



## LENT SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:30 PM  
Sunday 8:00 AM | 10:30 AM | 5:30 PM

Tuesday and Thursday | 12:10 PM  
Monday through Friday | 5:30 PM

ST. ROSALIE CHAPEL (Stephensville)  
Saturday 4:00 PM

ADORATION | Tuesday | 6 AM - 5 PM

Rosary | Friday | 6:35 AM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS | Friday | 6:00 PM

Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet | Saturday | 4:55 PM

CONFESSION | Prior to all masses

**READING I**

**DEUTERONOMY 26:4-10**

Moses spoke to the people, saying:  
 “The priest shall receive the basket from you and shall set it in front of the altar of the LORD, your God. Then you shall declare before the Lord, your God, ‘My father was a wandering Aramean who went down to Egypt with a small household and lived there as an alien. But there he became a nation great, strong, and numerous. When the Egyptians maltreated and oppressed us, imposing hard labor upon us, we cried to the LORD, the God of our fathers, and he heard our cry and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. He brought us out of Egypt with his strong hand and outstretched arm, with terrifying power, with signs and wonders; and bringing us into this country, he gave us this land flowing with milk and honey. Therefore, I have now brought you the first fruits of the products of the soil which you, O LORD, have given me.’ And having set them before the LORD, your God, you shall bow down in his presence.”

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-15**

**R. Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble.**

You who dwell in the shelter of the Most High, who abide in the shadow of the Almighty, say to the LORD, “My refuge and fortress, my God in whom I trust.” **R.**

No evil shall befall you, nor shall affliction come near your tent, For to his angels he has given command about you, that they guard you in all your ways. **R.**

Upon their hands they shall bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone. You shall tread upon the asp and the viper; you shall trample down the lion and the dragon. **R.**

Because he clings to me, I will deliver him; I will set him on high because he acknowledges my name. He shall call upon me, and I will answer him; I will be with him in distress; I will deliver him and glorify him. **R.**

**READING II**

**ROMANS 10:8-13**

Brothers and sisters: What does Scripture say? The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart—that is, the word of faith that we preach—, for, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. For the Scripture says, No one who believes in him will be put to shame. For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all, enriching all who call upon him. For “everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

**GOSPEL**

**LUKE 4:1-13**

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil. He ate nothing during those days, and when they were over he was hungry. The devil said to him, “If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become bread.”

Jesus answered him,

*“It is written, One does not live on bread alone.”*

Then he took him up and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in a single instant. The devil said to him, “I shall give to you all this power and glory; for it has been handed over to me, and I may give it to whomever I wish. All this will be yours, if you worship me.”

Jesus said to him in reply,

*“It is written You shall worship the Lord, your God, and him alone shall you serve.”*

Then he led him to Jerusalem, made him stand on the parapet of the temple, and said to him,

“If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written: He will command his angels concerning you, to guard you, and: With their hands they will support you, lest you dash your foot against a stone.”

Jesus said to him in reply,

*“It also says, You shall not put the Lord, your God, to the test.”*

When the devil had finished every temptation, he departed from him for a time.

## CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSES

### **Penitential Act**

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

### **Gloria**

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### **The Nicene Creed**

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### **Invitation to Prayer**

May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.

### **Preface Dialogue**

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right and just.

### **Holy, Holy, Holy**

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

### **The Mystery of Faith**

A - We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

B - When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

C - Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection, you have set us free.

### **Lamb of God**

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us (Repeat)

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

## FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

### FAREWELL MASS FOR BISHOP FABRE

You're invited as Bishop Shelton Fabre celebrates a Farewell Mass for the Morgan City-Amelia area on Monday, March 7 at 5:30 PM at Holy Cross Church. A reception will immediately follow at the the Yvonne Anne Adams Life Center. Please join us in saying farewell and thank you!

### EASTER MEMORIALS

To make a donation for Easter flowers in memory of deceased loved ones, use the envelopes found in pews. Place the envelope in the Offertory or send to the parish office by Wednesday, April 6.

### FASTING AND ABSTINENCE DURING LENT

Catholics must fast and abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and abstain from meat on all Fridays of Lent. Fasting is required for ages 18-59 unless prevented by ill health, pregnancy, or nursing. The rule of abstinence starts at age 14.

### DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS NEXT SUNDAY

Spring Forward next Sunday, March 13! Set your clocks one hour forward.

### OPERATION LENT

Help Holy Cross Parish supply St. Mary Outreach with needed items this Lent! Please place suggested items in the baskets at church entrances. Thank you for your generosity!

**First Week of Lent - March 5-6: Toilet Paper, Paper Towels, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste**

**Second Week of Lent - March 12-13: Shampoos, Conditioners, Deodorants, Lotions**

**Third Week of Lent - March 19-20: Underwear and socks for men, women and children**

**Fourth Week of Lent - March 26-27: Soups and Canned Meats**

**Fifth Week of Lent - April 2-3: Children's pajamas**



#### WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY 5:30 PM

TUESDAY 12:10 PM and 5:30 PM

WEDNESDAY 5:30 PM

THURSDAY 12:10 PM and 5:30 PM

FRIDAY 5:30 PM

Confession prior to each mass

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FRIDAY 6:00 PM

**ROSARY FOR ALL**

FRIDAY 6:35 AM

**DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET**

**& ROSARY FOR ALL**

SATURDAY 4:55 PM



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*A Time of Reflection*

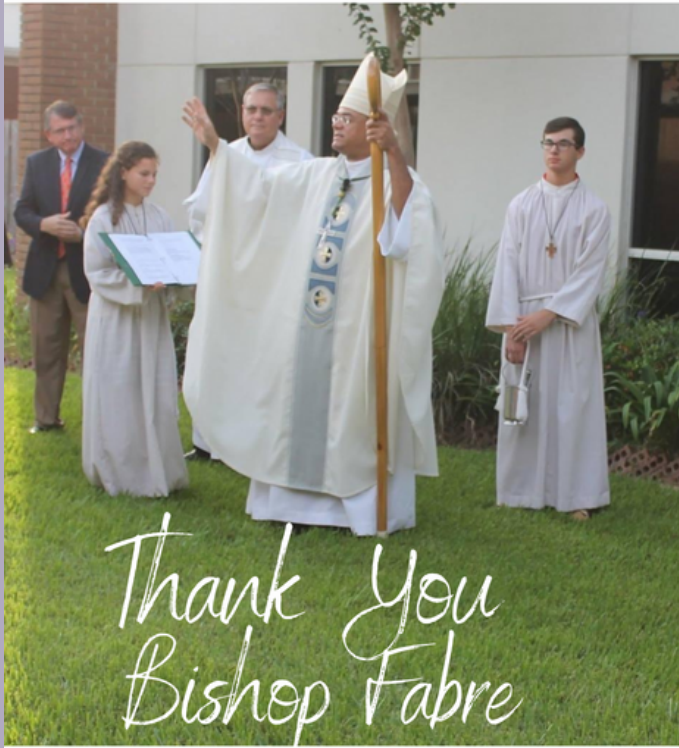
**LENT**  
*mission*



Join Father Mike and  
Father Francis for a  
Night of Reflection,  
Adoration, and  
Confession this Lent!

TUESDAY, MARCH 8

6 PM – 7:30 PM



## HOLY CROSS CHURCH

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**NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 13, SPRING FORWARD FOR DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME!**

**SUN | MARCH 6**

- 8 AM Mass - FFK
- 10:30 AM Mass - FFK
- 5:30 PM Mass - FMT

**MON | MARCH 7**

- 5:30 PM Farewell Mass and Reception for Bishop Fabre

**TUES | MARCH 8**

- 6 AM- 5 PM Adoration
- 9:10 AM - CCHS Mass - FMT
- 12:10 PM Daily Mass - FFK
- 5:30 PM Daily Mass - FMT
- 6:00 PM Lenten Mission

**WED | MARCH 9**

- Flocknote Weekly Email
- 8:00 AM CCES Mass - FMT
- 5:30 PM Mass - FFK

**THURS | MARCH 10**

- 12:10 PM Daily Mass - FFK
- 5:30 PM Daily Mass - FMT

**FRI | MARCH 11**

- 6:35 AM Rosary
- 5:30 PM MASS - FFK
- 6:00 PM Stations of the Cross

**SAT | MARCH 12**

- 4 PM St. Rosalie Mass - FMT
- 4:55 PM Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 5:30 PM Mass - FFK

**SUN | MARCH 13**

- DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME
- 8 AM Mass - FMT
- 10:30 AM Mass - FFK
- 5:30 PM Mass - FFK

**HOLY CROSS PARISH**

**PRAYING THE ROSARY**

EVERY FRIDAY  
6:35 AM

EVERY SATURDAY  
4:55 PM

(Check public calendar on website for updates.)

Dear Lord,  
 Thank You for the woman I pray for today.  
 Thank You for her heart. May You bless her right now.  
 Fill her with Your peace. Wrap her in Your love.  
 May she feel confident and worthy.  
 May she grow closer to You every day.  
 Fuel a desire deep within her to seek after You.  
 May she lead her life by the example of Jesus.  
 May she face everything with steadfast courage.  
 May she walk in integrity and sanctity.  
 Help her with anything she is struggling with, surround her with encouragement, and give her your wisdom.  
 May she experience joy today in Jesus' name. AMEN!



**Bless This Woman, Lord**

**PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS**

**TO THE PRIESTHOOD & CONSECRATED LIFE**

Good and gracious God,

You call all your children to a life of holiness and to faithfully follow you.

You continue to provide for the needs of the faithful by calling men and women by name to lead your Church.

Bless our parish, Holy Cross, and the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux by raising up dedicated and generous leaders from our families and friends who will serve your people as priests and in consecrated life.

Inspire us to know you better and to hear your call.

We ask all of this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Calendar of Events



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PARISH REGISTRATION



## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY, MARCH 5

George Williams Family, M/M Curtis Verret, Jason Hotard, Joe Young, Paul & Marie Vella, Beverly Vella, Patience LaFleur Bryant, Rowena LaFleur, Michael S. LaFleur, Verlie Loupe  
St. Rosalie: Brandon J. Terry

### SUNDAY, MARCH 6

Donald & Leona Smith, Smith & Wilma Alpha, Hal Thomas, Max Griffin, Gracie Andrews, Richard Baudoin, Carolyn Barbier, Justin Trimm, Ronnie Trimm, Jude Hebert, Bernie Anslum, Jr., Barbara Broussard, Patsy Stegall, Herbert LeBlanc, Joey Streva, Hope Johnson, Hilda D. & A. J. Mayon, Jr., Joe, Shirley & Greg Baker, Mazie & George Chaisson, Roland J. Barras, R. L. & Edith LeBlanc, Barbara Greer, Hope Johnson, Joey Streva

### MONDAY, MARCH 7

Rose Weber

### TUESDAY, MARCH 8

Holy Cross Parish, Norman H. Breaux, Sr. Family living and deceased, Governale & Resignola Families, Holy Souls in Purgatory, Marie & Paul Vella, Beverly Vella, Lynn & Rita Bernucho Family living and deceased, Patsy Stegall, Darby & Leonard Families, Ashlee Smith Jimenez

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9

Boudreaux & Sewart Families

### THURSDAY, MARCH 10

Charlie Castalano, Rosie Castalano, Sidney Cortez, Marie Cortez, Sarah Cortez, Beatrice Castalano, Mildred Castalano, Ben Castalano, Christopher Castalano, Biaggio Castalano

### FRIDAY, MARCH 11

Holy Cross Parish

## PRAY FOR THE SICK

James Kullman, Sr., Stephanie Farkas, Susan Credeur, Marian Jones, Vera Judycki, Judy Solar, Ethan Marcel, Ruby Beadle, Kay Olds, Barbara McCloy, Marcie Acosta, Hubert Scully, Doris Fryou, Louis Mayon, Sr., Mable Lester, Larry Mayon, Sr., Jason & Theresa Babin, Margaret Romaire, Richard Ford, Franklin Pierce, Jim Mestepey, and all those affected by Covid.

**PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE (985-384-3551) OR REPLY TO THE WEEKLY EMAIL TO PLACE SOMEONE ON THE 2022 SICK LIST.**

## MASS VOLUNTEERS

### WEEKEND OF: MARCH 5 & 6

**SATURDAY 5:30PM** Reader: Lori Jo Case

Bulletins: Selena Shannon

Lead Usher: Casey Shannon

Eucharistic Ministers: Linda Arceneaux, Rosie Brown

**SUNDAY 8:00 AM** Reader: Tony Saleme

Bulletins: Ray Prestenbach

Lead Usher: Thaddeus Marcell

Eucharistic Ministers: Alicia Robicheaux, Lea Hebert

**SUNDAY 10:30 AM** Reader: Claire Guarisco

Bulletins: Mary Shannon

Lead Usher: Melina Michel

Eucharistic Ministers: Claire Guarisco, Maria Barbier

**SUNDAY 5:30 PM** Reader: Michelle Besse

Bulletins: Michelle Besse

Lead Usher: John Dubois

Eucharistic Ministers: John and Tessie Dubois

### WEEKEND OF: MARCH 12 & 13

**SATURDAY 5:30PM** Reader: Lisa Thibodeaux

Bulletins: Keith Thibodeaux

Lead Usher: Paul Vella

Eucharistic Ministers: Keith & Lisa Thibodeaux

**SUNDAY 8:00 AM** Reader: Kendra Thomas

Bulletins: Jennifer Young

Lead Usher: Jay Prestenbach

Eucharistic Ministers: Dan & Denise Smith

**SUNDAY 10:30 AM** Reader: Carrie Stansbury

Bulletins: Lynette Aulds

Lead Usher: Randy Aulds

Eucharistic Ministers: Shelley & Steve Morell

**SUNDAY 5:30 PM** Reader: Catherine Nini

Bulletins: Bill Bourgeois

Lead Usher: Bill Bourgeois

Eucharistic Ministers: Catherine and Mark Nini

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**FEBRUARY 26-27**

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