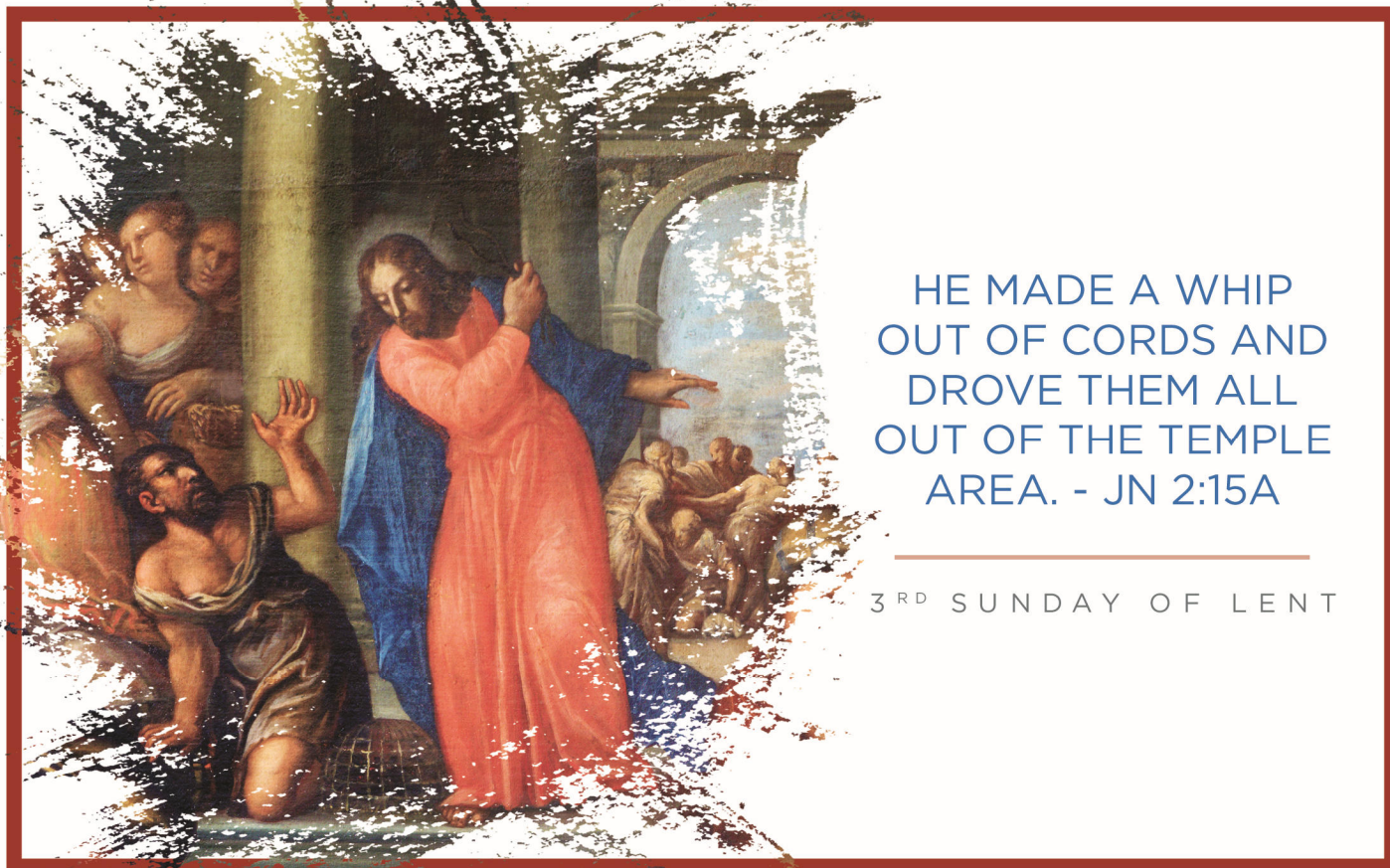


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MARCH 7, 2021 | 3RD SUNDAY OF LENT



HE MADE A WHIP
OUT OF CORDS AND
DROVE THEM ALL
OUT OF THE TEMPLE
AREA. - JN 2:15A

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday | 7:00am (Communion), 12:10pm
Tuesday-Friday | 7:00am, 12:10pm
Monday-Thursday | 5:30pm

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday | 8:30am, 5:00pm
**3rd Sat. of the month in Latin*
Sunday | 8:30am, 11:00am, 5:00pm,
**2nd Sun. of the month in Portuguese-1:00pm*

CONFESSION

Saturday | 3:00pm - 4:30pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday-Thursday | 4:30-5:30pm

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Monday-Thursday |
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Friday | 8:30am-12:00pm
Saturday-Sunday | Closed

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PASTOR & RECTOR

Fr. Eric Fowlkes

ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Fr. Nick Allen

DEACONS

Mark Faulkner, Thales Finchum,
Joe Holzmer



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If you would like to join the parish or if you are not Catholic and would like to learn about the faith or ask questions, please call the Parish Office at 615-327-2330.



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By registering at the parish, you are declaring your desire to be part of a Catholic faith community. If you have recently moved to the area or if you are a long-time resident, please consider registering at with us!

www.cathedralnashville.org/newcomers/register

PHASE II OF MAKING ALL THINGS NEW UPDATE

Painting continues in the church. Artwork designs have been approved and moving forward with production. Tabernacle has been moved to center of high altar. New electrical wiring has been installed to prepare for installation of lighting on side aisles.

Thank you for your continued support and patience as we complete Phase II.

All weekday masses (7:00 a.m., 12:10 p.m., and 5:30 p.m.) will continue to be held in the Fleming Center. We ask that mass-goers follow the appropriate signage and enter through the doors nearest the Parish Office (across from the Q'doba restaurant).

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Thank you for your continued generosity to Cathedral of the Incarnation!

Online Giving is an easy, convenient, time saving and secure way to give to the parish. To schedule regular and recurring donation, please visit our website at www.cathedralnashville.org and click on the ONLINE GIVING icon.

	Weekly	Fiscal YTD
Offerings- Week 35	\$26,003	\$ 891,193
Budget	\$ 34,615	\$1,221,538
	\$ (8,612)	\$(320,345)

These totals also reflect online giving. Your support is greatly appreciated!

The Camino Project | March 27th

Virtual Biblical/Catechetical Program

A Pilgrimage Journey through the Didache Bible and the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Informational Retreat March 27 in the Fleming Center following the 8:30 Mass. 8:30 til 1:00 with lunch. Readers, technical advisors, if interested in this project and to register for this retreat contact Melissa Doyle mdoyle@cathedralnashville.org or Gale Wheaton 615-730-3167

Knights of Columbus

Join the Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus is referred to as the "Strong Arm of the Church". We are doers and support the clergy by being the muscle behind getting stuff done. We provide charity in both dollars and time. We create fraternity through both social and spiritual get-togethers. We provide a place for Catholic gentlemen to share and serve.

We are looking for new members. If you are a practicing catholic man, over 18 years old and you would like to learn more about our Knights of Columbus Council 544, please contact Barney Zeng, Director of Membership at barneyzeng@gmail.com

Cumberland Backpack Wish List

AHC Cumberland rehabilitation facility has asked us to collect items to distribute to recovering persons who, in most cases, are turned back onto the streets once their recovery process has been completed. We are asking for donations through the month of March for the following items:

- ◆ Chapstick and/or Blistex
- ◆ Small individual sized Kleenex packs
- ◆ Clorox Disinfecting Wipes
- ◆ Foot Warmers
- ◆ Body Wash (men and women)
- ◆ Shampoo
- ◆ Q-tips
- ◆ Hairbrushes/Combs
- ◆ Men& Women deodorant
- ◆ Shower flip flops/shoes men & women L & XL sizes
- ◆ Small size hand sanitizers
- ◆ Backpacks
- ◆ Gas station gift cards
- ◆ Gift cards (grocery store/eatery places)
- ◆ Nonperishable snacks (individual chips, crackers, cookies, etc)
- ◆ Disposable Hot Cups 8-12 oz with lids
- ◆ Hand warmers
- ◆ Ear plugs
- ◆ Laundry soap
- ◆ Hand soap

We will package up and deliver the items to the facility program director's office for distribution. Thank you for your generosity and your continued support for the mission of the Knights of Columbus, Council 544. Any help will sincerely be appreciated!



MASS INTENTIONS

Mass Intentions may be obtained for loved ones, living or deceased, through the Parish Office with a donation of \$10 per intention. Please email info@cathedralnashville.org.

SATURDAY, 3/06

- 8:30am † Diogenes Rodriguez *by Figueredo-Colmenares Family*
5:00am † Webster E. Schott *by the Kirschke-Schwartz Family*

SUNDAY, 3/07 | 3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

- 8:30am † Marlene Kimutis *by Steve & Sharon O'Connell*
11:00am † John Gorham *by Martin McNamara*
5:00pm For the People of the Parish
9:00pm University Catholic Students

MONDAY, 3/08 | ST. JOHN OF GOD

- 7:00am Communion Service
12:10pm † Samuel Hammond *by Dc. Joe & Pam Holzmer*
5:30pm Sp. Int. of the McGuires

TUESDAY, 3/09 | ST. FRANCES OF ROME

- 7:00am † Xavier Hodge *by Parish*
12:10pm † Jack Coode & Clarence Henard *by Cornelia Coode*
5:30pm Fr. Giussani and the Life of the Communion & Liberation Movement

WEDNESDAY, 3/10 |

- 7:00am Sp. Int. of Bishop Spalding
12:10pm † Xavier Hodge *by Rose Marie Wilson*
5:30pm Sp. Int. of Terry & Andrea McGuire

THURSDAY, 3/11 |

- 7:00am † David Crosby *by Parish*
12:10pm † Ed Johnston *by Dc. Joe & Pam Holzmer*
5:30pm Sp. Int. of Annette McGuire

FRIDAY, 3/12 |

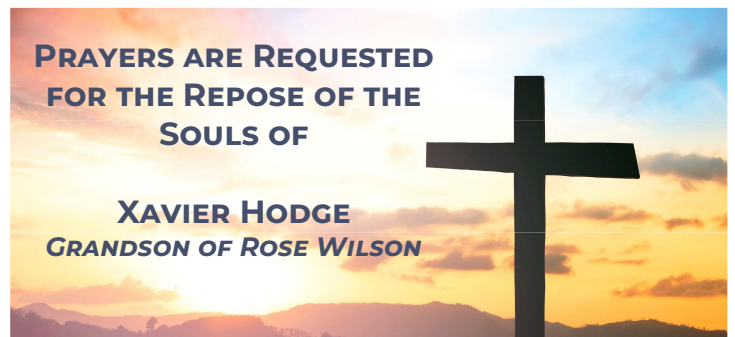
- 7:00am For the Poor
12:10pm For the unemployed

SATURDAY, 3/13

- 8:30am † Poor Souls in Purgatory *by Angela Etter*
5:00am † Michael A. Serratore *by Kirschke-Schwartz Family*

SUNDAY, 3/14 | 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

- 8:30am † Richard G. Krenson *by Tom & Jackie Frazier*
11:00am † John Gorham Sr. *by Ashley Gorham Thompson*
5:00pm For the People of the Parish
9:00pm University Catholic Students



THIS WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL

March 7 — March 13

SUNDAY

- 8:00 Rosary in Church
- 9:45 **The Mass** Bible Study in Rm 305
- 3:30 Book Club in Rm 305
- 6:00 Young Adult Book Club in Rm 202
- 6:00 Youth Group in Rm 304

MONDAY

- 10:00 Adoration in Fleming Center
- 4:30 Adoration & Confessions in Fleming Center
- 6:30 Young Adult Bible Study in Rm 303
- 6:30 Communion & Liberation Group in Rm 207
- 7:00 Boy Scouts in Rm 304

TUESDAY

- 10:00 Adoration in Fleming Center
- 4:30 Adoration & Confessions in Fleming Center
- 5:30 Legion of Mary in Rm 204

WEDNESDAY

- 10:00 Adoration in Fleming Center
- 3:30 Lenten Confessions in Fleming Center
- 4:30 Adoration & Confessions in Fleming Center
- 7:00 **The Mass** Bible Study in Rm 305

THURSDAY

- 10:00 Adoration in Fleming Center
- 4:30 Adoration & Confessions in Fleming Center
- 7:00 RCIA Inquiry in Rm 305
- 7:00 RCIA in Rm 303

FRIDAY

- 9:00 **The Mass** Bible Study in Rm 207
- 12:45 Stations of the Cross in Fleming Center

SATURDAY

- 8:00 Women's Conference in Fleming Center
- 8:30 Saturday Mass in Fleming Center
- 3:00 Confessions in Church

CATHEDRAL YOUNG ADULTS

Interested in Young Adults events at the Cathedral

Email events@cathedralyoungadultsnashville.org for more info, or scan the QR code



Cathedral Youth Group| Sunday @ 6:15pm

Cathedral Youth Group (CYG) will meet tonight at 6:15pm ! Please join us! If you have any questions about CYG please email Jorge, cyg@cathedralnashville.org

LENTEN CONFESSIONS

The Cathedral will be offering the Holy Sacrament of Reconciliation on Wednesdays from 3:30pm-5:15pm and Saturdays 3:00pm- 4:30pm. You can also call the office to schedule an appointment.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Cathedral will hold the Stations of the Cross after 12:10pm Mass on Fridays. Stations will be in the Fleming Center, while the church is under renovation. All are welcome!

MEALS FOR PRIEST

As a small way of showing our appreciation for the tireless work of our priests, we would like to provide a meal calendar and Rosary calendar. There are four priests that currently live at the Cathedral Rectory. The meal needs to be enough for 4-5 people. There are no food allergies.

You can sign up for a meal and Rosary here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050D48AFAE2F4-feasts1>

If you have any questions please call Shawn Curley at 615-497-1513

40 Days for Life

From February 26 through April 5, you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood (412 Dr. D.B. Todd Jr. Blvd, Nashville, TN 37203), and also to help spread the word about this important community outreach. Please come and pray for at least an hour.

The Cathedral will be sponsoring Sunday March 7th, so kindly sign up for that day. Also, we have a parishioner Tom Frazier who goes and prays at Planned Parenthood regularly on Tuesdays and Fridays from 9am to 10 am. If you would like to join him you can contact him at: tomfrazier01@gmail.com

If you'd like more information – and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact Roy Silveira at roysilveira@gmail.com. Also visit the website at www.40daysforlife.com/Nashville for more information and to sign up.



GOSPEL MEDITATION

3rd Sunday of Lent

Many prefer a “create as you go” approach to life where laws and protocols primarily exist to secure and protect liberties rather than dictate and outline proper and right behavior. There are no real benchmarks for acceptable ethical and moral behavior, with a “you can’t tell me what to do” attitude prevailing. Parents are even limited in what they can request of their children, and dealing with threatening behaviors, especially from adults, are a challenge as well. Acceptable and expected conduct seems to amount to safeguarding each other’s space rather than increasing awareness of necessary relationships that require a more refined and higher response.

We have lost our axis to the world of “anything goes” and no longer see the Ten Commandments as practical and wise guideposts to effective living. We live on “relativism island” where only a possible suggestion to “love and do not harm” may be the only standard able to be preached. While Jesus most certainly emphasized love above anything else, it was never about warm fuzzy feelings or halfhearted humanitarian efforts. The love of which Jesus spoke establishes an intimate connection with God, neighbor, self, and creation. Because this love, who is God Himself, is at the foundational core of our lives, it demands actions and attitudes that serve to build up, increase, and free up those relationships. Love requires proper conduct. Preserving and enhancing these love centered relationships is at the heart of the Ten Commandments (and the Beatitudes) and the reason for Jesus’ display of anger in the

temple.

The Ten Commandments can save the world from turmoil and conflict by instilling basic moral and relational principles within us. They also hold a healthy sense of sin in balance and always remind us of our relationship with God and the freedom God offers. Our faith preserves these jewels of truth that we often look beyond, dismiss altogether, or seek to remove from public view. Human beings can be so arrogant at times. Our Lenten journey, especially when embarked upon with sincerity and resolve, can restore all of our essential relationships. When we get absorbed in life’s preoccupations and demands, things can quickly get distorted and we can find ourselves way off track. In short, we find ourselves in sin. Humanity is losing a sense of both grace and sin. We need both to understand what is real and true. Until we do, the oppressive systems and ideologies that hurt so many will never change. We will never change. We are grateful for those courageous souls who willingly embrace the conversion and hard work Lent demands and stand against antiquated systems and ideologies. They give us hope that all is not lost.



WEEKLY READINGS

SUNDAY

EX 20:1-17 OR 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/PS 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [JN 6:68C]/1 COR 1:22-25/ JN 2:13-25 OR 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, 39A, 40-42

MONDAY

2 KGS 5:1-15AB/PS 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4 [CF 42:3]/LK 4:24-30

TUESDAY

DN 3:25, 34-43/PS 25:4-5AB, 6 AND 7BC, 8-9 [6A]/MT 18:21-35

WEDNESDAY

DT 4:1, 5-9/PS 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20]/MT 5:17-19

THURSDAY

JER 7:23-28/PS 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/ LK 11:14-23

FRIDAY

HOS 14:2-10/PS 81:6C-8A, 8BC-9, 10 -11AB, 14 AND 17 [CF. 11 AND 9A]/ MK 12:28-34

SATURDAY

HOS 6:1-6/PS 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21AB [CF. HOS 6:6]/LK 18:9-14

NEXT SUNDAY

2 CHR 36:14-16, 19-23/PS 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [6AB]/EPH 2:4-10/JN 3:14-21 OR 1 SM 16:1B, 6-7, 10-13A/PS 23:1-3A, 3B-4M 5, 6 [1]/EPH 5:8-14/JN 9:1-41 OR 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

DIOCESAN EVENTS

3MT Microlessons: 3 Minute Theology is launching microcourses! These FREE microcourses are short lessons based on published 3 Minute Theology episodes. Each lesson contains helpful scripture, Catechism passages, reading, and questions to understand Catholic teachings and theology. Current courses are Lent and Apologetics. If you teach or are an inquisitive Catholic looking to learn more about the faith, the microcourses are for you! Get started at <https://3minutetheology.teachable.com/>

2021 Spring Speaker Series: The 2021 Spring Speaker Series will be LIVE at the Pastoral Center. We're excited to gather together to discuss the life and sainthood of St. Joseph in the year of St. Joseph. Duplicate talks will be held at 10am and 7pm on Wednesdays beginning March 3rd. Dates are March 10, 17, and 24. All attendees will be required to wear a mask/face shield and will have their temperature taken. Attendees must also fill out a form.

Marriage Retreat: All married and engaged couples to participate in the first Together in Holiness marriage enrichment conference on Saturday, May 8. The conference will be held at the Catholic Pastoral Center in Nashville from 9:30 am – 5:30 pm. This one-day conference is presented by the St. John Paul II Foundation and the Diocese of Nashville, and will include Eucharistic Adoration, Reconciliation, inspiring talks, and end with a vigil Mass celebrated by Bishop Spalding. Our theme this year is "Family, a Community of Prayer", and will include presentations from national speaker Danielle Bean, Nashville's own John and Teri Bosio, and more. Together in Holiness is open to all Catholic couples, married or engaged, who desire to grow in holiness and strengthen their marriage and family life. The conference fee is \$59 per couple or \$35 per individual which will include lunch and a light afternoon snack. If you register before March 22, you will receive an early bird discount. Couples in need can also request a scholarship to help cover the registration fee.

To register or learn more, please visit www.togetherinholiness.org and click on the Nashville location.

FEATURED LINKS

THE BIBLE | www.usccb.org/bible/index.cfm

UNIVERSITY CATHOLIC | www.universitycatholic.org

DIOCESE | www.dioceseofnashville.com

DIOCESAN VOCATION OFFICE | <https://www.nashvocations.org/>

CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS | www.usccb.org

VATICAN & POPE | www.vatican.va

CATHOLIC NEWS SERVICE | www.catholicnews.com

BISHOP BOB BARRON AT WORD ON FIRE | www.wordonfire.org

NASHVILLE CATHOLIC BUSINESS LEAGUE | www.catholicbusinessleague.org

CATHOLIC BUSINESS WOMEN'S LEAGUE | www.ncbwl.org

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF TENNESSEE | www.cctenn.org



SCA | CAMP ST. CECILIA

Registration for Camp St. Cecilia is now open! Six sessions are available from June 7-July 2 and July 12-23. Visit www.stcecilia.edu/camp to register and view a full listing of camps. Contact Camp Director Amie Pike at scacamp@stcecilia.edu with any questions.

3D SUNDAY OF LENT





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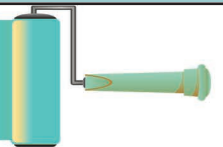
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