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 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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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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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





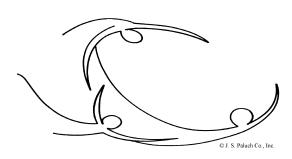
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 30, 2024





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You changed my mourning into dancing;
O LORD, my God,
forever will I give you thanks.

— Psalm 30:13

Mass Intentions

June 29th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

June 30th: Blessings for Luis & Lucia Tobar on their Wedding

July 6th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

July 7th: Blessings for the Tobar Family

JUST THE BEGINNING

The American Revolution was a beginning, not a consummation.

---Woodrow Wilson

Liturgical Ministers

July 7th:

Lector: Saturday: Mark Bartel

Sunday: Kathleen Kirkpatrick, Fatima Plascencia

Server:

Gifts: The Alejandro Gonzales Family

Eucharistic Minister: Johnny Wall, Stephanie

Page, Kathleen Kirkpatrick
Sacristian: Kevin Ernst

Altar Linens: Rayna Howard, Patty Wall Ushers/Collection: Joey Wall, Luis Tobar

JESUS' EXAMPLE OF HELPING OTHERS

In today's second reading Paul offers a wonderful argument to his converts at Corinth for seeking to help those in need. He is dealing with a practical problem, arranging a collection for the poor of the church of Jerusalem; but as he often does, he develops an important teaching about Jesus to make his point.

After asking that they show their faith by generous gifts, he reminds them of the "gracious act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, for your sake he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich" (2 Corinthians 8:9). In the Incarnation our Lord assumed our human nature, certainly becoming poor for one who is God. The ultimate gracious act of this poverty was going to the cross with all its terrible sufferings. By this act of poverty we definitely become rich. Now our sins can be forgiven; we can share in the very life of God through the sacraments; we can attain eternal salvation!

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FEAST OF FAITH

The Collection: A Privilege

As the altar is prepared for the celebration of the Eucharist, the collection is taken up. In the early church, this part of the Mass must have been something to behold, as the people suddenly began to move, bringing forward to the deacons and priests freshly-baked bread and fine wine. Then, after the Eucharistic Prayer, that same community came forward again in the Communion procession, and they received back the very gifts they had given, now transformed into something infinitely more precious than bread and wine: the very Body and Blood of Christ.

Beginning around the eleventh century, it became the custom for people to present money instead of bread and wine, and the procession of the faithful gradually disappeared (it survives in the liturgy of Holy Thursday). But the meaning is the same. We continue to bring the fruit of our labors and to offer them freely to God. And God continues to transform them into Christ. It is through our generous sharing of time, talent, and treasure that our parishes can preach the gospel, reach out to the sick and the imprisoned, and celebrate the sacraments.

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.

TODAY'S READINGS FOR YEAR B

First Reading — God did not make death, nor does God rejoice in the destruction of the living (Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24).

Psalm — I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me (Psalm 30).

Second Reading — Your abundance should supply the needs of the others (2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15).

Gospel — Your faith has saved you (Mark 5:21-43 [21-24, 35b-43]).

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Parishioners

Kathy Amrhein, MaryAnn Maness, James Trim

Relatives

Gustavo De Paz, Salvador Valdivia

Friends

Pat Refferty

Coming Events

The office will be closed on Thursday, July 4th.
Parish Council will meet on Monday, July 8th,

at 6:00 pm.

WEEKLY OFFERING

June 23rd

Budget \$1816 Actual \$1186 Bldg. Repairs \$0 Short \$630



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Amos 2:6-10, 13-16; Ps 50; Mt 8:18-22 Tuesday: Amos 3:1-8; 4:11-12; Ps 5; Mt 16:13-19

Wednesday: Ep 2:19-22; Ps 117; John 20:24-29 Thursday: Amos 7:10-17; Ps 19; Mt 9:1-8

Friday: Amos 8:4-6, 9-12; Ps 119; Mt 9:9-13 Saturday: Amos 9:11-15: Ps 85: Mt9:14-17

Sunday: Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a

Mass Schedule



Monday: 11:30

Tuesday: Adoration at 6:00 and Mass

in Spanish at 6:30 pm Wednesday: 11:30

Thursday: 9:00 am
Friday: at 11:30
Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am

Medjugorje 25th of the month message

"Dear children! I rejoice with you and thank God for permitting me to be with you, to lead you and love you. Little children, peace is in danger and the family is under attack. I am calling you, little children: return to prayer in the family. Put Sacred Scripture in a visible place and read it every day. Love God above all that it may be good for you on earth. Thank you for having responded to my call."

FOUNDING PRINCIPLES

Equal rights for all, special privileges for none.

—Thomas Jefferson

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.