Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am and 10:30 am

Tuesday 8:00 am Wednesday 6:00 pm Thursday 8:00 am

First Friday Mass 8:00am

Holy Days

8:00 am and 6:00 pm

Exposition and Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday (with Praise and Worship) 5:00-6:00pm Thursday (with Rosary) 8:30-9:30 am
First Thursday (with Rosary) 8:30am-5:00pm First Friday (with Rosary) 8:30-9:30am

Reconciliation 30 mins before each Mass, Wednesday 5-5:30pm

<u>Marriage</u>: See Father six months prior to wedding <u>Baptism</u>: See Father one month prior to Baptism

Upcoming Dates to Remember

Dec 5	Penance Service St Joseph's Prattville 6pm
Dec 7	Vigil Mass for The Immaculate Conception 6pm
	Knights of Columbus dinner following Mass

- Dec 8 Mass for the Immaculate Conception 8am Community Chorus Christmas Concert 7pm THS Auditorium
- Dec 11 Collection for Retired Religious
- Dec 12 Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass 6pm
- Dec 13 Penance Service St. Joseph's Tuskegee 6pm THS Choir & Band Concert 7 pm THS Gymnasium
- Dec 14 Penance Service at St. Vincent's 6:30pm
- Dec 15 Penance Service at St. Michael's Auburn 6pm Southside Middle School Band Concert 7 pm SMS Gymnasium
- Dec 24 Vigil Masses for the Nativity of our Lord 5pm and 8pm

Dec 25 Mass for the Nativity of our Lord 8am

Holy Day of Obligation

The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Vigil Mass Wednesday at 6pm Holy Day Mass Thursday 8am

Mass of Our Lady of Guadalupe

(not obligatory)
December 12 at 6pm

2016 Stewardship Report

Yearly Budget	\$ 153,272.00
Budget to Date	\$ 138,533.91
Needed Weekly	\$ 2,947.53
Sunday Collections:	\$ 155,401.00
Collection last week	\$ 3,160.00
Fr Lynch Seminarian Fund	\$ 50,439.65
ACTS food baskets	\$ 630.00

Knights of Columbus Christmas Dinner after Mass THIS Wednesday evening

Date Time	Lectors	Gifts	Ushers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Dec 10	Phil Sharpe	Emenhizer	Brian Schmidt	Marsha Chambliss	Ethan, Olivia,
5pm	Ben Walker		Jack Johnston	Elizabeth Harbin	Joseph
Dec 11	Marsha Lushington	Campbell	Mark Cotter	John Henfey	Ivy, Miriam,
8am	Vivian Cooper		Scott Chambliss	Mary Lacey	Danielle
Dec 11	Tim Bianchi	Harper	Sam Barlet	Michele Smith	Harrison, Henry,
10:30am	Mary Hanna		Andy Lacey	Pat Celka	Amelia Kate

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December 4, 2016 Second Sunday of Advent



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La Misa en Español Con Padre Orlando

4 de Diciembre, 4:00pm

Reconciliación 3:45pm

Social después de la Misa

Pray for our Nation
Pray for World Peace
Pray for our Military

OUR LIFE'S JOURNEY

an outreach of St. Vincent de Paul Church, airs Sunday mornings from 8:00-8:30am on WACQ-AM 580 and FM 101.1.

Streaming audio is available on the TuneIn app on your cellular phone or by directing your browser to www.wacqradio.com,

Today: Love and Marriage December 11 - Christianity vs. Islam Part 1

where you will click "Listen Live".

Stewardship reminder

Please remember to return your Stewardship of Time and Talent sheet, as well as your Stewardship of Treasure card. You can drop them in the basket in the vestibule, or put them in the mail slot on Jan's office door.

<u>Christmas Concert with</u> <u>Marc Karam and the Two Hearts Chorale</u>

Friday December 9 7-8pm Holy Spirit Catholic Church 8570 Vaughn Road, Montgomery

Concert is free. It will be a multi-cultural and multi-lingual event of beauty in music and song.

Religious Goods Store

Advent Candles Christmas Ornaments Rosaries

New gift products (tote bags, mugs, etc)

Books

 The Religious Goods Store is in the foyer of the Sister Janet Budde Building

Tallassee Rehab offers mid-day water aerobics class every Tuesday and Thursday from 12-12:45. For more info, contact Tallassee Rehab at 283-8032 or Nela Godwin at 252-0615. The cost is \$35/month

ACTS Christmas program

- **Food Boxes** are \$30 this year. Make checks payable to ACTS with "Christmas Food Box" on the memo line. Drop them in the collection plate and we will deliver it to them.
- Toy drive: We will start collecting toys next week for ACTS. There will be an "Angel Tree" set up in the Budde Building for you to choose the age child you would like to help. Bring your new, unwrapped toys to the Budde Building no later than December 4.

Advent Penance Services

Dec 5	St. Joseph's Prattville	6:00pm
Dec 13	St. Joseph's Tuskegee	6:00pm
Dec 14	St. Vincent's	6:30pm
Dec 15	St. Michael's Auburn	6:00pm

Fr. Mateusz and Fr. Norbert will be hearing Confessions at Tallassee, Tuskegee, and Auburn.

Prayer for a Good Confession

Come Holy Spirit into my soul. Enlighten my mind that I may know the sins I ought to confess, and grant me Your grace to confess them fully, humbly and with contrite heart. Help me to firmly resolve not to commit them again. O Blessed Virgin, Mother of my Redeemer, mirror of innocence and sanctity, and refuge of penitent sinners, intercede for me through the Passion of Your Son, that I may obtain the grace to make a good confession. All you blessed Angels and Saints of God. pray for me, a most miserable sinner, that I may repent from my evil ways, that my heart may henceforth be forever united with yours in eternal love. Amen.

DecemberMonth of the Divine Infancy

<u>Holy Father's Prayer</u> <u>Intentions for December</u>

Universal: End to Child-Soldiers

That the scandal of child-soldiers may be eliminated the world over.

Evangelization: Europe

That the peoples of Europe may rediscover the beauty, goodness, and truth of the Gospel which gives joy and hope to life.

Pray for Father Lynch and all Vincentians

Respect Life: "Pope Francis invites us to understand more deeply our relationship with God, one another, and the rest of creation, and to live accordingly. 'Everything is connected,' he reminds us. ~ "Serene Attentiveness to God's Creation," USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

We pray that God may move us to act with tenderness and compassion for the most vulnerable.

Pray for the Conversion of Abortionists and for healing for women who have had abortions.

St. Vincent de Paul, Pray for Us.

Pray for the needs of others

Sue Dobbs, Phil Hanna, Pat & Donna Walsh, Bonnie McCauley, Lynn Meadows, Sylvia Melton, and all who are ill and in need of Christ's healing.

Pray for our beloved dead

Betty McCauley, and Mary Ann Pappas that they may enjoy the peace of our Risen Lord

Pray for Father Lynch

The gift of your love in the form
of a card would be greatly appreciated
by our former pastor.
Father Francis Lynch
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500 East Chelton Avenue
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Sunday Reflection

"Therefore, every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire." Matthew 3:10

Do you bear good fruit for Christ? Or, do you spend your time, talent and treasure constantly acquiring more toys, clutter and junk. Our time, our talent and our treasure are gifts that God has given us. What we do with them is our gift back to God. What gifts are you planning to give to the Lord during this upcoming Christmas season?

Pray for Vocations

Pray for Seminarians, especially Jack Chambliss from our parish

Jack's Address at Seminary Jack Chambliss 75376 River Road St. Benedict, LA 70457 POB 444