



Father Thomas F. Clark, S. J.

Second Sunday of



LENTEN DEVOTIONS

**Daily Mass:** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 12:10 PM; Tuesday and Friday at 7:30 AM. (Adoration and Benediction following the 12:10 PM Mass on Tuesdays.)

**Bible Study:** Mondays at 7:00-8:00 PM in the Activity Center.

**Rosary:** Wednesdays at 5:00 PM in the Ministry Building.

**Stations of the Cross:** Fridays at 6:00 PM in the church with Benediction.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

There will be a celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) on Tuesday, March 20 at Saint Paul the Apostle Church and on Thursday, March 22 at Immaculate Conception Church. Both evenings confession will be available from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM. Father Clark and Father Andrus will be available both evenings for confession. Confession is also available on Saturdays from 3:00 to 3:30 PM. The youth of the PSR are going to confession between the 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM Masses on Sundays.

PRAY FOR OUR CATECHUMEN AND CANDIDATES

During the season of Lent, pray for our catechumens (candidate for Baptism), Tyla DeRouen, and our candidates for full communion with the Catholic Church, Selena Grant and Charroll Garner. On this Second Sunday of Lent, we will have a special prayer for Selena and Charroll. On the Third, Fourth, and Fifth Sundays, we will celebrate the Scrutinies with Tyla.

SECURITY TIP

Our police officers who provide security during our weekend Masses suggest that you do not leave any packages, pocket books, telephone, or similar items in plain view in your car when you park. Make sure that these items are placed in your trunk or out of sight in order to prevent break-ins.

SPRING FORWARD ON MARCH 11

Daylight Savings Time begins on Sunday, March 11 at 2:00 AM. Make sure you set your clocks ahead one hour before going to bed on Saturday, March 10.

Announcements and Upcoming Events

TODAY TODAY TODAY

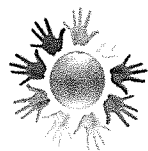
BLACK HISTORY MONTH DOUBLE FEATURE

On Sunday, February 25, at 2:00 PM, we will have a double feature. The first film will be Marshall, the story of the life of Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall. The second movie will be The Shack. Refreshments will be served. Come out and have a fun and informative afternoon.



DIOCESAN RACIAL HARMONY MEETING

The Diocesan Commission for Racial Harmony will have a meeting on Saturday, March 3 at 9:00 AM to 12 noon at the Tracy Center (Room 104) at the Catholic Life Center. At our last meeting in January, 35 persons from all over the diocese gathered to plan ways in which we can promote dialogue that will lead to change in the racial divide in our diocese, city, and region. Father Clark and Father Josh Johnson are the co-chairs of this group. If you would like to be a part of this effort, please come to the meeting on March 3.



SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

There will be a celebration of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick on Sunday, March 11, at 4:00 PM. We invite all those who are experiencing illness or weakness to celebrate this sacrament of healing. The sacrament will be celebrated within the context of a Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction. If someone is homebound and unable to come to this service, please have them call the office so



KEEPING THE OLD KFC LOT CLEAN

On Martin Luther King, Jr. Day we invested a lot of time and energy into cleaning up the old KFC lot on the corner of Scenic and Curtis. Let's keep it clean and not let it revert back to its former state. It won't require a lot of work if we keep up with it on a regular basis. Father Clark is looking for volunteers who would meet on Saturday, March 10 at 9:00AM to do a quick clean up. Please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board if you will help out.



TAKE A LOOK AT OUR WEB PAGE

Take a look at our parish web page at: [www.immaculateconceptionbr.org](http://www.immaculateconceptionbr.org) Andrea Toles is updating it regularly. You will find an up to date calendar of all parish events and activities. The weekly bulletin is also available on the website. Why not save a link to the parish website on the home screen of your phone for quick and easy reference.



Happy Birthday

WINSTON	BRUMFIELD	2/25
CALLIA	COX	2/25
RUSSELL	JARREAU	2/25
QUINCY	LEWIS	2/25
MARLON	PATIN	2/25
MONIQUE	BROOKS	2/26
MAXINE	DOUCETTE	2/26
JOSEPH	HANEY	2/26
DOMINIQUE	ROBINSON	2/26
BEVERLY	YEARBY	2/26
JOCELYN	ANDERSON	2/27
LAUREN	ANDERSON	2/27
JOERENA	HOWARD	2/27
GERALD	CHARLES	2/28
ANTHONY	FLEURY	2/28
EARNISTEEN	SPENCER	2/28
PAULINE	TOUSSAINT	2/28
JOYCE	JOHNSON	2/29
CATHLEEN	DEROGERS	3/1
JESSICA	JONES	3/1
LAURA	SCOTT	3/1
ASHLEY	STATION	3/1
MEGANN	THOMPSON	3/1
LA TRICE	WILTZ	3/1
DARRELL	DUPUY	3/1
SHELTON	DYER, JR.	3/2
KRYSTIE	THOMAS	3/2
LINDA	WALKER	3/2

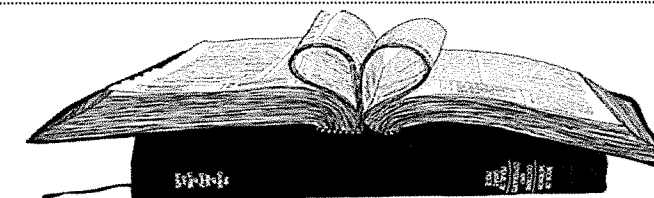


KNIGHTS AND LADIES LENTEN FISH DINNERS

The Knights of Peter Claver and the Ladies Auxiliary are selling Lenten Fish Dinners on the Fridays of Lent from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM in the Parish Activity Center. The dinner includes fried catfish, potato salad, sweet peas and a dessert. The cost is \$8.00.

MASS HONORING ST. KATHARINE DREXEL

Members of the Baton Rouge Chapter of the Xavier University Alumni Association will worship with us at the 10:30 AM Mass on Sunday, March 4th. The occasion is the anniversary celebration of Saint Katharine Drexel, founder of Xavier University and the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament.



Mass Readings

February 25th - March 4th  
Second Sunday of Lent  
Gen. 22:1-2,9A, 10-13, 15-18; Psalm 116; Rom. 8:31B-34  
Gospel: Mark 9:2-10

Monday  
Dn. 9:4B-10; Psalm 79  
Gospel: Luke 6:36-38

Tuesday  
Isa. 1:10, 16-20; Psalm 50  
Gospel: Matt. 23:1-12

Wednesday  
Jer. 18:18-20; Psalm 31  
Gospel: Matt. 20:17-28

Thursday  
Jer. 17:5-10; Psalm 1  
Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

Friday  
Gen. 37:3-4, 12-13A, 17B-28A; Psalm 105  
Gospel: Matt. 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday  
Mi. 7:14-15, 18-20; Psalm 103  
Gospel: Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

Third Sunday of Lent  
Ex. 20:1-17; Psalm 19; 1 Cor. 1:22-25  
Gospel: John 2:13-25

Forms for new parishioners or changes are located in the vestibule of the church.

