

**OUR LADY OF PROMPT SUCCOR CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**The Epiphany of the Lord**  
**January 3, 2016**



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*Reverend Mr. Patrick Lapoint*

## SUNDAY'S READINGS

January 3, 2016

**First Reading** -- Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! The LORD shines upon you and the glory of the Lord appears over you (Isaiah 60:1-6).

**Psalm** -- Lord, every nation on earth will adore you (Psalm 72).

**Second Reading** -- The mystery has been made known that the Gentiles are coheirs, copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6).

**Gospel** -- Magi from the east arrived, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews?" (Matthew 2:1-12).

## READINGS FOR THE WEEKDAYS

Monday: 1 Jn 3:22 -- 4:6; Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-4, 7-8; Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13; Mk 6:45-52

Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19 -- 5:4; Ps 72:1-2, 14, 15bc, 17; Lk 4:14-22a

Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 5:12-16

Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 3:22-30

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 29:1-4,

3, 9-10 or Ps 104:1b-4, 24-25, 27-30;

Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7;

Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

## NEW LIFE COUNSELING

### TWENTIETH ANNUAL PRO-LIFE CANDLELIGHT MEMORIAL PRAYER VIGIL

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 2016 AT 6:00 PM**

Without fail, New Life Counseling gathers our community together on the anniversary date of Roe VX Wade decision that legalized abortion in our country in 1973. We understand the grave importance of this date as we peacefully unite our prayers with the nation to overturn this decision. We will gather to memorialize the more than 55 million babies that have tragically lost their lives by abortion and for the healing of all those that mourn their loss. Bring your posters, banners, etc. to carry as we march from the Civic Center parking lot to the district courthouse steps for a candlelight prayer vigil and to hear testimonials.



*You are cordially invited to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass in Celebration of the Twenty-fifth Anniversary of The Priestly Ordination of Reverend Edward J. Richard, M. S.*

*Which he will offer*

*on*

*Sunday, the seventeenth day of January, in the year of Our Lord, twenty sixteen, at eleven o'clock in the morning.*

*Our Lady of Prompt Succor  
1109 Cypress Street  
Sulphur, Louisiana*

*Please join Fr. Richard for a reception in the Fr. Vecchio Hall, immediately following Mass.*

## ALTAR FLOWERS

Flowers on the altar this weekend are donated by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kelley in Loving Memory of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woods and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kelley, Sr.



## CARMELITE DAY

**When:** Saturday, January 16, 2016  
8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

**Where:** Our Lady of Prompt Succor,  
St. Michael Hall

**Who:** High school and college age girls

To register or ask questions contact Patsy Hebert at 337-527-9964, [olpsprep@studdenlinkmail.com](mailto:olpsprep@studdenlinkmail.com)

## BEYOND SEX EDUCATION

**Chastity Formation for Toddlers, Tweens and Teens**

January 16, 2016

8:15 AM to 11:15 AM

Immaculate Conception Parish  
2700 Maplewood Drive, Sulphur, LA

Parents, grandparents, Godparents, teachers, or catechists, will gain a greater confidence in explaining the Catholic Church's teaching on chastity and marriage.

Practical ideas and age appropriate language for ages 3 thru 18 will be offered, drawing from "The Truth and Meaning of Human Sexuality" and St. John Paul, II Theology of the Body.

If time permits, healthy guidelines for dating will be presented. Register online at <http://www.icsulphur.org>.

**Saturday, 1/2/16 @ 5:00 PM**  
+ Jack and may Dell Coates and Spiro Pavlovich,  
+ Lawrence Trosclair and Poor Souls in Purgatory

**Sunday, 1/3/16 @ 7:00 AM**  
+ James Andrepont

**Sunday, 1/3/16 @ 9:00 AM**  
Our Parishioners

**Sunday, 1/3/16 @ 11:00 AM**  
0 Krissa Lewis and Family,  
+ John Stephen Baker, + Burleigh Fuselier, David  
Fuselier, Essie Fontenot, Wilfert Fontenot, Meline  
Fuselier and Roy Fuselier, + Scott Morrison, + Joe  
Picard, + Tony and Florence Savant, + Joseph and  
Damian Sonnier and + Lawrence Trosclair, Mr. and Mrs.  
Walter Woods and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kelley

**Sunday, 1/3/16 @ 5:00 PM**  
+ Mildred Rourk

**Monday, 1/4/16 @ 6:30 AM**  
For the Repose of the Most Abandoned Souls  
in Purgatory

**Tuesday, 1/5/16**  
**6:30 AM** Intention of the Donor  
**5:30 PM** + Poor Souls in Purgatory

**Wednesday, 1/6/16**  
**6:30 AM** Intention of the Donor  
**5:30 PM** + Orest Mencinsky

**Thursday, 1/7/16**  
**6:30 AM** Intention of the Donor  
**5:30 PM** 0 Swiatoslawa Mencisky

**Friday, 1/8/2016**  
**6:30 AM** Poor Souls in Purgatory

**Saturday, 12/26/15 @ 8:00 AM**  
+ Joseph Tho, Joseph Kha, Joseph Van, Joseph Ngan,  
Maria Quy, Maria Hien, Maria Gai and Francisco Hai



### VOCATION CROSS SCHEDULE

**Sunday, January 3, 2016 @ 9:00 AM**  
Sonny and Sarah Brunson  
**Sunday, January 10, 2016 @ 9:00 AM**  
John and Harriet Ardoin



### COFFEE AND DONUTS

- 2016**
- 1/3 Finance**
- 1/10 Greeters**
- 1/17 Cancelled**
- 1/24 Lectors**
- 1/31 WDVC**



### TOTAL CONSECRATION TO JESUS THROUGH MARY

OLPS will be participating in a parish wide **total consecration**, beginning December 31, 2015, with our parish consecration date being February 2, 2016, *The Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary.*"



### PARISH FINANCES December 19-20, 2015

<b>Offering:</b>	<b>\$11,164.85</b>
<b>Retired Diocesan Priests:</b>	<b>\$ 2,544.56</b>
<b>BSA Quota:</b>	<b>\$30,041.00</b>
<b>Received:</b>	<b>\$12,697.78</b>
<b>Balance:</b>	<b>\$17,343.22</b>



**We appreciate your generous giving!**  
**If you would like to use offering envelopes,**  
**please contact the parish office.**

### CHILDREN'S CHOIR

**Rehearsal is the Sunday before each last Sunday of the month at 10:00 AM in the St. Raphael room.**  
**Children's Choir will sing at 11:00 AM Mass on the last Sunday of the month.**  
**Choir is for all school age children of the parish.**  
**Parents, please encourage your children to participate.**



### ST. PETER CLAVER COMMUNITY OUTREACH

The St. Peter Claver Community Outreach Food Pantry is in need of non-perishable items such as canned fruit (low sugar if possible), dry milk, cereal, etc.



Duane Bergeron, Jennifer Draper, Shirley Dronet, Alvin Duhon, Lucy Galvan, Jackie Henry, Sam Hewitt, Ramona LaBorde, Damian LeBrock, Tot Lemaire, Patricia Ponthieux, Dooley Prince, Tasha and baby Sophia Samaniego, Grace Savoie, Terry Simon, Gloria Smith and Amelia Thomas

***NURSING HOME RESIDENTS***

**High Hope:**

Camille Hebert  
Blanche Manuel  
Brother Don Smith

**Holly Hill:**

Bert Guidry  
Bernice Louviere

**Grand Cove:**

Tut Brown

**Stonebridge:**

Donald Faulk  
Bernice Smith

**St. Dominic Village**

Fr. Egidio Vecchio

***PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY TROUPS, OUR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND THEIR FAMILIES***

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***WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE***

**Saturday Vigil Mass** 5:00 PM

**Sunday**

Traditional Latin Mass 7:00 AM  
9:00 AM  
11:00 AM  
5:00 PM

***DAILY MASS SCHEDULE***

**Monday** 6:30 AM

**Tuesday** 6:30 AM  
5:30 PM

**Wednesday** 6:30 AM  
5:30 PM

**Thursday**  
Traditional Latin Mass 6:30 AM  
5:30 PM

**Friday** 6:30 AM

**Saturday** 8:00 AM

***CONFESSION***

Confessions are heard one-half hour prior to weekday Masses (except Thursday mornings) and on Saturday from 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM.

***BAPTISMS***

A Baptism Preparation Class and Pre-Registration is required for parents and godparents. The class is usually the third Tuesday of each month. Come by the Parish Office to register, prior to the class.

***MARRIAGE***

Contact the Parish Office at least six months prior to the anticipated wedding date.

***ANNOINTING OF THE SICK***

Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements with a Priest.

If you, or someone you know, is homebound and would like a Priest to hear your Confession and receive the Holy Eucharist, contact the parish office.

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# JANUARY 2016

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
					1 <i>Parish Office Closed</i> Mass 8:00 AM 10:00 AM	2 8:00 AM <i>Journey Through the Bible</i>
3 6:00 PM <i>Alanon</i>	4	5 9:00 AM <i>Altar Society</i> 4:00 PM <i>Acts Dir. Mtg.</i> 6:00 PM <i>WDVC</i> 6:30 PM <i>Pastoral Council</i>	6 9:00 AM <i>OLS Mass</i> 9:00 AM - Bingo 6:00 PM - Prep 6:00 PM - RCIA 6:00 PM - Alanon	7 6:00 PM <i>Women's Acts Reunion</i> 6:00 PM <i>CDA</i>	8 9:00 AM <i>Young @ Heart</i> 3:30 PM - LOM 6:00 PM - SR	9 5:00 PM <i>KC Corp. Communion</i>
10 <i>SPC Sunday</i> 3:30 PM <i>JR CDA</i> 6:00 PM <i>Alanon</i>	11 6:00 PM <i>Men's Bible Study</i>	12 4:00PM <i>ACTS Dir. Mtg.</i> 6:00 PM <i>Men's Acts</i> 6:30 PM <i>Parish Finance</i>	13 9:00 AM - Bingo 9:30 AM <i>OLS Mass</i> 6:00 PM - Prep 6:00 PM - RCIA 6:00 PM - Alanon	14 6:30 PM <i>Women's Ultreya</i>	15 3:30 PM - LOM 6:00 PM - SR	16 8:00 AM <i>Carmelite Day</i>
17 <i>Noon Fr. Richard's 25th Anniversary</i> 6:00 PM <i>Alanon</i>	18 <i>Office Closed MLK Day</i>	19 4:00PM <i>ACTS Dir. Mtg.</i> 6:00 PM <i>Men's Acts</i> 7:00 PM <i>Baptism Class</i>	20 9:00 AM - Bingo 9:30 AM Mass 6:00 PM - Prep 6:00 PM - RCIA 6:00 PM - Alanon	21 9:00 AM <i>Stonebridge Mass</i>	22 3:30 PM - LOM 6:00 PM - SR	23
24 6:00 PM <i>Alanon</i>	25 6:00 PM <i>Exodus</i>	26 4:00PM <i>ACTS Dir. Mtg.</i> 6:00 PM <i>Men's Acts</i>	27 9:00 AM - Bingo 9:30 AM Mass 6:00 PM - Prep 6:00 PM - RCIA 6:00 PM - Alanon	28 6:00 Acts Core	29 3:30 PM - LOM 6:00 PM - SR	30
31 <i>Noon Baptisms</i> <i>Noon - CDA Banquet</i> 6:00 PM <i>Alanon</i>						