**WEST ST. TAMMANY DEAN**  
Very Rev. Charles Benoit, OSB, V.F.  
St. Benedict Catholic Church

**SUNDAY**  
**Saturday Vigil:** 5 p.m.  
**Sunday:** 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.

**DAILY**  
**Monday-Friday:** 9:00 a.m. and 6 p.m.  
**Saturday:** 9:00 a.m.

**RECONCILIATION**  
**Saturday:** 4:00-4:45 p.m.  
**Sunday & Daily:** 30 minutes before each Mass, and by appointment.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**  
Friday after 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. Mass

**BAPTISM**  
Second Sunday of month, after 11:30 Mass. Call the office at 985-626-6977.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK**  
Contact the office at 985-626-6977.

**WEDDINGS**  
Contact the office at 985.626.6977

**FUNERALS**  
Contact the office at 985.626.6977 after the death of a loved one and before contacting the funeral home.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**  
985.630.0256
Second Sunday of Lent

“Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you. ” (Ps 33)

Mass Intentions

Saturday March 7
9:00 a.m. Hazel Jones
5:00 p.m. Robert Landry; Trudy Materne Eagan; Daria Chaney; Ward deLaup; Mary Bonneau; Special intention, Warren Montgomery; Jose Amaya; Janice Rose Annaloro; Maria Combel Lowe

Sunday March 8
8:00 a.m. Dr. William P. Beatrous; Evelyn Dollie Berry; Capt. Bob McGuire; Virginia Weber; Daria Chaney; Joseph S. D’Antoni; Eileen Giblin D’Antoni; Brenda Ledet D’Antoni; Nolan A. Ledet; Mildred Arabie Ledet; Julia Smyczynski; Jose Amaya; Tommy Werling; Ellen Otto Baumann; Harry Viosca; Special intention, Linda Gately.
9:30 a.m. Jerry Hollander
11:30 a.m. David Guillot
6:00 p.m. Mary, Queen of Peace Parishioners

Monday March 9
9:00 a.m. Special intention, Harry Ryan

Tuesday March 10
9:00 a.m. Mark Naquin
6:00 p.m. Alaina Chifici

Wednesday March 11
9:00 a.m. Mary, Queen of Peace Faculty & Staff
6:00 p.m. Vocation of Brother Martin

Thursday March 12
9:00 a.m. John E. Brown, Jr
6:00 p.m. Mooney O’Neil

Friday March 13
9:00 a.m. Paul J. Brignac
6:00 p.m. Robert J. Landry

Saturday March 14
9:00 a.m. Deacon Tony Ferretti
5:00 p.m. Mary, Queen of Peace Parishioners

Sunday March 15
8:00 a.m. Roy Glynn Holloway; Stanley Jackson; Capt. Bob McGuire; William Pfaff; Daria Chaney; Harry Viosca; Joseph S. D’Antoni; Eileen Giblin D’Antoni; Brenda Ledet D’Antoni; Nolan A. Ledet; Mildred Arabie Ledet; Julia Smyczynski; Martin Conner; Cindy Carlson
9:30 a.m. Special intention, Keith & Gloria Lousteau; Trudy Materne Eagan; Stelma Moore; David Moore; Tommy Werling; Jose Amaya; Deacon Tony Ferretti; Warren Montgomery; Janice Rose Annaloro; Special intention, John P. Glass, Catherine Glass & Family; Special intention, Mark & Kate Englehardt; Christopher Jude Pigg; Special intention, Michael Drago; Special intention, The Robinson Family
11:30 a.m. David Guillot
6:00 p.m. Jane Greene

How can we help you?

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Health Precautions

Amid growing concerns about the spread of the coronavirus, please remember some important precautions:

- If you are sick or experiencing signs of sickness, you are not obliged to attend Mass. In fact, out of charity, you ought not to attend if you are ill, according to Archbishop Aymond.

- Wash your hands frequently, soaping them up and scrubbing for at least 20 seconds before rinsing and drying with a paper towel. Hand washing is the single most effective way to stop the spread of disease, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Protection.

- During the Sign of Peace, it is appropriate to make a reverential bow of the head to those around you and say, "Peace be with you."

- If you are not feeling well, please refrain from receiving from the cup.

Thank you and let us continue to pray for those suffering from the virus, for those trying to find a cure, and for the repose of the souls of those who have died.

In Memoriam

Please pray for Yvonne Chatelain and John Struble and remember in sympathy their families and all who mourn their deaths.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

Amen.

Suggestion Summary

Adoration Chapel: There are no plans at this time to build an Adoration Chapel. Adoration is available the first Thursday of each month from 6 to 8 p.m. and the first Friday after 9 a.m. Mass until 2 p.m. In addition, the church is open during the day for prayer.

If you have not had a response to a suggestion, please contact the office at 985-202-0232.

Thank you for your suggestions!
Second Sunday of Lent

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Just for You: Ministry News & Notes from A to Z

- **A Night in Haiti:** Save the date for the 8th annual celebration of Haitian culture to support our sister parish, St. Benoit in Haiti. **Saturday, March 28** from 6-9 p.m. in the cafeteria. Dinner, beer, wine and music. $40.00 per person or $75.00 per couple. Visit [www.maryqueenofpeace.org/haiti-partnership/home](http://www.maryqueenofpeace.org/haiti-partnership/home) or purchase tickets at the parish center and after Mass March 21-22. Make checks payable to “Mary, Queen of Peace” and note “Night in Haiti” on the memo line. Tickets will also be available at the door.

- **Annulment writing workshop:** **Saturday March 28, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.** at Mary, Queen of Peace. The workshop will help answer your questions, guide you in writing your story, and provide you with confidential advice as needed. Call 985-626-6977 to register or email jfinn@arch-no.org.

- **Baptism seminar:** The next seminar will be **Monday March 30.** If you have questions, contact the office at 985-626-6977.

- **Bible Study:** "Jesus: The Way, the Truth and the Life" Bible study begins, **Wednesday March 11 after 9 a.m. Mass** To register, call the office at 985-674-9794 or email psr@maryqueenofpeace.org.

- **Catholic Women in Action Northshore Morning of Reflection:** The Crown of Discipleship, **Tuesday March 24, 9 a.m. Mass** followed by speaker Lorraine Hess. Confessions available.

- **Child care at 9:30 Mass:** There will be no child care on Sunday March 15 at 9:30 Mass due to the Welcome Women’s Retreat. There will also be no Children’s Liturgy of the Word on March 15.

- **Formed.org:** Meditations for Lent. Was Jesus, Sacrifice Enough? Learn why penance during Lent is separate from the sacrifice of Christ. Visit: [mqpmandeville.formed.org](http://mqpmandeville.formed.org)

- **FourTwelve:** High school youth group takes place each Wednesday at 7 p.m. We also offer

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FourTwelve Youth for 5th-7th grade. Contact Dylan Mitchell, dmitchell@maryqueenofpeace.org.

- **Health Ministry:** The health ministry is available to assist and direct those in need. Contact Brandi Talamo or Kari Doyle at mqphealth@gmail.com

- **Knights of Columbus:** Join today! Becoming a Knight of Columbus can transform your life. As a Knight, you support our parish, give back to our community, grow in your faith and gain access to our top-rated insurance program to protect your family. These are just some of the reasons to become a Knight. We are a band of brothers, a network of men in communities around the world dedicated to doing good in the service of God and our neighbor. Please join the Mary Queen Peace Knights of Columbus Council for new member exemplification ceremony on March 8 at 1:30 pm in the church. Contact Kevin Levy [kevinplevy@me.com](mailto:kevinplevy@me.com) or Dexter Williams [dexterwilliams333@yahoo.com](mailto:dexterwilliams333@yahoo.com)

- **Lenten Fish Fry:** Each Friday during Lent from 5 to 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria.

- **St. Joseph Altar service for children:** The St. Joseph's Altar committee invites children of all ages to join us on March 13 4-5:30pm under the pavilion. Children/teens will hear a brief overview of the history of the altar, learn what to look for when they visit and earn service hours for their work preparing and bagging items for our take home bags to be given out at the altar. **to be held on March 21.** After the work is done, feel free to walk over to the KoFIC Fish fry and attend 6pm Mass and Stations of the Cross.

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St. Vincent de Paul: In the Gospel Jesus is transfigured and a voice from heaven said, “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased: Listen to him.” Do we listen to Jesus when he asks us to take care of our brothers and sisters who are suffering? Lent is a time to swing open the doors of our hearts and allow ourselves to experience God’s love a little deeper so, that when Easter comes, we can receive the graces God offers each of us. An essential element of the Lenten season is to acknowledge not only the suffering and sacrifice of Christ but the suffering of others. As Vincentians, we pray that between now and Good Friday, you will reach out to those in need. From January 9-February 12, through your generous gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring God’s love and mercy to 9 families, providing $8,214 in food, gifts, counseling, utility and rent bills. - Susan Daigle, Phd, SVDP communications chair

Soul Core: Mary Queen of Peace offers SoulCore, a movement born from the desire to nourish body and soul. Join us Fridays at 10 a.m. in the library of the Parish Center. Email Cheryl or Brandi at soulcoresisters@gmail.com

Substance Addiction Ministry: Please join us for our monthly SAM meeting. This meeting is sponsored by MQP’s Substance Addiction Ministry. Our monthly meetings are a support group for individuals and their families who are dealing with substance abuse issues. Our SAM team members will provide resources to help struggling families. You are not alone, please use us as a resource for information. Join us at 7 PM March 10th in the Parish Center. We will have a speaker that will share their story to successful recovery. For more information call 985-778-8631 or email MQPSAM@GMAIL.COM.
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Your Stewardship Moment:
Second Sunday of Lent

Bear your share

In today’s second reading, Timothy is issued a strong directive: “Bear your share of hardship for the gospel with the strength that comes from God.” For the early Christians, this could mean torture and execution. For most Christians today, enduring hardship for the Gospel might include accepting ridicule or mockery, or the suggestion that we lack sophistication. Nevertheless, in his letters, Saint Paul is adamant that we should not be ashamed of being followers of Christ. Good stewards are not ashamed of their allegiance to Christ. They do not hide their faith.

Think about it:

Reflect on this question: Are you willing to speak about following Christ Jesus no matter who your listeners happen to be?

VOCATION

MEDITATION FOR PRIESTHOOD, DIACONATE & RELIGIOUS LIFE

“God has called us with a holy calling... according to His own purpose and grace.” If you think God is offering you the grace of a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life, Contact Fr. John at 504-715-0096.

ROUNDING STEWARDSHIP

In gratitude for God’s gifts of time, talent, and treasure we gratefully acknowledge

STEWARD OF THE MONTH:
Tom Schwaner
Tom Schwaner is an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion and is also part of the group of men who visit the Rayburn Correctional Center in Angie.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE
February 29-March 1: $25,880
Ash Wednesday collection for the poor: $8,175.

Thank you for your generosity!

Around the Archdiocese

- **Silver anniversary celebration:** The Archdiocese of New Orleans invites couples celebrating 25 years of marriage in 2020 to a celebration on March 22 at 3 p.m. at St. Joseph Church in New Orleans. This is for couples who were married in 1995. To register, please call the office by January 13. Thank you!

- **Monk Run:** Registration is now open for the 2020 Monk Run. The annual 5K/1-mile trail run and walk takes place Saturday March 14, at Saint Joseph Abbey in Covington. The 1-mile race begins at 8 a.m., while the 5K starts at 8:30 a.m. A post-race picnic for all participants will include jambalaya, burgers, and hot dogs. Register online at www.getmeregistered.com/MonkRun2020.

- **Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat:** For those hurting from abortion or miscarriage. April 17-19. To register or for more information, contact Pam Richard at 504-4y0-9360 or richj504@bellsouth.net. Visit facebook.com/rvrNOLA. The priest facilitator is Fr. Robert Cavalier. Facilitators are Pam Richard and Dona Scheuermann.

- **To Know Him is to Love Him: Apologetics for the Everyday Catholic:** A presentation at Most Holy Trinity in Covington, by Deacon Kenny Uhlich. Presentations start at 6:30 p.m. March 10: Is Christ Divine?; March 17: Is the Church from Christ; March 24: Adoration and Reflection on the Eucharist. Most Holy Trinity is located at 501 Holy Trinity Drive in Covington. For more information, call 985-892-0642.