



St. Martin of Tours

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Weekly Schedule

**4th Sunday in Ordinary Time,
Feb. 1st**
11 am Holy Mass

**Monday,
Feb. 2**

9:30 am Women's Bible Study

**Tuesday,
Feb. 3**

6:30 am Men of St. Martin Bible Study
1st and 3rd Tues of the month
4:30 pm Confession
5:15 pm Holy Mass

**Wednesday,
Feb. 4**

9:00 am-8 pm Adoration
4:30 pm- Reconciliation
5:15 pm- Holy Mass
6:30 pm OCIA

**Thursday,
Feb. 5**

Father is in Ozark

**Friday,
Feb. 6**

6:30 am- **NO** Holy Mass and Adoration

**Saturday,
Feb. 7**

4:15 pm Confession
4:30 pm Rosary
5:00 pm Holy Mass

**5th Sunday in Ordinary Time,
Feb. 8**

11:00 am Holy Mass

Rejoice and be glad;
your reward will be great in heaven.



The Catholic Charities Appeal
2026

Text CCA to 91999

SAVING LIVES & GIVING HOPE

Emily was overwhelmed with fear when she realized she was pregnant. Young and alone, she didn't know what to do. With a friend's encouragement, she called a local crisis pregnancy center, and found compassion rather than judgment. A counselor listened and assured her she wasn't alone. They provided prenatal care, baby supplies, parenting classes, and ongoing spiritual support. Months later, Emily held her baby boy for the first time. **"They didn't just help me choose life," she said. "They helped me live it with faith, courage, and love."** Our gifts helped Emily find hope, strength, and the love of Christ.



WAYS TO GIVE



Please make checks payable to:
Catholic Charities Appeal



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Call (251) 434-1556

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Catholic Charities Appeal
P.O. Box 230
Mobile, AL 36601



Online:
Visit our secure online giving site at www.mobarch.org/ccs2025



Or Contact us at (251) 438-9668
or CCA@mobarch.org.
Text CCA to 91999



At your parish:
Place your envelope in the collection basket.

Thank you

Community Prayer Intentions:

Maggie Moran, Esther and Charlene McGuin, Bernice Butler, Stacey Thorson, Leslie Grimes, Lindsey Hudek, Douglas Gatwood, Victoria Hilton, April Lawrence, Shala Caudill, Tina Campbell, David Blanford, Susan Collier, Kathy Garner, Jim Holt, Joseph Hight, Myles Harris, Jon Crawford, Pete Jordan, Carol Gibbs, Virginia Loveland, Cornelia Sanford, Mark Wallace, Pula Savoie Holt, Alexander Cardona, Pam Merkel, Connie Sanders, Lanele Haggins and Randy Tuttle.

Please contact Jeff Blair to add someone to the prayer list.

Adoration

Wednesday
9:00am - 8:00pm

He waits for you

We are looking for a volunteer to help with or take over the 1:00 holy hour.

Upcoming Events

Feb. 15-17

Parish Mission with Father Morgan

Feb. 17th

Pray and Play & Low Country Boil

Feb. 20th

Food Distribution

Pilgrim Virgin Visitation of Homes

Jan 24-31

John & Dianne LeVeque

Jan. 31-Feb. 7

Beth Ann Gibson

Feb. 7-14

Trieu Nguyen Family

PILGRIM VIRGIN MARY
STATUE APOSTOLATE

Parish families are invited to renew their devotion to Jesus through Mary by participating in the Pilgrim Virgin Mary Statue program. Each week the statue of Our Lady will travel to the home of one parish family, or single person, for a weeklong visit. This is a great opportunity to have Our Blessed Mother visit us in our homes! Please call Debi Green, [REDACTED]

Parish Mission 2026

February 15th, 16th and 17th will begin our 2026 Parish Mission with Father Joseph Morgan from the Fathers of Mercy. Please plan to attend.

Jonathan Taylor is gathering information for those who might be interested in establishing a Knights of Columbus council for Troy, AL. If you are interested, please speak to Jonathan or email the office at StMartinTroyAlabama@gmail.com.

Mass Intentions

You can have a Mass offered for a special intention or for the repose of a soul of a loved one by calling or emailing the office.

Mon. 2	Catholic Extension
Tues 3	Blandnae Kertz(D)
Wed. 4	Edward Zvonar (D)
Thu. 5	
Fri. 6	Lois Mary Newell (D)
Sat. 7	Scott Korey (D)
Sun. 8	<i>Missa pro populo</i>

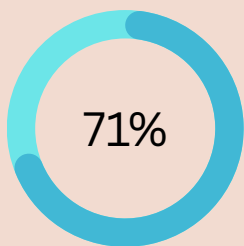
Trudy Schroder Women's Bible Study
This group meets on Mondays at 9:30am. The current study is Genesis. For more information please call [REDACTED]

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.

Altar Project

Current raised amount: \$39,925

To be raised: \$16,075



Father Boutin will be hearing confessions 30 minutes prior to every daily mass. Please refer to the Weekly Schedule for times. You may also schedule an appointment.

Liturgical Assignments Saturday Jan. 31

Lector: Mike Orlofsky

Eucharistic Minister:

Randy Leutzinger
Doug Gooden

Ushers:

Jeffrey Blair
Patrick Messick

Sunday Feb. 1

Lector: Mark Christensen

Eucharistic Minister:

JoAnn Gibson
Chris Huner

Ushers:

Paul Butler
Jeffrey Blair

Gift Bearers and Altar Servers

Please volunteer when you arrive for Holy Mass

Contribution and Tithing totals for 1/25/2026

Traditional giving-	\$ 2862
Votive Shrine.	\$ 55.59
Online Giving-	\$ 1910
Total-	\$ 4827.59

Next
Special Collection
Feb. 2026

If you are new to the parish please fill out a registration card. If you are moving and leaving the parish please send an email to the office.

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.

First Holy Communion and 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. If you have an older child who needs to make these sacraments special arrangements can be made by calling the office.

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.

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.

St.Martin's Online:

There are several ways in which to engage the parish community using technology:

Please check out our website
Stmartintroy.com
Follow on Facebook

If you would like to set up on-line giving to streamline your generous tithe, you can set it up using any one of these three options.

TEXT TO TITHE

Text "STMARTIN725" to
73256 to give using your
mobile device.

SCAN QR CODE:



ONLINE:

[https://onrealm.org/
StMartinToursCh/-/form/give/now](https://onrealm.org/StMartinToursCh/-/form/give/now)



ETHAN F. GREEN

200 HILL DR, ST.MEINRAD, IN 47577

CONFIGURATION STAGE

SEMINARY: ST. MEINRAD SEMINARY
FORMATION STAGE: CONFIGURATION (1ST THEOLOGY)
BIRTHDAY: SEPTEMBER 19
HOME PARISH: ST. MARTIN OF TOURS, TROY
FAVORITE SAINT: ST. THERÈSE OF LISIEUX
FAVORITE SPIRITUAL READING: THE STORY OF A SOUL BY ST. THERÈSE OF LISIEUX
FAVORITE ACTIVITIES: READING, PLAYING SPORTS ESPECIALLY BASKETBALL, HIKING AND CLIMBING MOUNTAINS, AND ENJOYING A NICE MEAL WITH A GOOD GROUP OF PEOPLE IS VERY MEANINGFUL TO ME IF YOU COULD HAVE ANY SUPERPOWER WHAT WOULD IT BE?
TELEPORTATION
VOCATION STORY: MY NAME IS ETHAN GREEN. I GREW UP IN SOUTHEAST ALABAMA RIGHT OUTSIDE OF TROY. I CONVERTED TO CATHOLICISM AFTER A PROFOUND ENCOUNTER WITH JESUS IN ADORATION ON A YOUTH RETREAT IN HIGH SCHOOL. I GRADUATED FROM PIKE LIBERAL ARTS SCHOOL AND THEN ATTENDED TROY UNIVERSITY. WHILE AT TROY, I STARTED TO SERIOUSLY DISCERN THE IDEA OF GOING TO SEMINARY. I AM ENTERING MY FIRST YEAR OF THE CONFIGURATION STAGE AT ST. MEINRAD SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY IN INDIANA. MY TIME IN SEMINARY HAS BEEN A LIFE-CHANGING EXPERIENCE. BY SAYING YES TO THE LORD, HE HAS BLESSED ME WITH SO MUCH. HE IS CONTINUALLY CALLING ME CLOSER TO HIM, AND I AM STRIVING TO STAY CLOSE TO HIM DAILY AND REST IN HIS LOVE. PLEASE PRAY FOR ME AS I CONTINUE MY SEMINARY FORMATION. THAT I MAY BE A GOOD AND HOLY PRIEST IF THAT IS THE LORD'S WILL!

