

**Saturday, February 10, 2018—Saint Scholastica, Virgin (Memorial)**

**1 Kings 12:26-3; 13:33-34; Psalm 106:6-7ab, 19-20, 21-22; Mark 8:1-10**

**Sunday, February 11, 2018—Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46; Psalm 32:1-2, 5, 11; 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1; Mark 1:40-45  
9:00am—Holy Name Society Mass (Church)**

**Monday, February 12, 2018**

**James 1:1-11; Psalm 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76; Mark 8:11-13**

**Parish Office Closed**

**6:30pm—Legion of Mary Meeting (Vincent Hall)**

**Tuesday, February 13, 2018**

**James 1:12-18; Psalm 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19; Mark 8:14-21**

**Parish Office Closed**

**Wednesday, February 14, 2018—Ash Wednesday**

**Joel 2:12-18; Psalm 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 & 17; 2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2; Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18  
Ash Wednesday Masses: 7:00am and 6:00pm**

**Thursday, February 15, 2018—Thursday after Ash Wednesday**

**Deuteronomy 30:15-20; Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4, & 6; Luke 9:22-25**

**6:30pm—Lord, Teach Me To Pray, Session 4 (Vincent Hall)**

**6:30pm—Holy Name Society Meeting (Vincent Hall)**

**Friday, February 16, 2018—Friday after Ash Wednesday**

**Isaiah 58:1-9a; Psalm 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19; Matthew 9:14-15**

**5:00pm—Stations of the Cross (Church)**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Sunday, February 18 @ 5:15pm—Legion of Mary Meeting (Church)**

**Monday, February 19 @ 6:00pm—Parish Lenten Mission with Fr. Jeffrey Montz (Church)**

**Tuesday, February 20 @ 6:00pm—Parish Lenten Mission with Fr. Jeffrey Montz (Church)**

**Tuesday, February 20 @ 7:15pm—Finance Council Meeting (Rectory)**

**Wednesday, February 21 @ 6:00pm—Parish Lenten Mission with Fr. Jeffrey Montz (Church)**

**Thursday, February 22 @ 6:30pm—Lord, Teach Me To Pray, Session 5 (Vincent Hall)**

**Friday, February 23 @ 5:00pm—Stations of the Cross (Church)**

**Friday, February 23 @ 5:30pm—8:00pm—Fish Fry Dinner (Cafeteria)**

**February 24—25—St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank Collection (Vestibule in Church)**

## Mass Intentions



**Saturday, February 10, 2018**

**3:00pm**

Marie Louise "Mickey" Greve,  
Beverly Klopff,  
Merrill Joseph Lange,  
Marilyn R. Rogers,  
Frances and Agnes Synowiak  
Anthony Joseph Timphony,  
Compassion and Support of St. Rita

**Sunday, February 11, 2018**

**9:00am**

Stephen Michael Brightbill,  
Mrs. Iris and Dr. C. C. Haydel, Jr.,  
George Lenz,  
Peter Lu,  
Frances Nelson,  
Isaac Kessler and Consolation for his family,  
Son to reform his life and return to God

**11:00am**

Our Lady of the Rosary Parishioners

**6:00pm**

Nancy Rebecca Powell

**Monday, February 12, 2018**

**7:00am** Thelma Bondi

**Tuesday, February 13, 2018**

**7:00am** Wiley M. Adams

**Wednesday, February 14, 2018**

**7:00am** Lorraine LaCour (Living)

**6:00pm** Our Lady of the Rosary Parishioners

**Thursday, February 15, 2018**

**7:00am** Robert J. Centanni, Sr.

**Friday, February 16, 2018**

**7:00am** Barbara Bondi

### WEEK OF FEBRUARY 11, 2018

**THE SANCTUARY FLOWERS ARE  
IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY PARISHIONERS**

**THE SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS IN MEMORY OF:**

**NANCY REBECCA POWELL**

Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do,  
do everything for the glory of God.

— 1 Corinthians 10:31

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### MISSION STATEMENT

*"Our Lady of the Rosary Parish is a strong, vibrant community of faith, serving God with our time, talents, and treasure. By following the teachings of Jesus Christ and through the guidance of Our Blessed Mother Mary, we foster the spiritual growth of our Parish family and provide charitable service to the surrounding community."*

### SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### GIVE GOD THE GLORY

A curious feature of the first half of Mark's Gospel is the pattern of Jesus working a miracle, then telling the recipient of the miracle to keep still about it. Many theories have been offered: Mark is setting the stage for the great "secret" revealed when Peter will proclaim Jesus the Messiah at Caesarea Philippi; more skeptical commentators offer that Jesus, fully aware of human nature, knew that the way to spread the news was to tell people to keep it secret. The insight into this secret-keeping that serves us well, however, is that Jesus was initiating his public ministry according to the pattern that Paul describes. He was doing it for the glory of God—not for his own benefit, but for that of all. Paul would later write in Philippians that Jesus "humbled" himself to become like us. And we see this humility at work in today's healing of the leper. Jesus is trying to reveal the presence of God's reign among the people, not so that he himself might receive the glory, but so that God would be glorified through him. Imitating this pattern, which Paul encourages the Jewish and Greek Christian factions in Corinth to do, still serves us well today.

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### Congratulations to Isabel Frey Ribeiro!

The Archdiocese of New Orleans is pleased to announce that *Where the River Meets the Sea* was chosen by Archbishop Aymond as his Honorable Mention in the Tricentennial Hymn Competition. This hymn, which is set to the hymn tune DIX, tells the story of the history of New Orleans, and looks forward to the next 300 years. *It was written by Our Lady of the Rosary parishioner, Isabel Maria Frey Ribeiro, an 11th grade student at Ursuline, and was premiered February 2 at the 2018 Catholic Schools Week Mass.*

### OUR LADY OF THE HOLY ROSARY PARISH MISSION

**February 19, 20, 21, 2018 @ 6:00pm (Church)**

*Sacrament of Reconciliation after presentation on February 19 and 20.*

**Prayer: The Heartbeat of the Spiritual Life**  
**Fr. Jeffrey Montz**

**What is prayer?**

**Is prayer necessary for the Christian or optional?**

**How does one begin to pray?**

**Is there something wrong with me if I feel nothing in prayer?**

**What can I do with my wandering mind when I pray?**

**For how long do I need to pray?**

Please remember in your prayers, those who have died,  
especially

**Anthony James Boutté**

May his family be strengthened by their faith and consoled  
by their hope in eternal life.



## Stewardship

**February 3-4, 2018**

**Envelopes: \$ 5,206.00**

**Loose: 2,284.78**

**Total: \$ 7,490.78**

*Thank you for your generosity!*

### SECOND COLLECTIONS

**February 17-18**

**Catholic Charities Appeal**

**February 24-25**

**Church in Central and Eastern Europe**

On the weekend of **February 24-25, 2018**, the Archdiocese of New Orleans will take up a **Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe**. This collection (only taken once every three years in the archdiocese) supports the Church in over 25 countries that are still struggling to recover in the aftermath of communist rule. Funds from this collection support seminary formation, pastoral care, catechesis, and building restorations. Your support restores the Catholic Church and builds the future in this region. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection.

### The Lenten Season

*Lent is from Ash Wednesday until the start of the Mass of the Lord's Supper exclusive on Holy Thursday*

### Fasting and Abstinence

Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age, but not yet 59. Those who are bound to fast may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to each one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted. Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years or older on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and on all Fridays of Lent.

The determination of certain days as obligatory days of penance should not be understood as limiting the occasions for Christian penance.

**Monday, February 12, 2018**

**7:00am Mass**

**Tuesday, February 13, 2018**

**7:00am Mass**

Wednesday, February 14



**Masses: 7:00am and 6:00pm**

*Ashes are blessed and distributed during Mass only—immediately following the Homily.*

**Stations of the Cross each Friday  
in Lent at 5:00pm**



**February 16, 23  
March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30**

**FOR GREATER GLORY  
CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP  
23rd Morning of Spirituality for Men**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24**

**9:00am—1:00pm**

*Coffee and Donuts @ 8:15am*  
St. Anthony of Padua Church

Archbishop Gregory Aymond, Celebrant  
and Homilist  
Speakers: Rev. Michael Champagne, CJC  
and Grant Aasan (Seminararian)

### Wedding Banns

*Jake Dubuc*

*and*

*Lesley Achary*

*February 24, 2018 @ 6:30pm*

*Robert Marks*

*and*

*Lindsay Hernandez*

*March 3, 2018 @ 6:30pm*

*Blake Boudreau*

*and*

*Alexis Smith*

*March 10, 2018 @ 6:30pm*

THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE  
CLOSED

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12**

*and*

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13**

**FOR LUNDI and MARDI GRAS**

**There will be 7:00am Mass.**

### SAVE THESE DATES!!



### LENTEN FISH FRY DINNERS

**February 23**

**March 2**

**March 9**

**Serving Hours: 5:30pm-8:00pm**

*Dine in and meet your neighbors and fellow parishioners and enjoy a delicious Fried Fish Dinner!*

**Fish Plates: \$8.00** (includes French Fries, Coleslaw, and Green Beans).  
Soft Drinks, Water, Beer, Wine and Desserts are sold separately.

*If you would like to donate cupcakes, cookies, cakes, or, any sweets for the Dessert Table at the Fish Fry Dinners, please bring to the Cafeteria (after 3pm) on the date of the Fish Fry Dinner.*

**Come join the fun and volunteer in this Parish fellowship event, please contact the Parish Office, 488-2659, or, come to the Cafeteria after 3pm!!**

### GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

The Archdiocesan Golden (50 Years) Wedding Anniversary Prayer Service celebration will take place on **Sunday, June 10, 2018 at 3:00pm** at St. Philip Neri Church, Metairie. *All participants must register through their Parish Office.*

*Please contact the Parish Office, 488-2659, by Friday, March 2.*

Forms must be completed and returned to the Archdiocese by March 7.