



Second Sunday of Lent

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Catholic Community of St. Joseph Vinton, united in Baptism and empowered by the Spirit, endeavor to live our commitment to proclaim God's love by:

- ✚ Being a welcoming Parish Community
- ✚ Worshipping, working and celebrating together
- ✚ Serving the spiritual and material need of all
- ✚ Spreading the Gospel through personal witness

Inviting each member of the Parish to active participation in our Parish life and in surrounding communities and through our unique call, welcoming our many visitors. We share our gifts and ourselves in the name of Jesus.

March 8, 2020

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 4:00 pm

Sunday Mass: 8:00am & 10:00 am

Reconciliation: 30 minutes before each Mass

Baptisms: 1st Sat. of month after 4pm Mass

Marriages: Call as early as possible for meeting & instructions



2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." - Mt 17:5b

WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the week of March 8, 2020

Sunday: Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9
Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [cf. Ps 103:10a]/Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5a]/Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Next Sunday: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26,

Liturgical Ministers Next Weekend**March 14th-15th****4pm**

Usher Captain Chris Landry
Lector Pat Duhon
Extra Ordinary CJ Landry
Ministers Wallace Veillon
Precious Linda Dugas
Blood Sandra LeLeux
Altar Servers Elliot Thomas
 Everett Thomas
 Edison Thomas

8am

Usher Captain Justin Carrier
Lector Jessica Findley
Extra Ordinary Craig Fontenot
Ministers Donny Stinson
Precious Lisa Fontenot
Blood Rhonda Moreau
Altar Servers Landon Carrier
 Cooper Carrier
 Isaac Findley
 Andrew Findley

10am

Usher Captain Wayne Tharp
Lector Cade Henderson
Extra Ordinary Mike Thibodeaux
Ministers Mike Harbert
Precious Ginger Harbert
Blood Diana Janca
Altar Servers Kaden Simon
 Cole Henderson
 Caleb Henderson

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting**Every Monday at 6:00 pm in the hall**

The KCs will hold a fish fry every Friday during Lent from 5:00 –7:30pm at the KC Hall. Stations of the Cross will be held every Friday during Lent at 6pm in the Church.

The Catholic Daughters would like to thank everyone who purchased a Chili Dinner from them! Also a very big THANK YOU to Mark & Mary Lyons, for generously donating the ground meat for the chili. God bless you all!

St. Joseph Altar will be held Thursday, March 19th in our church hall. We are in need of things like oatmeal, grits, cereal, crackers, pop tarts, pasta, sauces, cookies pancake mix, syrup canned meats and fresh vegetables and fruits (as time gets closer). You may leave donations in back of church or rectory. If you know of any family in need you may submit their name and number to the rectory. Thanks and God bless.

The storage building behind the rectory is up for grabs!! It is 20 X 10 and in good shape. You must be able to move it yourself. Please call the rectory if you are interested. It is available for free!

Attention All High School Seniors!! The Catholic Daughters Court # 1986 are taking scholarship applications. They may be picked up at the Counselor's Office at Vinton High or at St. Joseph rectory. Completed packets must be returned to the counselor no later than April 1st. Incomplete packets or those turned in past the deadline will not be considered.

This Week's Mass Schedule & Events

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

LENTEN ATMOSPHERE

The atmosphere of Lent takes a somber mood. In parish liturgies the joyous Alleluia and Glory to God are dropped. The penitential color of purple is prominent in vestments and church decorations. The sanctuary is stripped of its usual festive decorations. Musical instruments were at one time discouraged. Until recent times it was customary to veil prominent statues and crucifixes in church with a purple cloth as a sign of sadness and mourning. In some churches, beginning around 900, one large cloth was hung between the people and the altar from the beginning of Lent. This was done to hide the heavenly glory depicted by statues of saints and crosses with the figure of the triumphant Christ. This custom came to symbolize the exclusion of all sinners from the altar just as public sinners were excluded. Since the 1600s, this veiling was limited to Passiontide, beginning on the fifth Sunday of Lent, originally called "Passion Sunday." On that Sunday (today only in cycle B) the final words of the Gospel are: "At that they picked up rocks to throw at Jesus, but he hid himself and slipped out of the temple precincts" (John 8:59).

"While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud cast a shadow over them, then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.'" (Mt 17:5). Make extra time before Mass to read from the Gospel and prayerfully meditate on God's word.

S	8	8:00 am	Mass
		10:00 am	Second Collection-Catholic Lenten Challenge
M	9	8:00 am	Mass in Church Adoration Open CDA Meeting 6:30pm
T	10	8:00 am	Mass in Church RCIA 7pm
W	11	8:00 am	Mass in Church Adoration Open CCD Elem 4:30pm Jr. & High 6:30pm Jr. CYO 4:30pm
T	12	8:00 am	Mass in Church Adoration Open
F	13		KC Fish Fry 5-7:30pm Stations of the Cross 6pm
S	14	4:00pm	Reconciliation @ 3:20 pm Vigil Mass
S	15	8:00 am	Mass
		10:00 am	Second Collection- Bishop Service Appeal

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, March 9

Ruby Parker, Angela Runyan, David Dickens

Tuesday, March 10

Eva, Shea, Damian, David, Lawrence & Craig Mooney
Allen Lyons, Jr., Richard Zaunbrecher

Wednesday March 11

IHO Stacie Habetz

Thursday, March 12

IHO Jenny Thomas & Johnnie Kleinschmidt

Friday, March 13

No Mass

Saturday, March 14

4 pm: Milton Trahan, Pap & May Dugas, Al & Bernice Landry & IHO their family, Warren & Dot Landry, Lee Stelly, Torrie Granger, Wallace & Patsy Thibodeaux, Rodney Broussard, IHO Stella Broussard, Ament & Alex Leger, JC & Charles Whatley, David Dickens, Angela Runyan, Gene Braquet, Woodrow & Bobby Barbee, Henry Roy Breaux, Sr., James East

8am: Sunday, March 15

Jimmy Moreau, Jerry Perry, Ruth Fontenot, Ford Patin
10am: All Our Parishioners

Please Pray for the Sick in our Midst

Kristi Tramonte	Joe Berry	Barbara Courville
Kirsten Parish	Blakely Douget	Mary Simien
John Griffin	Allen Chester	Russell Moody
John Richard	Donna Smith	Jorry Duos
Acklin Doucette	Anthony Nix	
Rodney Stoddard	Pat Moody	Elton Kibodeaux
Lorraine Hyatt	Greg Trahan	Olin Chester
Scott Dugas	Javien Creary	Ethan Trosclair
Joyce Thibodeaux	Ashton Louviere	Steve Simien
Hattie McBride	Randy Mears	Amanda Bryant
Harlan Judice	Laverne Drake	Brett McCaughey
Mitt Judice	Kale Gentry	Kevin Leago
Ann Cormier	Jeanette Patin	Ruby Milton
Christy Blalock	Lillie Fontenot	Warren Landry
Jack Dodson	Jackie Jackson	Steve Cormier
Joey Aymond	Marie Caudior	Greg Sandifer
Milton Moreau, Jr	Darryl Moore	Peanut Foster
Shirley Adair	Sharon Alexander	Don Pickney
Dana Reed	Devon Reed	Miles Evans
Linda Thibodeaux	Paul Simien Jr.	Lucy Karpel
Matthew Lucas	Roy Anderson	Chad Ulmer
Robyn Stacey	Khloe Kennedy	Freddie Terro
Lisa Fontenot	Butch Woodard	
Melissa Usie	Saria Willis	Matt Hoffpauir
Johnny Engel	Vivian Reeves	Mary Richard
Harvey Istre	Lloyd A St. Julien Sr.	Bunice Camara
Dawn Boudreaux	Suzette Forsetier	Jacques Hollier
Walter Richards	Shelly Quebodeaux	Rosetta Aarons
Sally Barbee	Ruby Monceaux	Theresa Blanchard
Ronald Phelps	Calvin Vincent	Gloria Weatherall
Debby Pennix	Tiffany Bertrand	Lisa Aldridge
Dan Laughlin	Beth Istre	Ray Himel
Elizabeth Landry	Josh Savoit	Milo Bingham
Michael Bougois	Gary Chester	Ricky Fox
Martha Broussard	Ray Lanthier	Harold Thibodeaux

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Donny Stinson

Stewardship for February 23, 2020

General Offertory	4181.00
Second Collection	<u>1474.00</u>
Total	\$5655.00

Stewardship for March 1, 2020

General Offertory	6112.00
Second Collection	<u>1618.00</u>
Total	\$7730.00



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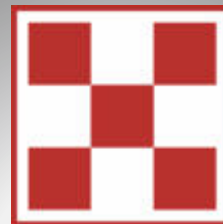


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Matthew 11:28

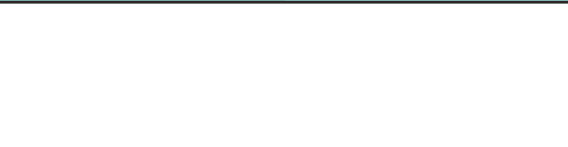
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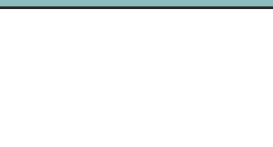
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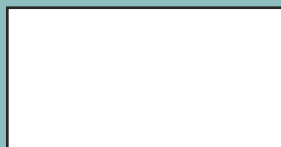
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