

ST. MARTIN de PORRES

Catholic Church Bulletin

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Sunday Service ~ 9:30 am • www.stmartindeporrycatholic.org



WELCOME!

We would like to extend a warm welcome to all of our visitors worshipping with us today. We are happy to have you in our presence and we hope that you are inspired by our worship service. We hope that all of our visitors will come worship with us again soon.

~ May God Bless You

Ministry Meetings

(All meetings held in the Parish House or Family Life Center.)

- Parish Leadership3rd Monday, 6:00 pm
- Administration2nd Sunday, After Mass
- Evangelization.....2nd Saturday, 1pm
- Family Life1st Sunday, After Mass
- Finance Ministry..... 4th Thursday, 5:30pm Parish House
- Formation.....2nd Monday, 6:30 pm
- Service Committee3rd Sunday, After Mass
- Social Concerns.....3rd Sunday, After Mass
- Worship..... 1st Sunday, After Mass

COMMUNITY NEWS

If you are aware of a parishioner who is ill, please get their permission to have their name printed on the sick and shut-in list, and if they would like to receive communion, please call into the parish office.

Thought of the Day * Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted." John 6:11

The multiplication of the loaves and fishes teaches a basic principle of stewardship. That is that generosity travels in an ever-widening circle, returning a hundredfold to those who give from their substance.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

"Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the LORD your God which He has given you." -Deuteronomy 16:17

***FISH FRY FUNDRAISER** – Each month St. Martin de Porres will be holding a five dollar (\$5.00) fundraiser. For the month of **JULY**, we are asking each church member to spend five dollars on **SPAGHETTI**.

Do you have an upcoming event?
Consider **Thea Bowman Rental Hall!**

- *Comfortably can accommodate 284 people.
- *Equipped with a nice kitchen, with access to the stove, refrigerator, ice machine, and round & banquet tables.
- *Located beneath the Catholic Enrichment Center.
- *Convenient parking with easy access to the hall.
- *Affordable pricing available.
- *Available for Birthday Parties, Family Get-togethers, Anniversary Parties, Special Occasions and Repass Celebrations, etc
- *For more information about scheduling your next event, please call 502.778.1118 ext. 13 or email parishoffice@stmartindeporrycatholic.org

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"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor." He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord." ~ Luke 4:18-19 ~

Our Mission Statement

We are an African American Catholic parish with a blend of faith family members from various ethnic backgrounds and communities throughout Kentuckiana. We care about one another, those around us and those we must reach from afar by prayer. We place emphasis on our Afrocentric worship services that speak to our religious beliefs and our spiritual traditions.

- Pastor**
Rev. Charles Walker
- ∨
- Associate Pastor**
Rev. Deogratias Ssamba, A.J
- ∨
- Senior Associate Pastor**
Rev. Tom Gentile
- ∨
- Deacons**
Keith McKenzie
James R. Turner
- ∨
- Parish Office Coordinator**
Rochelle Harris
- ∨
- Parish Bookkeeper**
Margaret Staples
- ∨
- Music Minister**
James Taylor

STEWARDSHIP

Use the gifts GOD has given you by sharing your time and talents with a ministry.

JULY 29, 2018

WORSHIP AND PRAYER THIS WEEK

Today' Eucharist	9:30 a.m.	
Next Sunday's Eucharist	9:30 a.m.	



17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: 2 Kings 4:42-44 (110B)
 SECOND READING: Ephesians 4:1-6
 GOSPEL READING: John 6:1-15
 FR. DEO GRATIAS SSAMBA

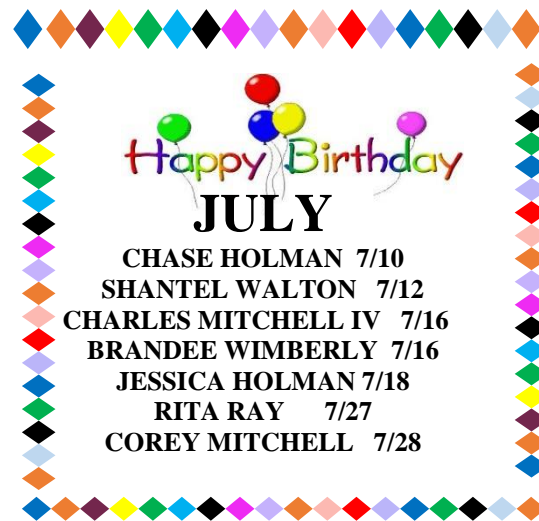
PRAYER REQUESTS



James Blincoe, Mary Brown, Robert Downs, John Evans, Anna Groves, Geraldine McKinney, Steve Porter, Ellie Ross

"Prayer is an act of love; words are not needed. Even if sickness distracts from thoughts, all that is needed is the will to love."

-Saint Teresa of Avila



Happy Birthday
JULY

CHASE HOLMAN 7/10
 SHANTEL WALTON 7/12
 CHARLES MITCHELL IV 7/16
 BRANDEE WIMBERLY 7/16
 JESSICA HOLMAN 7/18
 RITA RAY 7/27
 COREY MITCHELL 7/28



"And these three things remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love." 1
 Corinthian 13:13

ANNOUNCEMENTS

STEWARDSHIP

Tithes Received for 7/22/2018	\$ 1,818.00	Tithes Received-YTD	\$ 6,457.75
Budget Tithes Needed for 7/22/2018	\$ 1,885.00	Budgeted Tithes-YTD	\$ 7,540.00
Over/under BUDGET for 7/22/2018	\$ (67.00)	Over (Under) Budget-YTD	\$ (1,082.25)

ST. MARTIN de PORRES NEWS

* **SEPTEMBER 9- GRANDPARENTS/GENERATIONS SUNDAY:** We are asking each generation to wear a certain color for Generation Sunday. They are as follows: 1928-1945, Post War Cohorts, wear RED, 1946-1954, Baby Boomers, wear Orange, 1955-1965 Generation Jones, wear Yellow, 1966-1976 Generation X, wear Green, 1977-1994 millennial, wear Blue, 1995-2012 Generation Z, wear purple, and 2012 & after G Generation, wear pink

* **ASSUMPTION MASS SCHEDULE:** August 15, 2018 is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Mass Schedule is the following: 8am Good Shepherd; 8:30am Christ the King; 6pm Good Shepherd; 7pm St. Augustine.

* **SERVICE MINISTRY:** The monthly Fish Fry will be held on August 31st from 11:00am 6pm. All volunteers are welcome and needed. If you can't volunteer please come and purchase a meal.

* **FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY:** will have a blessing for all graduates during church on August 5, 2018. The celebration will continue after church with food, fun and fellowship on the parking lot and lawn of the church. We also will be having give-a-ways for our graduates, so please come out if you are in need of some supplies to get you started on your way. If you wish to help volunteer with anything, please let a Family Life Member know, we would appreciate the help. All graduates will need to sign up in the vestibule of the church, so that we can make sure we have some goodies for you.

* **THE CHOIR** is looking for Cantors. If you are interested in being a Cantor, please see Mr. James Taylor.

* **CHURCH ANNIVERSARY:** Sun. Aug. 19, 2018, Grand Mass please invite your family and friends to join us in celebrating 28 years of being at St. Martin de Porres. There will be a POTLUCK DINNER. There will be a sign up sheet in the vestibule. All are encourage to participate. Have a bless day and be a blessing.

* **EVANGELIZATION:** We would like to say "Kudos" to our Famous Chefs, Parents, Parishioners, Service Team, and our Faithful Volunteers! Our Vacation Bible School was a "Victory" for 2018!!!!

* **SEEKING MENTORS FOR REFUGEE YOUTH** Catholic Charities is seeking mentor volunteers to support refugee youth between the ages of 9 and 17 academically and socially. Male mentors are especially needed. For more information contact Phoenix Fowler at pfowler@archlou.org or call 502-636-9263

MONTH OF JULY COMMUNION MINISTERS:
 Barbara Cox, Adriene Taylor-Mitchell, Joseph Felix, Sr. Dorothy Jackson, Kathryn Gaines, Tony Mathis
Everyone can now SIT DOWN after the last person receives communion instead of waiting on the clergy to sit.

HOSPITALITY MINISTERS

JULY 29TH Robert Byrd, Daniel Byrd
 AUG 5TH Sheila Cox, Jackie Ellery
 AUG 12TH Rita Johnson, Theresa Clark
 AUG 19TH Eric Williams, Brenda Wimberly

ALTAR SERVERS:

JULY 29TH Jediah Holman, Anya Ellison
 AUG 5TH Stephanie Henry, Anya Ellison
 AUG 12TH Nehemi Felix, Jediah Holman
 AUG 19TH Corey Mitchell, Armonte Snodgrass

LECTORS:

JULY 29TH Annette Turner, Kim Mapp, Cecilia Ellery
 AUG 5TH Kenya Turner, Rita Shoulders, Deloris Geisler
 AUG 12TH Pam Coleman, Sandra Bankston, Cecilia Ellery
 AUG 19TH Rita Holman, Mylon Cox, Arlandia Spalding

GIFT BEARERS:

JULY 29TH Nehemi Felix, Shantel Walton
 AUG 5th Sandra Youself, Irene Lyons
 AUG 12TH Dorothy Sutton, Elizabeth Walker
 AUG 19TH Mary Scott-Jones, Aliza Toney

CANTORS:

JULY 29TH Audrey Penman
 AUG 5TH Erika De'Sha
 AUG 12TH Yvette Stith
 AUG 19TH Patricia Bolds

CHILDREN'S CHURCH MINISTERS:

AUGUST 5-26 – Lolita Ewing

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