Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, February 3rd, 2019

“No prophet is accepted in his own native place”

Mass Schedule:
Vigil Masses - Saturdays
5:30 pm
7:00 pm (Spanish)
Sundays
8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 Noon
5:00 pm, 6:30 pm
8:00 pm
Monday - Friday
8:00 am & 12:05 pm
Saturday
8:00 a.m.
College Mass
Tuesdays & Thursdays
7:00 pm

Confessions:
11:30 a.m. Saturdays and by appointment

Baptisms: Please call the Parish Office at least one month in advance.

Weddings: Please call the Parish Office at least six months in advance.

Office Hours:
9:00 am—12:00 pm
12:35 pm to 6:00 pm
Monday - Friday
Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 2nd, 2019
5:30 p.m. + Dr. Juan Enrique Rodriguez
+ Delfina Fuster
+ Deceased Members of the Ariosa & Pita Family
- Birthday of Emil Infante
- For the health of Francesco Torres Covella
- Special Intention
7:00 p.m. + Jose Luis Rodriguez
+ Antonio Vidal
+ Msgr. Tomas M. Marin
- Catalina & Alejandro Garcia
- For Venezuela

Sunday, February 3rd, 2019
8:00 a.m. + E. Joseph Porfiri
+ Ana Gan Nguyen
+ Julio Lopez
- Frances Susi
10:00 a.m. + Ricardo Ramos
+ Jorge Diaz Miranda
+ Florentina Alvarez Puig & Jaime Puig
+ Patricia & Gerald Bean
12:00 p.m. - Saint Augustine Parish Family
5:00 p.m. + Mirle Viehweg “Mumita”
+ Lucia Possenti
+ Maria Eugenia Rojas Van Dyck
+ Flora Roja Van Dyck
6:30 p.m. + Julio Gonzalez Rebull Sr.

Monday, February 4th, 2019
8:00 a.m. + Dirce Martinelli
+ Stephen Hare
12:05 p.m. + Eugenio Del Busto
+ Carola Calderin
+ Pablo Acosta
+ Jose Luis Zarrauqui

Tuesday, February 5th, 2019
8:00 a.m. + Enrique Gallardo
+ Patricia & Jay Clark
- Birthday of Jonathan Delva
12:05 p.m. + Virginia Martin-Lavielle
+ Margot Smith
- Mamá En Victoria
- Villa, Urrutia & Borbolla Family
- Living & Deceased Members of the Alvarez Rollan Family

Wednesday, February 6th, 2019
8:00 a.m. + Antonio Lopez
+ Frank Bosco
+ Vicki & Henry Heitzer
12:00 p.m. + Jose Luis Rodriguez
+ Antonio Vidal
+ Msgr. Tomas M. Marin
- Catalina & Alejandro Garcia
- For Venezuela

Thursday, February 7th, 2019
8:00 a.m. + Barbara De La Fuente
12:05 p.m. + Barbara De La Fuente
+ Mercedes Baena
+ Daniela Maria Alibur
+ Lourdes de Noguera
+ Millan Escagedo
- For the health of Francesco Torres Covella

Friday, February 8th, 2019
8:00 a.m. + Hilda Bacardi
+ Luis J. Bacardi
+ Luis F. Bacardi
+ Roberto Morales
- For the JeffreyHare Family
12:05 p.m. + Piedad Vijil
+ Jimmy Fenton Santerno
+ George F. Kimball
+ Daniela Maria Alibur
+ Beatriz Carmen
- Msgr. Luis Manuel Ali Herrera

Saturday, February 9th, 2019
8:00 a.m. + Fr. Jorge Saldana, S.J.
+ Marganta Andino
- Aaron Cuenca
- Personal Intentions

Scripture Readings & Responsorial Psalms

Sunday, February 3rd, 2019
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
I will sing of your salvation.
JER 1:4-5, 17-19
PS 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17
1 COR 12:31—13:13 or 1 COR 13:4-13
LK 4:21-30

Monday, February 4th, 2019
Monday of the Fourth Week in Ordinary Time
Let your hearts take comfort, all who hope in the Lord.
HEB 11:32-40
PS 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24
MK 5:1-20

Tuesday, February 5th, 2019
Memorial of Saint Agatha, Virgin and Martyr
They will praise you, Lord, who long for you.
HEB 12:1-4
PS 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24
MK 5:21-43

Wednesday, February 6th, 2019
Memorial of Saint Paul Miki and Companions, Martyr
The Lord’s kindness is everlasting to those who fear him.
HEB 12:4-7, 11-15
PS 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18A
MK 6:1-6

Thursday, February 7th, 2019
Thursday of the Fourth Week in Ordinary Time
O God, we ponder your mercy within your temple.
HEB 12:18-19, 21-24
PS 48:2-3AB, 3CD-4, 9, 10-11
MK 6:7-13

Friday, February 8th, 2019
Friday of the Fourth Week in Ordinary Time
The Lord is my light and my salvation.
HEB 13:1-8
PS 27:1, 3, 5, 8B-9ABC
MK 6:14-29

Saturday, February 9th, 2019
Saturday of the Fourth Week in Ordinary Time
The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.
HEB 13:15-17, 20-21
PS 23:1-3A, 3B-4, 5, 6
MK 6:30-34
After Jesus reads from the book of Isaiah of an ancient prophet’s mission, he says, “Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing” (Luke 4:21). Jesus is making a quite remarkable claim, that he sees himself as a prophet like the great prophets in Jewish history, and that his mission is like the one described by that ancient prophet in Isaiah chapter 61. Luke makes it very clear that this happened in “Nazareth, where he had grown up” (4:14), and where his fellow Nazarenes were quite startled at his words.

THE DIFFICULTY OF BEING
—AND HEARING—A PROPHET

Claiming to be a prophet means claiming to be called by God; it is an awesome responsibility to say, “The word of the Lord came to me” (Jeremiah 1:4) or “The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me” (Isaiah 61:1), the saying that Jesus adopted. Nor is it easy for others to hear someone make this claim. Prophets look very ordinary, they don't have physical evidence of a divine call, so it is tempting to respond with, “Who are they, to talk like that?”

The difference is that prophets have learned to see the world as God sees it, and their vocation is to summon people to bring God's justice and God's mercy to that world. This is a difficult, even dangerous task. After all, prophets have to speak truth to power, to the “kings and princes . . . its priests and people” who resist changing their ways. Jeremiah's call is typical: God warns him of dangers to come, even as he promises him deliverance: “They will fight against you but not prevail over you / for I am with you to deliver you” (Jeremiah 1:19).

Jesus faces these same difficulties, as his fellow Nazarenes—who initially admired his “gracious words” (Luke 4:22)—become skeptical, suspicious, and then openly hostile. Jesus understands these reactions: “Doubtless you will say to me . . .” (4:23), and, just as God promised Jeremiah, Jesus is “delivered”—he passes through the crowd before they attempt literally to throw him out. As we are called to act as prophets in our world today, it is a comfort to know that God will likewise deliver us.

Today's Readings: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17; 1 Cor 12:31 --- 13:13 (13:4-13); Lk 4:21-30

Spring Concert
By St. Augustine Music Ministry

March 1st, 2019 at 8:00pm
February 3, 2019

Your generosity during your lifetime has enabled our parish to serve the people of God in this community. Continue to be a part of the strength of this community by making a gift to the ABCD.

www.isupportabcd.org

Charitable Gift Annuities may offer more attractive rates than many CDs, provide a significant tax deduction, and are excellent ways to help pass on our Catholic heritage. For more information, contact the rectory or call the Office of Planned Giving at (305) 762-1110.

“Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, it is not pompous.” (1 Corinthians 13:4)

Do you get jealous? Do you focus more on the things that other people have than on the gifts that God has given to you? Are you pompous? Do you acquire more possessions to impress others? At times we are all guilty of these things. Pray for more humility. Pray to become less “self-centered” and become more “God-centered”.

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Collection Report for the Weekend of 1/26/19—1/27/19

Thank you for your generosity!

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Monday, February 4th, 2019

8:00am & 12:05pm: Daily Mass @ Church
4:15pm-5:30pm: CCD: Pre-communion & Kindergarten
6:00pm-7:15pm: Confirmation
7:30pm Catholic Young Professionals Meeting @ Parish Hall

Tuesday, February 5th, 2019

8:00am & 12:05pm: Daily Mass @ Church
6:30pm: Rosary Making Group @ Parish Lounge
7:00pm: College Mass and Meal @ St. Augustine
8:00pm: Young Adult Group @ Parish Hall

Wednesday, February 6th, 2019

8:00am & 12:05pm: Daily Mass @ Church
6:30pm: Sandwich Making for the Homeless @ Parish Lounge
4:15pm-5:30pm: CCD: First Communion
7:00pm: Witnesses to Love Youth Group @ Parish Library
8:00pm: Matrimonios en Victoria @ Parish Hall

Thursday, February 7th, 2019

8:00am & 12:05pm: Daily Mass
8:30am: Soup Making for the Homeless
12:35pm: Exposition and Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament until 6:30pm (Open to all) @ Church
6:30-7:00pm: Benediction & Reposition @ Church
7:00pm: High School Youth Group Winter Kickoff @ Parish Lounge
7:00pm: College Mass @ Church
8:00pm: Catholic Campus Ministry Thrive Nights for Students! @ Parish Hall
8:00pm: Growing In The Spirit Group, Bible Study (Adult Group Ages 35+) @ Parish Library

Friday, February 8th, 2019

8:00am & 12:05pm: Daily Mass

Saturday, February 9th, 2019

8:00am: Daily Mass and Rosary after Mass
11:30am: Confessions @ Church
Message from Fr. Richard Vigoa

A Hallmark of our Catholic faith

Last weekend we opened our hearts with compassion for the Lord’s poor ones in our midst as we undertook our annual collection for the Archbishop’s Charities and Development Drive, or ABCD. We are off to a good start, but we still have a ways to go. We will need the participation of all of our parishioners to meet our goal of $406,000.00. As you have heard these past weeks, the ABCD funds all of our Church’s charitable efforts at the diocesan level. The beneficiaries of this collection are those whom the Lord loves but whom society might regard as the “least, last and lost” -- the poor, the hungry, the sick, refugees, single mothers, unborn children, prisoners and the homeless. Our love of Christ bids us to reach out to His suffering brothers and sisters.

Compassion for the poor and needy is a hallmark of our Catholic faith, and it has been since the very beginning. Two weekends ago I mentioned to you how St. Paul took up a collection from his various communities for the benefit of the faithful who were suffering in the Holy Land. The Corinthians, Galatians, Philippians, Thessalonians and the faithful from several other cities all contributed, and Saint Paul returned to Jerusalem with the collection. (See Acts 11:27-30; Rom 15:25-28; 1Cor 16:1-4; 2Cor 8-9; and Gal 2:10). Saint Paul’s effort is known as the “Jerusalem Collection,” though perhaps we can think of it as the very first ABCD.

Thus it has been ever since. The Catholic faithful in every age have understood that our love for Christ must spill over into love of neighbor, and charitable giving is one important way to make that love manifest.

If you have not yet made a donation, please do so -there are envelopes in the entrance of the church as well as the possibility to make a donation online by going to our website and clicking the banner for the ABCD Donate button. I ask you to make a generous pledge in support of the ABCD in which we continue this grand tradition that is a defining characteristic of our Catholic faith. Thank you for your generosity!

• “Help one another with the generosity of the Lord, and despise no one. When you have the opportunity to do good, do not let it go by.” -St. Polycarp of Smyrna +155 AD

• “Give something, however small, to the one in need. For it is not small to one who has nothing. Neither is it small to God, if we have given what we could.” -St. Gregory Nazianzen +390 AD

• “Let us have charity and humility, and give alms, for almsgiving cleanses our souls from the filth of sin. At death we lose all that we have in this world, but we take with us the charity and the alms we have given, and for these we shall receive a great reward from God.” - St. Francis of Assisi +1226 AD

• “Be kind and gentle to one another, each of you generous to all, as God in Christ has been generous to you. As God’s favored children, you must be like Him.” –St. Paul +68 AD (Eph 4:32)

Fr. Richard Vigoa
Holy Hour for Peace and Healing: Remembering the MSD tragedy

On the first anniversary of the Marjory Stoneman Douglas tragedy, Mary Help of Christians Church, located at 5980 University Drive, Parkland, FL 33067, will host a Holy Hour for peace and healing.

All are welcome to share in a sacred time to quiet your thoughts and let Jesus comfort you with the power of his presence on Thursday, Feb. 14, 2019 from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Media are welcome.

The Archdiocese of Miami
Encuentro #205

“It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me”
Galatians 2:20

Boys Encounter
Who: High School Students
Age 14-18
When: February 15-17, 2019
Where: Cursillos de Cristiandad
Casa Monseñor Roman
16250 SW 112 Ave
Miami, FL 33157

ARCHDIOCESE OF MIAMI
EVANGELIZATION SUMMIT
Featuring:
Mass with Archbishop Thomas Wenski
Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT:
“The Decisive Encounter: Transformation from the Heart”
Jared Zimmerman, Director of the Word
on Fire Institute:
“Eight Principles for Evangelizing the Culture”

ALSO FEATURING:
SISTERS OF LIFE, ALPHA FOR CATHOLICS, SERVANTS OF THE PIERCED HEARTS OF JESUS AND MARY, SAINT PAUL STREET EVANGELIZATION, AND MORE!

SATURDAY, MAR. 16TH, 2019. 8AM (REGISTRATION)-3:30PM
MONSIGNOR EDWARD PACE HIGH SCHOOL
HTTPS://CONTA.CC/2F3EQX9

NEEDED FOR THOSE IN NEED:

Cereal, Chef Boyardee, Rice, Soup
Canned meats: Spam, Tuna, chicken
& canned vegetables.

THE HOMELESS MINISTRY NEEDS JELLY AND SANDWICH BAGS

“For I was hungry and you gave me food”
- Matthew 25:35

A University Parish: School of Prayer and Center for the New Evangelization
THEOLOGY OF THE BODY RETREAT
MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS

February 9, 2019 @8:00am - 5:15pm and 5:30pm vigil Mass
Mary Help of Christians 5980 N University Dr, Parkland, FL 33067

- Women/Men Ages 18+, PreRegister: www.mhocrc.org/youthministry
- $30.00 includes lunch Venmo @DianaACarvajal (all proceeds go to MHOC)
- All levels of TOB experience welcome, small groups range from beginner to advanced
- Walk-Ins welcome, cash or checks accepted at the door.
- Space is limited.
- For more information email julizza.licardie@mhocschool.org
  Look for our Facebook Event as well!
ST. AUGUSTINE CHURCH & CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER

Youth ages 14-18 are invited to join us to encounter Christ through the Heart of Our Lady as we grow in our Catholic faith together.

Thursdays at 7 pm - 8:15 pm in the parish lounge.

Witnesses to Love
Middle School Youth Group

Middle school youth in 5th - 8th grade are invited to join us to for our new youth group. We will get to know Jesus through Mary and all the treasures of our faith as we share faith and fun together.

Wednesdays at 7 pm - 8:15 pm in the parish library.

miamiarch.org/ADOMyouth

weekly events:

TUESDAYS

Tuesday YAG (Young Adult Group)
8PM in the parish hall, join us for a night of community, prayer, and a time to be strengthened in your relationship with Christ! Each week there is a different theme and set up with guest speakers, witnesses, small groups, video, praise and worship, and more.

THURSDAYS

Thursday Holy Hour of Mercy
6-7PM come pray with our parish community! We invite you to join us in the church for an hour of Eucharistic Adoration to pray and intercede for God’s mercy to touch those in our community & world in need.

A University Parish: School of Prayer and Center for the New Evangelization
MONDAYS
Fr. Phillip's Office hours on Campus (Newman Center, address below) 1-4 pm
8:00 pm Men's and Women's Nights

TUESDAYS
The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available on campus, 12:00 pm -2 pm, Stop by our table in the breezeway for more info
12:00pm-2pm Confessions @ UM
5:30pm-6:30pm Holy Hour for the University of Miami (St. A chapel)
7:00pm Free Dinner following mass

ATTENTION ALL COLLEGE-AGED!
JOIN US FOR THRIVE NIGHTS
THURSDAYS @8PM
@ ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH HALL!

WEDNESDAY
8:00 pm Graduate Students Bible Study @ the Newman Center

THURSDAY
Fr. Phillip's Office hours on the Rock (for confession, discussion, etc., in front of UM bookstore) 1-4 pm
7:00 pm College Mass
8:00 pm Thrive Nights at St. Augustine! Come out for a night of Fellowship & be empowered To live out your faith on campus

SUNDAY
College mass and Social - 8 pm
There is ministry also offered for UM Alumni, Faculty and Staff, Graduate Students, Law students, etc.! Please contact Fr. Phillip Tran at ptran@theadom.org for more information.

Location of the Newman Center (NC) on campus is 1238 Dickinson Dr. #110, Coral Gables, FL 33146 (next to Office of Academic Enhancement)