



Our Lady of Prompt Succor Parish



1109 Cypress Street • Sulphur, Louisiana 70663 • (337) 527-5261

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT December 11, 2016

Parish Clergy

Parish Priest

Reverend Edward J. Richard, MS

Parochial Vicars

Reverend Bino Francis, MS

Reverend D. B. Thompson

Deacon

Patrick Lapoint

Parish Office Hours

Monday through Friday

8:00 AM to Noon, 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM

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Mass Schedule

Saturday (anticipated Mass)	5:00 PM
Sunday (Traditional Latin Mass)	7:00 AM
9:00 AM, 11:00 AM and	5:00 PM
Monday	6:30 AM
Tuesday	6:30 AM and 5:30 PM
Wednesday	6:30 AM
Our Lady's Catholic School Mass	9:30 AM
(During the school year)	5:30 PM
Thursday (Traditional Latin Mass)	6:30 AM
	5:30 PM
Friday	6:30 AM
1st Friday Mass 6:00 PM, Holy Hour	7:00 PM
Saturday	8:00 AM

Confession

Saturday from 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Confessions are also heard one-half hour
prior to weekday Masses
(with the exception of Thursday mornings)

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TODAY'S READINGS

The Third Sunday of Advent

First Reading -- The barren deserts will rejoice and flower. Tired bodies will receive strength. Aching hearts will be made glad (Isaiah 35:1-6a, 10).

Psalm -- Lord, come and save us (Psalm 146).

Second Reading -- Be patient, for the coming of the Lord is as sure as the rain (James 5:7-10).

Gospel -- Tell of what you hear and see: The blind regain their vision, the crippled their movement, the deaf their hearing (Matthew 11:2-11).

READINGS FOR THE WEEKDAYS

Monday: Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Jdt 13:18bcde, 19; Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47

Tuesday: Zep 3:1-2, 9-13; Ps 34:2-3, 6-7, 17-19, 23; Mt 21:28-32

Wednesday: Is 45: 6b-8, 18, 21b-25; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Lk 7:18b-23

Thursday: Is 54:1-10; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-12a, 13b; Lk 7:24-30

Friday: Is 56:1-3a, 6-8; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Jn 5:33-36

Saturday: Gn 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-4ab, 7-8, 17; Mt 1:1-17

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 3015



KC Council 3015 will be sponsoring tests for our youth with monetary prizes.

Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest
Ages 5-7, 8-10, 11-14; \$25 Prize, deadline December 15, 2016

Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest:
"The Importance of Religious Freedom."
\$50 Prize; deadline December 15, 2016

CHILDREN'S STORYTIME

Children ages Pre-K to 9 years of age are invited to a Children's Storytime in the St. Raphael Room on Thursday, December 29th at 2:00 PM.



CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

Friday, December 23rd
Confession 3:00 PM to 5:30 PM

Saturday, Christmas Eve
Confession 10:00 AM to Noon
Masses: 4:00 PM, 6:00 PM and Midnight

Sunday, Christmas Day
7:00 AM (traditional Latin)
9:00 AM and 11:00 AM (No 5:00 PM)

NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE

Saturday, New Year's Eve
Confession 3:30 PM to 4:45 PM
Masses: 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday, New Year's Day
7:00 AM (traditional Latin)
9:00 AM, 11:00 AM and 5:00 PM



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

The deadline for ordering a Christmas Poinsettia for a loved one will be **Sunday, December 18th**. They will be delivered to the Church on Thursday, December 22nd.

The Altar Society will be decorating the Church on Thursday, December 22nd and can use your help. If you would like to volunteer, please meet in the Narthex by 9:00 AM.



SEAFARER'S CHRISTMAS AT SEA

Items needed are; full size bath soap, combs, deodorant, disposable razors, hanker chiefs, hard candy, knit caps, lotion, pens and pencils, playing cards, prayer cards, full size shampoo, full size shaving cream, socks, full size toothpaste, toothbrushes, wash cloths, work gloves. Monetary donations are always welcome to help purchase items needed for each bag. A box for your items will be provided in the Narthex.



ALTAR FLOWERS

Flowers on the altar this weekend are donated by Penny Suarez and Dana Turpin in honor of all the Capital Campaign volunteers for a job well done!



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, 12/10/16

5:00 PM + Jack and May Dell Coates and Spiro Pavlovich, + Floyd and Carl Gremillion, + Flo and Danny Guidry and Bob Spears, + Joey Sonnier, + Michael and Sharon Tillman, + Charles and Elgene Venissat and Lawrence Trosclair and + Poor Souls in Purgatory

Sunday, 12/11/16

7:00 AM + Reginald Fontenot

9:00 AM + Our Parishioners

11:00 AM 0 Mackenzie Brown, + John Stephen Baker, + Margaret Boudreaux, + Gary Clark, + Gerald Doucet, + Louise Keever, Sis Edwards and Anna Yeates, + LaBorde and Desselle Families, + Joe Picard, Jr., + John Pharris, + Ennis and Ted Regan, + Terry Simon and + Joseph and Daiman Sonnier

5:00 PM + Florence Ellender

Monday, 12/12/16

6:30 AM + Joan Ann Fontenot

Tuesday, 12/13/16

6:30 AM 0 Fr. D. B. Thompson

5:30 PM 0 Fr. Edward J. Richard, MS

Wednesday, 12/14/16

6:30 AM 0 Fr. Bino Francis

5:30 PM + Carmen Landry

Thursday, 12/15/16

6:30 AM + For the Repose of the Souls Nearest to Completing Purgatory

5:30 PM + Anthony "Shang" Meyers

Friday, 12/16/16

6:30 AM 0 Joe and Dot Gertz and Family

Saturday, 12/17/16

8:00 AM + Joseph Tho, Joseph Kha, Joseph Van, Joseph Ngan, Maria Quy, Maria Hien, Maria Gai, Maria Hoi, Maria Neuyet and Francisco Hai

Our Parish has added a monthly Mass on First Friday at 6:00 PM in the St. Peter Claver Chapel, followed by Confession during the Holy Hour at 7:00 PM.

The next Mass and Holy Hour will be Friday, January 6, 2017.

**1st
Friday**

VOCATION CROSS SCHEDULE

Sunday, December 11th @ 9:00 AM
Pat and Ros Ellender

Sunday, December 18th @ 9:00 AM
Jeremy and Mary Ellen Burton

Sunday, December 25th @ 7:00 AM
Mike and Lee Richard



COFFEE AND DONUTS

	<u>2017</u>	
12/11	Lectors	1/1 Finance
12/18	Altar Society	1/8 Pastoral Council
12/25	Cancelled	1/15 CDA
		1/22 JR. CDA
		1/29 WDVC



PARISH FINANCES December 3-4, 2016

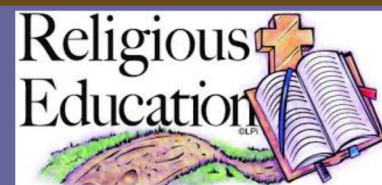
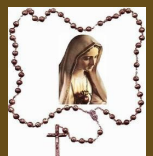
Offering: \$13,250.66
BSA: \$ 3,845.56

BSA Quota: \$30,588.00
Received: \$19,598.08
Balance: \$10,989.92



WEEKLY ROSARY COUNT

Rosaries prayed last week: 567
Rosaries prayed this month: 997
Rosaries prayed this year: 7545
Rosaries prayed since start: 7545



A Biblical Walk Through the Mass will begin Wednesday, January 4, 2017 from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM in the Fr. Vecchio Hall. Dinner will be provided.

Any parishioner interested in attending this class, call Terry or Patsy at the PREP Office at 527-9964 to register and order your book for \$6.00 each.

BAPTISMS

A Baptism Preparation Class and Pre-Registration are required for parents and godparents. 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.

ANOINTING 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 for Confession and to receive the Holy Eucharist, please contact the Parish Office to make an appointment.

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OUR LADY OF PROMPT SUCCOR PRAYER LIST

Mary Ruth Allison, Pearl Andrepont, Duane Bergeron, Ron Delaney, Dusty Dickerson, Kay Dimmitt, Jennifer Draper, Shirley Dronet, Roxanne Duhon, Bobbie Jean Fontenot, Franklin Foote, Carmen Gary, Dr. H. J. Guidry, Ollie Guillory, Jeff Hanchey, Jackie Henry, Sam Hewitt, Agnes Lege, Teddy Leleux, Ramona LaBorde, Tot Lemaire, Sherry Murley, Jim Oliver, Patricia Ponthieux, Lois Tillman, Linda and Willard Treme, Marie Rabalais, Amelia Thomas, Carol Willis, Angie Wingate and Dermot Wong.

NURSING HOME RESIDENTS:

Grand Cove: Jon Peter Clausen

High Hope: Camille Hebert, Blanche Manuel and Brother Don Smith

Stonebridge: Donald Faulk and Bernice Smith

St. Dominic Village, Houston, TX

Fr. Egidio Vecchio

OUR MILITARY TROUPS, LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, AND THEIR FAMILIES.

**PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE TO ADD
OR REMOVE SOMEONE ON THE PRAYER LIST.**



CONTINUOUS ADORATION ST. PETER CLAVER CHAPEL

**Monday through Friday
7:00 AM to 9:00 PM**

No adoration on
holidays or when the
Parish Office is closed.



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DECEMBER 2016

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
				1 6:00 PM <i>CDA Meeting</i> 7:00 PM <i>Encyclical Readings</i>	2 6:00 PM <i>1st Friday Mass</i> 7:00 PM <i>Holy Hour</i>	3 9:00 AM <i>Legion of Mary</i>
4 Noon <i>Deacon Lapoint Anniversary Party</i> 6:00 PM <i>Alanon</i>	5 6:00 PM <i>Men's Acts Mtg.</i> 7:00 PM <i>Relics Presentation</i>	6 8:00 AM <i>Fatima Centennial</i> 8:30 AM <i>Library Comm.</i> 9:00 AM <i>Altar Society</i> 6:15 PM <i>1st Confession</i>	7 9:00 AM - Bingo 9:30 AM <i>OLS Mass</i> 3:15 PM <i>Jr. Youth</i> 6:00 PM <i>Prep Conf. Prep RCIA</i>	8 <i>Holy Day</i> <i>Parish Office Closed</i> 6:30 PM <i>Women's Ultreya</i>	9 9:00 AM <i>Young @ Heart</i>	10 9:00 AM <i>Legion of Mary</i> 5:00 PM <i>KC Corp. Communion</i> 6:00 PM <i>Bishop's Gala</i>
11 <i>SPC Sunday</i> 9:00 AM <i>Blood Drive</i> 6:00 PM <i>Alanon</i>	12 6:00 PM <i>Men's Bible Study</i>	13 8:30 AM <i>Library Comm.</i> 9:00 AM <i>Bishop Provost at OLS</i> 6:30 PM <i>Pastoral Council</i>	14 9:00 AM - Bingo 3:15 PM <i>Jr. Youth</i> 6:00 PM <i>Prep Conf. Prep RCIA Alanon</i>	15 9:30 AM <i>Stonebridge</i> 6:00 PM <i>Men's Acts Mtg.</i> 7:00 PM <i>Baptism Class</i> 7:00 PM <i>Encyclical Readings</i>	16	17 9:00 AM <i>Legion of Mary</i> 10:00 AM <i>Diocese Youth Rally</i> 5:00 PM <i>CDA Sweets</i>
18 <i>CDA Sunday</i> Noon <i>Baptisms</i> 3:30 PM <i>JR CDA</i> 6:00 PM <i>Alanon</i>	19 7:00 PM <i>Mercy Monday</i>	20 8:30 AM <i>Library Comm.</i> 6:30 PM <i>Be A Man</i>	21 9:00 AM - Bingo 3:15 PM <i>Jr. Youth</i>	22 6:00 PM <i>ACTS Core</i> 6:00 PM <i>Men's Acts Mtg.</i>	23 <i>Parish Office Closed</i>	24 <i>Christmas Eve</i>
25 <i>Christmas Day</i>	26 <i>Parish Office Closed</i> 6:00 PM <i>Exodus Bible Study</i>	27 8:30 AM <i>Library Comm.</i>	28 9:00 AM - Bingo 3:15 PM - Jr. Youth	29 2:00 PM <i>Children's Storytime</i> 6:00 PM <i>Men's Acts Mtg.</i>	30	31 <i>New Year's Eve</i>