



## ST. CATHERINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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“To the servant of God. . . Every place is the right place, and every time is the right time.” ~ St. Catherine of Siena

### Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am & 10:30 am

Sunday (Spanish) 3:00 pm

Weekdays - M, T, Th, F, S - 8:00 am

Wednesday-5:00 pm

### Adoration Schedule

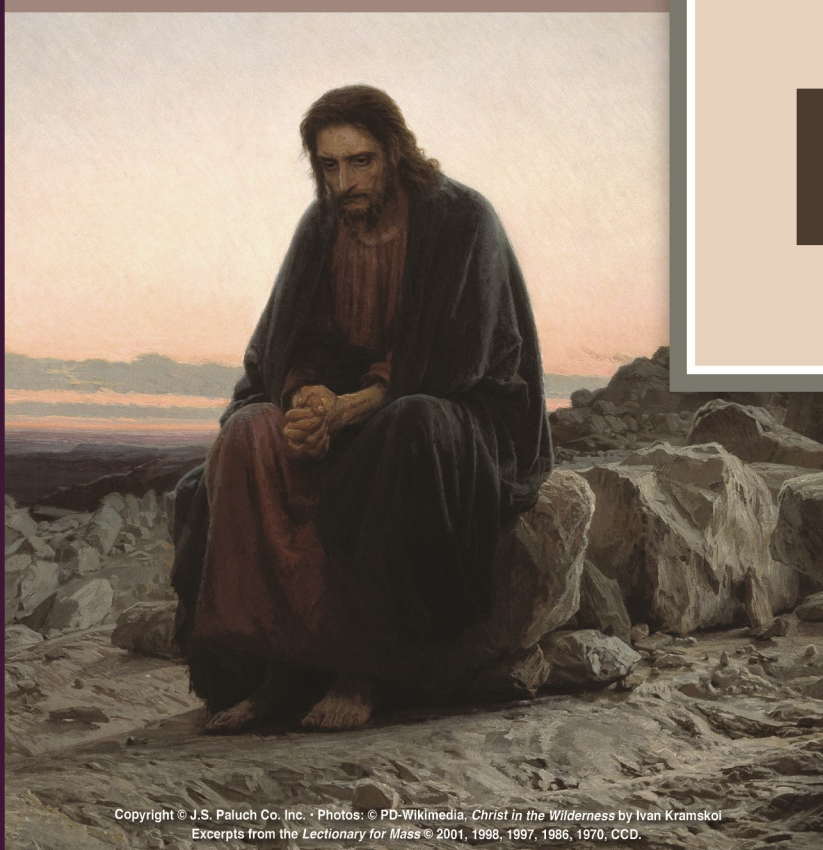
M, T, W, Th, F

One Hour Before Daily Mass

Saturday ~ 7:00 AM

# First Sunday of LENT

March 6, 2022



Filled with the Holy Spirit,  
Jesus returned from the Jordan  
and was led by the Spirit into  
the desert for forty days,  
to be tempted by the devil.

Luke 4:1-2

## STAFF

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M, T, Th, F at 7:15 AM ~ Wednesday at 4:15 PM  
Saturday at 7:15 AM & 4:15 PM  
Sunday at 7:15 AM & 9:45 AM

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Sunday Hours ~ 7:45 AM to 11:30 AM

### Mass Schedule

Holy Days and Holidays: Check the bulletin for time.

## THE WEEK AHEAD

### SUNDAY, March 6th

#### MASS 8:00 AM-Church

Confession 7:00 AM & 9:15 AM  
Classes-9-10:15 AM-Religious Ed. K-6th Grades, C. R.  
9-10:30 AM RCIC-Room #204  
9:15 AM-Choir-Church and Adult Scripture Study- Room #209

#### MASS 10:30 AM-Church

Classes-1-2:45 PM Hispanic Religious Ed. Class Rooms  
1-2:45 PM Hispanic Adult Bible Study  
**MASS in SPANISH 3:00 PM-Church**

### MONDAY, March 7th

#### 7:00 AM ADORATION & MASS at 8:00 AM-Church

"NO" School-Three Hearts Academy starts after Mass  
6:00 PM Youth Group Mtg. Social Hall

### TUESDAY, March 8th

#### 7:00 AM ADORATION & COMMUNION SERVICE 8:00 AM-Church

### WEDNESDAY, March 9th

#### 4:00 PM ADORATION & COMMUNION SERVICE 5:00 PM-Church

10:30 AM Ladies Study "No Greater Love" Dr. Sri Room #209  
6-7:30 PM-Religious Ed. Gr. 7-10 Grades, C. R. & Chapel  
6:30 PM Dante with Dr. Domm -Social Hall  
7:00 PM Hispanic Prayer Group-Church

### THURSDAY, March 10th

#### 7:00 AM ADORATION & COMMUNION SERVICE 8:00 AM-Church

"NO" School-Three Hearts Academy starts after Mass  
9:00 AM Dante with Dr. Domm-Social Hall  
7:00 PM Hispanic Couples Prayer Group-Social Hall

### FRIDAY, March 11th

#### 7:00 AM ADORATION & COMMUNION SERVICE 8:00 AM-Church

#### First Friday Adoration Until 5:00 PM

5:30 PM Stations of the Cross followed by Meal in S. H.  
6:30 PM-9:30 PM Hispanic Youth Group-C. R.

### SATURDAY, March 12th

#### 7:00 AM ADORATION & MASS at 8:00 AM-Church

Confession 7:15 AM & 4:15 PM  
4:15 PM-Rosary in the Chapel-All Are Welcome!  
**VIGIL MASS 5:00 PM-Church**

### SUNDAY, March 13th

#### MASS 8:00 AM-Church

Confession 7:15 AM and 9:45 AM  
9-10:15 AM-Religious Ed. K-6th Grade-Classrooms  
9-10:30 AM-RCIC-Room #204  
9:15 AM-Choir-Church and Adult Scripture Study-Room #209

#### MASS 10:30 AM-Church

1-2:45 PM Hispanic Religious Ed.-Classrooms  
1-2:45 PM Hispanic Adult Bible Study  
**MASS in SPANISH 3:00 PM-Church**

# Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



## **MONDAY, March 7th**

**Mass 8:00 AM**

*All Sick and Those Listed in the Bulletin*

## **TUESDAY, March 8th**

**Communion Service 8:00 AM**

† *Amelia Whitworth* by *Nancy Miller and Suzanne Black*

## **WEDNESDAY, March 9th**

**Communion Service at 5:00 PM**

† *William Beard* by *Beverly Beard*

## **THURSDAY, March 10th**

**Communion Service at 8:00 AM**

## **FRIDAY, March 11th**

**Communion Service at 8:00 AM**

*William Galle* by *Eleanor Galle*

## **SATURDAY, March 12th**

**Mass at 8:00 AM**

**Vigil Mass at 5:00 PM**

† *Joseph Soisson* by *Sally Soisson and Sons*

## **SUNDAY, March 13th**

**Mass at 8:00 AM**

*Members of the Parish*

**Mass at 10:30 AM**

† *Lenore Willeford* by *the Billingsley Family*

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — The Israelites show their faith by offering the LORD first fruits of the products of their new land (Deuteronomy 26:4-10).

**Psalm** — Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble (Psalm 91).

**Second Reading** — All who express faith in the risen Christ and confess that he is Lord will be saved (Romans 10:8-13).

**Gospel** — Jesus was led into the desert by the Spirit and was tempted (Luke 4:1-13).

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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15;  
Mt 25:31-46

Tuesday: Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-7, 16-19; Mt 6:7-15

Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19;  
Lk 11:29-32

Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8;  
Mt 7:7-12

Friday: Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-8; Mt 5:20-26

Saturday: Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8;  
Mt 5:43-48

Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27:1, 7-9, 13-14;  
Phil 3:17 — 4:1 [3:20 — 4:1]; Lk 9:28b-36

## SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: First Sunday of Lent;  
Girl Scouting Sunday

Monday: Ss. Perpetua and Felicity;  
Julian calendar Lent begins

Tuesday: St. John of God

Wednesday: St. Frances of Rome

Friday: Abstinence

## WHAT ARE YOU DOING ON MARCH 19?

Three Hearts Academy will be having an "Open House" and Invite You to Preview Our 2022-2023 School Year. This will be on Saturday, March 19th, the Feast Day of St. Joseph, from the hours of 1pm to 3:30pm. Talk with our dedicated tutors and tour our classrooms. Come learn about our flexible enrollment programs!



# RADIO MARIA

**Battle Ready, with Fr. Dan Reehil, on Radio Maria USA** airs at 9:00 AM Central time, Monday through Friday mornings. Download the RadioMariaUSA app on your phone, or you can click the link to the website here:  
<https://radiomaria.us/listen-to-the-radio/>





**HAPPY BIRTHDAY to all celebrating a birthday this week:**

**Adults:** Mariann Kaible, Elizabeth Harter, JoAnn Watts, Mary Grappin, Ginore Reeves, Jason Capley, Jovimar C. Estrella, Timothy Hinds, Donald Castillo, Lisa Evers, Cynthia Guerra, Michael Sams, Ricky Ragsdale, Josefina R. Vasquez

**Youth:** Teagan Wilson, Dominic Morbo, Diego and Romeo Franco, Clare McAtee

*Prayers for Priests and Religious of the  
Diocese of Nashville  
March 2022*

Lord Jesus hear our prayer for the spiritual renewal of priests. We praise you for giving their ministry to the Church. In these days renew them with the gifts of your Spirit. You once opened the Scriptures to the disciples on the road to Emmaus. Now renew your ordained ministers with the truth and power of your Word. In the Eucharist you gave the Emmaus disciples renewed life and hope. Nourish priests with your own Body and Blood. Help them to imitate in their lives the death and resurrection they celebrate at your altar. Give priests enthusiasm for the Gospel, zeal for the salvation of all, courage in leadership, humility in service, fellowship with one another and with all their brothers and sisters in You. For you love them, Lord Jesus. And we love and pray for them in Your name. Amen.

**PLEASE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR:**

*Fr. Daniel Reehil, Fr. Rodolfo Rivera, Fr. Daniel Steiner, Fr. Anthony Stewart, Fr. Stephen Stolarski, Fr. Jerry Strange, Fr. Javier Suarez*



**COMING SOON—OPEN HOUSE**

3HA is holding an **Open Hours** on Saturday, **March 19th**, the Solemnity of St. Joseph and Husband of Mary, **from 1 to 3:30 PM**. Please come by to preview our 2022-2023 School Year! Our 2 day per week program is uniquely designed to raise Saints.

**"Let the children come to me, and do not prevent them; for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."**  
MT 19:14

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY**

For all our sick and recovering Parishioners  
Listed below.



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**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Greg Saino : Tom Downey : Mark Kaibel :  
Caroline Briggs : Carl Hendricks : Candice  
Barton : Vicki Cairns : Glen Lumpkins :  
Connie & Ray Gardner : Brenda Rohan :  
Lucy McGrady : Clara Ledbetter : Robert  
& Harriet Bohman : Alfonso Dao : Clare &  
Price Keller : Mary & Grace Shadel : Daniel Hudson Jr. :  
Paul Ragsdale : Jim Havens : Treva Held : Louis Borriello :  
Nancy Coghlan : Jim Bohman : Faye Spencer : Jay Thom-  
as : George Couch : Kimberly Sparkman : Charlie Swan :  
John Billingsley : Kaitlyn Booher : Amanda Campbell : Car-  
men and Linda Abate : Kathy Redding : Ron and Theresa  
Wenzel

**SENIOR LUNCHEON**



**Senior Luncheon  
March 15th, 2022  
Social Hall at 11:30 AM**

**Menu:**

**Pork Tenderloin, Scalloped Potatoes, Spinach Salad, Apple Sauce, Veggie Tray and Pineapple Upside Down Cake for Dessert**

**Sign-Up Required, Donations Accepted.**

## First Sunday of Lent ~ March 6th, 2022



Grand Knight

*Edgar Ponce-931-626-7304*

Deputy Grand Knight

*Robert D'Amato-931-224-1221*

Monday March 21st-7 PM K of C Officer Mtg. Room #203

Tuesday March 22nd-7 PM K of C Council Mtg. S.H.

### PINK ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Congratulations to Parishioners

Stephen and Jessamyn Frain

Parents of a Bouncing Baby Girl!

**New Grandparents**

Jeff and Cheryle Roggensack

### PRAYER OF THE WEEK

#### First Sunday of Lent

Grant, almighty God,  
through the yearly observances of holy Lent,  
that we may grow in understanding  
of the riches hidden in Christ  
and by worthy conduct pursue their effects.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever.

#### Reflection question:

What Lenten observances do I intend to keep this year?

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### IN THE DESERT

Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, and then the devil tested him. Moses and the Israelites had been in the desert for forty years before being led to the land of milk and honey. There were times when they called out to God, sure that, as Saint Paul wrote to the Romans, "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." We sometimes spend time in the desert as well. Not a literal desert most of the time, but a desert in which it seems difficult to perceive God's presence, times when we face difficulty and are tempted to leave God's ways behind. On this First Sunday of Lent, Jesus shows us what to do in these moments: stand firm and trust in God.

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### Stations of the Cross

The Following Friday's  
At 5:30 PM  
March 4th, March 11th,  
March 18th, March 25th  
April 1st, April 8th



Sponsored by the  
Knights of Columbus  
Following the  
Stations of the Cross

Fish Fry  
Or  
Soup and Bread  
Social Hall  
6:00 PM  
Donations Accepted



### CHARACTER

A simple judge of my character is how I treat a person who can do absolutely nothing for me.

—Anonymous

### Bishop's Annual Appeal for Ministries



Bishop Spalding is grateful for the prayers and support of the faithful of our Diocese and for those who have made a gift or pledge to the 2022 Bishop Annual Appeal for Ministries. Please consider a gift in support of the ministries that serve our Catholic community and beyond throughout Middle Tennessee. Giving brochures are available in the pews. Read more at [dioceseofnashville.com/appeal](https://dioceseofnashville.com/appeal).



Lend a Helping Hand!  
Volunteers Needed  
**THE FAMILY CENTER**

Hours:  
Tue-Fri  
12:30 PM

### Our Offertory (as of 02/27/2022)

Loose Cash	794.00
Env. & Checks	6,332.00
Bldg. Maint. Fund	165.00
E-Giving, Reg. (02/21-02/27/22)	2,293.72
E-Giving, BMF (02/21-02/27/22)	135.96
7/2021-6/2022 YTD Reg. Offertory Actual	371,534
7/2021-6/2022 YTD Budgeted Reg. Offertory	339,420
7/2021-6/2022 YTD Bldg. Maint. Fund Actual	24,672
7/2021-6/2022 YTD Budgeted BMF	25,577

*Thank you for your generosity!*



Electronic Giving Made Simple

Sign-up is as simple as going to our church website at [stcatherinecc.org](http://stcatherinecc.org).

### PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY

For all our sick and recovering Friends and Family Members. Names will be left on the list for 1 month. Call the office if you would like their names left on past 1 month.



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Tom Stites, Jr. : Meghan Buchanan :  
Patti Bates : Gregory Gutierrez : Jaxon  
Roberts : Carol Morales Tupy : Yolanda  
Martinez : Maria Lena : Tony Mar-  
tinez : Andrew Pawlowski : Sheila &

David Oliver : Naomi Spence : Julie Fast : Joyce  
Pirtle : Marie Steppe : Brandi Barton : Ted Ring :  
James Boyd : Regina Baker : Maria Flores : Mary Mar-  
tin : Shannon & Chuck Willis : David Sepulveda : Or-  
lando Rivera : Jean Olivier : Flo Kuchinski : Julie &  
John Jacob : Susan & Tony Melton : Becky Fragasse :  
John Calandros : Brian Storm : Rosie Short : Jane Phar-  
ris : Cody Cormier : Morgan Anderson : Don Ander-  
son : Jacob Richardson : Alice Schilling : Michael  
Cheung : Dennis Hogan : Geraldine Dilly : Joan E. Le-  
det : Tina Balentine : Jenni Plaza : Ella Lopez : Joan  
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Steven : Harvey Church : Emma Rocha Luna : Elsie  
Rivera : Liam McCallmon : Myles Harris : Aubrey  
Rose Cothron : Myrle Foley : Corrine Paterek : Mi-  
chael & Ann Maloney : Greg Luz : Janice Eussy : Da-  
vid Lopez : Mario Veloz : Jim May : Deborah Peterson

**Nashville Marian Conference (April 29-30)**, Our Lady of the Lake Parish, 1729 Stop Thirty Rd. Hendersonville. Speakers: Sonja Corbitt, Nikki Kingsley, Bob Gannon, and the Fathers of Mercy. Worship music by Sarah Kroger and PJ Anderson.

**Tickets/info:**

<https://nashvillemarianconference.com>

### Questions About the Mass???

#### Why do some people genuflect or bow before entering a pew?

When we genuflect (lowering ourselves until one knee touches the floor) or bow, we recognize with our whole being that we are in the presence of God; indeed, we are in the real presence of Christ in the tabernacle. Why some people genuflect and others bow may have to do with physical limitations.

#### What is the significance of the different colors the priest wears?

The colors reflect the different times of the liturgical year. Advent and Lent are purple. Christmas and Easter are white. Pentecost, Palm Sunday, Good Friday and the feast days of apostles and martyrs are red. Green is used for ordinary time.

#### Is Mass suppose to be entertaining?

The Mass was never intended as entertainment. It is a ritual, which means that through the repetition of prayers, movements, and the changing of bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ, we are spiritually formed, inspired, and consoled. The Mass does not try to induce a particular feeling in participants. It allows each person to bring his or her own feelings and incorporate them into the liturgy. That's why it is possible for two people to attend Mass, one grieving a death and the other celebrating a birth, yet both feel connected. The whole point during Mass is to offer yourself and all that you may be feeling to God in Jesus Christ.

From: Frequently Asked Questions About the MASS.  
Our Sunday Visitor.





# THE CONSECRATION OF RUSSIA

*“I shall come to ask for the Consecration of Russia to My Immaculate Heart...If people attend to My requests, Russia will be converted and the world will have peace.”*

In the apparition of July 13, Our Lady warned the three seers that if people did not stop offending God, He would punish the world “by means of war, hunger and persecution of the Church and of the Holy Father,” using Russia as His chosen instrument of chastisement. She told the children that “to prevent this, I shall come to ask for the Consecration of Russia to My Immaculate Heart” and promised that, by this single public act, Russia would be converted and peace would be given to the world.

The Mother of God cautioned that if Her requests were *not* granted, “Russia will spread its errors throughout the world, raising up wars and persecutions of the Church. The good will be martyred, the Holy Father will have much to suffer and various nations will be annihilated.”

True to Her word, Our Lady reappeared to Sister Lucy on June 13, 1929 at Tuy, Spain, when in a great and sublime vision representing the Blessed Trinity, She announced that “the moment has come for God to ask the Holy Father to make, in union with all the bishops of the world, the Consecration of Russia to My Immaculate Heart. By this means, He promises to save Russia.”

When God sent Our Lady to convey His command that Russia be consecrated, it seems clear that He expected swift obedience from the Pope and bishops. The pastors of the Church, however, chose to delay and, on August 19, 1931, Our Lord Himself appeared to Sister Lucy in Rianjo, Spain and expressed His displeasure, saying “make it known to My ministers that, given they follow the example of the King of France in delaying the execution My command, they will follow him also into misfortune.”

Our Lord’s warning is a grave one indeed, referring as it does to His command, through St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, to the King of France that he consecrate his nation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. The King chose to ignore the command and thus condemned his dynasty and throne to the horrors of revolution, chaos and the guillotine.

The Blessed Virgin’s request for the Consecration of Russia remains one of the most controversial aspects of the entire Fatima Message. While several popes have undertaken consecrations of the world since the request was made public (including Pope John Paul II in 1982 and 1984), sadly, none of these have fulfilled the *specific* requirements of Our Lord and Our Lady’s requests. In repeated visits to Sister Lucy, Heaven’s King and Queen have insisted that it is Russia (and *Russia* only) that is to be the object of this public act of obedience and prayer. In addition, Our Lord and Our Lady have indicated that the Holy Father is to be joined in the act of consecration by *all* the Catholic bishops of the world on the same day and at the same time in their respective dioceses. Interestingly, only Pope Pius XII’s consecration of the world in 1942 included substantial involvement of the bishops. Sister Lucy has written that this *imperfect* act of obedience, while not fulfilling Our Lady’s Fatima request, nevertheless hastened the end of the Second World War, thus sparing the lives of tens of millions of souls.

In response to Sister Lucy’s question why He would not convert Russia without the Holy Father consecrating that nation to His Mother’s Immaculate Heart, Our Lord replied, “Because I want My whole Church to acknowledge that consecration as a triumph of the Immaculate Heart of Mary so that it may extend its cult later and put the devotion of the Immaculate Heart beside the devotion to My Sacred Heart.”

*Holy and Gracious God We pray for the people of the Ukraine and the people of Russia; for their countries and their leaders. We pray for all those who are afraid; that your everlasting arms hold them in this time of great fear.*

# FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 6, 2022

“YOU SHALL NOT PUT THE LORD, YOUR GOD, TO THE TEST.”

LUKE 4:12

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## RELYING ON GOD

Face it, the last couple of years have worn us all down. Sometimes we don't know how to pray, or we don't seem to find the words we want. It is easy to falter and waver. Lent is a time to get back to the basics. There is much hope and strength in our readings as we begin our Lenten journey. The letter to the Romans tells us today that “everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved,” and this is an idea we hear throughout the scriptures. Psalm 91 shows us exactly how to cry for help, “Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble.” In Deuteronomy, Moses teaches the people to bring their firstfruit offerings to God, and put their faith and trust in God, and Jesus teaches us in today's Gospel that we find our life in the word of God.

## GOOD ZEAL AND TEMPTATIONS

In the chapter of Luke preceding today's Gospel, Jesus was baptized in the Jordan and began his adult ministry. Immediately afterward he was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tested. While this might seem almost surreal as we imagine the devil taking Jesus from place to place, it is really much more simple and common than that. For many of us, as we strive to live our lives, we deal with many temptations. Sometimes it is a matter of having the zeal and desire, but not the practical experience or knowledge to carry out a goal. Other times, we are afraid to ask for the assistance that we need to carry a project through to completion. Or we might think that we deserve more, or that our results should be happening more quickly. Our egos can be destructive.

## KNOWING YOUR TOUCHSTONES

When Jesus found himself tested by the devil, he was given several different scenarios. The devil brought up situations that he knew could specifically test Jesus, but similar situations would test any of us. Physical hunger is a real need, and many of us might yearn for success, or better paying jobs, or power, or the like. The difference is that when Jesus was tempted, he had some strong “touchstones” to hold onto, secure answers to lead him. He went to simple, basic scriptures that he could call upon in his time of need. For many, one of those basics would be Jeremiah, “I know the plans I have in mind for you—plans for peace and not disaster.” For another it might be the Beatitudes or the twenty-third Psalm. Whatever it may be, have ready those touchstones, those “go to” prayers or phrases that you can hold onto during the times when you are sorely tested in your life. Let those stones be your firm foundation.

## TODAY'S READINGS

Deuteronomy 26:4–10  
Psalm 91:1–2, 10–11, 12–13, 14–15  
Romans 10:8–13  
Luke 4:1–13