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Most Reverend Donald E. DeGrood, Bishop

#### LITURGY GUIDE - March 17, 2024 The Fifth Sunday of Lent

Welcome to the Cathedral of St. Joseph and thank you for joining us for the celebration of Holy Mass today! **Please, <u>silence your cell phones</u>** and **refrain from eating, drinking or chewing gum** in the Cathedral. Help keep our Cathedral tidy by utilizing the waste baskets found near the main entrances.

**Please,** <u>do not</u> take pictures during the Mass celebration. You are welcome to take pictures <u>after</u> Mass.

## **INTROIT -** (*AT* <u>9:15 *AM* & 11:00 *AM THE INTROIT IS SUNG BY THE CHOIR DURING THE ENTRANCE PROCESSION*)</u>

Iudica me Deus, et discerne causam	Give me justice, O God, and
meam de gente non sancta: ab	plead my cause against a
homine iniquo et doloso eripe me:	nation that is faithless. From
quia tu es Deus meus, et fortitude	the deceitful and cunning
mea. (Verse) Emitte lucem tuam	rescue me, for you, O God,
et veritatem tuam: ipsa me	are my strength. (Verse) Send
deduxerunt et adduxerunt in	forth your light and your
montem sanctum tuum, et in	truth; these have
tabernacula tua.	led me and brought me to
	your holy mountain and to
	your dwelling place.

# OPENING HYMN (4:00 PM & 7:30 AM)SOUTHWELL621Lord Jesus, Think on Me

#### PENITENTIAL ACT

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, *(striking breast three times) through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault*; Therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

#### THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

#### FIRST READING

#### Jeremiah 31:31-34

The days are coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant I made with their fathers the day I took them by the hand to lead them forth from the land of Egypt; for they broke my covenant, and I had to show myself their master, says the LORD.

But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD.

I will place my law within them and write it upon their hearts; I will be their God, and they shall be my people.

No longer will they have need to teach their friends and relatives how to know the LORD.

All, from least to greatest, shall know me, says the LORD, for I will forgive their evildoing and remember their sin no more.

#### RESPONSORIAL PSALM Psalm 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15 (Refrain sung first by cantor, then congregation repeat)



Cre - ate in me, cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God. Text: Refrain trans., Lectionary for Mass, © 1969, 1981, 1997, ICEL; verses, New American Bible, © 1970, Confraternity of Christian Doctrine Music: Michel Guimont, © 1994, 1998, GIA Publications, Inc.

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your merciful love; according to your great compassion, blot out my transgressions. Wash me completely from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin. **R** 

Create a pure heart for me, O God; renew a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me away from your presence; take not your holy spirit from me.  $\mathbf{R}$ 

Restore in me the joy of your salvation; sustain in me a willing spirit. I will teach transgressors your ways, that sinners may return to you.  $\mathbf{R}$ 

#### SECOND READING

Hebrews 5:7-9

Brothers and sisters:

In the days when Christ Jesus was in the flesh, he offered prayers and supplications with loud cries and tears to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverence.

Son though he was, he learned obedience from what he suffered; and when he was made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him.

# GOSPEL ACCLAMATIONPlease Stand(Sung first by cantor, then congregation repeat)



Whoever serves me must follow me, says the Lord; and where I am, there also will my servant be.  ${\bm R}$ 

#### GOSPEL

#### John 12:20-33

Some Greeks who had come to worship at the Passover Feast came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and asked him, "Sir, we would like to see Jesus."

Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus.

Jesus answered them,

"The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified.

Amen, amen, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit.

Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will preserve it for eternal life.

Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be.

The Father will honor whoever serves me.

"I am troubled now. Yet what should I say? 'Father, save me from this hour'? But it was for this purpose that I came to this hour. Father, glorify your name."

Then a voice came from heaven,

"I have glorified it and will glorify it again."

The crowd there heard it and said it was thunder; but others said, "An angel has spoken to him."

Jesus answered and said,

"This voice did not come for my sake but for yours. Now is the time of judgment on this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw everyone to myself."

He said this indicating the kind of death he would die.

#### **PROFESSION OF FAITH**

Please Stand

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (bow here) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

#### THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY HYMN (4 PM & 7:30 AM)ST. FLAVIAN625Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

#### **OFFERTORY MOTET** (9:15 AM) Confitebor Tibi

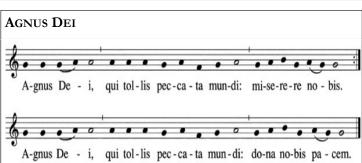
JOSEPH RHEINBERGER (1839-1901)

Confitebor tibi, Domine, in toto corde meo: retribue servo tuo: vivam, et custodiam sermons tuos: vivifica me secundum verbum tuum, Domine. I will praise you, O Lord, with my whole heart; deal bountifully with your servant, that I may live and observe your word; revive me according to your word, O Lord.

#### OFFERTORY ANTIPHON (11:00 AM)

Confitebor tibi, Domine, in toto corde meo: retribue servo tuo: vivam, et custodiam sermons tuos: vivifica me secundum verbum tuum, Domine. I will praise you, O Lord, with my whole heart; deal bountifully with your servant, that I may live and observe your word; revive me according to your word, O Lord.





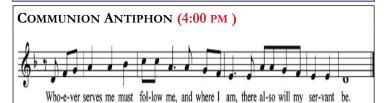
#### ECCE AGNUS DEI

*Celebrant:* Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

**R.** Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

#### HOLY COMMUNION

All Catholics who have prepared themselves to receive Holy Communion are invited to come forward. Our brothers and sisters of other faiths are invited to approach with arms crossed over their chest to signal their desire to <u>receive a blessing</u>.



#### COMMUNION ANTIPHON (9:15 AM & 11:00 AM)

Qui mihi ministrat, me sequitur: et ubi ego sum, illic et minister meus erit. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be.

**COMMUNION MEDITATION** *(9:15 AM)* God so Loved the World

#### JOHN STAINER (1840-1901)

God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son. That those who believe on him, shall not perish, but have everlasting life.

## COMMUNION HYMN 759

#### ANIMA CHRISTI Soul of My Savior

CLOSING HYMN (4:00 PM & 7:30 AM) HEINLEIN 526 Forty Days and Forty Nights

CLOSING HYMN <i>(11:00 AM)</i> 443	Ave Regina Caelorum
Ave, Regina Caelorum, Ave, Domina Angelorum: Salve, radix, salve, porta Ex qua mundo lux est orta: Gaude, Virgo gloriosa, Super omnes speciosa, Vale, o valde decora, Et pro nobis Christum exora.	Hail, O Queen of Heaven. Hail, O Lady of Angels Hail! thou root, hail! thou gate From whom unto the world, a light has arisen: Rejoice, O glorious Virgin, Lovely beyond all others, Farewell, most beautiful maiden, And pray for us to Christ.
RECESSIONAL (9:15 AM)	Johannes Brahms
Create in Me a Clean Heart	(1833-1897)

Create in me, O God, a pure heart, and grant a right spirit within me.

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#### <u>Holy Hoops</u> Monday, March 18 at O'Gorman High School

Holy Hoops is a friendly basketball game between area priests and O'Gorman



seniors. The event includes family fun activities, including a 50/50 raffle, halftime entertainment, and a hoop

shoot. General admission is free will donation, and the proceeds go towards seminary education and tuition assistance. The concession stand opens



at 5:30 PM in the OGHS cafeteria with pizza, hot dogs, and nachos. **Tip off at 6:30 PM**. We hope to see you



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• We set high standards for student achievement and help them succeed



• We instill in students the value of service to others

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• We cultivate a faculty and staff of people who are dedicated, caring, and effective.

#### Extravaganza: A Night for All Knights

Join us on April 13, 2024 at the Sioux Falls Convention Center for a beautiful night to gather as a community supporting all eight Bishop O'Gorman Catholic Schools. Tickets to the event can be found at <u>https://</u>

auctria.events/nightforallknights24 or by scanning the QR code. You can support in a variety of ways: make a donation for us to auction off,

become an event sponsor, purchase tickets to attend the event, volunteer to make the event successful, participate in the silent auction by bidding on items, and spread the word!



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Are you a Teacher? OG is now Hiring: We have multiple teacher positions open! Scan the QR code or view them here >> ww.ogknights.tedk12.com/hire

<u>CDA Scholarship</u> - Court Mother Teresa of the Catholic Daughters of the America awards a <u>\$300 Scholarship</u> annually to any Catholic Student attending a post-secondary school in the Fall of 2024. The deadline for submission is <u>May 1, 2024</u>. Application forms are available in the Parish Office.

#### COMMUNITY NEWS



**St. Joseph Academy** is a Catholic hybrid classical school opening in the Fall of 2024 on the St. Joseph Cathedral campus for grades preK-8. For more informat vion, employment opportunities, or to apply, visit us online at: <u>stjosephclassicalacademy.org</u>.

Apply by <u>March 18, 2024</u>, and the \$100 registration fee will be waived for the 2024-2025 school year!

Holiness in an Age of Unbelief - 5th Annual Aquinas Lecture - <u>Tuesday March 19, 2024 7:00 pm</u> in Cathedral of St. Joseph's Parish Hall. Speaker is Dr. Larry Chapp, retired Professor of Theology of DeSales University. All are Welcome. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Reception after.

#### Wisconsin Shrines Pilgrimage - April 17 - 19, 2024

Fr. Bill Hamak will accompany us as we journey in faith to the Shrines of Wisconsin: **Our Lady of Champion** in Champion, **Holy Hill Shrine** in Hubertus & **Our Lady of Guadalupe** in La Crosse. Call now for more information: Elsie Baye: 605-359-3450 or Lisa Ulmer: 605-351-8778.

<u>"Under Mary's Mantle"</u> - Expectant and Young Mothers are invited to our next meeting on <u>Tuesday, March 19</u>, at 9:30 am in the Fireside Room at Holy Spirit Church. The topic is <u>"Motherhood and the First Three Years"</u> Young children are welcome! Call Sandy 605-421-1104.

Harmony South Dakota Spring Concert will be presented on Mar. 23 at 10:30 am, in the Cathedral School Gym. Harmony is a free after-school music program for children in Sioux Falls teaching social transformation through music. Check this site to learn more at:

https://www.harmonysouthdakota.org.



#### Irish Potato Bake Buffet and BINGO - hosted

by Catholic Daughters of America Court St. Patricia #271. <u>Holy Spirit Church Lower Level</u> **Saturday, March 23rd - 11:30 am** 

\$14 per person - Reservations required by March 20th.

Serving Baked Potatoes, with toppings like cheese, chili, broccoli and more! Followed by <u>BINGO.</u> Call Pat Schaefer <u>605-351-5217</u> or <u>605-334-2370</u>.





The Perpetual Adoration Sisters invite you to visit their gift shop of religious articles and gifts at the <u>Mater Ecclesiae Monastery</u>.

The Monastery and Gift Shop are located in the parking lot behind St. Joseph Cathedral. The Gift shop has many great gift ideas for Baptisms, First Communion, Confirmation and More. **Open Monday through Saturday** 9:30 am to 5:30 pm.

5TH SUNDAY OF LENT





#### Liturgical Roles

March 16/17

#### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

4:00 pm	Laura Barnett, Kate Piercemogen
7:30 am	Carl Eisenberg, Barbara Lockwood
9:15 am	Jeff Heron, Don Rahn, Susan Sommervold
11:00 am	Bob Lux, Susan Albers, Nancy Ann Kadinger
4:00 pm	Ministers as Scheduled

#### Lectors

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4:00 pm	Mary Glenski, Denise Rotert
7:30 am	Kym Osterberg
9:15 am	Matthew Erickson, Abby Erickson
1:00 am	Bob Lux, Tess Simon
4:00 pm	Readers as Scheduled

#### Altar Servers

4:00 pm	Pontifical Servers
7:30 am	Megan Ulin, Will Ulin
9:15 am	Owen Rislov, Colin Erickson, Dane Erickson
11:00 am	Dominic Ostermann, Andrew Simon,
	Nicholas Simon
4:00 pm	Servers as Scheduled

#### **Mini-Bus Driver**

4:00 pm Tom Meyer Dow Rummel Deb Radio Good Sam Betty Barto-Smith

#### Readings for the week of March 17, 2024

Sunday: Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15 (12a)/ Heb 5:7-9/Jn 12:20-33 Scrutiny: Ez 37:12-14/ Ps 130: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7)/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45 Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/ Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Jn 8:1-11 Tuesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29/ Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Jn 8:31-42 Thursday: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59

<u>Inursday</u>: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59 <u>Friday</u>: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7/ Jn 10:31-42

<u>Saturday:</u> Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13/ Jn 11:45-56

**Next Sunday:** Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/ Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a)/Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1— 15:47 or 15:1-39

#### CONGRATULATIONS

**Ann Haight** is Cathedral 500 Club's third winner for March 2024. She has received a check for **<u>\$94</u>**. Anyone interested in joining will find applications at the front entrance (Duluth Ave) of the Cathedral. Cost is \$5/month. Applications must be received by April 1 to be in the April 2024 drawings. Call the Parish Office at <u>605-336-7390</u> for details.



#### **Mass Intentions**

Mon Mar. 18•	St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop &
	Doctor of the Church
12:00 pm	🕆 Keith Kinyon
Tue. Mar. 19•	St. Joseph Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary
12:00 pm	Mark Weber
Wed Mar. 20•	Lenten Weekday
12:00 pm	🕆 Catherine Spader
Thu. Mar. 21•	Lenten Weekday -
12:00 am	✤ Kenneth Schulte
Fri. Mar. 22•	Lenten Weekday
12:00 pm	Arlene Solem
Sat. Mar. 23•	St. Tiribius of Mogrovejo, Bishop
4:00 pm	Greg and Brenda O'Dea
Sun. Mar. 24•	<b>Palm Sunday</b> of the Passion of the Lord
7:30 am	🕆 Richard Martin
9:15 am	🕆 Charleen Kube
11:00 am	骨 Peter Lux
4:00 pm	Pro Populo

#### Sanctuary Candles

This week the five sanctuary candles in the Sacred Heart Chapel have been requested for the following intentions:

- 1.) 🕆 Rob Kuchta
- 2.) Donna Veire & Family
- **3.)** Alex Lingen
- 4.) Devotion to the **Sacred Heart of Jesus**
- 5.) Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

#### Cathedral Events Calendar

Sunday, March 17 - St. Patrick's Day 10:30 am - Donut Social Parish Hall (after <u>9:15 am Mass</u>)

Monday, March 18 -6:30 pm - Young Adults

Tuesday, March 19-9:00 am - Quilters Group 10:00 am - Women's Group 7:00 pm - Aquinas Lecture - Dr. Larry Chapp

Wednesday, March 20 -6:30 pm - <u>RCIA</u> Rehearsal in Cathedral

Thursday, March 21-7:00 pm - Adoration and Reconciliation in Chapel

Friday, March 22-5:30 pm - Lenten Soup Supper in Parish Hall 7:00 pm - <u>Stations of the Cross</u>

Saturday, March 23 9:00 am - RCIA Retreat - Parish Hall
12:00 pm and 3:00 pm - Reconciliation in the Cathedral
7:30 pm - Sacred Arts Series, USF Concert Chorale

Sunday, March 24 -7:30 pm - Sacred Arts Series, Augustana Choir

#### PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



<u>**Lefter Soup Supper**</u> - A simple soup supper will be offered <u>every Friday</u> during Lent in the <u>Cathedral Parish</u> <u>**Hall** starting at 5:30pm. Enjoy a meal & fellowship. Free will offering. <u>Stations of the Cross</u> follow at 7pm in the Cathedral Nave.</u>

<u>Seven Sisters Apostolate</u> - One Holy Hour/One Priest/Each week: <u>One Heart of Prayer</u>. Your Pastor or Vicar is covered by a Holy Hour of prayers dedicated for him every day - lifted up before the Blessed Sacrament. For Information call or text Kathy Kooima (605)376-4688 or <u>sevensistersapostolate.org</u>

<u>Sacred Arts Series</u> - Two Free Concerts/One weekend!

Please come enjoy these two beautiful Choral Concerts at the Cathedral of St. Joseph - Next Weekend.

<u>March 23 - 7:30 pm</u> The University of Sioux Falls Concert Chorale, Directed by David DeHoogh-Kliewer. The Concert Chorale couples performance and community service on its yearly tours in the USA and abroad. The Chorale always offers a beautiful and spiritually-moving concert.

March 24 - 7:30 pm The Augustana Choir, Directed by Russell Svenningsen. The Augustana Choir has a rich history spanning more than 100 years. The Augustana Choir continues to bring sacred choral music of the highest caliber to people around the region, nation and world.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of

Vivian Page - Wife of James Page

May she rest in God's peace.

#### WEEKLY OFFERINGS MARCH 9/10

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Scan QR code to be directed to our Giving Page *Thank you for your Support and Prayers!*  Parish Office: 605-336-7390 Parish Office Email: cathedral@sfcatholic.org Office Hours: 9:00am-4pm M-Th, 8:30am-3pm Friday **Cathedral Church Hours:** 8am -5pm Monday-Saturday 7am-Noon & 3:30-5:00 Sunday Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday 4:00pm Sunday 7:30am, 9:15am, 11:00am, 4:00pm (St. Josephine Bakhita Community) Weekday Masses Monday - Friday 12pm (Noon) Confessions Thursday 7:00pm Saturday 12 Noon & 3:00-3:30pm in Cathedral (In the Chapel if a Wedding is scheduled) Adoration Thursdays 7pm-8pm (In the Chapel during Confessions) First Friday of the month at 11am in the Cathedral Self Guided Tours 1:00 pm Monday-Friday (except Holy Days) Guided Tours-By appointment 605-336-7390 Parish Staff Rector, Very Rev. James P. Morgan Parochial Vicar, Rev. Pasquale Armando Francesco

Parochial Vicar, Rev. Pasquale Armando Francesco Deacon, William Radio Deacon, Tim Dickes (Prison Ministry) Administrative Assistant, Mary Anne Lux Director-Operations & Finance, Heidi Solem Director-Liturgical Music, Dr. Jared Ostermann Tour Docent/Guide, Susan Albers Wedding Coordinator, Mary Enderson

#### **Counseling Services**

The Lourdes Center (Formerly Catholic Family Services) Counseling and Grief Programs 605-988-3775

#### **Sacraments**

**Baptism** The sacrament of Baptism is celebrated for our parishioners on Sundays after the 11AM Mass. Parents must attend a Baptism preparation meeting. To schedule a meeting for preparation contact the parish office.at **605-336-7390**.

**Matrimony** Six months preparation required. Registered parishioners, please contact the parish office. All others, contact the pastor of your home church. For wedding information, go to <u>www.stjosephcathedral.net</u>, under Sacraments.

#### Anointing of the Sick

Please call the parish office to request this Sacrament if you have been diagnosed with an illness, in preparation for surgery or in case of serious illness.

Catholic Cemetery - St. Michael's Cemetery 605-338-3376

#### CLERGY REFLECTION

At the beginning of 2022, the United States bishops, with the hope of creating a movement on a national level for a greater love of the Eucharist and with the hope of forming Eucharistic disciples through ongoing catechesis, announced the "National Eucharistic Revival." The National Eucharistic Revival began in June of 2022 and will culminate in June 2025 with the first Eucharistic Congress held in the nation in 38 years. The Eucharistic Revival challenges Catholics to return to the source and summit of our faith in the worship and adoration of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist. Dioceses and parishes across the nation are challenged to experience a profound renewal in the Eucharist through local, grassroots efforts. So, for example, offering Eucharistic Adoration on a regular basis was one of their suggestions. Safe to say, we have been doing that at the Cathedral consistently. We offer Eucharistic Adoration in the Chapel every Thursday evening, and on the First Friday of every month there is adoration at 11 a.m. before Noon Mass. Another suggestion from those leading the charge was to have a speaker designated by the National Eucharistic Revival Committee speak in parishes about the importance of the Holy Eucharist. In January, Sr. Joseph Andrew Bogdanowicz, a Dominican nun from Ann Arbor MI, did a mission at the Cathedral on the Holy Eucharist and its relationship to the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Continuing in the spirit of renewal and revival, our next planned endeavor is to have you grow closer to Jesus alongside fellow parishioners through the "Jesus and the Eucharist Study." This bible study was specifically designed for small groups who want to learn more about the Eucharist with a set curriculum to guide them and direct them. We will conduct seven sessions on Thursday night at the parish from April 4 through May 16. Thursday was the chosen day of the week because it allows participants to spend 30 minutes in Adoration as well. Each session is full of rich theological content, powerful testimonials, and unique and timely messages from bishops across the country. This is a great opportunity to dive more deeply into the richness of our Eucharistic faith. The seven sessions are: What's Our Story?; Who is Jesus?; Am I Saved?; Why a Church?; God is With Us; The Story of the Eucharist; and Bread for the Journey. Each session will open with an exhortation from a different bishop, followed by lectio divina prayer with scripture. The main lesson is drawn from content created by the Augustine Institute, and will include personal testimonies from Catholics across the country. There is a transition into small group discussions, and then as I said, time for prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament. Please, consider joining and participating. In today's Gospel Jesus exclaims, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified." Yes, indeed, that hour has come. And to this day we still glorify the Lord Jesus in the Holy Eucharist.

Fr. James Morgan



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