

**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

**WEB SITE: [www.stjoanofarcmobile.com](http://www.stjoanofarcmobile.com)**

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Mass This Week:	Time	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Intentions
<b>Saturday May 12</b>	4:00 pm	Genie Tallon, Raymond Zoghby	Lolita Rivers, Gloria Wells, Rosalie Zoghby	+George & Emma Zoghby
<b>Sunday May 13</b>	9:00 am	Inell Jordan, Gayle Conner	BJ & Jim Robertson, Margaret Ann Davis	People of Saint Joan of Arc
<b>Monday May 14</b>	11:30am			Audrey Bruce
<b>Tuesday May 15</b>	11:30am			+David Faggard
<b>Wednesday May 16</b>	8:00am			Paige Family
<b>Thursday May 17</b>	11:30am			+Charlie Pollman
<b>Friday May 18</b>	11:30am			Msgr. Martin Muller
<b>Next weekend Saturday, May 19</b>	4:00 pm	Linsey Abraham, Sandy Presley	Phillip Calametti, Janice & Art Kersten, Jr.	+Murble Chavis
<b>Sunday, May 20</b>	9:00 am	Maureen Shirah, Bernice Lindsey	Penny Gulley, Tierney Vial, Brian Blanchette	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:** Neff Weber, 433-5771, 295-7295; [neffweber@gmail.com](mailto:neffweber@gmail.com); **Religious**

**Education:** Brother Celestine - 490-4088; [algero@shc.edu](mailto:algero@shc.edu); **Buildings,** Mike Kersten, 666-0032;

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Bernice Lindsey - 209-2096; [blindsey209@gmail.com](mailto:blindsey209@gmail.com) ; **Grounds,** Kathleen Gerard, 904-234-1610;

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**Respect Life Coordinator:** Linsey Abraham – 533-2018; [LMAAU2001@yahoo.com](mailto:LMAAU2001@yahoo.com)

**Parish Secretary:** Nathalie Faggard - 432-3505, 454-2827; [nat2sja@comcast.net](mailto:nat2sja@comcast.net)

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

**In Today’s Gospel Jesus tells us** “As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you. Live on in my love. You will live in my love if you keep my commandments. You are my friends. I chose you. I love you.” Many people know that Jesus loves them, but don’t necessarily feel that love. Between knowing and feeling, the latter is the more powerful. At the same time, we cannot have feeling toward someone we know little about. Feeling Jesus’ love more strongly takes some prayerful time and reading. Minimally, love requires wanting the other person’s good. We also know that our feelings are activated by some one or thing that we can see, feel, touch, taste, or smell. But we cannot experience God with our five senses, can we? It is an act of our will.

This second Sunday of May is Mother’s Day. We offer to all our mothers, living and those who have gone to be with the Lord, our love and gratitude. The Sunday Mass will be offered for all our mothers. Thanks, Mom!

After Mass, Ladies will be at the doors of the church to give you a Carnation for a donation to the Alabama Citizens for Life.

Last Weekend we elected three Parish Council members: Sandy Presley, Kathleen Gerard, and Neff Weber. Neff will now head the Liturgy Committee. Brother Celestine will continue with the Religious Ed Committee, Kathleen Gerard will head the Grounds Committee, Sandy Presley, the Stewardship Committee, Mike Kersten, the Buildings Committee and Bernice Linsey will continue with the Social Committee. Thanks to all of you who serve! These committee chairpersons will be calling on YOU to help. Offer to serve on one of them.

Last Sunday’s Offertory amounted to \$2,103.00. Additional funds were received for the education of our 21 seminarians which now totals \$485.00. Thank you for your generosity.

We welcome you to study the teachings of our Catholic Faith. We meet every Wed. 6-7 pm at the Rectory.

Volunteers are needed to help keep the grounds looking good. Would you sign for a turn to cut the grass? The list is in the vestibule. “Many hands make little work.”

Soon the ladies who signed up to help prepare the altar each week will be called on. Thanks!

Catholic Social Services is requesting household donations for help in the Refuge Resettlement Program. They also need volunteers. Call Alyssa Mueller at 432-2727 for more information.

To send your message to HHS and Congress telling them to stand up for religious liberty and conscience rights, go to [www.uscb.org/conscience](http://www.uscb.org/conscience).

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Please put things away after Mass, from the Credence table to the Sacristy.

**USHERS:** Please greet and welcome the people before Mass and give them a missalette. After Mass hand out the bulletins, clean up the pews, put out the lights and turn off the AC. Thank you!