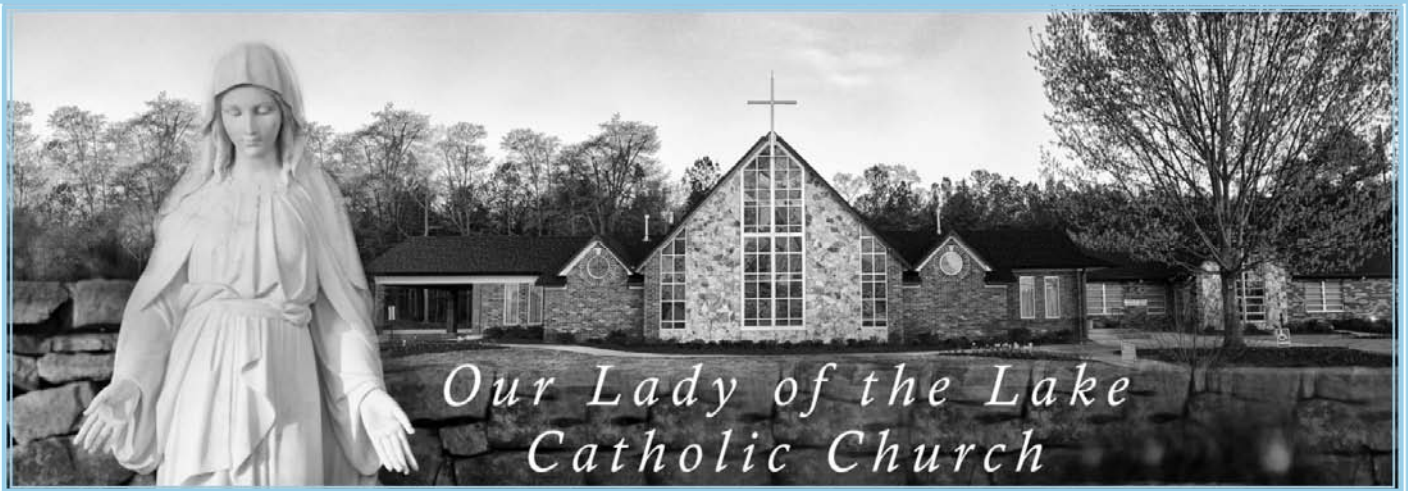




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MASSES

Saturday Evening: 5 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. & 11:15 a.m.

Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00 a.m.

Wednesdays: 7:00 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday—Thursday 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. or
by appointment.

MARRIAGES:

Must be scheduled with the Priest
at least 6 months in advance.

MORNING ROSARY:

8:30 a.m. before Mass.

MONDAYS:

Miraculous Medal Novena following Rosary.

EVERY FIRST FRIDAY:

Novena To The Sacred Heart
of Jesus - before 9 a.m. Mass.
Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

HOLY HOUR OF ADORATION:

Third Sunday of every month at 7:00 p.m.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

August through May. Ages 3 yrs. through
High School.

Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church

Saturday, May 29, 2016

Mass 5:00 pm

Sunday, May 30, 2016

Masses 8:30 am & 11:15 am

*The Most Holy
Body and Blood of Christ
May 29, 2016*

*[A]s often as you eat this bread
and drink the cup,
you proclaim the
death of the Lord
until he comes.*



— 1 Corinthians 11:26



Mass Intentions

May 30 – June 5



Monday: Leonard Morteck by Jim & Marcia Morteck †
Tuesday: Kathleen Quintus by Brenda & Jerry Kern †
Wednesday: Fr. Michael Wrigley by Jennie Reid †
Thursday: Maria Del Carmen Garcia by the Gordons †
Friday: John Krudwig by Danny & Patti Frey †
Saturday: Buddy Haynes by Jennie Haynes †
Sunday: Molly Rossell by Terry & Rita Rumore †

Please pray for the ill and shut-ins:

Gene & Walton Smith, Matt Joiner,
Pat Roberts, Judy Dawley, Paul Boyle,
Dennis Tyler, Crystal Welford,
Tommy Zopfi.

**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 205-338-0207, 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 Readings ~ May 30—June 5

Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7; Ps 91:1-2,
14-16; Mk 12:1-2

Tuesday: Zep 3:14-18 or Rom
12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd
-6; Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps
123:1b-2; Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-
5ab, 8-10, 14; Mk
12:28b-34

Friday: Ez 34:11-16; Ps 23:1-6;
Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7

Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8; 1 Sm 2:1, 4
-8abcd; Lk 2:41-51

Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:17-24; Ps
30:2, 4-6, 11-13;
Gal 1:11-19; Lk 7:11-17

Today's Readings



First Reading — Melchizedek, the king of Sa-
lem and a priest of God Most High, brought out
bread and wine and blessed Abram. (Genesis
14:18-20)

Psalm — You are a priest forever, in the line of
Melchizedek. (Psalm 110)

Second Reading — Paul gives his description
of the institution of the Eucharist. (1 Corinthians
11:23-26)

Gospel — Jesus speaks to the crowd about the
kingdom of God and then feeds them with five
loaves and two fish. (Luke 9:11b-17)

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Pastor's Message

Corpus Christi—Real Presence and Real Eucharist.

Today we celebrate the gift of the Holy Eucharist which is at the heart of our faith. As the Canadian Catholic Bishops stated in a pastoral letter: "The Eucharist is at the heart of our Catholic faith. It is what the Church does above all else".

Following the 8:30 a.m. Mass this Sunday we will have a Liturgical procession around the church grounds. The procession will conclude with Benediction in the church.

The Feast of Corpus Christi can be traced back to 1264 A.D. and was instituted by Pope Urban IV to rekindle faith in the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist.

Thirty-five years earlier, a humble nun in a Belgian convent had a series of visions directing her to strive to establish a feast in honor of the Holy Eucharist. Her name was Sister Juliana of Cornillon. Many were skeptical of her message and Church authorities resisted for many years. With the help of St. Thomas Aquinas the Pope finally accepted the nun's petition and the feast day was established.

In one of his homilies on the Eucharist, Pope Benedict XVI wrote, "The Eucharist is a public devotion that has nothing esoteric or exclusive about it. We did not choose to meet one another. We came and now we find ourselves next to one another, brought together by faith and called to become one body, sharing the one bread which is Christ".

The Gospel selection for this Feast Day is from Luke's account of the feeding of the multitude. Just as the Apostles were to help Jesus in teaching and healing, so they are to aid him in feeding the people. "Give them something to eat yourselves" (Luke 9:13). They provide the bread and the fish and Jesus blesses these to provide an abundance of food. This Gospel story is a foreshadowing of the gift of the Eucharist at the Last Supper.

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**Faith Upon Faith:** In the sequence assigned for today's Feast and composed by St. Thomas Aquinas, we touch on the heart of the Catholic faith:

This is the truth each Christian learns,  
Bread into his flesh he turns,  
To His precious blood the wine.

Sight has failed, nor thought conceives,  
But a dauntless faith believes,  
Resting on a power divine.

**A Grief Observed:** We offer our deepest sympathy and prayers to Beth Martin and her husband Rodney, on the death of her brother, Michael Downs. We know your brother was faithful in all things, even in suffering. May he share the gift of eternal life and behold God's face always.

Peace and Blessings,

*Fr. Sexton*

May 29-June 5

### Sunday-May 29

**Masses 8:30 am & 11:15 am**

#### **Corpus Christi Sunday**

\*Commissioning of Eucharistic Ministers-  
All Masses

\***Eucharistic Procession** after 8:30 am  
Mass- 1st Communion & Confirmation  
students Process

\*5th Sunday-KOC Mass 8:30 am

### Monday-May 30

**Mass 9 am**

\*Bridge

\*Legion of Mary

### Tuesday-May 31

**Mass 9 am**

### Wednesday-June 1

**Mass 7 pm**

Sr. Youth 5:30 pm

### Thursday-June 2

**Mass 9 am**

### Friday-June 3

**Mass 9 am**

**Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

\*First Friday Adoration 9:30-12:30

### Saturday-June 4

**Mass 5 pm**

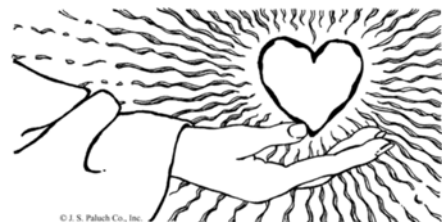
**Immaculate Heart of Mary**

\*Reconciliation 3:30-5:00 pm

### Sunday-June 5

**Masses 8:30 am & 11:15 am**

\*Youth Mass 11:15 am



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## FINANCE NEWS July 2015-June 2016

### Last week

|                    | Actual            | Budget            |
|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>*Offertory:</b> | <b>\$ 6419.65</b> | <b>\$ 5770.00</b> |

### Year-to-date

|                    |                      |                      |
|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| <b>*Offertory:</b> | <b>\$ 304,771.30</b> | <b>\$ 271,190.00</b> |
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\*Please note the actual total includes Burse Club,  
Building Fund & Special Collections which are not part  
of the general operating budget.

### Corporal Works of Mercy:

**Meeting the physical needs of the person.**

*There are seven corporal, or "bodily" Works of Mercy:*

- Give Food to the Hungry
- Give Drink to the Thirsty
- Clothe the Naked
- Shelter the Homeless
- Visit the Sick
- Visit the Imprisoned
- Bury the Dead

### Spiritual Works of Mercy:

**Addressing the needs of a persons' soul.**

*There are seven spiritual Works of Mercy.*

- Instruct the Ignorant
- Counsel the Doubtful
- Admonish the Sinner
- Bear Wrongs Patiently
- Forgive Offenses
- Comfort the Sorrowful
- Pray for the Living and the Dead

## John Carroll Catholic High School Classes of 1956, 1957, 1958 Reunion

The John Carroll Classes of 1956, '57, & '58 are planning a **combined CLASS REUNION on Saturday, August 20, 2016**, at The Birmingham Botanical Gardens. Mass will be at 4:00 at St. Francis Xavier and our reunion will start at 5:30. **Please make plans to join us** and let us know as soon as possible so that we can continue with our plans. Cost is \$65.00 per person (any extra money will be donated to JCCHS). Cost includes Dinner, music and dancing.

**For more information or registration please contact**  
Diane Swatek - [dianeswatek4@gmail.com](mailto:dianeswatek4@gmail.com) or 205-823-2330.



## *The Love Pantry*

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

**Goal -100 cans/week.**

**Total cans last week – 147 cans**

## Pastoral Council Election

The election for the new Pastoral Council members will be held

**Sunday, June 5th.**

**Bios for the candidates can be found on the last two pages of this bulletin.**

To all the members serving on the Council, thank you for your service to your parish!



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## Pro Life Corner

### Our Lady of the Lake Spiritual Adoption Program

**Thank you** everyone who participated in the Spiritual Adoption Program. There were **140 babies** adopted- our largest amount in 10 years.

**A special thanks to the following for their help:**  
Gisela Scruggs, Danielle McKinney, Kristy McKinney,  
Crystal Welford, Sharon Stice, Jimillia Sayles  
and the Frederick's children.







## Saints and Special Observances

|                   |                                                                        |
|-------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>Sunday:</i>    | <i>The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ</i>                          |
| <i>Monday:</i>    | <i>Ninth Week in Ordinary Time; Memorial Day</i>                       |
| <i>Tuesday:</i>   | <i>The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>                       |
| <i>Wednesday:</i> | <i>St. Justin</i>                                                      |
| <i>Thursday:</i>  | <i>Ss. Marcellinus and Peter</i>                                       |
| <i>Friday:</i>    | <i>The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus; First Friday</i>                    |
| <i>Saturday:</i>  | <i>The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday</i> |

## Pastoral Council

The following are emails for our Pastoral Council Members. Please contact them with questions or concerns you may have.

**Chair: Sonia Dale:**  
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**Secretary: Gloria Raynor:**  
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**Karen Hand:** wmkhand@yahoo.com

**Carl Rochford:** rochfordc@bellsouth.net

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**Beth Brouillette:** beth\_brouillette@yahoo.com

**Joanna Murphree:** Joannam1222@aol.com

**Joe Stanley:** roltyde1@aol.com

## Assignments—June 1- June 5

### WEDNESDAY

6/1/2016

7:00 PM

Altar Servers  
Lectors Teri Gagliano

### SATURDAY MASS

6/4/2016

5:00 PM

Altar Servers Peter Boyle, Larry Reese  
Greeters Allen/Phyllis Ross, Darlene Leonard  
Lectors Allen Ross, Phyllis Ross  
Ministers Deacon, Gloria Albright, Parma Boyle  
Ushers Cecil Rodgers, Jim Dale, Jim Gorman, Bob Nicholas

### SUNDAY MASS

6/5/2016

8:30 AM

Altar Servers Jimillia Sayles, Anthony Emerick, Brennan Cardenas, Carson Falkner  
Greeters Crapet/Freeman  
Lectors Anna Emerick, Carey Monistere  
Ministers Deacon, Michael & Teri Gagliano, Carly Gagliano, Ronni Gagliano  
Ushers Herb Kuntz, Joe Stanley, Ruth Stanley, Joe Pittman

11:15 AM

### Youth Mass

Altar Servers Sawyer Stice, James Lewis, Travis Cooley, John Himmler  
Greeters Youth  
Lectors Youth  
Ministers Deacon, Youth  
Ushers Don Frederick, Chris Gallegly, Youth

If you cannot keep your assignment  
PLEASE find a substitute.

## Pastoral Council Candidates

**JIM GORMAN**...My name is Jim Gorman. I have lived in this area since 2006. One of my greatest joys is family, with 3 children and 8 grandchildren. I retired from State Farm Insurance after 36 years as an agent. I started attending Our Lady of the Lake in 2007, and converted to Catholicism in 2008. Since that time, I have been a member of the Knights of Columbus. With guidance from fellow Knights, I became an altar server—a ministry to which I am dedicated. Every time I have the privilege of serving at the altar, I am grateful to be a part of the sacred celebration. My faith journey thus far has been fulfilling, and much of that fulfillment has come from giving. My faith has moved me to pursue a new and additional avenue of stewardship. Specifically, to offer input in routine parish activities; and to help address the needs and concerns of the parish family. I would be pleased and honored to serve on the OLL Pastoral Council.



**KAREN HAND**...I am requesting the opportunity to continue serving on the Pastoral Council of Our Lady of the Lake. Over 30 years ago, several members of our church, including myself, spearheaded the formation of our Parish Council. I served as a member for several years. I am a retired teacher from the Pell City School System after teaching 28 years. In the past, I have served as a lector, Eucharistic Minister, Ladies Club president, Altar Server and chairperson of maintenance. Additionally, I taught Religious Education for many years and wrote the Parish newsletter, The Lakesider. Presently, I serve as an usher and greeter for the Saturday evening Mass. I am also a co-chairman for the Hospitality Committee. Having been a member of this Parish for 38 years, I would like to continue serving on the Pastoral Council. Thanks, Karen Hand



**JOHN LEONARD**...My wife Darlene and I have been members of Our Lady of the Lake for 6 years. I grew up in Birmingham going to school at St. Paul's and Our Lady of Sorrows. I attended John Carroll and the University of Montevallo. I have been self-employed as an electrical rep agent for 44 years. While at Our Lady of Sorrows, I served as an Usher and Greeter and am currently on the Our Lady of the Lake Prayer Line. It would be an honor to serve Our Lady of the Lake on the Parish Council.



**SONYA LEWIS**...Thank you for the opportunity for me, Sonya Lewis, to serve on the Pastoral Council. I have been a member of Our Lady of the Lake since 2001 with my husband, Robert Lewis. We have two children, Catherine (16) and James (13). In our parish, I have been active in religious education for many years and have also been involved as a youth group leader. Service to our church community is very important to me and my family. We all serve in one way or another. I will serve in any way that God asks. If I am elected to the Pastoral Council, it would be an honor to get to serve our parish to the best of my ability for our Lady of the Lake.



**MARK MCRAE...**Hello, I'm Mark McRae, and I am currently on the Pastoral Council and I am asking for your vote once again. Serving on the Pastoral Council has truly been a highlight in my life. Working with this council and assisting Father Sexton and the family of volunteers it takes for the many projects that we have is very exciting! I have been a member of this Parish for 26 years, love the community of great folks in our parish family. My wife Tammy and I are at the 5:30 Mass on Saturday nights, I also usher at that Mass. Check out my ad on the back of the church bulletin, I work at the Local Ford dealer in town. Thanks to the many of you that have supported me. Tammy and I sponsored a small group at our home this past Lenten season, a mission that was very spiritual. I have sponsored many people in our RCIA program and have devoted my life to helping people and serving again on the council would be an honor.



**GLORIA RAYNOR...**My name is Gloria R. Raynor and my husband is James. I am originally from Colombia, and have lived in the US for the last 14 years. We have two grown children (Jessica and Maggie) and two little ones, JhonPaul (9) and Natalie (6), plus two granddaughters. I have been a member of Our Lady of the Lake since 2007. I have been an active volunteer in several ministries at the church. I am currently a member of the Pastoral Council, Hospitality, Hispanic and Building Committees and an Usher. Professionally, I work at Building and Earth Sciences, a geotechnical company located in Birmingham, as a senior project engineer. I would be honored to continue being part of the Pastoral Council and to keep serving our church for another 3 years.



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