

## Administration of the Sacraments

### Baptism

To schedule Baptisms, please call the church office. Godparents and parents must attend a Baptismal Seminar prior to the Baptism.

### Penance

The Sacrament of Penance/Reconciliation is offered before every mass.

### Marriage

Arrangements for Christian Marriage should be made at least 6 months prior to the planned date of the wedding, by the couple, in person. Please do not set your date without first checking with the St Patrick Parish Office to be sure that date is available.

### Ministry to the Sick

Please contact the Parish Office concerning hospitalized and homebound parishioners wishing to receive sacraments or parish visits. Contact the Rectory @564-6792.

### Funerals

Family of the deceased should contact the rectory prior to making any arrangements. We realize that this is a very emotional time for the family, but the time that Church is available for the service must be taken into consideration.

We wish to accommodate everyone and welcome all ministers. All family member and ministers must address the family prior to the start of mass.

### Cemetery

Proper license, insurance, permits and contracts needed prior to work performed in cemetery.



## WAY OF THE CROSS

### Fridays in Lent

St. Ann - 5:00pm St. Patrick -6:30pm

“O Lord and Master of my life, take from me the spirit of sloth, faintheartedness, lust of power, and idle talk.

“But give rather the spirit of chastity, humility, patience and love to your servant.

“Yea, O Lord and King, grant me to see my own sin and not to judge my brother, for You are blessed from all ages to all ages. Amen”

— St. Ephraim the Syrian



*It was pride that changed angels into devils; it is humility that makes men as angels. -Saint Augustine*



March 4-5  
Walking with Jesus:  
Lent 2020  
Rev. Lee Poche

*Retreat Center*

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# ST PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

## ST ANN MISSION

**MARCH 1, 2020**


## FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



**FATHER GERARD P. STAPLETON, PASTOR**

**ALGIERS – PLAQUEMINES DEANERY**

**VERY REVEREND JOHN F. TALAMO V.F.**


 <b>READINGS FOR THE WEEK</b>	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Romans 5:12-19; Matthew 4:1-11</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Leviticus 19:1-2, 11-18; Matthew 25:31-46</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Isaiah 55:10-11; Matthew 6:7-15</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Jonah 3:1-10; Luke 11:29-32</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Esther 14:1, 3-5, 12-14; Matthew 7:7-12</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Ezekiel 18:21-28; Matthew 5:20-26</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Deuteronomy 26:16-19; Matthew 5:43-48</b>


**Mission Statement**


We, the Parish Family of St Patrick, which includes former parishioners of St Jude, St Joseph, St Ann, St Anthony, and Our Lady of Good Harbor, joyfully celebrate around the table of the Lord Jesus Christ the love and the beauty of our God and who we are as people on a faith journey. Conscious of our baptismal call, we proclaim God's word, in fidelity to our tradition, to believer and non-believer alike. We seek to give prophetic witness to our faith by striving to be a servant community of welcome and hospitality, of reconciliation and forgiveness, of compassion and hope.


<b>Parish Staff:</b>	<b>Pastor</b>	<b>Father Gerard P. Stapleton</b>
	<b>Director of Religious Education</b>	<b>Clara Frelich</b>
	<b>Administrative Assistant</b>	<b>Doreen Davis</b>
	<b>Secretary</b>	<b>Destinee Turner</b>

**Our Sacrificial Offerings**  
*We offer unto you, O Lord, our sacrificial giving.*  
**Last Week's Collection .....\$2301.00**

 **Sanctuary Lights** burn by the Tabernacle to show the real presence of Jesus (Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity) in the Eucharist. You may request that a sanctuary light burn in memory of a deceased loved one, in honor of a birthday, anniversary or any special event. The light burns for a 7 day period (Saturday-Friday) and a donation of \$10.00 is suggested.

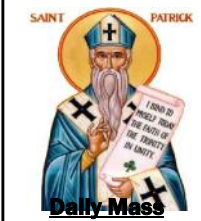
 The **Sanctuary Light** will burn this week in loving memory of **Mitchell Jurusich**.

 The **Sacrament of the Mass** is a beautiful prayer that can be offered up for a deceased loved one or friend. For more information, please contact the church office.

 **Pray, Hope, and Don't Worry.....** *Hold on tightly to the Rosary. Be very grateful to the Madonna because it was she who gave us Jesus. Love our Lady and make her loved; always recite the Rosary and recite it as often as possible.* —St. Pio of Pietrelcino

**Please visit us on the Web at: [stpatrickportsulphur.com/](http://stpatrickportsulphur.com/)**

 **MASS INTENTIONS**



**Daily Mass**  
**Schedule**  
 Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
 9:30 A.M.

Tuesdays 5:00 P.M.  
**Mass & Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help**

Thursdays 5:30 P.M.  
**Mass & Hour of Prayer**

**Weekend Mass**  
 Saturday  
 4:30 P.M.  
 Sunday  
 8:00 A.M.  
 10:00 A.M.

**St Ann Church**  
 Saturday  
 6:30 P.M.  
**Confessions 30 minutes before all Masses**

**Rectory:**  
 (504) 564-6792  
 Fax: (504) 564-9760

**Second Collection 1st**  
 Sunday of every Month.



Feb 29	4:30pm	Claudie Ancar
	6:30pm	Phillip Simmons
Mar 1	8:00am	For the People
	10:00am	Malinda Barthelemy Farrell Barthelemy Evelyn Rose Walker & Marie Solis Leander M Johnson Harold Sylve Sr Chimas Sylve Ann Richard Viola Riley Brian Bubrig Mark Hebert Joyce Kurtich Phero Ty V Nguyen Maria Noi T Nguyen Maria Hap T Hguyen Douglas Alexis Jr

*Lent stimulates us to let the Word of God penetrate our life and in this way to know the fundamental truth: who we are, where we come from, where we must go, what path we must take in life...*



- The **Second Collection** this weekend is for **Renovations.**
- **Holy Hour - Thursdays 6pm - 7pm (following the 5:30 Mass). Holy Hour Sundays from 5 - 6pm.**
- **Rosary/Divine Mercy on Wednesdays at 5:00pm in the Chapel.**

- **Anyone interested in making or learning how to make rosaries is welcome to join us on March 7 from 9:30am - 12 noon.**
- **March CCD Schedule - March 8, 15, 22, 29**
- **The Seven Penitential Psalms—Psalm 6, Psalm 32, Psalm 38, Psalm 51, Psalm 102, Psalm 130, and Psalm 143. We should try to read and focus on one each day during Lent.**