

Jesus took Peter,
James, and John
and led them up
a high mountain
apart by
themselves.
And he was
transfigured
before them,
and his clothes
became dazzling
white.

Mark 9:2,3

Transfiguration of Jesus
by Carl Bloch, 1872



2ND SUNDAY OF
*L*ENT

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



Wednesdays, 9 am – 5:45 pm

We need to have two names per hour signed up, in case someone cannot fulfill their time, or has to leave suddenly. If you have any trouble filling the hour for which you have signed up, please call Sandie Lucero at 505-659-8988. **Please do not leave Our Lord alone.**

"This practice of adoration is based on strong and solid reasons. For the Eucharist is at once a sacrifice and a sacrament; but it differs from the other sacraments in that it not only produces grace, but contains in a permanent manner the Author of Grace Himself. When, therefore, the Church bids us to adore Christ hidden behind the Eucharistic veils and to pray to Him for spiritual and temporal favors, of which we ever stand in need, she manifests faith in her divine Spouse who is present beneath these veils, she professes her gratitude to Him, and she enjoys the intimacy of His friendship"--Pope Pius XII

Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima

Our Lady of Fatima, please pray for us!

February 25.....David Soult
March 3.....Estela Mitchell
March 10.....Barbara Hambly



Sign-up sheets are in the notebook in the Church.

The Statue is to be picked up from the sacristy before/after the 4 pm Saturday Mass, kept at your home for a week, and then returned the same time the following weekend.



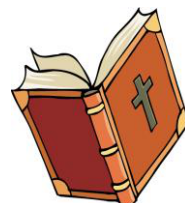
RCIA – the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults-----

meets at St Christopher, on Tuesdays, 6-7 pm in the Parish Life Center (PLC). This week, we'll be focusing on Catholic Social Justice with a particular emphasis on the dignity of all human life. Worldwide, Catholics take a stand on human dignity, and speak out against abortion, massacres, genocide, capital punishment, and more. Furthermore, the poor, the disabled, the elderly, the unborn, and everyone in need require our support. The United States bishops, USCCB.org, have both catechetical information, see *The Seven Themes of Catholic Social Teaching*; and news of current situations that demand our attention. Catholics are called to consistently defend all human life, but this does not mean one person must do everything. As we learn about the needs of others, we begin to understand in what ways God is calling us to defend life. If you would like more info about the RCIA, please contact Glory Kramer.



Adult Bible Study –

Join us in the Formation Room in the Undercroft of Church, 9:15-10:30 am on Sundays. We follow the same calendar as the Religious Ed/CCD school year.



Easter flowers... Envelopes may be found by the doors of Church, in order for you to donate in honor or memory of loved ones. This helps to keep the altar beautiful all during the Easter Season. Thank you so much.

Please support our sponsors, who generously contribute to the back of the bulletin.

Sacrament of Baptism – Please contact Glory Kramer at 270-317-0985 to register for the required **Baptism Preparation Class**. Sessions will meet, as needed, on the last two Sundays of each month.



CCD/Religious Ed— meets on Sundays at 9:15 am in the PLC. If you need information on the Religious Education program, contact Glory Kramer at 270-317-0985 or via her email at: faithformation@stchristopherparish.org.

Scholarship Applications Available....Apply Now!!!
The Knights of Columbus have two (2) \$500 scholarships available for high school seniors, trade school or college students. See the link below for information and registration:
<https://stchristopherparish.org/scholarship-fund>

Catholicism “101”— The next meeting will be on Wednesday, Feb 27 at 4:30 pm in the undercroft. Are you looking for solid foundations, spiritual fortitude, strong moral convictions, and the desire to be faithfully engaged in the community? During the next few meetings we’ll delve into scholarly materials and explore how our Catholic faith is woven into our daily experiences and life’s challenges. Contact Glory Kramer if you need additional information.

Thank you for your support!
2023 Catholic Services Appeal
(CSA) - *Bringing Christ to Others*



Our Parish Target: \$ 15,400.00 Our Parish Participation Goal: 57 households

As of 2/16/24, St. Christopher has met 93% of our parish target (at \$14,355.00), and 93% of our households (with 53).

Thanks to those who have already responded with a gift to the 2023 Catholic Services Appeal. There is still time to respond with a gift to this year’s appeal. Gifts to the 2023 Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) can be made online at www.ArchLou.or/CSA.



Trail Life troop KY-1225 meets at 6:00 pm Tuesdays in the Parish Life Center at Saint Christopher. For more information, call Mike Henderson at 270-307-3537.

USHERS NEEDED:

Ushers are needed at all the Masses. If you are interested, please call Melody Price at 270-300-4533.



AHG meets the 2nd, 4th and 5th Tuesdays of the month at 6:00pm in the Parish Life Center at St. Christopher. For more information, please contact April Reneau, Troop Coordinator, at 910-920-7206, or at ahgtroop1225@gmail.com.

THEY'RE HERE!!



If you had your photo taken for the parish directory, you may stop by the office during business hours to pick up your free copy.

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***Holy Hour for
the Unborn -
Mon., Feb. 26th,
at 5:30 pm
in the Church.***

***Potluck will follow,
in the Undercroft.***



**MASS
Intentions**

Saturday, February 24

4 pm † Robert and Grace Hambly, and
Carol Hambly Lantis

Sunday, February 25

8 am Gregg Foix Family
11 am † Wilbur and Betty Lewis

Monday, February 26

9 am † Thomas Lott

Wednesday, February 28

6 pm † Olga and Manuel Samanamud

Friday, March 1

9 am † Frances Hastings

Saturday, March 2

4 pm † William, Suzanne, Marty and
Richard Price



SECOND WEEK of LENT --- "Lent is the autumn of the spiritual life during which we gather fruit to last us for the rest of the year."-----
----St Francis de Sales

• † • Liturgy Schedule • † •

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday - 4:00 pm at St. Christopher

5:30 pm at St. Martin

Sunday - 8 and 11 am at St. Christopher

9:30 am at St. Martin

Daily Masses: At St. Christopher -

Monday and Friday at 9 am, Wednesday at 6 pm

At St. Martin -

Tuesday and Thursday at 9 am

ADORATION: (at St. Christopher) Wednesdays,

9:00 am - 5:45 pm, closing with Benediction

Confessions: At St. Christopher -

Wednesday, 5-5:45 pm; Saturday 3-3:45 pm, or
by appointment

At St. Martin - Thursday, 5-6 pm, or by appointment

HOLY WEEK and EASTER SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday..... **6 pm at St. Christopher**

Good Friday..... **3 pm Liturgy at St. C.**

3 pm Stations - St. Martin

6 pm Stations at St. C.

6 pm Liturgy - St. Martin

Easter Vigil **8:30 pm at St. Christopher**

EASTER Sunday 9:00 am - St. Martin

11 am - St. Christopher



St. Christopher Parish Wide Lenten Project Art Supplies and Hygiene Products

to benefit *Signature Nursing Home at North Hardin*
Donations accepted now through Holy Thursday

Art Supplies:

- Modge Podge
- Beads
- Pom Poms all sizes
- Artificial Flowers
- white shirts sizes (large and bigger for tie dyeing)
- Mason Jars
- Paint Brushes
- Wood Crafts (no popsicle sticks)
- Individual Paint Sets
- Paint Trays
- Paint Big/Small Sizes
- Bracelet Making Kits
- Grids Transparent Storage Boxes
- Diamond Art Kits
- Paint by Numbers
- Scrapbooking Items
 - Stickers
 - Scissors
 - Color Paper/Holiday
 - Tape
 - Numbers
- Things to make snow globes and item to put in them
- Hot Glue Guns and Glue
- Tie-Dye Kits
- Pipe Cleaners
- Felt Fabric Sheets
- Clay (air dry clay) – all colors

Hygiene Products:

- Shampoo
- Body Wash
- Lotion
- Deodorant
- Conditioner
- Kleenex

Boxes will be at the doors of Church, or you may drop items at parish office during working hours. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY

- feed the hungry
- give drink to the thirsty
- give alms to the poor
- shelter the homeless
- visit the sick
- visit the imprisoned
- bury the dead

SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY

- instruct the ignorant
- counsel the doubtful
- admonish the sinner
- forgive injuries
- comfort the sorrowful
- bear wrongs patiently
- pray for the living and the dead



Lent began earlier this year, which also means **Testify's** Lenten Program will be sooner! Join us Sunday, March 3rd, 5:30 pm, at St. John Catholic Church (657 St. John Church Rd., E'town) for musical reflections on the Stations of the Cross. Afterward, we will gather in the Parish Hall for some refreshments and fellowship.



Trail Life Troop KY-1225 will meet at 10:30 am at the Anderson Aquatic Center, Fort Knox, on Saturday, March 2nd. We plan to swim until 1:00 pm.

NOTE: Trail Life is always accepting worn flags for retirement ceremony. You may drop them off at the parish office anytime Monday through Thursday.



¿Habras español? **SPANISH TEACHER NEEDED:** St. Paul School in Big Clifty (Grayson County) is looking for a part-time Spanish teacher for next year. Certification not required, but would need to have a working knowledge of Spanish and English. If interested, contact the school at 270-242-7483.

KEEP UP WITH PARISH NEWS!



Text APP to phone number **55321**, or visit **myparishapp.com** to download the St. Christopher app. Stay tuned for updates (such as weather cancellations) via the parish app and Facebook.



Saint Christopher **FISH FRY**

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus
4:00 - 7:00 pm in the Parish Life Center
Every Friday in Lent (except Good Friday)

2 pieces special recipe baked or deep-fried, hand-battered fish fillets, green beans, cole slaw and fries or baked potato....\$13

1 piece special recipe baked or deep-fried, hand-battered fish fillet, green beans, cole slaw, and fries or baked potato.....\$9

Drink and dessert included with either meal

Extra side order of shrimp, or frog legs, or extra piece of fish....\$4

10% of proceeds are given to Parish Dine in or Carry out
Debit and Credit cards accepted



FISH SANDWICH LUNCHES TO GO!

11 am - 1 pm

Every Friday (except Good Friday) during Lent.

1 piece fish, bread, green beans, coleslaw and fries.....\$9.00

Must pre-order....call or text 270-307-3537.

Pick up at Parish Life Center



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



For our parish Lenten fish fry events, we need volunteers **to help set up, to help clean up afterwards, to provide desserts, to pack up orders, etc.** If you can help, we will find a task and a time! Community and/or School service hours can be awarded, as well. Please contact Mark at 270-300-2901 or knightscouncil12623@gmail.com to be a volunteer.

The Knights of Columbus plan to hold an **Easter Egg Hunt** on Easter Sunday, following the 11 am Mass, but they need candy and plastic eggs. Bins will be placed at doors of Church, if you would like to make a donation of either or both. Thank you in advance for your help in making sure our young ones have a great and memorable event!



RICE BOWLS - Are now available at the doors of Church. Please return them between Palm Sunday and Holy Thursday. Receptacles will be placed at the doors for your generous contributions in response to hunger in our world. Thank you.



THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

6:00 PM Fridays during Lent



PRAYER ✱ FASTING ✱ ALMSGIVING



"The proof of love is in the works. Where love exists, it works great things. But when it ceases to act, it ceases to exist." - Pope St. Gregory the Great

DO YOU WANT TO FAST THIS LENT?

In the words of Pope Francis

- Fast from hurting words and say kind words.
- Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude.
- Fast from anger and be filled with patience.
- Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope.
- Fast from worries and have trust in God.
- Fast from complaints and contemplate simplicity.
- Fast from pressures and be prayerful.
- Fast from bitterness and fill your hearts with joy.
- Fast from selfishness and be compassionate to others.
- Fast from grudges and be reconciled.
- Fast from words and be silent so you can listen.

Remember in Prayer

Brenda Allen, Jessica Atoigue, Melvin Atwell, Benjamin, Brynn Bleemel, Sung Bloom, Phillip H. Bramlett, Harry Braxton, Jr., Holly and Rusty Brown, Trish Brown, Anthony, Fernando V. and Ray Bulaon, Henry Canales, Steve Carpenter, *Landon Carr, Tony Ceballos, *Monica Leum Chapman, Bobby Chism, Will Clouse, Derek Coffey, Linda Cook, *Deacon Franco Cottrell, *Joe Cruz, Jeff Cundiff, Ken Cyr, Ginger Damato, *Greg Dearborn, Michael and Mary Deases, Arabella Dempsey, *Sue Ann Hambly Devine, *Bonnie C. Disch, Hilda Diviney, *Betty Emke, Tina Fisher, Alice B. Flores, Paul Flores, Carl Frederick, *Thais Gardy, *Shelly Gentry, *Terra Gilles, Kathryn Lauren Grady, Ann Hagan, Jan Heinzen, *Beverly Hopkins, Sam Jenkins, *Glory Kramer, *Maxx Kramer, Robert Krauser, Ray Kuklinski, *Hanneka Lohse, Lydia Lopez, Melinda Luckett, Anna Elizabeth Lytle, Diane McGuire, Rebekah McIlvoy, Angel Manibusan, Jackie Mattingly, *Tammy Mattingly, *Dean Michaelis, Susie Morgando, *Ken Novak, Katie Peace, *Colette Disch Pearson, *Greg Phillips, *Frank Pignanelli, Wendy M. Pike, *Larry Priest, *Meg Rios, Kai Rodgers, *Tina Sanchez, *Bethany Sanders, *Lecia Sanders, *Becky & Joe Schroeder, *Janet Schroer, *Donna Spangenberg, Sabra St. Germain, Arlene Freeman Stillwell, *Frankie Stull, Janet & Montie Sydnor, *Alton Tanner, Gary Taylor, Mary Jo Thompson, Paul & Angie Thorpe, Mary Thurman, Sally & Connie Tijerina, Joe Valencia, Rena Vowels, Torrie & Michael & Wade Wagner, Michael Ward, Jo Anne West, Joe, Freddy & Paul Whelan, *Bill Wikoff, Ellen Ruth Wiseman, *Cathy Yarbrough, Residents/Staff of: Signature - Radcliff, Radcliff Veteran's Center, E-town Nursing Centers, All of our St. Christopher Homebound Parishioners and their family and caregivers.



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PRAYER LIST NOTICE Beginning in March, the Prayer List will undergo a complete revision. All the names will be erased, except for those in italics, marked with the asterisk. Please call or email parish office if you wish to keep a name on the list. You may also take a copy of this bulletin, circle the name(s) and drop it in the collection basket. Thank you.

****SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE****



Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion

Follows the 6 pm Mass on 1st Wed. of month - Potluck social follows in Undercroft



Confraternity of Sts. Francis and Clare

Follows the 11 am Mass on 1st Sunday of month - meets in Formation Room in Undercroft



Our Lady of Perpetual Help Chapter of the Dominican Laity

Follows the 6 pm Mass on 3rd Wed. of month - meets in Formation Room in Undercroft



Young at Heart Fellowship

Begins at 12:30 pm on 3rd Tuesday of month - meets in the Parish Life Center



Holy Hour for the Unborn

Every 4th Monday, at 5:30 pm in Church - Potluck social follows in Undercroft

First Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart

Follows the 9 am Mass on the 1st Friday of the month

First Saturday Devotion to the Immaculate Heart

Follows the 4 pm Mass on the 1st Saturday of the month

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