

**Welcome to Saint Joan of Arc Church of the Catholic
Archdiocese of Mobile**

**1260 Elmira Street, Mobile, Alabama 36604
Phone/Fax (251) 432-3505 Parish Office**

(Office Hours: Mon., Tues. Thurs., Fri., 7:30 am – 11:30 am)

Vigil Mass, Saturday, 4:00 pm; Sunday, 9:00 am; Holy Day Masses, 11:30 am on the Holy Day

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Msgr. Kenneth J. Klepac, Pastor	Email address: kjklepac155@comcast.net
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Mass This Week:	Time	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Intentions
Saturday April 28	4:00 pm	Robert Bantens Sandy Presley	Mike & Mary Kersten, Phillip Calametti	+Murble Chavis
Sunday April 29	9:00 am	Eliz. Blanchette, Gayle Conner	Tierney Vial, Jane & Jerry Radka	People of Saint Joan of Arc
Monday April 30	11:30am			+Paige Family
Tuesday May 1	11:30am			+David Faggard
Wednesday May 2	8:00am			+Flora Klepac
Thursday May 3	11:30am			+Murble Chavis
Friday May 4	10:30am 11:30am	Adoration		+Mary Jo Fitzgerald
Next weekend Saturday, May 5	4:00 pm	Genie Tallon, Raymond Zoghby	Lolita Rivers, Gloria Wells, Rosalie Zoghby	+Vivian Black (100 th birthday)
Sunday, May 6	9:00 am	Inell Jordan, Gayle Conner	BJ & Jim Robertson, Margaret Ann Davis	People of Saint Joan of Arc

Sacraments: Confessions: One hour before Saturday Vigil Mass, by appointment.

Marriage: Contact priest six months in advance of the wedding date.

Baptism: Preparation meeting by appointment.

Finance Council Members: Jim Robertson, Neff Weber, Brian Blanchette, Luckett Robinson

Parish Council: Liturgical: B.J. Robertson – 432-6930; robertson391711@bellsouth.net ;

Religious Education: Brother Celestine - 490-4088; algero@shc.edu; **Buildings,** Neff Weber,

433-5771, 295-7295; fneffweber@gmail.com ; **Grounds,** Mike Kersten, 666-0032;

mike.kersten@hargrove-epc.com; **Stewardship,** Linda Hill – 666-6315, lindah@mobileairport.com;

Social: Bernice Lindsey - 209-2096; blindsey209@gmail.com ;

Respect Life Coordinator: Linsey Abraham – 533-2018; LMAAU2001@yahoo.com

Parish Secretary: Nathalie Faggard - 432-3505, 454-2827; nat2sja@comcast.net

Organist: Terry D. Maddox – 432-7962; 406-1454; tmaddox@gspcmobile.org

Organist: (Sunday) Richard Jones, 510-5442; richardjones62@yahoo.com

This Fourth Sunday of Easter is Good Shepherd Sunday. Our local parish is our sheepfold and our pastors are our shepherds. Jesus is the High Priest. The bishops are successors of the apostles. Pastors are their helpers. Cooperate with our pastors by giving them positive suggestions for the parish. Encourage them in their duties. Offer constructive criticism and pray for them always. Pray for vocations to the priestly and religious life. And let us become good shepherds. Pastors, parents, teachers, doctors, nurses, caregivers, government officials and politicians are all shepherds. Parents must be especially careful of their duties as shepherds for their children.

There will be a Second Collection this weekend for the education of our seminarians.

Last Sunday's Offertory was \$1,0081.00

Last Sunday we gave you nomination ballots for new Parish Council Members. There are six members on the Parish Council. Three complete their two-year terms each year. Neff Weber, B.J. Robertson and Linda Hill complete two years this year. They can be reelected, with their permission. From the nominations we receive today we will prepare a ballot for you to mark next weekend. If you nominate someone, ask that person first if he or she will accept the nomination. (You may also nominate yourself.) (Next Parish Council meeting will be May 6 at 10:30 am).

ATTENTION LADIES: Please meet with Father Klepac this Sunday at the Coffee Social. We need your help to organize an Altar Society.

CONGRATULATIONS TO Katherine Marie Bolanos and Andrew Heath Lavender who were wed at St. Joan of Arc Church this Saturday. (Katherine is the granddaughter of Emery & Sibbie Wilson.)

The Spring Quarterly Meeting of the ACCW will be held on Wednesday, May 9 at Corpus Christi Church. Call 479-8907 by May 7 for reservations .

Our Lady of Lourdes annual Lawn Party will be held this Sunday, April 29, noon to 4 pm. Main prizes are \$1,000; \$500 and \$250 plus games, good food and fun.

Know of anyone who would like to join a study of our Catholic Faith? Please let Father Klepac (432-3505) or Doug McEnery (602-0494) know. Group meets on Wed. from 6-7 pm at the rectory.

Carnations for Life will be available on Mother's Day, May 13. Proceeds go to Alabama Citizens for Life.

Next Sunday, May 6, McGowin and Milligan Grinstead will make their First Holy Communion at the 9:00 am Mass. Their parents will host the coffee social.

Next weekend we will have the May crowning of the Blessed Virgin before each Mass. Come early.

We need volunteers to help keep the grounds looking good. There is a list in the vestibule we ask you to sign for a turn. Every two weeks the grass needs cutting and trimming. We have the lawn mower. Please sign up for a turn. Thanks!

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS are asked to put things away after Mass. Take the things from the credence table to the sacristy. Thanks!