

Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church

Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston
1401 Fidelity Street, Houston Texas 77029

The Josephite Fathers and brothers
Rev. Stephen R. Sohe, SSJ – Pastor



Sunday, March 1, 2020

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



Eucharistic Worship Celebrations

Tuesday-Friday – 8:00 a.m.

Sunday – 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Confessions are held 30 minutes prior to all Sunday Masses and by appointment with the Pastor.

Office Hours: Tues.-Fri. 8:30 a.m. – 1p.m.

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Our Lady Star of the Sea-Houston

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CCE Hours: (Sunday) 8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Religious Education: 713-674-9206

BAPTISM

REQUIREMENTS/PROCEDURES

- Member of Our Lady Star of the Sea
- Must submit Birth Certificate for Baptism
- One Godparent must be Catholic (Both Catholic preferred)
- Parents and Godparents must attend a baptismal class prior to baptism.
- Baptism Class: Every fourth Tuesday@ 6:30 p.m.
- NO BAPTISMS DURING LENT
- RCIA Class: Tuesday 6:00 p.m. (Contact parish office for more information)

MARRIAGE PROCEDURES

- Member of Our Lady Star of the Sea
- Couple must see a Priest or Deacon six months prior to proposed date.
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MARCH 1, 2020

Every year on the first Sunday of Lent, the focus is on temptation. Adam and Eve are tempted by the serpent in the garden of Eden. Jesus is tempted in the desert by the devil. Though the temptations in our life may not be as dramatic as those in Genesis or the Gospels, they may be just as powerful. As we celebrate today's liturgy, let us pray to God for strength to resist temptation and for mercy when we fall.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK?

When was the last time I gave in to temptation? What wisdom have I gained since then?

MASS INTENTIONS FOR MARCH 1, 2020-MARCH 8, 2020

Sun.8:30 am **D** For Mary Francine Isle (Death Anniversary) by Family

Sun.8:30 am **D** For Elwood Bourgeois (Death Anniversary) by Family

Sun.8:30 am **SI** For Poor Souls by Marie Reny

Sun.10:30 am **D** For Anthony Barras by Daisy Fields

Sun.10:30 am **D** For Willie Mae Nicholas by Family

Tues.8:00 am-**D** For Mr. Joe Gebhardt by Elizabeth Flores, Director of Heritage Hall Senior Center

Wed. 8:00 am -**SI** For No Mass Request

Thur.8:00 am-**D** For No Mass Request

Fri. 8:00 am. -**D** For No Mass Request

Sun. 8:30 am **D** For Paul Linton (Heavenly Birthday) by Family

Sun.8:30 am **D** For Darrin Isles & Mary Francine by Family

Sun8:30 am **D** For Charles Roy Jr. (Death Anniversary) by Family



Layola Barras, Vance Louis, Theresa Rollins, Joseph Smith Jr., Wilson Shaw, Gwenette Ferguson, Michael Boyce, Chastity Robicheaux, Lucille Jones, Lionel Briscoe, Rosemary Broussard, Lionell Brown, George Arceneaux, Mary Lou Marks, Dorothy Louis, Edith Jolivet, Dorothy Potier, Nathan Hammons, Vickie Gooden, Eric Davis, Jackie Espree, Andre Cooper

AFTER 30 DAYS, PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY TO REMAIN ON THE PRAYER LIST. PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK: PLEASE CONTACT FR. STEPHEN SOHE OR DAISY FIELDS @ 713-674-9206 OR EMAIL: ourladystarofseal@att.net

FUNERAL: PLEASE NOTIFY THE PASTOR FIRST OF THE INTENDED FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS BEFORE CONTACTING A FUNERAL HOME.

SUNDAY MARCH 8 2020, 8:30 -Sodality Turnout

Lectors: Mary Roberts/Marva Green

Extraordinary Ministers: Patrice Scott/Annette Chenevert (Major Brown-Asst with Father)*

Commentator: Andre Hence

Altar Servers: Ushay Nixon (Cross Bearer) (Server)

Hospitality: **James Green**/Abraham Joseph/ Nicholas Joseph/**Clarence Cain

SUNDAY MARCH 8, 2020, 10:30

Lectors: Zee Shamblee/Deborah Eaton

Extraordinary Ministers: Marie Ledet/Victoria Johnson (Major Brown-Asst with Father)*

Commentator: Jackie Young

Altar Servers: Caitlin Eaton (Cross Bearer) (Server)

Hospitality: **David Norton**/Lois Semien/John Jacquet/**Juanita Williams Burton

	Daily Reading for The First Week of Lent
Monday March 2, 2020	First Reading: Leviticus 19:1-2,11-18 Gospel: Matthews 25:31-46
Tuesday March 3, 2020	First Reading: Isaiah 55:10-11 Gospel: Matthew 6:7-15
Wednesday March 4, 2020	First Reading: Jonah 3:1-10 Gospel: Luke 11:29-32
Thursday Mach 5, 2020	First Reading: Esther C:12,14-16,23-25 Gospel: Matthew 7:7-12
Friday March 6, 2020	First Reading: Ezekiel 18:21-28 Gospel: Matthew 5:20-26
Saturday March 7, 2020	First Reading: Deuteronomy 26:16-19 Gospel: Matthew 5:43-48
Sunday, March8, 2020	First Reading: Genesis 12:1-4a Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8b-10 Gospel: Matthews 17:1-9

Our Lady Star of the Sea Upcoming Events

REMINDERS.



Parish Lenten Fish Fry every Friday during Lent

Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent @ 6:00 PM

SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2020 – 10:45 AM (Following First Saturday Devotion)

There will be an important liturgical ministry workshop. All Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers are requested to attend. Extraordinary Ministers will be trained and prepared for commissioning.

Please confirm your attendance with Father Sohe or Jackie Young.

Mark Your Calendar – Lenten Revival March 23rd -25th – 7 pm each night.



Cut off time for Bulletin and Altar Announcements is Wednesday @ noon.

PRAYER CORNER

You know that I don't do so well when I look inward, so I'm going to stop. I am relying on You to point out to me the things that I need to see. I promise to stay in Your Word. You said that Your Word was a sword-so please use it to cut me deeply. Expose those things in me that are not pleasing to You. But in doing so, please give me the grace to forsake them.

I also promise to stay in fellowship with Your people. You said that iron sharpens iron. I expect You to anoint the "wounds of a friend" to bring me to my senses when I'm being resistant toward You. AMEN



Reminder!

Building Maintenance Envelopes Due the First of the Month!!!

OLSOS 2020

Weekly Sacrificial Gifts

2020 Average Weekly Contribution \$3,000.00

Last Week's Regular Collection 2,609.00

Envelopes Used 82

Average Envelopes Mailed 277

Attendance: 148



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MESSAGE OF HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS FOR LENT 2020

I ASK Mary Most Holy to pray that our Lenten Celebration will open our hearts to hear God's call to be reconciled to himself, to fix our gaze on the paschal mystery, and to be converted to an open sincere dialogue with him. In this way, we will become what Christ asks his disciples to be: the salt of the earth and the light of the world (cf. Mt5:13-14). (Francis)

