

# ST. JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday 9am to 12 noon

## PASTORAL STAFF

*Pastor: Rev. Rojo A. Palatty Koonathan*  
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Deacon: Fred Reed

## OFFICE STAFF

Secretary: Cindy Graham  
Bookkeeper: Carmel Fazzio  
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## TRUSTEES

Roland Buller  
John Perry

## Finance Council:

Harold Taylor  
Al Gary  
Rodney Robertson  
John Cradure  
Carleen Cormier

## Pastoral Council:

Frank Martarona  
Della Hoffpauir  
Michelle Jackson  
Ethel Ross  
Charlotte Brown

## Building and Renovation Committee

John Cradure  
Roland Buller  
John Perry  
Randy Burleigh  
Al Gary



## ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Daughters  
KPC Ladies Auxiliary  
Ladies Altar Society  
Knights of Columbus  
Knights of Peter Claver  
Rosary Group



## Church Offering

Feb 22.....\$7,707.00  
Festival.....\$1,000.00  
Black/Indian Mis.\$1,717.00  
Cent/East. Euro..\$1,191.00  
Special donation...\$19,850.00

Second Collection next weekend:

BSA

## Second Sunday of Lent Mar. 01, 2026



## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 4pm Vigil Mass  
Sunday: 8am, 10am, 5pm

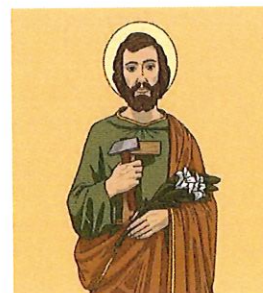
### Weekday Masses:

Tuesday - Friday: 8am  
Monday: - 8am Communion Service

## SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Call the office for  
the Sacrament of Baptism,  
Marriage, Anointing of the Sick / Last Rite and  
Communion to the Homebound.

March is dedicated  
to the St. Joseph



## This Week in the Parish

### ***The Transfiguration***

The story of Jesus's transfiguration calls each of us to examine our own lives. As God's children we are constantly in need of transformation, to become better representations of our beloved savior to the broken world. True spirit-filled transformation requires an open heart and eyes to read God's signs and signals daily, the voice of people and circumstances in our lives. Are we listening or deaf? Stubborn or yielding? Have we sought to be transfigured in His image or are we rennetless holding on to our own plans, our own will? May this feast of the transfiguration become a rededication for each of us to become more like Jesus in all that we say and do.

**Tuesday** - KC Meeting at 6pm

**Wednesday** - CCD continues

**Thursday** -

- ◆ Adoration of the Blessed sacrament from 9am to 6pm

**Friday** -

- ◆ Stations of the Cross after 8am Mass and at 6pm
- ◆ Rosary Group after Stations of the Cross
- ◆ Men's Bible Study at Columbian Club at 6am

### **Scripture Readings for the Week**

#### **Mar 1: The Transfiguration**

Genesis 12:1-4  
2 Tim 1:8-10

Psalms 33:4-22  
Matt 17:1-9

**M.** Daniel 9:4-10

Luke 6:36-38

**T.** Isaiah 1:10-20

Matt 23:1-12

**W.** Jeremiah 18:18-20

Matt 20:17-28

**T.** Jeremiah 17:5-10

Luke 16:19-31

**F.** Genesis 37:3-18

Matt 21:33-46

**S.** Micah 7:14-20

Luke 15:1-32

#### **Mar 8: Third Sunday of Lent**

Exodus 17:3-7  
Romans 5:1-8

Psalms 95:1-9  
John 4:5-42

**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 un-earthly 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.*



### **St. Joseph Altar**

*March 19th, 12pm noon*

at the home of Frank Martarona  
644 Wilkins Rd, DeQuincy, LA.

*Everyone is invited to attend for  
Mass, food, and fellowship.*

### **Flowers for Easter**

Call the church office to  
donate flowers for Easter.



**MASS INTENTIONS**  
Mar 2 - Mar 8

**Mon 8am:** Communion Service **Tues 8am:** Teresa Castro, special intention  
**Wed 8am:** Teresa Castro, special intention **Thurs 8am:** Teresa Castro, special intention  
**Fri 8am:** Jack Picard/dec. of Jack and Patty Picard, special intention


**Sat 4pm:** Our Parish Family

**Sun 8am:** Boudreaux/Klein/Wing families, Iris Benson, dec. of Hooper & Doucet families, Walter Seasock, Charles Manuel/dec. of Charles & Sue Manuel, Charlie Onxley/dec of Charlie & Donna Onxley, Howard Landry/dec. of Howard and Joann Landry, Eugene Rybicki, Rayford Meche, special intention, Rylla Smith, Brenda Carver/dec. of Carver and Baronet families, Clarence Nisser, Heard, Ella Mae, Bob, and Earl Bertrand

**Sun 10am:** Melanie Godeaux/dec. of Godeaux & Fuselier families, Don Campbell/Campbell, Geheb, & Carpenter families, dec. of Bobby & Mary Cholley/M/M Ray Hollingsworth/Todd Juranka/Snubbie Reeves/Kenzie Roden/Aaron Golden/Pat & Monica Gillard, George Ange, Sr.

**Sun 5pm:** liv. & dec. of Bruette family, dec. of Glenn & Mary McDonald/Hannah Schroeder/M/M John Lunn

**Pray for the sick:** Scott Abshire, Elaine Bartell, Paula Bernard, Kathy Borel, Brent Borill, Jared & Kenneth Boudreaux, Calvin Broussard, Nora Broussard, Dyane Bruette, Beth Buller, Kathy Buller, Carys Camel, Dale Claudel, Charlotte Colosky, Marty Comeaux, Glen Cooley, Phoenix Cox, Kathy Cradure, Ruth Daley, Hope Dalton, Curtis Darbonne, Walker & Weston Darnsteadt, Gail Daugherty, Patricia Doucet, Amy Duhon, Hedrick Elliott, Chad & Tony Fazzio, Alvis Fontenot, Herman Fontenot, Jr, Aimee Freeland, Jill Gaines, Buddy & Joyce Glover, Joshia Gray, Emma, Stephen, Vicki, & Tom Griffin, Justin Guidry, Wesley Guillory, Odelia & Earline Hardy, Michael Hennigan, Summer Hicks, Sharon Howell, Jordan Hunsicker, Mary Johnson, Stephen Jordan, Debbie Lacassin, Joyce LeJeune, Frank Martarona, Stella Matthews, Theresa McBride, Jane Neisser, Virginia Newman, Donna Onxley, Enslie Perkins, Patricia Perry, Wayne Pickle, Dan Poss, Dylan Poss, Kerissa Poss, Dax Pressley, Shirley Prewitt, Jammi Racca, Karter Reed, James Richard, Pat Robertson, Kaleb, Colin, & Dominic Romito, Cameron Seal, Tonya Shaw, Justin Simmons, Fay Singer, Avery Spadafora, Katie Richmond Stanley, Jhonna Stutes, Becky Theriot, Kamrie Thomas, John Troquille, Richard and Judy Vail, Virginia Varos, Judy Vidrine, Raleigh Vige, Jr, Wanda Watson, Rick Williams, Brionne Winey, Juliana Young, Joseph Hunsicker, Susan and Theresa Taylor, Lilah Byrd, Sam Smith, II, Shelly Mathews, Dilan McClellan, Evette Ange, Dan/JoAnn Racca, Leonard Boudreaux, Jeff Hunsicker, Kent Ledoux, Gary Lorange, Fr. Mike Schatzle, Mary Duplechain, Shawn Downing, Paul Alley, Barbara Ozane, Davelyn Harris, Steven Thibodeaux, Tony Benard, Annette Leger, David (Moochie) Borel, Wade Malone, Darlene Dinger, Christy Collins, William Trahan, Brant Richard, Hudson Richard, Tonya Duran, Chuck Smith, Kennedy Karg, Caleb Karg, Hadlee Karg, Kameryn Williamson, Brandon Hardesty, Kenny Kyle

**CD News...** 


CCD classes  
each Wednesday

Grades 1&2—3:30-4:30 in the church  
Grades 3&4—3:30-4:30 in KC Hall  
Grades 5&6—4:45-5:45 in the church  
Grades 7&8—4:45-5:45 in the KC Hall  
Grades 9,10,11—6-7:30 in KC Hall

*Let the Children come unto Me.*

**PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY**

Allen Allemond, Nick Broussard, Spec. Cade Camel, Spec. Caraway, PFC Kelly "KC" Caraway, Jr., CW-3 Greg Chance, Jamie Clausen, Spec. Nick Cline, Jesse Dixson, Shane Fontenot, Ryan Garcia, Pct. Branden Guillory, Sgt. Robert Guillory, Capt. Patrick Hennigan, SSC Chris Jordan, Andrew Kowelewski, Cpl. Aaron Lafleur, Kevin Lavine, II, Gavin Leger, Capt. Scott LeJeune, Cpl. Joseph Malbrough, RCT Karah Nolen, PFC Jett Rodgers, Staff Sgt. Tammy Schreve, Christian Sonnier, Sgt. Damien



**Pray for America!!**



**SAVE THE DATES** 

**St. John Bosco Bazaar**  
*April 25 & 26, 2026*

**Auction Dinner**  
*May 2, 2026*

## ***Splinters from the Cross***

*Little headaches, little heartaches,  
Little griefs of every day,  
Little trials and vexations,  
How they throng around our way!*

*One great cross, immense and heavy,  
So it seems to our weak will,  
Might be borne with resignation,  
But these many small ones kill.*

*Yet all life is formed of small things,  
Little leaves make up the trees.  
Many tiny drops of water  
Blending, make the mighty seas.*

*Let us not then by impatience  
Mar the beauty of the whole,  
But for love of Jesus bear all  
In the silence of our soul.*

*Asking Him for grace sufficient  
To sustain us through each loss,  
And to treasure each small offering  
As a splinter from His Cross.*

