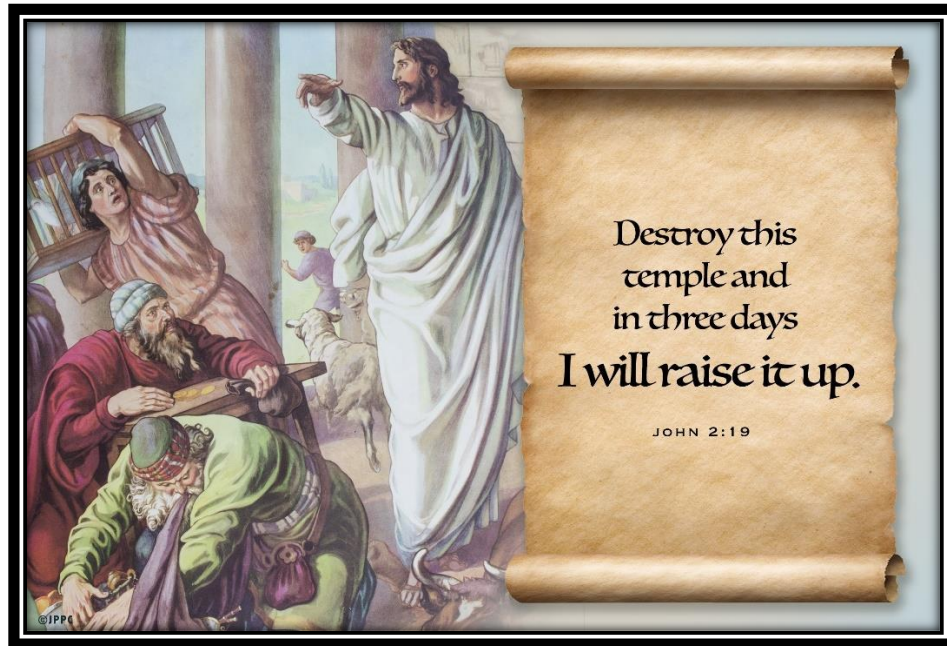


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***Third Sunday of Lent – March 3, 2024***

**MASSES:**

**Sundays:**

*Holy Cross*

Vigil Mass (Saturday) 4:30

Sunday 8:30, 11:30

10:00 (Spanish)

*St. John the Baptist*

Vigil Mass (Saturday) 4:00

Sunday 9:30, 11:30, 5:15

*Holy Cross*

Monday - Friday 7:30, 12:15

Saturday 12:15

*St. John the Baptist*

Monday-Friday 5:15

Saturday 12:15

Holydays *Holy Cross* 7:30, 12:15, 5:15

*St. John the Baptist* 12:15, 5:15

Holidays *Holy Cross* 9:30

*St. John the Baptist* 9:30

**CONFESSIONS:**

*Holy Cross*

Saturday 3:30-4:15

*St. John the Baptist*

Monday – Friday 2:00-4:00

Saturday 3:00-3:45

**DEVOTIONS:**

*Holy Cross*

Morning Prayer Monday-Friday 8:00

Adoration Thursday 1:00

*St. John the Baptist*

Divine Mercy Monday-Friday 3:00

Rosary Monday-Friday 4:45

St. Padre Pio Monday 5:45

Charismatic Prayer Tuesday 5:45-7:00

OL Perpetual Help Wednesday 5:45

True Cross Friday 5:45

Holy Hour First Friday 5:45

Bl. Solanus Casey Second Saturday 12:15

2000 Hail Marys Third Saturday 8:00-4:00

God the Father Third Sunday 1:00

## PARISH STAFF

### Pastor

Fr. Michael Ramos, OFM Cap.

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Fr. Richard Mattox, OFM Cap.

Fr. Patrick Sullivan, OFM Cap.

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# MASS Intentions

## Saturday, March 2

### St. Agnes of Bohemia

12:15 (HC) All Souls

12:15 (SJB) Jeanne Calixte

4:00 (SJB) James T. Corbett

4:30(HC) People of the Parish

## Sunday, March 3

8:30 (HC) Ray Wellbaum

9:30 (SJB) Fr. Francis Gasparik, OFM Cap.

10:00 (HC) Juan Rebolledo

11:30 (HC) Our Lady

11:30 (SJB) Marvis Andrews, OFS

5:15 (SJB) Marvis Andrews, OFS

## Monday, March 4

7:30 (HC) Our Lady

12:15 (HC) Leary Family

5:15 (SJB) Fr. John Baptist Riordan, OFM Cap.

## Tuesday, March 5

7:30 (HC) Raul Zapata

12:15 (HC) Our Lady

5:15 (SJB) Robert Kumbatovic

## Wednesday, March 6

7:30 (HC) Chris Kyle

12:15 (HC) Our Lady

5:15 (SJB) Cornelio Camacho

## Thursday, March 7

### Sts. Perpetua and Felicity

7:30 (HC) Our Lady

12:15 (HC) Pauline Garcia

5:15 (SJB) Mary Radich

## Friday, March 8

### St. John of God

7:30 (HC) Our Lady

12:15 (HC) Sarana Purvath and Valiya Parembil

5:15 (HC) Ann Weisse

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK



### Monday, March 4 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab

Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4 Lk 4:24-30

### Tuesday, March 5 Dn 3:25, 34-43

Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 Mt 18:21-35

### Wednesday, March 6 Dt 4:1, 5-9

Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20 Mt 5:17-19

### Thursday, March 7 Jer 7:23-28

Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 Lk 11:14-23

### Friday, March 8 Hos 14:2-10

Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17  
Mk 12:28-34

### Saturday, March 9 Hos 6:1-6

Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab Lk 18:9-14

### Sunday, March 10 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23

Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 Eph 2:4-10

Jn 3:14-21

### Available at:

<https://bible.usccb.org/readings/calendar>

Our parish **FaceBook** page,  
<https://www.facebook.com/christinthecitynyc/>  
has been re-vitalized. Pay us a visit.

Dear friends in the Lord,

On *Laetare* Sunday, March 10, in all our parishes and in churches throughout the country, we will be collecting your offering for *Catholic Relief Services*. With your support, you serve Jesus in those who are poor and vulnerable in the most marginalized communities in our world.

When you give, your help fills the bellies of young children; you help prevent trafficking and provide welcome kits for survivors; your donations help mothers and babies around the world receive nutritional care and health exams; refugees find safety and receive emergency assistance and trauma counseling; and farmers learn innovative ways to plant and grow crops despite drought or disease.

For more than 75 years, CRS has been providing expertise and compassion to the very poorest of our brothers and sisters in more than 100 countries. Your generosity to the *Catholic Relief Services* facilitates much-needed support and makes a difference for so many around the globe. As you would agree, this is a most worthy Lenten exercise. To learn more about the collection and the people who benefit, you may visit

[www.usccb.org/catholic-relief](http://www.usccb.org/catholic-relief)

As I write to you today, I am asking that you prayerfully consider as an act of mercy and charity, a generous donation to *Catholic Relief Services*. My gratitude to you for last year's contribution of \$357,068 and for your alms once again this year.

My prayerful best wishes for a blessed Lenten season.

Faithfully in Christ,  
+Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan  
Archbishop of New York



### MASS INTENTIONS

To have a Mass offered for a particular intention contact the parish office, at either Holy Cross or St. John the Baptist.

Donations to the parish can be made online at [www.christinthecity.nyc/donate](http://www.christinthecity.nyc/donate)



### Upcoming Events

**March 8 @10:00 am**  
***Spirit in Action***  
Tour of St. Patrick's Cathedral



**12:45 Fridays @ Holy Cross**  
**5:45 Fridays @ St. John the Baptist**

The Capuchin Franciscans follow Christ in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi. As brothers, we live together in fraternities and observe the vows of poverty, chastity and obedience while serving

God's people in various ministries. If you are being called to this way of life or know a man who may be called to this way of life, please

speak to one of the friars or go to

[www.capuchin.org/vocations](http://www.capuchin.org/vocations)

