

The Third Sunday
of Lent
March 23, 2025

"I am the God of your fathers...
The God of Abraham,
the God of Isaac,
the God of Jacob." - Exodus 3:6

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"If you knew the gift of God and who is saying to you, 'give me a drink,' you would have asked him and he would have given you living water."

- John 4:5-42

Second Collections
Apr 6: CAPITAL CAMPAIGN
Apr 13: SAINT ANTHONY POOR BOX


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Confession available in all parishes on
March 26, April 2, April 9
5:00 PM – 6:30 PM



During Lent, there will Mass at 5:00 PM every Friday, followed by Way of the Cross

"Meanwhile, standing near the cross of Jesus were his mother..." John 19:25

G. Rossini's Stabat Mater

The St. Louis Cathedral Concert Choir and Orchestra under the direction of Sarah Jane McMahon Briscoe
Conductor - Michael Borowitz
Soprano Soloist - Sarah Jane McMahon Briscoe
Mezzo-Soprano Soloist - Olivia Gray
Tenor Soloist - Kameron Loppreore
Bass Soloist - Dennis Jesse
Orchestra Coordinator - Jesse Reeks

Two Performances - Free & Open to the Public
Saturday, April 12th 2:00 PM
St. Louis Cathedral Jackson Square
Palm Sunday, April 13th 3:00 P.M.
Mater Dolorosa Church
1230 South Carrollton Avenue

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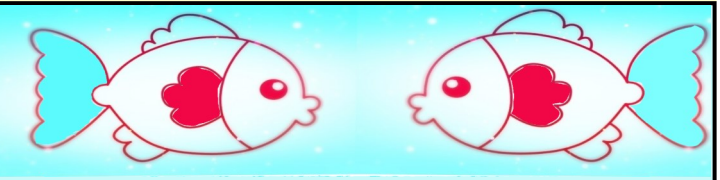


CAPITAL CAMPAIGN: PHASE 2
Campaign update
Capital Campaign Apr 2021 – Mar 2025

<i>Income</i>	
Collections, online, int, & balance	\$ 404,029.48
Last week (Mar 16)	\$ 355.00
Foundation Matching Funds	\$ 500,000.00
Total Income	\$ 904,384.48
<i>Expenses Phase 2:</i>	
Curry & Sons (re-sealing windows)	\$ 45,130.00
Abry Brothers	\$ 13,600.00
J.J. Costa	\$ 4,915.00
HyTech Roofing	\$ 114,880.00
Koch & Wilson Architects	\$ 40,505.25
Picardie Timber	\$ 20,000.00
Rive Pipe Organ	\$ 14,066.68
Verdin Company (Sound System)	\$ 7,460.00
Staub Window Restorations	\$ 36,416.42
Gus Hartdegen & Sons Inc.	\$ 2,420.00
Jeff Poree Plastering	\$ 21,200.00
Total Expenses:	\$320,593.35
Balance:	\$583,791.13

For Questions, call Fr. Herb or Bob Chatelain at 504.905.2715

God Bless Mater Dolorosa Parish Family.
We will be keeping a weekly total of our Capital Campaign income and expenses.



LENTEN FISH FRY

The Knights of Columbus will be holding their annual Fish Fry events during this upcoming Lenten season.

There will be three Fish Fries, each separated by two weeks, on Fridays during Lent from 5:00 PM till 8:00 PM.

The dates are: **March 28, and April 11**

The events take place in the backyard of the church.

The price for a full meal will be \$15.

A full meal includes:
2 Fish Filets, French Fries, Mac & Cheese, Cole Slaw, Garlic Bread, and a soft drink/water.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
Scripture Readings for the Week of March 23, 2025

Sunday	Third Sunday of Lent Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; Ps 103: 1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9 <i>Scrutiny Readings:</i> Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rm 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 or Jn 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
Monday	2 Kings 5:1-15ab; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday	Is 7:10-14, 8:10; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38
Wednesday	Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19
Thursday	Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 11:14-23
Friday	Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17; Mk 12:28-34
Saturday	Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab; Lk 18:9-14
Sunday	Fourth Sunday of Lent Jos 5:9a, 10-12; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; 2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32 <i>Scrutiny Readings:</i> 1 Sam 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41 or Jn 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Mass Intentions
SATURDAY, March 22, 2025

4:00 pm – Toy Ann Harris, Sean Patrick Griffin (†), Eloise Abadie, Donald Stablier, Gerard Walton Caire, Robert Pierpoint, and Alyse Naquin.

SUNDAY, March 23, 2025

9:30 am – Bess Bergeron (†), Serena Brown & Rosana Vitale (†).

10:30 am – The Gonzales and McDow families, Rick Leap (†), unborn children and their families, and for an end to abortion.

12:30 pm – Robert George Heller, the Heller, Weitkam, and Miranti families, Wallace Dupeire, and Thomas Sutherland (†).

5:30 pm – The soul of Janet Hebert, and Gayle Ellis Morris.

7:30 pm – Parishioners of Mater Dolorosa.

MONDAY, March 24, 2025 – 8:00 am – A Soul in Purgatory (†).

TUESDAY, March 25, 2025 – 8:00 am – The Holy Souls in Purgatory (†), and Pat Carbo ♥ happy birthday ♥.

WEDNESDAY, March 26, 2025 – 8:00 am – Mabel Maria Vincent.

THURSDAY, March 27, 2025 – 8:00 am – Brady Tomas Eldridge (†). And for the intentions of Tom & Maria Oppliger ♥.

FRIDAY, March 28, 2025 – 8:00 am – A Soul in Purgatory (†). 5:00 pm – A Soul in Purgatory (†).

SATURDAY, March 29, 2025 – 8:00 am – Mrs Patricia J Miers.

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVENCES
Tuesday Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord



MARRIAGES
Congratulations to:
Apr 21: Sarah Massey and Kent Peng

"Not all of us can do great things. But we can do small things with great love."
- Mother Teresa

BORN TO RUN NEW ORLEANS Sat, March 29 Lafreniere Park Metairie
Presented by Miguel A. Elias APLC
www.womansnewlife.com/bornforun

Saved in Hope Thurs. April 10 Ashley Manor Baton Rouge
Keynote Speaker: Patricia Sandoval
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Sick and Prayer List Intentions

Norbert Guillard, Lodonia Michel, Susan M. Pellegrino, Kate Latorre, Matthew Brown, Larry Talerico, Steve Eleanor Toovell-Trofsky, Thais Carriere, Wanda Martinez, Megan Miers Trahan, Michael Jones, Jim Ferguson, Richard Korte, Naomi Mann, Malcom Robinson, Ken Swartz, Paul Whelton, Mary Elizabeth Cunningham, Salvador and Sylvia D'Antoni, McConnel Family, Verlean R Ambrose, Michelle Baptist, Joseph Bates, Evan W Beck, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, Jackie Blanchard, Ronnie Bourgeois, Cáceres Family, Gustavo Cáceres, Rios, Alonso, Santa Cruz families, Roz Carey, Lisa Caruso, Raymond Cooper, Robert Delaney, Mrs. Carolyn Deupree, David Durnin, Leslie Durnin, Martha Bamber Gleason, Martha K Gleason, Nial Glynn, Brian Harkin, Daniel April Hogan, Barbara Hudson, Pasty Jackson, Jarmar Jones, Patsy Kiff, Richard Korte, Robert Krysiak, Timothy Krysiak, Charles Lestear, Lawrence Linyear, Stephen Andrew Losee, Daniel Hogan, Joshua Gardiner, Travis Markey, Eric Markey, Katelyn Markey, Lisa Markey, Laverne McDow, Mary-Elizabeth Anna Neitzke, Thomas Provenza, Rhonda Rabalais, A.A. Reed, Kathleen Rollins, Diane Sclafani, Brittany Simons, Baby Sofia, Oliver Swartz, Bob Thomas, Rosalind Vance, Brindall Vance, Tevaest Vance, Sofia and Helen Weaver, Lynn Landeche, Walter Bonie, Monique Mickey, Adrien Swartz, Edgar DeLuna, Anna Marie Leleaux, Aubrey Jones, Linda Foster, Joseph Cronin, Rende Family, for those serving in the military and their families, and all the sick of our parish.

Please pray for the victims of abortion and their families.

If you would like someone added or removed from the prayer list please call (504) 866 3669. Thank you.

Welcome New Parishioners
Mater Dolorosa would like to extend a warm welcome to all new parishioners. Please fill out a blue registration form located on the table as you enter church. You may drop it in the offertory basket on Sundays or come by our office.

For questions, contact the office at: 866-3669.
We welcome you to Mater Dolorosa Parish.

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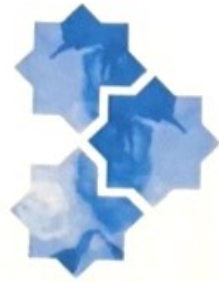
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For Funerals, Homebound and New Parishioners,
Please contact the Parish Office 504-866-3669
Reconciliation: Before all weekend masses or by appt. M-F

Mass Schedule	
Saturday:	4:00 PM
Sunday:	9:30 AM
	10:30 AM
	12:30 AM
	5:30 AM
	7:30 AM
Daily Monday-Saturday 8:00 AM	

ADORATION
Tuesday 8:30 (with Holy Face Chaplet)
Thursday 8:30 a.m. (with Rosary)
Saturday 3:00 p.m. (w/ Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet)
Sunday 11:30 a.m.- 12:30 p.m. and 6:30 pm.-7:30 p.m.
First Saturday 8:30 – (with Rosary)

Liturgy of the Hours
Wednesday – 7:30 a.m.

Rosary
Thursday - 8:30 a.m. (with Adoration)
Third Friday – 8:30 a.m. (with Adoration)
Saturday - 3:00 p.m. (with Adoration)
First Saturday – 8:30 a. m. (with Adoration)

Rosary and chaplet for the Priests
3rd Friday of the month after 8:00 a.m. Mass

Our Lady of Fatima
First Saturday Mass & Rosary and Adoration - 8:00 a.m

Divine Mercy Chaplet
Every Saturday 3:00 p.m. (with Adoration)

DEVOTIONAL LIFE

Sacred Heart
First Friday – 8:00 a.m. Mass
Annual Procession First Sunday in June

Stations of the Cross
Friday - 3:00 p.m. (except during Lent)
During Lent 8:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. (Mass at 5:00)

Holy Face Devotion
Every Tuesday at 8:30 a.m. and Sunday - 11:30
(with Adoration and Chaplet)

Our Lady of Sorrows Chaplet – Every First Saturday at 3:00 PM

Mater Dolorosa Novena - September 7-15

Procession
Sacred Heart – First Sunday in June
Christ the King in November