

ST. JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Wayne Fleming

Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday

April 11, 2021



MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 4pm Vigil Mass

Sunday: 8am, 10am, 5pm

Weekdays Masses:

Monday - Friday: 8am

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Friday: 7am-7:45am

Saturday: 3pm-3:45pm

Sunday: 7am-7:45am

ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Daughters

KPC Ladies Auxiliary

Ladies Altar Society

Knights of Columbus

Knights of Peter Claver

Rosary Group

Youth LifeTeen

Church Offering

April 4 \$11,093 Building Fund \$1,036

Festival...\$1,100 BSA...\$ 0

Holy Thursday \$269 Holy Land \$814

2nd Collection next weekend:

Seminarians.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday

9am to 12 noon.

For the Sacrament of Baptism,
Marriage, Anointing of the Sick, and
Communion to the Homebound,
call the office for an appointment.

*April is the
Month of The
Holy Spirit.*



Mass Intentions – April 11-April 18

Mon. 8am **Tues. 8am** **Wed. 8am** **Thurs. 8am** **Fri. 8am** Charles Scoggins **Sat. 4pm** Tom Hooper/Thomas Hooper, Tran family/Unborn babies, Finley Hilliard, Danny Landreneau, Kenneth & Linda Newman, Mr. Jimmie Ashworth/Alice Ashworth, Nolan Fontenot, Charlie Onxley/M/M Arthur Boudreaux/M/M Aubrey Boudreaux, Gene Rybicki/dec. of M/M Gene Rybicki, Dalton Henry, Sr., Tammy Lemaire/liv. & dec. of Bartel and Guidry families, Howard Landry/dec. parents/family members of Reed/Landry families, Debbie Pickle, Ella Mae/Heard/Bob/Earl Bertrand **Sun. 8am** Rebecca Rowland, Kerry Langley, liv. & dec. of M/M Jack Jenkins, Dalton Henry, Sr., **Sun. 10am** Charles Scoggins, Glenn Viator, Sue Kelly, Jewel Buller, Wilson Bernard/dec. of Wilson & Rose Bernard, M/M Ray Hollingsworth/Aaron Golden/Kenzie Roden/Todd Juranka/Monica Gillard/dec. of M/M Bobby Cholley, Melanie Godeaux/dec. of Fuselier & Godeaux families, Campbell/Geheb/Fronterhouse families/Chris Claudell/Jackson & Therese Murray/Ross Broussard/Kelly Cloud **Sun. 5pm** Anthony & Eula Bruette/liv. & dec. of Bruette family, Glenn McDonald, Sr./Hannah Schroeder/John & Annis Lunn

REMINDER...If anyone would like to offer Masses for various intentions or for a special occasion (anniversaries, birthdays, etc.), call the office to submit the name/names and book the date.

Pray always for the sick. Remember Diane Bruette Elliott, Jean Brewington, Glenn Vidrine, Brent Borill, Eula Buller, Wava Pousson, Davis Verrett, Phoenix Cox, Rick Williams, Ella Rose McBride, Colin/Dominic/Kaleb Romito, John & Lucy LeJeune, Cameron Seal, Gail Nettles, Nora Broussard, Kevin Burliegh, Lori Ogea, Geneva Scott, Keith Hanagriff, Imari Elliott, James People, Dorothy Goode, Leon Dautriel, Curtis Darbonne, Fr. Brunnert, Sharon Boxie, Charlotte Colosky, Calvin Broussard, Tina Aymond, Donna Onxley, Kathy Cradure, Melissa Carpenter, Eli & Jeanette Richard, Emma/Stephen/Vicki Griffin, Toni Reed, Cheryl Cornner, Rush brothers, Avery Spadafora, Becky Theriot, James & Joseph Richard, Debbie Lacassin, Ned Dautriel, Sifton Fuselier, Delton Matte, Alvis Fontenot, Susan Martarona, Wilbert Dugas, Wayne Robertson, Angela/Eric/Carys Camel, Clint Hudson, Shelly Chisholm, Marvin Kelly.



Pray for those in the military..



1st Lt. Patrick Hennigan, Christopher Hennigan, Sgt. Robert Guillory, Cpl. Joseph Malbrough, Spc. Jonathan Webb, CW-3 Greg Chance, Nicki Schultz, Jesse Dixon, SSC Chris Jordan, Kevin Wall, Sgt. Damien Stelly, Staff Sgt. Nicholas Veillon, E-9 Cpl. Aaron Lafleur, Pvt. Pat Westbrook, Sgt. Stephen Burrough, Adam Allemond, Sgt. Bryan Garcia, Andrew Kowelewski, Gavin Leger, Jamie Clausen, Kevin Lavine, II, SPC Kevin Henry, Msgt. Karl Goke, Nick Broussard, Shane Fontenot, Staff Sgt. Tammy Schreve, Pct. Branden Guillory, Capt. Scott LeJeune.

TOGETHER IN HOLINESS

Conference Series

For all married and engaged couples on
Saturday, May 15, 10:30am-5:30pm at
Camp Karol in Moss Bluff.

*Dynamic Presentations/Mass/Childcare/
Eucharistic Adoration/Reconciliation.*

Registration:\$59/couple and \$35/single

Early Bird discount until April 12.

Scholarships available.

For more info, visit togetherinholiness.org or
email Amelia@forlifeandfamily.org.

.Reflection for Divine Mercy Sunday

We bestow mercy on someone when they have done something wrong, choosing to refrain from punishing them even when they seem to deserve some penalty, But more than that, the mercy that Jesus taught in the story of the prodigal son, showed to the woman caught in adultery, and offered Peter after he denied Him three times is a mercy that is steeped in empathy, a mercy given to someone who is not able to forgive him or herself. It is when we feel that we are beyond mercy that we stand most in need of God's mercy. It is when we have been wronged by someone who feels that they are beyond mercy that we stand in most need of God's divine mercy. It is when we have been wronged by someone who feels that they are beyond mercy that we are called to imitate our Lord in offering mercy. Not because he or she deserves it; but because without mercy, we are all lost.

Prayer for Priests... *Oh, Jesus, Eternal Father, look down with love upon Thy priests. Fill them with burning zeal for the conversion of sinners. Keep them within the shelter of Thy Sacred Heart. Keep unstained their anointed hands which daily touch Thy Sacred Body. Keep unsullied their purple lips 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 labors with abundant fruit, and may the souls to whom they minister on earth be one day their joy and consolation in heaven. Amen.*

Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in the day of battle; be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell, Satan and all the evil spirits +who prowl about the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

This Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday.

Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed at 3:30pm on Saturday; and again at 9:30am on Sunday.

Also, **Bake Sale** after the Masses sponsored by our Youth.

Thursday—Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 8:30am-6pm. You can sign up for an hour in the front entrance.

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Good Shepherd Sunday is April 25. We are asking for signatures to show love and support for Bishop Provost and diocesan priests and religious. We have a paper for signatures in the front entrance of the church if you wish to sign.

Scholarships for LC Diocesan Catholic Schools... Students in grades K-8 are eligible to receive up to \$4,200 and students entering grades 9-12 up to \$4,500 toward tuition. Deadline is April 15.

Scripture Readings for the week

April 11—Divine Mercy Sunday

Acts 4:32-35

Ps. 118:2-24

1 John 5:1-6

John 20:19-31

Mon. Acts 4:23-31

John 3:1-8

Tues. Acts 2:36-41

John 20:11-18

Wed. Acts 3:1-10

Luke 24:13-35

Thu. Acts 3:11-26

Luke 24:35-48

Fri. Acts 4:1-12

John 21:1-14

Sat. Acts 4:13-21

Mark 16:9-15

April 18—Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 3: 13-19

Ps. 4:2-9

1 John 2:1-5

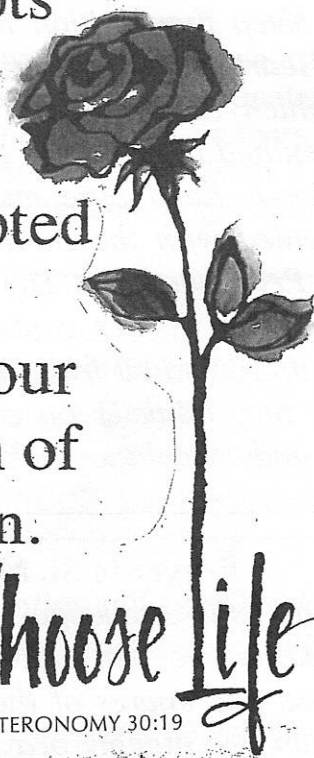
Luke 24:35-48



Bon Voyage Father Jenesh will be leaving for vacation this week to his home in India. Please pray for his safety and to return rested and renewed. Father Mike and Deacon Reed are here for your spiritual needs.

A PRO-LIFE PRAYER

GOD OF ALL GOODNESS,
you have entrusted us with the
gift of life. Help us to appre-
ciate that gift from the first
moments of conception to the
last breaths of old age. Send
your strength to all those who
defend the unborn, the weak,
and the dying against attempts
to cut short their lives. May
your Holy Spirit touch the
hearts of those who are tempted
to choose the way of death
rather than life. Grant that your
people may always be a sign of
your love in the world. Amen.



Choose Life
DEUTERONOMY 30:19