

*Please remember in your prayers all those who suffer, especially the following members of our parish or parishioners' loved ones:*

John Henry Allen, Robert Blanchard, Mildred Johnson, Patrick Hays, Brittney Brooks, Frances Lozano, John Hemrick, Travis Breard, Betty Rivet, Amanda Smith, Jean Ward, Lou Bedell, Margaret Tarver, Katie Duffey, Mike Harvey, William Staab, Jr., Kristyn Smith, Jodi Pipes, Debbie Garner, Barbara Zeagler, Lenny Miller, Robert Pringle, Theresa Curry, Jeff Malmstrom, Rhonda Miller, Judy Bell, Jim Fisher, Jeff Albritton, Nancy Farrar, Landry Hope Sipes, Brenda Gregory, Scott Sheppard, Linda Bratton, Mary Bordelon, Ben Martin, Caroline Grigson, and Andy Trahan.

**Sun, Jan. 21, 2017**  
**3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**"Be Fruitful" Weekend**

Daily Schedule:  
 8:30AM Mass w/ nursery ; RCIA dismissal  
 9:45AM Coffee & Donuts in MH  
 9:45AM Bible Study (PH) on Psalms  
 11:00AM Mass w/ nursery ; CLOW  
 5:00PM Mass w/ JGS Band

**Mon, Jan. 22, 2017**

Daily Schedule:  
 6:30AM Mass  
 3:15PM JGS School Faculty Meeting  
 12:00PM SVDP Meeting (MH)  
 5:30PM Women's ACTS Mtg. (church and parish hall)  
 6:00PM Men's ACTS (MH)  
 6:00PM Women's ACTS Cenacles (YR)

**Tues., Jan. 23, 2017**

Daily Schedule:  
 6:30AM Men's Faith Group (parlor)  
 8:00AM Adoration  
 8:00AM JGS School Awards (gym)  
 12:00PM Women's ACTS Cenacles (parlor)  
 4:00PM Reconciliation  
 5:20PM Benediction  
 5:30PM Mass  
 7:00PM RCIA (Q 16)

**Wed., Jan. 24, 2017**

Daily Schedule:  
 6:30AM Mass  
 7:30AM JGS School Morning w/ Moms  
 8:00AM JGS Dads' Club T-shirt forms due  
 11:00AM Catholic Mom's Group in home  
 11:30AM Men's Bible Study (PH)  
 12:00PM Ladies' Faith Group in home  
 5:30PM Jr. High Youth Group  
 5:30PM High School Youth Group  
 5:45PM Family Faith Formation (MH)  
 6:00PM Men's ACTS Cenacles (parlor)

**Wednesday, January 24th Continued**

6:30PM Consoling the Heart of Jesus Study (sanctuary)

**Thurs., Jan. 25, 2017**

Daily Schedule:  
 8:00AM JGS School Spelling Bee (gym)  
 1:15PM Ladies' Faith Group in home  
 5:00PM Rosary in front of the Tabernacle for the parish  
 5:30PM Mass  
 5:30PM TACTS (YR)  
 6:30PM God and Sex: Is the Catholic Church of Touch? With Bishop Duca at St. Joseph Catholic Church-Shreveport  
 7:00PM Chris Domingue's Faith Group

**Fri., Jan. 26, 2017**

Daily Schedule:  
 8:10AM School Mass  
 3:30PM Divine Mercy  
 4:00PM 7 Sorrows Rosary

**Sat., Jan. 27, 2017**  
**March for Life-Bossier**

Daily Schedule:  
 7:30AM Mass  
 8:00AM JGS School Pinewood Derby  
 3:00PM Confessions  
 4:30PM Mass

**Sun., Jan. 28, 2017**  
**Catholic Schools' Week Begins**

Daily Schedule:  
 8:30AM Mass w/ nursery; RCIA dismissal  
 9:45AM Coffee & Donuts (MH)  
 9:45AM Faith Study on Psalms (PH)  
 11:00AM Mass w/ nursery; CLOW  
 12:00PM Cub Scouts' Blue & Gold Banquet (MH)  
 5:00PM Mass w/ JGS Band

**SAVE-THE-DATES:**

1/29: Mass w/ Bishop Duca at 9:30 SFHS  
 1/29: Parish Council Mtg. (RR)  
 1/30: Priests' Basketball Shoot Out 2PM  
 1/31: JGS School Pep Rally & Open House (gym)  
 2/1: JGS School Movie & PJ Day  
 2/1: Vocations' Awareness Mtg. (parlor at 6PM)  
 2/1: Baptismal Preparation Class 7PM (RR)  
 2/1: Men's ACTS Sendoff at 5:30PM  
 2/2: The Blessing of the Throats at 8:10AM  
 2/2: First Friday: Children's Adoration until 9:30AM in the Sanctuary  
 2/2: Speech Screening for PK3, PK4, K, 1st, 3rd, & 5th  
 2/4: Men's ACTS Return Mass at 11:00AM w/ reception immediately following in the JGS Gymnasium  
 2/5: Registration opens for currently enrolled students and siblings at JGS School  
 2/5: ACTS Core Meeting (PH)  
 2/6: Vocations' Awareness Prayer Service  
 2/7: JGS PK3 & PK4 Mardi Gras Parade  
 2/14: Ash Wednesday Masses will be held at 8:10AM and 5:30PM  
 2/8: Men's Luncheon in Moore Hall  
 2/8: Lunch Bunch at a restaurant  
 2/8: Mercy Ministries Valentine's Day Party (MH)  
 2/8: JGS School Johnny's Pizza Night  
 2/9-2/10: Pre-Cana classes (PH)  
 2/16: NO School Mass  
 2/16-3/23: Stations of the Cross at 5:30PM  
 2/18: RCIA Rite of Sending at 8:30AM; followed by the Rite of Election in Shreveport  
 2/19: Healing Mass at 6:30PM

Welcome to

**JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH**

2510 Emerson Street, Monroe, LA 71201  
 Phone (318)325-7549 Fax(318)322-6969  
 Office Hours: Mon.—Fri. 8:00AM-4:00PM  
 www.jgschurch.org

**JGS Mission**

Jesus the Good Shepherd Catholic Church in Monroe of the Diocese of Shreveport is a loving, nurturing family of faith and prayer with the Eucharist as the center of parish life. With diverse gifts, we proclaim God's healing love and presence in the world through the Word, worship and service.

**MASS TIMES**

*Weekends*

Saturday: 7:30AM(daily) and 4:30PM(Vigil)  
 Sunday: 8:30AM, 11:00AM, & 5:00PM(with ACTS Band)  
*(Nursery for 6mos-4yr olds available at 8:30 & 11:00)*

*Weekdays*

Monday & Wednesday: 6:30AM  
 Tuesday & Thursday: 5:30PM  
 Friday: 8:10AM(School Mass)  
 Holy Days of Obligation: 8:10AM & 5:30PM

**RECONCILIATION**

Tuesday: 4:00-5:00PM  
 Saturday: 3:00-4:00PM  
 Or by appointment *(call the parish office to make apt.)*

**STAFF**

(phone extensions listed)  
 Rev. Keith Garvin, *Pastor* 204  
 Rev. Biju Kuriakose, *Parochial Vicar* 205  
 Deacon Tom Deal  
 Deacon Chris Domingue  
 Haley Pulliam, *Business Manager* 201  
 Janell Holland, *Admin. Assistant to the Pastor* 202  
 Elizabeth Williams, *Communications & Nursery Director* 206  
 Jan Nelson, *Receptionist (M, T, W)* 200  
 Barbara Lewis, *Receptionist (Th, F)* 200  
 Kelly Spitzfaden, *Bookkeeper* 208  
 Mark Loyet, *Youth Ministry (mloyet@jgschurch.org)* 214  
 Beth Blank, *Director of Religious Education*  
 Susan McKenzie, *Liturgy*  
 John Guerriero, *Catechesis and RCIA*  
 J. Randy Smith, *Community Outreach*  
 Ken Vincent, *Finance Council Chair*  
 Vaughn Antley & Ryan Hemrick, *(Trustees)*

**ADORATION**

Tuesday: 8:00AM-5:20PM with Benediction immediately following

**FAMILY FAITH ENRICHMENT**

Wednesday in Moore Hall. Family dinner is at 5:45PM with group meetings at 6:30PM for PK-6th graders during the school year.

**BAPTISMS:** Please contact the parish office to schedule. Baptismal preparation classes are required for your first child's Baptism and Godparents are strongly encouraged to attend.

**MATRIMONY:** Call the parish office at least six months prior to the wedding date to schedule. Pre-Cana classes are required.

**ANNULMENT PROCEDURE:** Lay Advocate Contact is Mary Ann Sims, 325-0264

**JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

Lisa Patrick, *Principal* (318)325-8569  
 www.jesusgoodshepherd.org  
 JGS School educates children in grades PK3-6th by incorporating high scholastic standards in a loving, Christ-centered environment. Please don't hesitate to contact the school office for more information.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK**

Sunday, Jan. 21  
 10:00AM.....Bill Brandle  
 4:30PM.....Joy Kaufman (Honor)  
 10:45PM.....For the Parish  
 Monday, Jan. 22  
 6:30AM.....Ann Zimmerman  
 Tuesday, Jan. 23  
 5:30 PM.....Helen Norris  
 Wednesday, Jan. 24  
 6:30AM.....Poor Souls  
 Thursday, Jan. 25  
 5:30PM.....Marie Riley Sipes  
 Friday, Jan. 26  
 8:10AM.....Dan Ross  
 Saturday, Jan. 27  
 7:30AM.....Cathy Norman  
 4:30PM.....Mary Louise Danna

**WEEKLY COLLECTIONS**

Weekly Revenue Budget:	\$16,076.00
Collections: Jan. 13/14	\$22,516.00
<b>Variance</b>	<b>+\$6,440.00</b>

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK:**

*Avenue Shoes, 1821 Avenue of America, 388-0518*  
*Betty & Bill Kelly, parishioners*

*Thank you so much for your support of JGS Parish. God Bless!*