



Our Lady of Prompt Succor Catholic Church

2320 Paris Road, Chalmette, Louisiana 70043
First Sunday of Lent

February 21, 2021

READING I Gn 9:8-15

God said to Noah and to his sons with him:
“See, I am now establishing my covenant with you
and your descendants after you
and with every living creature that was with you:
all the birds, and the various tame and wild animals
that were with you and came out of the ark.
I will establish my covenant with you,
that never again shall all bodily creatures be destroyed
by the waters of a flood;
there shall not be another flood to devastate the earth.”
God added:
“This is the sign that I am giving for all ages to come,
of the covenant between me and you
and every living creature with you:
I set my bow in the clouds to serve as a sign
of the covenant between me and the earth.
When I bring clouds over the earth,
and the bow appears in the clouds,
I will recall the covenant I have made
between me and you and all living beings,
so that the waters shall never again become a flood
to destroy all mortal beings.”

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

**R. (cf. 10) Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth
to those who keep your covenant.**

Your ways, O LORD, make known to me;
teach me your paths,
Guide me in your truth and teach me,
for you are God my savior.

**R. Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those
who keep your covenant.**

Remember that your compassion, O LORD,
and your love are from of old.
In your kindness remember me,
because of your goodness, O LORD.

**R. Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those
who keep your covenant.**

Good and upright is the LORD,
thus he shows sinners the way.

He guides the humble to justice,
and he teaches the humble his way.

**R. Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those
who keep your covenant.**

READING II 1 Pt 3:18-22

Beloved:
Christ suffered for sins once,
the righteous for the sake of the unrighteous,
that he might lead you to God.
Put to death in the flesh,
he was brought to life in the Spirit.
In it he also went to preach to the spirits in prison,
who had once been disobedient
while God patiently waited in the days of Noah
during the building of the ark,
in which a few persons, eight in all,
were saved through water.
This prefigured baptism, which saves you now.
It is not a removal of dirt from the body
but an appeal to God for a clear conscience,
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ,
who has gone into heaven
and is at the right hand of God,
with angels, authorities, and powers subject to him.

VERSE BEFORE THE GOSPEL

Mt 4:4b

One does not live on bread alone,
but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of
God.

GOSPEL Mk 1:12-15

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert,
and he remained in the desert for forty days,
tempted by Satan.
He was among wild beasts,
and the angels ministered to him.
After John had been arrested,
Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God:
“This is the time of fulfillment.
The kingdom of God is at hand.
Repent, and believe in the gospel.”

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MASS SCHEDULE**Sunday Masses**

Saturday: 4:00pm Vigil
Sunday: 7:00am, 8:30am, 10:30am,
12:30pm (Spanish) & 6:00pm

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday 7:00am
Saturday 8:00 am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday—Friday
8:00am-8:00pm

BAPTISMS

First time parents/godparents must attend a seminar to set the date of baptism for their child. Baptisms take place on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month immediately following the 10:30 am Mass, except during Lent. The Baptismal seminar is on the second and fourth Thursdays of every month at 6:00 pm in the Parish Center. Registration is required for the seminar. Please call the rectory to register for the seminar.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Confessions are available every Saturday from 3:00—3:45 p.m. in adoration chapel and by appointment. Please wear a mask.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

You must contact the church at least six months before the date of the wedding.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact the rectory.

FUNERALS

Contact the funeral home first, and they will contact the Rectory. Funeral Liturgists will meet with you once the funeral arrangements are made to plan the liturgy.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome you with great joy and invite you to register and worship with us regularly. Census forms are at all exits.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Feb. 13-14, 2021

Attendance: 683

Collections: \$4,959.75

Social Outreach: \$452.00



Vigil Light

Bernice & Joseph Gonzales, Sr.



The prayer list will run for two weeks only. If you would like to add your beloved to the list or keep them on past the two weeks, please call the rectory or drop the intention in the collection basket.

Alan Wust, Jr.; George Theaux; Francis Peter Brossette, III; Terry Pitre; Raymond Thibodeaux; Van Robin; Salvador Genovese; Keith Robin, Jr.; Pam Ponthieux; Glenda Rauch; the Daigle Family; Catherine Lucia; Michael Pizzuto; the Pizzuto Family; Nick Gullo, Sr.; Kayla, Kali & Jakie; Janis Gause; Armand Serignan; Melissa; Frank Conley, Sr.; Rena Conley; Shayna Vigne; Eva Dennis; Katie Coco; Krista Dobronich; Tyler Parfait; Clarence Dolese; David Mangene; Mr. & Mrs. Tim Smith, Sr.; Paula Satterlee; The Family of Marilyn Dusang; Helen Armand; Marilyn Hull; Eagen Family; Fr. John Ryan; Congetta Wallace; Frank Doyle; Alexis Hauptmann; Lenny DeFranza; Catherine Williams; Beatrice Peppo-Reine; Hayden Manuel; Dale Rebele; George Belaya; Natalie G. Lara; McBuff Family; Hearty Family; Steve Bergeron; Brittany Chagnard; Fr. Raymond Guillot; Peggy Schifano; Taysha Gibbs; Melinda Wolfe; Rosie Hansen; Henry Randazzo; Al Maiaro; Bob Rauch; Frank Ianni; Tiny Ianni; Pascal Ianni; Coco Teanna; Mark Klein; Margaret Scorsone; Josephine Scorsone; Denise Rogers; Ryan Ware; Marilyn Mouton; Wolf; Courtney Bacon Paolillo; Steve Bergeron; Fran Bourgeois

† Mass Intentions †

Saturday, February 20, 2021

8:00 a.m. Maria Nguyen T. Mua

4:00 p.m. Donald Miller; Josephine Tinney; Rachel Gabb; Joan & Carl T. Treitler, Sr.; Kirby Lodrigues, Jr.; Judy Nunez; Archie, Helen & Kenneth Forsyth; Alfred, Margaret & Kathleen Jirovec; Sidney Torres, Jr.; Anthony Torres, Leander Nunez; Petrina, Sam & Anthony Randazzo; Kathy Salles; Joseph & Teresa Scardina; Rita & Adam Bernard, Sr.; Hank Williams; Jake Bernard; Michael R. Hearty; Rusty Barras, Sr.; Jeffrey A. Cusimano; Carroll J. Borne; Thelma & Anthony Licciardi; Lee & Charlette Melancon; Charles Melancon; Gus, Betty & Gus Hercules & Stephen Georgusis; Joseph & Juanita Richardson; F. Gordon Willhoft, Jr.; Tu Tran, Thien Tran; Joseph Lac Le; Henry Dimm, III; Gerald Courture; Bob Vetter; Cindy P. Heier; Russell Hall; Rose Chevolleau

Sunday, February 21, 2021

7:00 a.m. The Parishioners of Our Lady of Prompt Succor Church

8:30 a.m. Benfiglio & Baham Families; Stephanie Sierra; Albert L. Schell, III; Joan & Eddie Fleetwood; Ralph, Eva & Roger Dennis; Cindy P. Heier; Margie H. Pemiciaro; John LeBourgeois; Chris, Christopher, Philip, Anthony & Janie Carderara; Andrew Bui; Maria Nguyen T. Mua

10:30 a.m. John Palmer; Tu Tran; Thien Tran; Stephen Romare, Jr.; Leonard "Paul" & Carol Ann Daigle; Shirley Perigoni; Russell Thompson; Elizabeth B. Patty; Healing of Patricia Jones; Leah Loesch; Helen Landry

12:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m. Nathan Longo

Monday, February 22, 2021

7:00 a.m. Eugene, Thomasine & Frank Maggiore; Anna Mae Cardinale; Tu Tran; Thien Tran; Adine "Dee" Michelet; Maria Nguyen T. Mua

Tuesday, February 23, 2021

7:00 a.m. The Parishioners of Our Lady of Prompt Succor Church

Wednesday, February 24, 2021

7:00 a.m. Salvador Galvez Siguenza; Tu Tran; Thien Tran; Peter Nguyen V. Chu; Constance Sensebe

Thursday, February 25, 2021

7:00 a.m. Tu Tran; Thien Tran; Roy V. Uhle; Peter Nguyen V. Chu; Constance Sensebe

Friday, February 26, 2021

7:00 a.m. Tu Tran; Thien Tran; Jack Walters; Peter Nguyen V. Chu

Saturday, February 27, 2021

8:00 a.m. Peter Nguyen V. Chu

4:00 p.m. Donald Miller; Josephine Tinney; Rachel Gabb; Joan & Carl T. Treitler, Sr.; Kirby Lodrigues, Jr.; Judy Nunez; Archie, Helen & Kenneth Forsyth; Alfred, Margaret & Kathleen Jirovec; Sidney Torres, Jr.; Anthony Torres, Leander Nunez; Petrina, Sam & Anthony Randazzo; Kathy Salles; Carroll J. Borne; Joseph & Teresa Scardina; Rita & Adam Bernard, Sr.; Hank Williams; Jake Bernard; Michael R. Hearty; Rusty Barras, Sr.; Jeffrey A. Cusimano; Thelma & Anthony Licciardi; Lee & Charlette Melancon; Charles Melancon; Gus, Betty & Gus Hercules & Stephen Georgusis; Joseph & Juanita Richardson; F. Gordon Willhoft, Jr.; Tu Tran, Thien Tran; Joseph Lac Le; Henry Dimm, III; Margie H. Pemiciaro; Bob Vetter; Cindy P. Heier; Jack Walters; Charles Coleman



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday

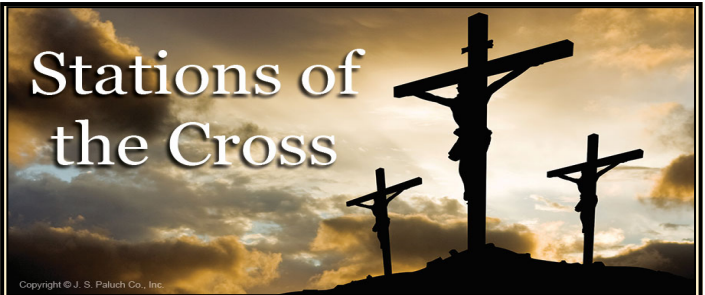
Supper of the Lord—7:00 p.m.

Good Friday

Celebration of the Lord's Passion—3:00 p.m.

Easter Vigil—8:00 p.m.

Easter—8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m.(Spanish)



During Lent, the Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday evening at 5:30 pm in English and 7:15 pm in Spanish. On Good Friday, the Stations of the Cross will follow the Celebration of the Lord's Passion, which begins at 3pm.

Confessions in all Parishes

March 10, 17 & 24, 2021

5:00—6:30 PM

Please Pray for the Souls of

Shirley Duret

Albert LaBauve

Michelle Marie Rabalais



BAPTISMS



We welcome to OLPS' faith community:

Claudia Ry Apelacoin

Alan Alexander Canas

FEAST OF FAITH

Seasonal Changes for the Liturgies of Lent

Today is the First Sunday of Lent. During this season of preparation for Easter, our churches look stark and simple—no flowers at the altar, no festive banners or decorations. And our liturgies feel different, too. The organ is quiet except to accompany the singing of the assembly. The Gloria, our Sunday song of rejoicing, is not heard except on solemnities, and we will not sing the Alleluia, our joyful acclamation of praise, until the Easter Vigil. “Alleluia cannot always / Be our song while here below,” says an eleventh-century hymn. “Alleluia our transgressions / Make us for a while forego; / For the solemn time is coming / When our tears for sins must flow” (*Alleluia dulce carmen*, J. M. Neale, trans.).

These changes in the liturgy will catch our attention, and make us eager for the festive outpouring of joy that will return with Easter. This year, may the stripped-away liturgies of Lent remind us to strip away what is not essential in our lives to make space for the crucified and risen One, and thus to be ready to sing “Alleluia” once again when Easter returns.

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REPENT AND BELIEVE IN THE GOSPEL

Lent is the time of year we devote to scrutinizing our lives in the light of our baptism into the death and resurrection of Jesus. Today’s readings are a nice shorthand catechism of what our baptized lives mean. As Noah passed through the waters of the flood to a covenant with God, so did we enter into a covenant, a promised relationship with God through our baptism.

Peter’s letter gives an explicit explanation of what our baptism means: it is an appeal we make to God for a clear conscience. How do we obtain this clear conscience? The words proclaimed by Jesus immediately following his temptation show us the way: “Repent, and believe in the gospel” (Mark 1:15). It might be a good spiritual exercise to keep these readings before us throughout the entire season of Lent, a means to help us return to a life lived by our baptismal promises.

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday:** First Sunday of Lent; Rite of Election; Rite of Calling the Candidates to Continuing Conversion; Rite of Sending
- Monday:** Washington’s Birthday; Julian Calendar Lent begins
- Tuesday:** St. Polycarp
- Thursday:** Purim (Jewish observance) begins at sunset
- Friday:** **Abstinence**
- Saturday:** St. Gregory of Narek

PARISH LENTEN MISSION



MINUTES FOR JESUS

March 29-30, 2021 @ 7:00 p.m.

Rev. James Sichko

**Priest, Preacher, Catholic Evangelist,
Motivational Speaker, One of 100 Papal
Missionaries of Mercy in the United States**



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