

Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church



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MASSES: Saturday: 5:00pm.,
Sunday: 8:30am. and 11:15am.
WEEKDAYS: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at 9:00am.
Wednesday at 7:00pm.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday –Thursday 9:30am – 1:30pm.
CONFESSIONS: Saturday 3:30pm. – 5:00pm. Or by appointment.
MARRIAGE PLANS: Must be made 6 months before date of wedding

MORNING ROSARY: 8:30am. before Mass.
MONDAY: Miraculous Medal Novena, following Rosary.
EVERY FIRST FRIDAY: Novena To The Sacred Heart of Jesus – before 9am Mass
Eucharistic Adoration 9:30am – 12:30pm

HOLY HOUR OF ADORATION: Third Sunday of every month at 7:00pm.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: August through May/ Ages 3 through high school

Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church

Saturday, Sept. 21, 2013

Mass 5:00 pm

Sunday, Sept. 22, 2013

Masses 8:30 am & 11:15 am

*Twenty-Fifth
Sunday in Ordinary Time*

✦ Mass Intentions Sept. 23 Sept 29 ✦

Monday: Communion Service

Tuesday: Communion Service

Wednesday: Communion Service

Thursday: Communion Service

Friday: Communion Service

Saturday: Jim Gregg by Beth & Rodney Martin ✦

Sunday: Deceased by Kof C ✦

Please pray for the ill and shut-ins:

Betty Brennan, Frank Dickinson, Dianna Markovich, Anne Forister, Alice Reid, Doris Gregg, Elaine Stephens, Linda Riemenschneider, Lexie Smith, Gene & Walton Smith, Guy Veasey, Daniel Centilli, Andrew Centilli, Denny Gentry, Lance Stella, Cindy Naro, Carla Rockhill, Sherry Manning

Please pray for all our loved ones who are ill and our shut-ins. To add a name, call the church office; or to add to the Prayer Hot Line call Sharon Stice at 256-338-0207, or email:

cocoapuff@centurytel.net

Please note that names remain on the prayer list for 30 days and then are removed unless the Church Office is notified.

Weekly Reading Sept 23-29

Monday: Ezr 1:1-6; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9; Tb:13:2, 3-4abefghn, 7-8; Lk 9:1-6

Thursday: Hg 1:1-8; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Hg 2:1-9; Ps 43:1-4; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday &

Sunday: Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7-10; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

STEWARDSHIP

What good is it, my brothers, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? If a brother or sister has nothing to wear and has no food for the day, and one of you says to them, "Go in peace, keep warm, and eat well," but you do not give them the necessities of the body, what good is it? So also faith of itself if it does not have works is dead. Indeed someone might say, "You have faith and I have works," Demonstrate your faith to me through works, and I will demonstrate my faith to you from my works. James 2:14-18





NEXT WEEK!!
SEPT 28 & 29
After Sat /Sun Masses

What *TIME, TALENT & TREASURE*
do you have to share?

Join us after the Masses and see what Ministries are available. We are all the body of Christ and all our hearts, hands and feet are needed. See you there!

Take Time

Take time to think; it is the source of power.
Take time to read; it is the foundation of wisdom.
Take time to play; it is the secret of staying young.
Take time to be quiet; it is the opportunity to seek God.
Take time to be aware; it is the opportunity to help others.
Take time to love and be loved; it is God's greatest gift.
Take time to laugh; it is the music of the soul.
Take time to be friendly; it is the road to happiness.
Take time to dream; it is what the future is made of.
Take time to pray; it is the greatest power on earth.

Author unknown

Just a friendly reminder.....

If you use the Church Hall for any reason or if you are just sitting in the Hall waiting for your children while they are in Religious Ed , please be sure to clean up any spills or mess that you have made. Any committees who meet in the Hall need to wipe down all tables used with a wet cloth and wipe up any spills on the floor. We do have floor cleaners who clean the floor weekly but they only come on Monday afternoons so if there are a lot of crumbs or food on the floor be sure to sweep it up. Also check the restrooms for any messes. Thank you for your help with this matter. Together we can keep God's House clean.

Peace

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept. Sept 22-29

Sunday—Sept. 22

Mass 8:30 & 11:15am

*RE/Soup Drive ends

*Catholic Charities Pledge

* Sr. Youth– Kickball & pizza 6-8pm

Monday— Sept 23

Communion Service 9am

*Bridge

*Legion of Mary-after Mass

*YPCI for Catechists & Adults 6-8pm

*K of C Mtg. 7pm

*Ladies Aux, Mtg. 7pm

Tuesday— Sept 24

Communion Service 9am

*RCIA 7pm

Wednesday— Sept 25

Communion Service 7pm

Thursday—Sept 26

Communion Service 9am

Friday—Sept 27

Communion Service 9am

*Bible Study 10am

Saturday—Sept 28

Mass 5pm

*Confessions 3:30-5pm

*Stewardship Fair after 5pm Mass

Sunday—Sept. 29

Mass 8:30 & 11:15am

*RE

*Stewardship Fair after all Masses

*5th Sunday K of C Mass 8:30

FINANCE NEWS
July 2013- June 2014

Last week

Actual	Budget
* Offertory: \$ 4031.12	\$ 5199.00

Year-to-date

Actual	Budget
*Offertory: \$ 65,987.68	\$ 62,388.00

*Includes Holy Days

The Love Pantry!!!

The Love Pantry has requested that we bring cans of soup each week to help meet the needs of our Community.

Total cans last week — 278 cans.

Thank you for your generosity!



Adult Choir Practice on Thursday evenings at 7pm. If you are interested in joining the choir please contact Charmaine Welch 205-913-4967.



Surfsiders: Fun and Games

Meets every third Wednesday of the month in the church hall. For more information call Larry Martens 256-338-6927.



The Legion of Mary

The Legion of Mary is a worldwide organization of Catholic men and women, who offer their services to their pastor to assist in performing spiritual works in the parish. Meets Mondays following Mass.

Contact: Audrey Springer 205-365-0211



Mark Your Calendars

For The
Old Women at the Well
Second Saturday,
10:00 am

Please join us to share in a very special morning

Get to know the wonderful women of our parish and our community as we begin a new series of guest speakers and programs.

We can't wait to see you there!

Don't forget to bring a dish to share for lunch. Should you have any questions, or need additional information, please contact Elizabeth (Bit) Thomaston at (205)338-1080 or email at philip050@centurytel.net

Faith Fellowship Friendship

Knights of Columbus
Council 12270

The Knights of Columbus is a fraternal service organization open to Catholic men, 18 and older, in good standing with the faith. Being a Knight is more than camaraderie: it is being involved with your community; it is supporting your church, while enhancing your family life. Come see what we are all about. Contact: James Raynor

(205-884-1777) or

J.P. Willi (205-338-3131).

Our website is : www.ollkofc.com.



Pro Life Corner

Our Lady of the Lake
Spiritual Adoption Program

Month 5

I am 5 months old now. I am 12 inches long and weigh about one pound. I'm really getting big and mommy can now feel me kick and move around! Hey! Someday maybe I'll play soccer! Keep praying for me.....

Reminder:

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion

Please remember to pray daily for your Spiritual Adopted Baby and the baby's mother and father.

Retreats and Other Programs

From September 25-November 3

Our community will take part in **40 Days for Life**, an international, ecumenical pro-life campaign that aims to use prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil, and community outreach to help end abortion in our nation. Our Diocese will have campaigns in three area locations. The Birmingham campaign will take place at Planned Parenthood (1211 South 27th Place) daily from 6am-6pm. The Huntsville campaign will take place at AWCRA (612 Madison Street) daily. The Tuscaloosa campaign will take place at WAWC (535 Jack Warner Parkway NE) daily from 8am-5pm. 2013 is the 40th anniversary of legalized abortion in our nation, and we encourage all people of faith to take part in this campaign and follow the directive of Pope Francis to "be bearers of hope and continue to work to bring an end to abortion throughout the world, everyday." For more information on the campaign, ways to help, and to register please visit the webpages for each campaign. For **Birmingham**: 40daysforlife.com/Birmingham (or call 205-305-0950). For **Huntsville**: 40daysforlife.com/Huntsville (or call 256-881-9621). For **Tuscaloosa**: 40daysforlife.com/Tuscaloosa (or call 703-577-8002)



OKTOBERFEST TRUSSVILLE - Holy Infant of Prague Catholic Church, Saturday, October 12, 9:00 - 3:00. Free Admission & parking. Fantastic day of family fun for all ages. Traditional German food, Snack Pavilion, Music, Desserts, Arts & Crafts, Raffle of \$1500.00 Vacation Package, Kindle Fire & Big Screen TV, Bingo, Door Prizes, Hay Ride, Pumpkin Patch, Silent Auction, Cake Wheel, Grab Bag Wheel, Vendors & Country Store.
www.oktoberfesttrussville.com for more information.

Oktoberfest Committee



A ROSARY RALLY will be held at St. Jude's Catholic Church in Sylacauga on October 12, 2013 at 12 noon, followed by a luncheon. Members of Our Lady of the Lake Church are invited to attend; however, reservations must be made so that St. Jude's can have a headcount. No transportation available. Please call Audrey Springer, 205-365-0211 or Mari Culver 205-0071 by October 1st to confirm your luncheon reservation.

ASSIGNMENT LIST

Sept 23-29

WEDNESDAY MASS	9/25/2013	7:00 PM
Altar Servers	Communion Service	
Lector	Serge Brazzolotto	
SATURDAY MASS	9/28/2013	5:00 PM
Altar Servers	Serge Brazzolotto, Tom Michaels	
Greeters	Martens, Scruggs	
Lector	Larry Foltz, David Springer	
Ministers	Deacon Terry, Serge Brazzolotto, Gloria Albright	
Ushers	Cecil Rodgers, Mike Gordon, Jerry Noto, Jim Gorman	
SUNDAY MASSES	9/29/2013	
8:30 AM	KNIGHTS' of COLUMBUS MASS	
Altar Servers	Andrew & Matthew Reese, Andrew & Will Thomaston	
Greeters	Euler, Veigl	
Lectors	Larry Reese, Bernie Funderburg	
Ministers	Deacon Terry, Serge Brazzolotto, Lloyd Brown, Stephen Reese, Michael Gagliano	
Ushers	Michael Gagliano, Serge Brazzolotto, Chris Gallegly, Joaquina Reyes	
11:15 AM		
Altar Servers	Paul Boyle, Monica Liverman, Catherine & James Lewis	
Greeters	Armstrong, Skeivelas	
Lectors	Larry Foltz, Martha Hayes	
Ministers	Deacon Terry, Brenda Rochford, Tiffany Rochford, Sonia Dale, Maria Jimenez	
Ushers	Don Frederick, John Smith, Chris Gallegly	

If you cannot keep your assignment PLEASE find a substitute.

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Take time for a Holy Pause

Family Questions of the Week

Questions are based on the Sunday Gospel

September 22, 2013

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel: Luke 16: 1-13

Adults: Can cheating and deception ever be justified?

¿Es posible que algunas veces se puedan justificar la trampa y el engaño?

Child: If someone treats you unfairly, do you have the right to do the same to them?

¿Si alguien te trata injustamente, tienes el derecho de hacer lo mismo que ellos?

Religious Education 2013-2014

Every Sunday at 9:45 am.

Grs. PreK thru 12

ANNUAL SOUP DRIVE

Collected as of 9/15 * 1384 cans

Our goal 2000 cans. We're 1/2way there!!!

Can we do it! **YES WE CAN...**

1 WEEK TO GO!!!!

Bring your cans to the class, in the church foyer or RE bldg.

If you can't shop, drop your donation in the soup box in the foyers and we'll do the shopping for you! All donations profit the Pell City Love Pantry.



COMING UP * MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!

Sept 22 RE 9:45am Soup Drive ENDS

Sept 23 YPC1 6-8pm in the OLL hall

For all Catechists needing to update

For all Adults who are interested in

working with our youth. And for anyone 21 yrs and older who could like to gain personal knowledge on the subject of abuse, how to recognize it, how to stop it.

Sept 24 RCIA 7pm

Sept 27 Fri Bible Study 1st Corinthians 10am

Sept 28 & 29 Stewardship Fair after all Masses

Sept 29 RE 9:45am Feast of the Archangels

Oct 1 RCIA 7pm

Oct 3 Ann's New Life Banquet 7pm

Oct 4 1st Friday Adoration 9:30am-12:30pm

Oct 4 Fri Bible Study 1st Corinthians 10am

Oct 6 RE 9:45am

Adult Ed with Dennis Krantz 9:45am

Youth Mass 11:15am



YOUTH GROUP NEWS*JOIN US!!! LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING

LITTLE ONES IN CHRIST

Grs PreK-Gr 2 every 2nd Sunday

Next Meeting **OCTOBER 13th at 12:30-2:30**

Lunch will be served! call Joanna Murphree 473-1444.

JR YOUTH Grs 3-6 every 2nd Sunday

Next Meeting **OCTOBER 13TH at 5-7pm**

Celebrating Fall! Dinner will be

served! Contact Sonya Lewis for more information 863-7305.



SR YOUTH Grs 7-12 Next Meeting

Sept 22 Kickball & Pizza 6-8pm at OLL. **Contact**

Chris Frey 473-4661.



THIS MONDAY...

YOUTH PROTECTION CLASS 1

SEPT 23 * Monday 6-8pm

in the OLL parish hall

Youth Protection must be updated every 3 years. **All Catechists and Adults working with our youth from Sunday School Classes, Nursery, Youth Leaders and all Aides must be protected by Diocesan Guidelines.** Also any adult interested in this class for personal growth are most welcome to attend. For more info contact Parma 405-0948.

Adult
EDUCATION

Oct 6th * 9:45am

HE'S BACK!

DENNIS KRANTZ who spoke with us on the topic of 'Jews for

Jesus' is back again for

Adult Education on the topic of

INSPIRATION!

Mr. Krantz will inspire us to live and lead a good Catholic life. On this Respect for Life Sunday how appropriate that we hear this message. Let us aspire to live out our Catholic Life from conception to natural death! Amen Amen



FYI: If you are interested in purchasing more of the wooden articles that came from Jerusalem, you may contact the family that was here at OLL at the following website:

<http://www.holyland-gifts.com>

Parish Messages

English Classes
(Clases de Inglés)
Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church
4609 Martin St. South
Pell City, AL
1-888-448-7323
205 525-0097
Thursdays 6:00-7:30p.m.
(jueves 6:00-7:30 p.m.)
Sept 12-Nov 14
(12 Sep - 14 Nov)

Parish Messages



*We Welcome the following
Newest Members
to our Church Family*
CATHY POWLAS

*Let us love one another, for love is of God
and everyone that loves is born of God and
knows God. 1Jn4:7*

May you feel the warmth of His Spirit!



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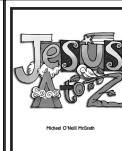
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