

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

Charlotte Mayaeux, Tommy Canizaro, Jr., Anthony Canizaro, Sandra Canizaro, Jennifer Costanza, Leonard Nahlen, Diane Jones, Joy Barrett, Renee Wright, Jack Henry Allen, Mildred Johnson, Patrick Hays, Brittney Brooks, Frances Lozano, Amanda Smith, Jean Ward, Lou Bedell, Katie Duffey, Mike Harvey, William Staab, Jr., Kristyn Smith, Jodi Pipes, Debbie Garner, Barbara Zeagler, Lenny Miller, Robert Pringle, Theresa Curry, Rhonda Miller, Judy Bell, Jeff Albritton, Nancy Farrar, Landry Hope Sipes, Brenda Gregory, Scott Sheppard, Linda Bratton, Ben Martin, Caroline Grigson, and Andy Trahan.

**Sun, Mar. 4, 2018**  
**3rd Sunday of Lent**  
**60th Anniversary/2nd Annual Spring Fling Fundraiser Pulpit Talks**

Daily Schedule:  
 8:30AM Mass w/ nursery;  
 9:45AM Coffee & Donuts in MH  
 9:45AM RCIA Makeup session w/ Fr. Keith in the Youth Room  
 9:45AM Lenten Small Group (PH)  
 11:00AM Mass w/ nursery; CLOW  
 2:30PM Knight of Columbus (PH)  
 5:00PM TEEN MASS

**Wednesday Continued:**

12:00PM Ladies' Faith Group in home  
 12:00PM Lenten Small Group (MH)  
 6:00PM Lenten Mission; Nursery available; Dinner immediately following in Moore Hall—All are welcome!!

**\*\*\*NO Family Faith Enrichment tonight or Youth Groups due to the parish mission\*\***

**Sun., Mar. 11, 2018**  
**4th Sunday of Lent**  
**Bethlehem Nativity Church will be selling olive wood items from the Holy Land -Sign up for Holy Thursday Adoration**

Daily Schedule:  
 8:30AM Mass w/ nursery  
 9:45AM Coffee & donuts  
 9:45AM Small Lenten Group (PH)  
 11:00AM Mass w/ nursery; CLOW; RCIA  
 2nd Scrutiny & Dismissal  
 2:00PM Baptisms  
 5:00PM Mass w/ Band

**Mon, Mar. 5, 2018**  
**JGS School Teacher Appreciation Week**  
**JGS Church Lenten Mission**

Daily Schedule:  
 6:30AM Mass  
 8:00AM-3:00PM SFHS 10th grade retreat  
 12:00PM SVDP Mtg. (MH)  
 3:30PM JGS School Faculty Mtg. (MH)  
 6:00PM Lenten Mission in the Sanctuary; the nursery is available

**Thurs., Mar. 8, 2018**  
**JGS School Teacher Appreciation Week**

Daily Schedule:  
 11:30AM Lunch Bunch in Moore Hall w/ a guest speaker speaking on "Exercise in Your Chair"  
 5:00PM Rosary in front of the Tabernacle for the parish  
 5:30PM Mass  
 5:30PM Women's ACTS in Moore Hall  
 6:15PM Elizabeth's Lenten Small Group will be meeting in front of the Tabernacle tonight  
 7:00PM Chris Domingue's Lenten Group will be meeting in Parish Hall tonight

**SAVE-THE-DATES:**  
 3/12-3/16: JGS School Spring Break  
 3/12: SVDP Meeting (MH)  
 3/13: Ekklesia Meeting (PH)  
 3/16-3/18: Abby Youth Fest  
 3/16: Finance Council Meeting (MH)  
**3/16: ALL 60th Anniversary T-shirt orders are due in the church office**  
 3/17 & 3/18: Spring Fling Tickets & Bricks will be sold in the gathering space after each Mass; Easter card signing for the religious  
 3/19: \*\*\*\*\*NO HEALING MASS\*\*\*\*  
**3/21: Parish Reconciliation Service from 6-8PM in the Sanctuary**  
 3/23: All are welcome to come help us prepare the Palms for Palm Sunday at 9AM in Moore Hall. Please bring your scissors!  
 3/23-3/25: Youth Boys Come and See Weekend  
 3/24: JGS Parish Easter Party and Egg Hunt  
 3/25: SVDP Easter Party at 2PM (MH)  
 3/26: SVDP Mtg. at noon (MH)  
 3/26: Easter basket prep for Mercy Ministries at 5:15PM in PH  
 3/278 Flowers will be delivered to Moore Hall and MH will be prepared for Holy Thursday  
 3/29-3/30: JGS Parish Office Closed  
 3/29: Foot Washing & Holy Thursday Adoration  
 3/30: Good Friday: Stations of the Cross by the Compassion in Action group at 3:00PM

**Tues., Mar. 6, 2018**  
**JGS School Teacher Appreciation Week**  
**JGS Church Lenten Mission**

Daily Schedule:  
 6:30AM Men's Faith Group (parlor)  
 8:00AM Adoration  
 12:00PM Women's ACTS Cenacles (parlor)  
 12:00PM Lenten Small Group (MH)  
 4:00PM Reconciliation  
 5:20PM Benediction  
 5:30PM Mass  
 6:00PM Lenten Mission in the Sanctuary; the nursery is available

**Fri., Mar. 9, 2018**  
**JGS School Teacher Appreciation Week**

Daily Schedule:  
 8:10AM Children's Mass followed by First Friday Adoration until 10:30AM  
 3:30PM Divine Mercy  
 4:00PM 7 Sorrows Rosary  
 5:30PM Stations of the Cross  
 6:00PM Soups & Sandwiches (MH)

**Wed., Mar. 7, 2018**  
**JGS School Teacher Appreciation Week**  
**JGS Church Lenten Mission**

Daily Schedule:  
 6:30AM Mass  
 11:30AM Men's Bible Study (PH)

**Sat., Mar. 10, 2018**  
**Bethlehem Nativity Church will be selling olive wood items from the Holy Land -Sign up for Holy Thursday Adoration**

Daily Schedule:  
 7:30AM Mass  
 3:00PM Confessions  
 4:30PM Mass

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*  
 Vee Dickey, *Liturgist*  
 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, Mar. 4  
 8:30AM.....Lucy Sampognaro  
 11:00AM.....Rahn Sherman  
 5:00PM.....For the Parish  
 Monday, Mar. 5  
 6:30AM.....Cathy Norman  
 Tuesday, Mar. 6  
 5:30 PM.....Ann Zimmerman  
 Wednesday, Mar. 7  
 6:30AM.....In Thanksgiving  
 Thursday, Mar. 8  
 5:30PM.....Francis Genusa  
 Friday, Mar. 9  
 8:10AM.....Poor Souls  
 Saturday, Mar. 10  
 7:30AM.....Tommy Neck, Sr.  
 4:30PM .....Elizabeth Mulhearn Robertson

**WEEKLY COLLECTIONS**

Weekly Revenue Budget:	\$16,076.00
Collections: Feb. 24/25	\$13,035.26
<b>Variance</b>	<b>-( \$ 3,040.76 )</b>

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK:**

**Geno's Italian Restaurant**  
 705 N. 8th Street, Monroe, LA 71201 325-5098  
 Thank you so much for your support of JGS Parish. God Bless!