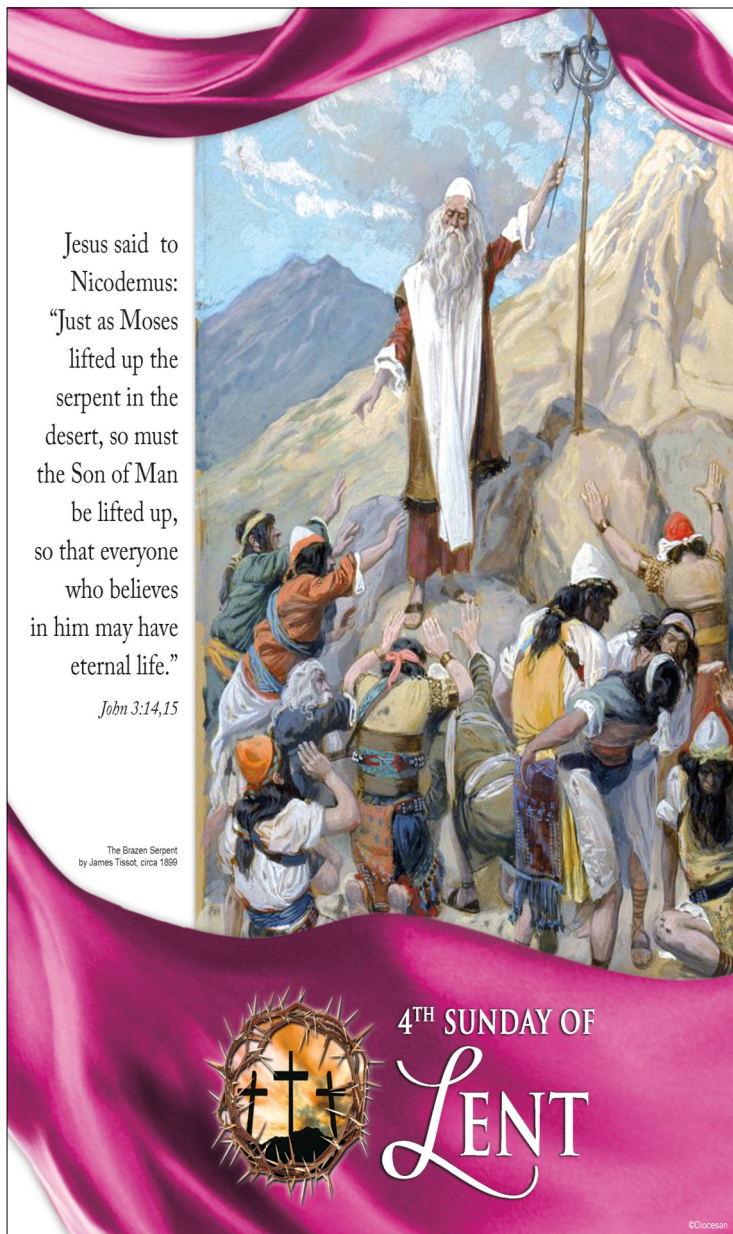


March 10, 2024 † Fourth Sunday of Lent



Our Lady of Prompt Succor Catholic Church

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Office Hours | Monday - Friday | 8:00 am - 12:00 pm | 1 pm - 4pm



Jesus said to Nicodemus: "Just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the desert, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, so that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life."

John 3:14,15

The Brazen Serpent by James Tissot, circa 1899

4TH SUNDAY OF
LENT

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Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday | 7:00 am
Thursday | 7:00 am Adoration & Benediction | 8:00 am
Saturday | 8:00 am First Saturday | 4:00 pm Vigil
Sunday | 7:00 am | 10:00 am | 5:00 pm

Confessions

30 minutes before every Mass
Thursday & Saturday - 1 hour before Mass
Anytime by appointment - Call the office to schedule.

Contact the Church Office to Arrange:

- * Anointing of the Sick * Baptism * Marriage *
- * New Parishioner Registration * Visits to the Sick *

Mission Statement

We the people of Our Lady of Prompt Succor Catholic Church in Chackbay, invoking the guidance of the Holy Spirit, propose to "Go and Make Disciples" by making use of our God-given talents for: 1) building up a Catholic worshiping community, 2) learning more about our Catholic faith and Scriptures, 3) serving others, especially in matters of social justice, 4) reaching out to one another in faith, and becoming an example of love to all we come in contact with, beginning with our own families.



**FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT
For God So Loved the World!**

John 3:16 contains one of the most well-known Bible verses to mankind: “For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life.” As Catholics, we believe that the love God offers is available to all and that there are no limits to His love. There is nothing we can do that would make Him stop loving us, we just have to choose to accept His love for us in return. What wondrous love it is!

God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, together, exist in an ongoing triangle of love. Simply put, Jesus Christ is the Light of the world, offering to any person who chooses to love Him infinite love in return. What greater news than this! How blessed we are to be sons and daughters of God!

The Ladies Altar Society is collecting their annual membership dues of \$10. We will not meet in March. Our next meeting will be on Thursday, April 25th at 5:30 pm in the Parish Hall. Potluck dinner will be served. New members are always welcomed.

The Ladies Altar Society is accepting donations for the **Easter Floral Memorial**. If you would like to honor the memory of someone in this special way, please place their name and your donation in an envelope labeled “Easter Floral Memorial” and return in the collection basket **no later than Sunday, March 17th**.

The next baptismal seminar will be Thursday, April 4, at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall. Baptism will be on Sunday, April 7, after the 10 am Mass. Please call the church office to register if you would like to have your baby baptized. We must have a copy of your baby’s birth certificate, along with all paperwork completed and turned in to the church office before the seminar. Baptism sponsors must be Catholic, at least 16 years of age, have received the Sacrament of Confirmation, and must be in good standing with the Catholic Church.

LENT

Prayer † Fasting † Almsgiving

Sunday, March 10, 2024

2:00 pm First Communion Mass

Tuesday, March 19, 2024

7:00 am Mass, Solemnity of St. Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The St. Joseph’s Altar will be set-up in church until 4pm.

Wednesday, March 20, 2024

6 pm - 8 pm “The Light is On”

Palm Sunday of the Lord’s Passion, March 24, 2024

Normal Mass Schedule

Holy Thursday, March 28, 2024

10:30 am Chrism Mass, St. Francis de Sales Cathedral, Houma

7:00 pm Mass of the Lord’s Supper, Adoration until midnight

Good Friday, March 29, 2024 (Fast and Abstinence)

10:00 am Way of the Cross

3:00 pm The Lord’s Passion/Veneration of the Cross

4:00 pm Divine Mercy Novena

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Confessions

Holy Saturday, March 30, 2024

8:00 pm Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday, March 31, 2024

6:30 am Outdoor Sunrise Mass/Rectory Front Lawn

Please bring a chair.

10:00 am Mass in Church

No 5 PM Mass

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 7, 2024

Normal Mass Schedule

Easter Egg Hunt after 10:00 am Mass

Divine Mercy Holy Hour - Adoration & Confession 2 - 3pm

Veneration of Divine Mercy Image; Divine Mercy Chaplet



**2023 Annual Bishop’s Appeal
All Gifts Provide Hope**

Our parish is pleased with the very good early response to the 2024 Bishop’s Appeal, for which we are immensely thankful. Thus far, we have achieved 3.47% of our goal of \$27,000.00. However, we know that there are still many who have yet to make their commitment. Please prayerfully consider making a gift to the Bishop’s Appeal by returning your commitment card in the offertory, or simply mail it to the diocese in the provided envelope, use the QR Code provided below, or you may visit www.htdiocese.org/bishopsappeal to make your gift online. Every gift no matter how big or small makes a difference across our diocese. Your prayers and gifts directly support our 4 Seminarians, 16 retired priests, Youth and Adult Formation Mentor Training, Catholic Education through our Catholic Schools Office, Diocesan Ethnic Ministries, and Colonel Catholic Campus Ministry. If you would like more information about the 2024 Appeal, please contact the Annual Bishop’s Appeal Office at 985-850-3136, or email lcrosby@htdiocese.org.





March 02 - 03, 2024

Weekly Envelopes	\$ 4,380.00
Weekly Loose	\$ 1,622.00
Maintenance Fund	\$ 4,530.00
Candles	\$ 134.00
Poor Box	\$ 95.00

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SHARING GOD'S BLESSINGS FOR HIS GLORY

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

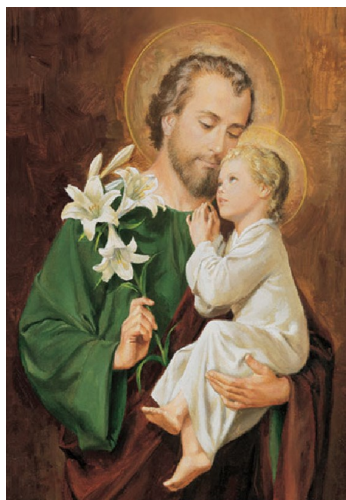
The Catholic Relief Services Collection, second collection for the weekend of March 9 - 10. This collection provides funding for Catholic Relief Services, the USCCB Offices of International Justice and Peace, Migration and Refugee Services and Pastoral Care for Migrants and Refugees, relief work of the Holy Father, and the Catholic Legal Immigration Network.



We will be collecting palms for Palm Sunday. If you have any palms to share, please clean and drop them off at the front entrance of the church on Wednesday, March 20th.



KC COUNCIL #8743 recently presented Lafourche ARC with a donation of \$1,005.00, which was the total of donations from the recent OLPS KC 8743 Tootsie Roll Drive. Thanks to all OLPS parishioners for their generous donations! May God bless you and your families!



Feast of Saint Joseph

Please join us for Holy Mass to celebrate **"The Solemnity of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary"**, Tuesday, March 19th at 7 am. The Saint Joseph Altar will remain in church until 4pm.

Please pray the **9 Day Novena**, which begins on March 11th and ends on the feast day of Saint Joseph, March 19th. Novena pamphlets are available in the back of church.

Scripture Readings For the Week

- Sun. 3/10:** Fourth Sunday of Lent; 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23; Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21
- Mon. 03/11:** Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2 & 4, 5-6, 11-12a & 13b; Jn 4:43-54
- Tues. 03/12:** Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16
- Wed. 03/13:** Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30
- Thurs. 03/14:** Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Jn 5:31-47
- Fri. 03/15:** Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 & 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
- Sat. 03/16:** Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Jn 7:40-53
- Sun. 03/17:** Fifth Sunday of Lent; Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:20-33

Mass Intentions March 12 - 17, 2024

- Mar. 12, 7am** Mark Ordoyne, Scott Landry, Lester Percle
- Mar. 13, 7am** Corlis Chiasson-birthday
- Mar. 14, 8am** Louis Duet, Trey St. Pierre, Eric & Allison Chiasson-wedding anniversary
- Mar. 15, 7am** June Waguespack, Vincent & Jeanne Mahler
- Mar. 16, 4pm** Harry & Vivian Clement, Johnny Rome, Johnny Ordoyne, Elton LeBlanc, Ann Bourgeois, Mary Ann Borne, Jane Percle, Miriam Acosta, Charlie Leonard
- Mar. 17, 7am** Aimee Scioneaux, Mark Ordoyne, Sr., George & Therese Reulet, Sylvia Bourgeois, Brenda Clement, Edward Webre, Jr., Mr. & Mrs. Maurice Hymel, Jr., Christina Zeringue, Manuel Rodrigue
- Mar. 17, 10am** Daniel, Octavia & Harry A. Clement, Norman, Mervin & Roy Clement, Ida Oubre, Joseph Bourgeois, Jr., Wicknel P. & Pearl R. Scioneaux, Stephen T. Barker, Louis Duet, Mrs. Bertha Mahler, Mr. & Mrs. Harry Boudreaux, Mr. & Mrs. Addis Mahler, Lester & Kevin Percle
- Mar. 17, 5pm** Patrick Thibodaux, Cas Abel Thibodaux, Thanksgiving to God & St. Patrick

