



2nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God." - Jn 1:34

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MASS SCHEDULE

Mass of AnticipationSaturday, 5:30pm
Sunday Mass..... Sunday, 8:00am and 11:00am
Monday and Wednesday 12:00pm
Tuesday and Thursday..... 9:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Monday and Wednesday, 11:30am; Saturday, 5:00pm
Tuesday and Thursday, 8:30 am

Sacrament of Baptism: Baptism preparation is by appointment. Please call the Parish Center for more information.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Please call Parish Center at least ten months before the wedding date to begin preparation.

Sacrament of the Sick: Please call the Parish Center.

Sacramental Emergencies: 330-817-3635

Urgent need for the Anointing of the Sick

Bulletin Deadline

Bulletin announcements are due to the Parish Office on Wednesday one week prior to the weekend of publication.

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday.....9:00am-2:00pm
Friday 9:00am-1:00pm

PASTORAL TEAM

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"We are a predominantly African-American multi-ethnic community of Catholic Christians. We seek to be a beacon of hope, a sign of the healing and reconciling presence of Christ to all by being a center of religious education, spiritual development, and social activity that celebrates the ethnic and cultural values of our members and by participating in the communities in which we live and work to address the social needs of our times."



Scripture Readings FOR TODAY

First Reading: I will make you a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth. (Is 49:6b)
Psalm: Here I am, Lord; I come to do your will. (Ps 40)
Second Reading: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. (1 Cor 1:3)
Gospel: John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world. (Jn 1:29)

Readings for the Week:

Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 [8a, 9a]/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34
Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28 [21a]/Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 [1]/Mk 3:1-6
Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13 [5b]/Mk 3:7-12
Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11 [2a]/Mk 3:13-19
Saturday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Mk 16:15-18
Next Sunday: Is 8:23—9:3/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

Saints & Special Observances

Sunday: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr; Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Tuesday: St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr
Wednesday: Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children
Thursday: St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin
Friday: St. Francis de Sales, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
Saturday: The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle
Next Sunday: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week

THE WEEK AHEAD MASS INTENTIONS:

Sunday, **Jan 19, 11 am**
 Living and Deceased -
 McGrath-Armour-Dixon-Hahn family

Wednesday, **Jan 22, noon**
 Adam and Andrew Fritz

Our relationships ground and define us. Understanding where we come from, who matters to us, and to whom we have an allegiance all frame and direct our lives. One unchangeable about who we are is that **God formed us** in our mother's womb. Unless understanding of ourselves begins with this solid fact about ourselves, our knowledge will always be incomplete. John the Baptist and Jesus knew who they were and where they came from. This allowed them to understand their purpose and express their identity.

To whom do you matter? If your primary answer is God then you are on your way to knowing who you are. Each of us has a purpose and mission to fulfill. See God as your strength and get about the business of meeting life's challenges.



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYER

Please Pray for Our Members, Relatives, & Friends

Ramona Allen, Betty Ashford, Annie Berry, Hasan Bennett, Denise Chinn, Minnie Cassell, Barbara Christian, Lavon Curry, Ben Duran, Tep Falcon, Leon Gibson, Lucille Glenn, Mary Ignatin, Cathy Jordan, Nell Jones, Jerry Mann, Raven McElroy, Derek Mosley, Lawrence Pierre, Mary Praylo, Maria Singleton, Samaria Stovall, Miles Tatum, Earlie Taylor, Joan Thomas, Jim Tyson, Desaree Venema, Robert Vigil, and Ginnie Ward's family.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul:
 Mattie Springfield

Please Pray for Our Homebound
 Easter Butler, Lola Clemons, Janette Frye, Gerard Haas, Mary Haas, Toledo Mays, Lisa McGee and Dorothy Urban

For homebound needs, please contact Deacon Clarence at x304

Please Pray for All Caregivers
Lord Jesus, we ask you to bring your healing touch to those we know to be sick, afraid, or worried. Amen.

Are you newly married? Take time out for your marriage with a ½ day "Love Your Marriage" enrichment retreat on **Saturday, Jan. 25th from 9am-1pm at Risen Christ.** Learn how to "Build a Strong Relationship in the First Five Years of Marriage." The retreat is \$40, and includes lunch, materials, and childcare. For more information and to register now, go to: www.archden.org/loveyourmarriage.



Fr. Jacques Philippe
**THE FATHER'S LOVE:
RICH IN MERCY**

**Young Adult
retreat** with
Fr. Jacques
Philippe

When: Friday, Jan 31, 6:30p - Sat, February 1, 8p
Where: St. Catherine of Siena parish **Cost:** \$47

Denver Catholic Young Adults (20's & 30's) are invited to attend a retreat **diving into the merciful love of our Heavenly Father.** Retreat will be Friday, January 31st evening until Saturday, February 1st evening (lodging not included). All meals included with potluck for Saturday evening! The retreat will take place at St. Catherine Of Siena, 4200 Federal Blvd, Denver and will feature the spiritual wisdom of Fr. Jacques Philippe of the Community of Beatitudes. Email mary.mcgeehan@archden.org with any questions! Or call 303.715.3107

Join us for a beautiful evening at The Gaylord Rockies Resort & Convention Center to support Marisol Women's Services. The annual gala draws people



in support of Catholic Charities of Denver's unique continuum of care model, providing women with healthcare, human services and housing. The event includes Mass beforehand (4:30 pm), followed by a program, a Marketplace, live auction and dinner. Go to <https://ccdenver.org/beacon/> to see all the gala details. Interested in volunteering? Please contact Mark Hahn at 720-799-9297 / mhahn@ccdenver.org for more information.

Bishop Jorge Rodriguez with Fr. Joseph and Deacon Clarence will celebrate

Mass at 8:00 am
on Monday,
January 20th.

Our Joyful Noise choir will provide the music. The Office of Black Catho-

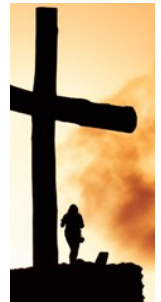


lics is sponsoring the service and the reception, which follows. These events precede the Marade (Denver's unique march and rally), where the city commemorates the life of Martin Luther King, Jr. After the Mass and reception, all are invited to gather at City Park and march to Civic Center Park for the Rally. Questions about the Mass & Reception: contact Kateri at 303-715-3165 or kateri.williams@archden.org. For more details on the Marade see [https://www.denver.org/event/martin-luther-king-marade-\(march-and-parade\)](https://www.denver.org/event/martin-luther-king-marade-(march-and-parade))

SAVE THE DATE !

The 4th Annual Catholic Women's Conference of Denver will be

held March 28, 2020 at CU South Denver Campus, Lone Tree, CO. Shopping, Lunch, Adoration, Confession, and Mass. Day includes the **Shroud of Turin Presentation.** \$55 Early Bird. College student discount and scholarships available. Early Bird registration opens Jan 1st! To learn more visit: DenverCatholicConference.com.



**Emergency Food Pantry -
Mondays and Wednesdays from
10:00am-1:00pm.** 2823 Fairfax Street.

Serving anyone with a Park Hill address. More information: <https://greaterparkhill.org> Here is a list of items that we currently need at the pantry:

Cereal, Coffee & Tea, Baking mixes/flour/sugar, Ensure, Canned Meat (Tuna, Chicken), Canned Fruit, Toilet Paper, Paper Towels

Please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions.

Lana Cordes, Exec. Director, Greater Park Hill Community, Inc. (303) 388-0918