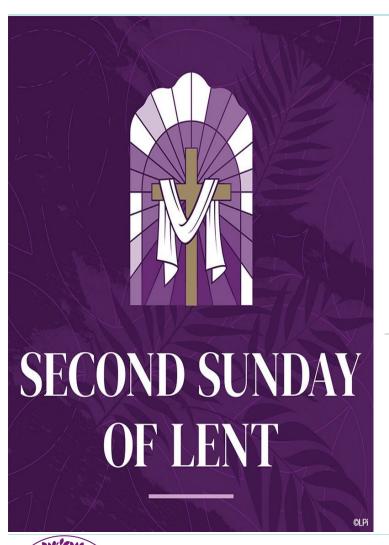
## Presentation Our Lady of Victory Roman Catholic Parish

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# THE GOOD NEWS

## SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 16, 2025





Presentation Our Lady of Victory
Mission Statement

Presentation Our Lady of Victory Church
is an urban parish that strives to
proclaim the Good News of Christ and
the beliefs of the Roman Catholic faith,
focuses on increasing our love for God through worship;
serves as stewards in the community and
continues the ministry of Jesus Christ
through prayer and evangelization.



Let us continue celebrating the Jubilee Year throughout 2025 with the Prayer of HOPE!

#### **ONE FAMILY**

Presentation Our Lady of Victory and St. Scholastica Parishes

### One Family's Mission Statement

One Family's mission is to call on the power of the Holy Spirit" to go therefore and make disciples" who are on fire for testifying to the Gospel and reflecting God's ways in the culture at large.

### One Family's Vision Statement

One Family's vision is to be the most inviting Roman Catholic, Eucharist-centered Family, radiating the joy of the Gospel in proclamation, faith, hope, and charity to all souls within our collective Family boundaries.

## OUR FAMILY WEEKLY CALENDAR March 16 ~ 23, 2025

Sunday, March 16th / Second Sunday of Lent
St. Scholastica Mass 10:00 am (Church)
POLOV Celebration of Mass 12:00 pm (Chapel)
Confirmation Preparation 1:15 pm (Convent)

Thursday, March 20th

Adoration / Confessions 5:30 ~ 6:30 pm (Chapel) Bible Study 7:00 pm (Convent)

Friday, March 21st

Weekday Mass

12:05 pm (Chapel)

Bible Study

1:00 pm (Convent)

Stations of the Cross/Soup

Support Group for All

7:00 pm (Convent)

7:00 pm (Convent)

Saturday, March 22nd

Weekday Mass / Adoration 8:00 am (Chapel) Youth Bible Study 9:40 am (Convent) Religious Education 11:00 am (Convent)

Sunday, March 23rd / Third Sunday of Lent

St. Scholastica Mass 10:00 am (Church)
POLOV YOUTH Mass 12:00 pm (Chapel)
KPC Court #189 Meeting 1:30 pm (Chapel Kitchen)

### LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

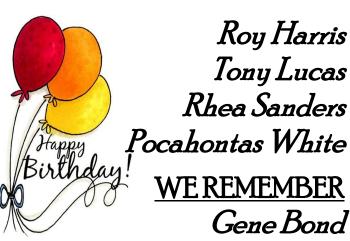
Sunday, March 16th

Presider: Fr. Marco Kiyan Lector: Rose Marie Price Servers: Nylah & Michelle Sanders

Sunday, March 23rd

Presider: Fr. Marco Kiyan Lector: Hailey Busby Servers: Joseph & Talitha Propson

## MARCH BIRTHDAYS



## THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTION Sunday, March 16, 2025

## For the healing of

## Patricia Heftler

Requested by Jeanine Murphy



### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

<u>Confirmation Preparation</u>
Sunday, March 16th after Mass (Convent)

Religious Education

Saturday, March 22nd @11:00 am (Convent)

YOUTH SUNDAY
March 23rd

Come and spend some quality time with the Lord

## ADORATION & CONFESSION

Every Thursday evening from 5:30 ~ 6:30 pm in the Chapel





Alma Bernett, Elizabeth Bey, Gail Bond,
Fr. Stephen Burr, Belinda Danzy,
Sarah Diggs, Ruth Donaldson, Melvin D. Giles,
Marjorie Greene, Alice Griffin, James Griffin,
James Huse, Ted LaGarde, Edith Leinonen,
Brown Leonard II, Lisa Leonard, Verita Morris,
Betty Palmer, John Peavy, Harlis Pollock,
Steven Price, Priscilla Propson,
Giovanni Rankin, Fr. Alex Steinmiller,
Sharon Stevens, Arline Timbers,
Beneaver Townsend, Ivra Townsend,
Mary Ware, Wayne Washington

## Worship & Meditation

## Readings for the week of March 16, 2025

#### Sunday:

Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14/ Phil 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1/Lk 9:28b-36

#### Monday:

Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/ Lk 6:36-38

#### **Tuesday:**

Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12

#### Wednesday:

2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

#### Thursday:

Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31

#### Friday:

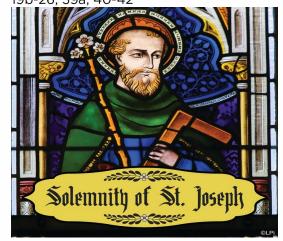
Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

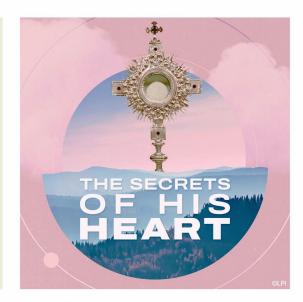
#### Saturday:

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

#### **Next Sunday:**

Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 (8a)/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9 Scrutiny: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/ Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42





## **Gospel Meditation Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture**

St. Thomas Aquinas said that friends share three things: time, possessions and secrets. For example, how do I know if you're my friend? Well, let's say we've been to Mexico together, you've tried my shaky attempts at pasta carbonara, and you know what ridiculous costume I wore in a music video I filmed in my early twenties. We, dear reader, are definitely friends. We've shared time, possessions and secrets.

How does friendship with Jesus develop? The same way. Jesus lives and eats with his disciples. Then he takes Peter, James and John to Mount Tabor and there reveals to them his deepest secret: his glorious, divine Sonship. The majesty of God shines from within his humanity in a way that goes beyond description. God the Father confirms this "secret," saying, "This is my chosen Son, listen to him" (Luke 9:35). It's all so precious that "they fell silent and did not at that time tell anyone." Do we take time to be alone with Christ, to allow him to mystically share this "secret" with us as his dear friends?

**Lenten challenge:** This week, identify one time when you experienced an awareness of some specific aspect of Jesus — perhaps on a retreat, at Mass, in prayer or in an act of service. Spend ten minutes consciously re-living that experience in your heart. If you can't recall one, set aside at least two hours this Lent as a mini retreat, either alone in nature or in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Focus on him and ask him to share the secrets of his heart with you. He will. Then, as his friend, share the secrets in your heart.

— Father John Muir

#### PRESENTATION OUR LADY OF VICTORY PARISH

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#### PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM

Parish Council Representatives: Anthony Timbers, Monika Uriel
Finance Council Representatives: Jonathan Sanders, Chairperson ~ Stacey Busby, Anthony Timbers, Michael Vincent

#### **RELIGIOUS FORMATION**

Adult Faith Formation / Marriage Preparation: Reverend Mr. Hubert Sanders Religious Education / Sacramental Preparation / Youth Group: Mrs. Wanda Sanders

#### WORSHIP

Sacristan: Ms. Mary Maurant Liturgy: Ms. Jeanine Murphy Ushers Ministry: Mr. Anthony Timbers

#### EVANGELICAL CHARITY / ORGANIZATIONS

St. Vincent de Paul Society: Ms. Monika Uriel
Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary, Court #189: Mrs. Shirley Slaughter

#### **SACRAMENTS**

Reconciliation: By appointment only at this time. Please call 313.255.9000 or 586.596.2089 to schedule an appointment.

Baptism: Please contact the Parish Office Marriage: Weddings must be arranged at least six months in advance

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### **CATHOLIC RESOURCES**

† Ave Maria Radio ~ 990 am

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† EWTN Global Catholic Radio Open Line Monday-Friday 3pm

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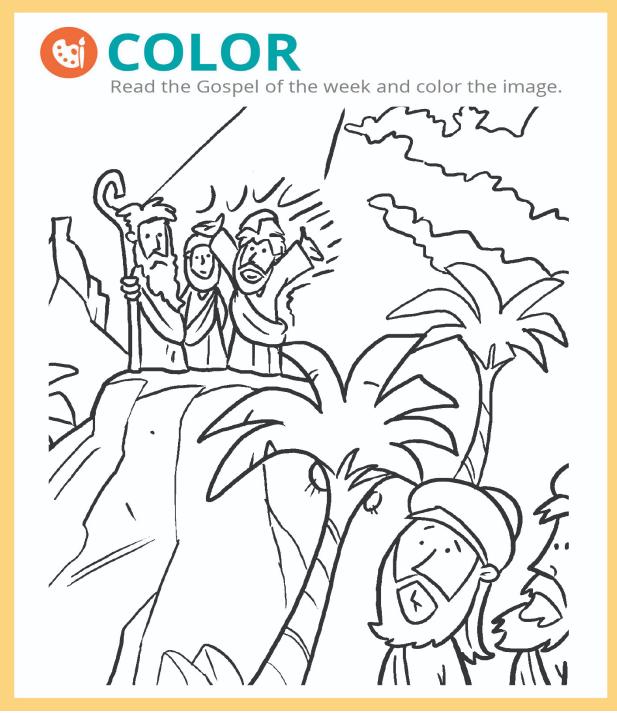
One night when Jesus prayed, Jesus showed Peter, James and John what he would look like in heaven. Jesus' face changed and his clothes glowed brightly. Jesus even talked to Moses and Elijah, who had gone to heaven many years earlier. Jesus was different. He was from God!



Dear Jesus, I can hardly wait to see what you really look like in heaven.









Help Jesus find the way to his tent.





Find something that glows in the dark. As you see it in a dark room, imagine how brightly Jesus must have glowed.

