

**ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**713 CRAWFORD STREET**  
**VICKSBURG, MS**  
**DECEMBER 18 and 19, 2021**  
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**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**—Monday thru Thursday 8:00 a. m. – Noon

**WEEKEND MASSES**—Saturday Vigil 4:00 p. m. and Sunday 10:30 a. m.

**DAILY MASS SCHEDULE**- Monday and Wednesday– 7:00 a. m.  
Tuesday and Thursday – 12 noon

**CHRISTMAS EVE MASS** - Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>, Friday 5:00 p. m.

**CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM starts at 4:30 p. m.**

**CHRISTMAS DAY MASS** – Dec. 25<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 9:00 a. m.

**CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM PRACTICE** is this Sunday from 9:45-10:15 a. m. in Glynn Hall and immediately following the 10:30 a. m. Mass there will be a practice in the sanctuary. It should only last 20 minutes.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**—Saturday from 3:15 p. m. to 3:45 p. m.  
Sunday from 9:45 a. m. to 10:15 a. m.

**RCIA** will resume via Zoom Thursday, January 6 at 6:00 p. m

**CYO** will not meet again until after the first of the year.

**OFFERTORY COUNTERS MONDAY, DECEMBER 20<sup>th</sup>**-Charlie and Martha Amborn and Paul Banchetti.

**PARISH CHRISTMAS PARTY**—Thankyou to everyone who attended our parish party last Sunday. It was a great turnout! A special thanks to these parishioners who are not the Parish Council and worked in way to help make the party a success. The entire Parish Council appreciates it. Thanks to Pam Melsheimer, Barbara Hill, Connie Hosemann, Paul Banchetti, Bruce Ebersole, Sid Johnston, Jim and Naomi Cook, Vivian Velazquez, and our elves, Sarah Beth Johnston and Maddie McSherry!

**VICKSBURG CATHOLIC SCHOOL** will be closed for Christmas break December 20<sup>th</sup> January 3, 2022.

**KC NEWS** <https://facebook.com/kc898> [www.ms-kofc.com/898](http://www.ms-kofc.com/898)

**Dec. 21<sup>st</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>** no meetings.

**Jan. 04** Rosary at 6:30 p. m. and business meeting at 7:00 p. m.

**Jan. 13** KC Ladies Auxiliary Mtg.

**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** this weekend are in memory of Ethel Kendrick, Ethel Towne, Hazel Towne and Mittie Warren.

**REGULAR COLLECTION \$7,482.00**

**RETIRED RELIGIOUS \$1,390.00**

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION \$375.00**

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** – We will be decorating the church for Christmas on Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup> after 12 noon Mass. Call Lynne Abraham if you would like to help!

**ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP:** Calling all moms! St. Paul's is launching an exciting ministry geared towards uplifting the vocation of motherhood. Come and be a part of an encouraging and supportive community of women and go deeper in your faith life. It really does take a village to raise children and as moms, we are not meant to figure it out all on our own. We have each other! Stay tuned for more details on how you can be a part of Catholic Moms Group! Brittany McFall

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**STOREHOUSE COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION**– Please bring food on the third weekend of the month. Thank you for your generosity.

**MEALS ON WHEELS** will be prepared and delivered on the First Saturday of the month. Thank you to all our volunteers!

**FRAUD PREVENTION HOTLINE**-- The Diocese of Jackson's Department of Temporal Affairs has engaged Lighthouse Services to provide an anonymous financial fraud, compliance, ethics and human resources hotline. This hotline allows for an appropriate method to report occurrences related to the temporal administration within parishes, schools and the chancery office.

www.lighthouse-  
services.com/jacksondiocese USA:1-888-  
830-0004

**PROTECTION OF CHILDREN**--The Diocese of Jackson is committed to ensuring that children served by the church are not at risk of sexual abuse by the Church personnel. Diocesan policies and procedures currently in place seek to protect, enhance and, in some cases, restore the trust that our faith calls for between agents of the Church and the children and adolescents entrusted to our care. In accordance with the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People passed by the U.S. bishops in Dallas, the Diocese of Jackson wishes to encourage any victim of sexual abuse by a member of the Catholic Clergy to come forward and begin the healing process. *We encourage any victim to contact Ms. Erika Rojas, Victims Assistance Coordinator at 601-326-3760.*

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