



**PARISH CENTER**

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**OFFICE HOURS**

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

**PASTORAL TEAM**

**Curé d'Ars Staff**

Pastor.....Rev. Fr. Joseph Cao , x301  
Deacon..... Rev. Mr. Clarence McDavid, x304  
Sacristan .....Patricia Taylor, x0  
Office Manager .....Donna Vicars-Benjamin, x0  
Directors of Religious Education ..... Jeanette White,  
Dee Grayson, Barbara Foote Tollette, x0  
Youth Minister.....Seneca Holmes, x0  
Music Ministers ..... Amy Golden, Dynell Hinton, x0  
Bulletin Editor..... Pam Brooks, x0

**Pastoral Council**

Avrie Bowman-Dean	Chris Bryant
Dee Grayson	Kimberly Green
Connie Rule	Ben Wiederholt
Bernard Celestin	Odella Anderson

**Finance Council**

Velma Chavis	Mary Matthews
Gerald Glenn	Loren Schillinger
Michelle Terry	
Eric Schliemann	

**MASS SCHEDULE**

Mass of Anticipation .....Saturday, 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.

"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:** "Not as man sees does God see, because man sees the appearance but the Lord looks into the heart." (1 Sm 16:7b)

**Psalms:** The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. (Ps 23)

**Second Reading:** "Awake, O sleeper, and arise from the dead, and Christ will give you light." (Eph 5:14b)

**Gospel:** When Jesus heard that they had thrown him out, he found him and said, "Do you believe in the Son of Man?" (Jn 9:35)

### Readings for the Week:

**Sunday:** 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

**Monday:** Is 65:17-21/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b [2a]/Jn 4:43-54

**Tuesday:** Ez 47:1-9, 12/Ps 46: 2-3, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 5:1-16

**Wednesday:** Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11 [8a and 9a]/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

**Thursday:** Ex 32:7-14/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23 [4a]/Jn 5:31-47

**Friday:** Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23 [19a]/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

**Saturday:** Jer 11:18-20/Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12 [2a]/Jn 7:40-53

**Next Sunday:** Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [7]/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

### Saints & Special Observances

**Sunday:** 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent

**Monday:** St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop

**Wednesday:** The Annunciation of the Lord

**Next Sunday:** 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent

### THE WEEK AHEAD

#### MASS INTENTIONS:

Sunday, **March 22, 11 am**

Father Nathan Goebel

Monday, **March 23, Noon**

Nathan Gerber, special intentions

Wednesday, **March 25, Noon**

Shary Wells, special intentions

Saturday, **March 28, 5:30 pm**

Laurette Purfurst & Family

Seeing is much more than just a function of our eyes. We can look at something with clear vision but not really see it. Often what we think we see is colored by our presuppositions, prejudices, assumptions, and needs. We judge things by appearance, but God looks into the heart. God's sight has a much wider range and far greater depth. Receiving things or people just based on appearance can lead us to erroneous and hurtful judgments. We think we are seeing clearly, but we are not. Allowing God to restore our sight so that we can truly see is a worthy goal for our Lenten journey. Look within and look without. What do you see? Allow God to complete the picture for you. Ask Him to give you the insight to look into someone's heart.

Don't draw hasty conclusions or presume you know the truth. Be open and humble enough so that you can receive the sight that only God can give.



## 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, Patricia Kiel, 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 Souls:

Edith Cobb and Betty Washington

### 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.**

Important | Masses Canceled | Archbishop Video

**NEW DEVELOPMENT**

March 13, 2020

**Coronavirus (COVID-19):  
What Catholics  
Need to Know Now.**



The bishops of the three dioceses of Colorado have announced that all public Masses have been canceled, effective immediately. This includes daily Masses. Parish offices will remain open for now.

**NOTE:** When Mass is unavailable, the Catholic faithful are released from their Sunday obligation.

At this time, we have determined that it is our responsibility to do our part to prevent the spread of COVID-19. The sacrifice of the Holy Mass will continue, but its public celebration will be suspended until it is deemed safe to hold large community gatherings. We ask all of the faithful to continue to keep the Lord's day holy and to join their sacrifices to the Mass from their homes.

**COVID-19 is highly contagious, and while symptoms can vary widely, it is a serious and potentially fatal disease. By being proactive in stopping the spread of the virus, you can help save someone from unneeded suffering or death.**

**Funerals/Weddings (Consult your pastor)**

A private celebration of the Mass, not open to the public for a reduced number of people (immediate family and friends) is permissible. If held, people should be able to be spaced out at least 6 feet apart. It is recommended to use the Rite outside of Mass for brevity and to reduce proximity to others.

**All Other Gatherings (Consult your parish)**

Other meetings, activities, prayer groups/gatherings are discouraged, but they remain at the discretion of the pastor. If held, people should be able to be spaced out at least 6 feet apart. We will continue to update the ArchDen.org/Coronavirus website with more information.



**PARISH PENANCE SERVICES**

Everyone is invited to join the parish for a Lenten penance service on Wednesday, **April 1st, 2020 at 7 pm.**

**CANCELED** The Knights of Peter Claver and Ladies Auxiliary praying of the rosary each **Sunday** during Lent



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



Here is a list of items that we currently need at the pantry:

- Canned Fruit, Cereal (hot and cold)
- Coffee & Tea, Ensure drinks, Hearty soups/stews
- Individually packaged snacks (crackers, fruit snacks, etc),
- Packaged meals (like ramen or ravioli)



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

The adoration of the Stations on the Fridays in Lent has been

**CANCELED**