

Shrine of the Holy Cross Catholic Parish

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SUNDAY, MARCH 7, 2021

“THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT”



Reverend Lito J. Capeding
Pastor

Mr. Joseph Gottstine, Deacon

Mass Schedule:

Saturday @ 5:00 pm

Sunday @ 9:00 am and 6:00 pm



First Friday Mass and Holy Days of Obligation:
Mass @ 6 pm

“ God of a Second Chance! ”

Your Prayers are requested for....



the sick, injured and shut-ins:

David Treutel, Jr., Alice Sapp, Edna Petties, Maddux Giles, Elijah Hardy, Monica Ndolo, Carol Anne Chason, Carolyn Washington, Ann Allen and Annie Hall.

The protection of our service men and women:

- Lt. Commander Alan Helm, Qatar, US Navy; TSgt. Jacob C. Gorup, USAF, Sgt. Ryan DeLaney, LCprl Jason Moore, SGT. Austin Lance West-Marines,

- Spc4 John C. Momberger, US Army

“Lord Hear Our Prayers”

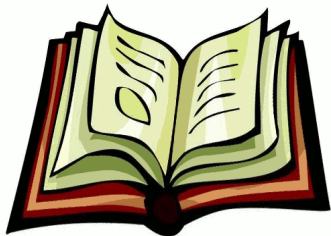


Please call Mary Allen (251 621-9793) if you know of a parishioner, family member, friend or neighbor, who needs to be put on the prayer list.

- **Confessions** are heard 15 mins. before mass or by appointment.

DAILY READINGS:

- Monday, March 8, **John 4: 5—42**
- Tuesday, March 9, **John 4: 5—42**
- Wednesday, March 10, **John 4: 5—42**
- Thursday, March 11, **John 4: 5—42**
- Friday, March 12, **John 4: 5—42**
- Saturday, March 13, **John 4: 5—42**



Celebrating the Saints and Events:

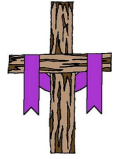
- March 8: St. John of God, Religious
- March 9: St. Frances of Rome, Religious



What Did You Give Up For LENT?

FIRST Reading: **Book of EXODUS 20: 1—17**
The law was given through Moses.

SECOND Reading: **Letter of Saint Paul to the CORINTHIANS 1: 22—25**
We proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to many, but to those who are called, the wisdom of God.



GOSPEL Reading: **According to JOHN 9: 2—10**
Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up.

During Lent, the Church asks us to surrender ourselves to **prayer** and to the **reading of Scripture**, to do **fasting** and to **giving alms**. The fasting that we all do together on Fridays is but a sign of the daily Lenten discipline of individuals and households: fasting for certain periods of time, fasting from certain foods, but also fasting from other things and activities. Likewise, the giving of alms is some effort to share this world equally—not only through the distribution of money, but through the sharing of our time and talents.

Thanks to all who have contributed to the Generations of Faith Campaign for the Shrine of the Holy Cross. The Shrine's portion for all gifts received November 1, 2020 thru January 31, 2021 is \$1,404.85.

Gifts Received Overview for the Shrine as of January 31, 2021:

Quarter (11/1/2020—1/31/2021): \$7, 024.23

Total thru January 31, 2021: \$56,784.23

% of Parish Goal Received: 14.9%

We thank you all for your generosity and encourage you to continue to send gifts toward your pledges to The Generations of Faith Campaign.

“The Coronavirus”

Please continue to use social distancing and wear your mask, when in church, as the spreading of this virus continues.

Tithes & Offerings



Sat—Sun, February 27—28, 2021

\$2,481.00



Mass Intentions

Please pray for the Repose of the Soul of:

ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED



Saint Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle.

Be our protection against the
wickedness and snares of the
devil.

May God rebuke him,
we humbly pray;
and do Thou, O Prince of the
Heavenly Host—by the Divine
Power of God—cast into hell,
Satan and all the evil spirits,
who roam throughout the world
seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

**ASH WEDNESDAY,
FEBRUARY 17—PALM
SUNDAY, MARCH 28, 2021**

**40 Days for Life Spring
2021 Campaign**

runs from 6am—6pm daily

- 1). Pray and Fast for an end to abortion.
- 2). Sign up to pray for one hour/week or just one hour the whole campaign at the abortion facility, Planned Parenthood, 717 Downtowner Loop West by visiting www.40daysforlife.com/mobile
- 3). Reach out in our community by spreading the joy of **LIFE**. Wear precious feet, pass out pro-life literature, put a pro-life sign in your yard, get educated and then educate others about the evil of abortion and about the beauty of **LIFE**.

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Office Hours:

10:00 a.m.—2:00 p. m.

Monday thru Friday

A PRAYER FOR PROTECTION IN TIME OF PANDEMIC

O Mary, you always brighten our path as a sign of salvation and of hope,
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who at the Cross, took part in Jesus' pain while remaining steadfast in faith. O loving Mother, you know what we need, and we are confident you will provide for us as at Cana in Galilee.

Intercede for us with your Son Jesus, the Divine Physician, for those who have fallen ill, for those who are vulnerable, and for those who have died. Intercede also for those charged with protecting the health and safety of others and for those who are tending to the sick and seeking a cure.

Help us, O Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father and do as we are told by Jesus, who took upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows, so as to lead us, through the Cross, to the glory of the Resurrection.

Amen.

*Under thy protection we seek refuge,
O Holy Mother of God.
In our needs, despise not our petitions,
but deliver us always from all dangers,
O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.*

Adapted from the prayer of Pope Francis