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St. Louis Catholic Church

Sunday, April 1, 2018

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First Friday & First Saturday

Friday, April 6th & Saturday, April 7th

- First Friday Confessions will be heard following 6:15 am and 12 pm Masses
- First Friday Adoration for Children will be held at 3:30 pm on Friday in the Church
- First Saturday Confessions will be heard following 6:15 am Mass
- First Saturday Devotion will begin with 8:15 am Mass followed by Rosary, 15 minute Meditation and Confession

Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am,
12:00 pm & 6:00 pm

Monday-Friday: 6:15 am, 8:15 am & 12:00 pm

Saturday: 6:15 am, 8:15 am

Sacrament of Penance:

Saturday: 3:30-4:30 pm

Sunday: 30 minutes prior to Mass

1st Friday: after 6:15 am & 12:00 pm Masses

1st Saturday: after 6:15 am & 8:15 am Masses

Parish & School Staff

Rev. Jolly Sebastian, M.C.B.S., Pastor

Rev. William F. Burke, Associate Pastor

Rev. Ruben Rivera, Associate Pastor

Rev. Michael Okata, Associate Pastor

Deacon Jeff Drzycimski

Deacon Mike D'Addabbo

Deacon Ralph W. Donati,

Deacon Emeritus

Sr. Ancilia Indrati, C.B., DRE

Ronald Pierotti, Business Manager

Jan O'Donnell, Admin. Asst. to Fr. Jolly

Anna Shelton, Accounts Receivable

& Tuition Administrator

Albert A. Burk, Jr., Choir Director

Ray Mullins, Choir Director

Libba Nance, Wedding Coordinator

Jana Soefker, Nursery Director

Paul Walker, Director Youth Ministry

Hannah Hill, Assoc. Dir. Youth Ministry

Pat Ellis, Receptionist

Andrew Clark, Receptionist

Jim Clark, Evening Receptionist

Teddi L. Niedzwiedz, School Principal

Vickie Shaw, School Assistant Principal

Kim Pesce, School Director of Admissions

Michael W. Bennett, Athletic Director

Parish Information

Sacrament of Baptism—Baptisms are celebrated on Saturdays and Sundays. Parents are asked to attend an instructional class prior to the baptism. Please call the parish office to schedule a baptism.

Adults interested in the Catholic Faith—to learn more about the Catholic Faith, please contact Deacon Jeff Drzycimski at deaconjeff@thecatholiccafe.com or 260-2888 for information about our R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program.

Sacrament of Marriage—Please contact one of the priests for an appointment at least 6 months in advance of the proposed wedding date. Diocesan policy requires that certain guidelines be met.

Funerals—please call the parish office to make funeral arrangements; our staff will be happy to assist you.

Ministry to the Sick—When a family member is ill, home-bound, or hospitalized, please call the parish office to request prayers and to arrange a pastoral visit. The priests and our lay Ministers to the Sick make regular visits to the sick and homebound.

Nursery—a nursery is provided in the Clunan Center each weekend at 9:00 am and 10:30 am Masses on Sundays.

Parish Mission Statement

We the people of St. Louis Parish, in full communion with the Roman Catholic Church, nurtured by the Eucharist, strive to be the body of Christ to all God's people. We are committed to a culture of life through worship, prayer, life-long evangelization and development of youth, and we desire to live out the Gospel mandate to love God and our neighbors as ourselves.

Events This Week

- Sunday** **Easter**
Church Office closed
Parish Religious Education Class canceled
Coffee & Donuts canceled
Knitting Ministry canceled
Charismatic Group in canceled
- Monday** **Church Office** closed
St. Vincent de Paul Meeting at 6 pm in Meeting Room
- Tuesday** **WOW--Women of the Word** in Meeting Room
St. Leo's Lunch at 11:30 am in Clunan Center
Scouts in Scout Room at 6 pm
RCIA at 7 pm in Clunan Center
- Wednesday** **American Heritage Girls** at 3 pm in JPII
- Thursday** **Fishers of Men** in Clunan Center following 6:15 am Mass
Altar Guild Meeting at 6:30 pm in home of Claire Steinriede
Rosary for Our World at 7 pm in Church
- Friday** **First Friday Confessions** following 6:15 am and 12 pm Masses
Holy Hour for Children at 3:30 pm in Church
- Saturday** **First Saturday Confessions** following 6:15 am Mass
First Saturday Devotion following 8:15 am Mass

OFFERTORY REPORT

March 25th—\$32,936

Mass Intentions

Sun		Easter
Mon	6:15	+Mary Catherine Gorman
	8:15	Special Intention for Katie Costello
	12:00	+Michael Frayser & Special Intention for Judith Arnoult & +Alex Victoria
Tue	6:15	+Mary Catherine Gorman
	8:15	+Mary Catherine Gorman
	12:00	+Albert Heros
Wed	6:15	+Lutgarda Sanchez
	8:15	+Rev Gabe DiFederico & +Helen Larkin
	12:00	+Ed Bennett, Sr.
Thur	6:15	+Tom Willhoff
	8:15	+Sissy & Bill Trigg & Special Intention for Confindandi
	12:00	+Mary Catherine Gorman & +Elsa Heros
Fri	6:15	Miracle for Claire Marie Wilson
	8:15	+Rev Milton Guthrie & Special Intention for Wilson Family
	12:00	+Helen Lenti
Sat	6:15	Miracle for Claire Marie Wilson
	8:15	+Karen Rose & +Joseph Garrone
	4:30	+Alicia Rubiera Moreno & +Ed Crenshaw & Special Intention for Dr. John & Kathleen Pender

Prayers are requested for the sick: Jim Broughton +Michael Houston+Beverly Nash+Don Crone+Libba Byrd+Mega Mulroy+Carmen Smith+Tony Lanigan+Christian James & Elizabeth Ann Gorman+Margaret Kolasinski

Prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Barbara Corrigan+Patricia Newbill+Nate Horton

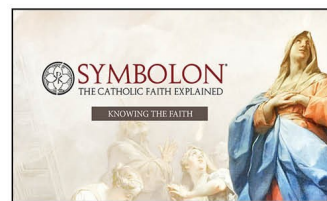
FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

Symbolon: Knowing the Faith

Session 6: The Paschal Mystery

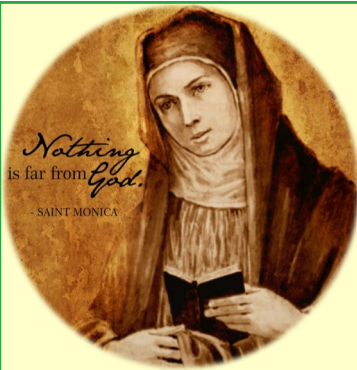
Why do Christians worship a crucified God?

We've all heard that Christ died for our sins and rose again on Easter, but what does it mean? In this original Augustine Institute production, Dr. Edward Sri opens our eyes to the deeper meaning behind the fundamental mystery of our Christian faith.



Watch on [formed.org](https://www.formed.org)

St. Louis Parish
 Access Code:
PTQN96



PRAYERS FOR FALLEN AWAY CATHOLICS

St. Louis Church has placed a box on the floor under the altar where you may place prayer intentions for fallen away Catholics, particularly those who

are from St. Louis Parish. Please write your intentions on a slip of paper and put in the slot at the top of the box. Prayer requests will be *strictly confidential*.

SECOND COLLECTION EASTER SUNDAY

The Second Collection Easter weekend **Saturday, March 31st** and **Sunday, April 1st** is for the education of our seminarians.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL OPEN HOUSE

SVDP will have an open house on **Sunday, April 15th** at our Ozanam Food Kitchen at 1306 Monroe from 1-4 pm. We serve approximately 150-200 people lunch everyday 365 days a year. This is where "Room at the Inn" from St Louis has been this year. Please stop by to see this amazing place! All are welcome!!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MENTOR FAMILY

SVDP is looking to assist a family going through a difficult time as a year long endeavor. There will be an application process and an interview involved. If you know of someone who could benefit from this mentoring, please call Sue Ellen Haaga at 755-8213.

33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY

Do you think you are capable of being a saint? The quick and true answer is **YES**. Come and find out how. Please join us for a study of Fr. Michael Gaitley's book *Thirty Three Days to Morning Glory*. Each weekly session will be held on **Wednesdays, April 25th to May 30th**. You may enroll in either the morning or evening session which will be held at 10 am and 7 pm in the Clunan Center. The culmination of the study will result in your own personal Consecration to Mary. To enroll, please contact Joan Thomas at thomas.joan6@gmail.com or 481-1274.



ALTAR GUILD MEETING

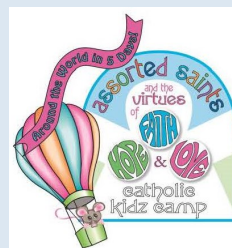
All the ladies of the parish are invited to the Altar Guild Meeting on **Thursday, April 5th** at 6:30 pm. It will be held at the home of Claire Steinriede at 5453 S. Angela Rd. We will install our new presidents, Michaela Dockery and Kerry Slattery! Please bring a dish, a bottle of wine or your favorite dessert and help us celebrate Spring and new beginnings!



ST. LOUIS
— CATHOLIC SCHOOL —

ST. LOUIS CATHOLIC SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

St. Louis Catholic School is ranked in the top 25 private schools in Memphis, based on student enrollment for the 2017-18 school year. Although most classes are full, there is limited space in Kindergarten, third grade, and junior high. Contact Kim Pesce at 255-1900 or kpesce@comcast.net in the school office if you are interested in any of those grades. Whether you are new to our parish, new to the area, or simply considering a Catholic education, Mrs. Pesce would love to show you all that SLS has to offer.



Save the Date

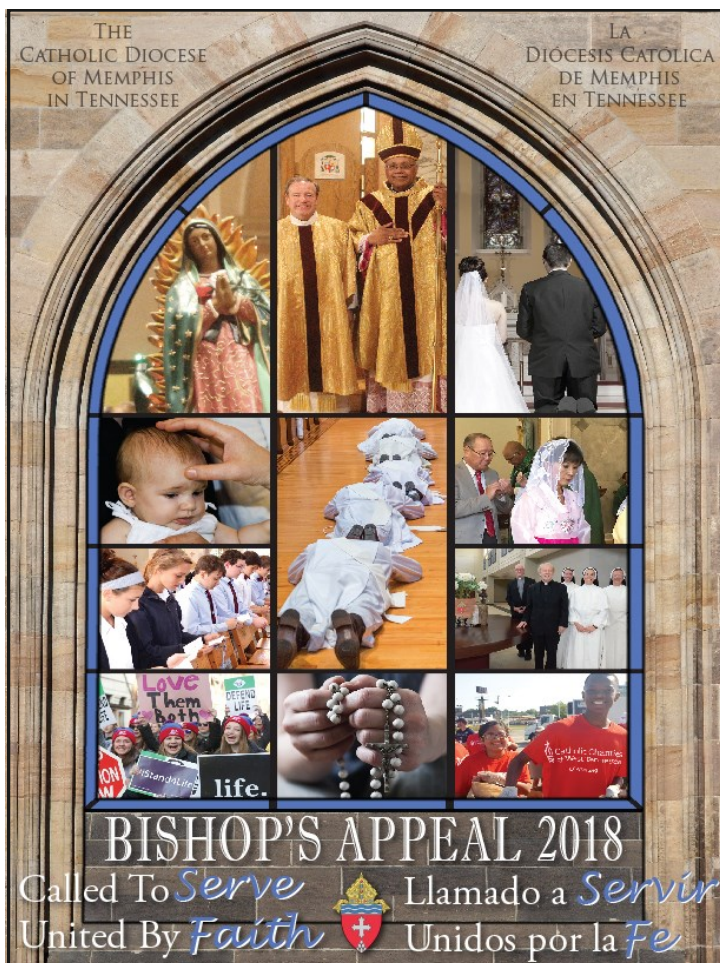
Vacation Bible School

June 4th-8th

9 am- 12:30 pm

St. Louis Catholic School

To attend: <https://tinyurl.com/VBSAttend18>
To volunteer: <https://tinyurl.com/VBSVolun18>



BISHOP'S APPEAL

Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2018 Bishop's Appeal. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment card located in the Narthex or visit www.cdom.org to donate online. Please participate in the support of our diocesan church.

Sunday Social for People with Special Needs and Disabilities

Sunday April 8, 2018

3:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Church of the Nativity

For information, contact Pam Ray at 373-1237

PILL TAKE BACK BOX



Every MPD precinct has a "Pill Take Back Box" in the lobby under the watchful eye of the desk sergeant. Anyone can bring in expired or unneeded prescriptions, or any other harmful drugs, to safely dispose of them. The closest precinct to St. Louis is at Appling Station.

NEW SEATING ARRANGEMENT IN CHURCH

In order to avoid disturbing parishioners seated in the front pews of the Church, Hospitality Ministers will not seat those who arrive after Mass begins. Three pews on each side of the center aisle will be roped off until Mass begins. Hospitality Ministers will remove the ropes at this time. Those who arrive after the Processional Hymn may seat themselves in these pews.



Bid It to Win It!

www.stlouisauction.org

Online Auction

March 23 – April 5

Auction & Dinner

Saturday, April 7, 2018

All Parishioners are invited!

Called to *Serve*
Ministry of the Sick

Some notes from Deacon Mike:

I would like to remind all parishioners to please let the parish office know when a loved one goes into the hospital. HIPPA laws do not allow hospitals to inform us if a patient is admitted. A priest will come to visit you as will a Deacon or minister. That can only happen if we are notified and aware. Please inform the office of homebound loved ones also.



40 DAYS FOR LIFE VICTORY RALLY

20th Campaign of 40 Days for Life Victory Rally will be held in the St. Louis Clunan Center on **Saturday, April 7th** from 5:45pm-8:00pm. A banquet will begin at 6 pm and keynote speaker will be Mark Cavaliere, executive Director of Southwest Coalition for Life. You will learn many successful techniques to possibly reach the hearts of the mothers entering Planned Parenthood in such a desperate state. Come and learn and experience the joy of being used by Our Loving Savior. Donations will be accepted. Make a reservation for dinner at tinyurl.com/40Days20th.

KNITTING MINISTRY



The Knitting Ministry meets Sundays, except holidays, from 1-3 pm in the Meeting Room. The only requirement is to provide your own

materials—yarn and needles. Call Catherine Davis at 761-7773 or Ann Barnes at 767-1617.

PRAYER CHAIN

St. Louis Church has started a Prayer Chain Ministry. To submit a prayer request, go to the church website at stlouischurchmphis.org and click on the button on the home page. To join the Prayer Chain, email prayerchain@stlouismemphis.org.

Mid-South Area Association of Catholic Nurses

Mid-South Area Association of Catholic Nurses presents "Clinical Bioethics and Church Directives: Dealing with Ethics in Today's World as a Catholic" on **Tuesday, April 17th** from 6-8pm at the Catholic Center. Deacon Jack Conrad will be the speaker. Evening begins with Pot luck Dinner. RSVP to Lou Ellen McElmurry, MSAACN President at louellen3@bellsouth.net or 794-4555.

FR. JOLLY PILGRIMAGE

Fr. Jolly will lead a pilgrimage to Austria and Germany from April 16th-26th. He will be accompanied by 40 pilgrims. If you have prayer intentions you would like for them to take with them and offer on your behalf, please drop them off in the church office.

Practice the High School Placement Test at St. Agnes Academy!

Girls interested in practicing the High School Placement Test are invited to take part in St. Agnes Academy's Pre-HSPT on **Saturday, April 7th** in the Distance Learning Center on the St. Agnes-St. Dominic campus from 9 am to 12 pm. Register online at www.saa-sds.org/admissions_events. This is an excellent practice test tailored by Scholastic Testing Service for students in seventh grade. Test results will be mailed to your home. Questions about the high school admissions process? Email: admissions@saa-sds.org.



BIRTHRIGHT

Birthright of Memphis will hold **Passport to Spain** on **Saturday, April 21st** at Heffernan Hall (CBHS). Honoring: Jo Galiata, Volunteer of the Year; Greg & Katie Vandeven, The Peter Drott Friends for Life; and Genie Ashworth, Heart & Soul Award. Wine tasting, dinner, and live auction. \$75 per person. For information, call Patricia at 327-8109 or go online to BirthrightOfMemphis.org.

WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A MAN TODAY

On **Monday, April 9th**, St. Agnes Academy-St. Dominic School welcomes Troy Kemp, Executive Director of the National Center for the Development of Boys. Mr. Kemp has over two decades of experience helping boys to thrive at the McCallie School. The presentation begins at 7 pm on the St. Agnes-St. Dominic campus. It is free and open to the community. Visit saa-sds.org for more information.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

ST. LOUIS CATHOLIC SCHOOL 7TH/8TH GRADE SCIENCE TEACHER NEEDED

St. Louis Catholic School is accepting applications for the 7th/8th grade science teacher position for school year 2018-19. Complete job description may be found at stlouischurchmphis.org. To apply, email resume to Teddi Niedzwiedz, School Principal, at tniedzwiedz@stlouismemphis.org.

ST. LOUIS PARENT'S DAY OUT SUBSTITUTES

Substitutes are needed for our Parent's Day Out Program. Parent's Day Out meets Monday through Wednesday in the Clunan Center Nursery. Background Check is required, References are requested and Virtus Training is required. Nurturing Individuals, contact Jana Soefker at 255-1963 or Jana.Soefker@stlouis.cdom.org.

CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF MEMPHIS ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT OFFICES OF THE BISHOP

This position provides administrative support to the Offices of the Bishop and for the Chief Operating Officer and the Chief Pastoral Officer. This is a full time position with benefits and an attractive starting salary. Visit cdom.org under the "Human Resources" tab for complete job description.

DIRECTOR OF YOUTH MINISTRY AT ST. FRANCIS PARISH

The Director will oversee the coordination and expansion of all middle and high school youth ministry activities and catechesis, including the recruitment, development and training of an adult volunteer team. The Director of Youth Ministry is a full-time, salaried position with benefits. It includes frequent night and weekend commitments. Must be a practicing Catholic in good standing with the local and universal Catholic Church, and be committed to living a Christian life of witness and virtue in Jesus Christ. Please email resume and references to office @stfrancismemphis.org.

SENIOR CITIZENS DAY

This retreat day is a special event for seniors on **Thursday, April 26th** to celebrate the spring season. This day will be held at Our Lady Queen of Peace Retreat Center. Our culinary team, who specialize in hospitality, will serve an excellent home-cooked lunch. Musical entertainment will be provided by Terry Starr with a raffle drawing after the meal. The day concludes at 1:30 pm. Suggested offering: \$15.00. Register online at olqpretreats.com or email Debbie at debbie.voyles@olqp.cdom.org or call her at 731-548-2500

Jubilee's Mardi Gras in Memphis Education That Works Out 5K

Bring your chairs, blankets & umbrellas and join us for a Mardi Gras celebration at Memphis Catholic High School on **Saturday, April 28th** and **Sunday, April 29th** from 1-5 pm. Bring your whole crew; admission is \$5 with children 5 and under FREE. Live music, bouncy castles, face painting and corn hole are included with admission. Food and drink will be available for purchase. Enter the people's choice Gumbo Cook-off for free. Crawfish available for \$10 per box. 5K starts at 2 pm on the 29th and festival admission is free to all racers. To register for the two events visit jubileeschools.org/mardigras and racesonline.com/events/etw5K.

Theology on Tap

The Real Presence – One of the most commonly misunderstood of the Church's beliefs is about one of the most vital aspects of our Faith. Join us at Trolley Stop Market to hear Fr. Yoelvis Gonzalez speak about this important topic on **Monday, April 9th** at 6:30 pm. For more information check out our website at www.totmemphis.org.

CONFERENCE ON *Pope Paul VI's* HUMANAE VITAE

DAMON OWENS, DIRECTOR OF JOY TOB AND THEOLOGY OF THE BODY EXPERT

FR BEN BRADSHAW, STL, DEREK & KHIRA ROTTY

**Monday, April 16th &
Monday, April 23rd
6:30-8:30 pm
Clunan Center**



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Early Childhood Grandparent's Day

Early Childhood Grandparents Day was held recently in the Early Childhood Center. Thanks to all the grandparents and special friends who attended this year!!



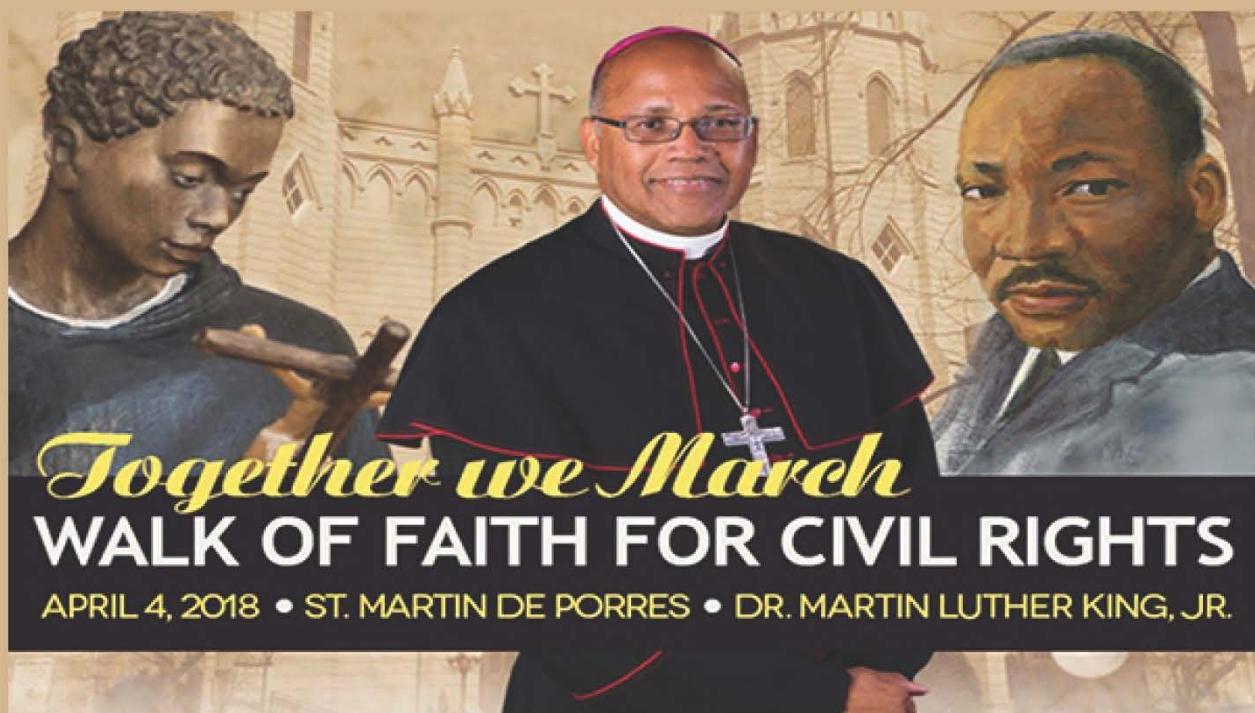


St. Louis Youth Ministry

“Follow” Lenten Series

The St. Louis Youth Ministry “Follow” Lenten Series ended on Palm Sunday with a night focused on our community of faith. The staff and volunteers are so grateful to all of the parents who joined them for prayer, reflection and fun!





April 4th, 2018,

On the 50th anniversary of the assassination of
 The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., The Most Rev. Martin D. Holley, D.D.,
 Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Memphis in Tennessee, with
 The Rev. Paul Watkins, OP, First Rector of the National Shrine of St. Martin de Porres at
 St. Peter Catholic Church, and Father Augustine DeArmond, Pastor of St. Peter Church,
 will assemble the faithful at St. Peter Church and
 lead them in a "Walk of Faith" to the National Civil Rights Museum.

Schedule

- 7:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer with Fr. Watkins and Dominican Friars
 National Shrine of St. Martin de Porres
- 7:45 a.m. - 1 p.m. – Private prayer/ Reconciliation
 National Shrine of St. Martin de Porres
- 9 a.m. – Mass, Immaculate Conception Cathedral
 (Bishop Holley is celebrant and homilist.)
- 1 p.m. – Rosary to be prayed in St. Peter Church.
- 1:30 p.m. – Mass, Shrine of St. Martin de Porres
 (Bishop Holley is celebrant and Fr. Watkins is homilist.)
- 2:40 p.m. – Organize marchers
- 2:50 p.m. – Begin march, depart St. Peter Church/National Shrine of St. Martin de Porres
- 3:30 p.m. – Arrive at National Civil Rights Museum
- 4:00 p.m. – Participate in National Civil Rights program in courtyard.
- 6:01 p.m. – Moment of Silence

JESUS IS CALLING YOU TO COME AND TALK WITH HIM

All of the hours listed below have an adorer...but the adorer is alone and needs a person to share the adoration hour. Please commit to adoring Jesus in the Bread of Life Chapel for one hour per week with a current adorer and let Joan Thomas (thomas.joan6@gmail.com or 481-1274) which day and hour you wish to spend with Jesus.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1-2 am	1-2 am	2-3 am	12-1 pm	12-1 am	1-2 am	12-1 am
2-3 am	4-5 am	3-4 am	1-2 am	1-2 am	2-3 am	1-2 am
3-4 am	6-7 am	4-5 am	2-3 am	2-3 am	3-4 am	2-3 am
4-5 am	7-8 am	7-8 am	3-4 am	3-4 am	4-5 am	5-6 am
7-8 am	1-2 pm	1-2 pm	6-7 am	4-5 am	6-7 am	10-11 am
9-10 am	2-3 pm	2-3 pm	9-10 am	7-8 am	8-9 am	11-12 pm
10-11 am	4-5 pm	3-4 pm	12-1 pm	9-10 am	9-10 am	12-1 pm
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