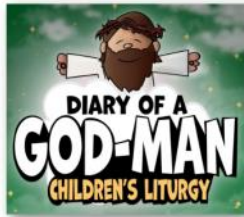


The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, October 9.



October is the month of the Holy Rosary.

Remember to pray the Rosary everyday.



Thanks to a generous parishioner - children's liturgy sheets are available in the back of the church. Please pick one up for your children to follow the readings of the Mass. They can be taken home.

Mass Etiquette Tips

During Mass, we assume different postures and are also invited to make a variety of gestures. These postures and gestures are not merely ceremonial. They have profound meaning and, when done with understanding, can enhance our participation in the Mass. As a sign of adoration, we genuflect by bringing our right knee to the floor. Many people also make the Sign of the Cross as they bend their knee. Traditionally, Catholics genuflect on entering and leaving the church if the Blessed Sacrament is present in the sanctuary of the church. At the beginning and conclusion of the Mass, the priest and deacon(s) genuflect to the tabernacle on entering and leaving the sanctuary. Others (commentators, lectors, extraordinary ministers of holy communion, etc.) who enter and leave the sanctuary should also genuflect or make a profound bow. The priest also genuflects in adoration after he shows the Body and Blood of Christ to the people after the consecration and again before inviting the people to Holy Communion.

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). Due to the rising cost of flowers, donations now start at \$100 and must be scheduled at least two weeks in advance.

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 October 8, 2023

Sunday:

Is 5:1-7/Ps 80:9, 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20 (Isaiah 5:7a)/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43

Monday:

Jon 1:1–2:2, 11/Jon 2:3, 4, 5, 8/Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday:

Jon 3:1-10/ Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8/ Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday:

Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10/Lk 11:1-4

Thursday:

Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/ Lk 11:5-13

Friday:

Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3, 6 and 16, 8-9/ Lk 11:15-26

Saturday:

Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday:

Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (6cd)/ Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10



Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

Jesus' parables are much stranger than most people realize. This week is an attention-getting example. He tells the religious leaders a parable about a completely absurd situation. Blood-thirsty and insane tenants violently abuse and kill the servants of their landlord. Inexplicably, the owner keeps sending them more victims of increasing value — up to and including his own son. Weird.

Usually, we hear this parable and assume it's an allegory: Jesus is the murdered son, the servants the prophets, etc. Fair enough. But notice — and here is where the weirdness deepens — Jesus seems to *disagree* with the Pharisees' interpretation that the landowner should and will punish the inheritance-obsessed murderers. So, is Jesus praising the psychotic and greedy murderers?! You can imagine the furrowed brows and deriding laughter as the scoffing crowd shuffles away.

If we stay with this tough parable, perhaps this truth emerges: God wants us to have an over-the-top obsession with a *totally undeserved inheritance*. Of course, we are forbidden to use violence. But the parable's violence gets our attention because it highlights the crazy goodness of the landowner. Jesus reveals that God is not merely in the business of rewarding the good and punishing the bad. He is playing a much stranger game — one marked by a kind of over-the-top mercy, a breathtaking giving of what is *not* deserved. What would our week look like if we embraced this kind of desire for God's kingdom on earth, even if others think we're nuts? This week let's seek God's kingdom with a passionate confidence in God's desire to give the good things we don't deserve.

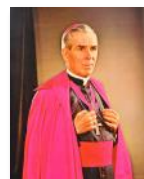
— *Father John Muir*



Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD. The English translation of Psalm Responses from Lectionary for Mass © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.

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.



“The Eucharist is the greatest of all the sacraments because it contains in a substantial way the person of Christ, who is the author of life. If life is or if life is ever to live, it must nourish itself. If divine life is to live, it too needs its nourishment. That is the Eucharist.”

— **Venerable Fulton Sheen**

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.

Rita Bailey	Keleal Hassin	Butch Oustalet
Terry Barnes	Jessi Hebert	Jim Roos
Hoshall Barrett	SSG. Eric Heitkamp	Barbara Russo
Jerry Boudreaux	Louis Helwick	Gladys Salvador
Debra Boyd	Tom Hicks	Joan Sample
Hope Broadus	Timmy Holliday	Kathy Shankweiler
Isabel Bullard	Dianne Hurlbert	Ralph Shankweiler
Charlotte Jean Buras	Sheena Khalifeh	Jaclyn Simpson
Valerie Buras	Doug Kirk	Georgeanna Baker
Dick Chapin	Fr. George Kitchin	Sincavage
Martha Chapin	Josie Lindsey	Marley Smith
Bernard Chevalier	Carolyn McClellan	Josh Sniffen
Dannie Chevalier	Tanya McClellan	Fr. Joseph Uko
Rhonda Clark	Karen McCoy	Bob Usey
Jean Crawford	Msgr. James McGough	Ferdie Walker
Fr. Joseph Dang	Pete Moran	Kim Casono Ware
Mimi Davis	Elsa Mrazek	Teresa Whiteside
W.C. Fore	Albert Necaise	
Loretta Hahn	Lois Ann Necaise	
David Harris	Mary Anne Oberlies	

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:



Gene Bermond, Ann Edwards,
Alexandra Healy and
Nancy Ladner

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, October 07

4:00PM Ron Duccini

Sunday, October 08

9:00AM Emmitt Thames

11:00AM People of Saint James

5:30PM Collette Morris

Monday, October 09

7:00AM C. P. Centanne

8:30AM Eva Fayard

Tuesday, October 10

6:00PM Maria Keller

Wednesday, October 11

8:30AM Carl Lizana

Thursday, October 12

7:00AM Stacey Pair

12:00PM In Thanksgiving for the
Pro-Life Billboard Minsitry

Friday, October 13

8:30AM Deacon Martin Finnegan

Saturday, October 14

4:00PM Gay Ramon

Deceased - Healing - Special Intention -

TWO WEEKS AT A GLANCE - EVENTS

October 09 - October 14

Monday, October 09

9:00AM Lexio Divina, Raphael Room
9:45AM Legion of Mary, Philomena House
1:00PM Bible Study, Raphael Room
6:30PM Al-Anon Meeting, Raphael Room

Tuesday, October 10

8:30AM H&F Game, Philomena House
6:00PM Saint J Youth Bible Study, Bosco Room
7:00PM R.C.I.A., Raphael Room
7:00PM XLT - Adoration with Confessions, Church

Wednesday, October 11

7:00AM Men's Bible Study, Raphael Room
5:30PM Sacramental Prep (First Communion), Raphael Room
6:15PM Saint J CORE Team, Bosco Room

Thursday, October 12

6:00PM Bible Study, Raphael Room

Saturday, October 14

9:15AM Order of Discalced Carmelites, Raphael Room

October 16 - October 21

Monday, October 16

9:00AM Lexio Divina, Raphael Room
9:45AM Legion of Mary, Philomena House
1:00PM Bible Study, Raphael Room
6:30PM Al-Anon Meeting, Raphael Room

Tuesday, October 17

6:00PM Saint J Youth Bible Study, Bosco Room
7:00PM R.C.I.A., Raphael Room
7:00PM XLT - Adoration with Confessions, Church

Wednesday, October 18

7:00AM Men's Bible Study, Raphael Room
5:30PM Sacramental Prep (First Communion), Raphael Room
6:15PM Saint J LEAD Team, Bosco Room

Thursday, October 19

6:00PM Bible Study, Raphael Room

Saturday, October 21

10:00AM Baptism Prep Class, Raphael Room (RSVP Req.)

LECTORS SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 07

4:00PM Macky Dominguez

Sunday, October 08

9:00AM Kory Hudson

11:00AM Erik Hosler

5:30PM Sarah Rhodes

Saturday, October 14

4:00PM Chuck Bridley

Sunday, October 15

9:00AM Tom Collins

11:00AM Ed Farrell

5:30PM Carol Ann Hartery

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 07

4:00PM Debbie Bazzone, Barbara Levine,
Connie Pecheau and Josie Six

Sunday, October 08

9:00AM Steve & Jennifer Broadus, Gretchen Ellis
and Bonnie Jacobs

11:00AM Alan & Julie Black and

Russel & Bridget Weatherly

5:30PM Deanne Goulet, Diana Holder, Butch Plitt
and Debby Weeks

Saturday, October 14

4:00PM June Bounds, Ashley & George French
and Connie O'Neal

Sunday, October 15

9:00AM Sherry & Don Alfonso, Shirley Henderson
and Linda Joffrion

11:00AM Carsen Centanni, Stephanie Guirola,
Mary Anne Oberlies and Karen & Doc Rhodes

5:30PM Paul Corroero, Ashlie & Joseph Herbert
and Stephen Oberlies

TREASURE

September 30/October 01, 2023

Weekly Offertory via mail/collection basket \$9,531

Weekly Offertory via ACH/on-line giving \$14,726

Weekly Total \$24,257

Weekly Budget (amount needed) \$19,673

YTD Actual-Week #14 \$238,602

YTD Budget-Week #14 \$275,422

YTD % of Budget 86%

Second Collection - St. Vincent de Paul,
Saint James Conference \$1,148

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend's second collection will be for
Faith Formation.

Next weekend's second collection will be for
Family Life.

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.



Flowers

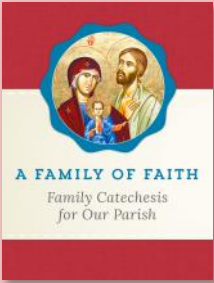
*Flowers in front of the altar are donated
by Cathy & Buddy Pickle
in loving memory of
Ethel & Howard Tirrell
on their 76th wedding anniversary.*

CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL

Our parish goal for this year's Catholic Sharing Appeal is \$89,503.00. Thus far, 163 families have answered Bishop Kihneman's call and we have raised \$89,540.00 (in pledges & one time gifts). Thank you for your response!

If you have not made a pledge or given a one-time gift to the CSA, please consider if you are able. Envelopes can be found in the back of the church or you can give online at www.biloxidiocese.org. Remember - all monies donated above our goal will be returned to the parish.

FAITH FORMATION



A FAMILY OF FAITH GRADES K-5

Our October Family Gathering will be held on October 22nd in the Parish Center Gym.

Parents - If you were unable to attend the Catechetical Session, please stop by the parish office and pick up your October materials.

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



SAINT J YOUTH GROUP GRADES 6-12

Sunday 6:30 - 8:00PM

Edge & LifeTeen are not meeting this weekend. We'll see you next weekend for Sunday Night XLT.

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

Come to the Table

A Sacramental Overview with Linda Hebert,
Director of Religious Education

Parents of all children who are being prepared to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Eucharist are required to attend a one-on-one, 20-minute conversation with Linda during October 2023.

To schedule your session, please contact Linda at lindahebert@saintjamescc.com or **228-896-6059**

If your child does not attend St. James Catholic School or was not baptized at Saint James Catholic Church, please bring a copy of your child's baptismal certificate to the session.

DATES TO REMEMBER

First Reconciliation - February 26, 2024

First Holy Eucharist - April 14, 2024

CONGRATULATIONS

We congratulate our Saint J LifeTeen Youth, who are members of the 2023-2024 Diocesan SEARCH Retreat Team:

Casimir Goulet
Emily Moran
Sophia Pisciotta



CONFIRMATION INFO SESSION

MONDAY - OCTOBER 23 @ 5:30PM

All parents of those to be confirmed this year are encouraged to attend this meeting in the church. Students are also welcome. Any questions should be directed to:

Linda Hebert @ 228-896-6059 or
lindahebert@saintjamescc.com

RCIA

RCIA (Rite 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. RCIA meets on Tuesdays at 7:00PM in the Raphael Room. For information, contact Deacon Henderson 228-209-6960.



Saint James
Fall Festival

OCTOBER
14TH

Youth Volunteers Needed

Volunteers can sign up for 2 hour shifts and earn up to 4 hours of service for working the Fall Festival on October 14th at Saint James from 9 AM - 9 PM. Additional hours may be earned if the volunteer returns for the Clean Up Crew at 8:00 PM that evening.



St. James Catholic School
Fall Festival
2023

REQUIREMENTS FOR YOUTH VOLUNTEERS:

1. You must sign up for a 2 hour time slot by Wednesday, October 12th through the QR Code above.
2. You will be expected to be flexible and work with a smile on your face during your shift.
3. When you arrive for your shift, you will check-in at the volunteer booth and be given a lanyard and assignment.
4. At the end of your shift, you will return the lanyard to the volunteer booth, sign out, and receive your service hour form.
5. If you would like extra hours, you may sign up for the Clean Up Crew and report back at 8:00 PM.

**Festival Volunteer and Clean Up Crew will count as two different service opportunities.

SAVE THE DATE

LET

YOUR

FAITH

FLY

HIGH

St. James Catholic School
Fall Festival
2023

OCTOBER 14, 2023

St James Catholic School & Saint James Parish
366 Cowan Road, Gulfport

SATURDAY | 10:00AM - 9:00PM

Our parish and school families are working hard to make this year's Fall Festival a great success. This one-day event will include great food, entertainment, games and fellowship. The festival will feature a silent auction, so if you have items that you'd like to donate, please contact Maureen Neumann by email at MaureenNeumann@gmail.com or by phone at 228-365-0760.

We are also looking for monetary donations to purchase food items for the food booths. Donations may be dropped off at the parish or school office, be placed in the collection (properly notated for the Fall Festival) or be sent through Venmo to [@St_James_GPT](https://www.venmo.com/@St_James_GPT) (making sure to notate that the donation is for the Fall Festival).

In addition, volunteers to assist with booth and festival set-up would be greatly appreciated. If you don't mind some heavy lifting and are able to help move things around and get our tents and booths set up, we'd love to have you join us on Thursday, October 12, at 6:00 PM. We'll meet and begin in the Parish Center Gym.

And, don't forget to turn in those raffle tickets for the \$500/\$1000 drawings at the festival!

Bring on the Cakes!

The Fall Festival's Cake Walk needs prizes!

All cakes are welcome - homemade or store-bought.
For stacking purposes, please use dome-style or hard covers.
Monetary donations can be made to purchase cakes. Put money
in an envelope, label it for the Cake Walk and then drop it in
the collection or drop it off at the parish or school office.
Cakes should be delivered to the school on Friday, October 13.



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!

Monday 12:00PM(Noon) - 1:00PM; Wednesday 8:00AM - 9:00AM and 4:00PM - 5:00PM;

Thursday 5:00PM - 6:00PM; and Friday 3:00AM - 4:00AM and 4:00AM - 5:00AM

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.

HELP OUR ST. VINCENT DEPAUL CONFERENCE

Our food bank is very low, so 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" at 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

Fruit juice, peanut butter, jelly, cereal, rice, spaghetti sauce, spaghetti noodles, ramen noodles, baked/pork 'n' beans, Vienna sausages, canned fruit, bottled water, protein bars, crackers, dried beans, canned peas & carrots, rice and feminine items.

**Open: Tuesdays 9:00AM - 11:45AM, Food & Financial Assistance
Thursdays 10:00AM - 11:30AM, Food Assistance ONLY**

ENJOY SINGING?

We need new choir members for our 11:00AM Sunday Mass. There is no commitment...just show up when you can! We practice at 10:30AM in the Parish Center before Mass. It is not necessary to read music. We welcome 9th graders and up. Come help us spread God's love through the gift of song!

AMAZING GLAZE

Amazing Glaze Ministry is looking for volunteers to serve donuts after the 9:00AM Mass

As a volunteer, you will be responsible for picking up donuts (pre-paid) from Krispy Kreme on Hwy 49. You will set-up tables & chairs, make coffee, pour Sunny D, and put out the donuts. You will then put up the tables & chairs and clean up.

Please contact Susanne Chandler for more details: 228-596-5373 or shc0138@yahoo.com

Please choose from this list of dates if you are available to be a volunteer.

• Oct 22	• Nov 26	• Dec 31
• Oct 29	• Dec 03	
• Nov 05	• Dec 10	
• Nov 12	• Dec 17	
• Nov 19	• Dec 24	

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!



We are looking for help with the live streaming of Masses Thursday at 12:00PM(Noon) and Sunday at 11:00AM. If you are interested in joining this ministry, please contact Rick Tubertini at 228-343-9568 or Helen Sanchez at 228-328-8931.

Lexio Divina

The Sound of His Voice *Everyday Principles for Listening to God.* Have you ever wondered if God speaks to ordinary people? And, if so, how? This book outlines in simple language what everyone should know about hearing God's voice in the midst of everyday Christian living. This will be a small group study and meditation on scripture lead by **Susan Dane**.

For anyone who is interested, Lexio Divina is now meeting on Mondays from 9:00AM - 10:30AM (following the 8:30AM Mass) in the Raphael Room .



INTERESTED IN BEING AN USHER?



If you are interested in being an usher, greeter or both please scan the QR Code and fill out our online form. You can also go to www.saintjamescc.com/ushers



FAMILY LIFE NEWS

For information regarding sacramental preparation for Baptism and Marriage, please contact Mara Russo at FLC@saintjamescc.com or 228-896-6059.

Please note: The Diocese of Biloxi requires that engaged couples should begin the Marriage Preparation process no less than six months prior to the anticipated wedding date.

DID YOU KNOW?

When properly practiced, NFP (Natural Family Planning) can be up to 99% effective in postponing or avoiding pregnancy. If you have questions or need further information about NFP, please contact Mara Russo at FLC@saintjamescc.com or 228-896-6059



JESUS and the JEWISH ROOTS of MARY

Unveiling the Mother of the Messiah

BRANT PITRE

Bestselling Author of *Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist*

Bible Study Location Change

Participants will now meet in the Raphael Room, not in the Philomena House.

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

CDN

Couples Date Night

MUSIC
FOOD
FUN!

THURSDAY
OCTOBER 26

6:00PM
Parish Center Gym

There is no fee for this event, but you must pre-register by October 23 to attend! Call the Parish Office at (228)896-6059 or email FLC@saintjamescc.com

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RED MASS

Bishop Kihneman invites all members of the legal profession to attend the annual Red Mass on **October 15, 2023, 11:00 AM, at Nativity B.V.M. Cathedral.**

Judges are invited to robe and be part of the procession. To prepare for the Mass, you are asked to RSVP by emailing rsvp@biloxidiocese.org, visiting <https://biloxidiocese.org/red-mass-rsvp>, or calling 228-702-2100.

The Red Mass, a historical tradition in the Catholic Church, is an ecumenical event in that it is intended to bless the entire judiciary, members of the bar, lawmakers, and elected officials for the coming year.

WHITE MASS

Bishop Kihneman will recognize and bless members of the medical community at our annual diocesan White Mass on **Sunday, October 22, 2023, 11:00 AM, at Nativity B.V.M. Cathedral.**

Doctors, Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants, are invited to wear their white coats and be part of the procession.

To prepare for the Mass, please RSVP by emailing rsvp@biloxidiocese.org, visiting <https://www.biloxidiocese.org/white-mass-rsvp>, or calling 228-702-2100.



Ask for the Blessed Mother Tag

AVAILABLE
AT YOUR LOCAL
TAX COLLECTOR

All Souls Day



The All Souls Novena will be prayed as a series of nine Masses beginning on November 2. All Souls envelopes can be found in the back of the Church.



Mass Schedule

All Saints Day

Tuesday - October 31 - 6:00PM
Wednesday - November 1
7:00AM | 8:30AM | 12:00PM | 6:00PM



All Souls Day

Thursday - November 2
7:00AM(Church) | 12:00PM(Cemetery)
6:00PM(Church) Mass of Remembrance

THANK YOU!

Thank you to our anonymous donor(s) who purchased 1 table from our Parish Office/Parish Center Wish List!



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

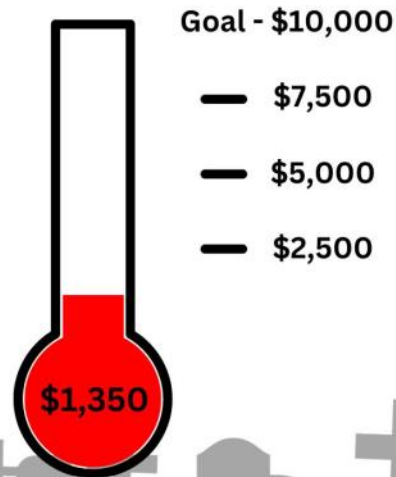
LOST AND FOUND

Lost and found items are on display in the rock garden by the Sacred Heart Altar. We will soon dispose of the items - please check to see if any of them are yours.

SAINT JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH CEMETERY

Due to the ongoing vandalism at our cemetery, a security surveillance system monitored by the Gulfport Police Dept. is necessary. Father Ryan is seeking donations to help cover the cost associated with the installation. Please consider making a donation to protect our deceased loved ones.

Cemetery Surveillance System & Tree Trimming



Is God calling you to serve His Church as a Permanent Deacon in The Diocese of Biloxi?

God doesn't call the qualified. He qualifies the called!

SERVICE OF THE WORD - SERVICE OF THE LITURGY -
SERVICE OF THE CHURCH

Contact your Pastor or Deacon for more information or call Deacon Mike Harris, Director of the Office of the Permanent Diaconate at the Diocese of Biloxi at 228-342-1536

INFORMATION SESSIONS

8:30AM - 12:00PM
October 14 - St. Mary Parish, Gautier

Wedding Anniversary Mass

The Annual Mass of Wedding Anniversaries will take place on Sunday, November 5, 2023 at 2:00PM at the Nativity B.V.M. Cathedral. Couples celebrating 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, or 60 years of marriage or more in 2023 are welcome to attend. A registration form can be found on the tables in the back of the church and on our website.

FORMED



FORMED



THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Monday (October 9th) - St. Denis and Companions
- [The Freedom of Forgiveness w/ Sr. Miriam James, SOLT and Fr. John Burns | SEEK23](#)
- [Baptism: Becoming a Christian](#)
- [Hope and healing in a post-Roe world | Chris Stefanick Show](#)

Tuesday (Oct 10th)
- [Hildegard's Gift by Megan Hoyt](#)

Wednesday (Oct 11th) - St. Pope John XXIII
- [John XXIII: The Pope of Peace](#)
- [Revolution of John XXIII: The Second Vatican Council](#)

Thursday (Oct 12th)
- [Where does guilt come from?](#)

Friday (Oct 13th) - Date of the Miracle of the Sun - Fatima, Portugal 1918
- [The 13th Day](#)
- [The Great Miracle of the Sun](#)
- [Finding Fatima](#)
- [Exodus 34:6-7 | Character of God: Word Studies | The Bible Project](#)

Saturday (Oct 14th) - St. Callistus
- [Biblical Foundations | Forgiven](#)
- [How are sins forgiven through the Sacrament of Confession](#)

<https://watch.formed.org/videos/this-week-on-formed-october-9-2023>

National Eucharistic Congress

PRESENTED BY THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF BILOXI

JULY 17TH -21ST 2024

View our available packages below:

*Only 225 tickets available on a first-come, first-serve basis!

CONGRESS PACKAGE BY BUS 6 NIGHT:

JULY 16 - 22

JULY 16 -1 NIGHT - NASHVILLE, TN

JULY 17-21 INDIANAPOLIS - SHERATON HOTEL

JULY 22 - 1 NIGHT - NASHVILLE, TN

TRANSPORTATION & OTHER:

Luxury Coach

FEATURES INCLUDED:

CONVENTION EVENT PASS

Double Sharing (2 people): \$1,900 Per Person
Triple Sharing (3 people): \$1,700 Per Person
Single Occupancy: \$2,600

CONGRESS PACKAGE BY AIR 4 NIGHT:

JULY 17 - 21

4 NIGHTS INDIANAPOLIS - SHERATON HOTEL - 4*

TRANSPORTATION & OTHER:

Roundtrip Airfare from Gulfport, MS*

Roundtrip transfers in Indianapolis

FEATURES INCLUDE:

CONVENTION EVENT PASS

Double Sharing (2 people): \$1,800 Per Person
Triple Sharing (3 people): \$1,600 Per Person
Single Occupancy: \$2,300

For More Information

Vist our website

caragrouptour.com/nec-2024-tour

Or

Email Paula Spears

Eucharisticcongress2024@gmail.com

To view this week's Eucharistic Miracle please go to our website (www.saintjamescc.com) or scan the QR code below:



During Easter of 1290 a non-believer who harbored animosity toward the Faith and did not believe in the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist was able to gain possession of a consecrated Host with the intent to desecrate it. He stabbed the Host and threw it into boiling water. The Host came out of the water by itself right in front of the man who was distressed by this and so put the Host in the basin of a pious woman. The woman immediately brought the Host to her pastor.

During Easter of 1290 a non-believer who harbored animosity toward the Faith and did not believe in the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist was able to gain possession of a consecrated Host with the intent to desecrate it. He stabbed the Host and threw it into boiling water. The Host came out of the water by itself right in front of the man who was distressed by this and so put the Host in the basin of a pious woman. The woman immediately brought the Host to her pastor.

During Easter of 1290 a non-believer who harbored animosity toward the Faith and did not believe in the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist was able to gain possession of a consecrated Host with the intent to desecrate it. He stabbed the Host and threw it into boiling water. The Host came out of the water by itself right in front of the man who was distressed by this and so put the Host in the basin of a pious woman. The woman immediately brought the Host to her pastor.

Eucharistic Miracle of PARIS
FRANCE, 1290

From 1290 to 1298, Easter Sunday, April 2, 1290, is a very special Eucharist, who had the Eucharist and did not believe in the Real Presence of Christ in the consecrated Host, was able to gain possession of a consecrated Host.

The man stabbed the Host with his knife and the Host began to bleed. The blood fell on the ground in which he had placed the Host. Paris-visitants, the man decided to throw the Host into the fire but the Host came out of the fire by itself. Distressed, he threw the Host into boiling water and the Host floated on the water floating in water and then taking the form of a crucifix. Finally, he deposited the Host in the basin of a pious woman, who later on Easter when brought it to her pastor priest. Over the centuries, the Host remained a small square in the church of Saint-James. During the French Revolution it was lost without a trace. How can we better explain this miracle? The miraculous substance, the people and the King decided to rebuild the house of the one who discovered the Host into a chapel where the House of Jerusalem, called "The House of Miracles" by King Philip the Fair, which was organized in a hall of sale from 1371, the transfer of the Host into an empty altar in 1371, the transfer was obtained from Pope Boniface VIII, the name of the Host is "The Host of God" and "The Host of God" given by the people of Paris to the "The Host of God", the Eucharistic celebration in the Chapel of Miracles of the Department of the Department on the second Sunday of Advent and later.



Remember to pray for our seminarians, especially Chris Collins.

VOCATION PRAYER

Loving Father, Your Son, Jesus Christ the High Priest, has told us that the harvest is great but the laborers are few.

We ask you now to send more laborers into your vineyard. Please touch with your Holy Spirit the hearts of all those you are calling to live a life of service in your Church as Priests, Deacons, Consecrated men and women, Dedicated Married couples and Committed Single persons. Help us to follow Christ faithfully and to answer the call to holiness and discipleship.

We ask this prayer through your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. AMEN

MOST REVEREND LOUIS F. KIHNEMAN, III BISHOP OF BILOXI

Memorial Physician Clinics
Coast Cardiovascular Associates

Antoine B. Rizk MD, FACC, FSCAI
Paul E. Mullen, MD, FACC, FACP, FSCAI
Matthew C. Hann, MD
Interventional Cardiology

1391 Broad Ave • Gulfport, MS 39501
12261 HWY 49N • Gulfport, MS 39503
1756 Poppas Ferry Rd • Biloxi, MS 39532
(228) 863-8868 • fax (228) 863-8956

MD & A Modern Dermatology
& Anesthetics

1245 42nd Ave.
Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 864-8049
www.moderndermgulfport.com
ALAN T. LEWIS, M.D.
Dermatologist & Mohs Surgeon
Amy L. Parker, LE
Aesthetician • Cosmetic Tattoo Artist

ROCK N ROLL SUSHI

Show this ad on Sundays for 20% off your entire check. No exclusions!

God Bless and Thanks for your support

The Villarreal Family

(Valid at Gulfport & D'Iberville locations)

Gulfport
228-357-5553

D'Iberville
228-967-7919

Flash Printing USA, LLC

Email flashprintingusa@bellsouth.net

New Location
320 Courthouse Road
Suite E
Gulfport, MS 39507
Phone 228-896-1453



1923 28th Ave Suite B Gulfport, MS 39501

- Short Term Rental Management
- Property Management
- Vacation Rentals
- www.ms.gulfcoastvacations.com
- Residential Sales
- Commercial Sales
- Land & Lot Sales

Lynn Healy Broker/Owner
228-297-0054/228-860-2084
lynnhealy@gmail.com

JOHN FAYARD/MOVING & WAREHOUSING

P.O. BOX 2189, 10323 EXPRESS DRIVE, GULFPORT, MISSISSIPPI 39505



10323 Express Drive, Gulfport, MS 39503
Phone: (228) 864-2262

- * Moving Storage
- * Self Storage
- * warehousing
- * Cold Storage
- * Records Storage
- * Storage Containers

www.johnfayardwarehouse.com

Cleaning Service



Owners: Tina Squires & Lynn Healy
228-265-9119
Tina@twodamesandaduster.com
www.twodamesandaduster.com

- Vacation Rental Cleanings
- Residential Cleanings
- Commercial/Office Cleanings
- Move In/Out Cleanings
- Cabinet/Pantry Organizing
- Deep Cleanings
- Bi-weekly Cleanings
- Light Carpet Sanitizing/Shampoo
- Homes For Sale/Rent Cleanings
- Pampered Pet Cleanings
- Window/Screen Cleanings

STEVEN N. ECKERT
ATTORNEY AT LAW

770 WATER STREET • SUITE 507
BILOXI MS, 39530
P.O. BOX 797 - BILOXI, MS 39532
TEL. 228.284.5915
FAX 228.284.5916
WWW.GULFCOASTATTORNEY.COM



Exceed
PHYSICAL THERAPY
exceedtherapy.com

228-265-7185

12261 Highway 49, STE 1 - Gulfport, MS 39503

Jack Beattie's
House
of Carpet

CERAMIC • NATURAL STONE
WOOD • LAMINATE

3206 B AVENUE • GULFPORT, MS
864-6856 861-6856

BRADFORD-O'KEEFE
Funeral Homes



Since 1865

Orange Grove (228) 831-2322

OCEAN SPRINGS (228) 374-5650 Biloxi (228) 374-5650

VAN CLEAVE (228) 826-4511 Gulfport (228) 865-0090

ROOFING & SHEETMETAL
Mandal's Inc.
Since 1946
CONTRACTORS
228-864-1474
GULFPORT, MS



Gulf Coast Oral & Facial Surgery

ROBERT T. WATTS, JR., D.M.D.
THOMAS B. ZAKKAK, D.D.S

- Oral Surgery
- Wisdom Teeth
- Dental Implants
- Bone Grafting
- Pathology
- Facial Injuries
- Reconstructive Surgery

SMITH & HOLDER
PL.L.C.
ATTORNEYS AT LAW

CHRISTOPHER SMITH, ESQ. **MORGAN HOLDER, ESQ.**
CHRIS@SMITHHOLDER.COM MORGAN@SMITHHOLDER.COM

2209 23RD AVENUE ~ POST OFFICE BOX 1149
GULFPORT, MISSISSIPPI 39502
TEL# 228.206.7076 WWW.SMITHHOLDER.COM

Scott M. Gioe, M.D.



Gastroenterology
CENTER

CENTER FOR PANCREATIC
AND LIVER DISORDERS

GULFPORT
4500 W. Railroad Street
(228) 863-8836

BILOXI
1720-A Medical Park Dr., Suite 240
(228) 396-5100

Mozingo Real Estate and Auction, Inc.

John C Mozingo III 228-697-5680
Angela Mozingo Murray 228-324-4800
Lt. Col. Sean Cross 504-957-4750

Realtors ~ Auctioneers ~ Property Managers

228 896 3400 mozingorealestate.com

MARY KAY

Gina Welch
Independent Beauty Consultant

503.380.8747

Welchbunch@gmail.com
www.MaryKay.com/GinaWelch

Contact me for a complimentary facial

**ACT TEST
PREP.**

228-596-1577

— EXPERIENCE THE —
Faith Based
Not For Profit
— DIFFERENCE —
Assisted Living &
Memory Support Services
MS Gulf Coast's 1st
Green House Home

Seashore Highlands
Retirement Community
(228) 831-7000
www.mss.org
12170 Highlands Way
Gulfport, MS 39505

Caliber Properties

Custom Home Builder
Light Commercial Projects

Richard J. Copponex
228.297.8611

WHITE PILLARS
Biloxi, Mississippi
Award-Winning Local Cuisine

• LOUNGE • BRUNCH • LUNCH • DINNER • EVENTS •

1696 Beach Blvd. Biloxi, MS 39531
(228) 207-0885

L & M Package Store

Fine Wines & Liquor
Michael J. Mensi
Pauline G. Mensi

E-mail: mmensi@gmail.com
facebook/LMpackage
Phone: 228-863-1848
Fax: 228-863-1393
423 Pass Road - Gulfport, MS 39507

Memorial
Physician Clinics

Sam Owen, M.D., FACC, FHRS
Cardiac Electrophysiologist

Memorial Heart and Lung
1340 Broad Ave., Suite 410
Gulfport, MS 39501

**WETZEL
LAW FIRM**
Personal Injury Professionals
JAMES K. WETZEL
Attorney at Law
1701 24th Avenue | P.O. Box 1
Gulfport, Mississippi 39502
(ph) 228.864.6400 (fx) 228.863.1793
jkwetzel@wetzellawfirm.com

ANTONIAN SALON
est. 1996
228.832.2875 (curl)
antoniansalon.com

9354 three rivers road, suite c
gulfport, ms

Compliments of
**Richard &
Jan
Salloum
and Family**


E.G. WARREN  **State Farm™**
AGENT

1301 Pass Road
Gulfport, MS 39501
Bus 228-864-2060
www.egwarren.com
Providing Insurance and Financial Services


**BRUNI
PEDIATRIC CLINIC**
RONALD T. BRUNI, M.D., F.A.A.P.
TIMOTHY G. BRUNI, M.D., F.A.A.P.
9454-A Three Rivers Road • Gulfport, MS 39503-4248
By Appointment • 896-KIDS (5437)

Bryan D. Leatherman, M.D.
Pediatric and Adult
Ear, Nose and Throat
Specialist
Sinus and Allergy Specialist
Hearing Aids
New Patients Welcomed
9000 Lorraine Road
Phone: 228-864-2121


**Coastal
SINUS &
ALLERGY
CENTER**
Making Relief a Reality.
Sinus and Allergy
Specialty Care Center
Bryan Leatherman, M.D.
Phone: 228-864-2121

**PRAY THE
ROSARY
DAILY**

Bob and Suzie
Sawyer



THE PEOPLES BANK
Member FDIC
est. 1896
www.thepeoples.com
(228) 435-5511


**VAN KIRK
WEALTH ADVISORS**
Main: (228) 265-5530
www.VanKirkwa.com


*May the Sacred Heart of
Jesus Christ be praised
Each day and Glorified
forever
Most Sacred Heart of
Jesus have Mercy on us.
Visits available 24/7,
St. James Adoration
Chapel
Amen.*


HOP
Hematology Oncology Partners
Allison P. Wall, M.D.
St. Alphonsus Parishioner
Stephanie Fussell, M.D.
Olivia Hightower, M.D.
St. James Parishioner
Holly Ford, Administrator
St. James Parishioner
228-575-1234 Pray for Cancer Patients
Offices at Gulfport, Cedar Lake, and Biloxi


**Ochsner
Health**
1924 East Pass Road
Gulfport, MS 39507
(228) 388-4862
Ochsner Family and Pediatrics
Paul Matherne, MD - Mike Hulin, MD
Mary Beth Hulin, MD - Connie Richardson, FNP



PEACE

WOMAN'S CLINIC, P.A.
4577 13th Street 0149 • Gulfport, MS 39501
NOW OFFERING FOTONA LASER TREATMENT
Female Rejuvenation, Stress Urinary Incontinence
Hair Removal (including blonde hair),
Spider Veins
IDEAL PROTEIN WEIGHT LOSS SOLUTION
FACIALS WITH ZO SKIN PRODUCTS
Deborah Meza, Aesthetician
Call to make appointment 228-341-7879

Butch Oustalet Autoplex

www.butchoustalet.com
(228) 863-5525


PEACE


**Gulf Coast
RHINOPLASTY**
CENTER FOR RHINOLOGY EXCELLENCE
MICHAEL SEICSHNAYDRE, MD, FACS, FFAOA
Board Certified
4300 15th Street
Gulfport MS 39501
(228) 864-0828
www.gulfcoastrhinoplasty.com


tmh
CPA & Consulting Firm
Gregory L. Fairey, CPA
(228) 864-1779 | tmhcpas.com
HATTIESBURG | COLUMBIA | GULFPORT


**Bill's
BARBER SHOP**
HOURS
Tuesday-Friday | Saturday
7:30AM-5:00PM | 7:30AM - 12 NOON
Bill Ware 228-596-5821 Shop 1708 Pass Road
Gulfport, MS 39501


**ACE DATA
STORAGE**
SHREDDING & STORAGE
RECORD STORAGE
&
DOCUMENT SHREDDING
AceDataStorage.com 228-864-6223

JIM THRIFFILEY, M.D.
Board Certified by the American Board of
ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY
P: (228) 822-2663
F: (228) 604-2255

Hand & Shoulder, Foot & Ankle
Sports Medicine
1639 East Pass Road
Gulfport, MS 39507


**White Cap
SEAFOOD RESTAURANT**
"Best Seafood Platter Anywhere"
Oysters Grilled or Chilled
604-4444
Hwy 90 in Downtown Miss City

Compliments of
**Joe Sam &
Sherry
Owen
And Family**

RIEMANN FAMILY Chad Riemann
Funeral Homes President
P.O. Box 2188, Gulfport, MS 39505 • Office: 228-539-9800
www.riemannfamily.com
11280 Three Rivers Rd. - Gulfport • 11213 Hwy. 49 - Gulfport
19130 Commission Rd. - Long Beach • 274 Beauvoir Rd. - Biloxi
9113 Kiln Delisle Rd. - Pass Christian
13872 Lemoyne Blvd. - Ocean Springs
There is a difference...Remann Service