

Mass Intentions for March 2026

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# ST. ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH

## MARCH 15, 2026

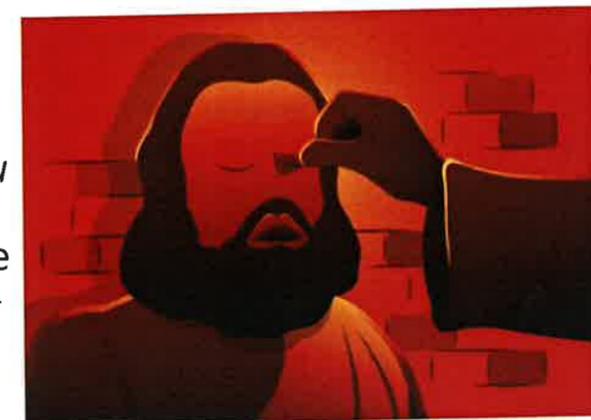
### FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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*You were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord.*  
The lengthy exchange in today's Gospel between the formerly blind man and the Pharisees serves as a reminder that we are all born blind and are given our sight at baptism, when we are first able to see through the eyes of faith. As our Lenten journey continues, let us pray that God will continue to open our eyes to his truth.



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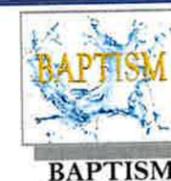
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**RECONCILIATION**  
TUESDAY—FRIDAY:  
by appointment  
Saturday: 3:00-3:30 pm  
Sunday: 7:30-7:45 am and 9:30-9:45 am  
Anytime by appointment



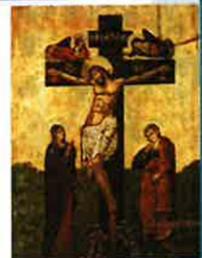
**WEDDINGS**  
Couples should make an appointment with the pastor at least six months prior to the proposed wedding date.



The pre-baptismal seminar is required of both the parents and godparents. Call the office to schedule a date to attend.

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Ave Maria!



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### MASS INTENTIONS

#### March 14th

*Sterling and Patricia Fryou*

*Darin Tabor, Dianne McAllister, Ken Tabor  
M/M Anthony Verret*

*Roland Verret, Charles Matherne,  
Gina Chaisson, A.J. Devillier*

*All living & deceased members of the Verret,  
Justilian, LeBlanc & Breaux families*

*Wanzie Richard*

#### March 15th

*Joseph Foret*

*Dwain Pangle*

*Gerald Clements*

*Fred Buquet*

*Raymond Pennison, Jr.*

*Joel Smith (birthday)*



### ~PERPETUAL PRAYERS~

Irish cream!

Garry May, II, Andrea Doiron,  
Gunner Tisdale, Ronald & Shirley Verdin,  
Elizabeth Aucoin, Barbara Gaudet, Sidney  
Dupre, Terri Barrilleaux, Monty Gaudet, Mary  
Ann Trosclair, Rosalie Aucoin, Mack Lombas,  
Gina Landry, Francis Jett, Anthony Bernard,  
Christy Simoneaux, Ronnie Toupes, Laura  
Magee Larive, Pooch Clements, Lawrence Pen-  
nison Sr., Gerard Frey, Adam Arnold, George  
Legleu, Jr., Robin Bailey Jeansomme, Richard  
Lewis, Geniese LaHoste, Davida Griffin, Gene-  
vieve Hebert, Jared Gonzales, Pansy Dore  
Landry, Patsy Dore, Doris Blanchard

The Feast of St. Joseph, celebrated on March 19, honors Joseph as the foster father of Jesus, husband of Mary, and protector of the Holy Family. It commemorates his role in salvation history as a model of quiet, hardworking faith, trust in God, and humble service.

The Light is On will be held on Wednesday, March 25th from 6:00-8:00 pm.



Palm Sunday Mass will be held the weekend of March 28th and 29th. Mass times on Sun., March 29th will be 8 am and 10 am.

Question of the week: What are my blind spots? What biases do I have that distort the way I see others or see the world? Am I willing to ask someone I know well to be honest with me?



<b>Money Counters</b>
<b>Group C Monday, March 16th</b>
Lois Giroir
Monica Hoffman
Helen Stelly



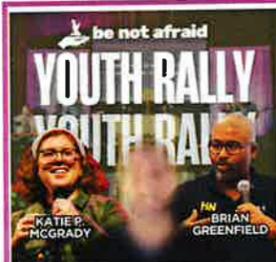
Prayer Requests

Frank Ritter, Hedy Landry, Agnes Gaudet, Al Ruiz, Iliana Edwards, Dolores Theriot, Warren & Challie Dehart, Sherryl Doiron, Doris Fryou, Marion A. Bernard, Hillary Theriot, Becky Aucoin, Remi Thibodaux, Pat Brown, Faye Arceneaux, Dawn Spinella, Janelle Lajaunie Vance, Harold & Peggy LeBlanc, Elia Miller, Harry "Put" Rebardie, Nicole Hand, Luke Wiggins, Glenn Guillory, Inez Page, Elizabeth Colgin, Corey Gaspard, Denise Chaisson, Lillian Rebardie, Rachel Wells, David Morrow, Alisa Blanchard, Mary Gaudet Tatum, Jenn Roth, Carrie Griffin, Lilly Jo Fuselier, Megan Raymond, Larisa Ivy

The Rice Bowl offering during Lent is a wonderful way to teach our children and grandchildren about the poor of the world. Teaching them to sacrifice now will benefit everyone in the future. We will collect them on Easter weekend.



St. Andrew is accepting registrations for Youth Rally at St. Bernadette in Houma on March 28 from 11:30am - 8:15pm. Registration Forms are available in the back of church, please fill it out and turn in to Mrs. Amber. The registration fee is \$65.00 per child. If sponsorship/transportation is needed for your child to attend, please contact Mrs. Amber. Checks should be made out to St. Andrew CYO.



Registrations for 9th-12th grade students for Steubenville (June 26-28 in Alexandria) are now being accepted. Please contact Mrs. Amber for more information.

St. Andrew Parish is grateful for the generosity of our parishioners/visitors for your prayers & offertory support. To sustain our parish, we need to have the support weekly of \$4,500.

<b>WEEKLY COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$2,646.00</b>
<b>ALL OTHER COLLECTIONS</b>	<b>\$1,011.50</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,657.50</b>
<b>DEFICIT OF</b>	<b>\$842.50</b>



St. Andrew Parish Palm Sunday BBQ sponsored by the Knights of Columbus will be held in the parish hall on Sunday, March 29th. Meal tickets are \$10 and include BBQ chicken, sausage, beans, potato salad & a drink. Serving will begin at 11am with eat in or take out options available.

The Ladies Altar Society will host a donation baked goods table at the event.

The 2026 Annual Bishop's Appeal has begun! **St. Andrew's goal is \$11,000.00 and at present we have raised 18.18%.**

Last call to share the love! If you haven't had the opportunity to make your commitment yet, it's not too late. Your generosity is vital for the education of our future priests and the growth of our youth and faith formation programs.



You can prayerfully make a gift by scanning the QR code on the in-pew piece, placing the pledge care in the collection basket, or mailing it to the Bishop's office. Together, we can grow in love as we support our Diocese. Please consider making your pledge today! For any questions about the Bishop's Appeal or to make a gift in a different way, please contact Logan Crosby at 985-850-3136 or [lcrosby@hdiocese.org](mailto:lcrosby@hdiocese.org).

This weekend's second collection will be for the Catholic Relief Services.



Youth Formation classes will be held on Monday, March 16th. Class times are from 6:00pm-7:30pm.

Sign up sheets have been placed in the back of Church for Holy Week.

**Sign up!**

Mass-Lord's Supper and Washing of the Feet on Thursday, April 2nd at 7pm and The Stations of the Cross on Friday, April 3rd at 3pm.

Next weekend's second collection will be for our Ladies Altar Society.



What should you put in your coffee on St. Patrick's day? \*The answer is hidden in the bulletin



March 14 & 15			
<b>Fourth Sunday of Lent</b>	4 pm	8am	10am
Commentator/Lector	Marilou	Judy	Sandi
Eucharistic Minister	Volunteer	***	Kathy A
Usher	Dat	Volunteer	Kerry/Kaden

March 21 & 22			
<b>Fifth Sunday of Lent</b>	4 pm	8 am	10 am
Commentator/Lector	Monica H	Ginger	Claudette
Eucharistic Minister	Suzanne	***	Genevieve
Usher	Eugene	Dana	Jason

# LENT 2026

## LENTEN SCHEDULE

### Lenten Daily Mass:

Tuesday – Thursday: 7:30 am Rosary  
8:00 am Mass

Fridays only: Adoration at 11:00 am, 11:30  
am Way of the Cross

Mass at 12:10 pm

### Friday evenings of Lent:

5:30 pm: Church will be open for  
personal prayer

6:00 pm: Way of the Cross

### Reconciliation

Confession: Saturday 3:00 pm-3:30 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am – 7:45 am and  
9:30 am – 9:45 am

Anytime by appointment

### March 19<sup>th</sup>

Feast of St. Joseph

### The Light is ON

Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup>

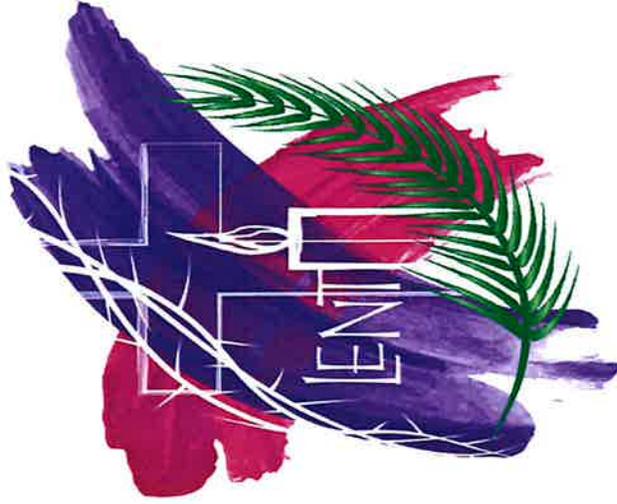
6:00 pm- 8:00 pm

### PALM SUNDAY

March 28<sup>th</sup> Vigil at 4:00 pm

March 29<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am and 10:00 am

K of C BBQ dinners and  
children's Easter egg hunt.



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## Holy Week Schedule

Monday (March 30<sup>th</sup>)

NO MASS

Tuesday (March 31<sup>st</sup>)

Mass 8:00 am

Wednesday (April 1<sup>st</sup>)

Mass 8:00 am

Thursday (April 2<sup>nd</sup>)

Mass of Chrism at St. Francis de Sales  
10:30 am

### Paschal Triduum

Holy Thursday (April 2<sup>nd</sup>)

Mass - Lord's Supper and Washing of  
the feet 7:00 pm

Solemn Adoration until 10:00 pm

(You may bring your personal Bible  
for mediation during Silent Adoration  
of the Gospel of St. John 13:1-15,  
Gospel of St. John 18:1-19:42)

Good Friday (April 3<sup>rd</sup>)

The Passion of the Lord 3:00 pm

Stations of the Cross

**\*This is a day of Fasting &  
Abstinence\***

Holy Saturday (April 4<sup>th</sup>)

**Easter Vigil 8:00 pm**

Easter Sunday (April 5<sup>th</sup>)

8:00 am and 10:00 am