



Fourth 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 22, 2020

MASS SCHEDULE

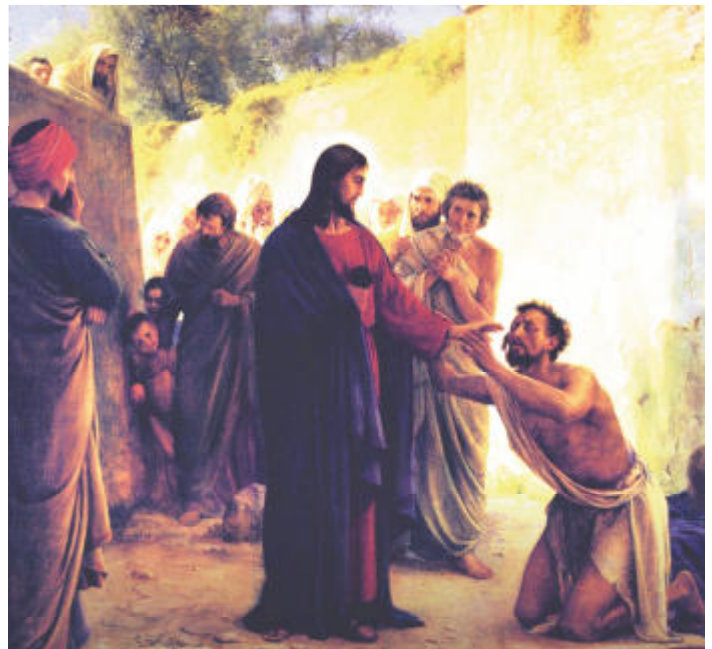
Saturday Anticipated Mass: 4:00 pm

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



4TH SUNDAY OF LENT



When Jesus heard that they had thrown him out, he found him and said, "Do you believe in the Son of Man?" - Jn 9:35

WEEKLY READINGS**Readings for the week of March 22, 2020**

Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Monday: Is 65:17-21/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b [2a]/Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12/Ps 46: 2-3, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11 [8a and 9a]/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23 [4a]/Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23 [19a]/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20/Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12 [2a]/Jn 7:40-53

Next Sunday: 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

Liturgical Ministers Next Weekend**March 28th—29th****4pm**

Usher Captain Chris Landry
Lector Cade Henderson
Extra Ordinary CJ Landry
Ministers Wallace Veillon

Precious**Blood**

Altar Servers Cody Simon
 Isabella Dommert
 Cole Henderson
 Caleb Henderson

8am

Usher Captain Harry Aucoin
Lector Mary Lyons
Extra Ordinary Mark Lyons
Ministers Donny Stinson

Precious**Blood**

Altar Servers Isaac Findley
 Andrew Findley
 Kenna Findley

10am

Usher Captain Eric Heinen
Lector Shannon Heinen
Extra Ordinary Deacon Jesse
Ministers Mike Thibodeaux

Precious**Blood**

Altar Servers Lauren Heinen
 Dallas Reeves
 Dominic Reeves
 Demi Reeves

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.

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.

The 2020 Census is critical to us here in Calcasieu Parish as the count will shape where \$675 billion of federal spending will go. It also determines the number of congressional seats and electoral college votes Louisiana receives. You should be receiving your Census information in the mail. It contains a code that will allow citizens to respond online, by phone, or by mail. The official date to respond is April 1st. Encourage your family and friends to participate. Join all Calcasieu residents in saying "Count Me In". The Census is 100% secure and anonymous.

Penance Service—will be held in all parishes in the West Deanery, including St. Joseph on Tuesday, March 31st from 5:00-7:00 pm. You may go to confession in any parish church on this date, at this time. For more info you may call the rectory @ 589-7358.

Start being brave about everything. Drive out darkness and spread light. Don't look at your weaknesses. Realize instead that in Christ crucified you can do everything.

~ St. Catherine of Siena ~

This Week's Mass Schedule & Events

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

TO OUR CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES:

What a privilege it is to be confirmed a Catholic! The Sacrament of Confirmation—which we will celebrate on March 26—will bless your life with much grace and many gifts. By gifts, I don't mean money or presents, but something far more valuable—the priceless gifts that the Holy Spirit will bestow upon you which are yours to keep forever. They are: *Wisdom, Understanding, Counsel, Fortitude, Knowledge, Piety, and Fear of the Lord.* God wants you to share your gifts with others each day.

Call on the Holy Spirit often for help, strength, and inspiration: *Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit, and they shall be created; and you will renew the face of the earth. O God, you taught the hearts of your faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant that by the gift of that same spirit, we may be truly wise and always rejoice in His consolation. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Let us keep in our prayers all our Confirmation candidates & their sponsors: Trinity Harbert, Isaac Findley, Everett Thomas, Drake Guidry, Rebecca Richardson, Hayden Warner, Noah Gary, Zach Trosclair, Jacie Laughlin, Jaden Carrier, Kevin Vazquez, Brooklyn Landry, Brooke Habetz, Ciara Barton.

S	22	8:00 am 10:00 am	Mass Second Collection-American Bishops Overseas
M	23	8:00 am	Mass in Church Adoration Open
T	24	8:00 am	Mass in Church RCIA 7pm
W	25	8:00 am	Mass in Church Adoration Open CCD Elem 4:30pm Jr. & High 6:30pm
T	26	7:00 pm	<u>NO MORNING MASS</u> Confirmation 7pm
F	27		KC Fish Fry 5-7:30pm Stations of the Cross 6pm
S	28	4:00pm	Reconciliation @ 3:20 pm Vigil Mass
S	29	8:00 am 10:00 am	Mass Second Collection- Building Maint. Fund 1st Communion Evening Reflection 4:00-7:30 pm

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, March 23

Angela Runyan, David Dickens, Richard Zaunbrecher

Tuesday, March 24

IHO Jessica Findley & her family, Deceased members of the Ewing, Boullion & Budwine families

Wednesday March 25

Vocations to the Priesthood, IHO Julia Reed, Gary Duplichan, Bill Emmons, Olin & Ruth Chester, Martha Broussard

Thursday, March 26

Janet LaGrone, Edna Bonnin, IHO Teresa LaGrone & Lydia Crochet

Friday, March 27

No Mass

Saturday, March 28

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, Aline Fontenot, Tony Guidry, Kenneth Cormier, Woodrow & Bobby Barbee, IHO Zachary Hill

8am: Sunday, March 29

Jimmy Moreau, Jerry Perry, Ruth Fontenot, Warren Bonnin, Rosabell Benoit, Raymond Guillory

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	Jacques Hollier	Diana Janca
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	Nicholas Pickett	Milo Bingham
Michael Bougois	Gary Chester	Ricky Fox
Martha Broussard	Ray Lanthier	Harold Thibodeaux
Mya Louviere	Jacob Qualls	Cathy Goss

Please call the Rectory Office during working hours to put your loved ones on the “Sick List” and be advised we will clear the sick list every 3 months. You may call and have your loved ones put back on at that time if needed. Thank You

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Stewardship for March 15, 2020

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Total	\$ 8613.00

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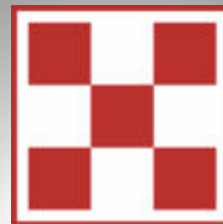


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Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest.
Matthew 11:28

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