

- Saturday, March 16** **(The Holy Rosary each Saturday @ 3:30pm)**
Lenten Weekday
Readings Deuteronomy 26:16-19; Psalm 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Matthew 5:43-48
- Sunday, March 17** **Second Sunday of Lent (The Holy Rosary each Sunday @ 5:30pm)**
Readings Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18; Psalm 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14; Philippians 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1
- Monday, March 18** **Lenten Weekday (The Holy Rosary, Monday—Friday, @ 6:35am)**
Readings Daniel 9:4b-10; Psalm 79:8, 9, 11 & 13; Luke 6:36-38
@ 1:00pm Rose Petals Meeting (Vincent Hall)
@ 6:30pm Legion of Mary Meeting (Vincent Hall)
- Tuesday, March 19** **Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Solemnity)**
Readings 2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Psalm 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 & 29; Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22; Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Luke 2:41-51a
@ 6:00pm Holy Hour with Confession (6:10pm-6:50pm) (Church)
@ 7:15pm Pastoral Council Meeting (Rectory)
- Wednesday, March 20** **Lenten Weekday**
Readings Jeremiah 18:18-20; Psalm 31:5-6, 14, 15-16; Matthew 20:17-28
@ 5:00pm Parish School of Religion (Vincent Hall)
@ 6:30pm Bible Study, Session 3, Learning to Pray with the Psalms (Vincent Hall)
@ 7:30pm Choir Practice
- Thursday, March 21** **Lenten Weekday**
Readings Jeremiah 17:5-10; Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6; Luke 16:19-31
@ 6:00pm Wedding Rehearsal: Jubb/Marsh (Church)
@ 6:30pm Holy Name Society Meeting (Vincent Hall)
@ 7:00pm Wedding Rehearsal: Graham/Ullmer (Church)
- Friday, March 22** **Lenten Weekday**
Readings Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Psalm 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Matthew 21:33-43, 45-46
@ 5:00pm Stations of the Cross / Confession until 5:45pm (Church)
@ 5:30pm-8:00pm Fish Fry Dinner (School Cafeteria)
- Upcoming Events**
- Monday, March 25** **@ 6:30pm—Legion of Mary Meeting (Vincent Hall)**
- Tuesday, March 26** **@ 6:00pm—Holy Hour with Confession (6:10pm-6:50pm) (Church)**
- Wednesday, March 27** **@ 5:00pm—Parish School of Religion (Vincent Hall)**
@ 5:00pm-6:30pm—Evening of Confession (Church)
@ 6:30pm—Bible Study, Session 4, The Responsible Psalms (Vincent Hall)

Mass Intentions



Saturday, March 16, 2019

4:00pm

Mercy Atencio
Charles and Lucille Baquet
Henry S. Bondi, Jr.
Joseph Peter Briuglio
Dorothy Mipro Davis
Dagmar M. Foley
Thomas and Marie Louise Greve
Humbrecht Family
Joyce Guichard
Allan E. Karmazin
Patrick McArdle
Joseph Nguyen
Christel Robbins
James Joseph Robert, Jr.
Lester Schmitt
Samuel "Sam" Stewart
Anthony Joseph Timphony
In Thanksgiving to St. Rita

Sunday, March 17, 2019

9:00am

Bishop L. Abel Caillouet
Michael G. Doyle
Jennifer Fagan (*Living*)
Joyce Guichard
Lopardi Family (*Living*)
Elvia Pfefferle
Dorothy and James Steckel
Rev. Msgr. Edward Synowiak
Maria Kim Van Tran
Compassion of St. Rita
11:00am
Our Lady of the Rosary Parishioners
6:00pm
Feast of St. Joseph / Legion of Mary

Monday, March 18, 2019

7:00am Mel Schiro (*Living*)

Tuesday, March 19, 2019

7:00am Deceased Members of FMSR Community

Wednesday, March 20, 2019

7:00am Rev. James A. Tarantino

Thursday, March 21, 2019

7:00am Maria and Peter Tran

Friday, March 22, 2019

7:00am Samuel "Sam" Stewart

WEEK OF MARCH 17, 2019

THE SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS IN MEMORY OF:

ST. RITA

**The LORD is my light and my salvation;
whom should I fear?
— Psalm 27:1**

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SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT STAND FIRM IN THE LORD

It is not hard to imagine, in this age of wars, evil groups bent on the destruction of humanity, and political follies, that the words of Saint Paul were so accurate, even for his time. It seems that the world never changes. Paul says, "Many . . . conduct themselves as enemies of the cross of Christ. Their end is their destruction . . . Their minds are occupied with earthly things" (Philippians 3:18, 19). The result is the destruction of innocent people and of the Earth itself. But Paul says to the Philippians, "our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we also await a savior, the Lord Jesus Christ" (3:20). He will "change our lowly body to conform with his glorified body" (3:21). Note that he says "body" rather than "bodies." He is talking about the whole community of believers, who, following the example of Jesus and of Paul, will come into the glory of God. So "stand firm in the Lord" (4:1).

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ADULT CONFIRMATION

On Pentecost Sunday each year (**June 9, 2019**), the Archdiocese of New Orleans holds a group celebration of confirmation for adults who have not already been confirmed. If you are past high school age and did not receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, our parish will offer preparation for the sacrament. Please contact the Parish Office, 488-2659, office@olr-nola.org, **by March 18**, if you wish to be included in the preparation.



March 16-17 and March 23-24

**Help share God's love—
by sharing the warmth of a coat!**
Please bring your donation of new or gently used coats (any size / any type) to the church vestibule. Donations will be provided to Ozanam Inn.

(Sponsored by the Holy Name Society)

**ST. JOSEPH ALTAR—CABRINI HIGH SCHOOL
TUESDAY, MARCH 19**

9:00am—7:00pm—Altar Viewing
9:00am—Altar Blessing and Tupa Tupa (Sacred Heart Chapel)
5:00pm—Dinner (Esplanade Building Courtyard)



**Catholic
Community
Radio**

**Tune your radio to 690am,
Catholic Community Radio,
and listen to Fr. Jonathan on
Drivetime Radio-Thon
Thursday, March 21, 2:00pm**



**CONFESSION
AT ALL PARISHES
March 27, April 3,
April 10**

The guidelines for Catholics on fasting and abstinence are as follows:
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.*

Stewardship

**Ash Wednesday
\$1,871.19**

March 9-10, 2019

Envelopes: \$ 3,979.00
Loose: 1,638.25
Total: \$ 5,617.25

[For information and/or to register for](#)

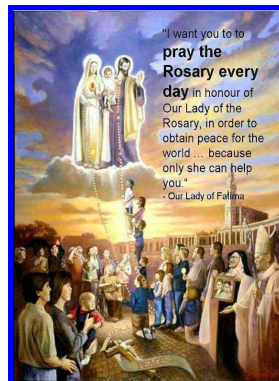
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SECOND COLLECTIONS

**March 30-31
Catholic Relief Services**



PRAYER OF THE HOLY ROSARY

**Monday-Friday
@ 6:35am**

**Saturday
@ 3:30pm**

**Sunday
@ 5:30pm**



**LENTEN FISH FRY DINNERS
March 22 and 29
Serving Hours: 5:30pm-8:00pm**

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

Credit Cards / Cash / Checks Accepted
Dine in and meet your neighbors and fellow parishioners and enjoy a delicious Fried Fish Dinner!

If you would like to donate cupcakes, cookies, cakes, or, any sweets for the Dessert Table, 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. Set up begins at 3pm.



5:00pm every Friday in Lent

**March 22, 29
April 5, 12**

Confession will be available during and after the Friday stations until 5:45pm.

**SUNDAY, MARCH 24
BEST D*** RACE
ROAD CLOSURE**

Northbound lane only of Esplanade and Wisner will be closed from 7:00am to 10:45am.

Parking will be accessible from the Moss Street lot.

WEDDING BANNNS

*Gabrielle Lester
and
Kevin Letort
March 16, 2019 @ 6:30pm*

*Angela Jubb
and
Henry Marsh
March 23, 2019 @ 1:00pm*

*Angelle Graham
and
Andrew Ullmer
March 23, 2019 @ 6:30pm*

*Alexandra Haslauer
and
Michael Nazario
March 30, 2019 @ 6:30pm*



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

**Emelda Rose Beaudoin
and
Corinne Gaspard**

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



PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick offers prayer for healing, hope, and strength and is intended for a Catholic at the beginning of a serious illness, before surgery or weakened due to age or chronic infirmity. Viaticum, "Food for the Journey", is Holy Communion with special prayers for the dying and serves as the "last rites" for Catholics who are terminally ill and in the last stages of life. Our parish clergy are always willing to visit hospitals to pray with and support those who are ill. Sacraments in the hospital are provided by the designated Catholic Chaplain. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion generously make themselves available to bring Holy Communion to the home-bound of our parish. Please contact the Parish Office to arrange for any of these services.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

In accordance with Archdiocesan Policy, couples contemplating marriage are to begin their preparation for the Sacrament of Marriage at least six months before their anticipated wedding date. Call the Parish Office or visit our website for more information.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents and godparents of children to be baptized are required to participate in Baptismal preparation sessions. This can be done even before the birth of the child. Baptisms, after 11:00am Mass, are scheduled with the Parish Office.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We are always happy to welcome new parishioners to Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, a parish over 100 years old, with a rich history of dedicated service and active Catholic Christian life. *New parishioners may register online, www.olr-nola.org, sign the book in the Church vestibule or contact the Parish Office by email, office@olr-nola.org, or phone, 488-2659.*

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