St Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church

895 North Broad Street Lexington, TN 38351

Mass Schedule: Saturday Vigil 4:30 PM Weekdays: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 11:30 AM

Sunday 9:00 AM Tuesday: Exposition 6:00 pm, Mass in Spanish 6:30 pm

Thursday 9:00 AM

Reconciliation: 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment.

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday: 8:00 AM to 12:00 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

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

Staff

Pastor: Father Anthony Onyekwe

St Andrew: Administrative Secretary: Mary Alyce Fiechtl

St Regina: Secretary: Pat Humble

Financial Secretary for both Parishes: Mary Alyce Fiechtl

DRE for St Andrew: Lois Freeland DRE for St Regina: Christina Hammond

Maintenance and Grounds for St Andrew: Joey Wall

Maintenance and Grounds for St Regina: Jim Molitor





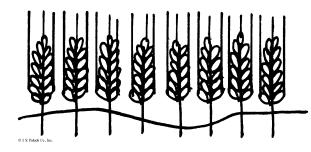
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They that are planted
in the house of the LORD
shall flourish in the courts of our God.
—Psalm 92:14

Mass Intentions

June 16th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

June 23rd: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

WEEKLY OFFERING

June 9th

Budget \$1816 Actual \$1333 Bldg. Repairs \$0 Short \$483

Liturgical Ministers

June 23rd:

Lector: Saturday: Kay Bartel

Sunday: Eleanor Michie, Nick Williams

Server:

Gifts: The Nick Williams Family **Eucharistic Minister:** Heather McKee

Sacristian: Melanie Sadler

Altar Linens: Eleanor Michie, Khuyen Segerson Ushers/Collection: Shawn Wall, Brian Muetze Jr

GOD'S TIME

We either pay attention to or ignore "clock time" as we play in the summer sun and note the earth's tilt and the lengthening days. We live by time. We reckon time in seconds and minutes and hours, or we use broader chunks like suppertime and summertime.

God keeps another sort of time. God speaks to us of "saving time," that is, the time of salvation. This sense of time is called *kairos*, and this time is always now, always present and available, always revealing, often surprising.

This Sunday's readings alert us to the reality and the import of God's time. Ezekiel and the Gospel of Mark remind us that our labor and our plotting and our planning rest in God. For God takes our smallest efforts and makes of them great works. Paul points us to the "harvest" time, urges us to be watchful for its coming, and calls us to recognize that we must spend our time pleasing God.

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FEAST OF FAITH

The Preparation of the Altar

The altar is the focal point of our churches. It is a sign of Christ in our midst; indeed, it has been said that "the altar is Christ" (*Dedication of an Altar*, 4). The altar is a table "on which the sacrifice of the cross is perpetuated in mystery throughout the ages until Christ comes"; but it is also the place for a festive meal: "a table at which the Church's children assemble to give thanks to God and receive the body and blood of Christ" (*Dedication of an Altar*, 4).

Both these functions of the altar are clear in the rites for the preparation of the altar that follow the general intercessions, which remind us of the preparations we make at home for a festive meal. The deacon or altar servers come forward and, bowing, place a cloth known as a corporal (from the Latin for "body") over the altar cloth. They place the chalice, the cup to be used in the celebration of the Eucharist, and the *Sacramentary* or *Roman Missal*, which contains the prayers of the Mass, on the altar. These reverent preparations help us to focus on what is about to happen: the sharing of a holy meal, a solemn sacrifice.

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Special Collection

Peter's Pence

June 30th

TODAY'S READINGS FOR YEAR B

First Reading — I have lifted high the lowly tree (Ezekiel 17:22-24).

Psalm — Lord, it is good to give thanks to you (Psalm 92).

Second Reading — Whether we are at home or away, we aspire to please the Lord (2 Corinthians 5:6 -10)

Gospel — It is the smallest of all seeds, and becomes the largest of plants (Mark 4:26-34)

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Parishioners

Kathy Amrhein, MaryAnn Maness, James Trim

Relatives

Gustavo De Paz

Friends

Pat Refferty

THE CHURCH AND THE SPIRIT

Where the Church is, there is the Spirit of God; and where the Spirit of God is, there is the Church and all grace, and the Spirit is truth.

-St. Irenaeus

Coming Events

On Wednesday, June 19th, the office will be closed for Juneteenth Day.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Kg 21:1-16; Ps 98:1, 2b, 3-4; Mt 5:38-42 Tuesday: 1 Kg 21;17-29; Ps 146:2, 5-9a; Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Kg 2:1, 6-14; Ps 112:1bc-4, 9;

Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Sirach 48:1-14; Ps 111:1b-4, 7-8; Mt 6:7-15 Friday: 2 Kg11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps 34:2-7; Mt 6:19-23 Saturday: 2 Chron 24:17-25; Ps 34:8-13; Mt 6:24-34

Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11; Ps 107:23-26, 28-31;

2 Cor 5:14-17; Mk 4:35-41

Mass Schedule



Monday: 11:30
Tuesday: Adoration at 6:00 and Mass in Spanish at 6:30 pm
Wednesday: 9:00

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Sunday: 9:00 am

Job Opening Starting July, 2024

A secretarial position for a bilingual person will be open July, 2024. This is a part-time position. If you are interested, please bring your resume to the office.

Department of Religious Education is in need of a Confirmation 1 (6th grade) teacher for the 2024-25 school year. It is possible for two teachers to share....one for the first semester and one for second semester. Please see Lois Freeland after 9 am mass or call/text her at 770-714-7167.