



# Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church

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All Masses and other devotions have been suspended until further notice from the Archdiocese

St. Joseph Chapel will remain available for Eucharistic Adoration.

St. Joseph,  
patron of the Universal Church,  
pray for us.

## Sacraments

- Reconciliation:** Mon/Tue/Wed in church, 7pm  
Saturday following 8am Mass
- Marriage:** Contact the parish office  
at least six months prior to the wedding
- Baptism:** Contact the parish office  
to register for class and to arrange date
- Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults:**  
Contact Shawn Mueller in the parish office

March 29, 2020



## 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus told her, "I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live."  
- Jn 11:25

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## Deeper Understanding of Scripture

Even though we say that we believe, there is a part of us that doesn't. There are many times in our lives when we experience death, whether it be the physical death of someone we love, a failed relationship, the loss of a job, or a broken dream. As we are going through these death experiences, we can easily find ourselves reaching out to God to make it better and fix it! We think that the proper order of life is to maintain the things of this world, especially those things that are essential to our sense of well-being and security. We do not like change. The grieving that comes from our death experiences can keep us stuck and in despair. If we have lost something or someone of great value, the very meaning and essence of life is lost with them. We need gentle companions

to lift us from despair and that is precisely who God desires to be in our life as well.

God calls us out of our tombs, where we have been closed up in fear and despair, and shouts, "Come out!" He desperately wants to show us the path to hope and the new life that is possible after loss and death. But our faith can be weak, and we still prefer to cling to the memory of what we had rather than the joyful possibilities of tomorrow. We sometimes live as if God is not real and that the transformative power of His resurrected presence is a story found in the Bible rather than a narrative unfolding in our lives.

God is the God of surprises, not our demise. God opens new possibilities, be-

gins new chapters, creates new verses, and brings us to new heights! We spend so much time and energy ruminating over what we left behind yesterday that we are far too tired to see what can unfold tomorrow. Loving someone new doesn't negate our past loves. Embracing the love of a person, God, or life itself tomorrow doesn't diminish the love of yesterday. Each of our loves is different, and one cannot be replaced by another. They don't cancel each other out. God truly has tended to every detail of our lives, and if we listen to each detail, we find that they all lead us back to Him. Jesus wants us to come out of our closed-up tombs. Are we going to listen this time?

# Welcome to Immaculate Heart of Mary: *Informed—Hospitable—Missionary*

## Parish Staff

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## Religious Education

Shawn Mueller, Director

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Parish School of Religion  
Grades 1 thru 8, September thru May, 6-7:30pm, Wednesdays  
Confirmation Preparation  
8th Grade—September thru May, 6-7:30pm, Wednesdays  
Children's Liturgy of the Word  
September thru May, during the 9:30am Sunday Mass  
Adult Education  
Wednesdays at 8:45am and 6:10pm, September thru May  
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults—contact Shawn for schedule

## Quick Contacts Directory

### Weddings, Receptions, Events

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### Youth and Young Adults

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Janet Hespen 314-369-6521  
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Julie Lassiter 636-357-0121

## *Top ten list for Homebound Activities—Expanded*

Dear Parishioners,

Yesterday I mentioned my top 10 list with bonus activities at the end. Hopefully you enjoyed them and maybe had a chuckle. Here are some more thoughts on them. Next week I will offer some more reflections on the additional points.

**#1 Prayer – both personal and selfless, like the rosary or chaplet. If you have never prayed as a family except the meal prayer, try family prayer during this time.**

This is the most important thing we do in life. Nothing opens our hearts to God and neighbor more than prayer. We need personal prayer where we cultivate our friendship with the Holy Trinity and we need those selfless prayers where we join with others or on our own to contemplate various truths or mysteries of the faith. Both types of prayer are essential for a more complete relationship with God. Having only personal prayer can run the risk of making prayer a “me and God” thing that excludes the rest of our world. Having only memorized (selfless) prayer can diminish our prayer to robotic repetition. Having both has a way of keeping a healthy balance to our spiritual life.

**#2 Practice forgiveness, patience and kindness – these virtues are indispensable in our close living.**

We will be spending more time with each other than normal. Our love for one another will become more tested as we become more aware of each other’s limitations. Be ready to forgive and earnest about apologizing and adjusting your behavior. Work hard to see each other in the best possible light. Kindness does not ignore wrong doing, but it does not look for offense. Being easily offended in ordinary circumstances is bad, being easily offended when we are all under additional stress is either stupid, selfish or both.

**#3 Take responsibility for your feelings – no blaming others, being shut-in, or your anxiety. You are responsible for the way you feel.**

Following the above sentiments, we are all responsible for the way we feel. Mature people take responsibility for their feelings and do not blame others for the way they are feeling. Sure, someone can do or say things to “push” our buttons, but we are the ones who choose to react. While Jesus is not calling us to be stoics, He is calling us to exercise better stewardship over our feelings. Feelings are not the truth—they are a response and interpretation of experience. Just because we “feel” something is true or good does not make it so. Feelings are great for fuel, but bad as a directional system for life. Feelings add passion, creativity and energy to life, but are meant to work together with our mind and will in keeping us on the right path.

Peace,

*Fr. Tom*

## *5th Sunday of Lent, Year A*

[When Lazarus died, Jesus told his sister Martha,] “Your brother will rise to life.” [Then Jesus added,] “I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me will live, even though he dies.” John 11:23, 25

Father Walter Ciszek spent 23 years in Russian prisons and work camps. Eventually he was released and returned to America. His book He Leadeth Me describes the deep faith in eternal life that burns brightly in the hearts of Russia’s ordinary people. All the decades of atheistic propaganda by the media have not altered this faith. What convinces me most that there is life after death? What keeps me from living more in accord with my belief?

*If seeds in the black earth can turn into such beautiful roses, what might the heart of man become in its long journey to the stars.*  
G.K. Chesterton

**PLEASE NOTE:**

All Masses have been cancelled until further notice.

All Mass Intentions between March 16 and April 5 have been rescheduled.

**Pray with us during our LIVESTREAM 9:30 SUNDAY and 8am DAILY MASS**

Go to our website [www.ihm-newmelle.org](http://www.ihm-newmelle.org) and click on “Resources”

**It's also available on Youtube ... here's how:**

Google [Youtube.com](http://Youtube.com)—in the search bar type “Immaculate Heart of Mary New Melle”

Our logo should show up (a green circle with the letter I in the center)

On the right of the screen click “Subscribe”

Additionally click on the bell icon, which gives you a choice—choose “All”

The bell indicates that you will receive notifications when Mass is live

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (behind the screen only)**

Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday evenings from 7-8:30pm

and on Saturday mornings at 8:30am.

**The EUCHARISTIC ADORATION schedule has not changed.**

Please keep your Holy Hour.

**The PARISH OFFICES remain open during the week,**

**8:30—4:30 Monday thru Thursday, 8:30—1:30 on Friday**

***Please pray for all the sick & suffering.***

Mark Hanna, Phyllis Zerr, Vickie Brink, Sandy Knott, Mike & Pat Ryan, Carol Rabbitt, Fran Bussen, Dave Betlach, Karla Sitzes, Vicky Monroe, Nancy Hollenstein, Walt Reel, Jean Bamert, Amy Robbins, Don Schmidt, Loretta Bruns, Betty Heppermann, Kathy Feldewerth, Frank Marquart, Dan Brothers, Cindy White, Janie Roth,

David & Lisa Debold and Ratha Beymer (Dave & Pam DeBold's children and Pam's mother),  
Dave Asinger (brother-in-law of Larry & Rita Bendel), Bob Holland (friend of Shirley Augustine),  
Sherri Callahan (daughter of Vickie & Paul Grunz), Fred Brown (son-in-law of Bill & Bernie Pollihan),  
Leon Burkemper (son of Carol Rabbitt), Doris Eisenbath (mother of Judy Molitor),  
Loretta Nolan (sister of Kathy Lalonde), Janet Piel (sister of Joni Marren-Slaughter),  
Loren & Evelyn Brandon (parents of Marty & Peggy Dupree), Audrey Molitor (sister of Flo Joerling),  
Pat Finan (Fran Bussen's daughter), Jim Raymond (brother of Alan & Marsha Raymond)

**Hospitalization:** If you are hospitalized, please let us know. Please call the office or ask a friend to call for you if necessary.

**Communion Calls:** If you would like to receive Communion but are unable to get to Mass because of illness or disability, please contact the parish office: 636-398-5270.

**Prayer Requests:** Brenda Hutchcraft at 636-248-8493 or email [brhutchcraft@centurytel.net](mailto:brhutchcraft@centurytel.net)





## Needed at the Pantry

mayonnaise, cold cereal, fruit juice, sugar, jelly, mustard, sloppy joe sauce, gravy packets, canned fruit: pears, peaches, fruit cocktail, mandarin oranges, applesauce, canned potatoes, chicken broth, cake & brownie mixes, icing, Bisquick, syrup, saltines, laundry detergent, toilet paper, shampoo, coffee

**Donate your vehicle and help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul!** Running or not. Free towing. Tax deductible. A vehicle donation from you gives hope to those in need. We have an easy process and free pick up. To learn more, call or visit us online: [www.svdpusacars.com](http://www.svdpusacars.com), 800-322-8284.

please consider placing the purchasing of infant, toddler or adults diapers on your shopping list and drop them off at church during the week. We would like to stress the need for the larger size diapers, 3's, 4's and 5's. All diapers collected will be donated to assist families in our parish community.

**The See's Candy money box with Jackie Hackett's name on it was at the Fish Fry on March 13 and is now missing from Founders Hall. Please return it to the church office, no questions asked. Thank you.**



## Pope's Intentions for March: Catholics in China

We pray that the Church in China may persevere in its faithfulness to the Gospel and grow in unity.

Recycling bins are located on the gravel lot behind Fr. Tom's house.

## Contributions, March 14-15

General Offertory:	\$5,538.75
Online – General Offertory:	<u>\$5,101.66</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$10,640.41</b>

*"Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believe you will see the glory of God?'"*  
(John 11:40)

Many of us say that we believe in God. We go to church on Sunday. We volunteer for events at our parish. But when life gets hard and the pressure is on, when things aren't going our way, do we really believe and put our trust in the Lord? When we live a life of gratitude, being thankful for the gifts we have been given, we really do see that God is providing all that we need. It opens our hearts to see God's active presence in our daily lives.

*We pray ... that we open our hearts to see God's active presence in our daily lives.*

## ✠ Rest in Peace ✠

We offer our prayerful sympathy on the passing of

**Sue Ann Jaeger Fry**

niece of Bob and Alvina Fry

**Peter Gray**

son-in-law of Adrienne Collins

**Dave Gentry**

husband of Pat Gentry

**Katie Gardner**

sister of Tom & Carol Ostermeyer

May they and all the faithful departed rest in the eternal peace of Christ.



Janet Hespen, Youth Minister, 314-369-6521

**No gatherings of Youth Group until we get the "all clear"**

## A Big Event Coming Up!

July 17 through 19 is a youth group event called **Steubenville** for 9th thru 12th grades. It is such a fun trip you won't want to miss it!! Our Youth Ministry office with the St. Louis Archdiocese has a great program set up for us. We stay on the Missouri State campus in Springfield, MO. For more info, check out <https://steubystl.com> or just google Steubenville STL Mid-America. There are some really good YouTube videos you can check out, too. I need to send a deposit, so let me know ASAP.

## *Lenten Offerings at Immaculate Heart of Mary*

### Eucharistic Adoration

*In St. Joseph Chapel beginning 8:30 Monday morning thru Friday at noon*

### Lenten Reflections

- Free video-based emails delivered daily from Dynamic Catholic.  
Visit [BestLentEver.com](http://BestLentEver.com).
- Visit our parish library for books and videos to enhance your prayer life.
- Bible Study on the upcoming Sunday readings, every Wednesday in Weber Hall, 9:00am.
- Visit [nextlevelcatholicacademy.com](http://nextlevelcatholicacademy.com) and sign up for the Lenten video series "Catholic Mysticism and the Beautiful Life of Grace." It is a free series that promises to take you to a deeper level of the spiritual life.
- Go to [LentReflections.com](http://LentReflections.com) for free daily Lenten reflections from Bishop Robert Barron.
- Check out what is available for free at [www.ihm-newmelle.formed.org](http://www.ihm-newmelle.formed.org).

### The Sacrament of Reconciliation

*Saturday mornings at 8:30am, Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday evenings 7:00—8:30pm*



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# LIVE MASS

Join us for a live stream of our Masses at [ihm-newmelle.org](http://ihm-newmelle.org)

Sunday: 9:30 AM  
Daily Mass: 8 AM

Holy Thursday: 4/9 7 PM  
Good Friday: 4/10 3 PM  
Easter Vigil: 4/11 8:30 PM

## *Attention Employees & Volunteers*

The Archdiocese of St. Louis has developed a new system for safe environment compliance called Prevent and Protect STL. Everyone ministering to minors and vulnerable adults (clergy, employees and volunteers) in the Archdiocese are required and asked to register in the new system before December 31, 2020. This includes those new to service and those who are currently in service. For those who have already attended a Protecting God's Children workshop, your previous training date will transfer to this new system. In addition to attending a live Protecting God's Children workshop, all clergy, volunteers and employees will register for an updated background screening, view two new online training modules on abuse reporting and the Code of Ethical Conduct, and agree to the updated Code of Ethical Conduct. Please go to:

[www.preventandprotectstl.org](http://www.preventandprotectstl.org)

to register, and contact our parish Child Safety Coordinator Karen Wappelhorst with any questions or for further assistance. Karen's email: [childsafety@ihm-newmelle.org](mailto:childsafety@ihm-newmelle.org), or call her at 636-398-5270.



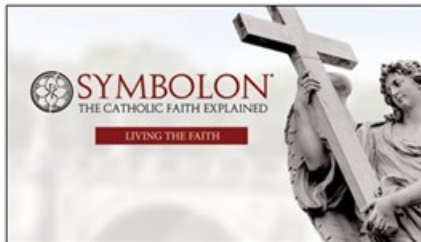
## The Holy Eucharist

Making an Act of Spiritual Communion during this time of “social distancing” has made the absence of receiving the Eucharist grow fonder. We take this gift for granted. Here’s some resources on FORMED that one might consider viewing to discover why the entire Catholic “system” is built around this gift the Lord gave to us. Check out these free series or more at [www.ihm-newmelle.formed.org](http://www.ihm-newmelle.formed.org)

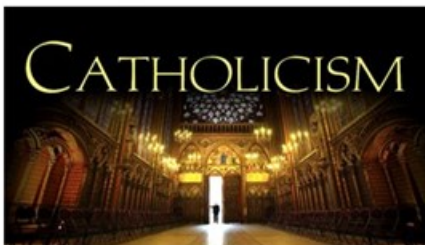
### Video Series’ on the Eucharist - Mass



**Lectio-Eucharist: (10 part DVD series)** "The Lamb of God," "The Bread of Life," "The Body and the Blood of Christ"... these are phrases we know from the Mass. But do we understand what they mean in the greater and deeper context of Scripture and Church teaching? Acclaimed author and teacher Dr. Brant Pitre rigorously digs down to the biblical roots of the Eucharist, through its foreshadowing in the miraculous events of the Old Testament, the Gospels, and Apostolic teaching. We'll discover firsthand how Christ's Body and Blood are an integral and wondrous part of God's plan for our salvation.



**Symbolon Session 2: The Eucharist, Source and Summit of Christian Life.** It looks like bread and wine, yet it is called the Real Presence of Jesus. It is also called the Eucharist, but many Catholics would struggle to explain what that word means. What do Catholics really believe about the Sacrament of the Eucharist, and why has it become the center point of the Mass and our lives as Catholics? **Session 3: Walk Through the Mass: Exploring the Sacred Liturgy:** Every Sunday, Catholics gather together to celebrate the Mass. But do we understand the deeper meaning of what happens there? Now we can.

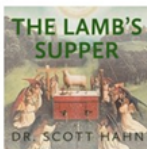


**Catholicism Session 7: Word Made Flesh, True Bread of Heaven.** Bishop Barron explores the ancient practices of the Church's worship that endure to this very day and the notion that "all value is summed up in the Liturgy, the supreme act by which we commune with God." Considered by the Catholic Faith to be "the source and summit" of its identity and mission, the Eucharist at the heart of the Church's culture. Bishop Barron describes all the parts of the Mass and shows how the Sacred Liturgy embodies the whole of the Faith in such diverse places as Jerusalem, Rome, Chicago, Orvieto, and Mexico City.

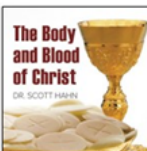
### Audio CDs on the Eucharist - Mass



Well-known Catholic theologian Dr. Scott Hahn explains Christ's Paschal Sacrifice on the cross as the fulfillment of the traditional fourth cup used in the celebration of the Jewish Passover meal. He draws a symbolic parallel to the Last Supper and Christ's death on Calvary. Through his scholarly insights and important biblical connections, Mass will come alive for you as never before!



Based on his bestselling book, Dr. Scott Hahn reveals the early Christians' key to understanding the Mass: the Book of Revelation. With its bizarre imagery, mystic visions of Heaven, and end-times prophecies, it mirrors the sacrifice and celebration of the Holy Eucharist. See the Mass with new eyes, pray the Liturgy with a renewed heart, and enter into the Mass more fully and enthusiastically!



In this informative presentation, Dr. Scott Hahn, a former Presbyterian minister, provides the biblical basis for the Church's teaching on the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist and the significance of the Feast of Corpus Christi, and gives us a greater understanding of our vocation to be the living presence of Christ in the world.



In this series, Dr. Scott Hahn carefully examines the most widely held objections and explains how and why they have arisen. Dr. Hahn's powerful presentations will not only show you how to use the Bible to defend the truths of Catholic teaching, but will also give you an invaluable tool for sharing the Faith with others.

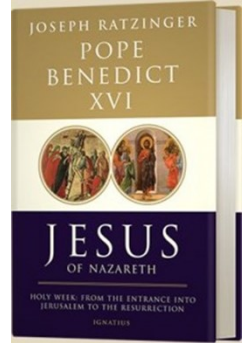
## St. Paul Library . Lighthouse CD Resources

(Note: With close to 4000 items, the Parish Library is located in the Grand Hall past the restrooms. It is open during the week-normal business hours-and works on an honor system. Items from the Lighthouse CD rack are located and available in the Narthex

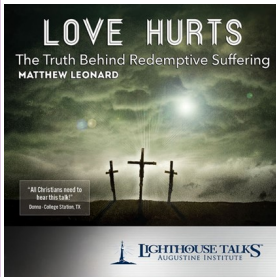
### From the Parish Library (Grand Hall)

#### Jesus of Nazareth: Holy Week: From the Entrance Into Jerusalem To The Resurrection

Popes are known for writing encyclicals and papal bulls, not popular works on the historical Jesus, which is in any case a field well-trod by countless other authors. But Pope Benedict XVI, a.k.a. the German theologian Joseph Ratzinger, has now written the second volume in his "Jesus of Nazareth" series. (A third may be in the offing.) And this book, as with the first, is a worthy contribution to the field not only because it was written by a pope, but also because it combines solid scholarship with deep spirituality. As such it joins the Jesus of history to the Christ of faith in an accessible narrative. This volume explores the drama of Holy Week, yet it is relatively bloodless compared with other treatments. The focus is on the meaning of the events, with a strong reiteration of recent church teaching against imputing guilt for Jesus' death to the Jews of that time or now. But Benedict's explanation of the Resurrection and his phrase "evolutionary leap" to help conceive it may be the most fascinating and enduring aspect of the book. The Resurrection opens "a new dimension of human existence," the pope writes; it "points beyond history but has left a footprint within history." The same could be said of this book.



### From the Lighthouse Catholic CD Rack: Narthex



In this presentation, Matthew Leonard focuses on the new idea of love proclaimed by Christ and how it gives meaning to human suffering, penance, and ultimately death. Sounds a bit dark, doesn't it? But it's not! By looking at these issues we'll discover the secret to how we can "Rejoice in the Lord always" just like St. Paul, no matter what happens.

*This talk on both love and suffering was excellent. It provided spiritual food for thought and was very inspiring.*

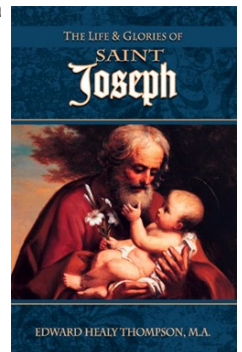
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*This CD teaches this most difficult mystery with a perfect balance, and bold conviction.*

Dominic- Dearborn Heights, MI

### PSR Corner

The Month of March is Traditionally-Devotionally dedicated to St. Joseph. March 19<sup>th</sup> is the Feast of St. Joseph. Let's entrust a special, seemingly impossible petition to St. Joseph this month. Why not? If he could be entrusted with the two holiest people who ever walked the earth, then you know he can carry any burden we might ask him to intercede for. St. Teresa of Avila wrote, "It seems that to other saints our Lord has given power to help us in only one kind of necessity; but this glorious saint, I know by my own experience, assists us in all kinds of necessities....I only request, for the love of God, that whoever will not believe me will test the truth of what I say, for he will see by experience how great a blessing it is to recommend oneself to this glorious Patriarch and to be devout to him." The Lord worked thousands of miracles of healing through St. Andre Bessette. St. Andre would always attribute such wonders through the workings of the intercession of St. Joseph. Let's seek the help of the Foster-Father of our Lord, the patron of the Universal Church.



## 2020 U.S. Census Quick Facts

Census Day 2020 is approaching! By April 1, every home in the U.S. will receive information from the U.S. Census Bureau on how to respond to the U.S. Census. It is important that all Missourians are counted in the census so that our state may have accurate representation in Congress and adequate funding for local hospitals, first responders, and critical social programs. Your responses will be kept anonymous. The Missouri Catholic Conference has put together a one-page fact sheet on the 2020 U.S. Census that you can find at [mocatholic.org](http://mocatholic.org). For even more info on what to expect and how to respond, visit

[www.2020census.gov](http://www.2020census.gov).



## Mississippi Valley Regional Blood Center

wishes to thank everyone who came to donate blood on Monday, March 23. We had an overwhelming response, and in fact had to turn some away because of "social distancing." **Blood is still desperately needed.** Please make an appointment (no walk-ins) at the Blood Donation center, located at 4891 Mexico Road (near the Rex-Plex) by calling **314-291-4741**.

EWTN CATHOLIC RADIO AM 1460

### What's Your Catholic Catechism IQ?

- It is by looking to Him in faith that Christ's faithful can hope that He Himself fulfills His \_\_\_\_\_ in them.
  - childhood
  - brotherhood
  - promises
  - family
- Paul wrote to the Philippians, "For to me, to live is \_\_\_\_\_."
  - nice
  - good
  - better than dying
  - Christ
- It is in Christ that the divine \_\_\_\_\_, disfigured in man by the first sin, has been restored to its original beauty and ennobled by the grace of God.
  - heart
  - head
  - body
  - image
- Endowed with a spiritual and immortal soul, from his conception, he is destined for eternal \_\_\_\_\_.
  - banquets
  - beatitude
  - singing
  - schooling
- By virtue of his soul and his spiritual powers of intellect and will, man is endowed with \_\_\_\_\_, an outstanding manifestation of the Divine image.
  - money
  - freedom
  - brothers
  - parents
- By his reason, man recognizes the voice of God which urges him to do what is \_\_\_\_\_ and avoid what is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - bad, good
  - good, evil
  - true, more true
  - wrong, right
- Everyone is obliged to follow this law, which makes itself heard in \_\_\_\_\_ and is fulfilled in the love of God and of neighbor.
  - conscience
  - teaching
  - law
  - preaching
- Man, enticed by the evil one, abused his freedom at the very beginning of history. He is now \_\_\_\_\_ to evil and subject to error.
  - inclined
  - reclined
  - declined
  - indifferent
- Man is divided in himself; as a result, life shows itself to be a struggle, and a dramatic one, between good and evil, between light and \_\_\_\_\_.
  - darkness
  - salt
  - heat
  - shadows
- By His passion, Christ delivered us from Satan and from \_\_\_\_\_.
  - pain
  - sin
  - truth
  - suffering



Please join other parishioners in praying the rosary every Friday at 3pm for 5 more weeks for the intention of asking the Holy Spirit to enlighten the researchers to find not only a cure but also for a vaccine for protection against COVID -19.

March 27

April 3

April 10

April 17

April 24

### Readings of the Week

Sun: Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [7]/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45  
 Mon: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [4ab]/Jn 8:1-11  
 Tue: Nm 21:4-9/Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21/Jn 8:21-30  
 Wed: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Jn 8:31-42  
 Thu: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [8a]/Jn 8:51-59  
 Frid: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7 [cf. 7]/Jn 10:31-42  
 Sat: Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13 [cf. 10d]/Jn 11:45-56

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| 1. promises 1698  | 10. sin 1708       |
| 2. Christ 1698    | 9. darkness 1707   |
| 3. image 1701     | 8. inclined 1707   |
| 4. beatitude 1703 | 7. conscience 1706 |
| 5. freedom 1705   | 6. good, evil 1706 |

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MARCH	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
6:00 AM	The World Over (Encore)	Morning Glory Live					The Church Alive
6:30 AM							
7:00 AM	Sunday Mass from EWTN Chapel (Live)	Scott Hahn	Tom Shrewsbury	Faith and Family with Steve Wood	The Art of Catholic Matthew Leonard	Tom Shrewsbury	Holy Mass from EWTN Chapel (Live)
7:30 AM		American Church History Msgr. Michael Witt	The Pearl of Great Price Patty Schneier	The Splendor of You™ Debbie Schlappritz 1st & 3rd Wednesday  A Primer for Holiness Msgr. Eugene Morris 2nd & 4th Wednesdays (Live)		Bishop Robert Hermann / From the Pulpit	
8:00 AM		Catholic Connection (Live) 1-877-573-7825		The Art of Catholic Matthew Leonard	Catholic Connection (Live) 1-877-573-7825		
8:30 AM	EWTN Bookmark						
9:00 AM	Faith and Family with Steve Wood	More 2 Life (Live) 1-877-573-7825		Deeper Adam Wright	More 2 Life (Live) 1-877-573-7825		The Great Adventure Jeff Cavins
9:30 AM	Rosary						
10:00 AM	Holy Mass Live from the Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis	Rosary					
10:30 AM		Fr. Robert Spitzer	Scott Hahn	Bishop Robert Hermann / From the Pulpit	American Church History Msgr. Michael Witt	The Splendor of You™ Debbie Schlappritz 1st & 3rd Fridays (Encore)  A Primer for Holiness Msgr. Eugene Morris 2nd & 4th Fridays (Encore)	Family Theater Classic Radio
11:00 AM							Early Church History Msgr. Michael Witt
11:30 AM	Fr Benedict Groeschel	Holy Mass					
12:00 PM	Scripture & Tradition Fr. Mitch Pacwa	The Doctor Is In (Live) Dr. Ray Guarendi - 1-877-573-7825					St. Joseph Radio Presents
12:30 PM							
1:00 PM	The Best of Called to Communion	Called to Communion (Live) with Dr. David Anders - 1-833-288-EWTN (3986)					The Art of Catholic Matthew Leonard
1:30 PM							
2:00 PM	Mother Angelica Live Classics	Open Line (Live) 1-833-288-EWTN (3986)			Battle Ready Doug Barry	Open Line (Live) 1-833-288-EWTN (3986)	The Best of The Journey Home
2:30 PM					Spiritual Life Fr. Bill Korte		
3:00 PM	Divine Mercy Chaplet in Song	Divine Mercy Chaplet					Divine Mercy Chaplet in Song
3:05 PM		The Art of Catholic Matthew Leonard		The Best of The Journey Home	Deeper Adam Wright (Encore)	From the Pulpit	
3:30 PM	From The Pulpit					The Pearl of Great Price Patty Schneier (Encore)	From The Pulpit
4:00 PM	The Journey Home (Encore)	Kresta in the Afternoon (Live) 1-877-573-7825		Special Programming	Kresta in the Afternoon (Live) 1-877-573-7825		The Best of Catholic Answers Live
4:30 PM							
5:00 PM	The Best of Catholic Answers Live	Catholic Answers Live 1-888-318-7884					Christ is the Answer with Fr. John Riccardo
5:30 PM							Register Radio
6:00 PM							Blessed 2 Play
6:30 PM							
7:00 PM	The Wisdom of Fr. Groeschel	The Journey Home (Live) 1-800-221-9460	Mother Angelica Live Classic	EWTN (Live) 1-800-221-9460	The World Over (Live)	Father Spitzer's Universe (Live)	Beyond Damascus With Dan DeMatte
7:30 PM	EWTN Pro-Life Weekly						
8:00 PM	Where God Weeps	EWTN News Nightly (Live)					Vatican Insider
8:30 PM		Holy Rosary					

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