

**BLESSED SACRAMENT
CATHOLIC CHURCH
LA IGLESIA CATÓLICA
DEL SANTÍSIMO
SACRAMENTO**

1101 EAST HIGHLAND DRIVE

March 24 / 24 de marzo



Dear Parish Families,

“Let the children come to me...” Mark 10:14

I sincerely hope that these words of Christ and what I have to say will be heard in your hearts. Our Catholic Faith is Rooted in Catholic Education. I ask that you seriously, prayerfully consider enrolling your children in our school where everyday our faith is shared, talked about and practiced. Please review the following: Top Ten Reasons to enroll your children in Blessed Sacrament Catholic School. Also, tuition scholarships are available

In Christ,

Fr. Alphonse
Pastor

1. Catholic tradition and academic excellence in a community grounded in faith
2. Balanced curriculum
3. Emphasis on moral development
4. Above average test scores
5. Strong preparation for further education
6. Safe and welcoming environment to work and learn
7. Exceptional Principal and faculty
8. Small class size
9. State-of-the-art technology
10. Excellent preschool program



MASS TIMES & MASS INTENTIONS

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

Monday	March 25
7:00 a.m.	Debbie DiGaetano † by Lorene George & Family
Tuesday	March 26
5:30 p.m.	Audie & Sally Jane Adlong † by Adlong Family
Wednesday	March 27
12:10 a.m.	Floyd Adlong † by Adlong Family
5:30 p.m.	Josephina McDonald †
Thursday	March 28
7:00 a.m.	Jeremy Towery † by Adlong Family
9:00 a.m.	Frances Byrd † by Bonnie Goad
Friday	March 29
7:00 a.m.	Carl Vaupel † by Joy Vaupel
Saturday	March 30
5:30 p.m.	Bob Marthey, Sr. † by Joyce & Tom Schmidt
Sunday	March 31
8:00 a.m.	Leo Culas † by Rosenthal Family
10:00 a.m.	Yola Bell † by Mary & Tommy Tucker
12:00 p.m.	Mass for Parishioners

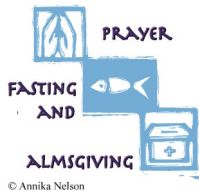
*Confessions - 4:00 p.m. Saturdays or by
appointment at 1107 East Highland*

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY & EDGE
WILL MEET AT 3 P.M. THIS SUNDAY,
MARCH 24TH!**

LENTEN REGULATIONS

Abstinence from meats is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years old and older on Good Friday and on all Fridays of Lent.

Fasting is to be observed on Good Friday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted.



**PARISH ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK
ACTIVIDADES DE LA PARROQUIA PARA LA SEMANA
MARCH 24, 2019**

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH
1107 EAST HIGHLAND
MONDAY—FRIDAY, 7:30 A.M.—5:30 P.M.**

... I shall cultivate the ground around the fig tree and fertilize it; it may bear fruit in the future - Luke 13:8

... cultivaré la tierra alrededor de la higuera y la fertilizaré; puede dar frutos en el future - Lucas 13:8



Monday

The Annunciation of the Lord

11:30 a.m. Finance Council Meeting, Church Offices
5 p.m. Rosary, Church
5:30 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul Meeting, 324 W. Huntington
6 p.m. Pastoral Council Mtg., Church Offices

March 25



Tuesday

9 a.m. St. Vincent de Paul Ministry, 324 W. Huntington
Mary's Heart will not meet this week!

March 26

Wednesday

9:30 a.m. Motherhood Ministry, 324 W. Huntington
6 p.m. Sr. CYM, 1107 East Highland
6:30 p.m. R.C.I.A., CNC*
6:30 p.m. St. Monica Min./Moms, 2810 Nix Lake Dr.
7 p.m. Men's Bible Study, KC Hall, 1103 E. Highland

March 27

Friday

3 p.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet, Church
5:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross, Church
6 p.m. Lenten Soup Supper, Church
7 p.m. Estaciones de la Cruz; Cena de sopa/Cuaresma

March 29

Saturday

March 30



Sunday

10 a.m. Práctica del coro en español, 1107 E. Highland
2 p.m. Choir, Blessed Sacrament School, 1105 East Highland
3 p.m. Children's Ministry & EDGE, 1105 East Highland

March 31

*Catholic Newman Center - CNC, 2800 E. Johnson

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FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES

Please call: 501-772-2272

In Appreciation

BSCC Family,

On behalf of my family, thank you for offering a Mass in memory of my Mom. Celebrating the Eucharist was very important to my parents and they are rejoicing at the Banquet of the Lord! We are honored you have chosen to remember her with this Sacred Sacrament. Thank you! God bless you all!

Mary Kay and Robert Jones and Family

PARISH INFORMATION

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Office hours: Monday—Friday
8:15 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Blessed Sacrament Children & Youth Ministries
Pre-K — 12th Grades
Tel: 870-932-2529

CYM website: www.catholicjonesborocym.com

Blessed Sacrament School Pre-K — 6th Grades
1105 East Highland
Tel: 870-932-3684 **Fax: 870-932-3613**
Website: www.catholicjonesboroschool.com

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
Jeremy Waymon, Grand Knight 870-565-2670



Karen Crawford
sister of
Kathy Plessinger

READINGS FOR THE WEEK March 24—31, 2019

Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15
 Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11
 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12 Lk 13:1-9

Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10 Heb10:4-10
 Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43 Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9 Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28 Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10 Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6 Lk 18:9-14

Sunday: Jos 5:9a, 10-12
 Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
 2 Cor 5:17-21 Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION

Next weekend, March 30th & 31st, our parish will take up the Catholic Relief Services Collection. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here and abroad. Please give generously to the collection, and help

Jesus in disguise.

Learn more about the collection at
www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

PICTORIAL ALBUM

As with the album of our former church, Caroline and Tony Brodell have beautifully captured the progress of our new church construction. At present, there are five albums available at a cost of \$100 each.

To purchase or order an album, please contact Tony or Caroline at:

870-203-0920 or email:
brody1962@gmail.com



"Flex your Faith: Growing as a saint in body and soul" a retreat to reflect on the importance of holy and healthy habits for the body, mind and soul is the theme for the Lenten Mission given by Father Stephen Gadberry at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church at Engelberg March 31, April 1 and April 2. Talks will begin each evening at 6 p.m. with confessions and a reception to follow.

LENTEN MISSION



THANK YOU!

Please show your appreciation for our advertisers by patronizing their businesses.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: The special intentions of all parishioners, especially those who are homebound / hospitalized, Mickey Bridger, Michael Bridger, Hettye Sue Bridger, Marge Rothgery, Agnes Tipton, Michelle Veteto, Shelby Ward, Lloyd McCuiston, Tim Veteto, Koen Smith, Yelba & Raymond Stevenson, June & Phil Bridger, Anna Potter, Jo-Ann Carmack, Tommy Craft, Kathy & Donald Plessinger, Kim Stallings, Violet Whitehead, Gerrit & Henry Loveless, Sequoia Feeherty, Terry Seiter, Jody Amick, Lisa Whitehead, Doris Fitzgerald, Millie & Bill Kueter, R.C. Vanhooser, Mollie Tyler, Kathleen Blanchard Trolinger, Nikki Amick, Vincent & Peggy Ruane, Beau Rogers, Tony Ungerank, Mary Ann Eaton, Doug Stapleton, Mary Ned Foster, Mark Rose, Vicki Elder, Michelle Arnold, Rita Vaught, Diane Ellis, Gunner Brodell, Matt Bornhoft, Larry McKinney, Irma Davila, Jennifer Martin, Kent McMasters, Jill Phillips, Ed Harrison, Jr., Steve Brooks, Marcia Patton, Les Bradford, Aiden Miller, Beau Rodgers, June Gahr, Metta Nesmith, June McKinney, Lorene George, Peter Shepherd, Maureen Dolan, Carolyn Boling, Hallene Dillier, Marcia Lane, Ann Stapleton, Jim Cole, Julie Sylvester, Janelle Sprenger, Freda & Jim Cole, Dave Marthey, Tom Gschwend, Karen Blalock, Jake McGill, Aaron Brodell, Hayden Barajas, Larry Throesch, Bob Massanelli, Dc. Carlos Guzman, Linda Johnson, Dan Nagy, Charles Anthony Hess, Vincent Desam



Parish Sr. CYM Youth will be selling Krispy Kreme Donut Coupons March 27th through April 14th. After Masses on April 13th and 14th we will sell fresh doughnuts and coupons!

Proceeds help support Sr. CYM activities! Thank you for your generosity!

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL WEEKLY REPORT

Tuesday, March 19, 2019

13 Utility assistance for families

Rental assistance for 1 families

Priority is given to members of our parish family.

MARY'S HEART

LADIES, we will be starting a new study April 9th—The Turning Point, a study of the Gospel of John by Dr. Allen Hunt.

We will not meet March 26th.



CALLING ALL MOMS!

There's a wonderful group of women who make up our St. Monica Ministry of Moms. All moms are welcome to join. We meet the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month plus some social outings. Mark your calendar to join us for prayers and fellowship on March 27th, 6:30-8:00 p.m. at the home of Julie Mohajir, 2810 Nix Lake Drive.

Contact Julie at 913.568.9883 for more information and/or to be added to the private Facebook group.

Ministry Schedule for March 30th & 31st

	<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>	Robert Cowles L1* Russ Dixon L2*	Louis Intres L1* Judy Pfreimer L2*	Angela Black L1* Gregory Umhoefer (L2)*
<u>Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:</u>	Carolyn Black HM* Jeremy Waymon C* David Coe Stacey Dixon Fred Buhrmester Amy Clancy CC* Marita Monteforte CH*	Gwen Gschwend HM* Kathy Williams C* Jonette Daffron Debbie Tate Dee Pillow Tess Jones CC Ashley Roberson CH	Susan Smith HM* Ira Brown C* Mary Beth Williams Hollie Stonecipher Tamara Jansen Ann Vazquez CC Tara Banks CH
<u>Ushers:</u>	Jesse Gunter HU* Mac Beaverstock Daniel Coronado Bill Clements	Steve Hecht HU* Robert Jones Scott Roberson Kaleb Harrison	Ed Kremers HU* Jose Cruz Kolby Belcher Spencer Douglas
<u>Altar Servers:</u>	Josh Stiles 1 Peyton Riley 2 Karen Umeora 3 Cameron Russell 4	Nate Barajas 1 Marianna Nonis 2 Laura Stephens 3 Autumn Weisenfels 4	Addison Stonecipher 1 Ronnie Tindel 2 Maggie Stonecipher 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			



“A thousand years of enjoying human glory is not worth even an hour spent in sweetly communing with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.”

- Padre Pio

Come, be with JESUS

Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m. For information, contact: Inez Ray, 870-273-6535.

How to Make Lent Memorable

Parishioners have graciously and generously provided copies of the book, Why I Love Being Catholic, a collection of down-to-earth answers that remind us that Grace abounds!

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“Ira Byock, a hospice medical director, illustrates in his book, The 4 Most Important Things how saying ‘I love you,’ ‘I’m sorry,’ ‘I forgive you,’ and ‘Thank you’ can promote much-needed healing during the dying process. You can help ensure a peaceful transition for your loved one by facilitating opportunities for reconciliation with others and for mutual expressions of love and gratitude.”



USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

“Caring for Loved Ones at Life’s End,”

www.usccb.org/endoflifecare



PHOTO CONTEST

Arkansas Catholic is holding a contest to choose a photo for the cover of the 2020 diocesan directory. Any professional or Amateur photographer in Arkansas can enter their photo of a Catholic church or institution in the diocese. The first prize winner will also get a free copy of the directory and a subscription to *Arkansas Catholic*. March 29th is the deadline to enter the contest. For complete rules and an entry form, visit arkansas-catholic.org.

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.



WORK OF MERCY

Through your generosity, Helping Neighbors Food Pantry received 226 lbs. of goods and from our parish this month. Thank you!

GOD'S CAPACITY FOR FORGIVENESS

Where is the foolish person who would think it in his or her power to commit more than God could forgive? —St. Francis de Sales

LA CAPACIDAD DE DIOS PARA PERDONAR

¿Dónde está la persona tan insensata que piense que tiene poder para cometer más pecados que lo que Dios puede perdonar?

—San Francisco de Sales

PLANTING TOMORROW'S MEMORIES — TODAY

Landscaping & irrigation work for the church grounds continue. Anyone who wants to help is very welcome!

Join our Facebook Group:

Planting Tomorrow's Memories Today @ BSC

Charles Fincher 870-340-7781

Watch for updates!



PLANTANDO HOY LOS RECUERDOS — DEL MAÑANA

Continúan los trabajos de riego y jardinería en los terrenos de la iglesia. ¡Quien desee ayudar será bienvenido!

Únete a nuestro grupo de Facebook:

Plantando hoy los recuerdos del mañana @ BSC

Charles Fincher 870-340-7781

¡Vea las actualizaciones!

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION

La próxima semana nuestra parroquia realizará The Catholic Relief Service Collection (CRSC). Los fondos recaudados en esta colecta proporcionarán comida a los que pasan hambre, apoyo a los refugiados que han sido desplazados y llevarán el amor y la misericordia de Cristo a todos los pueblos aquí y en el exterior. Por favor, contribuye generosamente a la Colecta de CRSC.

Es Jesús con otro rostro, ¿le ayudarás?

Infórmate más acerca de la colecta en www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

Have you prayed the Rosary today?



Ha rezado usted el Rosario hoy?

LA SOCIEDAD DE SAN VICENTE DE PAUL INFORME SEMANAL

Martes, 19 de marzo de 2019

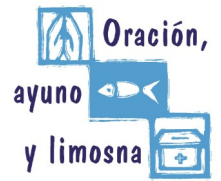
Asistencia en pagos de gas, agua, electricidad para 13 familias; Alquiler de asistencia para 1 familia.

Se le da prioridad a los miembros de nuestra familia parroquial.

REGLAMENTOS CUARESMALES

Abstinencia: Todos los católicos mayores de 14 años, deben abstenerse de comer carne el **todos los viernes de Cuaresma.**

El Ayuno debe ser observado por todos los católicos que han cumplido los dieciocho (18) años pero no han llegado a los cincuenta y nueve (59). Estas personas sólo pueden hacer una comida completa, y dos comidas pequeñas si son necesarias para mantener las fuerzas, de acuerdo a las necesidades individuales, pero no se permite alimento sólido entre las comidas.



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Por su generosidad la dispensa ha recibido 226 lbs. donación en efectivo de nuestra parroquia este marzo. ¡Gracias!

Línea de Oración en español

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

Ministerio Hispano, “Sirviendo al Señor con amor.”

Ministerios	Coordinador	Número de Teléfono
Quinceañeras / Bodas	Sra. María Guerra	(870) 926 - 6178
Coro	Sr Lu Nguyen	(870) 761 - 0022
Ministerio Extraordinario de la Comunión	Sra. Alicia Saldaña	(870) 520 - 9785
Lectores	Sr. Abraham Hernández	(870) 565 - 2895
Guadalupanos	Sr. Pablo Garcia	(870) 882 - 4581
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Santo Rosario (FIAT, el Si de María)	Sra. Marlyn Tejera	(870) 623 - 9972
En caso de Emergencia: Asociado Pastoral – Ministerio Hispano Pastor	Dc. Ramón Ramírez Padre Alphonse Gollapalli	(870) 882 – 0510

Domingo 12 p.m. Misa Horario de Ministerio para 31 de marzo

Los Proclamadores:

Ministros/Eucaristía:

**Mayra Gonzalez
Carmen Coronado**

**Alicia Saldaña
Rosa Ramirez**

**Patricia Monter
Pilar Meza**

Acomodadores:

**Carlos Serna Juan Saldana
Luciano Gonzalez**

**James Mata Jason Mata
Manuel De Los Santos**

“Ira Byock, director medico de cuidados paliativos, enseña en su libro Las4 cosas más importantes cómo el decir ‘te amo’, ‘lo siento’, ‘te perdono’ y ‘gracias’ puede promover la tan necesaria sanación durante el proceso de la muerte. Usted puede ayudar a procurar una transición pacífica a su ser querido facilitando oportunidades para la reconciliación con otros y para expresiones mutuas de amor y gratitud”.



Secretariado de Actividades Pro-Vida de la USCCB
“Cuidado de los seres queridos a final de la vida”,
bit.ly/cuidado-al-final-de-la-vida

Hora Santa

“Mil años disfrutando de la gloria humana no valen mas que una hora que pasamos en dulce comunión con Jesús en el Santísimo Sacramento”.

- Padre Pío

Ven, sé con JESÚS

La Capilla de la Adoración está ubicada en La Iglesia Católica del Santísimo Sacramento, 1107 East Highland. De lunes a viernes de 7:30 a.m. a 5:30 p.m. **Contacte Inez Ray, 870-273-6535 para información.**

Clase de Preparación Bautismal



Para poder Bautizar los padres y padrinos deberán tomar una clase de preparación bautismal. Esta platica es cada segundo Sábado de cada mes a las 11:00 a.m. en la oficina de la Iglesia (1107 E. Highland Dr, Jonesboro, AR 72401). Para más información favor de llamar al: 870 919 1240 o al 786 657 5434.

**Esta platica es valida por 2 años.*

GRUPO SANTA MARTHA. VIDA EN LA PARROQUIA:

**LULU Y MARTIN SANCHEZ
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870-243-4468**

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