



ANNUNCIATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

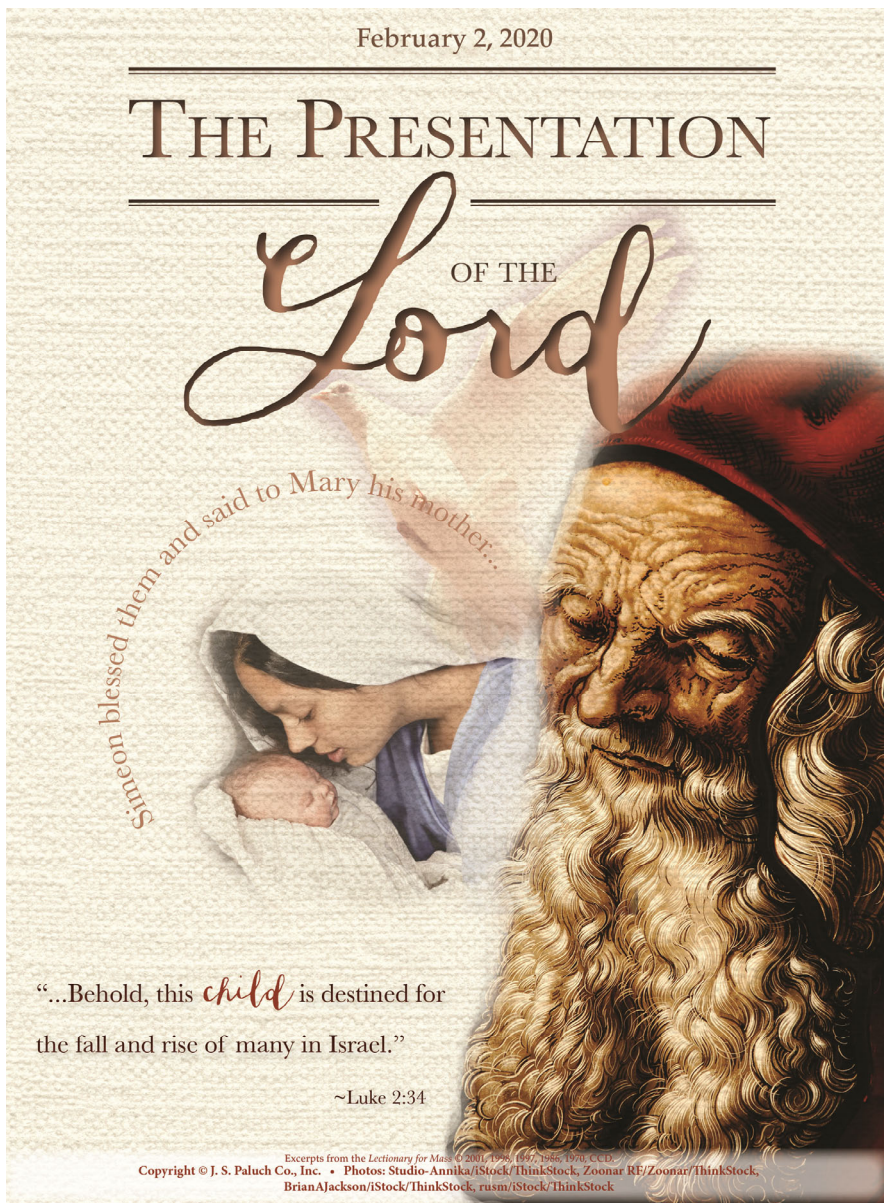
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MASSES

SATURDAY VIGIL: 4:00PM

SUNDAY: 8:00AM & 10:30AM

WEEKDAY MASS: CHAPEL

MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:00AM (ROSARY AFTER)

FIRST SATURDAY 8:00AM (NOVENA TO THE BL. VIRGIN MARY)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SATURDAY: 3:00-3:45 PM

SUNDAY: 9:45-10:15AM

OTHER TIMES BY APPOINTMENT

ADORATION

TUESDAY: 8:30AM-8:00PM

FRIDAY: 8:30AM-9:30AM (DEVOTION TO SACRED HEART)

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY-FRIDAY: 8:00 AM-4:00 PM

KARLA HENLEY, SECRETARY



GOSPEL REFLECTION

The spiritual and personal encounter of Simeon and Ann with the child Jesus in the temple provides us with many lessons. It was their life of unconditional faith in God and dedication to prayer and fasting that enabled them to recognize the Messiah. It is a reminder that prayer and contemplation are not merely a waste of time but essential ingredients to cultivating a lasting relationship with God. Those who pray and offer sacrifices and do penance are open to the movements of the spirit in their life. Such persons will know how to recognize the Lord who manifests himself in the various circumstances of life. On this day of consecrated life, we do well to remember all consecrated persons; men and women who have given themselves to God, both in the active and contemplative way of life.

Financial NEWS

Annunciation Parish
Yearly Financial Obligations

Insurance	\$32,056.00
Diocesan Support Tax	\$16,735.00
School Supplement	\$28,270.00
Salaries, Utilities, & Other Operational Expenses (approximate)	\$132,000.00

All financial obligations cost us approximately \$4,400 a week. All of your donations are greatly appreciated.

Claiborne Hill Receipts

Please save your receipts and place into the box in the vestibule of Church. Total collected from Claiborne Hill Receipts as of: **January 6, 2020 \$2,394.72**

Thank You for your receipts!

ExtraGive2019

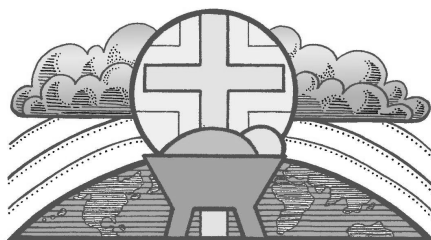
We are requesting each family, if able, to offer \$40 extra each month (\$10 a week) in addition to what you offer to help meet the expenses of the church every month.



Weekend of
January 18-19, 2020

Weekly.....\$3,175.35
Building Fund.....\$206.00

MANY THANKS!



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 1

4:00pm - Parishioners

Sunday, February 2

8:00am - John† & Nicole Necaise†,
Teddy† & Shirley Morelt†,
Joelt† & Peggy Cooley† and
deceased members of the
Necaise Family

10:30am - Lenette, Lamart†, &
Gidget Necaise†

Monday, February 3

8:00am - Family of Melissa
Winingham

Tuesday, February 4

8:00am - Bob Crowley†

Wednesday, February 5

8:00am - Karla Henley

Thursday, February 6

8:00am -

Friday, February 7

8:00am -

If you would like to schedule Mass for someone or for a special intention, call the rectory.

Pray for our troops:

Drew Ladner—US Marine
Darrell Little—US Army
Devin Nelson—US Army
Brandan Witt—USAF

Lord, hold our troops in Your Loving Hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need, and bring them home safely. May their sacrifices bring about a lasting and just peace in those lands. We ask this in the Name of Jesus Our Lord and Savior. Amen.



Michael & Toddy Arceneaux	James Lovett
Ralph Baldwin	Sandra & Janet Mauffray
Nelsie & Johnny Banks	Woody Mauffray
Gene Breazeale	Danny Minchew
Claud Burk	Belinda & Kenny Morgan
Don "Sarge" Carter	Patrick Murphy
Eugene, James, Jerry, Gretchen, Tessa,	Janet Necaise
JoAnn, Jude, Shirley Cucurullo	Tyrone & Faye Necaise
Leticia J. Dedeaux	Christopher Nugent
Christine Greenwood	Joy Patin
Merle Haas	Carolyn Reeves
Amanda Jones	Brooke Rolison
June Kenney	Carla Santiago
Donald Koenenn	Karrie Schultz
Cecile & Willard Ladner	Jerry Shavers
Patsy Ladner	Timothy Scott Steen
Verna Mae Ladner	Maura Strong
	Josie Thomas

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- ◆ It has been directed that the Precious Blood not be distributed at Mass and continuing until further notice. The directive is due to the severity of the flu season.
- ◆ CCD classes are 9:15-10:15am.
- ◆ Weekly Bulletins are now online at annunciationkln.com Please stop by and see our updated website.
- ◆ Women's GIFT will present a silent retreat directed by Fr. Dominic Pham based on the Spiritual Exercises of the St. Ignatius of Loyola at the William Kelly Retreat Center, 510 North Second Street, Bay St. Louis, MS, 39520, the weekend of February 21-23. Openings are limited and the deadline for the payment is Friday, February 14, 2020. For more information, contact Mildred Bolden at 228-547-0974 or email address: mil_476@yahoo.com.
- ◆ Sacred Relics Of The Saints: Treasures Of The Church: St. Alphonsus Parish presents a teaching and exposition of Sacred Relics on Friday February 7 at 6:30 pm. Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross will be here with a very special Vatican collection of over 150 relics, some as old as 2000 years. Among the treasures will be relics of St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux (the "Little Flower"), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska. In addition, there will also be present a portion of the veil of Our Lady, as well as one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross in the world. Those in attendance will be able to examine and venerate each relic. In the Church's history many miracles and healings have been worked in the presence of relics, and many have been healed through this ministry. Please do not miss this opportunity. You are encouraged to bring your articles of devotion (such as rosaries, holy cards, etc.) and pictures of ill friends/family members which you will be able to touch to the reliquaries as a means of intercession.
- ◆ Baby Bottle Fundraiser: Knights of Columbus are collecting baby bottles filled with loose money/coins. All money collected will go to the pregnancy center to help the people making the choice to support life. For more information please contact Skip Marsh.
- ◆ World Day of the Sick Healing Mass~Blessed Seelos Church, 360 Lameuse St., Biloxi. Sunday, February 9, 2020 at 2:00pm. Let us come together and pray for the sick and their caregivers. For more information, call 228-435-0007.

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Elementary School PreK – 8th Grade – Picayune, MS is now accepting APPLICATIONS FOR PRINCIPAL FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR
 Masters Degree in Educational Administration/Leadership 486 Administrative Certification or Ability to Obtain Certification Active Member of the Catholic Faith
 Complete application at www.biloxidiocese.org
 Forward with resume and license to Dr. Rhonda Clark, Superintendent of Education
rcclark@biloxidiocese.org ~1790 Popp's Ferry Road, Biloxi, MS 39532, 228-702-2130
Applications accepted through March 1, 2020

CALLING MEN OF GOD!

Knights of Columbus Council 1522 Day of Prayer and Reflection
 "Being a Man of God in an Ungodly World"
 with Fr. Mike O'Connor & Deacon Eddie Renz

Date: Saturday February 8, 2020

Time: 8am-4pm

Location: Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church Community Center,
 228 S Beach Blvd, Bay St Louis, MS 39520

Applications can be found in the vestibule.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	2 Sam 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-7; Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	2 Sam 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30 - 19:3; Ps 86:1-6; Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	2 Sam 24:2, 9-17; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 6:1-6
Thursday:	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10-12; Mk 6:7-13
Friday:	Sir 47:2-11; Ps 18:31, 47, 50, 51; Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:	1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9-14; Mk 6:30-34
Sunday:	Is 58:7-10; Ps 112:4-9; 1 Cor 2:1-5; Mt 5:13-16

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading —

There will come to the temple the Lord whom you seek (Malachi 3:1-4).

Psalms —

Who is this king of glory? It is the Lord! (Psalm 24).

Second Reading —

Jesus had to become like his brothers and sisters in every way to help the descendants of Abraham (Hebrews 2:14-18).

Gospel —

The just and pious Simeon proclaims the infant Jesus to be a revealing light to the Gentiles, the glory of the people Israel (Luke 2:22-40 [22-32]).

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	The Presentation of the Lord; Blessing of Candles; World Day for Consecrated Life; Boy Scouting Sunday; Groundhog Day
Monday:	Fourth Week in Ordinary Time; St. Blaise; St. Ansgar
Wednesday:	St. Agatha
Thursday:	St. Paul Miki and Companions
Friday:	Adoration to Sacred Heart; First Friday
Saturday:	St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita; International Day of Prayer and Awareness against Human Trafficking; Blessed Virgin Mary

THE ROAD TO GOD

There is but one road to lead us to God—humility; all other ways would only lead astray, even were they fenced in with all virtues.

—Nicolas Boileau-Despreaux