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

Bilingual Secretary: Monday and Thursday 8:00 AM to 12:00 AM; Tuesday 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

Email: finsecstandrew@outlook.com Bilingual Secretary: secretarystandrew@outlook.com

Website: saintandrewcatholicchurch.org Facebook:

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 Website: streginacatholicchurch.org

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

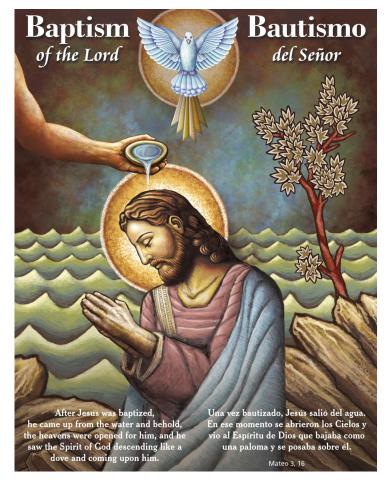
Bilingual Secretary for St Andrew the Apostle: Carmen McDaniel

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





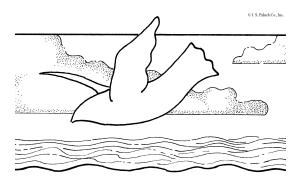
The Baptism
of the Lord
January 12, 2025





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He saved us through the bath of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit.

— Titus 3:5

Mass Intentions

January 11th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

January 12th: Lark Cotton + and Family By Mr and Mrs LeRoy Howard

January 18th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

January 19th: Lark Cotton+ and Family By Mr and Mrs LeRoy Howard

National Collection

Collection for the Church in Latin America

January 26, 2025

Liturgical Ministers

January 19th:

Lector: Saturday: Mark Bartel Sunday: Eleanor Michie, Luis Tobar Gifts: The Brian Muetze Family

Eucharistic Minister: Heather McKee, Joey

Wall, Patricia Hudson **Sacristans:** Melanie Sadler

Altar Linens: Rayna Howard, Patty Wall **Ushers/Collection:** Joey Wall, Jose Palomino

Collection Counters: Jim Freeland.

Luis Tobar

BAPTISMAL DEATH AND RESURRECTION

As we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord, we also honor our own baptism as our initiation into the Christian life and community. In the Gospel, the baptism of Jesus, with his immersion and then emergence from the water, points to his later submission to God at his death, and his emergence from the grave at his resurrection. This pattern of death and resurrection is our path too, as followers of Jesus. Throughout life, often in small ways, we learn to surrender our limited and self-centered agendas. This surrender often feels like death. The sacrament of Baptism ritually enacts this pattern to remind us of Jesus' death and resurrection, so that we too might embrace the deaths and resurrections of our own lives. As Jesus emerged from the water, he encountered his Father and the Holy Spirit. Like Jesus, we can know we are God's beloved, empowered by the Spirit.

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WEEKLY OFFERING	
January 5, 2025	
Budget	\$2287
Actual	\$7599
Bldg.	\$ 275
Over	\$5587

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

The Baptism of the Lord

Almighty ever-living God,

who, when Christ had been baptized in the River Jordan

and as the Holy Spirit descended upon him,

solemnly declared him your beloved Son,

grant that your children by adoption,

reborn of water and the Holy Spirit,

may always be well pleasing to you.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,

who lives and reigns with you

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

God, for ever and ever.

If you have an emergency while father is on vacation. Please contact St Mary's Catholic Church in Jackson, telephone # 731-668-2596.

TODAY'S READINGS Year C

First Reading — Isaiah speaks of the Servant whom the Lord upholds; he shall bring forth justice to the nations

(Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7) or Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11.

Psalm — The Lord will bless his people with peace

(Psalm 29) or Psalm 104.

Second Reading — Jesus was anointed by God with the Holy Spirit; he went out healing and doing good

(Acts 10:34-38) or Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7.

Gospel — A voice comes from heaven proclaiming Jesus as the beloved Son, with whom God is well pleased

(Luke 3:15-16, 21-22).

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Parishioners

Chuck and Kathy Amrhein, Gigi Lui, Dora Magana, MaryAnn Maness, Eleanor Michie, Deacon Jim Moss, James Trim

Relatives

Jeronimo Davalos, Patti Harden, Gail Jowers, Gustavo De Paz, Polly Scott, Salvador Valdivia, Judy Wall, Emily Whitten

Friends

Oscar Diebold, Lauren Lewis, Andrew Morlan, Danny Pratt, Pat Rafferty, Allan Shipp, Eileen Weaver

> Our Lady of Medjugorje's December 25, 2024 Message through Visionary Jakov

"Today, on this day of grace, in a special way I am calling you not to live a life striving for earthly goals and not to seek peace and joy in earthly things, because in this way darkness takes over your life and you do not see the meaning of your life. Little children, open the doors of your hearts to Jesus, permit Him to take over your entire life so that you may begin to live in God's love and mercy. My children, only with Jesus in your hearts will you come to know the true goal of your life and long for eternal salvation. I am blessing you with my motherly blessing."

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97; G Mark 1:14-20

Tuesday: Heb 2: 5-12; Ps 8:2ab; G Mark 1:21-28 Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105; G Mark 1:29-39

Thursday: Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95: 6-7c; G Mark 1:40-45

Friday: Heb 4:1-5,11; Ps 92; G Mark 2:1-21 Saturday: Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19; G Mark 2:13-17

Sunday: Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-2,2-3,7-8,9-10; G John 2:1-11

Mass Schedule



Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm Sunday: 9:00 am

There will be no weekday Mass during the month of January.
While Father is on vacation.

Coming Events

Mary Alyce will be out of the office Monday
January 13th through Friday January 17th.

Due to a conflict, Mary Alyce will be out of the
office Tuesday January 21st, but will be in the office
on January 23rd.

January 20th: The office will be closed, for Martin Luther King Day.

Knights of Columbus and Catholic men of
St Andrew and St Regina Informational Meeting
and Potluck Dinner, Saturday February 15th after
4:30 Mass. Flyer with more information on the
bulletin board in Narthex.

St Andrew the Apostle Ladies Guild Chili Day Fundraiser Friday January 24th from 11am-1pm

Eat in or take out. \$8 a serving, Crackers, Dessert and Beverage included.

Sign up sheets on the table in the Narthex.