

St. Martin of Tours Catholic Parish

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15th Sunday in Ordinary Time


**Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life;
you have the words of everlasting life.**

*We are in need of volunteers in several ministries.
Please prayerfully consider how you are willing to
become involved in parish life.*

Thank you, Chris Huner!

The Huner Family has been an integral part of our church community. Chris has served as our Finance Manager for the last 28 years and his father Herb has assisted him with the collection counts each week. As he hands over the reigns to our new Finance Manager, Josh McGowan, we want to show our deepest thanks and gratitude for the many hours of service Chris and his family have contributed throughout the years. Please join us in thanking Chris and welcoming Josh.

Prayerfully consider sharing your faith, time and talent with the children of our parish. We are in need of 1-3 Faith Formation teachers for next year. If you are interested in passing on the Faith to our children, please get in touch with Anna Gooden, [REDACTED] or pclstmartintroy@gmail.com

Sun, July 13 11:00 am - Holy Mass
Mon, July 14 9:30 am Women's Bible Study
Tues, July 15 6:30 am - Men of St. Martin (1st and 3rd Tues. of the month) 5:15 pm Holy Mass
Wed, July 16 9:00 am—8:00 pm Adoration 4:30 pm—Confessions 5:15 pm Holy Mass After Mass- Pray & Play
Thurs, July 17 Fr. Boutin is in Ozark.
Fri, July 18 6:30 am – Holy Mass
Sat, July 19 4:15 Confession 5:00 pm Vigil Mass
Sun, July 20 11:00 am - Holy Mass
<div><p>Pilgrim Virgin Visitation of Homes</p><p>July 5- 12 The Gooden Family</p><p>July 12-19 The Leveque family</p><p>July 26-Aug 2 The Colley Family</p></div>

Welcome Archbishop-Designate

Mark Rivituso!!



The Installation of Archbishop-Designate Mark Rivituso as Archbishop of Mobile is scheduled for 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, September 3, 2025 in the Cathedral-Basilica of the Immaculate Conception. More information will follow as the celebration is planned.



Community Prayer Intentions:

Our parish community & all families dealing with health concerns.
 April Lawrence, Shala Caudill, Tina Campbell, David Blanford, Susan Collier, Kathy Garner, Jim Holt, Joseph Height, Vera Gant, Myles Harris, Jon Crawford, Pete Jordan, Carol Gibbs, Connie Garcia, Virginia Loveland, Cornelia Sanford, Mark Wallace, Pula Savoie Holt, Alexander Cardona, Pam Merkel, Connie Sanders,
 Please contact Jeffrey Blair at [REDACTED]



Looking Ahead:



Everyone is invited to
Pray & Play NIGHTS!

Every Wednesday in June and July!

The evening will begin with Mass at 5:15pm.

Immediately afterwards, there will be kickball, basketball, soccer, wiffle ball, etc. for the kids and the kids at heart! The church will have a simple supper available or you may bring your own dinner. You're welcome to stay for the entire time, or just pop in for a little while!

Volunteers Needed! *As Catholics we are called to serve.*

Our Altar Guild needs your help! For the last 4 years, St. Martin of Tours has been blessed to have such talent on our altar guild. We would like to thank Mrs. Helen Colley, for all her hard work and dedication in planning, prepping and executing the many beautiful events through the years to make our parish absolutely gorgeous. Though she will be stepping down from the position, she will still be part of the collaborative effort in beautifying our Parish. With that said, we need a few new folks who would like to help. Duties include replacing candles and linens on the altars during the week, planning and prepping for events, big and small and serving our church community. Please find Lindsey Sanders, our choral director, for more information.



If you haven't returned your baby bottle yet, please do so as soon as possible.
 Every bottle makes a difference, whether it's full or empty.

Sunday Collection Counters Needed

We are in need of 2 people each Sunday to count and record the collection each week after mass. The goal is to have 8 people on a rotation each month to avoid any one person from feeling overburdened with the responsibility each week.

Mass Intentions

Mon.	July	14	Archbishop Mark Rivotuso (L)
Tues.	July	15	Kristine Berg (D)
Wed.	July	16	Adam Hebel (D)
Thurs	July	17	Maggie McGaulley (L)
Fri.	July	18	Stephen Gadberry (L)
Sat.	July	19	Archbishop Mark Rivotuso (L)
Sun.	July	20	Missa pro populo

Mass Intentions:

Did you know that you can have a Mass offered for a special intention? You could have a mass celebrated for the repose of the soul of a loved one by

Trudy Schroder Women's Bible Study

This group meets on Monday's at 9:30am. Subject: The Bible and the Virgin Mary.

Men Of St Martin:

This group meets the first and third Tuesday of the month at 6:30am in the parish hall. All men of the parish are invited to attend.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION **WEDNESDAY 9:00AM - 8:00PM PM**



The Eucharist exposed in the church for everyone to come in and pray in the presence of the Lord throughout the day.
 We ask that when you enter the church, that you please sign the adoration book on the podium in the back of the church when you come in to worship.

Contribution and Tithing totals for 7-6-25

Special collection June 13 for Missionary Co-Op

Regular - Traditional Giving	\$ 4490.00
Regular - On-Line Giving	\$.00
Special collection-	\$.00
Totals	\$ 4490.00

Confession is offered each Saturday 30 minutes prior to Holy Mass. It is also offered every Wednesday after Holy Mass, during adoration, from 6:00– 7:00pm. (Except for on the second Wed. when Father goes to the prison)



Sacramental Information

Baptism: To have your child baptized, please contact the parish office well in advance of the preferred date. Parents and godparents are expected to attend a meeting to prepare for this sacrament. Godparents should be: in good standing with the Church, practicing the faith, virtuous examples for the children. A full list of requirements for godparents can be obtained in the parish office.

Marriage: Couples desiring to be married in the Catholic Church should contact the parish office at least 6 months in advance of the desired wedding date. They will need to attend a number of preparation meetings as well as other events.

Confirmation: Confirmation is celebrated in the fall of odd years (for example 2021) when teens are in their junior or senior years. Please contact the parish office for more information.

First Holy Communion/First Reconciliation: Reconciliation and Holy Communion are usually received by children in the second grade. The children must have completed at least one and a half years of Faith Formation before they will be admitted to these sacraments.

PILGRIM VIRGIN APOSTOLATE

Can you give three hours on one Saturday each month to escort Our Lady on Her pilgrimage? We need Catholic men or women to act as Our Lady's guard as she visits homes in the St. Martin of Tours parish. If you would like to deepen your prayer life as Our Lady's ambassador, or if you would like to just simply host our Lady in your home for one week, please call Debi Green at [REDACTED].

St. Martin's Online: There are several ways in which to engage the parish community using technology:

If you would like to set up on-line giving to streamline your generous tithe, you can set it up at osvhub.com/stmartintroy/funds

If you are on Facebook and would like to connect with the parish and receive updates regarding parish life or if you would like to rewatch homilies, like our Facebook page: facebook.com/stmartintroy

If you would like to receive this bulletin via email instead of as a hard copy, then feel free to email us: stmartintroyalabama@gmail.com

Finally, please check out our website using this QR code (just hold your phone's camera over the image):



There are **Word Among US** booklets in the back of the church with daily meditations for your use if you would like to have one.

There are **English/Spanish paperback missals with weekday and Sunday readings** available for your use in the back of the church.

Please return the missal to the wooden bin if you chose to use one.