

BLESSED SACRAMENT
CATHOLIC CHURCH
LA IGLESIA CATÓLICA
DEL SANTÍSIMO
SACRAMENTO

1101 EAST HIGHLAND DRIVE
February 16 / 16 de Febrero, 2020

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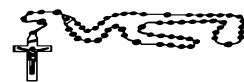
St. Vincent de Paul Ministries
324 Huntington Ave. Tuesday 9:00 a.m.
Tel: 870-316-0229

Motherhood Ministry
324 Huntington Wednesday 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

Knights of Columbus Council 1702
1103 East Highland
Robert Monteforte, Grand Knight 870-761-6183

OUR PARISH GIFT SHOP HAS

Bibles, Crucifixes, Rosaries & other religious
articles available in the parish office,
9 a.m.—3 p.m., Monday—Friday,
1107 East Highland.



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MASS TIMES & MASS INTENTIONS

**DO THIS IN REMEMBRANCE OF ME
HAGAN ESTO EN CONMEMORACIÓN DE MÍA**

Monday 7:00 a.m.	February 17 Huu Sa Nguyen † <i>by Nguyen Family</i>
Tuesday 5:30 p.m.	February 18 Rose O'Neill † <i>by Mary Ellen Kirby</i>
Wednesday 12:10 p.m.	February 19 Intentions of Baber Family <i>by Darla Adlong</i>
5:30 p.m.	Scott Rennels † <i>by Tamara Jansen</i>
Thursday 7:00 a.m.	February 20 Mickey Bridger † <i>by Mary Ellen Kirby</i>
9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Bosch Family <i>by Darla Adlong</i>
Friday 7:00 a.m.	February 21 Joe & Carolyn Nolan † <i>by Simpson Family</i>
7:00 p.m.	<i>by</i>
Saturday 5:30 p.m.	February 22 Intentions of Matthew Monteforte <i>by Robert & Marita Monteforte</i>
Sunday 8:00 a.m.	February 23 Leo Culas † <i>by Rosenthal Family</i>
10:00 a.m.	Mass for Parishioners
12:00 p.m.	Francisco Torres Flores † <i>by Torres Flores Family</i>

*Confessions: 4:00 p.m. Saturdays or
call: 870-932-2529 for an appointment.*

**PARISH ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK
ACTIVIDADES DE LA PARROQUIA PARA LA SEMANA**

FEBRUARY 16, 2020

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH
1101 EAST HIGHLAND**



Monday	February 17
<i>Memorial - Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order</i>	
5 p.m. Rosary, Church	
5:30 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul Prison Ministry, Grimes Unit, Newport	
Parish offices are closed in honor of Presidents Day	
Tuesday	February 18
9 a.m. St. Vincent de Paul Ministry, 324 W. Huntington	
12 p.m. Mary's Heart, 1107 E. Highland	
Wednesday	February 19
9:30 a.m. Motherhood Ministry, 324 W. Huntington	
5:15 p.m. Benediction, Church	
6 p.m. Clase/R.I.C.A., Conference Rm. 1107 E. Highland	
6 p.m. Sr. CYM/Confirmation Class, School & KC Hall	
6:30 p.m. R.C.I.A., Mary, Mother of God and Marian Dogmas, St. John Newman University Parish, 2800 E. Johnson	
7 p.m. Men's Scripture Study, Knights of Columbus Hall, 1103 East Highland	
Friday	February 21
<i>St. Peter Damian</i>	
6 p.m. Santo Hora, Iglesia; 7 p.m. Misa, Iglesia	
Saturday	February 22
<i>Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	
But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you	
Yo, en cambio, les digo: Amen a sus enemigos, hagan el bien a los que los odian y rueguen por los que los persiguen	
Sunday	February 23
10 a.m. Mass <i>Rite of Sending</i>	
10 a.m. Práctica del coro en español, 1107 E. Highland	
1:30 p.m. Choir practice, Church Choir Loft	
3 p.m. Children's Ministry & EDGE, 1105 East Highland	

PRAY FOR OUR SOLDIERS

Logan Bruno, Anthony Cole,
Patrick DePriest,
George Taku



Thank you for protecting our country.
May the Lord keep you safe.

Please contact the parish office with the names of family members who are serving our country in the military.

Church in Central & Eastern Europe Collection February 15 & 16

This week, our special collection supports the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Your donation today helps restore the Church and build the future in more than 20 countries still struggling to recover from Communist rule. Funds from this collection support reconstruction, education, formation and poverty outreach. Please be generous to the collection today. For more information, please visit www.usccb.org/ccee.



Catholic Arkansas Sharing Appeal 2020 (CASA)

What your Donation Can Do!

- \$ 50 Provides a partial scholarship for a student to attend a Campus Ministry retreat.
- \$150 Provides utility assistance for a family through our Family Assistance Program
- \$250 Provides dental care for a patient of the Westside Free Medical Clinic.
- \$500 Covers the cost of an application for a work permit for an eligible immigrant.

Become a CASA supporter today.

Our parish goal is \$33,150.00.

MOTHERHOOD MINISTRY

Blessed Sacrament Parish shows its belief in and commitment to the sanctity of life in prayer and with donations of clothing and funds to Motherhood Ministry and the Pregnancy Resource Center.

Motherhood Ministry is located at 324 Huntington. Each Wednesday, volunteers assist those in need 9:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m. Expectant mothers may obtain free maternity clothes. Free clothing for children, infancy to Size 14, is available. Motherhood provides: free layettes for newborn babies; free baby formula; free diapers; bassinets/baby beds.

Please consider offering your time, talent or treasure to either of this ministry. Contact:

Faye Siebert, 932-6566, for Motherhood Ministry



Ladies, join us at St. Joseph's in Conway for the next **Magnificat Meal** on Saturday, March 14, from 10 AM to 1 PM. Magnificat is a Catholic woman-to-woman ministry. Our speaker will be Patti Drake, co-founder of Miracles for Mary, Inc. a

foundation that helps families coping with traumatic brain injury. She will be sharing how she and her family experienced God's Love during difficult moments in their lives. For further information and to purchase tickets go to: sjparish.org
We hope to see you there!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK February 16—23, 2020

Sunday	Sir 15:15-20	
	Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34	
	1 Cor 2:6—10	Mt 5:17-37
Monday:	Jas 1:1-11	Mk 8:11-13
Tuesday:	Jas 1:12-18	Mk 8:14-21
Wednesday:	Jas 1:19-27	Mk 8:22-26
Thursday:	Jas 2:1-9	Mk 8:27-33
Friday:	Jas 2:14-24, 26	Mk 8:34—9:1
Saturday:	1 Pt 5:1-4	Mt 16:13-19
Sunday:	Lv 19:1-2, 17-18	
	Ps 1-3:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13	
	1 Cor 3:16-23	Mt 5:38-48

“Prayer is the foundation of all that we do in defense of Human Life. Our efforts—whether educational, pastoral, or legislative—will be less than fully fruitful if we do not change hearts and if we do not ourselves overcome our own spiritual blindness. Only with prayer—prayer that storms the heavens for justice and mercy, prayer that cleanses our hearts and our souls—will the culture of death that surrounds us today be replaced with a culture of life,”



“Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activities”
United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

For the times we have disregarded God’s commandments and violated the sanctity of human Life, may we repent, receive the Lord’s mercy, and live according to His laws, we pray to the Lord.

Holy Hour



“Love tends to union with the object loved. Now Jesus Christ loves a soul that is in a state of grace with an immense love; He ardently desires to unite Himself with it. This is what Holy Communion does.”

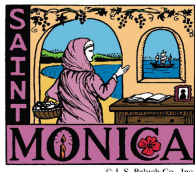
St. Alphonsus Liguori

Come, be with JESUS

The Adoration Chapel is open:

Monday-Thursday, 7:30 a.m.—7:30 p.m.
7:30 a.m.—6:00 p.m. Friday

For information, contact: Inez Ray, 870-273-6535.



St. Monica Ministry for Moms uses Facebook to communicate: meeting updates, parish needs, announcements prayer requests. Email: Julie Mohajir, juliemohajir@gmail.com, if you have questions or would like to join the group. No Preparation is required. We enjoy fellowship, discuss gospel readings/Catholic minute meditations, pray for our families and parish. All are welcome any time!



LADIES!

Mary’s Heart Group’s study is *Catholicism, The Pivotal Players*. This study is a video presentation. No books are required. Won’t you join us this

Tuesday at noon in the School Cafeteria?

For more information, contact:

Carol Ward, 870-919-2229.

Ministry Schedule for February 22 & 23, 2020

	<u>Saturday</u> <u>5:30 p.m.</u>	<u>Sunday</u> <u>8:00 a.m.</u>	<u>Sunday</u> <u>10:00 a.m.</u>
<u>Lector:</u>	Mary Ruth Staudt L1 Peyton Riley L2	Jon DePriest L1 Claire McCord L2	Carol Kraus L1 Janice Massey L2
<u>Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:</u>	Cindy Cole HM1 Amy Clancy HM2 Briane Trevathan C* Michelle Neira Mary Tucker Molli Beaverstock Caroline Stiles CC Marita Monteforte CH	Jonette Daffron HM1 Gwen Gschwend C* Ashley Roberson Dustin Lake Tess Jones	Joanie Kremers HM1 Ann Vazquez HM2 Curt Misko C* Ira Brown Angela Black Joy Vaupel Tamara Jansen CC Tara Banks CH
<u>Ushers:</u>	Chuck Farley (HU) Donald Schmidt Rusty Trevathan Frank Springle	Robert Jones (HU) Mark McCord Tom Schmidt Scott Roberson	Ed Kremers(HU) Dryden Bartels Grant Bartels Carl Dyer
<u>Altar Servers:</u>	Josh Stiles 1 Drew Gabe 2 Mia Neira 3 Jack Gabe 4	Marianna Nonis 1 Daya Tucker 2	Daniel Cruz 1 Braxton Banks 2 Natalia Cruz 3 Sabrina Cruz 4

*L1-Lector 1 L2-Lector 2

*HM-Host Minister C-Cup Minister CH-Choir Host Minister CC-Choir Cup Minister

*HU-Head Usher

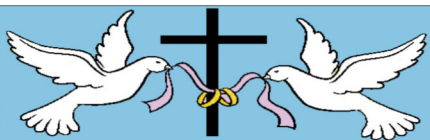
The Catholic Diocese of Little Rock is committed to protecting Children, Youth & Adults at risk.

If you are aware of abuse or have been abused by clerics, Church volunteers or Church workers, please contact the **State of Arkansas Hotline for Crimes against Children at 1-800-482-5964** and the **Chancellor for Canonical Affairs, Dcn. Matthew A. Glover, 501-664-0340, ext 361.**



For pastoral assistance please contact: **Diocese of Little Rock Victim Assistance Coordinator, Laura Gottspomer, 501-664-0340, ext. 425.**

Marriage



Those considering marriage need to notify the parish priest or deacon of their intention to marry at least six months prior to their intended wedding date. Wedding dates will be finalized only after consultation with the priest or deacon. Attendance of approved marriage preparation programs is required. Please call the parish office, 870-932-2529, for further information and/or an appointment.

WORK OF MERCY

Through your generosity, Helping Neighbors Food Pantry has received 63 lbs. of goods & \$100 from our parish this month. Thank you!

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL WEEKLY REPORT

Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Utility assistance for 8 families
Rental assistance for 0 families

Priority is given to members of our parish family.

Have you prayed the Rosary today?



Arkansas Catholic Photo Contest

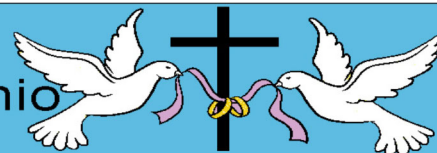
Arkansas Catholic is running a contest to choose a photo for the cover of the 2021 diocesan directory. Any Arkansas photographer 18 or older, professional or amateur, can enter their photo of a Catholic church or institution in the diocese. March 6, 2020 is the deadline to enter the contest. Caroline A. Brodell won last year's contest with a photo of the 1933 Sacred Heart of Jesus statue in front of the new Blessed Sacrament Church in Jonesboro. Her photo was featured on the cover of the 2020 directory. Complete rules and an official entry form are available on the Arkansas Catholic website: arkansas-catholic.org. For more information, call Emily Roberts at (501) 664-0125.

HelpOurMarriage.com: Is your marriage going down the right road . . . or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage. Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship; is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, as they have done in their own marriages; is Christian-based, & Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend (**February 21-23, 2020**) at **St. John Center in Little Rock**) program for couples, contact registration team: Mike and Carole Glancy @ 1-800-470-2230 or visit our website:

HelpOurMarriage.com.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: The special intentions of all parishioners, especially those who are homebound / hospitalized, Nancy McFarland, Carolyn Boling, Jeannette Haddad, Emily Champion, Dan Thrasher, Rita Puryear, Charles Kline Family, Pat Dacus, Jessica Nahas, Chuck Napora, David Wolters, Odette Dawood, Keith Thomas, Don Tran, Jennifer Cottam, Winnie Grigsby, Graciella Suarez, Hallene Dillier, Lillian Fowler, Steve Brister, Glenda Smith, Bobby Puryear, Chris Morgan, Onecimo Aguillo, Maria Guerra, Joan Phillips

Matrimonio



Las personas que consideran matrimonio necesitan notificar al sacerdote o párroco de sus intenciones de casarse por lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha deseada. La fecha para el matrimonio será acordada solamente después de la consulta con el sacerdote. Se requiere asistir a un programa aprobado de preparación para el matrimonio. Por favor llamen a la oficina parroquial 932-2529 para mas información y/o una cita.

Ministerio Hispano, “*Sirviendo al Señor con amor.*”

Ministerios

Coordinador

Número de Teléfono

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Ministerio Extraordinario de la Comunión Sra. Alicia Saldaña (870) 520-9785

Lectores Sr. Abraham Hernández (870) 565-2895

Guadalupaños Sr. Pablo Garcia (870) 882-4581

Bautizos Sra. Gaby Mata (786) 657-5434
Sra. Claudia Fuentes (870) 919-1240

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Asociado Pastoral—Ministerio Hispano Dc. Ramón Ramírez (870) 882-0510

Pastor Padre Alphonse Gollapalli (870) 520-8331

Domingo 12 p.m. Misa Horario de Ministerio para 23 de Febrero

Los Proclamadores:

Reyna Ocampo

Olga Vazquez

Javier Amperes

Ministros/Eucaristía:

**Mayra Gonzalez
Felipe Rivera**

**Ismael Gonzalez
Rosa Ramirez**

**Mariana Rivera
Leonor Sanchez**

La Iglesia en Europa Central Y Oriental Colecta 15 y 16 Febrero

Esta semana nuestra colecta especial apoya a la Iglesia en Europa Central y Oriental. Sus contribuciones de hoy ayudan a restaurar la Iglesia y a construir el futuro en más de 20 países que siguen luchando para recuperarse del régimen comunista. Los fondos de esta colecta ayudan financiando la reconstrucción, la educación, la formación y los programas de extensión dirigido a los pobres. Por favor, sean generosos en la colecta de hoy. Para más información, por favor, visiten www.usccb.org/ccee.



Ha rezado
usted el
Rosario hoy?



“La oración es el fundamento de todo lo que hacemos en defensa de la vida humana. Nuestros esfuerzos—ya sea educativos, pastorales o legislativos—no serán fructíferos si no cambiamos los corazones y si no superamos nuestra propia ceguera espiritual. Sólo con oraciones—oraciones que claman al cielo justicia y piedad, oraciones que purifiquen nuestra alma y nuestro corazón—se reemplazará la cultura de la muerte que nos rodea en la actualidad con la cultura de la vida.”



“Plan pastoral para actividades pro vida”
Conferencia de Obispos Católicos de Estados Unidos

Por las veces que ignoramos los mandamientos de Dios y vulneramos la santidad de la vida humana, que nos arrepintamos, recibamos la misericordia del Señor, y vivamos conforme a Sus leyes, roguemos al Señor.

Campaña Católica de Arkansas a Compartir 2020 (CASA)

Lo que puede hacer su donación!

- \$ 50 Proporciona una beca parcial para que un estudiante asista un retiro de ministerio universitario.
- \$150 Proporciona asistencia para pagar un Bill de utilidad para una familia a través de nuestro programa de asistencial de la familia.
- \$250 Proporciona cuidado dental para un paciente en la clínica Westside Free Medical Clinic.
- \$500 Cubre el costo de una aplicación para un permiso de trabajo a un inmigrante que sea elegible.

**Conviértase en un colaborador de CASA hoy.
Nuestra meta parroquial es \$33,150.00.**

ESTA LABOR DE MISERICORDIA

Ayudando al Prójimo, en el mes de enero la Despensa de Alimentos recibió 63 libras en artículos y \$100 en efectivo. ¡Gracias!

REQUISITOS PARA BODAS, QUINCEAÑERA Y RENOVACIÓN DE VOTOS MATRIMONIALES

Se les informa a las personas que desean celebrar Misa de Quinceañera, Boda, o Renovación de Votos Matrimoniales, que deberán entregar a la coordinadora una copia de la Música que se cantará durante la Misa. Ya sea del coro de la Iglesia, o de algún otro grupo que vaya a cantar en la Misa. También se les pide, que si van a dar una donación para una de estas Misas, la coordinadora está autorizada por el padre Alphonse para recibir la donación, y ella les dará un recibo por la cantidad recibida.

GUIAS MATRIMONIALES

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La Diócesis de Little Rock se ha comprometido a proteger a los Niños y a los Jóvenes y los Adultos en riesgo

Si usted está enterado de algún abuso funcionarios de la Iglesia, por favor comuníquese a la: **Línea de Ayuda del estado de Arkansas para Crímenes contra Niños al 800-482-5964** y con el **Canciller para Asuntos Canónicos, Diác. Matthew A. Glover, 501-664-0340, ext. 361.**



Para asistencia pastoral, por favor comuníquese con la: **Coordinadora de Asistencia para Víctimas de la Diócesis de Little Rock, Laura Gottsponer, 501-664-0340, ext 425.**



“El amor tiende a la perfecta unión con el objeto amada; ahora, pues Jesucristo ama con inmenso amor al alma que se halla en estado de gracia, arde en los mas vivos deseos de unirse a ella. Y esto es lo que hace la Sagrada Comunión.”

~San Alfonso María de Ligorio

Ven, sé con JESÚS

La Capilla de la Adoración está lunes a jueves de 7:30 a.m. a 7:30 p.m. y viernes de 7:30 a.m. a 6:00 p.m.

Contacte Inez Ray, 870-273-6535, para información.

LA SOCIEDAD DE SAN VICENTE DE PAUL INFORME SEMANAL

11 de febrero de 2020

Asistencia en pagos de gas, agua, electricidad para 8 familias. Alquiler de asistencia para 0 familia.
Se le da prioridad a los miembros de nuestra familia Parroquial.

CLASES DE RICA

(Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para adultos)

Día: Miércoles

Hora: 6:00 pm

Lugar: Oficina de la Iglesia Santísimo Sacramento 1107 E. Highland

¿Te falta algún sacramento de Iniciación? (Bautismo, Comunión o Confirmación) Ven y toma las clase de preparación, para realizar el sacramento que te falte. Para cualquier duda favor de comunicarse con el Dc. Ramón Ramírez 870-882-0510.

ENCUENTRO MATRIMONIAL

Para más información o para registrarse, llama a Adrián y Reyna Alvarez 773-213-9593 o 870-642-2256. Favor de registrarse antes de febrero 24, 2020. Vive un Encuentro Matrimonial el febrero 28, 29, March 1, 2020. **¡Jesús Quiere entrar en tu vida dé jalo entrar no te arrepentirás!** “Ama sin condición y entrega todo” Vive siempre enamorado de tu esposa/o como cuando se conocieron! Juntos pueden ser y hacer la diferencia!

Línea de Oración en español

Favor de comunicarse con Carlos Iván Guzman al: 870-275-3808.

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