

November 24, 2024

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS OUR HOMEBOUND, HOSPITALIZED AND RECUPERATING MEMBERS: Patricia Bailey (daughter of Cornelia Jones), George Belton Sr., Samuel Philip Bess (son of Faye Bess), Jacqueline Brown (mother of Shameka Simien), Vanessa Cotton (sister of Kenny Cotton), Mechelle Dunning, Darrien Elmore. Rosi Ervin, Albertine Green, John Hill, Mrs. Marie Jackson, Joyce Johnson, Mary Pat Johnson, Cornelia Jones, Ola Mae Kilgore, Charlotte Lee, James Lee (husband of Charlotte Lee), Rose Lewis, Clemons McClain (son of Rosi Ervin), Mike Miller, Cynthia Mitchell (Daughter of Cornelia Jones), Keith Moore, Ruthie Player, Doris Qualls (sister of Debra Bridges), Pat Robinson, Linda Schiele, Bobby Scott (husband of Shivaran Scott), Jay Sepulvado, Lori Sepulvado, Thelma Shaw, Gail Smith (sister of Debra Bridges), Loren Straughter (son of Ola Mae Kilgore), Alice Threats, Hazel Toney (Mother of Pat Robinson), Glenda Faye Turner (sister of Evelyn Body), Demetrius White (nephew of Leona Lewis), Cordae Williams, Juanita Williams (daughter of Bernice Allen) and Roy C. Williams.

NEXT SUNDAY IS THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT and we will have the Rite of Acceptance for our Catechumens and Candidates for this year as they prepare to join the Church at the Easter Vigil.

THE FALL FUND DRIVE will officially end on November 30. Each household is asked to contribute \$200. Your generosity is deeply needed and appreciated. When making a Fall Pledge Drive donation, please put it in any envelope and clearly marked for the Fall Pledge or put the Fall Pledge note in the memo part of the check.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT BY OUR WONDERFUL CHOIR will be held on Sunday, December 8 at 3:00 p.m. Invite family and friends to join you.

THANKSGIVING MASS will be celebrated on Wednesday, November 27 at 6:00 p.m. Therefore, there will not be a Mass at 4:00 p.m. that Wednesday.

OUACHITA CATHOLIC WOMEN'S ADVENT RETREAT: "LOVE IS THE ONLY WAY BACK HOME". Led by Dr. Cheryl White at Jesus the Good Shepherd Church on December 7 from 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon. Breakfast served. See the flier on the Church Bulletin Board in the entrance of the Church or visit <https://jgschurch.org/womens-advent-retreat>



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION is held on Wednesdays beginning with the Mass at 4:00 p.m. and concludes with Benediction at 5:00 p.m. Please continue to pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, religious life, and the diaconate.

THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC remains a concern. If you wish to continue wearing a mask, you certainly can. Proper hygiene is recommended. We encourage you to receive the precious blood from the chalice once again. May God's healing power remain with us.

WE ARE NOW CONNECTED TO CASH APP and our code for Little Flower is \$LChurch616. If you make a donation for any of the second collections or other reasons, please list that in the memo section.

SCRIPTURE READING FOR DECEMBER 1: Jeremiah 33:14-16; Psalm 25:4-5,8-10,14; 1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2; Luke 21:25-28,34-36

Financial News:



FIRST COLLECTION November 17: \$3,454.00 **Budgeted Per Week:** \$3,942.31
YTD Income: \$73,863.48 **Budgeted YTD:** \$79,391.20
2nd Collection: Daycare: \$106.25 Campaign for Human Development: \$10.00
Flowers: \$5.00 Cash App: \$10.00 Maintenance: \$90.00 Charity: \$110.00
Pledge to date: \$9,522.00

Events for the Week

Sunday, November 24:

Mass: 9:00 am

Mass Intention: For the People

Religious Ed Classes: 10:15 am

Greeters Training: 10:15 am

Wednesday, November 27:

Mass for Thanksgiving: 6:00 pm

Mass Intention: Yolanda Parker

Thursday, November 28:

Thanksgiving

Church Office Closed

Friday, November 29:

Church Office Closed

Saturday, November 30:

Confessions: 3:15 pm

Mass: 4:00 pm

Mass Intention: For the People

Sunday, December 1:

First Sunday of Advent

Mass: 9:00 am w/OCIA Rite of Acceptance

Mass Intention: Stephen Mercy

