



St. Charles Borromeo Church

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First Sunday of Lent

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday – Thursday.....7:30 AM
 Friday - Mass & Way of the Cross.....6:00 PM
 Saturday 4:00 PM
 Sunday..... 7:30 AM, 10:00 AM
 First Saturday 7:30 AM

Rev. Carl P. Collins, Pastor

Rev. Glenn LeCompte, In Residence

Deacon Brent Bourgeois

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Friday: 8:00 AM – 12:00 Noon

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THE EUCHARIST:

APPRECIATING GOD'S GIFT OF LOVE

LENTEN REFLECTION SERIES

MAURET FAMILY LIFE CENTER

TUESDAYS DURING LENT, 6:00-7:30 PM



February 20 – The Eucharist, God's Love FOR US

February 27 – The Eucharist, Thanks Be to God

March 5 – The Eucharist, Our Daily Bread

March 12 – The Eucharist Unites Us

March 19 – The Eucharist, Beyond the Signs of Bread & Wine

March 26 – Do This in Memory of Me

Presenters: Fr. Carl; Fr. Glenn; Deacon Brent

All are welcome!

Our Lenten Charity

This year, our church parish Lenten Charity will be **Crossroads Pregnancy Resource Center**.

Crossroads, located in Thibodaux, is a life-affirming Christian organization serving women experiencing an unexpected pregnancy. Crossroads provides medical services, education, guidance, and spiritual support especially to those considering abortion or other alternatives in a spirit of compassion, love, and grace.

Founded by Bishop Oscar Solis and St. Joseph parishioners, Crossroads has helped over 4,500 women in Lafourche, Terrebonne, Assumption, Saint James, and Saint Mary parishes.

FREE & confidential services include:

- Pregnancy Tests & Limited Ultrasounds
- Pregnancy & Parenting Education & Support
- Options Consultations
- Adoption Referrals
- Post-abortion Healing
- Community Referrals and Outreach
- Sexual Integrity Education
- Parenting Program
- Maternity & Baby Items Distribution

**** Crossroads does not provide or refer for abortion services.**



A representative from Crossroads will be here to speak at all Masses next weekend. At that time, donation envelopes will be available. You may mail your donation directly to Crossroads or put it in the Stewardship box in MFLC.



REMINDER!

EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT:

**6:00 P.M. - MASS & WAY OF THE CROSS
 (THERE WILL BE NO 7:30 A.M. MASS)**

REPENT

Believe in the Gospel

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"The kingdom of God is at hand." (Mark 1:15)



Can you imagine the excitement that Jesus must have generated as he began healing people, performing works of wonder, and

preaching the good news of the kingdom? Can you picture the hope and expectation evident in the faces of the people who flocked to him?

It certainly was a dramatic way for Jesus to begin his ministry. But today, on the First Sunday of Lent, the Lord reminds us that this exciting new beginning came at the end of something not quite so exciting. Just before he burst on the scene, Jesus had endured a grueling forty-day fast and a host of demonic temptations.

This sequence of events wasn't just a coincidence. It was that very fast that helped launch the new kingdom Jesus was announcing. By staying faithful to his Father throughout this ordeal, Jesus began his work of disarming the devil. As the first man who didn't bend to temptation, he reversed the sin of Adam and opened a path for us to follow. Beginning with his time in the wilderness, Jesus demonstrated that his kingdom was indeed at hand—and that the devil's reign was coming to a decisive end.

As your own Lenten journey unfolds this year, keep the story of Jesus' temptation in the wilderness close to your heart. Especially when life gets hard or temptations arise, remind yourself that every desert experience can result in new life as you try your best to stay faithful to the Lord. Even if you fall, remember that you can stand up again and keep moving forward because of Jesus' triumph over the devil. Sin no longer has the final word in your life; Jesus, your Redeemer, does!

(The Word Among Us Daily Meditation)

***Would you like to help
with the faith formation
of our Youth?***

If so, then this job is for you!

**YOUTH FORMATION COORDINATOR
PART TIME POSITON**

**CONTACT FR. CARL AT THE OFFICE
OR SEND RESUME DIRECTLY TO
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Mass Intentions for the Week

Mon...., 2/19 - 7:30 A.M. MASS – Mitchell Robichaux (DA); Norman & Jean Hebert

Tues...., 2/20 - 7:30 A.M. MASS – George, Louise, & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Nolan "Pip" Bourgeois (B); Norman & Jean Hebert; Sean Michael Robichaux (DA)

Wed...., 2/21 - 7:30 A.M. MASS – *Feast of Saint Peter Damian, Bishop & Doctor of the Church*: George (B), Louise, & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Jenny Delcambre (B); Norman & Jean Hebert; Roland Knobloch

Thurs...., 2/22 - 6:00 P.M. MASS – *Feast of The Chair of Saint Peter the Apostle*: George, Louise, & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Norman & Jean Hebert; Rev. Msgr. Joseph Wester (B)

Fri....., 2/23 - 6:00 P.M. MASS & WAY OF THE CROSS – *Feast of Saint Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr*: George, Louise, & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Ken Delcambre; Michael Trahan (DA); Norman & Jean Hebert; Philip Barrios & Family

Sat...., 2/24 - 4:00 P.M. Mass – *Vigil Mass of The Second Sunday of Lent*: Abbie Robichaux (B); Arnold & Mary Richard; Beryl Guidry; Betty Duet; Bobby Breaux (DA-2/25); Boudreaux & Bourgeois Families; Charles & Nell Zeringue; Steve & Laurie Autin; T.J. & Nell France; Cleveland J. Foret; Clifton & Emma Lee Babin; Richard Babin; Donatien & Kate Danos; Donna Lynn Adams (DA-2/27); Elvina Darby & Rose; Frank & Edna Weimer; Gautreaux & Richard Families; George, Louise, & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Hugh & Irene Rodriguez; Inez "Sis" Pecot (DA); Jake & Mabel (B) Matherne; John Rodrigue (B-2/25); Jules Quatrevingt; Phyllis Dufrene; Kirby & Ricky Zeringue; Louis & Inez Devillier Family; M/M Emile Barrios & Family; Aline & Marion; M/M Leroy Folse; Michael Trahan; Milfred Degruise; Philip & Eunice Ledet; Joyce Ledet; Charlie Leldet; Norman & Jean Hebert; Philip Ledet Jr.; Philip Ledet III; Roland Knobloch; Roy & Josephine Foret & Allen; Roy Bourgeois; Ryan Zeringue Jr.; Sally Thibodaux; Stone & Alice Savoy; Wilbert Dufrene; Ashley Dufrene; Beth Dufrene; Velma & Scuddy Hebert; Betty Ann Hebert; Virgie Glynn; Wilfred & Dora Danos; William "Bill" Champagne; Billy Champagne (DA); William "Bill" Nezzio; Wilson J. & Gabriella W. Melancon; Ralph Melancon; Barbara Melancon; Zeringue & Danos Family

Sun...., 2/25 - 7:30 A.M. – *Second Sunday of Lent*: Alice Savoy; Angelina Wales; Leoma Glorioso; Deceased Members of Glorioso Familiy; Barbara Delcambre (B); Bonnie Milligan; Calvin Boudreaux Sr.; Dave J. Robichaux; Mary W. Robichaux; Chester G. Boudreaux; Hazel B. Boudreaux; Carroll Acosta Sr.;

Miriam Acosta; Christine A. Tabor; Verdie Knoblock; Donald & Olga Robichaux; Harry Becnel; Marguerite Thibodaux; Helen Schexnaydre; Joy Lynn Naquin; Jules J. & Jeanne L. Ball; Michael Trosclair Michael Poussard; Brandon Courteaux; Bobby Deroche; Poor Souls in Purgatory; Jules Quatrevingt; Phyllis Dufrene; Rose & Edward Comeaux Jr.; Larry Borne; Linda Kliebert; Margaret Gaubert; Peggy Oncale; Ray Weimer Jr.; Ruby & Ivy Templet & Family; Junius & Claire Hebert & Mary Ann; Scott Breaux; Wilbur J. Brown & Ethlyn Brown

Sun...., 2/25 - 10:00 A.M. – Second Sunday of Lent: Alice R. Weimer (B); Alice Savoy; Angie Ford; Arceneaux Family; Audrey Hidalgo; Bishop Mario Dorsonville; Blaise Ledet; Brian Gros Sr.; Christine Martin; Madison A. Lagarde; Alban C. Lagarde; Nancy L. Lagarde; Constanacio "Camoy" Izaguirre; David "Bubby" Robichaux Jr.; Kerry Robichaux; Diane Iver; Donald Chiasson; Lee Babin; Roxanne LeBlanc; Freddie Pierce; Horace & Elaine Thibodaux; Jane Zeringue; Jerry A. Martinez; Jerry Andras; JoAnn Bourgeois; Joseph Guidry; Joseph Lagarde, Sr.; Dorothy (Dot) Lagarde; Beverly Breaux; Stephen Gossen; Ronny Gossen; Betty Lou Babin; Mire Family; Katherine "Cat" Thibodeaux; Lance Thibodeaux; Kenneth Pitre; Leonard Lasseigne; Leslie Huth; Myra Blanchard; Nolan "Pip" & Toudell G. Bourgeois; Francis Bourgeois; Norman & Jean Hebert; Pat "Coach" Szush; Richard E. LeBlanc Jr.; Richard Weimer; Roy Martinez; Shanna Sanchez; Stephanie (B) & Daniel (B) Guidry (WA); Whitman & Prejeant Families; Willard Chauvin; Margaret Gaubert

SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT (February 11, 2024)

\$2,218.00	Envelopes
317.00	Loose
100.00	Online Giving
\$2,635.00	Total

Maintenance: \$342.55
St. Anthony: \$ 50.00

*LOVE
SERVE
GIVE*

DATES, TIMES, & PLACES

Mon..., 2/19 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (MFLC)
Tues..., 2/20 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (MFLC)
6:00 P.M. – Lenten Series
"The Eucharist" (MFLC) JOIN US!
Wed..., 2/21 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (MFLC)
10:00 A.M. – Rosary (MFLC)
Thurs..., 2/22 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (MFLC)
Fri..., 2/23 - **6:00 P.M. – Mass & Way of the Cross (MFLC)**
Please Note: No 7:30 A.M. Mass
Sat..., 2/24 - **4:00 P.M.** – Vigil Mass (MFLC)
Sun..., 2/25 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (MFLC)
10:00 A.M. – Mass (MFLC)
10:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. – Youth Formation
Class - 9th-11th Grades

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

MONDAY (2/19): Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Mt 25:31-46
TUESDAY (2/20): Is 55:10-11; Mt 6:7-15
WEDNESDAY (2/21): Jon 3:1-10; Lk 11:29-32
THURSDAY (2/22): 1 Pt 5:1-4; Mt 1:13-19
FRIDAY (2/23): Ez 18:21-28; Mt 5:20-26
SATURDAY (2/24): Dt 26:16-19; Mt 5:43-48
SAT/SUNDAY (2/24-25): Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18;
Rom 8:31b-34; Mk 9:2-10

BIBLE VERSE OF THIS WEEK:

**"The Kingdom of God is at hand.
Repent, and believe in the Gospel." (Mk 1:15)**

PASSED FROM THIS LIFE SEEKING GOD'S MERCIFUL LOVE:

Miriam Aupied Acosta (2/7/2024)
Windom Foret (2/7/2024)
Clarence "C.A." Roussel, Jr. (2/9/2024)

In Loving Memory

(February 16-22, 2024)

Blessed Sacrament Candle

Elvina Darby (B-2/20)
Dave J. & Mary W. Robichaux
Ryan Anthony Zeringue Jr.
Deceased Members of KC Council #12060



Altar Breads

Stephen Gossen

Altar Wine

Calvin P. Boudreaux

Missalettes

Joy Lynn Naquin

Easter Flowers

Donations for Easter flowers are now being accepted. If you would like to remember a deceased loved one in this special way, please contact the Administration Office no later than March 22nd.



QUOTE:

"Don't let sin against you produce sin in you."

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UPCOMING COMMUNITY MEAL March 2nd

St. Charles Borromeo Church and the KC's will sponsor a Community Meal on Saturday, March 2nd. Please notify the Administration Office if you are aware of any parishioner who is in need of a meal. Thank you!