

not yet directly remitted. The Council of Trent (sess. 14, c. 5 de paenit.) teaches the divine law requires confession of each and every mortal sin (remembered after due and careful consideration), and the circumstances which affect the species of the sin.

For the integrity of one's confession, the penitent must reveal in confession:

- 1). The ultimate moral species of the mortal sins (i.e. be specific on what you did)
- 2). The number of mortal sins, insofar as this is morally possible.
- 3). Circumstances which change the species of sin (e.g. stealing money from the poor box).

May Our Lady, the Refuge of Sinners, help us each time we approach the Sacrament of Penance to make a worthy confession.

Fr. David Franco, FSSP

All Saints Catholic School Annual Fish Dinner
Fri., 28 Feb., 5 – 6:30 pm. Take-out or eat in. Reservations or pre-pay required by 6pm, Thurs., 27 Feb. by calling (804) 329-7524. Each \$9 dinner includes fried fish, potatoes, green beans, roll, and a drink. Funds support All Saints' scholastic budget.

FSSP Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

Join Fr. Zachary Akers on Pilgrimage to the Holy Land Part II: Old Testament Tour & in the footsteps of Our Lady, September 24 - October 8, 2020. Daily Latin Mass at the holy sites, with schola. The first traditional Catholic tour like this to be organized to Old Testament sites as well as Our Lady's birthplace, it will end with a retreat day for spiritual conferences and recollection with Fr. Akers. All meals and hotels included. Register now. For details and online registration: <https://oc-travel.com/holy-land-old-testament-2020-tour/> or contact OC-Travel: 1-800-675-9088 info@oc-travel.com.

Crisis Pregnancy Help

A 24-hour helpline offers peer counselling and referral to local recourses; operated by Heartbeat International. optionline.org or 800-712-HELP (4357)

Sunday Offertory for Feb. 16, 2020

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$5,294	—	—
Online	\$3,730	—	—
Total	\$9,025	\$8,846	\$179
YTD	\$307,558	\$291,918	\$15,640
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$725	—	—
Online	\$617	—	—
Total	\$1,342	\$1,635	(\$293)
YTD	\$61,405	\$53,955	\$7,450

Thank you for your continued generosity!

COMMITTEES AND ACTIVITIES

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“...we go up to Jerusalem, and all things shall be accomplished which were written by the prophets...”

(Luke 18:31)



February 23, 2020

Saint Joseph Parish

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Served by the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter

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Schedule for Holy Mass

Sunday	8:30 am (Low)
	11 am (High)
	4:30 pm (Low)
Monday	7 am & 9 am
Tuesday	7 am & 9 am
Wednesday	7 am & 6 pm
Thursday	7 am & 9 am
Friday	7 am & 6 pm
Saturday	9 am

Holy Days of Obligation: see calendar
Confession: ½ hour before all Masses,
Saturdays - 10 am to 12 noon

Devotions:

- 1st Sat. Rosary & Meditation after Mass
- Miraculous Medal Novena after Wednesday evening Mass
- Adoration: Wednesday 7 pm-9 pm
1st Friday 8 am-5 pm
Other Fridays 8 am-12 noon

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MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
Sun. February 23 Quinquagesima Sunday (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Mark & Loretta Mayer	MM
	11 am Margaret Stacy †	CP
	4:30 pm Pro Populo	—
Mon. February 24 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention	—
	9 am The Souls in Purgatory	SL
Tues. February 25 St. Matthias (2nd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention	—
	9 am Mary Jo Francisco †	PT
Wed. February 26 Ash Wednesday (1st Cl.)	7 am Paul James Morrissey †	SJHC
	9 am Celebrant's Intention	—
	6 pm FSSP <i>Adoration from 7 pm to 9 pm</i>	TD
Thurs. February 27 Thurs. After Ash Wednesday (3rd Cl.)	7 am Poor Souls in Purgatory	AW
	9 am The Steszewski Family	KS
Fri. February 28 Fri. After Ash Wednesday (3rd Cl.)	7 am Private Intention	EB
	<i>Adoration from 8 am to 12 pm</i> 6 pm Elena Palm †	GCP
Sat. February 29 Sat. After Ash Wednesday (3rd Cl.)	9 am Eileen Kaden	JC
Sun. March 1 1st Sunday of Lent (1st Cl.)	8:30 am Natalie McNeil †	CMD
	11 am Pro Populo	—
	4:30 pm Celebrant's Intention	—
Mon. March 2 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention	—
	9 am Bob Martin	JAM
Tues. March 3 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention	—
	9 am Carlo & Connor Simoncelli	CS
Wed. March 4 Ember Wednesday (2nd Cl.)	7 am Linda Sison †	DV
	6 pm Andy Fulghum <i>Adoration from 7 pm to 9 pm</i>	SF
Thurs. March 5 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	7 am Joseph Bush Family	JMP
	9 am Adelaide Eliasek †	JE
Fri. March 6 Ember Friday (2nd Cl.)	7 am Lolli Turner	MK
	<i>Adoration from 8 am to 12 pm</i> 6 pm The Thornberry Family	SF
Sat. March 7 St. Thomas Aquinas (2nd Cl.)	9 am Li Huanren †	RL

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Joe Diman, Ruth Zacharias, Diane Piffat, Linda L'Hommedieu, Charles & Sharon Curry, Ken Diman, Maximus P., Mary Claire Adams, Joan Murdaugh, Don Hipp, Ronald Barnes, William Diman, Sherry Crawford, Stivers Family, Tracie Waldo, Sam Sponeybarger, Boone Hichborn, Elizabeth Waters, Ed Horgan, Donna Beaven, Joyce Matte, Clarence Proffitt, The D'Aconti Family, Tom Osborne, Andrew Priddy, Joe Bush, Charles Furlough, Ed Peters, Angela Rhys-Sonnenschein, Bob Martin, Patricia Willard, Elizabeth Storm, Jeanette LaPaglia, Cathy Van Pelt, Barbara Reith, Gerard Lajoie, Julie Trexler, Theresa Trexler, Suki & Beau Simpson, Maryann McLaughlin.

In your charity, please remember the souls of all the faithful departed. Requiescant in pace.

Ash Wednesday Schedule

7 am, 9 am, & 6 pm Low Masses. Ashes will be distributed at each Mass. Our usual Wednesday evening devotions & Adoration will take place as scheduled.

Palms for Burning

Please bring your palms from last year to the basket at the top of the vestibule stairs in preparation for Ash Wednesday.

Adoration Ministry for Parents

Childcare is now available from 10 am to 12 pm in the 1st Grade classroom during adoration on Fridays. Please come spend some much-needed quiet time with Jesus! Our only request is that you not bring sick children. Virtus-trained volunteers are needed; however, volunteering is not required for participation. Please contact Miesha Vargas to volunteer: miesha.vargas@gmail.com

Upcoming Events

Feb. 26—Ash Wednesday:
Low Masses 7 am, 9 am, & 6 pm.
Adoration 7 pm to 9 pm.
Feb. 29—Savvy Seniors Lenten Conference

Savvy Seniors Lenten Conference

Sat. 29 Feb, 2:00-3:30 pm in the St. Scholastica Chapel. Fr. Franco will speak on The Four Last Things.

Diocesan Bicentennial Books On Sale

Commemorative books are available for purchase outside the parish office. Originally \$35 they are on sale now for \$20! These interactive books include vintage holy cards, the history of our diocese, and a brief history of each parish. Very limited supply remaining.

Clothes for the Homeless

We are still accepting donations of food and winter clothing for St. Peter's homeless ministry. Please no summer clothes and only bring items that are clean and in good condition. If you have more than one large bag of items to contribute, please call St. Peter's and arrange to drop it off directly. (804) 643-4315 Thank you for your generosity. For questions, contact Lisa Shaw writethinker@gmail.com

40 Days for Life Spring Campaign

26 Feb. through 5 April. We are dedicating 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion with a peaceful prayer vigil held outside the Planned Parenthood at 201 N. Hamilton Street off Grove Avenue near the downtown expressway from 7 am to 7 pm each of these 40 Days. Please sign up to pray for an hour at the vigil. Spread the word to others about this important life-saving effort. For more information visit www.40DaysforLife.com or email lovethem-both.40@gmail.com

Pastor's Corner



Dear Parishioners,

As we approach Lent, it would be helpful to review the qualities of a good Confession. St. Thomas lists sixteen qualities:

"Let the confession be simple, humble, sincere, truthful,
Frequent, unadorned, discreet, voluntary, modest,
Entire, secret, tearful, not delayed,
Courageously accusing, and ready to obey."

Fr. Dominicus Prümmer gives an excellent summary of these qualities. He writes:

1. The confession must be simple, unadorned, sincere, humble - that is to say, free from all superfluous words and commentary; it should be made humbly both in word and deed and therefore, the penitent should kneel, unless he is excused by some infirmity or other reason; it should be sincere, i.e. made with the right intention.

2. The confession should be truthful, i.e. free from all lies. To lie in confession concerning a grave matter which ought to be revealed is a grave sacrilege and renders the confession invalid; to lie concerning some matter which is not necessary for confession is sinful but does not invalidate the confession, unless the gravity of the matter makes it gravely sinful. (...)

3. The confession should be discreet and modest, i.e. the penitent should not reveal the sins of others, nor should he use obscene words or extremely coarse language to confess sins against the Sixth Commandment.

4. Confession should be oral, i.e. expressed in words and not merely by nodding or by word or in writing, unless there is a just cause, such as an inability to speak.

5. Confession must be secret, i.e. not public.

6. Most important of all, the confession must be integral. The confession is formally integral when it includes all those mortal sins which, taking everything into consideration, the penitent can and must confess here and now; confession is materially integral when it includes all mortal sins committed after Baptism and