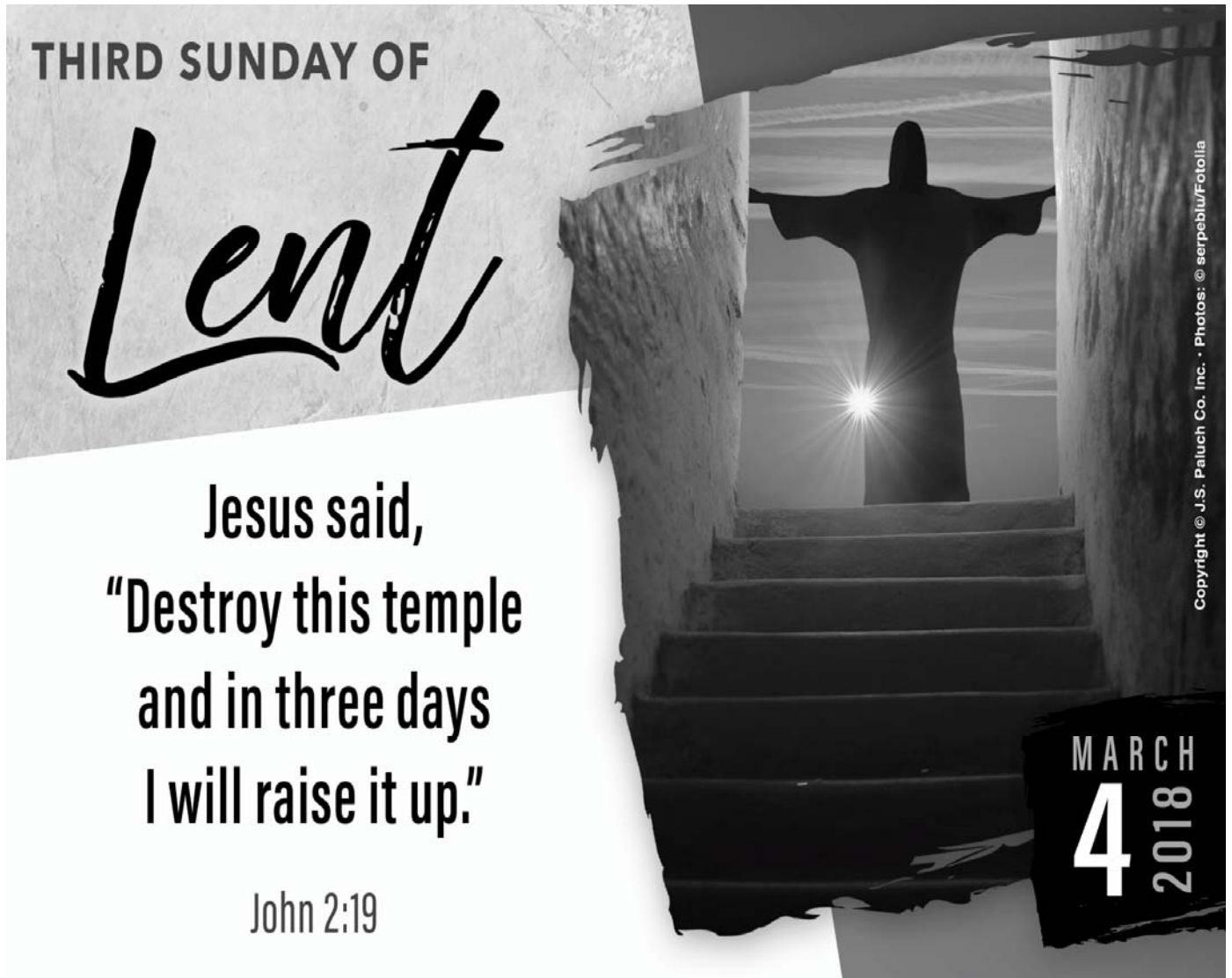


SACRED HEART CHURCH

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THIRD SUNDAY OF

Lent

Jesus said,
"Destroy this temple
and in three days
I will raise it up."

John 2:19

MARCH
4
2018

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Pastor: Rev. Charles P. Tichacek

Sunday Mass

8:00 am

Week Day Masses

Monday 7:00 pm Communion Service Thursday 7:30 am
Tuesday 8:00 am Communion Service Friday 7:30 am

Adoration is the third Tuesday of each month beginning after the 8:00 am Mass and concluding with Benediction at 7:00 pm

Baptisms by appointment

Devotion

Rosary at 7:40 am on Tuesday and Perpetual Help Devotions.

Marriages

To be arranged at least 6 months prior to the wedding

Confession

Sunday 7:30 am

Parish Office Hours

Tuesday 10:00 am until 5:00 pm

**Third Sunday of Lent
March 4, 2018
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**MASS INTENTIONS
Mar. 5 - Mar. 11**

Mon. 7:00 pm Jodi Lodey
Tues. 8:00 am Theresa Henry
Thurs. 7:30 am Communion Service
Fri. 7:30 am Communion Service
Sun. 8:00 am Andrew & Gladys Woods

Feast Days

Wed. Sts. Perpetua and Felicity
Thurs. St. John of God
Fri. St. Francis of Rome

Feb. 25, 2018

Envelopes: \$ 1,576
Loose: \$ 933
Total: \$ 2,509
Parish Improvement: \$50

Money Counters Today: Kaye Byers
Pat Wood
March 11: Mike Byers
Mike Shaffer

Sacred Heart Calendar of Events

Today: Mass 8:00 am

Today: PSR

Today: Adult Catechetical

**EVENING PRAYERS & SOUP SUPPER Monday, Mar. 5
at 5:30 pm**

Mon., Mar. 5: Mass 7:00 pm

Tues., Mar. 6: Mass 8:00 am

Tues., Mar. 6: Parish Council meeting 7:00 pm

Thurs., Mar. 8: Communion Service 7:30 am

Fri., Mar. 9: Communion Service 7:30 am

FISH FRY Friday, March 9.

4:00 to 7:00 pm Carry-outs & "By-the-pound"

Adults \$10, children \$4 (6 to 12), children, free (5 & under)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS Friday, March 9, 7:00 pm

THE PARISH MISSION BEGINS MARCH 11, 7 PM

What a great way to make this Lent 2018 more meaningful!!

PAPAL INTENTION for March

That the Church may appreciate the urgency of formation in spiritual discernment. Both on the personal and communitarian level!!

LECTORS

Sun. Mar. 11 8:00 am Edward D. O'Brien
Sun. Mar. 18 8:00 am Rachele Presley

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
OF HOLY COMMUNION**

Sun. Mar. 11 8:00 am Phyllis Galati &
Jimmy Henry
Sun. Mar. 18 8:00 am Tim Heitman &
Rosemary Laws

ALTAR SERVERS

Sun. Mar. 11 8:00 am Gavin Reller, Evan Wilson
Rio Gonzalez
Sun. Mar. 18 8:00 am Mia Spurlock,
Lena Hagemeyer & Gabe Gonzalez

GREETERS

Sun. Mar. 11 8:00 am Bob & Rose Roller
Sun. Mar. 18 8:00 am Tom & Rachele Presley

GIFT BEARERS

Sun. Mar. 11 8:00 am Bob & Rose Roller
Sun. Mar. 18 8:00 am Tom & Rachele Presley

CHURCH CLEANERS

March Eddie O'Brien & PSR Class
April Judy Robinson

MASS SCHEDULE AT ST. ALPHONSUS

Mar. 7- Mar. 11 Wednesday 8:15 am
Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 10:00 am
Phone # at St. Alphonsus 573-384-6223

Pray For

Margaret Bartold	Terry Martin
Joe & Mary Buescher	Cecile Mesker
Kim Tobiasz	Jerry Heitman
Nancy McCullough	Charlie DeMoulin
Jack Burkemper	Phyllis Galati
Leroy Schramm	Eric Mueller
Ernest Ogden	Andrew Heitman
Raymond Geosling	Bonnie Kindred
Trina Burnette	Marvin Robinson
Cloyd Bridges	Darryl Brumm
The Merriman Family	Mike O'Brien
Bob Smith	Lilian Kelly
Sherrie Galati	Tom Lagemann
Bill Lagemann	Addison Mayes
Jimmy Henry	



Congratulations to the children who made their First Confession.

1. Hunter Barron
2. Catarina Gonzalez
3. Quentin Hagemeyer
4. Wyatt Mueller
5. Jack Seeley
6. Abigail Sprock

Thanks to Pat & Rachele also.

Please continue to pray for our Catechumen,
STEVE DUNLAP.

Take a WORD AMONG US for Lent—They are available in the vestibules.

Anointing of the Sick will be at Sunday Mass **March 18.**

Parish Penance Service will be **March 19.**

“Show Me Life’ Pro-Life Action Day at State Capitol
March 13, Support legislation to save the lives of unborn children. Join pro-lifers in Jefferson City at the State Capitol. To register for the bus go to mrl.eastern@yahoo.com or 314-434-4900 (deadline 3/5) Wear RED for Life! www.missourilife.org

TEMPLE - HOUSE OF PRAYER

583 Like the prophets before him Jesus expressed the deepest respect for the Temple in Jerusalem. It was in the Temple that Joseph and Mary presented him forty days after his birth. At the age of twelve he decided to remain in the Temple to remind his parents that he must be about his Father’s business. He went there each year during his hidden life at least for Passover. His public ministry itself was patterned by his pilgrimages to Jerusalem for the great Jewish feasts.

The Church is the Temple of the Holy Spirit

797 “What the soul is to the human body, the Holy Spirit is to the Body of Christ, which is the church.” “To this Spirit of Christ, as an invisible principle, is to be ascribed the fact that all the parts of the body are joined one with the other and with their exalted head; for the whole Spirit of Christ is in the head, the whole Spirit is in the body, and the whole Spirit is in each of the members.” The Holy Spirit makes the Church “the temple of the living God”.

2580 The Temple of Jerusalem, the house of prayer that David wanted to build, will be the work of his son, Solomon. The prayer at the dedication of the Temple relies on God’s promise and covenant, on the active presence of his name among his People, recalling his mighty deeds at the Exodus. The king lifts his hands toward heaven and begs the Lord, on his own behalf, on behalf of the entire people, and of the generations yet to come, for the forgiveness of their sins and for their daily needs, so that the nations may know that He is the only God and that the heart of his people may belong wholly and entirely to him.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Immaculate Conception, Old Monroe—Trivia Night, March 10. “Prom Night: A Night Under the Stars.”
Doors open at 5:30, trivia begins at 6:30. Table price \$160/ table of 8. Please mail payment to ICOM School, 120 Maryknoll Rd. Old Monroe, MO 63369. For more info regarding play or sponsorship visit our website at <https://tinyurl.com/ybcgxmaw>



Annual Spring Sausage Dinner... St. Alphonsus-Millwood, Silex on Sunday, March 11 serving whole hog pork sausage and kettle beef dinners from 11 am to 5 pm. Cost is \$10 for adults and \$5, for children 12 & under.

St. Francis, Portage Des Sioux Quilt Social Sunday, March 11, doors open at noon. St. Francis Memorial Hall, 2nd & Washington St. 63373.

Immaculate Conception Dardenne Prairie Quilt Social Sat., March 17. Doors open at 10 am and Bingo begins at noon. Lunch will be available.

NEW PARISH DIRECTORY

A new directory will be published soon.
Please update phone numbers, address and email.
There is a tablet on the table in the vestibule.

Need a Priest?

Fr. Wissler, Sacred Heart Troy 636-528-8219 or
Fr. Rath, Immaculate Conception, Old Monroe 636-661-5002



READINGS FOR the WEEK of Mar. 5 - Mar. 11

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| Monday | 2 Kings 5:1-15b; Luke 4:24-30 |
| Tuesday | Daniel 3:25, 34-43; Matthew 18:21-35 |
| Wednesday | Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9; Matthew 5:17-19 |
| Thursday | Jeremiah 7:23-28; Luke 11:14-23 |
| Friday | Hosea 14:2-10; Mark 12:28-34 |
| Saturday | Hosea 6:1-6; Luke 18:9-14 |
| Sunday | 2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23; Ephesians 2:4-10; John 3:14-21 |

Stewardship Awareness

“You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything...” Exodus 20:4
How many “gods” do you put before God? “Idols” do not always take the shape of physical things, things we can touch and feel. Those are easy to recognize. Many times they take the form of things we cannot touch and are much harder to spot like pride, power, ego, time comfort or health.