

Please remember in your prayers all those who suffer, especially the following members of our parish or parishioners' loved ones:

Laura Cooper, Lou Bedell, Jean Ward, Barbara Corry, Kelly Southern, Margaret Tarver, Katie Duffey, Mike Harvey, Jennifer Costanza, Dan Vanderhoven, Clara Nolan, Syl Breard, William Staab, Jr., Kristyn Smith, Jodi Pipes, Thomas Landry, Mary Ann Sims, Debbie Garner, Barbara Zeagler, Lenny Miller, Robert Pringle, Theresa Curry, Zeke Brown, Jeff Malmstrom, Rhonda Miller, Judy Bell, Jim Fisher, Jeff Albritton, Nancy Farrar, Landry Hope Sipes, Brenda Gregory, Scott Sheppard, Linda Bratton, Mary Bordelon, Ben Martin, Caroline Grigson, and Andy Trahan.

Sun, Oct. 8, 2017
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Daily Schedule:
8:30AM Mass w/ nursery
9:45AM Coffee & Donuts in MH
9:45AM Bible Study (PH) on Psalms
11:00AM Women's ACTS Return Mass w/ nursery; no children's liturgy at this Mass; reception immediately following in Moore Hall
2:00PM Baptisms
5:00PM Mass w/ ACTS Band
6:00PM NO CONFIRMATION

Wed., Oct. 11, 2017

Daily Schedule:
6:30AM Mass
11:00AM Catholic Mom's Group in home
11:30AM Men's Bible Study (PH)
12:00PM Ladies' Faith Group in home
1:00PM Ladies' Faith Group (parlor)
5:30PM Jr. High & High School Youth groups meet for food, faith, & fellowship
5:45PM Family Faith Enrichment (MH)
6:30PM Catholic Moms' Group (RR)
6:30PM Adult Queen of Heaven Study

Sat., Oct. 14, 2017

Daily Schedule:
7:30AM Mass
3:00PM Confessions
4:30PM Mass
6:00PM JGS Dinner Club: Waterfront Grille

Fatima Centenary & Foundation Day Celebrations

The Centenary Celebrations of the Apparition of Blessed Mary of Fatima (October 1917) & the 65th Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima Church will be held with the following programs:

Please join us in celebrating.

Sunday, Oct. 8, 2017: 10:00AM Rosary w/ Benediction; 10:30AM Holy Mass

Mon, Oct. 9, 2017

Daily Schedule:
6:30AM Mass
9:30AM Catholic School Teacher Convocation in Shreveport: No school for JGS or SFHS
12:00PM SVDP Mtg. (MH)
6:00PM Men's ACTS Kick-off Mtg. in the Sanctuary
6:00PM Parish Council Mtg. (RR)
7:00PM Leadership Adoration in sanctuary

Thurs., Oct. 12, 2017

Daily Schedule:
11:30AM Lunch Bunch (MH) w/ guest speaker Paula Pruitt on "Aging, a Privilege, Challenge, a Responsibility"; bring a sack lunch
5:00PM Rosary in front of Tabernacle
5:30PM Mass
7:00PM-9:00PM Chris Domingue's Faith Group (PH)

Sun., Oct. 15, 2017
28th Sunday of OT

Daily Schedule:
8:30AM Mass w/ nursery
9:45AM Coffee & donuts (MH)
9:45AM Faith Study on Psalms (PH)
11:00AM Mass w/ nursery
5:00PM Mass w/ ACTS Band

Our Lady of Fatima Church Events Continued:

Monday, Oct. 9, 2017: 5:30PM Rosary w/ Benediction; 6:00PM Holy Mass

Wednesday, Oct. 11, 2017: 5:30PM Rosary & Benediction; 6:00PM Celebrated Holy Mass w/ Most Reverend Bishop Michael Duca; Light Reception immediately following in the Fatima Gymnasium

Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us!

Tues., Oct. 10, 2017

Daily Schedule:
6:30AM Men's Faith Group (parlor)
12:00PM Ekklesia Meeting (MH)
4:00PM Reconciliation
5:20PM Benediction
5:30PM Mass
6:00PM Vocations' Awareness Prayer Service
6:30PM Theology on TAP at the Field House for young adults w/ Shelly Schmidt as the guest speaker
7:00PM RCIA: pamphlets Q8 & Q10 (Parish Hall)

Fri., Oct. 13, 2017
100th Anniversary of OLF

Daily Schedule:
8:10AM Mass
3:30PM Divine Mercy
4:00PM 7 Sorrows Rosary

2nd Collection: October 21 & 22

World Mission Sunday:

Chat with Pope Francis using your Facebook Messenger App to learn more about his Missions. PRAY and GIVE generously on World Mission Sunday.

SAVE-THE-DATES:

10/17: RCIA: pamphlets Q14 & Q15
10/20: JGS School Grandparents' Day
10/21: JGS School Fall Festival 5:30PM
10/25: RCIA: pamphlets Q12 & Q13
10/26: JGS P/T Conferences after school
10/27: Finance Council Mtg. (PH) noon
10/29: Teen Mass; NO CONFIRMATION class tonight
10/30: JGS School & SFHS fall break: NO SCHOOL
10/31: Trunk-or-Treat in church parking lot at 5:45. All are welcome. Volunteers are needed for games, jumper, & cake walk. Please contact the church office if interested. Decorated cars are needed too!

Welcome to

JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH

2510 Emerson Street, Monroe, LA 71201
Phone (318)325-7549 Fax(318)322-6969
Office Hours: Mon.—Fri. 8:00AM-4:00PM
www.jgschurch.org

JGS Mission

Jesus the Good Shepherd Catholic Church in Monroe of the Diocese of Shreveport is a loving, nurturing family of faith and prayer with the Eucharist as the center of parish life. With diverse gifts, we proclaim God's healing love and presence in the world through the Word, worship and service.

MASS TIMES

Weekends

Saturday: 7:30AM(daily) and 4:30PM(Vigil)
Sunday: 8:30AM, 11:00AM, & 5:00PM(with ACTS Band)
(Nursery for 6mos-4yr olds available at 8:30 & 11:00)

Weekdays

Monday & Wednesday: 6:30AM
Tuesday & Thursday: 5:30PM
Friday: 8:10AM(School Mass)
Holy Days of Obligation: 8:10AM & 5:30PM

RECONCILIATION

Tuesday: 4:00-5:00PM
Saturday: 3:00-4:00PM
Or by appointment *(call the parish office to make apt.)*

STAFF

(phone extensions listed)
Rev. Keith Garvin, *Pastor* 204
Rev. Biju Kuriakose, *Parochial Vicar* 205
Deacon Tom Deal
Deacon Chris Domingue
Haley Pulliam, *Business Manager* 201
Janell Holland, *Admin. Assistant to the Pastor* 202
Elizabeth Williams, *Communications & Nursery Director* 206
Jan Nelson, *Receptionist (M, T, W)* 200
Barbara Lewis, *Receptionist (Th, F)* 200
Kelly Spitzfaden, *Bookkeeper* 208
Mark Loyet, *Youth Ministry (jgsyouthministry@gmail.com)* 214
Pam Givens, *Director of Music* 209
Beth Blank, *Director of Religious Education*
Susan McKenzie, *Liturgy*
John Guerriero, *Catechesis and RCIA*
J. Randy Smith, *Community Outreach*
Ken Vincent, *Finance Council Chair*
Vaughn Antley & Ryan Hemrick, *(Trustees)*

ADORATION

Tuesday: 8:00AM-5:20PM with Benediction immediately following

FAMILY FAITH ENRICHMENT

Wednesday in Moore Hall. Family dinner is at 5:45PM with group meetings at 6:30PM for PK -6th graders during the school year.

BAPTISMS: Please contact the parish office to schedule. Baptismal preparation classes are required for your first child's Baptism and Godparents are strongly encouraged to attend.

MATRIMONY: Call the parish office at least six months prior to the wedding date to schedule. Pre-Cana classes are required.

ANNULMENT PROCEDURE: Lay Advocate Contact is Mary Ann Sims, 325-0264

JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Lisa Patrick, *Principal* (318)325-8569
www.jesusgoodshepherd.org
JGS School educates children in grades PK3-6th by incorporating high scholastic standards in a loving, Christ-centered environment. Please don't hesitate to contact the school office for more information.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Sunday, Oct. 8
8:30AM.....Bill Cooper
11:00AM.....For the Parish
5:00PM.....George Luffey
Monday, Oct. 9
6:30AM.....Poor Souls
Tuesday, Oct. 10
5:30 PM.....Shirley Mede
Wednesday, Oct. 11
6:30AM.....Dr. Steve Norris
Thursday, Oct. 12
5:30PM.....Marie R. Sipes
Friday, Oct. 13
8:10AM.....Gertrude Breezden
Saturday, Oct. 14
7:30AM.....Dan Ross
4:30PM.....Ethel Crow

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Weekly Revenue Budget:	\$16,076.00
Collections: Sept. 24/25	\$11,513.01
Oct. 1/2	\$12, 411.26
Variance	-(\$8,227.73)

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK:

Genusa's Restaurant
815 Park Ave., 387-3083
Thank you so much for your support of JGS Parish. God Bless!