



Holy Rosary Catholic Church

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Sundays-Rosary: 8:30 am

Ordinary Form of the Roman Rite Mass at 9:00

Wednesday Mass: 8:00am Rosary: 7:30am Confession Before all Masses

The Food Pantry & Clothes Closet are open Mon, Wed. & Fri. 10:00-12:00 for residents of the 35212 zip code; registration is required.

Bringing Jesus Christ to Gate City, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, since 1889 and with the help of the Salesians from 1955-2014

1/19/20 The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Prayers Go Out

For the sick especially: Harri's dad having a heart procedure, Willie Mae, Megan, Pat, Alex, Katherine, Carol, Mary Pat, Elfrida, Marshall, Helen, Katie, Wyatt, Edna & Sheila
For Romel who still need God's help.

Contact Mike at 266-3065 or mhfgeerts@gmail.com with anything for the bulletin.

Next Door After Mass There Will Be a Discussion About the New Movie "Just Mercy" Since it became such a topic last week, it was decided that as many people as possible would see it and we would discuss it after Mass today.

We will finish the current book on 1/26 discussion Lessons, 29 & 30 about Lk.24:13-36-53.

The Books for Lent Have Arrived - People of Passion from the Threshold Series!

We will begin this study in the weeks after 1st Sunday and finish by Palm Sunday.

1/20 Mon. Beginning at 6PM Confraternity of Christian Mothers at Our Lady of Sorrows

Everyone needs a spiritual boost or just quiet prayer and a chance to step back a little. So there will be Adoration and Confession in the Church 6 -7 PM, followed by Mass. Carol Berry will then speak in the Family Life Center! For info email Janel christianmothersbhm@gmail.com!

1/24-26 Introduction to Centering Prayer at the Sacred Heart Monastery in Cullman, (SBOC)

Benedictine Sisters Retreat Center will host this all-inclusive event from 6PM Fri through lunch on Sunday. \$225 for a private room For info- (256) 734-8302 or retreats@shmon.org



Share the Faith

part the Collection for the Church in Latin America

1/26 Special Collection Supporting the Church in Latin America (SBOC)

The Bishop points out that by supporting this collection, you help share the faith more fully with underserved indigenous peoples in remote areas of Latin America.

2/8 Holy Spirit Catholic Church in Tuscaloosa Spiritual Reflection Retreat (SBOC)

Jesse Romero and the Sister Servants of the Eternal Word will be the speakers. Ticket cost this year is only \$15. For info/ register Br Smith (205) 861-3574 or www.bit.ly/hs2020retreat

2/22 Sat. "Marriage Enrichment Day" Save the day from 9:00 to 4:00 at St Paul Cathedral

This day will be for married couples to deepen their relationships. It is being designed in cooperation with the Worldwide Marriage Encounter group which has experience in this field.

We will finish passing out shirts that were spoken for in the Youth Center Fourier after Mass.

We will begin distributing to the Apostolate Volunteers this week.

We want to record additional requests so that if it is practical we can order more.

Additional Thoughts from Saint Teresa of Calcutta:

“There is much suffering in the world – physical, material, mental. The suffering of some can be blamed on the greed of others. The physical and material suffering is suffering from hunger, from homelessness, from all kinds of diseases. But the greatest suffering is being lonely, feeling unloved, having no one. I have come more and more to realize that it is being unwanted that is the worst disease that any human being can ever experience.”

Free Resources you should consider trying on for size right now:

Formed has more resources that you could ever finish exploring and you have a free account.

Daily Reflections, great access to lectures on line and other streaming.

Word on Fire Bishop Barron Daily Gospel Reflections, Readings and many other resources

Dynamic Catholic Daily Inspirational and wonderful series like the upcoming Best Lent Ever

Thurs. 1/23 Saint Marianne Cope

Raised in New York, she was a factory worker who later professed her faith and they found she was a great administrator. She did great work there in schools and a hospital. She and other sisters later volunteered to set up and run a new receiving station for lepers in Hawaii. That was just the beginning of many other very tough projects she undertook and succeeded at in Hawaii. *“I am not thinking of reward. I am working for God and do so cheerfully.” St M Cope*

1/26/20 The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time now Sunday of the Word of God

Next Sunday’s Scripture Readings

1st Reading: Is. 8:23 & 9:3

Responsorial: Ps. 27

2nd Reading: 1 Cor. 1:10-13 & 17

Gospel: Mt. 4:12-23

Lector’s Schedule

1) Michelle Williams 2) Herbert Williams

Special Eucharistic Ministers

John McPherson & Michael Yester

GENERAL PARISH INFORMATION

Baptisms Contact Father Jon to make arrangements as soon after birth as possible.

Weddings Contact Father Jon at least six months in advance, to begin preparations.

Anointing of the Sick For those who begin to be in danger of death due to serious illness and/or old age - discuss the situation with Father Jon.

PARISH GROUPS AND CONTACTS

Volunteers Are Always Needed

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Learning Center-

Sister Mary Robert 837-5117

Holy Rosary Youth Soccer-

Coach Harri Haikala 492-4245

Youth Program-

Coach Murphy 835-7769

Food Pantry-

Your Name and Number Here

Clothes Closet-

Delores Jackson 527-6988

Knights of Columbus -

Mike Geerts 508-3070

Again, thank you to all of God’s people who help make the Apostolate works happen here at Holy Rosary in Gate City.

Thank you to parishioners from: St. Barnabas, St. Francis, Holy Rosary, Infant of Prague, St. Mark, St. Peter, St. Theresa, The Knights of Columbus and others from across the diocese.

Thank you to the volunteers of TEAM and individuals of other faiths who so graciously share their support; answering the call to help.

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