

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

Diane Jones, Joy Barrett, J.C. Scalia, Jack Henry Allen, Mildred Johnson, Patrick Hays, Brittney Brooks, Frances Lozano, Amanda Smith, Jean Ward, Lou Bedell, Katie Duffey, Mike Harvey, William Staab, Jr., Kristyn Smith, Jodi Pipes, Debbie Garner, Barbara Zeagler, Lenny Miller, Robert Pringle, Theresa Curry, Jeff Malmstrom, Rhonda Miller, Judy Bell, Jim Fisher, Jeff Albritton, Nancy Farrar, Landry Hope Sipes, Brenda Gregory, Scott Sheppard, Linda Bratton, Ben Martin, Caroline Grigson, and Andy Trahan.

Sun, Feb. 11, 2018
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Daily Schedule:

8:30AM Mass w/ nursery ; Rite of Acceptance/Welcoming for RCIA
9:45AM Coffee & Donuts in MH
9:45AM Lenten Small Group (PH)
11:00AM Mass w/ nursery
2:00PM Baptisms
5:00PM TEEN Mass

Thurs., Feb. 15, 2018

Daily Schedule:

5:00PM Rosary in front of the Tabernacle for the parish
5:30PM Mass
6:00PM Protecting God's Children (YR)
6:15PM Lenten Small Group (MH)
7:00PM Chris Domingue's Lenten Group (PH)

SAVE-THE-DATES:

2/19: JGS Parish office closed for Presidents' Day
2/19: Healing Mass at 6:30PM
2/19: JGS School registration opens for new families
2/22: TACTS begins at 5:30PM in YR
2/22: JGS School Baseball Pep Rally and Raffle drawing at 2:05PM in gym
2/22: JGS School Talent Show 6PM gym
2/24 & 25: Women's ACTS Bake Sale after all Masses
2/25: Penitential Rite for Baptized Candidates
3/1: Vocations' Awareness Committee Mtg. (parlor)
3/2: First Friday Children's Adoration until 10:15AM
3/4: TEEN Mass at 5:00PM

Mon, Feb. 12, 2018
JGS School Mardi Gras Break

Daily Schedule:

6:30AM Mass
12:00PM SVDP Mtg. (MH)
5:00PM Compassion in Action (parlor)
6:00PM Women's ACTS Cenacles (parlor)

Fri., Feb. 16, 2018
Day of Fasting

Daily Schedule:

8:10AM Mass
3:30PM Divine Mercy
4:00PM 7 Sorrows Rosary
5:30PM Stations of the Cross
6:00PM Soups & Sandwiches (MH) sponsored by the Parish Council

LENTE MISSION: Prepare Me a Place: Come Let Us Worship with Father Keith; March 5-7 from 6-7PM each night; nursery available; dinner provided afterwards on 3/7 in Moore Hall
3/8: Lunch Bunch with guest speaker on chair exercises

Tues., Feb. 13, 2018
JGS School Mardi Gras Break

Daily Schedule:

6:30AM Men's Faith Group (parlor)
8:00AM Adoration
12:00PM Women's ACTS Cenacles (parlor)
12:00PM Lenten Small Group (MH)
4:00PM Reconciliation
5:20PM Benediction
5:30PM Mass

Sat., Feb. 17, 2018
Women's ACTS Retreat Pulpit Talks at each Mass

Daily Schedule:

7:30AM Mass
1:00PM Leehy Gathering (MH)
3:00PM Confessions
4:30PM Mass

3/12-3/16: JGS School Spring Break
3/16-3/18: Abby Youth Fest
3/19: NO Healing Mass
3/23: Prepare the palms in Moore Hall
3/24: JGS Church Easter Party
3/25: Palm Sunday
3/29: Holy Thursday Footwashing at 7:00
3/30: Good Friday: Stations at 3:00
3/31: Holy Saturday; RCIA Morning of Reflection 9-1:00 (PH)
3/31: Easter Vigil (time TBA)

Wed., Feb. 14, 2018
Ash Wednesday

Daily Schedule:

8:10AM Mass
11:00AM Catholic Mom's Group in home
11:30AM Men's Bible Study (PH)
12:00PM Ladies' Faith Group in home
12:00PM Lenten Small Group (MH)
5:30PM Mass

Sun., Feb. 18, 2018
1st Sunday of Lent
Women's ACTS Retreat Pulpit Talks at each Mass

Daily Schedule:

8:30AM Mass w/ nursery; RCIA Rite of Sending followed by the Rite of Election in Shreveport
9:45AM Coffee & donuts
9:45AM Lenten Small Group (PH)
11:00AM Mass w/ nursery; CLOW
5:00PM Mass w/ JGS Band; followed by the men's ACTS Reunion (MH)

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, <i>Pastor</i>	204
Rev. Biju Kuriakose, <i>Parochial Vicar</i>	205
Deacon Tom Deal	
Deacon Chris Domingue	
Haley Pulliam, <i>Business Manager</i>	201
Janell Holland, <i>Admin. Assistant to the Pastor</i>	202
Elizabeth Williams, <i>Communications & Nursery Director</i>	206
Jan Nelson, <i>Receptionist (M, T, W)</i>	200
Barbara Lewis, <i>Receptionist (Th, F)</i>	200
Kelly Spitzfaden, <i>Bookkeeper</i>	208
Mark Loyet, <i>Youth Ministry (mloyet@jgschurch.org)</i>	214
Beth Blank, <i>Director of Religious Education</i>	
Vee Dickey, <i>Liturgist</i>	
John Guerriero, <i>Catechesis and RCIA</i>	
J. Randy Smith, <i>Community Outreach</i>	
Ken Vincent, <i>Finance Council Chair</i>	
Vaughn Antley & Ryan Hemrick, <i>(Trustees)</i>	

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*
www.jesusgoodshepherd.org (318)325-8569
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, Feb. 11
8:30AM.....Helen Norris
11:00AM.....Eddie Pohlman
5:00PM.....For the Parish

Monday, Feb. 12
6:30AM.....Teresa Gilbert

Tuesday, Feb. 13
5:30 PM.....Poor Souls

Wednesday, Feb. 14
8:10AM.....Despena Cascio
5:30PM.....Marie Riley Sipes

Thursday, Feb. 15
5:30PM.....Rahn Sherman

Friday, Feb. 16
8:10AM.....**NO SCHOOL MASS**

Saturday, Feb. 17
7:30AM.....Joy Townsend (Living)
4:30PMDespena Cascio

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Weekly Revenue Budget:	\$16,076.00
Collections: Feb. 3/4	\$17,260.00
Variance	+\$1,184.00

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK: *The Dentists of Monroe: Eric Geist, Glenn Hummel, Eric Lavesphere, Charles Sampognaro, Kevin Haynes, Matt Sanderson, Robert Spatafora, Gray Stephens, Rickey Caples & Justin Tarver*
Thank you so much for your support of JGS Parish. God Bless!