

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—FEBRUARY 5, 2023

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8:30 am—Noon—1:00 pm—4:00 pm

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Mass Schedule

Weekend: Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm,

Sunday 8:30 am, 12:05 & 5:30 pm

Weekday: Tuesday—Friday 12:05 p.m.

Holy Day: Vigil 5:30 pm, Day 12:05 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Reconciliation

Saturday, 3:30—4:15p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 11:30 a.m. or by appointment.



5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden.” - Mt 5:14

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Welcome

If you are a visitor to the Cathedral of St. Andrew, we want you to know how welcome you are - whether you have come from across the world, from another part of the country, or from another parish here in the state or city.

MASSES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7--NO MASS

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8--NO MASS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9--NO MASS

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10

12:05 Noon + William Eldridge
Requested by L Carey

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

9:30 a.m. Rosary
4:30 p.m. + M/M Hugh Ruthven
Requested by D. Thrower

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12

8:30 a.m. + Paul Robison
Requested by C. Allen
11:20 a.m. Rosary &
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
12:05 Noon For All Parishioners
5:30 p.m. Special Intention (MCB)
Requested by C. Berg

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 and 12, 24 and 35c/Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday: Gn 1:20–2:4a/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30/Mk 7:14-23
Thursday: Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Mk 7:24-30
Friday: Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 7:31-37
Saturday: Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13/Mk 8:1-10
Sunday: Sir 15:15-20/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34 (1b)/1 Cor 2:6-10/Mt 5:17-37 or
5:20-22a,27-28, 33-34a, 37

STEWARDSHIP

The Cathedral budget anticipates a weekly offering of **\$15,000** for the operating and maintenance expenses of the Cathedral. We are grateful for your faithful stewardship. We offer **ONLINE Giving**, Please visit www.csalr.org.

JANUARY 28-29

FIRST COLLECTION: \$17,631.00 BUILDING MAINTENANCE: \$3,320.00 BLACK & INDIAN MISSIONS: \$1,472.00

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Baptismal Classes: Parents are required to attend a Baptism Class prior to the baptism of their child. For more information or to schedule a class, please contact the Cathedral Office.

Natural Family Planning: Visit ccli.org

Marriage: Please contact Cathedral office *at least* nine months prior to wedding.

Shut-In Visits: Please contact the Cathedral office if you wish to receive Holy Communion.

Prayer Requests: prayerrequests@csalr.org

Catechumenate/R.C.I.A.: Interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, please contact the Cathedral Office.

Religious Education: Please contact the Director or Religious Education at pre@csalr.org.

Parish Council: Meets the 4th Thursday of each month. Email parishcouncil@csalr.org with questions/comments/concerns.

New Parishioners: Registration forms available in the Vestibule or contact the Cathedral Office.

Bulletin Deadline: Friday at 4:00 pm. Please submit bulletin information to info@csalr.org.



RCIA—Have you been thinking about becoming Catholic? Maybe you want to invite your family members, friends and co-workers, and or others to explore what it means to

be Catholic. It is not too late to join the current RCIA sessions. Adult Catholics who have not received the sacrament of Confirmation are welcome to attend. Sessions are held in McDonald Hall on Wednesday's from 5:30-7:15 p.m. A light meal is available at 5:30 each week. For more information call or text Debbie King at 501-231-4193 or email grandmadebbie10@att.net.

BIBLE STUDY—Join us Sunday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass for a study on Early Church History. We will meet in the Education Room of McDonald Hall.

CONFIRMATION—We are spiritually strengthened with the gifts of the Holy Spirit at Confirmation, first received at Baptism: wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety and fear of the Lord. Sunday, February 5 during the 8:30 a.m. Mass, Elizabeth Crone completes her sacraments of initiation with her reception of Confirmation. May this sacrament strengthen her faith and bring her to eternal joy. Elizabeth chose Saint Louise de Marillac, patron of social workers, as her patron. Congratulations Elizabeth!



ANNUAL MARDI GRAS—Purchase your tickets now for our Annual Mardi Gras Dinner and Dance, Saturday, February 11, 5:30 p.m. Tickets are \$20 for Adult and \$5.00 for children ages 5-12. Tables are available for \$150 for 8 and \$180 for 10. Join us for an evening of delicious food, dancing, and shopping at the Silent Auction, and take your photo at our Photo Booth! Silent Auction items are needed. Contact Margie Pullam, 501-350-737, margeaux71@att.net for more information. All proceeds benefit DePaul USA/Jericho Way and the Miracles for Mary Foundation, www.miraclesformary.com.

CATHEDRAL MEN'S GROUP will meet Thursday, February 9 at 6:00 p.m. in McDonald Hall. The meeting will be over by 7:00 p.m. All Men of the Parish are invited. Our upcoming meetings are: Tuesday, February 21, Thursday, March 9, Tuesday, March 21.

THE SEARCH

All of us, whether we are aware of it or not, are seeking something. Deep within our nature is a drive that propels us forward to search for who we are and how we fit into things. Often, we believe that we have found what we were looking for only to find out later that we were mistaken.

The holy season of Lent is a time of searching. We search to find who we truly are. We search our lives to see where we have encountered God and how we might grow closer to Him. We search ourselves, probing our inner selves seeking how we can detach ourselves from our sinfulness and change our lives. With this in mind, the Cathedral of Saint Andrew presents *The Search, a thought provoking series examining our place in God's creation*.

The Search is an innovative video series that tackles the key questions of every human heart. In seven beautifully filmed episodes, Chris Stefanick, and experts from multiple fields of science, medicine, psychology, art, and religion examine our place in the larger story of existence.

Whether you're a practiced inquirer or a jaded skeptic, *The Search* will speak to you. You may be reassured by some parts and challenged by others. Either way, you'll find a lot here to think about. And when all is said and done, life's questions demand to be answered. Are you ready for *The Search*? Watch future bulletins for more information.

PARISH NEWS

FAREWELL MASS & RECEPTION—Dc. Bowen has been serving at the Cathedral as Deacon since 2002. Effect February 1, Dc. Bowen will be transferred to Sacred Heart Church in Hot Springs Village to serve as Deacon with Fr. Bill Elser. Dc. Bowen will preach at all Masses the weekend of February 18-19. Please join us after each Mass for a reception in his honor and to thank him for his many years of service to the Cathedral Parish. He has truly been a blessing to the Cathedral and will be greatly missed.

THE DIARY OF ST. FAUSTINA BOOK CLUB—The



Diary of St. Faustina Book Club meets the 3rd Saturday of the month now through December from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. We currently meet in the Cathedral Office building. For more information, please contact Joey Berg, 501-529-

3296 or Barbara Bender, 501- 352-1160. The next session will be Saturday, February 18. We will discuss entries 95–209. Because of the format of the book, anyone can benefit joining at any point. Everyone is welcome to join the group!



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IF YOU ARE AWARE OF ABUSE OR HAVE BEEN ABUSED BY CLERICS, CHURCH VOLUNTEERS, OR CHURCH WORKERS, PLEASE CONTACT STATE OF ARKANSAS HOTLINE FOR CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN (800) 482-5964 AND THE CHANCELLOR FOR CANONICAL AFFAIRS, Dc. MATTHEW A. GLOVER, 501-664-0340, #361. FOR PASTORAL ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT: DIOCESE OF LITTLE ROCK VICTIM ASSISTANCE COORDINATOR, LAURA GOTTSPONER, 501-664-0340, #425. DIOCESE OF LITTLE ROCK, 2500 N. TYLER STREET, LITTLE ROCK, AR 72207

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

Please pray for Cathedral Seminarians, Dc. Nathan Ashburn and Hong Dai Nguyen, and all Diocesan Seminarians. Dc. Nathan and Hong may be contacted at Assumption Seminary, 2600 W. Woodlawn Ave., San Antonio, TX 78228. Quinton Thomas and Duwan Booker may be contacted at St. Meinrad Seminary & School of Theology, 200 Hill Drive, St. Meinrad, IN 47577.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Those who are ill: Dc. Bill Cranford, David McElyea, Sienna Booth, Louisa Torres, Carol Morris, Natalie Bean, Jeff Neal, Jim Stanton, Jackie Gray, Terry Myers, Ada Carr, Joe Wilson, Twala Daley, Elise Redmond, Carrol Howard, Maria Perez Robles, Sandra Fountain, Brittany Adam, Kimberly Weatherford, Vernon Kasper, Virginia Kasper, William Collie, Debbie Cunningham, Dennis Floor, Skip Smith, C. Kirk, John Zimple, Lori Leslie, D.D. Perry, Benjamin Garcia, Marisol Guerra, Ken, Kiene, Mary Jo Burger, Susan Daughtery, Cynthia Davis, Dc. Joe Harrison, James Whitehead, Abby Short, Louise Ellis, Duel Scroggins.



SPRING 40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN—The 40 Days for Life Spring Campaign begins Wednesday, February 22. The Cathedral’s adopted day is Monday, March 27. Fr. Joseph will join us for the Rosay as we will stand peacefully and pray from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the public right-of-way outside Little Rock Planned Parenthood, 1501 Aldersgate Rd. A Sign-up sheet and other information will be in the vestibule next weekend. For more information contact Diane Moellers at 580-1507 or dianemoellers@sbcglobal.net.



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Vigil location: Planned Parenthood
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Vigil hours: 7 a.m-7 p.m

Local contact:

- Mary Silfies –
- 501-231-8202
- lr40daysforlife@gmail.com

Learn more ... get involved ... and sign up for prayer times by visiting our campaign at the web address shown below!

40daysforlife.com/Littlerock

PHOTO CONTEST—Any Arkansas photographer, 18 or older, can enter their photo of a local Catholic church or institution for a chance to be featured on the cover of the 2024 Diocese of Little Rock Directory. Arkansas Catholic sponsors the annual cover photo contest. The contest entry deadline is March 17. Sr. Maria Rose Carter, OSB, of Holy Angels Convent in Jonesboro won last year’s contest with a photo of a sunlit mosaic depicting St. Benedict. Her photo is featured on the cover of the 2023 directory. Complete rules and an entry form are available on the Arkansas Catholic website, arkansas-catholic.org. For more information, contact Emily Roberts eroberts@dolr.org.

HOLY SOULS ALTAR SOCIETY PRESENTS

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IN THE ALLEN CENTER	VIP PRE-PARTY 5:00 PM	MAIN EVENT-6PM AFTER PARTY-8PM
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(30 plus bottles of wine)
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Questions please email Selina at altarsociety@holysouls.org

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