

## MASS INTENTIONS

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12<sup>TH</sup>**

No Mass

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13<sup>TH</sup>**

Barbara Broussard

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14<sup>TH</sup>**

Father Mark Beard, Edgar Dugar, Jet Keen, Ann LaBarbera, Veda Misita, Harold Wright, Liz Forshag, Tony Paul Ardillo, Raella Armand, Burrell Carter, Barbara Broussard, Lynette Costanza, Rosemary & Nolan Graham, Ann Courtney, Harrell Griffin, Marie Schillaci, Anthony Laciura, Joe Gaeta Sr., Donald Graves, Brenda, Emile Bellavia, Michael Henry, David Paul Delaune, Billy Higgins, Harold Beard, Souls in Purgatory, Catherine Calamari, Chuck Pulliam, Doug Kent

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15<sup>TH</sup>**

Father Mark Beard, Jacob Musacchia, Ann Courtney, Jet Keen, Veda Misita, Ann LaBarbera, Harold Wright, Barbara Broussard, Raella Armand, Dennis Mussare, Carter Church, Carole Church Grout, Beverly Esteven, Emile Bellavia, John Vaccaro, Lynette Costanza, Mary Ellen Knight, Jack Stidham, Jack Liuzza, RD & Elsie Bridges, Rose & James Webb, Souls in Purgatory, Catherine Calamari, Doug Kent, Larry Barman

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16<sup>TH</sup>**

Barbara Broussard

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17<sup>TH</sup>**

Harold Wright

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18<sup>TH</sup>**

Ann Labarbera

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18<sup>TH</sup>**

Tomas Reyes-Villarreal

## PRAYER LIST

Christie Raymond, Joe Hand, Matt Smith, Mike Agnello, Pete Drude, Fran Poche, Anthony Micheli, Teresa Grace, Lindsey Booty, Christine & Jerry Sharp, Laura Faust, Frances Reid, Annie Monistere, Angel Monistere, Carla Davidson, Carol Asher, TJ Pittman, Matthew Shockley, Shelia Sullivan, Macie Gerarve, Tom & Myra Gentrup, Eric Tarver, Susie Cox, Jerry Rispone, Linda Hulsey, Carl & Gail Keller, Pam Elder, Savina Campo, Katelyn Delbasty, Lorie Delbasty, Ronnie Delbasty, Diann Delbasty, Wanda Miles, Lucinda Voight, Mya Arrazate, Toney Cantu, Kenneth Hill, Conner Corkern, Alice Perez, Frances Currier, Alice Currier, Jay Ardillo, Brian Rueb, Hank & Karen Scheumacher, Douglas Hill, Doris Wright, Lucille Scheurer, Ashley Travis, Tisa & John Cooper, Jerry Laciura & Family, Catherine Calamari, Kailee Spinks Neal, Jeff McBride, Daryl Carruth, JoEllen Carruth, Nancy Carruth, Darlene Smith, Nancy Brown, Bill Donahue, Pat Ducros, Carl Ledet, Terry Howell, Fred Bourgoyne Jr., Imelda Travis, Kenneth Travis, Anthony Recile, A.E. "Buck" Cefalu, Jason Lassigne, Trent Jones, Tereja Uttankar, Francis Uttankar, Vijay Uttankar, Rayir Uttankar

## PRAYER LIST



**We at St. Helena Catholic Church are committed to educating, directing, and sustaining all who visit, in particular those who draw near, to the teachings and traditions of Holy Mother Church; this Mission will be achieved by employing Cardinal virtues of Justice, Prudence, Temperance and Fortitude.**

## MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

### TRAVELING STATUE PRAYER DEVOTION

*For the return of our Lapsed Catholics  
For the Children of St. Helena  
For the Families of St. Helena  
For the Souls in Purgatory  
For St. Helena Church  
For our Priests  
For Peace*

*Sign-up information on other side of bulletin*

## MINISTRIES AT ST. HELENA

**If you would like to learn more about the following Ministries, please take a card at the end of your pew and send response to email listed on the card.**

Bereavement Ministry	Thursday Bible Study
Catholic Daughters	Full of Grace
Jr. Catholic Daughters	Knights of Columbus
Maintenance Committee	Nursing Home Ministry
Spanish Ministry	St. Jude Bible Study
St. Vincent de Paul	Totus Tuus
Traveling Prayer Devotion	Youth

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE

Larry Toups, Peter Vangiel, James Hoover, Dennis Toups, William Graham, Vince Owen, Brandon Thompson, Jerry Dyer, Jamie Cutrer, Eric Russell, James Sylvester, Mark Prine, Robert Tillwell, Chris Bennett, Dewayne Spears, Nic Edwards, Jake Cristina, Scott Swilley, Angie Swilley, Chris Brunet, Jacob Rankin, James Michael Dupuis, Daniel Mays, Jim Bravis Redmond Jr., Daniel Santora, Jerry Simmons, Wesley Corkern, Lucas Edward Thigpen, John Accord, Maxwell Conger, Kyle Joseph Rosalies, Jordon Quinn, Adrian Gonzalez Moreno, Sgt. Matthew Vallot, Lt. Molly Fekete, Wesley Corkern, Jacob Frazier, Braeden Hallmark, Trent Smith, Andrew Zaffuto, Judson Sandifer

Please call the Office if you would like to add or remove someone on the Service List.

## IN DEFENSE OF MOTHER CHURCH

### REPARATION TO THE HOLY FACE & THE HOLY NAME

When a man's name is reviled, it is reflected on his face. Consider the Holy Face of Our Lord in His Passion; stained, bloody, bruised, covered with filth, dust, and spittle. These indignities suffered by Our Lord represent the sins against the first three Commandments. Blasphemy, the disrespect of God and sacred things, atheism, and the profanation of the Holy Name and the Holy Day of Sunday are the greatest sins against God and are reflected in the Holy Face of Jesus Christ. How can we console Him?

Our Lord told Blessed Maria Pierina De Micheli, Daughter of the Immaculate Conception, **"I firmly wish that My Face reflecting the intimate pains of My Soul, the suffering and love of My Heart, be more honored. Whoever gazes upon Me, already consoles Me..."**

The mystery of the sorrowful Face of Christ was also revealed to Sr. Marie St. Pierre, a Carmelite nun of Tours, France. The Lord made her see that the Church, His spouse, is His mystical body and that religion is the face of His body, which is the target for the enemies of His Name. "I saw," she said "through this illumination that the impious by... evil words, and blaspheming the Holy Name of God, spit in the Face of the Savior and cover it with mud; that all the blows given by sectarians to the Holy Church and to religion, are a renewal of the numberless blows which were inflicted on the Face of Our Lord ..."

After giving Sr. Marie St. Pierre this revelation, the Savior said to her: **"I seek for Veronicas to wipe and honor My Divine Face, for It has few worshippers... As for you, I give you MY FACE, in order to recompense the great desires you have conceived in your heart. I give it to you in the name of My Father, in the virtue of the Holy Spirit, in the presence of the angels and of the saints; I make this gift to you by the hands of My Most Holy Mother and St. Veronica who will teach you how to honor It... Henceforth, if any do not recognize My work in this, it will be because they close their eyes to it."**

**On Tuesday, February 13<sup>th</sup> (Mardi Gras Day), We will offer a Votive Mass of Reparation in Honor of the Holy Face of Jesus at 7:30am, followed by a devotion to the Holy Face.**

## St. Helena Catholic Church 2024 Lenten Schedule

Lent is a time of returning to God. It is a time to confess how we keep looking for joy, peace and satisfaction in the many people and things surrounding us, without really finding what we desire. Lent is a time of refocusing, or reentering the place of truth, of reclaiming our true identity as beloved sons and daughters of God.

### Lenten Daily Mass Schedule | Tuesday - Friday 7:30am Ways of the Cross | 6pm every Friday during Lent.



#### ASH WEDNESDAY

February 14, 2024 Mass at 7:00am & 5:00pm  
Confession at St. Helena on Ash Wednesday 3:30pm

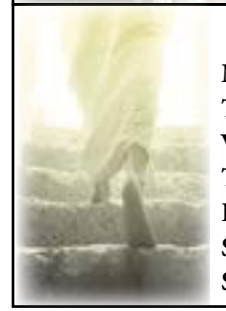


#### PALM SUNDAY WEEKEND

Saturday, March 23, 2024 - Vigil Mass at 4pm  
Sunday, March 24, 2024 - Mass at 9am & Spanish Mass at 2pm



#### LENTEN CONFESSIONS AT ST. HELENA Wednesdays & Thursdays at 5:00pm



#### HOLY WEEK (March 24 -31, 2024)

**Monday**, March 25<sup>th</sup> - 7:30am Daily Mass  
**Tuesday**, March 26<sup>th</sup> - 7:30am Daily Mass  
**Wednesday**, March 27<sup>th</sup> - 7:30am Daily Mass  
**Thursday**, March 28<sup>th</sup> - Holy Thursday Mass at 6:00pm  
**Friday**, March 29<sup>th</sup> - Good Friday Service at 1:30-3:00pm  
**Saturday**, March 30<sup>th</sup> - Holy Saturday Vigil Mass at 7:30pm  
**Sunday**, March 31<sup>st</sup> - Easter Sunday Mass at 9am and Spanish Mass at 2pm

## HOPE CORNER



### Our Lady of Hope Catholic Retreat Center

Chatawa, MS - (601)-202-3137 - OurLadyofHopeMS.com

**Upcoming Retreats: Register at ourladyofhopems.com/events**

### The Actions of Satan and the Demons, A Silent Retreat with Fr. Robert-Joel Cruz

February 15th-18th

A quick look...

In the history of salvation, there are angelic creatures, some of whom serve the Divine plan and offer a mysterious and powerful help to the Church; others, on the other hand, fallen from their original dignity and called diabolical, oppose the will and salvific action of God, fulfilled in Christ, and seek to associate man with their rebellion against God... From DESQ (De Exorcismis et Supplicationibus Quibusdam), citta de Vaticano

**Our Lady of Hope Full of Grace Gift Shop & Perkatory Coffee Shop**  
Monday-Saturday, 8am-3pm; Sunday after Mass

### Ladies Book Club (March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2024)

Presented by Fr. Robert Cavlier

#### Book of the Month:



## IN THE KNOW...

### ADORATION AT ST. HELENA

Monday-Saturday 6am-6pm

We ask that you pray with us each week for one hour for Holy Mother Church and our Country. Please call to discuss a day you would like to pray and set up your hour.  
English- Diane Murphy 985-320-7123 / Spanish- Beatriz Manriquez 985-415-5063

**St. Helena Youth Group** will be on hiatus until April 3<sup>rd</sup> as we restructure our youth nights.



Join us to Celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday of

### GEORGE E. VAN ZANDT

on Saturday, February 17<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm  
In St. Helena's Parish Hall

Please RSVP the Church Office at 985-748-9057



THE CDA ARE SELLING  
KING CAKES AND  
MAUTHE CHEESECAKES  
THIS WEEKEND  
AFTER MASSES

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PHARMACY FOR THE NEEDY

Next Weekend, We will have medicine bottles to put monetary donations in. Please return your medicine bottles with your donation to the container located in the entrance of Church.

### PSR TEACHERS MEETING FEBRUARY 27<sup>th</sup> AT 6PM.

If you would like to teach or be an assistant teacher at PSR this year, please come to the meeting.

### PSR VOLUNTEERS

If you would like to volunteer for PSR this summer contact the Church Office 985-748-9057.

### ST. JOSEPH ALTAR (MARCH 10, 2024) - WORK DAYS

**Week 3:** February 19<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> | **Week 4:** February 26<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup>, March 1<sup>st</sup> | **Week 5:** March 4<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup>  
If you would like to help with this wonderful tradition, please contact Ursula Sherman at 985-517-2728.

**This Year's PSR Program is scheduled for June 10<sup>th</sup> thru June 21<sup>st</sup>. Registration Info to Come.**

## PLEASE CONSIDER SUPPORTING THESE FUNDRAISERS:

### Mater Dolorosa Catholic School Bathroom Renovation Raffle

**1<sup>st</sup> Prize:** Polaris Ranger 570 | **2<sup>nd</sup> Prize:** \$1,000 Cash  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Prize:** Weekend Trip to Triple C Lodge in Osyka, MS  
\$20 per Ticket -- 6 Tickets for \$100 | Tickets Available at St. Helena Office  
**Prizes Donated by our very own Full of Grace Foundation!**



### Independence Knights of Columbus

#### Four-Friday Fish Fry!

With Mardi Gras Potatoes & Cole Slaw  
Feb 16<sup>th</sup>, Mar 1<sup>st</sup>, Mar 15<sup>th</sup>, Mar 22<sup>nd</sup>  
\$14 Donation | 10:30am - 6:00pm | 232 Dileo Drive  
To benefit Mater Dolorosa Church and School

### Saint Thomas Aquinas Catholic High School

#### Falcon Fest 2024

**Featuring: Cowboy Mouth**  
March 23<sup>rd</sup> - Gates open at 6:00pm.  
For more info, please email: jammie.dowden@stafalcons.org



# MINISTRIES AT ST. HELENA

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY (WEDDINGS/CONVALIDATIONS)**  
6 Months in Advance

**PARISH OFFICE NOTIFICATION**

We are asking that you notify the Parish Office if a family member is Ill, Homebound or Hospitalized.

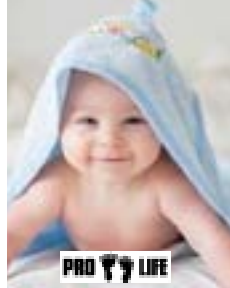
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**BAPTISMAL SEMINARS**

Please contact the Church Office in advance to register for a class.

“Our Lord does not come down from Heaven every day to lie in a golden ciborium. He comes to find another heaven which is infinitely dearer to him - the heaven of our souls, created in His Image, the living temples of the Adorable Trinity.”  
- St. Therese of Lisieux



**FEBRUARY 11, 2024**  
**6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

“Do everything for the glory of God.”  
Give Him the glory through your marriage. Your vocation is your sanctification in this life to lead you to sainthood in the next. Pray for your spouse each day and lead each other to Heaven.

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**Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*"...Whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God!"*  
- 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1



**MASS SCHEDULE:**  
Saturday Vigil 4pm;  
Sunday 9am;  
Sunday Spanish 2pm

**DAILY MASS:**  
Tuesday - Friday 7:30am

**CONFESSION:**  
Wednesday 5-6pm;  
Thursday 5-6pm

**1st SATURDAY:**  
1st Saturday Mass 8am

**OFFICE HOURS:**  
Monday-Friday 8am-5pm