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MASS: SUNDAY 8:15 & 10:45 A.M. & 5:00 P.M.

TUESDAY 6:30 A.M.; WEDNESDAY 6:30 P.M.

RECONCILIATION: FIRST FRIDAY 5:00-6:15 P.M.

October 11, 2009 – Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pam Minninger, *Lay Ecclesial Minister*
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PASTORAL COUNCIL - Jo Dillon, Craig Endris, Paul Guillory, Gene Rogers, Jane Turbeville and Stephanie Word
FINANCE COUNCIL – Eddie Adkins, Jeannie Barrier, Anthony Fertitta, Charles Strong, Dennis Strong and Judy Varney

MINISTRIES OF EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS (8:15) Duane & Felecia Stevens (10:45) Doc & Sue Toups
(10/18) (8:15) Dennis & Judy Strong (10:45) Tricia Williams & Joe Best
LECTORS (8:15) David Flood & Denise Forsythe (10:45) Paul Guillory & Pete Weisenberger
(10/18) (8:15) Laurissa Henderson & Bill Heller (10:45) Joe Best & Barbara Clark
SERVERS (8:15) Macey Endris & Joni Pittman (10:45) Alex McMillan & John David Bishop
(10/18) (8:15) Lexie Iles & Abigail Pitre (10:45) Melissa Rogers & Tori Browning
HOSPITALITY (8:15) David & Lori Flood (10:45) Dustin & Amy Pittman
(10/18) (8:15) Joe & Margret Jones (10:45) Tom & Angie Gerrets
VOCATION PRAYERS (8:15) David & Mona Cobb (10:45) Cris & Jackie Dockery
(10/18) (8:15) David & Lori Flood (10:45) Tom & Angie Gerrets
USHERS (8:15) Dennis Strong & Glenn Wilson (10:45) Joe Best & Rich Mihal
(10/18) (8:15) Billy Endris & David Flood (10:45) Doc Toups & Pete Weisenberger

COLLECTION October 4 General Fund: \$6896.00 Building Fund: \$1035.00 Our Daily Bread: \$31.00

PLEASE PRAY for members of our parish, our families and friends who are in need of prayer, especially Lenora Aulenbrock, Mary Schmidt, Clay Pruden, Eleanor Lipnick, Stephen O'Brien, Kathryn Williams, Nicole Marquez, Will Graves, Carrie Maniscalco, Tom Stoltz, Doris Degenhardt, Nancy Dorman, Rose Marks, Myrtis Hearn, Rosemary Tisdale, Kara Price, Mike Burns, Lou Moran, David Guillory, Thomas Guillory, Bobbye Imbrogulio, Mike Minninger, Daniel Gonzales and our loved ones serving in the military; Jim Sisson (Iraq), Will Weisenberger, Jr. (Iraq).

REMINDER NO SUNDAY SCHOOL TODAY: Classes resume Oct. 18
KC LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING: Monday, Oct. 12, 6:30 p.m., Parish Hall
LADIES SCRIPTURE STUDY GROUP: Tuesday, 10:00 a.m., Parish Hall
NO TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY MASSES THIS WEEK
SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY, OCT. 18: Propagation of the Faith
MASS SUNDAY, Oct. 18: 5:00 p.m. (intention †Anna Lee Howard)

OUR DIOCESAN SEMINARIAN THIS WEEK IS Scott Thomas: Contact Scott with your prayers and best wishes at his e-mail: scott1984@ymail.com. Our seminarians need and appreciate your continued prayers!!

THE MONTH OF OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH: The Knights of Columbus will lead the Rosary before the morning Masses every Sunday morning during the month of October.

PLEASE NOTE – We will not have Mass at St. Joseph this **Tues., Oct. 13 or Wed., Oct. 14** - Pam & Fr. Kevin will be out of town at the Diocesan Convocation.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN – Every registered family should be receiving an invitation to attend one of several receptions being held to provide the latest information on our building project. At these receptions, in addition to good food & fellowship, you will have the opportunity to see all of the proposed plans for the project and view a very short DVD prepared for the Capital Campaign. There will also be ample opportunity for questions and feedback from you. You will receive a packet of materials to take home with all of the information you need to begin your prayerful consideration of your commitment to this project. I encourage you all to make every effort to attend one of these important receptions.

GERMANFEST – PLEASE RETURN YOUR UNSOLD TICKETS AND TICKET MONEY – If you haven't already done so, PLEASE turn in your ticket money and unsold tickets. Also, any **RECEIPTS FOR REIMBURSEMENTS** need to be turned in immediately so that a final accounting can be made.

RCIA CLASSES HAVE BEGUN BUT IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN THE INQUIRY GROUP. Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic Church? Are you un-baptized but recognize a need for spirituality in your life? Are you baptized Catholic or baptized into another religion but never received any formal religious education or additional sacraments? Are you married to a Catholic and attend Mass but just don't know what the next step is to become one of the Catholic faithful? Are you yearning for something more in your life? CLASS BEGINS AT 6:00 p.m. each Sunday IN THE PARISH HALL. Contact Pam in the Parish Office, (601) 856-2054.

CYO "THAT'S MY PAN" FUNDRAISER: Our St. Joseph CYO members will be selling monogrammed cake pans, brownie pans, pie pans, cutting boards, recipe boxes, and utensil sets. These items make great Christmas gifts! Please see a CYO Youth for details...

ATTENTION ALL CURSILLISTAS: The city-wide Ultreya is this Wednesday, Oct. 14, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at St. Francis of Assisi – Madison in St. Thomas Hall. Come be a blessing and receive a blessing! Contact Steve Thomas with any questions: (601) 853-2751.

GRILLIN' FOR LIFE needs your help – We need pies, cakes, breads, cookies or whatever your specialty is for the **BAKE SALE BOOTH** on Fri., Oct. 16 or Sat., Oct 17. If baking is not your forte', we need help in the booth. This year's event will be held at the Madison Cultural Center on Hwy. 51 & Main St. in Madison. If you can help with baking or sales, please contact Janice Clark at (601) 540-7481.

THE CARMELITE GIFT SHOP IS READY FOR CHRISTMAS! The trees are beautifully decorated with NEW ornaments. New shipments just arrived for your Christmas gift giving. Come early for best selection. Emanuele Fontanini will be here to sign your nativity figures on Nov. 14 from 2-5 pm. Hours: Mon-Fri, 9 am - 4 pm, Sat 11 am – 3 pm, 2155 Terry Rd., Jackson. (601) 373-3412.

A DAY WITH MARY & MARTHA: The Cathedral of St. Peter the Apostle's Mary & Martha Circle is sponsoring a Catholic Women's retreat Saturday, November 14, 2009. For more information contact Michelle Vidrine at Michelle70114@me.com.

YOU ARE INVITED to a morning musical program by David Marchetti, tenor, and Frances Nelson, pianist. The recital will be at the Municipal Art Gallery in Jackson on Wednesday, October 14 at 10:00 a.m. The public is invited and refreshments will follow.

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL – If you plan to attend the MS State Fair, please enter through Gate 7 (across from Dennery's). This is the St. Joseph Gate, and a percentage of the gate fees will go to support our programs. For more information, contact (601) 898-4800.

ST. ANTHONY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE will be on **Sunday, October 25 at 2:00 p.m.** Anyone considering enrolling their child at St. Anthony will want to attend the Open House in order to have priority enrollment consideration. We offer classes for children in grades K4 – 6th grade. Come find out what St. Anthony Catholic School can offer your family!

ST. ANTHONY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL – MADISON will host its **2009 Starry Night Gala** on Saturday, Dec. 12, from 7p.m. until midnight. Tickets are \$125 which includes admission for two, a chance to win cash prizes, great food, complimentary bar, dance band and live & silent auctions. Tickets purchased before Oct. 15 will receive free ticket insurance. (After Oct. 15, ticket insurance will cost an additional \$25.) To purchase tickets contact Amanda Williams at amandawilliams1@bellsouth.net.

The Diocese of Jackson is committed to ensuring that children being served by the Church are not at risk of sexual abuse by church personnel. The spiritual well being of all victims, their families and others in the community is of particular concern to the Church. In accordance with our policy, all victims of abuse are offered counseling and pastoral care.

Anyone who has been a victim of abuse by Church personnel and has not yet reported the abuse is encouraged to come forward and do so. Our Victim Assistance Coordinator is available to assist in making a report. For more information, please visit the diocesan website at www.jacksondiocese.org and click on "Protecting God's Children".