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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday : 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 8:30 a.m. & 11:15 a.m.
Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday—Thursday 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. or
by appointment.

MARRIAGES:

Must be scheduled with the Priest
at least 6 months in advance.

MORNING ROSARY:

8:30 a.m. before Mass.

MONDAYS:

Miraculous Medal Novena following Mass.

EVERY FIRST FRIDAY:

Novena To The Sacred Heart
of Jesus - before 9 a.m. Mass.
Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

HOLY HOUR OF ADORATION:

Third Sunday of every month at 7:00 p.m.
Exposición del Santísimo el segundo Miércoles
de cada mes @ 7:30 p.m.

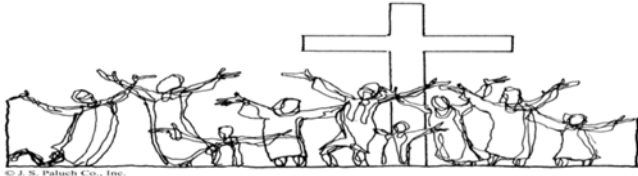
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

August through May. Ages 3 yrs. through
High School.

Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church

*Saturday, August 24 2019
Mass 5:00 pm*

*Sunday, August 25, 2019
Masses 8:30 am & 11:15 am*



*Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 25, 2019*

Strengthen your drooping hands and your weak knees. Make straight paths for your feet, that what is lame may not be disjointed but healed. — *Hebrews 12:12-13*



August 26 – Sept. 1

Monday: Art DiMattia by KOC12270 †
Tuesday: Jan Luis Serrano Ramos by J. Ramos †
Wednesday:
Thursday: Msgr. Eugene O'Connor by Fr. Bill Lucas †
Friday: Hazel Waldon by Jerry & Brenda Kern †
Saturday: John Michael by KOC 12270 †
Sunday:

****Sunday's Mass Intentions are offered at the 11:15 am Mass****

Please pray for the ill and shut-ins:

Paul Boyle, Crystal Welford, Jacky Johnson, Nicki Brasfield, Peggy Gessler, Gail Layton, Tom Michaels, Cecil Rodgers, Daniel Centilli, Teresa Wolf, Diana Markevich, Dorothy DiMattia, Walton Smith, Juanita Crowson, Kelly Dale, Glenda Marston, Betty Huetteman, Yolie Roy.

Please pray for all our loved ones who are ill and our shut-ins. To add a name, call the church office; or to add to the Prayer Hot Line call Sharon Stice at 205-338-0207, or email: sharonstice46@gmail.com.

Weekly Readings ~ August 26—Sept. 1

Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-6; Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-12ab; Mt 23:27-32

Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 71:1-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab, 17; Mk 6:17-29

Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1, 2b, 5-6, 10-12; Mt 25:1-13

Saturday: 1 Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Mt 25:14-30

Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-7, 10-11; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14

Today's Readings



First Reading — Brothers and sisters of every race and language will be brought to Jerusalem. (Isaiah 66:18-21)

Psalm — Go out to all the world and tell the Good News. (Psalm 117)

Second Reading — Strengthen your drooping hands and your weak knees. (Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13)

Gospel — People from east and west, north and south recline at table in the kingdom of God. (Luke 13:22-30)

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WELCOME THE STRANGER

We have become accustomed to seeing pictures in the media and stories on the news about immigrants from Latin America and refugees from Syria fleeing violence and destruction in their own countries, trying to make their way to a safe place. We have also seen the reactions of people who want to keep them away from their countries, who fail to welcome the stranger and the helpless children. Have we forgotten Jesus' call to comfort the homeless and the stranger? "They shall bring all your brothers and sisters from all the nations . . . to Jerusalem, my holy mountain, says the LORD."

In the three readings for this day, we are told that we are to welcome these strangers, to welcome the discipline of the Lord, which leads to peace, and to "strive to enter through the narrow gate" into the glory of God's own homeland, the reign of God.

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September 3rd

RCIA will begin!

There are sign-up sheets in both foyers and postcards to send to anyone you know that wants to learn more about the Catholic faith.

Call Sonya Lewis in the office for more information. 205-525-5161



Sunday - August 25

Mass 8:30 & 11:15am

RE 9:45am-11:00am

David the King Study 9:45am

Monday- August 26

Mass 9:00 am

*Legion of Mary

David the King Study 7:00pm

KOC Meetings 6:00-7:00pm

Tuesday- August 27

Mass 9:00 am

Wednesday- August 28

Mass—7:00 pm

Thursday- August 29

Mass 9:00 am

Friday- August 30

Mass 9:00 am

Saturday- August 31

Mass 5:00pm

Reconciliation 3:30 -5:00pm



Sunday - September 1

Mass 8:30 & Youth Mass 11:15am

No RE

No Sr. Youth



**All are
Welcome**

Weekly Offertory

July 2019 — June 2020

	Actual*	Needed
Last Week	\$ 5,560.44	\$ 6,692.00
Year to Date	\$ 55,252.86	\$ 46,844.00

*Please note the actual total includes Seminarian Fund, Building Fund & Special Collections which are not part of the general operating budget.



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Council meetings are open to all parishioners, and are typically on the third Wed. of the month after Mass.



The Love Pantry

The Love Pantry has requested that we bring cans of soup each week to help meet the needs of our Community.

Goal -100 cans/week.

Total cans last week – 130 cans.

Please consider donating \$1 per week!

Want to get closer to each other and God?



Find out how on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend! This is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones, and focus attention on each other. If you'd like greater depth, growth and enrichment in your relationship you'll like the difference a WME Weekend can make.

The next weekend in the diocese is scheduled in Cullman, Oct. 18-20 at St. Bernard Abbey. You can get more information or register online at **www.ALFL-wwme.org** or by calling Barney & Kathy Bellard at **205-530-3607**

JOB OPENINGS

We need someone to clean the church and office on a weekly basis. This is a part-time position requiring 5 hours per week, plus occasional cleaning following mid-week events at the church. If you are interested, please contact Father Bill at the office.

 **Schedule of Confessions** 

**Beginning Labor Day Weekend,
The monthly schedule for
Confessions will be as follows:**

Every Saturday from 4:00-4:50pm

**During Eucharistic Adoration
First Friday from 9:30 –11:00am**

Second Wednesday 7:30 –8:30pm

Third Sunday 7:00-8:00pm

**You may also schedule a
Confession with Fr. Bill by calling
the church office at 205-525-5161**



*Save
the
Date*



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**Tuesday, October 1st thru
Saturday, October 5th**

**We will be taking pictures
for a new church directory!**

**Please put this on your calendar!
We are using a new Christian
based company.**

**Watch the bulletin during August for info
on how to schedule your photo.**

Assignments—August 28~ September 1

WEDNESDAY **8/28/2019**

7:00 PM

Altar Servers Susan Moseley
Lectors Charmaine Welch

SATURDAY MASS **8/31/2019**

5:00 PM

Altar Servers Marty Poteracki, James Raynor
Greeters Kathy Shivers, Rita Rumore
Lectors Sonia Dale, Sara Reese
Ministers Deacon, Jim Dale, Tom Graffo
Ushers Mark McRae, Neil Carden,
Clayton Martin

SUNDAY MASS **9/1/2019**

8:30 AM

Altar Servers Carson Falkner, Will Thomaston, Matthew Emerick
Greeters Bob & LouElla Menafee, Francie & Sophie Poteracki
Lectors Gannon Osborn, Carey Monistere
Ministers Deacon, Ronnie Gagliano, Teri Gagliano, Michael Gagliano, Carly Gagliano
Ushers Michael Gagliano, Paul Emerick, Herb Kuntz, Jim Gorman

11:15 AM

Altar Servers Brennan & Amy Cardenas, Destiny Markevich
Greeters Kendall Perry, Karter & Keller Perry
Lectors Thalia Mann, Troy Rosato
Ministers Deacon, Ryan Murphree, Jimillia Sayles, Martha Hayes, Wayne Adams
Ushers Chris Gallegly, Larry Foltz, Jeanne Macon, Ron Markevich

**If you are unable to keep your assignment,
please find a substitute.**



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Adult Education Bishop Barron's David the King

The series will be 6 one hour sessions presented Sundays between Masses and on Monday nights at 7:00pm for those unable to make the Sunday sessions.

Dates are as follows:

- Aug. 25, 26 -The Law of the Gift (1)
- Sept. 8,9 -Your Servant is Listening (2)
- Sept.15,16—Warrior of God (3)
- Sept. 22,23—Gathered in Jerusalem (4)
- Sept. 29,30—House of David (5)
- Oct. 6,7—Absolom, My Son! (6)

Little Ones

K4—2nd Grade

Contact Jackie Summar
(205) 405-7825

2nd Sunday 12:30—2:30pm

Junior Youth

3rd—6th Grade

Contact Jordan Rawson
(205) 863-5787

2nd Sunday 12:30—2:30pm

Senior Youth

7th—12th Grade

Contact Carly Gagliano
(205)837-8888

September 8

Jr. Youth & Little Ones
12:30—2:30pm

September 15

Sr. Youth
5:30—8:00pm

Parish School of Religion Religious Education Dates to Remember!

August 25—RE 9:45am-11:00am

Adult Ed—David the King 9:45-11:00am

August 26—Adult Ed. David the King 7pm

September 1—NO RE, Youth Mass 11:15a
No Sr. Youth

RE Soup Drive

August 18—September 29

Goal 1,500 Total 130



September 3—RCIA 7:00pm

September 8—RE 9:45-11:00am

Adult Ed—David the King 9:45-11am

Sept. 9—Adult Ed. David the King
7:00pm

September 10—RCIA 7:00pm

September 15—RE 9:45am-11:00am

Adult Ed. David the King 9:45-11am

Catechetical Sunday 11:15am

Picnic 12:30pm—Lakeside Park

Sr. Youth 5:30-8:00pm

Holy Hour 7:00-8:00pm

September 16—Adult Ed David the
King 7:00pm

September 17—RCIA 7:00pm

Back to School Prayer

Dear Lord,

Please guard our children's hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. Help them focus and learn this year. Give them favor with their teachers and peers. And help them make godly friends and be a godly friend. Amen.

**KEEP
CALM
AND GO TO
YOUTH
GROUP**

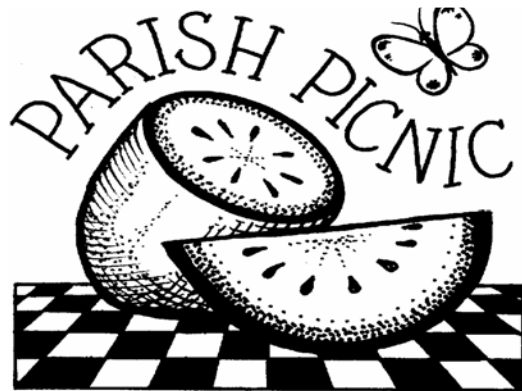
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Knights of Columbus Council
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for the Labor Day holiday.

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**Sunday
September 15**

**Lakeside Park
Pavilion #2**

12:30pm

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