

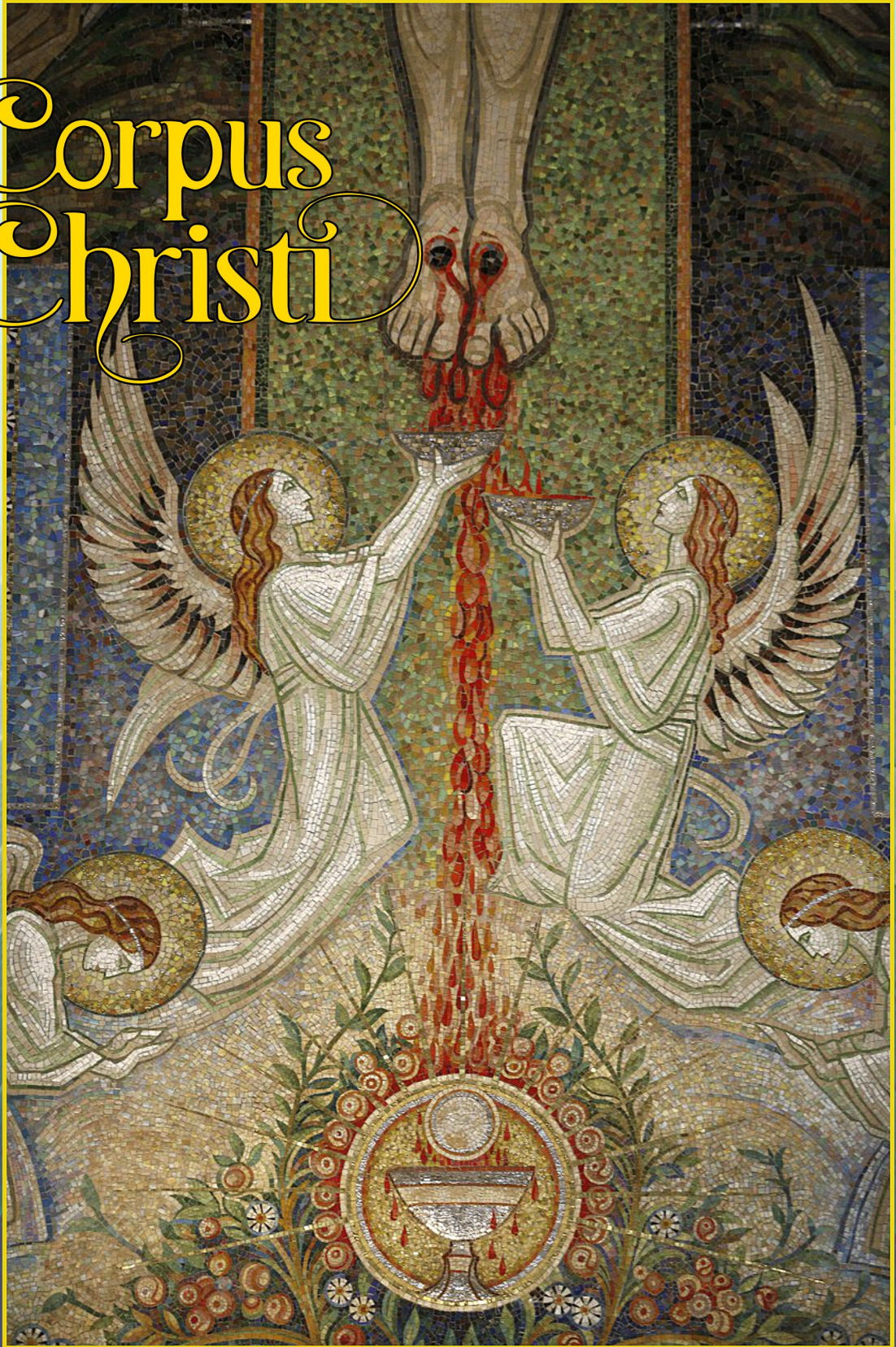


June 7, 2026 ♦ *The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ*

Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission  
*Misión Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe*  
172 Main St.  
Bells, TN 38006

St. Mary's Catholic Church  
*Parroquia Santa Maria*  
1665 Highway 45 Bypass  
Jackson, TN 38305

# Corpus Christi



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### St. Mary's Catholic Church

*Jackson, Tennessee*

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission**

*Bells, TN*

**Fr. Dennis Schenkel, Pastor**  
**Fr. Gabe Bouck, Associate Pastor**  
**Fr. Rolando Perez, Associate Pastor**  
**Rev. Mr. Dale Brown, Deacon**  
**Rev. Dr. Eddy Koonce, Deacon**  
**Rev. Mr. Bill Winston, Deacon**  
**Rev. Dr. David Rosenthal, Deacon**

#### Parish Office

**Open Monday**

*9:00am-4:00pm*

**Open Tuesday-Friday**

*9:00am-5:00pm*

**Phone: 731-668-2596**

**Email: [parishinfo@stmarys.tn.org](mailto:parishinfo@stmarys.tn.org)**

#### Reconciliation

**Tuesdays:** 5:30pm-6:15pm

**Wednesdays:** 11:30am-12pm

**Saturdays:** 3:20pm-3:50pm

**Sundays:** 7:30am-7:50am, 10am-10:20am,  
& 12:15pm-12:50pm

*\*Confessions will be heard in the confessional.*

#### Baptisms

Class required for 1st time parents and are offered the 2nd Mon. of every month.

#### Weddings

Contact the parish office at least 6 months prior to wedding date.

#### Anointing of the Sick

By appointment.

In case of a serious illness or death, call the parish office.

*Our after hours answering service will get a message to a priest.*



**St. Mary's School: 731-668-2525**

**St. Mary's website:**

<https://stmarys.tn.org/>

To better serve our St. Mary's parishioners: If you are a patient, family member or loved one of a patient at Jackson-Madison General Hospital and wish to receive a visit from *St. Mary's Hospital Ministry to the Sick*, please contact the Parish Office with the patient's name & hospital room number.

### *Weekend Mass Schedule*



**English Mass**  
- **Saturday Vigil** -

*4:00pm*

- **Sunday** -

*8:00am*

*10:30am \**

*\*Live-Streamed*

**Spanish Mass**  
*Sundays at 1:00pm*

### St. Mary's Catholic Church *Daily Mass Schedule*

<b>M</b>	<i>7:00am</i>
<b>T</b>	<i>7:00am &amp; 6:15pm</i>
<b>W</b>	<i>7:00am, 12pm</i>
<b>TH</b>	<i>7:00am</i>
<b>F</b>	<i>7:00am</i>
<b>SA</b>	<i>8:00am</i>

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*Please submit **ALL** bulletin information to [parishinfo@stmarys.tn.org](mailto:parishinfo@stmarys.tn.org)*

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*check out: [www.cdom.org](http://www.cdom.org)*



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### Mass Intentions for the Week

**St. Mary's Catholic Church**

*Jackson, TN*

#### Saturday June 6

8:00am *Communion Service*

4:00pm **J. Jesus Gurrola Marrufo** (Int. de cumpleaños)

#### Sunday June 7

8:00am **Mass for the People of SMC & OLG**

10:30am **Increase of Perpetual Adoration**

1:00pm **Humberto Coronado** (Int. de cumpleaños)

#### Monday June 8

7:00am **Tom & Kailyn Brown** (Wedding Anniv. Int.)

#### Tuesday June 9

7:00am ✠ **Fitts Lipe**

6:15pm ✠ **Rafael Benitez Romero**

#### Wed. June 10

7:00am ✠ **Harry Boosey**

12:00pm ✠ **Deacon Jim Moss**

#### Thurs. June 11

7:00am **St. Mary's Catechists**

#### Friday June 12

7:00am **Maria Dayana Acosta** (Int. de cumpleaños)

#### Saturday June 13

8:00am **Rickey Raines** (B'day Int.)

4:00pm **Sally Dwyer**

### **Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission**

*Bells, TN*

#### Saturday June 6

6:00pm ✠ **Amelia Garcia Florencia**

#### Saturday June 13

6:00pm **Cecilia Santos** (Int. de cumpleaños)



### Comments from Deacon Dale Brown

The Catholic Church has always believed and taught that Jesus Christ is really, truly present in the sacrament of the Eucharist. This makes the sacrament of the Eucharist the greatest of all sacraments. Here's how the Catechism puts it: "In the most blessed sacrament of the Eucharist the body and blood, together with the soul and divinity, of our Lord Jesus Christ and, therefore, the whole Christ is truly, really, and substantially contained" (#1374). That means that the Eucharist is not just a symbol of Christ's presence. A symbol points to a reality, like the paschal lamb in the Old Testament pointed towards the lamb of God in the New Testament, Jesus Christ, or like an exit sign on the freeway points towards a road or a town. Most non-Catholic Christians believe that the Eucharist is like that, just a symbol of Christ's presence, not the real thing. But as Catholics we know that Christ is not just symbolically present in the Eucharist, he is truly, really present. (Orthodox Christians also believe this.) That's what makes the Eucharist a sacrament, instead of just a symbol. This is why St Paul, in today's Second Reading, calls Holy Communion a "participation" in the body and blood of Christ. And this is why Jesus himself, in today's Gospel Reading, repeats six times - SIX times - in just seven verses, that his flesh is real food and his blood is real drink. Every time an ordained priest pronounces the words of consecration at Mass - when he says "this is my body... this is my blood" - Jesus himself, in a mysterious, sacramental way, becomes truly present under the appearances of bread and wine. This is what Jesus taught, and this is what Catholics have believed since the very dawn of the Church.



#### THE ADORATION CHAPEL SIGN-UP,

CHOOSE A TIME ONLINE AT  
ST. MARY'S WEBSITE:  
<https://stmarys.tn.org/adoration/>

Please enter the chapel by way of the chapel door which is located on the South side of the Church. If you have any questions, please contact: Sharon Loucks at [louckss@att.net](mailto:louckss@att.net).

The Parish Office will be closed each day, 11am-11:10am for a daily prayer gathering.  
You are invited to join us, if you're in the vicinity.

For information about Mass Intentions,  
call 731.668.2596.

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## YOUR GIFTS TO GOD & PARISH

### St. Mary's Catholic Church

Weekly Offertory  
 May Weekly Offertory Goal Numbers are unavailable this week.  
 Total Offertory to Date  
 Offertory Goal to Date

**Generations of Generosity Pledges**      \$1,797,267.64  
 (Families 358) Pledges paid:      \$1,238,967.64

## Adult Sunday School

FORMATION AND FRIENDSHIP

**9:30-10:15AM, Our Lady of Africa Room**  
**FAITH SHARING & SUNDAY READINGS DISCUSSION**  
 Also, join our Wednesday morning Scripture study group,  
 10:00am, Our Lady of Africa Room.

**NOTE: Sessions are now on hold for the summer and will resume in August. Watch the bulletin for starting dates.**



Learn about the Catholic Faith!  
 Sundays, 9:10-10:20am,  
 Our Lady of Lourdes Room.

June 7 TOPIC: Priesthood & Religious Life



Are you or a loved one interested in joining the Catholic Church?  
 Explore the Catholic Faith. Invite friends, family, co-workers! For information, call Maximilian Hart in the Parish office.

**55+ TRAVEL GROUP upcoming trip to Peoria, Ill., AUG. 25th-AUG.28th**

Experience the Fulton J. Sheen museum, including a visit to the bishop's burial site at the Cathedral of Mary of the Immaculate Conception.

\$100 down, per person. Reservations are limited to the first 45 sign-ups. Need info and/or make a reservation? Call Don LaFont at 731-513-3088.



Family Faith Formation Information

St. Mary's Family Faith Formation will be opening 2026-2027 registration soon! Go to [stmarys.tn.org/fff](http://stmarys.tn.org/fff) to add your child's name to the notification waitlist.



## KNIGHTS KORNER

Sharing the work & news of our Knights with St. Mary's parishioners.  
**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ROSARY**



Every Monday at 6:00pm. in the Church.

**MEN'S PRAYER GROUP, 7:30am—8:20am, every first and third Thursday in the Knight's Hall**

Want more information? Call or text: 731-487-2008

**FOR INFO REGARDING THE KNIGHTS**, contact Grand Knight Dennis Arendt at [breeze4114@bellsouth.net](mailto:breeze4114@bellsouth.net) or **JOIN ONLINE** at [kofc.org/join](http://kofc.org/join) and enter Council 1101.

## Vacation Bible School

IS BACK!

We're excited to welcome children from our community to learn about Jesus and his Sacraments.

Kindergarten through 5th grade  
 July 27-31,  
 8am-12pm  
 At St. Mary's School  
 \$50 each (\$100 max per family)

Scan to Register



Volunteers, 6th grade and up, register here



Donations help cover snacks, crafts, and supplies for the week. Any amount is a blessing. Please mark your gift "VBS" on the envelope or memo line.

Contact [bekah.hart@pm.me](mailto:bekah.hart@pm.me) for more information

Sympathy, Encouragement, Get Well, & More

Our June Contact:  
 Anne Sain  
[asain@acneas.net](mailto:asain@acneas.net)



Card Ministry

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## YOUTH MINISTRY

This summer, the Youth group will not meet regularly until the Fall/Start of 2026-2027 school year. Sign-up online at <https://stmarys.tn.org/youth/>

**Please consider giving a donation to help fund the kids trip to Steubenville. Scan QR code to give online or give at the Parish office or send by mail to St. Mary's church.**



## Celebrate Life

Please pray for the women in our parish who are with child.



Dear Heavenly Father,  
we ask you to protect the little babies who are being knit together in their mothers' wombs. Comfort their mothers & fathers during the time they are growing & developing. Lord Jesus, give these smallest of persons the strength to come into this world, to fully participate in your creation. Send your Holy Spirit to infuse their souls with love for you. After long, healthy, & loving lives, bring them safely home to you. Amen.

### Expectant Mothers:

Ana Hefley  
Hannah Maxwell  
Rebekah Hart  
Kirsten Brandt  
Shelby Elizabeth Morgan  
Janay Ezeofor

### Congratulations to:

Sydney Moore  
Brandi Taylor  
Emily Hazlehurst  
Audrey Davis

**Contact:** To add to this list, receive meals, or to support these moms: Email Gretchen at [Gretchen.Longeway@stmarys.tn.org](mailto:Gretchen.Longeway@stmarys.tn.org)

## Prayer Requests

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|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Abellana, Felisa      | Franey, Judith         | Okolo, Joseph            |
| Adams, Grant          | Galang, Remedios       | Osgood, Philip           |
| Adams, Teresa         | Geibel, Stephanie      | Osses, Jose Maria        |
| Allison, James & Judy | Gill, John             | Overbey, Michael         |
| Antique, Daisy        | Gill, Rose             | Penwell, Lee             |
| Antique, Julie        | Goethals, Kyle         | Powers, Cindy            |
| Antonia, Maria        | Gokim, Eugene          | Preston, Anderson        |
| Arendt, Dennis        | Grant, Susan           | Quinton, Alquin          |
| Arendt, Brenda        | Grant, Phillip         | Quinton, Jun             |
| Babcock, Craig        | Grijalva, Montaño      | Quinton, Lourdes         |
| Bargiachi, Charlie    | Gurrola, Catalina      | Ragan, Phillip           |
| Bateman, Margo        | Gurrola, Martha C.     | Randolph, Ed             |
| Batesil, Mamerto      | Gyenge, Lorraine       | Regenhold, Lynn          |
| Bautista, Laura       | Harmon, Sherri         | Rodriguez, Jesus Mata    |
| Beach, Jayden         | Harrell, Deborah       | Rogers, Steven           |
| Beals, Gerry          | Henke, Max             | Russell, David           |
| Beare Family          | Herndon, Eddie         | Sabella, Marsha          |
| Beare, Peggy          | Holt, Carol Kay        | Sala, Lou                |
| Bell, Carmen          | Howell, Cash           | Sain, Anne               |
| Benjamin, Rick        | Hulderman, Bobbie      | Samonte, Alma            |
| Blanton, Dottie       | Hughes, Roger          | Samonte, Josephine       |
| Bonds, Karolyn        | Ivory, Julie & James   | Sanchez, Fernando        |
| Brady, Jim            | Johns, Brian           | Sanders, James           |
| Brown, Kailyn         | Johnson, Paula         | Sandlin, Janice          |
| Browning, Geneva      | Johnson, Theresa       | Scheele, Angelina "Bong" |
| Bryant, Martha        | Jones, Betty           | Schoenbacher, Martha     |
| Buehler, Vince        | Jones, Brian           | Scott, Franklin          |
| Cabo, Grace           | Jones, Glen            | Schutt, Gabriel          |
| Cano, Carmen          | Jones, Jonathan        | Sessions, Liz Atkins     |
| Carpenter, Brad       | Jones, Rhonda          | Smith, Elias, Jr.        |
| Chavez, Maria G.      | Kain, Otto             | Smith, Gary              |
| Cherry, Jason         | Keyes, Ken             | Smith, Mike              |
| Chioco, Ernesto       | Kirkpatrick, Kim Abell | Smith, Patricia          |
| Chioco, Nida          | Lay, Tyler             | Solberg, Charles         |
| Clark, Juanita        | Leon, Diego            | Solberg, Marie           |
| Clift, Dorothy        | Leon, Manuel           | Soto Corpus, Victor      |
| Collins, Jared        | Londino, Joe           | Speechley, Jean          |
| Cone, Marion          | Luy, Suzanne Joy       | Stachura, David          |
| Coons, Adam & Family  | Lycette, Missi         | Storms, Mary             |
| Crosnoe, Jimmy        | Manes, Adoracion       | Strazzella, Chris        |
| Cummings, Chris       | Manes, Jomar           | Strazzella, Larry & Mona |
| Davis, Dorothy        | Manes, Lolita          | Sturgis, Larry           |
| Davis, Eddie          | Markowski, Diane       | Styers, William          |
| Davis, Heather        | Marshall, Phyllis      | Taylor, Edna             |
| Davis, Ronald         | Masters, Thomas        | Thomas, Nicole           |
| Day, Barbara          | Mata, Melissa          | Timby, Bryan             |
| DeArmitt, Becky       | Mayfield, Bill         | Todd, Mary & Norris      |
| Diaz, Aurelio         | McCage, Amy Lynn       | Tyson, Diane             |
| Diaz, Luz Elena       | McLeary, Ralph         | Ubelhor, Wayne           |
| Doumitt, Deedee       | Mercado, Pacita        | Vars, Elaine             |
| Durning, Maureen      | Meyer, Jill            | Vucina, Maggie           |
| Dwyer, Charles        | Meyer, Michelle        | Walker, Earl             |
| Dwyer, Mark           | Meyers, Karen          | Walker, Robert           |
| Dwyer, Polyhanne      | Miller, Laurene Rose   | Ward, Dan                |
| Dwyer, Sally          | Miller, Michael        | Warmath, Marvin          |
| Edds, Wanda           | Miracle, Jordan        | White, John              |
| Edelen, Nancy J.      | Mitchelson, Joe        | Williams, Anna Katharine |
| Edwards, Carter       | Moody, Lois            | Williams, Lenda          |
| Ellington, Lisa       | Moore, Leah            | Wilson, Joan             |
| Ferri, Alex           | Morrison, Libby        | Wood, Debra              |
| Filomeno, Jose Juan   | Moss, Peggy            | Wyatt, Sherri            |
| Flores, Melissa       | Neal, Mary             | Young, Christian         |
| Franks, Grayson       | Nunn, Marvin           | Young, Eveline           |

## ST. MARY'S HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP | 9TH-12TH GRADE

# SUMMER Hangouts 2026

**BOWLING BASH**  
A night of fun at the Jackson Bowling and Skating Family Fun Center!  
**JUNE 10 WED.**  
\$6 | 6-8:15pm

**MOVIE NIGHT #1**  
See Toy Story 5 in theaters at Empire 8  
**JUNE 23 TUES.**  
\$7.68 | time TBD

**BREAKOUT HANGOUT**  
Epic Escape Room in Humboldt followed by Sonic!  
**JULY 08 WED.**  
\$18 | 5:45-8pm

**STEUBY 10TH-13TH**  
**STL & 6 FLAGS**

**POOL PARTY**  
Swimming and games with a cookout!  
**JULY 22 WED.**  
FREE | 4:30-8pm

**MOVIE NIGHT #2**  
See Spiderman: Brand New Day in theaters at Empire 8!  
**AUG. 04 TUES.**  
\$7.68 | time TBD

To be able to participate in any of our SUMMER HANGOUTS, you **must** complete the registration form using the QR code.



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### Homebound & Senior Citizens' Corner

Column Prepared by  
**Maggie-Poole Vucina**

Phone: 731-664-8328

Call Maggie for help in locating any tradesman (carpenter, electrician, housecleaner, etc.) any home-health/medical or non-medical agency or for prayer cards: **O BLESSED MOTHER, PRAY FOR THE USA & EVENING PRAYER OF ST. AUGUSTINE.**

#### NEWS YOU CAN USE

The **NATIONAL COUNCIL ON AGING (NCOA)** is a non-profit advocacy & service organization that focuses on joining the efforts of govt., businesses & non-profits to improve the lives of older adults.



If you're looking for resources that support physical or financial well-being for you or a loved one, you can get email sent directly to you from NCOA with resources that match your interests. Go here: <https://www.ncoa.org/our-sponsors/>

#### UPCOMING FEAST DAYS AND SPECIAL DAYS:

**Thurs., June 11** FEAST DAY of **St. Barnabas**, a Jew from Cyprus - comes as close as anyone, outside the TWELVE, as being a full-fledged APOSTLE. He was closely associated with St. Paul; he introduced Paul to Peter & the other Apostles & he served as a kind of mediator between the former persecutor & the still suspicious Jewish Christians. He is the patron saint of the Mediterranean island of Cyprus.

**Sat., June 13** Feast Day of **St. Anthony of Padua** – a 13<sup>th</sup> century Portuguese priest & Doctor of the Church – He is one of the most beloved saints in the Catholic Church. He was a Franciscan Biblical scholar known for his oratorical gifts. **He is patron saint of finding lost objects** because legend speaks of many incidents in which lost items were recovered after sharing prayers with him. He is also credited with miracles involving lost people.

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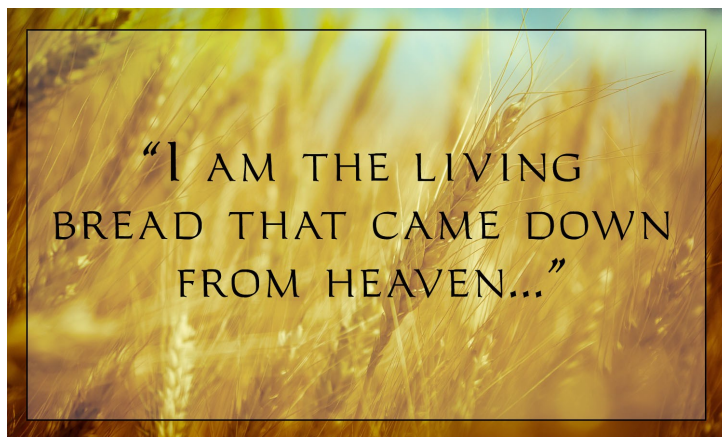
**“The life of the body is the soul, the life of the soul is Christ.”**  
—St. Anthony of Padua



#### Life in Spirit Prayer Group

Join us on the 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 6 p.m. in Our Lady of Fatima Room.

For more info, email Sharon at [sacreiter@gmail.com](mailto:sacreiter@gmail.com).



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