

St Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule: Saturday Vigil 4:30 PM **Weekdays:** Monday, Wednesday and Friday 11:30 AM
Sunday 9:00 AM Thursday 9:00 AM

Reconciliation: 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment.

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

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Pastoral Emergency outside of office hours: 731-968-7944

St Regina Catholic Church

108 Skyline Lane

Parsons, TN 38363

Phone: 731-847-2054

Mass Schedule: Sunday 11:00 AM **Weekdays:** Wednesday 5:00 pm

Reconciliation: 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment.

Office Hours: Monday and Thursday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM Wednesday 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Email: saintreginaTN@gmail.com

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Staff

Parochial Administrator: Father Anthony Onyekwe

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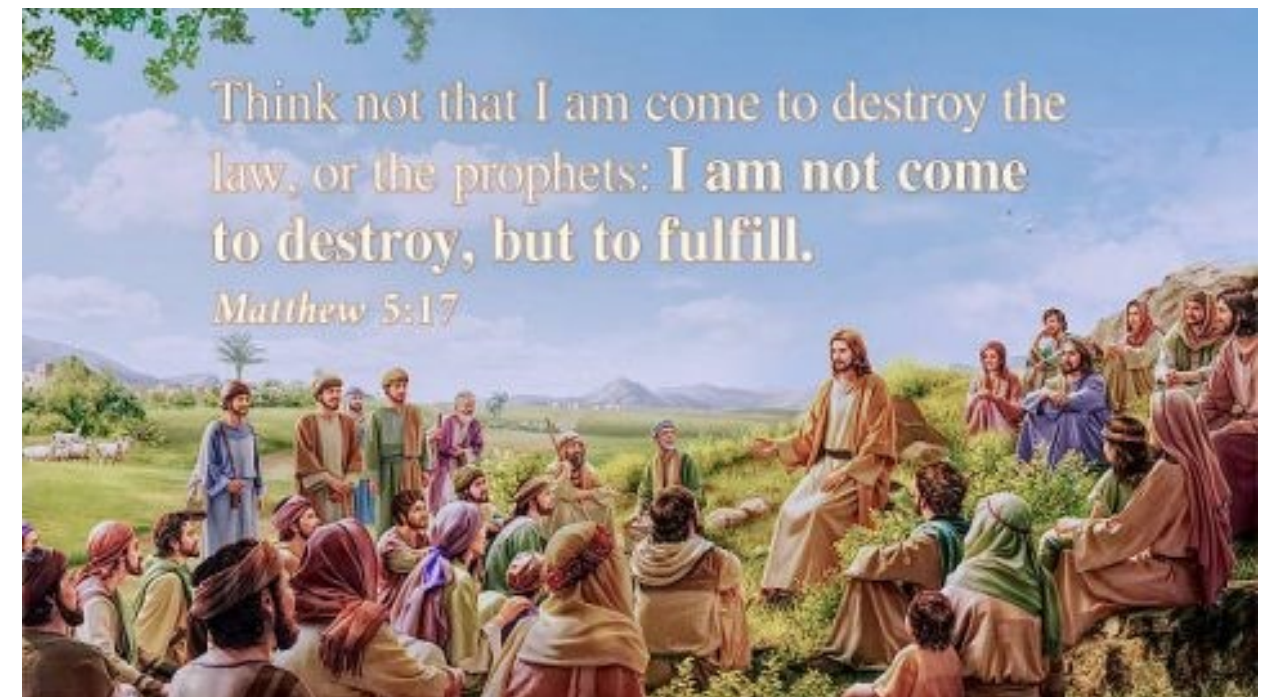
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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 12, 2023



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Mass Intentions

February 11th: Alex Reiter +
by John & Susan Durfee

February 12th: Parishioners of St Andrew
and St Regina

February 19th: Parishioners of St Andrew
and St Regina

CATHOLIC PRAYER CORNER

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come; thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil. Amen.

WEEKLY OFFERING

February 5th

Budget	\$1816
Actual	\$1088
Bldg.	\$236
Short	\$492

Liturgical Ministers

February 19th:

Lector: Eleanor Michie

Server:

Eucharistic Minister: Deacon Moss

Sacristans:

Altar Linens: Sheri Parkinson, Susan Booth

Ushers: Men of the Parish

THE GLORY OF THE DIVINE WAY

Today's readings draw us into ageless, vibrant depths. Followers of God's law, we belong to ancient traditions. Children of God, we marvel at the freshness of creation. The Old Testament readings, from Sirach and the Psalms, celebrate the rich blessings we receive when we observe God's commands—not because we are slaves to the law, but because the law gives life in abundance. Saint Paul's Letter to the Corinthians confirms the glory of divine law, but warns that God's ways tend to be unpopular and misunderstood in this world. Paul speaks of the ancient wisdom of God, which is mysteriously both "hidden" and "revealed." God does not have secret codes that we earthly mortals cannot understand; in love, God reveals the glory of the divine way in Jesus. Saint Matthew's Gospel emphasizes the importance of living in God's law, enlivened by a deep and personal relationship with Jesus.

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OUR FASCINATING FAITH

The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

On February 17 we honor the seven founding saints of the Order of the Servants of the Virgin Mary. Bonfilius, Alexis, Manettus, Amideus, Hugh, Sostene and Buonagiunta were a group of merchants of Florence who, upon experiencing an apparition of the Blessed Virgin in 1233, renounced their businesses, left what was necessary for their families, and distributed the rest among the poor. They then dedicated themselves entirely to the veneration of the Virgin Mary, going to live on an Italian mountain, each assuming the life of a hermit—prayer, extreme fasting and penance. Sometime later, at the request of the pope's delegate, all but one were ordained priests. Brother Alexis, considering himself unworthy of the priesthood, decided to remain as a brother. They were all canonized in 1888. Their feast day, originally February 11, now falls on the 17th, the date of the death of the last of the seven founders. Brother Alexis died at the age of 110.

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TODAY'S READINGS FOR YEAR A

First Reading — God allows us to make choices, but we are not to choose injustice or sinfulness

(Sirach 15:15-20).

Psalm — Happy are those who observe God's commands (Psalm 119).

Second Reading — God's wisdom is mysterious and hidden (1 Corinthians 2:6-10).

Gospel — Jesus has come not to abolish but to fulfill the law and the prophets (Matthew 5:17-37).

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Parishioners

Grant Adams, Chuck Amrhein, Cathy Amrhein,
Lucien Cravens, MaryAnn Maness,

Relatives

Kelli Blankenship, Thomas Blankenship,
Austin Ernst, Emily Ernst, Jackie Donnett,
Andrew Grower, Nicholas Kirkpatrick, Jenny Moore,
Andrew Morlan, Yu Youn Suk, Joe Wall

Friends

Emma Cupples, Ceren James, Sunny Maness, John
Henry Maness, Glen Melton, Fr Robert Ponticello,
Park Mi Kung, Na Song Ae



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Coming Events

Commitment weekend for 2023 Catholic
Appeal is February 18th and 19th.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-21; Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b, 9c-10; Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-15, 18-19; Mk 8:22-26

Thursday: Gn 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mk 8:27-33

Friday: Gn 11:1-9; Ps 33:10-15; Mk 8:34 — 9:1

Saturday: Heb 11:1-7; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Mk 9:2-13

Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48

Mass Schedule



Monday: 11:30am

Tuesday: Communion Service
at 12:30

Wednesday: 11:30am

Thursday: 9:00 am

Friday: 11.30 am

Sunday Vigil: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am



Rite of Christian Initiation
for Adults

R.C.I.A.

February 9th

At 6:00 pm

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Marriage Day;

Abraham Lincoln's Birthday

Tuesday: Ss. Cyril and Methodius; Valentine's
Day

Friday: The Seven Holy Founders of the
Servite Order

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary