

- Saturday, March 9** **(The Holy Rosary each Saturday @ 3:30pm)**
Saturday after Ash Wednesday
Readings **Isaiah 58:9b-14; Psalm 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Luke 5:27-32**
- Sunday, March 10** **First Sunday of Lent (The Holy Rosary each Sunday @ 5:30pm)**
Readings **Deuteronomy 26:4-10; Psalm 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Romans 10:8-13; Luke 4:1-13**
@ 9:00am **Holy Name Society Mass / Coffee and Donuts after Mass (Church)**
- Monday, March 11** **Lenten Weekday (The Holy Rosary, Monday—Friday, @ 6:35am)**
Readings **Leviticus 19:1-2, 11-18; Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Matthew 25:31-46**
@ 6:00pm **St. Vincent de Paul Meeting (Parish Office)**
@ 7:00pm **Parish Lenten Mission—“Why is there suffering?” (Church)**
- Tuesday, March 12** **Lenten Weekday**
Readings **Isaiah 55:10-11; Psalm 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Matthew 6:7-15**
@ 7:00pm **Parish Lenten Mission—“The purifying effects of suffering” (Church)**
- Wednesday, March 13** **Lenten Weekday**
Readings **Jonah 3:1-10; Psalm 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Luke 11:29-32**
@ 5:00pm **Parish School of Religion (Vincent Hall)**
@ 7:00pm **Parish Lenten Mission—“Uniting our suffering with the Cross of Christ” (Church)**
@ 8:00pm **Choir Practice**
- Thursday, March 14** **Lenten Weekday**
Readings **Esther C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Psalm 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Matthew 7:7-12**
@ 6:00pm **Wedding Rehearsal: Lester/Letort (Church)**
@ 6:30pm **Legion of Mary Meeting (Vincent Hall)**
- Friday, March 15** **Lenten Weekday**
Readings **Ezekiel 18:21-28; Psalm 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8; Matthew 5:20-26**
@ 5:00pm **Stations of the Cross / Confession until 5:45pm (Church)**
@ 5:30pm-8:00pm **Fish Fry Dinner (School Cafeteria)**

Upcoming Events

- Monday, March 18** **@ 1:00pm—Rose Petals Meeting (Vincent Hall)**
@ 6:30pm—Legion of Mary Meeting (Vincent Hall)
- Tuesday, March 19** **@ 6:00pm—Holy Hour with Confession (6:10pm-6:50pm) (Church)**
@ 7:15pm—Pastoral Council Meeting (Rectory)
- Wednesday, March 20** **@ 5:00pm-6:00pm—Parish School of Religion (Vincent Hall)**
@ 6:30pm—Bible Study, Session 3, Learning to Pray with the Psalms (Vincent Hall)

SUNDAY, MARCH 24
BEST D* RACE—ROAD CLOSURE**
 Northbound lane only of Esplanade and Wisner will be closed from 7:00am to 10:45am.
 Parking will be accessible from the Moss Street lot.



Mass Intentions
Saturday, March 9, 2019
4:00pm
 Charles and Lucille Baquet
 Thelma G. Bondi
 Case Family (Living and Deceased)
 Dee Collura (Living)
 Shirley LeBlanc Cronin
 Christian Drez
 Betty Furlong
 Thomas and Marie Louise Greve
 Joyce Guichard
 Allan E. Karmazin
 Phillip E. Lee, Jr.
 Vincent T. LoCoco
 Christel Robbins
 Lorraine Terranova
 Anthony Joseph Timphony
 Maria Kim Van Tran
 Compassion of St. Rita

Sunday, March 10, 2019
9:00am
 Stephen Brightbill
 Msgr. Lucien J. Caillouet
 Fr. Wm. Scott Daniels, O.P. (Living)
 Carolyn Jackson
 Maria Tran Linh
 Lopardi Family (Living)
 Joseph Nguyen
 Don and Elvia Pfefferle
 Maria Pham
 In Thanksgiving to St. Rita
11:00am
 Our Lady of the Rosary Parishioners
6:00pm
 Irma Doescher

Monday, March 11, 2019
7:00am E. Giulio Carosi

Tuesday, March 12, 2019
7:00am Frank and Rosemary Timphony

Wednesday, March 13, 2019
7:00am Moore H. "Jerry" Pilcher

Thursday, March 14, 2019
7:00am Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Terranova

Friday, March 15, 2019
7:00am Lesley Bourlet (Living/Birthday)

WEEK OF MARCH 10, 2019
THE SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS IN MEMORY OF:
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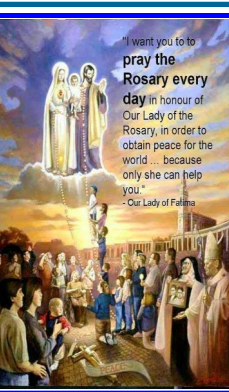
FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT
ALMSGIVING, PRAYER, FASTING, AND TEMPTATION
 As we begin our season of fasting, prayer, and almsgiving, the reading from Deuteronomy reminds us of our duty of almsgiving, that we "set [our offerings] before the Lord, [our] God, [and] shall bow down in [God's] presence" (Deuteronomy 26:10). The reading from Romans refers us to our prayer, reminding us that "The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart . . . For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved" (Romans 10:8, 13). These are comforting words, and encourage us to ask God for what we need and to aid us in our prayer. Finally, the Gospel of Luke shows us a fasting Jesus, who was tempted as we are, and who knows what it means to be human. Someone once said that temptation arises when you're tired and weary, and the devil comes along and makes a perfectly reasonable suggestion. Jesus shows us that, with his help, we too can overcome our temptations, reasonable as they may sound.

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ADULT CONFIRMATION
 On Pentecost Sunday each year (June 9, 2019), the Archdiocese of New Orleans holds a group celebration of confirmation for adults who have not already been confirmed. If you are past high school age and did not receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, our parish will offer preparation for the sacrament. Please contact the Parish Office, 488-2659, office@olr-nola.org, by March 15, if you wish to be included in the preparation.

COAT DRIVE
March 16-17 and March 23-24
 Help share God's love—
 by sharing the warmth of a coat!
 Please bring your donation of new or gently used coats (any size / any type) to the church vestibule.
 Donations will be provided to Ozanam Inn.
 (Sponsored by the Holy Name Society)

ST. JOSEPH ALTAR—CABRINI HIGH SCHOOL
TUESDAY, MARCH 19
 9:00am—7:00pm—Altar Viewing
 9:00am—Altar Blessing and Tupa Tupa (Sacred Heart Chapel)
 5:00pm—Dinner (Esplanade Building Courtyard)

The guidelines for Catholics on fasting and abstinence are as follows:
Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound to fast may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to each one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted. **Abstinence from meat** is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years or older on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and on all Fridays of Lent.
The determination of certain days as obligatory days of penance should not be understood as limiting the occasions for Christian penance.



PRAYER OF THE HOLY ROSARY
Monday-Friday @ 6:35am
Saturday @ 3:30pm
Sunday @ 5:30pm

Please remember in your prayers, those who have died, especially
Blanche Woods Satterlee
 May her family be strengthened by their faith and consoled by their hope in eternal life.



Stewardship
March 2-3, 2019
Envelopes: \$ 3,087.00
Loose: 1,134.09
Total: \$ 4,221.09
 For information and/or to register for **Online Giving:**
www.olr-nola.org/online-giving
Thank you for your generosity!

SECOND COLLECTIONS
March 30-31
Catholic Relief Services

ENDYMION PARKING—THANK YOU
 Many thanks to the Choir for coordinating the Endymion Parking Fundraiser and many thanks to everyone that volunteered parking cars in order to make this a successful fundraising event which raised **\$2560.00!!**



LENTEN FISH FRY DINNERS
March 15, 22, and 29
Serving Hours: 5:30pm-8:00pm
Fish Plates: \$8.00
 Includes French Fries, Coleslaw, and Green Beans. Soft Drinks, Water, Beer, Wine and Desserts are sold separately.
Credit Cards / Cash / Checks Accepted
Dine in and meet your neighbors and fellow parishioners and enjoy a delicious Fried Fish Dinner!
If you would like to donate cupcakes, cookies, cakes, or, any sweets for the Dessert Table, please bring to the Cafeteria (after 3pm) on the date of the Fish Fry Dinner.
Come join the fun and volunteer in this Parish fellowship event, please contact the Parish Office, 488-2659, or, come to the Cafeteria. Set up begins at 3pm.

BAPTISMS
In February, we welcomed into our Catholic family.
Dominic Alexander DuRapau
 Son of
 Kenneth DuRapau
 and
 Meghan Jeandron DuRapau

Stations of the Cross
5:00pm every Friday in Lent
March 8, 15, 22, 29
April 5, 12
 Confession will be available during and after the Friday stations until 5:45pm.

Lenten Parish Mission
7:00pm-8:00pm (Church)
Fr. Wm. Scott Daniels, O.P.
Monday, March 11
 "Why is there suffering?"
Tuesday, March 12
 "The purifying effects of suffering"
Wednesday, March 13
 "Uniting our suffering with the Cross of Christ"

WEDDING BANNERS
Jessica Sigmundsson and Ian O'Cain
March 9, 2019 @ 6:30pm
Gabrielle Lester and Kevin Letort
March 16, 2019 @ 6:30pm
Angela Jubb and Henry Marsh
March 23, 2019 @ 1:00pm
Angelle Graham and Andrew Ullmer
March 23, 2019 @ 6:30pm
Alexandra Haslauer and Michael Nazario
March 30, 2019 @ 6:30pm



PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK
 The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick offers prayer for healing, hope, and strength and is intended for a Catholic at the beginning of a serious illness, before surgery or weakened due to age or chronic infirmity. Viaticum, "Food for the Journey", is Holy Communion with special prayers for the dying and serves as the "last rites" for Catholics who are terminally ill and in the last stages of life. Our parish clergy are always willing to visit hospitals to pray with and support those who are ill. Sacraments in the hospital are provided by the designated Catholic Chaplain. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion generously make themselves available to bring Holy Communion to the home-bound of our parish. Please contact the Parish Office to arrange for any of these services.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE
 In accordance with Archdiocesan Policy, couples contemplating marriage are to begin their preparation for the Sacrament of Marriage at least six months before their anticipated wedding date. Call the Parish Office or visit our website for more information.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
 Parents and godparents of children to be baptized are required to participate in Baptismal preparation sessions. This can be done even before the birth of the child. Baptisms, after 11:00am Mass, are scheduled with the Parish Office.

NEW PARISHIONERS
 We are always happy to welcome new parishioners to Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, a parish over 100 years old, with a rich history of dedicated service and active Catholic Christian life. *New parishioners may register online, www.olr-nola.org, sign the book in the Church vestibule or contact the Parish Office by email, office@olr-nola.org, or phone, 488-2659.*

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