



ASCENSION OF OUR LORD CATHOLIC CHURCH

— ALL FOR THE GLORY OF GOD —

JANUARY 30, 2022

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS SCHEDULE

Masses are currently being held
in the St. Dominic Savio Center
to the right of the school.

MASS TIMES

Saturday..... (Vigil) 4:00pm
Sunday..... 8:30am, 10:30am, 7:00pm
..... (Spanish) 3:00pm

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday..... 8:30am

CONFESSIONS

One half hour before each Mass daily
and Sundays.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

CHAPEL - Currently closed for repairs.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will
take place every day from 9am till 9pm in
the St. Dominic Savio Center, except during
weekend Mass times.

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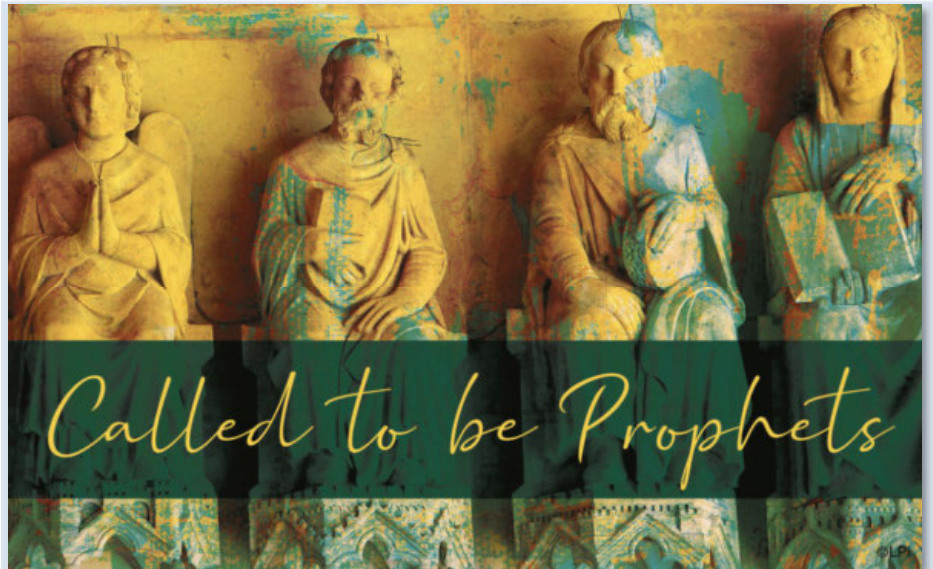
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LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Prophets possess an intimate knowledge of God and act on their experience of God. Prophetic messages usually challenge the status quo and draw us up and out of ourselves, focusing us on the bigger picture. We often think of ourselves and our own needs first. When we listen to someone speak, we judge the merit of the message by its degree of usefulness. If the message or vision contains no personal benefit or profit but a call to stretch and grow, we can become indignant. Prophets are usually the ones whose message challenges us and calls us to see things differently and love more perfectly and deeply. God is love. When listening to St. Paul speak about love we witness the unfolding of this type of unconditional, other centered, self-sacrificial perfect God. It is an invitation to life, freedom, and happiness that can be offered to us only by God. Jesus, who is God and Love incarnate, calls us to this richer expression of love. Are we ready to listen and be challenged and stretched? ©LPi

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 31 • St. John Bosco

8:30 am Fr. Benjamin Piovan

Tuesday, February 1

8:30 am The Holy Priesthood

Wednesday, February 2 • The Presentation of the Lord • World Day for Consecrated Life

8:30 am Steve Navarre, Tom & Teresa Bautsch

Thursday, February 3 • St. Blaise

8:30 am Ted Deakin, Special Intention

Friday, February 4 • First Friday

8:30 am John Rauch, Jr.

Saturday, February 5 • St. Agatha • First Saturday

4:00 pm August J. Rantz, III, Special Intention, All Babies Souls, Deceased & living members of the Carmen & Ronald Perilloux Family, Newton Scofield, Melancon & Fisher Families, Living & deceased members of the Rauch & Stumpf Families, Lester J. Millet, Jr., Fryoux & Roussel Families, Dan Guidry, Gregory Hymel, E.J. & Edna Guidry, Conrad & Betty Hymel, Souls in Purgatory

Sunday, February 6 • 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am All Souls, Ken & Mary Claire Fisher, Zulma Williams, Gail Ryder, Living & deceased members of the St. Pierre & Poche Families, Harold Strehle
10:30 am Antoinette Rollo
3:00 pm (en espanol) Our Parishioners
7:00 pm Faye Dewey



VIGIL LIGHT FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY

In Memory of Norman & Verna Millet, Rosalind M. Hutson, Deborah Acosta, Jessica Fournet

CHAPEL CANDLES BURN THIS WEEK FOR Special Intentions



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Visit our website and click on the Request a Mass Intention link to make your request. Payment must be made online at the time of the request.



CORRECTION

PSR WILL NOT have class on January 31st.
We apologize for the confusion. Please follow the originally published schedule.

Catholic Charities-Archdiocese of New Orleans & FEMA information

Catholic Charities has a case manager located at St. Joan of Arc on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. If you or someone you know needs help finding resources or navigating insurance, please contact John at 504-615-7200 to set up an appointment or call Catholic Charities at 985-605-5847.

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**Blessing of the Throats
for the Feast of St. Blaise will occur on
February 3rd at 8:30am Mass
and at all weekend Masses on
February 5th & 6th.**

SURVIVING OUR GRIEF

Grief comes in all forms and everyone of us handle it differently. If you have lost a loved one, a child (stillborn, miscarriage, illness, suicide or accident at any age), a spouse, a parent, a sibling or a friend please join us. Everyone is welcome.

WHEN: Saturday, February 5, 2022

WHERE: St. Philip Neri 6500 Kawanee Ave. Metairie, La

TIME: Coffee at 8:30am Presentation at 9:00am
Mass at 11:30am with Archbishop Gregory Aymond

Please sign up online at www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F44AEAF2AAAFBC34-surviving

This workshop is being presented by the Office of Marriage and Family Life Grief Ministry Coordinator Jewell Bayhi. For more information contact Jewell Bayhi at jbayhi@arch-no.org or 985-778-6277.

Mass for Victims and Survivors of Violence

Sunday
February 6,
2022



**St. Louis
Cathedral**

11:00 a.m.

Most Reverend Gregory M. Aymond,
Archbishop of New Orleans, will preside.

All are invited to worship in solidarity with those in our community who have been affected by violence. Those who have lost a loved one to violence are asked to bring a picture or symbol to represent the presence of the loved one in memory, in prayer and in love.

*This Mass is sponsored by
Office of Marriage and Family Life*



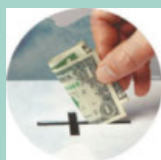
The 2022 Archdiocese of New Orleans Men's Conference will be held on **Saturday, March 12, 2022** at St. Catherine of Siena, Metairie. All men of our parish are invited to attend! The day will include empowering speakers, prayer, Mass, and reconciliation to help men reflect on what it means to be "Sons of the Father." To register, visit nolacatholicmen.com.

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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Monday, January 31 • Catholic Schools Week
NO PSR

Tuesday, February 1
7:00pm Baptismal Seminar - Parish Office

Wednesday, February 2
6:00pm KC Planning & Director's Meeting - KC Home

Thursday, February 3

Friday, February 4
12:00pm School Early Dismissal

Saturday, February 5 • Team 1

Sunday, February 6 • Team 1



PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL



Come Let Us Adore!

Adoration is being held in the St. Dominic Savio Center (the temporary Church) every day from 9:00am to 9:00pm, except when Mass is being celebrated on weekends. All Committed Adorers are asked to continue Adoration even if your scheduled hour is not between 9am and 9pm. Choose an hour and continue your commitment, please!

Keep in touch with us
VIA EMAIL AND TEXT MESSAGE



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Kids Corner

SHARING THE GOSPEL

Jesus did not expect everybody to like him. Jesus chose to follow God's plan, no matter what other people said. Even though some people wanted to hurt Jesus, he always spoke the truth. He always did what was right, no matter what.



PRAYER

Dear God, help me to keep on doing what you want, no matter what other people say.

MISSION FOR THE WEEK

Has anyone ever hurt your feelings because you love God? Pray for that person, and keep doing what is right.



SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS: Baptismal seminars are held on the first Tuesday of each month in the Parish Office at 7:00pm. Please call the Parish Office to pre-register.

WEDDINGS: Couples must contact the priest at least six months prior to the preferred date of the wedding.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Please call the Parish Office at 985-652-2615.

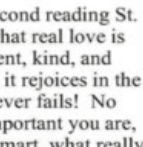
HOLY COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND: To be added to the list, please call the Parish Office.

FUNERALS: Family must make arrangements with the priest prior to making final arrangements with the funeral home.

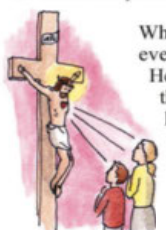
Saint Paul Teaches About Love



Who do you love? Can you love someone who bothers you or doesn't like you? Love isn't just a nice feeling about somebody. It means deciding to want what is best for that person. You really can love people that you don't get along with! It's a decision that you can make.



In today's second reading St. Paul tells us what real love is like. It is patient, kind, and forgiving, and it rejoices in the truth. Love never fails! No matter how important you are, or talented, or smart, what really makes you great is loving others.



Who was the most loving person ever? Jesus! Think of how much He must have loved us to die on the cross for us even though we hurt Him by our sins! Every day tell Jesus that you love Him, and show it to Him by loving the people around you.

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Love: True or False?

Do you know what Saint Paul taught us about love? See if you know which are true and which are false, according to today's second reading...

1. Love sometimes fails. True or false?
2. If I have faith enough to move mountains but don't have love I am nothing. True or false?
3. Love is patient and kind. True or false?
4. Love is jealous. True or false?
5. If I can prophesy and understand all mysteries but I don't have love then I'm still great. True or false?
6. When you love then you are mostly interested in taking care of yourself. True or false?
7. The three most important virtues are faith, hope and love, but love is the greatest. True or false?





SAINT OF THE WEEK EXAMPLES OF OUR FAITH

St. Blaise
Feast Day February 3

You may be familiar with the annual “blessing of throats” that many parishes in the United States use to commemorate the beloved bishop and martyr. St. Blaise lived in the fourth century in Turkey and Armenia. Due to religious persecution, he was forced to flee and hide in a cave in the back country in order to save his life.

History has it that one day a group of hunters stumbled upon where St. Blaise was living. They found the bishop kneeling in prayer, surrounded by wolves, lions and bears that he had tamed. The legend has it that as the hunters dragged Blaise off to prison, a mother came with her young son who had a fish bone lodged in his throat. At Blaise’s command, the child was able to cough up the bone and thus lived.

Today we remember the saint on his feast day by taking two candles, crossing them against the throat, and saying the following prayer:

Through the intercession of St. Blaise, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from ailments of the throat and from every other evil. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen. ©LPi



REFLECT - QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading

In his call to be a prophet, the Lord informs Jeremiah of both the human resistance and the divine providence that lies ahead for him. When have you felt God’s presence in the midst of turmoil in your life?

Second Reading

Paul eloquently defines the spiritual virtue of “love” for the Christians in Corinth. How well do you live by the standards of love as defined by Paul?

Gospel Reading

The people of Nazareth were “filled with fury” at Jesus’ words to them. How do you imagine Jesus reacted to being rejected by those in his hometown of Nazareth?
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**And he said,
“Amen, I say to you,
no prophet is accepted
in his own native place.”
Lk 4:24**

RESPONDING TO THE CALL

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP
Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments

First Corinthians and the Stewardship of Social Media

“Love is patient, love is kind ...” As familiar as these words are, they never seem to stray into the territory of becoming trite or silly. At their core they communicate a truth about us and about our Creator that never fails to inspire.

But despite the fact that you’ve probably heard it at many weddings over time, First Corinthians isn’t just for newlyweds. It wasn’t written for married folks. It’s for every single one of us, in every state of life and every social situation, in every country and culture and language across the globe.

Which means that First Corinthians is even for the online world. It’s for Facebook and Twitter and Instagram and all the other platforms I’m forgetting (there seems to be a new one every day, doesn’t there?).

A sense of division — whether rooted in politics, culture or anything else — is growing in our world, and it’s never more obvious than when we observe interactions online. It is far easier, after all, to remember what love is when a human being of flesh and blood stands before us. When all we see is an avatar or a profile picture on a screen — especially accompanied by an opinion with which we vehemently disagree — even the most loving Christians can throw First Corinthians out the window.

As everyday stewards we know that we are charged to be not only gracious but grateful. We receive others but we also give thanks for what they bring to us — even if that’s an opportunity to “strive eagerly for the greatest spiritual gifts.”

So before the next time you post anything online, I suggest giving First Corinthians a read — and remember, love never fails.

-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday:	Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17 [cf. 15ab]/ 1 Cor 12:31–13:13 or 13:4-13/Lk 4:21-30
Monday:	2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/ Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30–19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
Thursday:	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd/ Mk 6:7-13
Friday:	Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47 and 50, 51/Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:	1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/Mk 6:30-34
Next Sunday:	Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 [1c]/1 Cor 15: 1-11 or 15:3-8, 11/Lk 5:1-11

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