



ST. ALOYSIUS  
CATHOLIC CHURCH



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• 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME •

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HE TELLS YOU.”

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## REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

### **SATURDAY**

4:30 PM

### **SUNDAY**

7:00 AM, † 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM

### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

Wednesday 6:00 AM

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 AM

† = Holy Mass is shared live online

[aloysius.org/livestream](http://aloysius.org/livestream) or [Facebook live](#)  
[You Tube](#)

## EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Every Friday	8:30 AM-9:00 AM
1st Wednesday of each month	6:30 AM-7:00 AM
3rd Saturday of the month	8:00 AM-3:00 PM*

\*Gonzaga Hall Chapel

## SACRAMENTS

### **RECONCILIATION**

3:30 PM - Saturday

6:30 AM - Wednesday

7:30 AM - Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

*Confessions at the scheduled times are offered only when the adjacent scheduled Holy Mass is celebrated.*

By appointment: please call the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657 to schedule with a priest.

### **BAPTISM**

Contact the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657. Baptismal preparation is required.

### **CONFIRMATION**

Adult Confirmation is hosted annually. For those under 18, Confirmation typically occurs in the fall of their junior year of high school. Preparation is required, including PSR, for teens not enrolled in a Catholic high school. Please contact the Pastoral Services Center for more detailed information.

### **MARRIAGE**

Engaged couples should contact the priest at least six months prior to their anticipated wedding date.

## PASTORAL SERVICES

### **FUNERALS**

Please contact the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657 prior to scheduling with the funeral home. Please follow voicemail instructions if after hours.

### **CARE OF THE SICK**

Families of the sick are encouraged to contact the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657. Communion is brought to the sick weekly. Hospital visits are also made weekly.



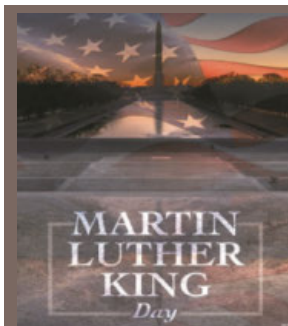
- ♦ Jacquelynn "Jackie" Schexnayder
- ♦ Dawn Noel Guillot (Tessmer)
- ♦ Larry Bruce Campbell

## **Christmas Flowers Donations In Memory of:**

**Guy M. Poche'** by Jordan Poche' Angeloz  
**Mary, Norris & Marie Payne** by Karen Garner  
**Keith Marchand** by Karen Garner  
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**Stephen Bowen** by Mary & Sarah Bowen  
**Richard Fry** by Lissa Weson  
**Dan Fry** by Lissa Weson  
**John & Sue Weston** by Lissa Weson  
**Rubye & Floyd Bernard** by Tommy & Ann Bernard  
**Mary & John Klein** by Tommy & Ann Bernard  
**Mathilda & Andrew Bahlinger** by Tommy & Ann Bernard  
**Jeff Montgomery** by Mary Kay Montgomery  
**Lorraine & David Planche** by Tricia Planche  
**Virginia "Ann" Buriege** by The Buriege Family  
**Bill & Maymie Pender** by Patricia Sandahl  
**Juanita Martinez Coutee** by Ellis J. Coutee  
**Marla Renee Coutee Thurman** by Ellis J. Coutee  
**Mark Gremillion** by Brenda Gremillion  
**Claude & Lucy Thevenet** by Laura Leblanc  
**John M. LaPlante, Jr.** by Merrill LaPlante

## **In Honor of:**

**Fr. Randy Cuevas** by Warren, Jr. & Joni Waggenspack



**Church Office will be  
closed Monday  
January 20, for  
Martin Luther  
King, Jr. Day**



## HERE TO SERVE


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TBN	
<b>Emergency Assistance</b>	<b>381-9383</b>

## PASTORAL COUNCIL

<b>Administration</b>	Renee Graff & Patrick Downs
<b>Community Life</b>	Ernie Spreen
<b>Education</b>	Susan Andries & Stephanie Politz
<b>Social Responsibility</b>	Mary Kathryn Gastinel & Dan Holliday
<b>Spiritual Growth</b>	Colleen Walker & Erin Walker
<b>Worship</b>	Evelyn Greenwood & Joni Waggenpack

## WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

- ◆ Hannah Jumonville
- ◆ Pat and Billy Reed
- ◆ Susan and Jimmy Jenkins
- ◆ Michael McDonell and Ashely Razin
- ◆ Janelle Simms
- ◆ Travis, Fran, Quinn, Cooper and Marian Banta


  
**ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH**

DANCING IN  
**Aloysisus**  
**AUCTION**  
 2025  
 THE MOONLIGHT


*February Fifteenth*  
 2025


**DINNER, DANCING, DRINKS & GAMES**

*Benefiting*  
**ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH, SCHOOL  
& CHILD CARE CENTER**

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 to purchase sponsorships, complete donation forms & more!




  
 The Roman Catholic Diocese of  
**BATON ROUGE**

**RESPECT LIFE MASS**

Celebrated by Bishop Michael Duca

**January 25, 2025 | 8:30 a.m.**

**St. Joseph Cathedral**  
 401 Main Street, Baton Rouge LA

Join us, following Mass, for fellowship, coffee and hot chocolate  
 before we join thousands of others for the Louisiana Life March  
 beginning @ 10 am on the State Capitol Lawn.





## Baby Bottle Campaign 2025

*Need Now More Than Ever*

The Knights of Columbus Council 3743 and the Dignity of Life Committee of St. Aloysius are once again sponsoring our campaign to save babies here in Baton

Rouge with The 2025 Baby Bottle Campaign. We will be outside the church doors giving out baby bottles **January 25th & 26** after each Mass. Return the bottle the next week **February 1 & 2** with your donation. It's that simple!

We are doing our part in supporting our area pregnancy centers Pregnancy Problem Center and Women's New Life Center as they help women and their babies through crisis pregnancies. We collected nearly \$15,000 for them last year. These two centers have been giving women in crisis pregnancies an alternative to abortion for many years and have saved many babies and their mothers from the nightmare of abortion. Both have free pregnancy tests and have ultrasound machines so mothers can see their babies in their womb. The PPC has a Mom and Me Shop to help clothe and feed both Moms and babies and offer Earn to Learn program to help Mom's and Dad's become better parents with healthier babies. The Woman's New Life Center offers professional counseling, educational resources, and post abortion counseling. They also teach Natural Family Planning. Visit the centers websites to learn more of the services they provide.

The cost of running the center is expensive, but you cannot put a price tag on the lives and souls saved. With our support and the support of other churches and organizations we can keep these centers open. Thanks again and God bless you for your past and future generosity.



## Prayer Poster Signup

The St. Aloysius Men's ACTS Retreat will begin at 5:00 PM Thursday, January 30 till 12:00 PM Sunday, February 2, 2025. A prayer poster signup is located at the rear of the church for people to commit to prayer for each hour of the entire retreat. Please claim an hour to pray for the retreatants and the retreat team in whatever way you see fit during that hour. Thank you.

ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

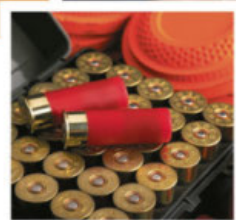
# Adult Confirmation

CLASSES:  
FEBRUARY 24, MARCH 10, MARCH 17,  
MARCH 31, APRIL 14, MAY 12, & MAY 19  
ALL FROM 6:30 - 8:00 PM  
EDITH STEIN ROOM, GONZAGA HALL

CONTACT DEACON CHAUVIN WILKINSON  
FOR A PACKET TO FILL OUT. DEADLINE IS  
FEBRUARY 14.  
EMAIL:  
CWILKINSON@STALOYSIUSPARISH.COM

THE RITE OF CONFIRMATION  
JUNE 8 | 10:30 AM  
ST. JOSEPH CATHEDRAL

## MEN'S CLUB: GUNS N ROSARIES CLAY SHOOTING COMPETITION



**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7  
7:30 AM KICKOFF  
RIVERSIDE SPORTING CLAYS  
DENHAM SPRINGS**

\$120 per shooter  
\$480 per four-man team  
Shooters must bring their own shells  
(Riverside will also be selling shells)  
Seeking sponsors!

**REGISTER BY FEB. 3**



Questions?  
William Blossat  
william.blossat@firsthorizon.com  
(225) 413-2588

## PAINTING RETREAT

with Jacob Zumo  
Saturday, March 8

Registration coming soon!

Contact Carmel Acosta for more information:  
cacosta@staloyusparish.com  
(225) 343-6657 ext. 26

# ARISE

DIOCESAN MIDDLE SCHOOL RALLY



**SATURDAY, MARCH 29  
1PM - 9PM**

ST. ALPHONSUS PARISH ACTIVITY CENTER

All current 6th-8th graders are invited!

## DAY OF PRAYER

for the Legal Protection  
of Unborn Children



**Attention all High School Seniors.** Apply now for the Catholic Youth Leadership Award Scholarship. Follow the links below. **Please put the KC Council name down: Pope John XXIII Council 3743.** Deadline to apply is **January 25, 2025.** [Click here for Application](#)



**C.Y.L.A.**  
Catholic Youth  
Leadership Award



**Knights of  
Columbus**  
Louisiana  
State Council

**Awards**

**Council Awards:** Councils are encouraged to create their own awards.

**Diocesan Awards:** Each Diocesan Winner will receive a \$1,000 check.

**State Awards**

**1st Place Winner** will receive a \$5,000 Check, Plaque & Chance to be honored at KC State Convention.

**2nd Place Winners** will receive a \$3,000 Check.

**3rd Place Winners** will receive a \$2,000 Check.

The Catholic Youth Leadership Award was established in 1959 by the Louisiana State Council. In the beginning the State Council recognized only boys and in 1971 the State Council began to recognize one boy and girl as their State CYLA Winners

**The CYLA Process**

High School students complete an online CYLA application, and the application must be sponsored by a local Knights of Columbus Council.

The local Council selects one boy and girl as their Council CYLA winners.

The Local Council boy and girl winners are then sent to compete on a Diocesan level. Each Diocesan boy and girl winner is provided a chance to participate in the State CYLA Finals.

State CYLA Chairman: Delmas Forbes [cyla@louisianakc.org](mailto:cyla@louisianakc.org) 225-939-2980

**January 25- Deadline to submit CYLA Applications**

**HOW TO APPLY**

Go to the Knights of Columbus La. State Website: <https://louisianakc.org/For-Members/Programs/CYLA>


Or scan QR code below  
Then click on Application link.



JOIN US MARCHING FOR UNBORN BABIES AND THEIR MOTHERS AT THE


# SOUTH LOUISIANA LIFE MARCH


**BATON ROUGE • JAN. 25**



**KEYNOTE SPEAKER:  
ALVEDA KING**

NIECE OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.





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MEET AT THE STATE CAPITOL LAWN BY 10 AM


# WHEN YOU PRAY

A CLEAR PATH TO A DEEPER RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD

You know prayer is important but still find it challenging. Perhaps it's hard to find time, or you're unsure what to do when you pray. Or maybe you feel discouraged by your weaknesses and your inability to overcome them.

If you have any of these feelings, you are not alone. Many of the saints struggled in prayer. They were like us. But each time they fell, they got up again and learned to rely more on God's grace.

What God did in the lives of countless saints, he wants to do in the lives of ordinary people like us. And that's what this study is about: the journey of prayer God wants to take us on.



**DATE TIMES LOCATION**


starting January 31st  
Friday mornings after mass  
8:45-10:00 am  
Gonzaga Hall

7 sessions

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

Carmel Acosta  
[cacosta@staloylusparish.com](mailto:cacosta@staloylusparish.com)

Please purchase your study set at <http://ascensionpress.com>.



Visit [ascensionpress.com/whenyoupray](http://ascensionpress.com/whenyoupray) for more details.

# QUO VADIS

**OFFICE of VOCATIONS**

**WEEKEND RETREAT  
FOR HIGH SCHOOL  
YOUNG MEN**

**Feb. 21st - Feb 23rd**

**Sacred Heart of Jesus  
Catholic Church**

2250 Main Street  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

Scan QR Code or go to  
<https://bit.ly/HSQuoVadis2025>  
to register!

Recommended cost: \$40  
For questions contact  
[beaubennett@gmail.com](mailto:beaubennett@gmail.com)



Hosted by Diocese of Baton Rouge Office of Vocations and  
Director of Vocations, Fr. Josh Johnson

*"And Jesus said to him, 'Follow Me.'" John 1:43*



# MASS CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

## January 18/19, 2025

Saturday 4:30 PM	Sunday 7:00 AM	Sunday 9:00 AM	Sunday 11:00 AM	Sunday 5:30 PM
Fr. Michael Alello	Fr. Gerald Burns	Fr. Michael Alello	Fr. Michael Alello	Fr. Michael Alello

Due to unforeseen circumstances, clergy assignments may change

[Click here for the current Liturgical Ministers' Schedule](#)

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Tuesday, January 21, 8:00 AM**

- †Arthur Calvin Golden
- †Jim Nikolaus
- †Marion Bahlinger
- †Sr. Teresa Eceizabarrena
- †Rose Marie Crapanzano
- Taylor Brouillette



**Wednesday, January 22, 6:00 AM**

- †Claudia Brosius

**Thursday, January 23, 8:00 AM**

- †Elizabeth "Betty" Staub
- †Frank Sagnibene
- †Harry Fisher Hardin, II
- †Mina Newchurch

**Friday, January 24, 8:00 AM**

- †Richard G. Weimer

**Saturday, January 25, 4:30 PM**

- † Joseph Giaime

**Sunday, January 26**

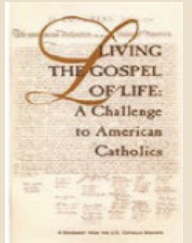
- 7:00 AM**, † Naiyin Joseph Huang
- 9:00 AM**, † Colleen Landreneau
- 11:00 AM**, † Wallace Eversberg
- 5:30 PM** All Parishioners

† Deceased

**Servant Leadership Meeting Calendar**  
Next Meeting: January 21, 2025

### WORD OF LIFE

"There is such a wide spectrum of issues involving the protection of human life and the promotion of human dignity. Good people frequently disagree on which problems to address, which policies to adopt and how best to apply them. But for citizens and elected officials alike, the basic principle is simple: We must begin with a commitment never to intentionally kill, or collude in the killing, of any innocent human life, no matter how broken, unformed, disabled or desperate that life may seem. In other words, the choice of certain ways of acting is always and radically incompatible with the love of God and the dignity of the human person created in His image."



[Read Online](#)

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops  
"Living the Gospel of Life," © 1998 USCCB

### A VOCATION VIEW

"Come, and you will see." How are you being called to come and see how you can build up the kingdom of God as His co-worker? Consider the generous service of priesthood or consecrated life. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 225-336-8778 or via email: [jjohnson@diobr.org](mailto:jjohnson@diobr.org)

### CHILDREN'S CHURCH MINISTRY

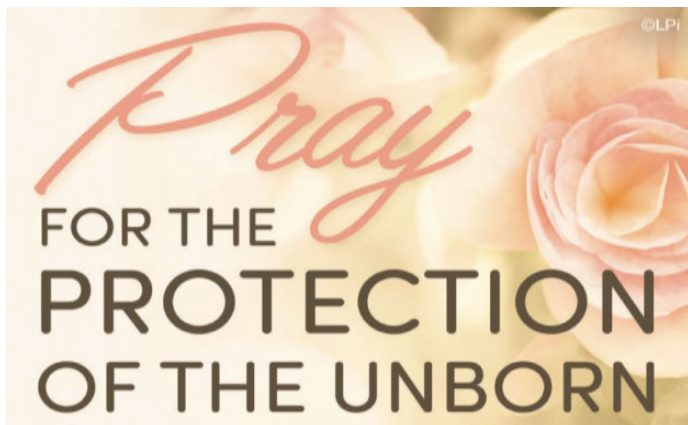
Children's Church provides a Sunday celebration of God's Word appropriate for young children ages Pre-K to 2nd grade during most 11:00 AM Sunday Masses and is held when school is in session in the fall and early spring.

### SACRISTANS

**January:** Kim Faulk, Rachel Lauve, Letti Ardoin, Carol Patriarco, Wren Eagleton

### Church Lost and Found

Call 343-6657 or visit the Pastoral Services Center to claim lost items left in church. Umbrellas, sunglasses, baby items, bags, purses, lunch boxes, sweatshirts, jackets, sweaters, rosaries and other items. Unclaimed items will be donated to charity every six months due to storage limitations.






**ADORATION OF THE EUCHARIST**



† 1st Wednesday of every month, 6:30 AM  
 † Every Friday right after 8:00 AM Mass  
 † 3rd Saturday of the month


- Communion Service - 8:00 AM
- Adoration 8:35 AM - 3:00 PM
- Gonzaga Hall Chapel



**LION+WARRIORS**  
 PUT ON THE ARMOR OF GOD

Food, fun, and family Formation focused on Virtue 4th/5th grade Boys and their Fathers

Questions: [staloyusvm@gmail.com](mailto:staloyusvm@gmail.com)  
 Next meeting: January 22



**FRATERNUS**  
 A Brotherhood of Disciples

**CULTIVATE BROTHERHOOD. BECAUSE ONE MAN IS NOT ENOUGH**

Learn and discuss Catholic virtues using holy scripture, prayer, fun competition, and mentoring. Open to ALL MEN: 6th Grade to Adults! "Frat Night" meetings most Wednesdays from 6-8:00 PM, Parish Hall.

Next meeting: January 29.  
 Questions: [staloyusvm@gmail.com](mailto:staloyusvm@gmail.com)

THE *not so* **LATE SHOW** WITH THE **DOMINUS PROJECT**



**FEATURING DR. MARIO SACASA**

Mario Sacasa, Ph.D. is a licensed marriage and family therapist and has been in practice for 20 years. Integrating the riches of the Catholic faith with sound counseling practice is the aim of his career and influences all his professional endeavors. Dr. Sacasa is the host of Always Hope, a podcast providing solutions to a better life grounded in faith and psychological science. He travels the country offering lectures on dating, marriage, sexuality, and the misunderstood virtue of hope. He is the creator of two online courses: Dating Well, which helps young adults navigate the modern dating scene, and Overcoming Stress and Anxiety, which offers clear guidance for beating stress in life. Dr. Sacasa is married to his wife of 22 years, Kristin, with whom he shares the joy parenting their four sons.

*& Special Guest:* **FR. MATHEW DUNN**

*Topic of the evening:*  
**Encouraging healthy dating habits for our kids**

**Friday January 31**  
**Doors Open at 6:30 pm**  
**Saint Francis Hall**  
 5414 Brittany Drive BR, LA 70808

**\$20 PER TICKET\***  
**\$120 FOR A TABLE OF 8**

BEVERAGES AND CHARCUTERIE INCLUDED

**FRANCISCAN UNIVERSITY**

Register Here  
<https://ign.us/form/um4oUg>





*Save the Date*

FOR THE 2025

SACCC Annual



**FISH FRY**

FRIDAY  
**21 MARCH 2025**

PRESENTED BY:  **MANSFIELD MELANCON**  
 CHANMER & DICK  
 INJURY LAWYERS

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**MEN OF THE IMMACULATA**

**MEN'S CONFERENCE**  
 03.08.2025 | ST. GEORGE



*Te Missa Est*

**GO, THEREFORE, & MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS**



**JEFF CAVINS**   **FR. PATRICK HOUGH, S.J.**   **FR. MILES WALSH**   **CHEF JOHN FOLSE**


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For more information or questions, please email or call Johnny Dunaway at [johnnyddunaway@gmail.com](mailto:johnnyddunaway@gmail.com) or 225-266-2956

**Prayer Shawl Ministry Volunteers**

We make items for people who need comfort and reassurance that God is with them, during rough or happy times. We knit or crochet prayer cloths, hats, shawls and blankets which are available at the parish office free of charge. We are looking for all levels of experience! All supplies are available as needed. We would love to have you come check us out! Join us at Gonzaga Hall Library from 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM on the first and third Thursday of the month.

**All are welcome!**





## JUBILEE YEAR INFORMATION (Links)

- [Jubilee Year information](#)
- [Jubilee Video Series](#)
- [Jubilee Indulgences](#)
- [Universal Prayers for the Jubilee Year](#)

## MAKE A PIOUS PILGRIMAGE to LOCAL SACRED PLACES

In the Diocese of Baton Rouge, Catholics can gain a plenary indulgence during the Jubilee Year of Hope by making a pious pilgrimage to St. Joseph Cathedral, or one of the five other churches designated by Bishop Duca.

ST. JOSEPH CATHEDRAL



Baton Rouge

ASCENSION OF OUR LORD



Donaldsonville

MATER DOLOROSA



Independence

OUR LADY OF  
MOUNT CARMEL



St. Francisville

ST. ALOYSIUS



Baton Rouge

ST. THERESA OF AVILA



Gonzales

A pious visit includes spending a "suitable" amount of time in Eucharistic adoration, either in exposition or before the tabernacle, meditation, and concluding with praying for the intentions of Pope Francis, the recitation of the Our Father, any legitimate form of the Creed, and invocations to the Blessed Virgin Mary.

"But now, thus says the LORD, who created you, Jacob, and formed you, Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name: you are mine."

ISAIAH 43:1



Photo: Taylor LeRame Media

Scan the QR code to submit the name of a young man you believe might be called to discern the priesthood.



DOBROZICALLIED



Remember, there are many good prospective priests who are simply waiting to be asked.

February 8-9 – Called by Name Weekend  
(Vocations)

## ST. JOSEPH'S DAY ALTAR

AT ST. ALOYSIUS

### March 18-19, 2025

March 18 - 6:00pm - Blessing of the Altar, Tupa Tupa and parishwide spaghetti dinner

March 19 - 8:00am - St. Joseph's Day Feast Mass

To participate, please email  
AloysiusSJDA@gmail.com

## INTERESTED IN BECOMING A DEACON?

### SESSION I

Saturday, January 18, 2025  
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
St. Thomas More Catholic Church,  
St. Theresa Room

### SESSION II

Saturday, February 1, 2025  
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
St. George Catholic Church,  
Klempeter Activity Center

### SESSION III

Saturday, February 15, 2025  
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
St. George Catholic Church,  
Klempeter Activity Center

### SESSION IV

Saturday, March 1, 2025  
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
St. George Catholic Church,  
Klempeter Activity Center

### SESSION V

Saturday, March 15, 2025  
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
Franciscan Missionaries of Our Lady University  
(FRANU)

For more information, contact Deacon  
Terry Bellon at [tbellon@diobr.org](mailto:tbellon@diobr.org).



THE ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF  
**BATON ROUGE**  
DIOCESE OF HOPE

For more information you can also contact  
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# THIS WEEK AT ST. ALOYSIUS

## PARISH CALENDAR

**SAT, 1/18**

Communion Service 8:00 AM  
Adoration and Benediction 8:35 AM  
Rosary for Vocations 8:30 AM  
Confession 3:30 PM  
Choir Music Rehearsal 3:30 PM  
Mass 4:30 PM

**SUN, 1/19**

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Mass 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM  
Livestreamed, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM  
Choir Music Rehearsal 8:00 AM  
Sunday Nursery 9:00 AM  
OCIA Breaking Open the Word for New Candidates 9:00 AM  
Coffee and Donuts 10:00 AM  
Sunday Nursery 11:00 AM  
Children's Church 11:00 AM  
SMG Team 5 3:00 PM  
Choir Music Rehearsal 4:30 PM  
Music Rehearsal 3:30 PM  
Junior High Youth Group Mtg 6:30 PM

**MON, 1/20**

Martin Luther King Day Holiday  
Closed, PSC, SAS, SACCC  
Bell Choir rehearsals 4:30 PM

**TUES, 1/21**

Reconciliation 7:30 AM  
Mass 8:00 AM  
Pastoral Council Mtg 5:30 PM  
Servant Leadership Night 6:15 PM  
Boy Scout Troop Meeting 6:30 PM

**WED, 1/22**

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children  
Mass 6:00 AM  
Reconciliation 6:30 AM  
Men's Fellowship 6:30 AM  
Children's Choir Rehearsal 2:45 PM  
Walking With Purpose 6:00 PM  
Lion Warrior 4th & 5th grade Boys and Fathers 6:30 PM  
Parish Choir Rehearsal 7:00 PM



**THURS, 1/23**

Reconciliation 7:30 AM  
Mass, School Mass grades 1 & 3 8:00 AM Grandparent's Day  
St. Joseph Altar leadership meeting 8:00 AM  
Walking With Purpose 9:00 AM

**FRI, 1/24**

Reconciliation 7:30 AM  
Mass 8:00 AM  
Benediction and Adoration 8:30 AM  
Music Makers 9:00 AM

**SAT, 1/25**

Reconciliation: 3:30 PM  
Cub Scout Troop 7 Pinewood Derby  
Choir Music Rehearsal 3:30 PM  
Mass 4:30 PM  
Baby Bottle Campaign hand out 4:30 PM All Masses  
ACTS Women Registration for Retreat begins 4:30 PM

**SUN, 1/26**

Mass 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM  
Livestreamed, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM  
Baby Bottle Campaign hand out  
All Masses  
ACTS Women Registration for Retreat all Masses  
Choir Music Rehearsal 8:00 AM  
Children's Choir at 9:00 AM Mass  
Sunday Nursery 9:00 AM  
OCIA Breaking Open the Word for New Candidates 9:00 AM  
Coffee and Donuts 10:00 AM  
Sunday Nursery 11:00 AM  
Children's Church 11:00 AM  
Little Flowers 1:00 PM  
SMG Team 4 3:00 PM  
Music Rehearsal 3:30 PM  
High School Youth Group (9th & 10th gr PSR) 6:30 PM



## SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sunday: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 (3)/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11  
Monday: Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 2:18-22  
Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c/Mk 2:23-28  
Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 3:1-6  
Thursday: Heb 7:25—8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Mk 3:7-12  
Friday: Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85:8 and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mk 3:13-19  
Saturday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Mk 16:15-18  
Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 (see Jn 6:63c)/ 1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/ Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

## BAPTISMAL SEMINAR

Attention Parents and Godparents: Baptismal Seminars are offered online. [Click Here](#) to watch the online presentation. Print the certificate at the end of the seminar. Contact Leslie Doyle with any questions [ldoyle@staloyusparish.com](mailto:ldoyle@staloyusparish.com).

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