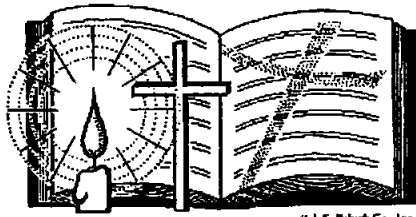


Second Sunday of Lent

March 8,
2020



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Christ Jesus . . .
destroyed death and
brought life and

immortality to light through the gospel. — 2 Timothy 1:10b

TODAY'S READINGS:

First Reading – Genesis 12:1-4a

Psalm – Psalm 33

Second Reading – 2 Timothy 1:8b-10

Gospel – Matthew 17:1-9



John/Teresa/Mark Bradshaw, James/Marva Brown, Lucrecia Gibson, Janie Keary, John Laughlin, Helen Machost, Nettles/Pollard Families, Doug Simmons, Pam Smith, Brenda Williams, Alexander Young 3/8; Rodney Hipp, David Alcom, William Gipson, Gabriel Rigby, Gwen Roberson, Terrance Ruhland, Barbe Trudeau 3/1/2020; Big John Mills, Tommy/Traci Avalon, Tom/Angela/Seth Brittain, Theresa Cannon, Frank/Linda Develle, Daniel Dillon, James Doddridge, Mike/Cathy/Jared/Michael Eaves, Janis Hamblin, Lindsay Harwood, Steve Musil, Ursin Oubre Jr, Jon/Christin Quinn Family, Kenny Skellie 2/23; Rita Reed, Betsy Carraway, Eva Jean Davis, Eugene Humphery, James Lee, Jr., Charity Long, Glynn Long, Joseph Perlick, Irene Rangel, Bill Rush, Lillian Stachura, Epigmenia Tartinez, Vince/Sissy/Codi Warren, Wendy Williams 2/19;; **Homebound/Nursing Homes:** Rosemary Anderson, Adelaida Dethloff, Sandra Elliott, Kenny Evans, Abron Haymond, Peggy Huffman, Aurora Ramirez, Kate Rutherford, Anna Starr, Tom/Brenda Steen, Sue Trebotich; **Priests/Religious:** Brian Carroll, Dan Gallagher, Sam Messina, Lenin Vargas, Retired Bishop Joseph Latino. **Persons wanting to be added to the Prayer List need to contact the parish office – Names will appear for one month.**

Prayers for Safety for all service men and women at home and abroad, who give of their lives daily in order that we may enjoy our freedom: Preston Blocker, David Brooks, William Aaron Burks, Michael P. Collins, Nathan Darnell, Ty Develle, Lee Greco, Erling Gresham, Tanner Hutchins, Steven J. Jackson, Michael Jessie, Kimberly Johnson, Derek Lieding, Anna/Malcolm Lowe, Michael Machost Jr., Steven P. Meadows, Blake Nations, Nick Pendleton, Brooks Stevens, Nathan Waltman and Austin White. You may place a picture of the individual on our military bulletin board located in the parish hall.

Sacrificial Giving this past week:

Budget Needed Weekly	\$6,000.00
Regular Tithe	\$6,063.00
"New Life" Capital Campaign	\$499.00
Ash Wednesday	\$1,323.10
Coffee and doughnuts(need \$25)	\$n/a
Youth	\$39.00
Food Pantry	\$45.00
iGiveCatholic	\$400.00
Black & Indian Missions	\$311.00
Votives	\$62.09

Thank you for your generosity!

March Month of: St. Joseph



WEEKLY SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS:

*** Changes or Additions

STT – St. Therese CTK – Christ the King
OLOG – Our Lady of Guadalupe SVDP – St. Vincent de Paul
MFCC – Christian Catholic Family Movement
MSJLOG – MARIAN SERVANTS® of Jesus, the Lamb of God

Saturday, Mar. 7 –Vigil Second Sunday of Lent – Ss. Perpetua and Felicity, First Saturday



12noon-3pm Adoration - chapel
3-4:00pm ESL – New Life #217
3:00pm Confession - church
4:00pm Mass – People of the Parish

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS! SPRING FORWARD 1 HOUR!



Sunday, Mar. 8 – Second Sunday of Lent

8:45am RCIA/English – parish hall
9:30am Mass – Ruth McDearman
10:45am PSR/Confirmation – New Life Classrooms
10:45am Spanish Adult Formation - New Life Fellowship #213
10:45am RCIA/Spanish - New Life #205
12:30pm Spanish Mass – Little girl, Aruna Magaña turns 2 years old

7:30am Mass Monday – Friday at the Carmelite Monastery

Monday, Mar. 9 – **NO Mass** – St. Frances of Rome;
Purim (Jewish observance) begins at sunset

Tuesday, Mar 10 –

5:00pm Cursillo Group – New Life Conference #222
5:30pm Mass – Souls in Purgatory
6:00pm Rosary and Prayer Meeting – chapel
6:30pm Knights of Columbus – parish hall

Wednesday, Mar 11



8:30am Mass – People of the Parish
9:00am-5pm Adoration – chapel
6:00pm Pastoral Council - New Life Conference #222
6:30–8:30pm Spanish Choir practice - church

Thursday, Mar. 12 –

***12noon Mass of Anointing – John Rush
12:30 Young at Heart - parish hall
7-9pm MFCC - New Life Building Conference & Classrooms

Friday, Mar. 13 – *Abstinence*

8:45am **NO School Mass** – CTK – Spring Break
5:30pm **Stations of the Cross/English** –
Meatless Soup Supper: Madonna Circle
Lenten Message: Padre Juan
7:00pm **Stations of the Cross/Spanish**

Saturday, Mar. 14 –Vigil Third Sunday of Lent

3-4:00pm ESL – New Life #217
3:00pm Confession - church
4:00pm Mass – Tyler Schwindaman and Jill Hisaw Birthday Intentions; Mary and Stanley Shavel

Sunday, Mar. 15 – Third Sunday of Lent

8:45am RCIA/English – parish hall
9:30am Mass – Abron Haymond /Crystal Kemp Birthday Intentions
10:45am PSR/Confirmation – New Life Classrooms
10:45am Spanish Adult Formation - New Life Fellowship #213
10:45am RCIA/Spanish - New Life #205
12:30pm Spanish Mass – People of the Parish
3:00pm Vietnamese Mass

Question of the Week:

How can I listen to Jesus over the next week?
What is he telling me?

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LENTEN OPPORTUNITIES

TUESDAY

5:30pm Mass - chapel

WEDNESDAY

8:30am Mass - chapel

9am-5pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
(1st Saturday, 12noon-3pm)

THURSDAY

***12Noon Mass - chapel (TIME CHANGE)

FRIDAY - Abstinence

5:30pm Stations of the Cross (English)

6:00pm Meatless Soup Supper and a Lenten
Message (English)/Padre Juan - parish hall

7:00pm Stations of the Cross (Spanish)



March Prayer Intentions of Our Holy Father, Pope Francis

Universal Evangelization: Catholics in China

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

St. Therese Parishioners Rosary Intention:

*All Catholic Christians and
Peace in the World!*



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21;
Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Sunday: Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42

Relay for Life ▶ Ready for a fun breakfast?

Relay will host a 'Disney and Bunny Breakfast' at
Applebee's in Clinton on Sat., March 28. Characters
in costume will thrill the young from **7:30-9:30am**
while you enjoy your pancake breakfast. Tickets can be
purchased online.

▶ St. Therese will participate with a team at Relay for
Life 2020. This year's theme is Decades of Hope - our
tent will represent the 30's. Relay will be held Sat.,
April 25 from 4pm-10pm at the Hope Lodge on N. State
Street across from UMMC. Please join our team,
"Standing in the Gap", by going online to
relayforlife.org/hindsms. You can also go online to
dedicate a luminaria bag or to donate to our team. We
will have a Relay table after Mass soon.

Catholic Service Appeal 2020

We thank all those at St. Therese parish who have generously
responded to the annual Catholic Service Appeal. We ask
those who have not sent in your pledge to please consider a
gift. Each of us is called to respond in faith, knowing and
trusting that God recognizes your willingness to live out the
message of the Gospel. St. Therese has raised \$3,876 with
28 families, our goal is \$14, 527. 2/28/2020

The Sr. Thea Bowman Catholic

School Draw Down - April 25 at 6:30pm

Tickets are \$100 and admit 2 persons. Second
chance insurance is \$20. Each ticket presents a
chance to win \$5000. To purchase tickets visit the Sr.
Thea Bowman Catholic School website
at theabowmanschool.com or contact the school at
601-352-5441. Thank you for your support.

CRS Rice Bowl – Meet Trinh

Trinh's family are farmers in Vietnam who have
been affected by climate change. What would you
do if your source of nutrition was threatened? How
can we support those whose livelihoods are
vulnerable to weather.

Go to <https://www.csricebowl.org/> learn more.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE - Many of you have seen
the movie "Unplanned" and witnessed how God's
people through prayer, fasting and their **PRESENCE** at
the abortion facility can save lives.

Will you join us? Pick a day or days **until April 5,
2020**, then pick any time between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m.
and come to 2903 North State Street and publicly **Pray
to End Abortion**. Sign up now for a few hours every
week at www.40daysforlife.com/Jackson-2.

PROTECTION OF CHILDREN

The Diocese of Jackson is committed to ensuring that no
one being served by the church be (is) at risk of sexual abuse
or exploitation by clergy, religious or lay church personnel.
The spiritual well-being of all the victims, their families and
others in the community is of particular concern to the church.
In accordance with our policy, all victims are offered
counseling and pastoral care.

Anyone who has been a victim of abuse or exploitation by
clergy, religious or lay church personnel and has not yet
reported it is encouraged to do so. Our victim assistance
coordinator, Valerie McClellan, a licensed social worker, is
available to assist in making a report. Please contact her at
601-326-3728.

For more information about diocesan policies and
procedures and to learn what the diocese is doing to create a
safe environment for everyone, please visit the diocesan
website at www.jacksondiocese.org and click on "Protection
of Children".

Bishop Joseph R. Kopacz, D.D., Ph.D.
March 2020

