

St. Martin of Tours Catholic Parish

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17th Sunday in Ordinary Time



*"You have received a spirit of adoption,
through which we cry Abba, Father."*

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

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.

*Please notice the change in this Wednesday mass schedule.
Due to the change, we are in need of someone to fill in
during the 5:00—6:00 hour of Adoration.*

Adorers needed.

*The 3:00 hour of adoration is in need of one or more people to share the commitment of regularly attending this hour of adoration.
If you can only occasionally be available and do not mind an occasional phone call, please submit your name to be on the substitute list*

Grocery Bags Needed!

Our Food Pantry is in need of grocery bags. Please donate paper or plastic grocery bags for their distribution needs.

Toiletries Collection for the Prison Ministry

Please help us by donating toiletries for prisoners at Easterling Correctional Facility. Father Boutin will be visiting the inmates on Wednesday, August 13th. We need original packaging for soap, deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes and shampoo. Please have donations in by noon on the 13th.

Sun, July 27 11:00 am - Holy Mass
Mon, July 28 9:30 am Women's Bible Study
Tues, July 29 6:30 am - Men of St. Martin (1st and 3rd Tues. of the month) 5:15 pm Holy Mass
Wed, July 30 8:30 am Holy Mass 9:00 am—8:00 pm Adoration 4:30 pm—Confessions 5:15 pm NO Holy Mass After Mass- Pray & Play
Thurs, July 31 Fr. Boutin is in Ozark.
Fri, Aug. 1 6:30 am - Holy Mass
Sat, Aug. 2 4:15 Confession Fr. Charles Troncale 5:00 pm Vigil Mass
Sun, Aug. 3 11:00 am - Holy Mass



Pilgrim Virgin Visitation of Homes

July 19-26
The Leveque
family
July 26-Aug 2
The Colley
Family
Aug 2-9
Jim and Mary
Wadowick

Community Prayer Intentions:



Our parish community & all families dealing with health concerns.
Lindsey Hudek, Douglas Gatwood, Victoria Hilton, April Lawrence, Shala Caudill, Tina Campbell, David Blanford, Susan Collier, Kathy Garner, Jim Holt, Joseph Height, Myles Harris, Jon Crawford, Pete Jordan, Carol Gibbs, Virginia Loveland, Cornelia Sanford, Mark Wallace, Pula Savoie Holt, Alexander Cardona, Pam Merkel, Connie Sanders

Please contact Jeffrey Blair at [REDACTED]



Looking Ahead:

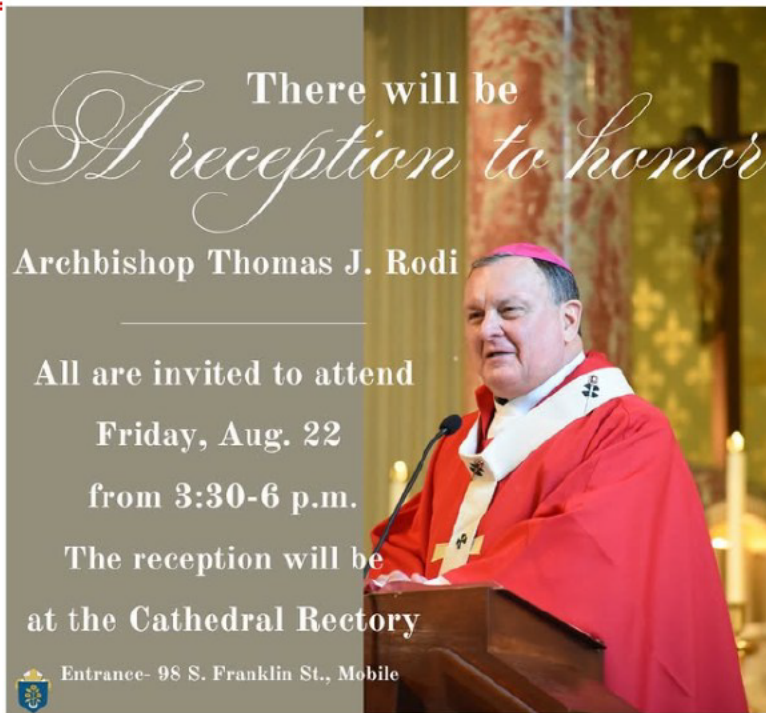


Everyone is invited to
Pray & Play NIGHTS!

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!



There will be
A reception to honor

Archbishop Thomas J. Rodi

All are invited to attend

Friday, Aug. 22

from 3:30-6 p.m.

The reception will be
at the Cathedral Rectory

Entrance- 98 S. Franklin St., Mobile

The **Saint Vincent de Paul Society** is proud to let you know that we now deliver food to over 150 families a month (bi-monthly to the neediest).

We invite you to join us this Jubilee Year and become a "Pilgrim of Hope".

A few hours of your time will help us mightily and will reward you with the blessings of a Jubilee Year. To learn more about our volunteer opportunities, please contact us at SVDPMontgomery@gmail.com

We hope to hear from you!

Mass Intentions

Mon.	July	28	Fr. Stephen Vrazel (L)
Tues.	July	29	Kristine Berg (D)
Wed.	July	30	Inmates of Easterling Prison
Thurs	July	31	Special Intention
Fri.	Aug	1	Special Intention
Sat.	.Aug	2	Guy Boutin (L)
Sun.	Aug	3	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 calling the office.

Trudy Schroder Women's Bible Study

This group meets on Monday's at 9:30am. Subject: The book of Genesis.

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 7-20-25

Special collection June 13 for Missionary Co-Op

Regular - Traditional Giving	\$2420.00
Regular - On-Line Giving	\$1020.00
Special collection-	\$10.00
Totals	\$3450.00

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.