



ST. ALOYSIUS  
CATHOLIC CHURCH



February 25, 2024  
Second Sunday of Lent  
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## 2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no fuller on earth could bleach them. - Mk 9:2-3

## REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

### **SATURDAY**

† 4:30 PM

### **SUNDAY**

7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM

### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

Monday, Wednesday 6:00 AM

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 AM

† = Holy Mass is shared live online

[aloysius.org/livestream](https://aloysius.org/livestream) or [Facebook live](#)

## EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Every Thursday 8:30 AM-9:00 AM  
1st Wednesday of each month 6:30 AM-7:00 AM  
3rd Saturday of the month 8:00 AM-3:00 PM\*

\*Gonzaga Hall Chapel

## SACRAMENTS

### **RECONCILIATION**

3:30 PM - Saturday

6:30 AM - Monday, Wednesday

7:30 AM - Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

*Confessions at the scheduled times are offered only when the adjacent scheduled Holy Mass is celebrated.*

By appointment: please call the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657 to schedule with a priest.

### **BAPTISM**

Contact the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657. Baptismal preparation is required.

### **CONFIRMATION**

Adult Confirmation is hosted annually. For those under 18, Confirmation typically occurs in the fall of their junior year of high school. Preparation is required, including PSR, for teens not enrolled in a Catholic high school. Please contact the Pastoral Services Center for more detailed information.

### **MARRIAGE**

Engaged couples should contact the priest at least six months prior to their anticipated wedding date.

## PASTORAL SERVICES

### **FUNERALS**

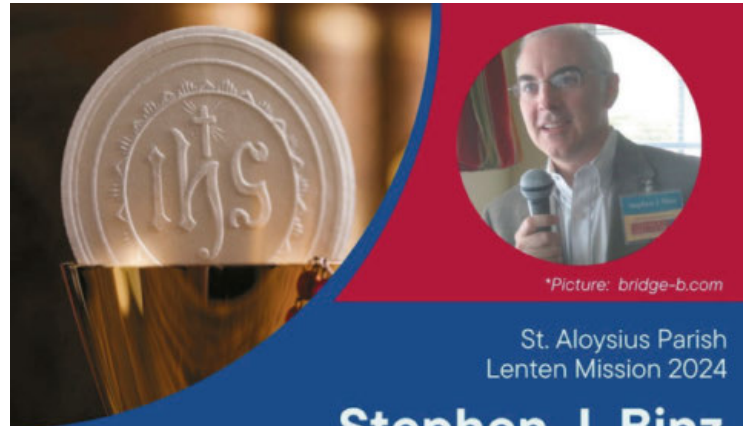
Please contact the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657 prior to scheduling with the funeral home. Please follow voicemail instructions if after hours.

### **CARE OF THE SICK**

Families of the sick are encouraged to contact the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657. Communion is brought to the sick weekly. Hospital visits are also made weekly.



- ◆ John Jude "Jay" Harris
- ◆ Mary "Eloise" Yerger Wall
- ◆ Suzanna Berey



\*Picture: bridge-b.com

St. Aloysius Parish  
Lenten Mission 2024

## **Stephen J. Binz**

Speaker, Biblical Scholar, & Award-Winning Author

February 26, 27, & 28

7:00 PM in the church

February 26 - Talk 1: The Biblical Understanding of the Eucharist

February 27 - Talk 2: Liturgy of the Word & Liturgy of the Eucharist

February 28 - Talk 3: Becoming a Eucharistic Disciple of Jesus

## **Lenten Mission 2024**

Experiencing the Eucharistic Revival in this year of Eucharistic Revival, we are delighted to welcome Stephen J. Binz as our speaker for our Lenten Mission!

Stephen is a biblical scholar and an award-winning author of over sixty books. As a popular speaker, he offers keynotes, seminars, and workshops at international, national, and regional conferences as well as education for clergy and pastoral leaders. He also offers topical presentations, missions, and retreats in churches internationally. In addition, he frequently leads pilgrimages to biblical sites and sacred places throughout the world. Stephen currently lives in Baton Rouge with his wife Pamela.

Look over his website at [www.Bridge-B.com](http://www.Bridge-B.com) for more information.

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WOUNDS  
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HEALED.



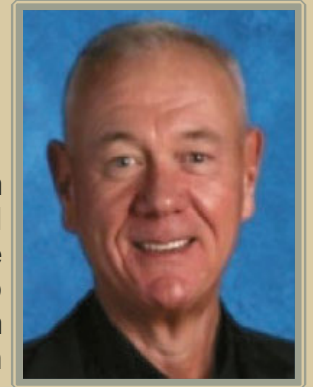
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February 24-25, 2024

## Our Challenge

Dear friends:

In our first reading this weekend from the Book of Genesis, the testing of Abraham has God making an unbelievable demand. What kind of God would require child sacrifice? Abraham's willingness to trust God, however, is a lesson in faith. Life often makes demands of us we do not understand, and we must trust God to guide us through the ordeal. 'If God is for us, who can be against us?' is the claim of this weekend's second reading. This rhetorical question is an expression of faith from the Apostle Paul. Whatever enemies threaten us, whatever evils come our way, God is for us and seeks to bring something good out of all of life's circumstances. Our gospel passage this weekend recounts the 'Transfiguration' event in the earthly life of Jesus. It was an astounding experience for the disciples. They hardly knew what to make of it. But it strengthened their faith by revealing Jesus' relation to the faithful of old. God is always doing a new thing, but builds on what was done earlier in redemptive history. The Transfiguration was a unique event that transpired on one day in the lives of Peter, James, and John. But it was a pivotal experience that changed them forever and affected their understanding of Jesus and his mission in the world. All days are not created equal. Some days are so significant that they give meaning to all our days. Life consists of both glory and misery, sickness and health, wealth and poverty, sorrow and joy. Most of us experience these things in fairly balanced ways. Faith is not merely a milestone or a monument somewhere in the past. Neither is faith only hope for the future. Faith is a journey, or a pilgrimage. It consists of both bright and dark days, days of heart-break and days of happiness, days of blessing and days full of trials. Biblical faith affirms that God is present in our lives at all times, present to love us, care for us, and guide us.



Have a good week!

Love and prayers,  
Father Randy



**MEN'S CLUB**

The St. Aloysius Men's Club will be hosting its annual Lent Dinner with Deacon Don Allison as the Guest Speaker **On Thursday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30 PM** in the Parish Hall.

The St. Aloysius Men's Club is open to all men 21 years and older in our parish.

We look forward to seeing you next Thursday night!

[Annual Membership Dues \\$40.](#)



**WELCOMING  
COMMITTEE**

### **Newcomers Brunch Rescheduled**

The Newcomers Brunch, originally scheduled for Sunday, February 25, has been **rescheduled for May 5th** in the St. Aloysius School Cafeteria following 9:00 AM Mass.

*New invitations will be emailed out in April.*

**Welcome,  
New  
Families!**

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Ernie Spreen & Kelli Troutman	
<b>Education</b>	
Stephanie Politz & Stephanie Crews	
<b>Social Responsibility</b>	
Dan Holliday & Mary Kathryn Gastinel	
<b>Spiritual Growth</b>	
Josh Reed & Erin Walker	
<b>Worship</b>	
Jeb Broyles & Evelyn Greenwood	

## WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

- ◆ Colt and Bridger Landry
- ◆ Will and Charlotte Tebbe

### Reminder for 2nd Grade Parents: This Sunday February 25th

#### First Eucharist Afternoon of Reflection and Parent Meeting

- ◆ February 25, 2024, 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM.
- ◆ Parents and First Eucharist Candidates will meet in the church for this event.

### SAVE THE DATE FOR 2ND GRADE PARENTS

**First Eucharist** will be celebrated during the weekend of **April 13, 2024**, during the 4:30 PM Vigil Mass, & **April 14, 2024** during the 7, 9, 11 AM & 5:30 PM Masses. Choosing your First Eucharist Mass for the weekend of April 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> will take place later. For more information, please contact Tricia Greely at 343-6657 or via [tgreely@staloyusparish.com](mailto:tgreely@staloyusparish.com).

### St. Joseph's Day Altar March 18-19, 2024

We are excited for the return of the St. Joseph's Day Altar to St. Aloysius!



The Altar is a celebrated Sicilian tradition that was brought to Louisiana over 100 years ago to honor and recognize St. Joseph. Members of the parish contribute baked goods, flowers, statues and pictures of loved ones to be placed on the Altar for viewing. It is a community event centered around St. Joseph, family, friends and fellowship.

**FOOD SIGNUP LINK** - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409084DAFAC2AA4FA7-47445163-stjoseph>

**FLOWERS SIGNUP LINK** - [https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409084DAFAC2AA4FA7-47641779-stjosephs#/#](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409084DAFAC2AA4FA7-47641779-stjosephs#/)

**VOLUNTEER SIGNUP LINK** - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409084DAFAC2AA4FA7-47419530-2024>

### Diaconate Discernment Sessions

There will be several Diaconate Discernment Sessions that will take place over the next few months for men who feel called to the diaconate or who might be interested in learning more about the diaconate and the formation process. At each session, speakers will present different aspects of the diaconate.

#### The 2024 sessions are scheduled as follows: (New locations)

2/24/24 9:00-12:00 PM Day of Discernment II (Spiritual Formation)

**Most Blessed Sacrament, 15615 Jefferson Highway**

3/16/24 9:00-12:00 PM Day of Discernment III (Human Formation)

**St. Thomas More Activity Center, 11441 Goodwood Blvd.**

4/6/24 9:00-12:00 PM Day of Discernment IV (Pastoral Formation)

**St. Thomas More Activity Center, 11441 Goodwood Blvd.**

4/20/24 9:00-12:00 PM Day of Discernment V (Academic Formation)

**Franciscan Missionaries of Our Lady University (FranU)  
Liberal Arts Building, Room 116**

Any men who might possibly feel called to the diaconate, be discerning the diaconate, or just want to learn more, are encouraged to attend these sessions. For more information please contact Deacon Chauvin Wilkinson, [cwilkinson@staloyusparish.com](mailto:cwilkinson@staloyusparish.com) or Deacon Don Allison, [dallison@staloyusparish.com](mailto:dallison@staloyusparish.com).

## ADORATION OF THE EUCHARIST



- † 1st Tuesday of every month 7:00 PM
- † 1st Wednesday of every month 6:30 AM
- † Every Thursday 8:30 AM
- † 3rd Saturday of the month\*

Communion Service - 8:00 AM  
Adoration 8:35 AM - 3:00 PM

\*Gonzaga Hall Chapel

## LENT PREPARE THE WAY OF THE LORD



### Daily Masses during Lent

All Masses held in the church:

- Monday at 6:00 AM
- Tuesday at 8:00 AM
- Wednesday at 6:00 AM
- Thursday at 8:00 AM
- Friday at 8:00 AM

### Stations of the Cross

Each Friday of Lent: 7:15 and 5:30 PM

### Private Confessions

- Mondays, 6:30 AM after Mass
- Tuesdays, 7:30 AM before Mass
- Wednesdays, 6:30 AM after Mass
- Thursdays, 7:30 AM before Mass
- Saturday, 3:30 PM before the Vigil Mass

### Private Confessions at Night

- Wednesday, March 13, 6:00 PM until no one is waiting
- Wednesday, March 20, 6:00 PM until no one is waiting

### Parish Mission

Stephen Binz speaker, Experiencing the Eucharistic Revival  
in this year of Eucharistic Revival  
February 26, 27, 28, 2024  
7:00 PM in the Church



"When the Sisters are exhausted, up to their eyes in work; when all seems to go awry, they spend an hour in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. This practice has never failed to bear fruit: they experience peace and strength."  
- St Mother Teresa of Calcutta



For more information on the National Eucharistic Revival visit [St. Aloysius Catholic Church](#) website.

## Celebrating the Mass Second Sunday of Lent Sunday, February 25, 2024

### Sunday Readings

Pray with and reflect on the Word of God at home  
<https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/022524.cfm>

### Mass Livestream

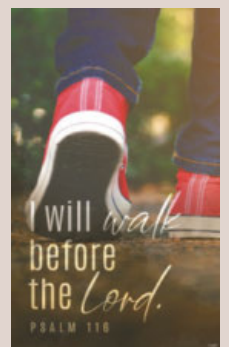
4:30PM Vigil  
<https://www.aloysius.org/livestream>

### Online Mass

Recordings of the Mass can be found on the parish homepage.  
<https://www.aloysius.org/mass-resources>

### Homilies

<https://www.aloysius.org/mass-resources>



## LENTEN DISCIPLINES OF FASTING & ABSTINENCE

Catholics in good health ages 18 to 59 are required to fast and to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.  
Fasting consists of eating only one meal, with the possibility of two smaller snacks that do not add up to a single full meal.  
Catholics age 14 and older are to abstain from meat on all Fridays in Lent.

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# MASS CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

## February 24/25, 2024

<b>Saturday 4:30 PM</b>	<b>Sunday 7:00 AM</b>	<b>Sunday 9:00 AM</b>	<b>Sunday 11:00 AM</b>	<b>Sunday 5:30 PM</b>
Fr. Nutan Minj	Fr. Nutan Minj	Fr. Randy Cuevas	Fr. Randy Cuevas	Fr. Randy Cuevas

Due to unforeseen circumstances, clergy assignments may change

[Click here for the current Liturgical Ministers' Schedule](#)

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, February 26, 6:00 AM**

†Billy Gauthier

**Tuesday February 27, 8:00 AM**

†Al Moreau

†Bob McAnelly

†Bobby May

†Gerald Valure

†James de Brueys

†Kaylee Crousillac

†Jeff Montgomery

†Mia James

†Thomas William Fallon

Monty Rizzo

**Wednesday, February 28, 6:00 AM**

†Judy Giorlando

**Thursday, February 29, 8:00 AM**

†Ann Marie Yankowske

†Bridget Miciotto Tonore

†Charles D'Agostino

†Ethel Reulet Sexton

†George Ann Brown

†Henry "Hank" William Bellows

†Mina Newchurch

†Richard Weimer

Beau Hernandez

**Friday, March 1, 8:00 AM**

†Jeff Montgomery

**Saturday, March 2, 4:30 PM**

† Mina Newchurch

**Sunday, March 3**

**7:00 AM,** †Charles Severance, Jr.

**9:00 AM,** †Joseph Haydel

**11:00 AM,** †Sally Chapman Westervelt

**5:30 PM** All Parishioners



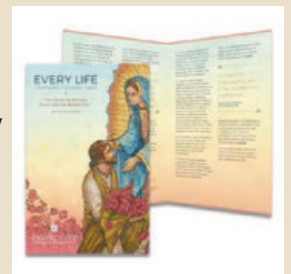
† Deceased

### Servant Leadership Meeting Calendar

**Next Meeting: March 19, 2024 at 6:15 PM**

#### WORD OF LIFE

“The essence of our identity is that we are created in God's image and likeness and loved by Him. Nothing can diminish the priceless worth of any human life. Every person is **cherished**.”



[Order](#) | [Download](#)

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities  
Respect Life Reflection: Cherished, Chosen, Sent  
[usccb.org/cherished-chosen-sent-reflection](http://usccb.org/cherished-chosen-sent-reflection)

#### A VOCATION VIEW

“This is My beloved Son, listen to Him!” Could the Lord be calling you to proclaim His name as a priest or in consecrated life? Listen to Him and talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 225-336-8778 or via email: [jjohnson@diobr.org](mailto:jjohnson@diobr.org)

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH MINISTRY

Children's Church provides a Sunday celebration of God's Word appropriate for young children ages Pre-K to 2nd grade during most 11:00 AM Sunday Masses and is held when school is in session in the fall and early spring.

#### SACRISTANS

February: Jenell Decuir, Susie Carpenter,  
Mary Aycock, Annette Cotton  
March: Charlene Denoux, Edy Koonce,  
Cindy Bloch, Ann Meek

#### Church Lost and Found

Call 343-6657 or visit the Pastoral Services Center to claim lost items left in church. Umbrellas, sunglasses, baby items, bags, purses, lunch boxes, sweatshirts, jackets, sweaters, rosaries and other items.

*Unclaimed items will be donated to charity every six months due to storage limitations.*

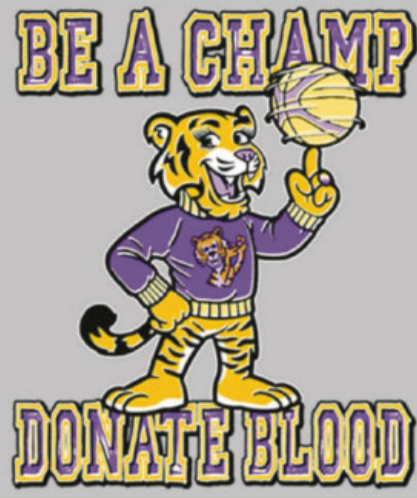


**8 MARCH 2024** | 5:30-8:30pm  
St. Aloysius Cafeteria


**LIVE MUSIC • SWEET SHOP  
BALLOON ARTIST • FACE PAINTING**

<p><b>LUNCH</b></p> <p>Delivery or Pickup Minimum 10 orders \$12 Sales close 3/6</p>	<p><b>DINNER</b></p> <p>Dinner Presale: \$12 At the Door: \$14</p> <p>Purchase from a SACCC Family or sacccfishfry.org</p>
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SCAN TO ORDER

**St. Aloysius  
Catholic Church**  
Parish Hall  
March 3, 2024  
7:00am to 1:00pm

 Our Lady of the Lake Health

For additional information about donating please call 225-765-8843



**In the St Aloysius School Library**


**GRAND OPENING  
Thursday, March 7  
3:30 – 6:00 PM**

**Friday, March 8  
8:00 AM – 2:30 PM  
Shop & Dine 4:00 – 8:00 pm  
SACCC Fish Fry is happening this evening also!**

**FAMILY EVENT  
Sunday, March 10  
10:00 AM – 1:00 PM  
Book signings by local author/parishioner  
EBRP Library Bookmobile visiting  
10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

**LAST DAY  
Monday, March 11  
8:00 AM – 2:45 PM**

**St. Aloysius Habitat for Humanity**



Once again St. Aloysius is participating in the Catholic Coalition Build. Through this effort a deserving family can feel the pride of homeownership (a home that they would not be able to afford except through Habitat). The volunteers and the homeowner working side by side along with an interest free loan from Habitat make the home affordable.


This year's build began Saturday, January 27, 2024. Workdays are Wednesday and Saturday. The scheduled St. Aloysius work dates are listed below. Please consider continuing the St. Aloysius tradition of participation in the Catholic Coalition by working one of these scheduled workdays.

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, call Kim Boudreaux at 225-205-2870 or [boudro@aol.com](mailto:boudro@aol.com) (put Habitat in the subject line).

There is a job for everyone on the work site.

**Saturday, March 16, Wednesday, March 20,  
Wednesday, April 17, Saturday, April 20**

Lunches are also needed. If you, or a group, are willing to provide lunches for the workers one of these days, please let me know by one of the above contact methods.



**Prayer Shawl Ministry Volunteers**

We make items for people who need comfort and reassurance that God is with them, during rough or happy times. We knit or crochet prayer cloths, hats, shawls and blankets which are available at the parish office free of charge. We are looking for all levels of experience! All supplies are available as needed. We would love to have you come check us out! Join us at Gonzaga Hall Library from 9:00 -11:00 AM on the first and third Thursday of the month. **All are welcome!**

**Cracked Pots: Blessed & Broken  
A personal loss support group**

Cracked Pots ... Blessed & Broken is for women who have lost children. Any mother who has lost a child of any age is encouraged to attend. We meet every last Monday of the month at 9:00 AM in the PSC Conference room. Please contact Mary T deBrueys at 504-338-4287 with any questions or to let us know you would like to join us.





## ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH GOLF CLASSIC



Fore!

[SPONSOR AND PLAYER REGISTRATION](#)

The University Club

**Monday, March 11, 2024**

10:45 AM - Registration and Lunch

11:45 AM - Prayer and Blessing of the Players

12:00 PM - Shotgun Start

4:30 PM - Continued Fellowship, Awards, and Dinner

To register, CLICK the "**Sponsor and Player Registration**" link above, follow the QR code, or visit [aloysius.org/golf-classic](http://aloysius.org/golf-classic).

Registration includes golf, lunch, dinner, beverages, snacks, player gifts, prizes, and more.

For more information, to sponsor, or to volunteer please contact Chairman, Robert Stuart:  
[Robert.Stuart@hancockwhitney.com](mailto:Robert.Stuart@hancockwhitney.com)



## FAITH-FULL FOOD PANTRY

Supporting those who face food insecurity within our diocesan boundaries.



2023-2024  
**BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**  
DIOCESE OF BATON ROUGE

To learn more or to donate, visit  
**[DIOBR.ORG/BAA](http://DIOBR.ORG/BAA)**  
or scan this QR code with your phone.



The mission of the Faith-Full Food Pantry is to be a living example of Christ's compassion by working to reduce hunger and food insecurity in areas of our diocese that are underserved. To support the Faith-Full Food Pantry and other vital diocesan ministries, visit <https://diobr.org/bishops-annual-appeal>



### Calling all Adult Volunteers!

Dive into St. Aloysius  
Vacation Bible School

June 10th -14th

from 8:30 AM-11:45 AM

we need **YOUR** help  
to make a splash!

<https://forms.gle/5RZ9uE9DhwJnmX9q7>



**CULTIVATE BROTHERHOOD.  
BECAUSE ONE MAN IS  
NOT ENOUGH**

Learn and discuss Catholic virtues using holy scripture, prayer, fun competition, and mentoring. Open to ALL MEN: 5<sup>th</sup> Grade to Adults! "Frat Night" meetings most Wednesdays from 6-8:00 PM, Parish Hall.

**Next meeting: February 21, 2024. Note Change**

[Click for Spring 2024 Dates](#)

**Jesus Heals the Body and Soul  
You Just Believe and Trust**

Mass//Talk//Healing

Thursday March 7, 2024 ,St. George Catholic Church  
7:00 PM

Alan Ames, Author of the Bestseller "Through the Eyes of Jesus" [www.alanames.org](http://www.alanames.org)



A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

### Matrimony:

**A calling to forgive!**

"Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope." Retrouville offers a welcoming and loving space to couples who have been living with the misery of a failing marriage. Retrouville offers hope: hope that it is not too late, hope of a different and better marriage. Retrouville helps couples to show each other mercy through the opportunities it provides to listen, to forgive, to be reconciled and to move into their futures believing that God loves them and with His help and their efforts, their marriages can be healed and restored.

**For more information for the next Retrouville Weekend (March 8-10) contact:**

**Randall and Robin Bellard @ 225-271-4092 or visit [www.HelpOurMarriage.org](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.org)**

### Retreat for Married Couples

Domestic Church is offering a Married Couples Retreat March 1-3. Domestic Church is a movement inspired by Pope St. John Paul II that supports couples as they grow spiritually as a family (the "domestic church") in their home.

**Feliciana Retreat & Conference Center**

10274 Hwy 422, Norwood, LA 70761

9:00 AM Friday, March 1, 2024 -Sunday, March 3 12 :00PM

**Any questions contact Angela & Kevin Beyer at [batonrouge@domesticchurchfamilies.com](mailto:batonrouge@domesticchurchfamilies.com)**

**Domestic Church**

<https://domesticchurch.regfox.com/evangelization-retreat-norwood-la-br---march-2024?>



# THIS WEEK AT ST. ALOYSIUS

## PARISH CALENDAR

**SAT, 2/24**  
**Confessions 3:30 PM**  
 Choir Music Rehearsal 3:30 PM  
**Mass 4:30 PM Livestreamed**

**SUN, 2/25**  
**Second Sunday of Lent**  
**Mass 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM**  
 Choir Music Rehearsal 8:00 AM  
 Sunday Nursery 9:00 AM  
 Coffee and Donuts 10:00 AM  
 Sunday Nursery 11:00 AM  
 Children's Church 11:00 AM  
**First Eucharist Afternoon of Reflection and Parent Meeting 1:30 PM**  
 SMG Team 3 3:00 PM  
 Choir Music Rehearsal 4:30 PM  
 Junior High Youth Group 6:30 PM

**MON, 2/26**  
**Lenten Mission Retreat, Night 1**  
**Mass 6:00 AM**  
**Confession 6:30 AM**  
**Lenten Retreat with Stephen Binz 7:00 PM Church**

**TUES, 2/27**  
**Lenten Mission Retreat, Night 2**  
**Confessions 7:30 AM**  
**Mass 8:00 AM**  
**Novena of our Lady of Perpetual Help 8:30 AM**  
 Jr. High YG Living Stations of the Cross Rehearsal 3:00 PM  
**Lenten Retreat with Stephen Binz 7:00 PM Church**  
 Boy Scout Troop 7 6:30 PM

**WED, 2/28**  
**Lenten Mission Retreat, Night 3**  
**Mass 6:00 AM**  
**Confession 6:30 AM**  
 Men's Fellowship 6:30 AM  
 Children's Choir Rehearsal 2:45 PM  
 Finance Meeting 5:30 PM  
**Lenten Retreat with Stephen Binz 7:00 PM Church**



**THURS, 2/29**  
**Confession 7:30 AM**  
**Mass 8:00 AM**  
**Benediction and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 8:30 AM**  
 Walking with Purpose 9:30 AM

**FRI, 3/1**  
**Stations of the Cross 7:15 AM**  
**Confessions 7:30 AM**  
**Mass 8:00 AM**  
 Music Makers 9:00 AM  
**Stations of the Cross 5:30 PM**

**SAT, 3/2**  
**Confessions 3:30 PM**  
 Choir Music Rehearsal 3:30 PM  
**Mass 4:30 PM Livestreamed**  
 ACTS Women Pulpit Talks and Registrations begins 4:30 PM  
 Girl Scout Cookie Sales after all Masses 4:30 PM

**SUN, 3/3**  
**Third Sunday of Lent**  
**Mass 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM**  
 ACTS Women Pulpit Talks all Masses and Registrations begins  
 Girl Scout Cookie Sales after all Masses  
 Choir Music Rehearsal 8:00 AM  
 Sunday Nursery 9:00 AM  
 Coffee and Donuts 10:00 AM  
 Children's Choir at mass 11:00 AM  
 Sunday Nursery 11:00 AM  
 Children's Church 11:00 AM  
 SMG Team 5 3:00 PM  
 Choir Music Rehearsal 4:30 PM  
 High School Youth Group Life Night (9th & 10th gr) 6:30 PM



## SCRIPTURE READINGS

**Sunday:** Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19 (116:9)/ Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10  
**Monday:** Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/Lk 6:36-38  
**Tuesday:** Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12  
**Wednesday:** Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28  
**Thursday:** Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31  
**Friday:** Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46  
**Saturday:** Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32  
**Sunday:** Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/1 Cor 1:22-25/  
 Jn 2:13-25 *Scrutiny:* Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/ Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

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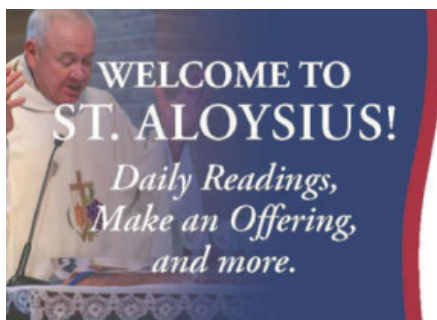
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