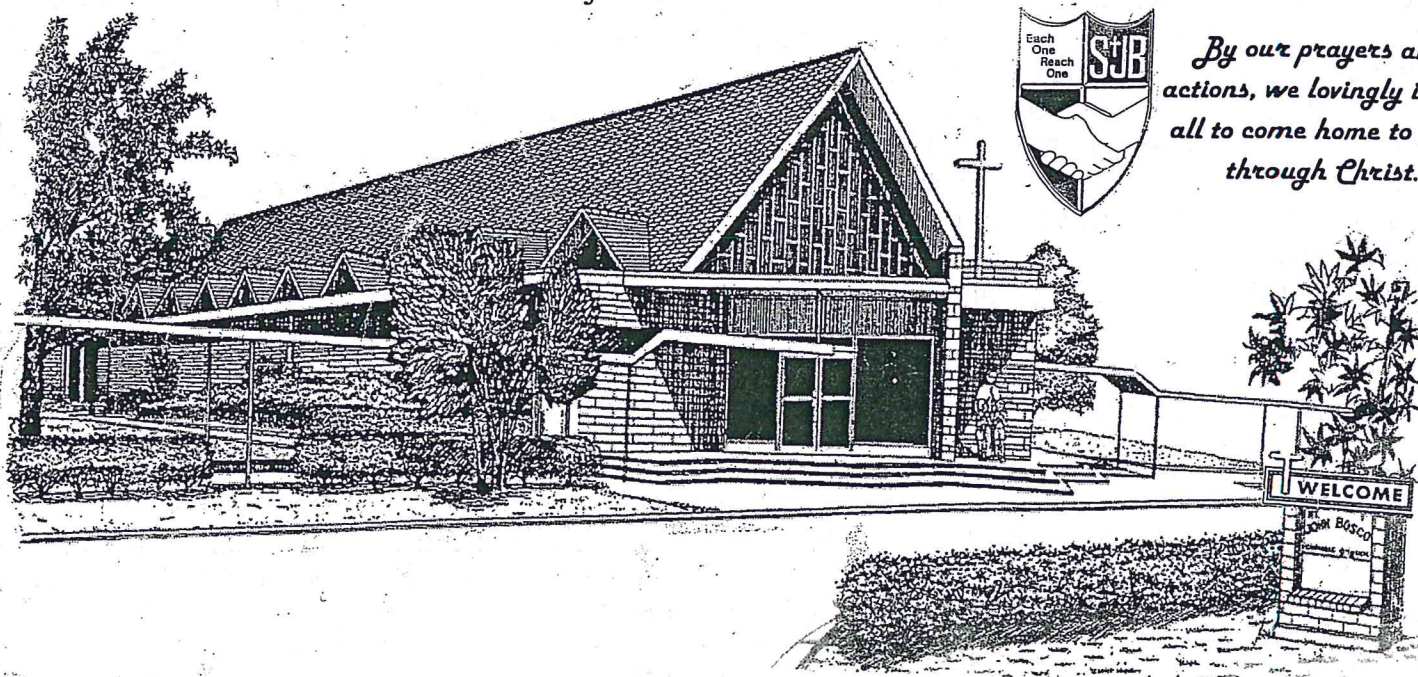


ST. JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

A caring and dedicated people of God

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Weekend Mass Schedules:

Saturday: 4:00pm
Sun. 8am, 10am, 5pm

Weekday Mass Schedule:

Mon. Tues. Wed. 8am/12:05pm
Thurs. 6:15 / 12:05pm
Fri. 8am / 12:05pm
Sat. 8am / 4pm Vigil Mass

Office Hours:

Monday thru Thursday: 8am - 3pm
Friday: 8am - 12:00 Noon

Sacrament of Penance:

Saturday: 3:00pm - 3:45pm
Friday: 7:15am - 7:45am
Mon. thru Fri. 11:30am

Sacrament of Marriage:

Contact Parish Priest/Deacons
before setting date, at least
six months in advance

Baptism: Contact office

Anointing of Sick: Available anytime. Call office for assistance.

Eucharistic Adoration

Mon. thru Fri.
8:00am - 10:00pm

Black Apostolate:

Ethel Ross
Michelle Jackson

Bereavement

Wilda Brown
Chad Brown

Liturgy

Deacon Reed

Youth

Kayla Crittenden

Food Pantry

JoAnn Racca

Diocesan Website

www.lcdiocese.org

KC Hall 439-0040

KC Hall Rental 439-6095

Pastoral Staff:

Rev. Jenesh Joseph, HGN, Pastor
In residence: Rev. Mike Barras
Deacons: Fred Reed
J.G. Caraway, Jr.

Office Staff:

Ethel Chiasson, Bookkeeper
Carolyn Campbell, Secretary

Religious Education: 439-6585

Deacon Fred Reed
Barbara Hogan/Judy Reed

Housekeeper: Penny Chiasson

Maintenance: Melanie Faul
Bruce Pickett

Trustees: Harold Taylor/Wayne Fleming

Pro-life: Deacon Caraway

Sick/Homebound: Deacon Caraway
Deacon Reed

St. Louis High School: 436-7275

Our Lady's School: 527-7828



Thinking we know a person is the surest way to never really know them. Putting confidence in our own impressions can prevent us from learning about someone, or even learning anything from them. It's as if our preconceptions drop a veil in front of our eyes, blinding us to what they really are. How many times have you heard (or even said) "I never thought they could be like this! It's as if I never knew him/her at all." That same false trust in our own perception can block us from the true Jesus as well. We build up a picture in our imagination of what Jesus is like, and then try to force Him to stick within our limits. It can take a miracle to force us out of those mental ruts, to tear away the veil and let us see Him. Then, just as the disciples were at the Transfiguration, we are dazzled by who Jesus really is. We are stunned into worship and truly acknowledge Him as the Son of God. Have you been to the mountaintop in your own life yet? Take a trudge up the hillside today—the view is amazing.

Sanctuary Lights this week is for dec. of Hollingsworth family and dec. of Mae Hanagriff. Mass intentions:

Mon. 8am Loretta/Daniel/Jana Hunsicker **Mon.** 12:05pm **Tue.** 8am J. Fronterhouse **Tue.** 12:05pm Gloria Carpenter
Wed. 8am Loretta/Daniel/Jana Hunsicker **Wed.** 12:05pm Nolan Fontenot/dec. of Nolan & Alvis Fontenot **Thu.**
6:15am Bill Sampson **Thu.** 12:05pm Alvin Geheb **Fri.** 8am Kerry Langley, Daniel/Jana/Loretta Hunsicker, Nolan
Fontenot/dec. of Nolan & Alvis Fontenot, Gene Rybicki/dec. of Gene & Jerri Rybicki, dec. of Geheb & Campbell fami-
lies/Jackson Murray **Fri.** 12:05pm Dee Howe **Sat.** 8am Chris Claudel **Sat.** 4pm Lottie Hooper/Rhonda Myer/Debbie
Lavergne, M/M Eddie Hebert, Nolan Fontenot/dec. of Nolan & Alvis Fontenot, Gene Rybicki/dec. of M/M Gene Ry-
bicki, Charlie Onxley/M/M Arthur Boudreaux, Dalton Henry, Sr., Tammy Lemaire/liv. & dec. of Bartel and Guidry
families, Howard Landry/dec. parents/family members of Reed and Landry families, Debbie Pickle, Ella Mae/Heard/
Bob/Earl Bertrand, Wilson Higginbotham/liv. & dec. of Ora & Wilson Higginbotham **Sun.** 8am Kerry Langley, Daniel
Hunsicker/Jana Hunsicker/Loretta Hunsicker, liv. & dec. of M/M Jack Jenkins, Dalton Henry, Sr. **Sun.** 10am "Pro
Populo," Ted Viator, Landus Melder, Angie Broussard, Wilson Bernard, Pudge Roy, Melanie Godeaux/dec. of Fu-
selier & Godeaux families, M/M Ray Hollingsworth/Snubby Reeves/Todd Juranka/Kenzie Roden/Aaron Golden/
Monica Gillard/dec. of M/M Bobby Cholley **Sun.** 5pm Anthony Bruette/liv. & dec. of Bruette family, Floyd Guillory

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Congratulations to *Kendrick Guidry*, our faithful parish-
ioner, who was elected "Attorney of the Year" by the Black
Business Honors. This is an annual "Soul Food" Banquet
Award to honor local owners and Black businesses as well
as encourage an entrepreneurial spirit and networking in the
Black community. Well deserved, Kendrick!!

Pictorial...Because we have had a good response for the
Pictorial, we have run out of times for pictures. We will get
another day to have pictures taken, so if you have not signed
up for a picture, call the church office during office hours
and give us your name and phone number and we will call
you when we have a date.

Liturgical Music...We are needing musicians to assist at
the Masses on the weekends: pianists, organists, guitarists,
etc. Anyone interested in helping out in this ministry, please
contact the office or Carolyn Campbell at 337-515-5210.
We do realize the commitment it takes for any ministry of
the Church, but we are asking for at least part-time musi-
cians if that is all can do. Thank you in advance.

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Prayer for Priests

O Jesus, Eternal Priest, look down with love upon Thy
priests. Fill them with burning zeal for the conversion of sin-
ners. Keep them within the shelter of Thy Sacred Heart. Keep
unstained their anointed hands which daily touch Thy Sacred
Body. Keep unsullied their lips purpled with Thy precious
Blood. Keep pure and unearthly their hearts sealed with
the sublime marks of Thy glorious priesthood. Let Thy holy
love protect them from the world's contagion. Bless their la-
bors with abundant fruit, and may the souls to whom they
minister on earth be one day their joy and consolation in
heaven. Amen.

Please pray for those in the military: 1st Lt. Patrick Hennigan,
1S2 Christopher Hennigan, Sgt. Robert Guillory, Cpl Joseph
Malbrough, Spc Jonathan Webb, CW-3 Greg Chance, Nicki Nor-
wood, Jesse Dixon, IV, SSC Chris Jordan, Kevin Wall, Sgt. Da-
mien Stelly, Staff Sgt. Nicholas Veillon, E-9 Melissa Judkins,
Cpl. Aaron LaFleur, Pvt. Pat Westbrook, Sgt. Stephen Burrough,
Adam Allemond, Sgt. Duane Malbrough, E-5 Graig Malbrough,
Sgt. Bryan Garcia, E-6 Joseph Bryant, Jr., SPC Linda Almond,
Staff Sgt. Dennis Shriver, Staff Sgt. Tammy Shreve, Pct. Branden
Guillory, Capt. Scott LeJeune, Pfc. Spc. Corey Aguillard, Sgt.
Robert LeBlanc, Rikki Hicks, Pfc. John Aycock, Pvt. Sean
Dempkowski, STSI (SS) Matthew Baird, Sgt. Cavander, E-4
Specialist Ethan Quebodeaux, E-4 Kenneth Eckert, E-3 Dillan
Perkins, Sgt. Sean Baird, Lt. Darren Cormier, Shane Fontenot,
Nick Broussard, Msgt. Karl Goke, Sgt. Jamie Clausen, LCpl
Kevin Lavine, II, SPC Kevin Henry, Gavin Leger, Andrew
Fontenot Kowelewski.

Liturgical Ministers for March 14 / 15

4pm Lector Mary Ecter

Com. Cradures/Ecter/Miller/Meche/Martarona

A.S. Denise Rougeou / Ginger Miller

8am Lector Dr. Paul Vidrine

Com. Guidry/Pickett/Vidrine/Hoffpauir/Malveaux/Scott

A.S. Chad Brown / Destiny Wilrye / Zac Jenkins

10am Lector Al Gary

Com. Cholley/Dautriel/Cradure/Victory If needed: Mary/Tracy

A.S. Wyatt Comeaux / Peyton Kile / Connor Myers

5pm A.S. Aiden Jenkins / Matilda Boyette



Pray for the sick: Brent/Kenny Borill, Colin/Dominic/Kaleb Romito, Don/Gerald Geheb, Eula Rae Buller, Sarah/Eugene Rybicki, Sharon Boxie, Wava Pousson, Nicholas Belaire, Debbie Lacassin, Tina Lyons, Paul Fronterhouse, Butch Brown, Matt Fruge, Davis Verret, Brenda Carver, Helen Guillory, Pam Hennigan, Dianne Thibodeaux, Cameron Seal, Donna Reeves, Fred Joanen, Phoenix Cox, Maxine Crocker, Suzanne Daughdrill, Becky Theriot, Barbara/Jerry Guillory, M.C. Smith, Ricky Fabacher, Brody Anderson, Fr. Ed Brunnert, Fr. Mike Barras, Melissa Carpenter, Kevin Burleigh, Avery Spadafora, Rick Williams, Kathy Cardino, Leon Dautriel, Ned Dautriel, Dianne Bertrand, Eli & Jeanette Richard, Kevin Diehi, Nora Broussard, Keith Hanagriff, Gail Nettles, Delton/Jeanine Matte, Jeanette Peck, Phyllis Malveaux, Natalie Savell, J. Comeaux, Calvin Broussard, Sr., Glenn Vidrine, Jeff Hunsicker, Regina Hidalgo, Geneva Veillon, Charlotte Colosky, Cheryl Cornner, Rush boys, Dyane Elliott, Sifton Fuselier, Pudge Roy, Annette Trahan, Reece/Michael/Danny/Carys Camel, Chrissy Simpson, John & Lucy LeJeune, Toni Reed, Emma/Stephen/Vicky Griffin, James & Joseph Richard, Donna Onxley, Carol Ripoll, Homer Stevens, Ruby/Joseph/Martin Dugar, Ethel Ross, Imari Elliott, Joey & Rachel Glass, Ross McBride, EllaRose McBride, Nikki Stewart, Gary Zaughan, Curtis Darbonne, Lori Ogea, Wilbert Dugas.

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**Parish Support—** March 1.....\$8,379.50  
Building Fund.....\$1,435.00  
Ash Wednesday.....\$1,334.00  
2nd collection next weekend: American Bishop's  
Overseas Appeal (Catholic Relief Services).  
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SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK...

March 8—Second Sunday of Lent

Genesis 12: 1 - 4 Psalm 33: 4 - 22

2 Timothy 1: 8 - 10 Matt. 17: 1 - 9

March 9—Lenten Weekday

Daniel 9: 4 - 10 Luke 6: 36 - 38

March 10—Lenten Weekday

Isaiah 1: 10 - 20 Matt. 23: 1 - 12

March 11—Lenten Weekday

Jeremiah 18: 18 - 20 Matt. 20: 17 - 28

March 12—Lenten Weekday

Jeremiah 17: 5 - 10 Luke 16: 19 - 31

March 13—Lenten Weekday

Genesis 37: 3 - 28 Matt. 21: 33 - 46

March 14 - Lenten Weekday

Micah 7: 14 - 20 Luke 15: 1 - 32

March 15—Third Sunday of Lent

Exodus 17: 3 - 7 Psalm 95: 1 - 9

Romans 5: 1 - 8 John 4: 5 - 42



In the Parish this week

Monday -- *Bible class in Dolan Hall at 8:30am and 6pm ***Catholic Daughters meeting** at 6pm.

Tuesday -- *~~Young-at-Heart~~ covered-dish supper at 5pm. ***Women's Scripture class.** ***KC meeting.**

Wednesday -- ***Men's Scripture 6am.** ***First Penance at 6:30pm.** ***St. Joseph Altar for CCD.**

Thursday -- Men's ACTS Retreat begins.

Friday -- ***Stations of the Cross** at 8:30am & 6pm. ***Fish Fry Dinners** at Dolan Hall. Call 802-0683 or 439-7634 to order. No deliveries.

Next Sunday -- Men's ACTS Return Mass.

COMING UP...

March 21—2020 Festival Pageant.

March 26—31—Church Pictorial.

March 29—Commissioning of Teen ACTS 5pm

March 31—Penance Night 5:30pm-7pm.

April 6, 7, 8 (Holy Week) Confessions 5:30-6:30pm

April 18 – Festival Live Auction.

April 19—First Holy Communion.

April 24-26—**Church Festival.**

May 17—Graduation Mass at 10am.

May 24—Fundraiser for EllaRose McBride.

IN THE AREA...

At the St. Charles Center...855-1232

An Evening of Mercy and Forgiveness on Tuesday, April 7, from 5-7pm. At 5pm, the Blessed Sacrament will be enthroned for any who may wish to spend a Holy Hour. Confessions will be available. Pre-registration is not required for this event.

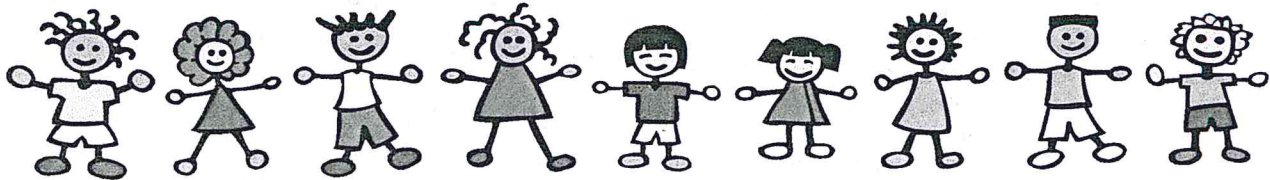
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Men's Cursillos for 2020: April 23-26; June 25-28; Sept. 17-20 **Women's Cursillos for 2020:** May 21-24; July 16-19; Oct. 8-11. **Renewal weekend for men:** May 29-31 and **for women:** Nov. 20-22. Call Loren Victory for more information at 337-513-6282.

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Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church in Jennings has launched a fundraiser project of collecting (**clean**) **old or new shoes of all kinds:** men's shoes, women's shoes, and children's shoes. Their goal is to collect 12,000 pairs of shoes by April 15. We have a box in the front entrance of the church to put them

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For those interested in learning more about the Priesthood, St. Joseph Seminary is hosting a *Come and See Weekend* April 3-5. The weekend is a time for young men 16 years of age and older to learn about vocations. There is no cost. Call Fr. Starkovich at 337-725-3719 or visit <http://lvocations.com> to register.

PRAY FOR THE UNBORN.

KIDDIE LAND needs your help!



Our annual SJB church festival is coming up, and we have big changes coming to Kiddie Land. We are adding multiple new games for all ages! We can't wait for you to see all the new additions! We are asking our fellow parishioners to help us bring Kiddie Land to its full potential. We are hoping to have a total of 11 new and exciting games for our youth. We are asking for your help to supply different types of prizes for these new booths. It can be anything from stuffed animals you are ready to part with, play-doh, slime, slinkys, candy, pens, or anything you think would be appealing to our youth. You can also find prizes on amazon or oriental trading. We will be happy to meet you at Dolan hall or you can call me, Hayli Broussard @ 337-884-7288, and I'll be happy to pick them up from you. If you would like to make a monetary donation please put cash in an envelope labeled Kiddie Land. You can put it in the collection basket at Mass or drop it off at the church office. We are grateful and so appreciative of any help we can receive. I ask that you pray with us for the success of the festival this year.

Thank you again,

Hayli Broussard

