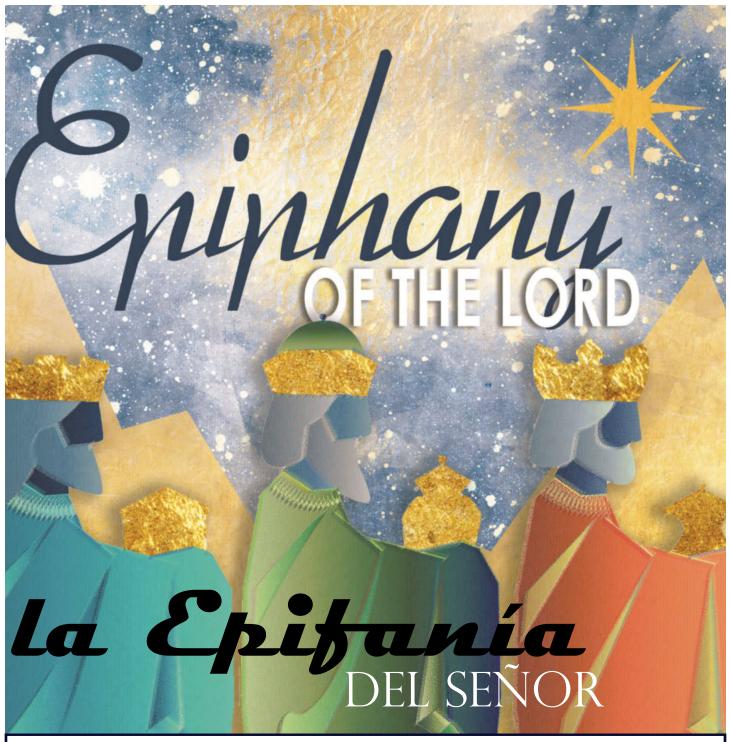


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THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD, JANUARY 7, 2024 DÍA DE LA EPIFANÍA DEL SEÑOR, 7 DE ENERO DE 2024



TO BE THE PLACE OF ENCOUNTER WITH THE FULLNESS OF CHRIST IN THIS COMMUNITY. SER EL LUGAR DE ENCUENTRO CON LA PLENITUD DE CRISTO EN ESTA COMUNIDAD.



WEEK AT A GLANCE SUNDAY, JANUARY 7 Rosary 30 minutes before Mass **EXCEPT 7:00 AM**

7:00 am	Mass - English
8:30 am	Mass - English
9:45 am	Confessions
9:45 am	PSR English
9:45 am	Coffee and Donuts
11:00 am	Mass - English
12:30 pm	PSR Español
3:00 pm	Misa en Español
5:00 pm	Mass - English
6:30 pm	Charismatic Renewal

MONDAY, JANUARY 8

7:00 am Mass -English-Office of Readings

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9

6.30 am

6:30 am

6:30 am	Rosary
7:00 am	Mass -English-Office of Readin
1:00 pm	Mass - St. Thomas Rutherford
12:30 pm	Legion of Mary
5:45-6:45 pm	Adoration and Confessions
7:00 pm	Troops of St. George
7:00 pm	Misa en español

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10

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7:00 am	Mass - English-Office of Readings
5:00-5:45 pm	Adoration and Confessions
6:00 pm	Mass

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11 **ADORATION**

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7:00 am	Mass - English -Office of Readings
	Adoration after Mass until Friday 6:45
12:00 pm	St. Thomas Rutherford Mass
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6:30-8:00 pm Confessions

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12 **ADORATION**

6:00 am	Confessions
7:00 am	Mass - English
8:10 am	School Mass

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13

7:30 am	Rosary
8:00 am	Mass
8:45-9:45 am	Confessions
4:00 pm	Rosary
4:30 pm	Vigil Mass
5:30 pm	Confessions
6:00 pm	Rosary
6:30 pm	Misa de Vigilia en español

Worship & Spiritual Life

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions will be honored, although times or dates may be altered. All Masses are public.

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SUNDAY, JANUAR	?Y	7 - The Epiphany of the Lord
7:00 am	†	Margarita Maria Zurita
8:30 am		Saint Rose Parishioners
11:00 am		Frank Cathey, Jr.
3:00 pm	†	Hugo Zavala
5:00 pm		Praying for Prodigals
MONDAY, JANUAI	RY	8 - The Baptism of the Lord
7:00 am	†	Cloe Randolph
TUESDAY, JANUA	RY	9
7:00 am	+	Margarita Maria Zurita

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10

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7:00 am		Antonia Aceves Hernandez
6:00 pm	+	Douglas Hugh

Sidronia Mateos

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11

† Pacaud Bell 7:00 am

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12

7:00 pm

7:00 am	†	J.R. Savko
8:10 am	†	Ron Hugh

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13 - St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church; BVM

8:00 am	†	Mary Bridgewater
4:30 pm	†	Kathy Eckardt
6:30 pm	+	Pasquale Rodriguez

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14 - 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Saint Rose Parishioners
	Michelle Hauet
	Killian Brummet
†	Pedro Estrella
	Praying for Prodigals
	†

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 7 - 14, 2024

Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 (see 11)/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-

Monday: Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 (3)/1 Jn 5:1-9/Mk 1:7-11 Tuesday:1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/Mk 1:40-45 Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 2:13-17

Next Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4 7-8, 8-9, 10 (8a, 9a)/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42

FIRST RECONCILIATION/ FIRST COMMUNION PARENTS

Please remember to attend the mandatory Parent meeting on Tuesday, January 9 in the Jo Call Room at 6:30 pm. For more information, contact Lynn Sigler (lsigler@saintrose.org)

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE

JOE GASKINS

husband of Raguel Gaskins died on 12/30/2023. Please pray for the repose of his soul and for the consolation of his family. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen

CHRISTIAN STEWARDS

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

SEARCHING FOR THE SAVIOR Dear Fellow Disciples, peace.

The feast of the Epiphany of the Lord corresponds to the contemplation of humanity who quest for salvation. The Magi, traveling from far away, and asking for information here and there, are symbols of those who, step by step, are searching for the meaning of life. They are resolved to accomplish their goal.

They recognized this goal or meaning of life in the person of Jesus, poor and humble. The lack of any exterior sign of power and greatness is another clue for those who desired to commit to this new King without second intention or hidden agendas.

This is the journey of every disciple of Jesus, the way of discipleship. A quest for salvation and daily commitment to Jesus, step by step, free of second intentions or hidden agendas. Until the quest is quenched in the encounter with Him.

May the Holy Spirit be our star of Bethlehem, guiding us to Jesus. God bless

Fr. Chris Nunes

VIRGIN MARY DIVINE SHEPHERDESS



Divina Pastora is a statue of the Madonna and Child, the Virgin Mary holding the infant Jesus, with a lamb at her side. It is considered to be one of the most important religious icons of Venezuela. Divina Pastora is the patron saint of the city of Barquisimeto and of the Venezuelan National Militia.

The devotion to the Divina Pastora in Venezuela dates from 1736, when the parish priest of the town of Santa Rosa commissioned a sculptor to make a statue of the Immaculate Conception. Unexpectedly, the figure that was delivered was of the Divina Pastora. When they wanted to return it, they tried to carry it but could not move it. The population interpreted this as a sign that the statue wanted to remain with them.

There was an earthquake, the temple where it was found was destroyed but the statue was not damaged, reinforcing the faith in it. Later on there was a cholera epidemic where many families died, desperate neighbors decided to take the statue of Virgin Mary Divina Pastora in a procession through the streets to implore mercy and the epidemic was stopped. For this reason every January 14th it leaves in procession from the Church of Saint Rose of Lima where it is located and it is transferred to the cathedral. It is considered the 2nd most important in Latin America after the Virgin of Guadalupe.

Mary Virgin Divina Pastor is honored in many other countries La Divina Pastora reflects Trinidad's interfaith tradition in that she is venerated by Catholics, Hindus, and the indigenous Warao people. Divina Pastora, which used to be called Ladeira, is a small town in the interior of Sergipe, the smallest state in Brazil. It is situated at the top of a hill.

The National Shrine of La Virgen Divina Pastora, known canonically as the Three Kings Parish, is a shrine in Gapan City in the Philippines that was founded in 1589. It is one of the oldest Roman Catholic churches in the country, and the oldest and the biggest colonial church in Nueva Ecija.

Hispanic Community Invites you on Saturday, January 13. Procession (weather permitting) at 5:30 pm. Food for sale (benefits the Capital Campaign) and cultural activities in the Gym after the 6:30 Mass.



STEWARDSHIP

TREASURE SHARED
Week # 26, Ending 12-25-2023

Weekly Donations Offertory:

Operating Deposits	40,100
eGiving Deposits	10,845
Total Collected	50,945
Designated Donations:	
Designated Deposits	4,850
eGiving Deposits	2,207
Total Collected	7,057
Total this Week:	58,002
*Average Weekly Budget	43,039
Weekly Surplus / (Deficit)	14,963

Year To Date Donations

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Regular Donations	1,009,401
Extraordinary Donations.	
Total Year to Date	1,009,401
*Year to Date Budget	1,119,016
Year to Date Surplus/(Deficit)	(109,615)
There were 3,569 registered families	
& 556 families that gave via check,	

GIVING TO SAINT ROSE

envelope or eGiving.

Please remember the financial needs of the parish.



You may use this QR code or go to www.saintrose.org and click on Giving to give one time or to set up recurring gifts. Online giving may also be accessed through the myParish app



LOOKING TO ATTEND EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL CONGRESS?

We have three beds available for any female wishing to attend the National

Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis, IN from July 17-21, 2024. The house is approximately one mile from the event venue and we are planning on walking. If you would like to carpool, we will be leaving on July 16th. Please contact Christina Bien: cbien@saintrose.org to coordinate arrangements.

There is currently a 10% discount for passes to the National Eucharistic Congress. Please go to https://www.eucharisticcongress.org/register and use the code EMMANUEL for 10% off the original fee!



MISA DE ANIVERSARIO DE BODAS DEL DÍA MUNDIAL DEL MATRIMONIO

Todos los matrimonios están invitados a celebrar su aniversario de bodas de una manera especial este año en la Misa del Día Mundial del Matrimonio con el Obispo Spalding en la Catedral de la Encarnación el domingo 4 de febrero de 2024 a las 2:30 p.m. Pueden asistir de aniversarios de cualquier año (reconocimiento especial para aniversarios importantes de 25, 50, 60+ años). Después de la Santa Misa habrá una recepción. Si desea asistir, confirme su asistencia indicando cuántos miembros de su grupo asistirán a la Oficina de Matrimonio y Vida Familiar en línea en nashvillefaithformation.com/mfl-events

DESPENSA DE COMIDA DE SANTA ROSA

La despensa de alimentos de Santa Rose está abierta a nuestros feligreses y al público todos los martes, jueves y sábados de 10 a.m. al mediodía. Visítenos si necesita alimentos o llame a la Oficina de la Iglesia al 615-893-1843.

REZANDO EL ROSARIO DIARIAMENTE ANTES DE CADA MISA

Nuestra madre Maria necesita voluntarios para dirigir el rosario 30 minutos antes de cada misa diaria y del domingo. Por favor llamar a la oficina 615-893-1843 o al correo smiddleton@saintrose.org para registrarse en la misa que desea dirigir el rosario.

CONOCER LAS SAGRADAS ESCRITURAS – ESTUDIO BÍBLICO EN ESPAÑOL

Por las vacaciones navideñas, la próxima reunión es el miércoles 10 de enero. Están bienvenidos a asistir a una reunión o a todas según su horario, comenzando el miércoles 10 a las 7 de la tarde. Felices navidades y bendiciones. Favor de contactarse con Margarita Mainardi con preguntas, 615-651-0169.

PLÁTICAS PREMATRIMONIALES

Dios te llama para bendecir su unión en el Santo Sacramento del Matrimonio. Inicio de Pláticas Prematrimoniales domingo

7 de enero de 2024 a las 7:00 am en el Salon Jo Call. Dile sí al Señor, ven y participa. Favor llamar a la oficina Sandy y Paty para mas informacion.

CONTACTO PARA COROS EN MISAS ESPAÑOLAS

Meri Gonzalez 615-967-7439 meri.gonz1@gmail.com

MINISTERIO HISPANO

DÍA DE LA EPIFANÍA DEL SEÑOR LA BÚSQUEDA DEL SALVADOR Queridos Discipulos, paz.

La Fiesta de la Epifania del Senor corresponde a la contemplación de la humanidad en búsqueda de salvación. Los reyes, viajando desde lejos y pidiendo informaciones a cada rato, simbolizan a los

discípulos en búsqueda de sentido para su vida. Ellos están determinados a llegar a su meta.

Ellos reconocen esta meta en la persona de Jesucristo, pobre y humilde. La falta de signos exteriores de poder y grandeza son otra oportunidad de señal para ellos que desean comprometerse con el nuevo Rev sin segundas intenciones o agendas escondidas.

Este es el camino de cada discípulo de Jesus y su camino de discipulado. Una búsqueda de salvación y compromiso diario con Jesús, libre de segundas intenciones y agendas escondidas. Hasta cuando el encuentro con El sea la culminación de tal búsqueda.

Que el Espíritu Santo sea nuestra estrella de Belén, guiándonos a Jesus. Dios les bendiga

Padre Chris Nunes

VIRGEN MARÍA DIVINA PASTORA



Divina Pastora es una estatua de la Virgen y el Niño, la Virgen María sosteniendo al niño Jesús, con un cordero a su lado. Es considerado uno de los íconos religiosos más importantes de Venezuela. Divina Pastora es la patrona de la ciudad de Barquisimeto y de la Milicia Nacional Venezolana.

La devoción a la Divina Pastora en Venezuela data de 1736, cuando el párroco del pueblo de Santa Rosa encargó a un escultor la realización de una estatua de la Inmaculada Concepción. Inesperadamente, la figura que se entregó fue la de la Divina Pastora. Cuando quisieron devolverlo, intentaron llevarlo pero no pudieron moverlo. La población interpretó esto como una señal de que la

Hubo un terremoto, el templo donde se encontraba fue destruido pero la estatua no resultó dañada, reforzando la fe en ella. Posteriormente hubo una epidemia de cólera donde murieron muchas familias, los vecinos desesperados decidieron sacar en procesión la imagen de la Virgen María Divina Pastora por las calles para implorar clemencia y se detuvo la epidemia. Por ello cada 14 de enero sale en procesión desde la Iglesia de Santa Rosa de Lima donde se encuentra y se traslada a la catedral. Es considerada la 2° más importante de Latinoamérica después de la Virgen de Guadalupe.

María Virgen Divina Pastora es honrada en muchos otros países

La Divina Pastora refleja la tradición interreligiosa de Trinidad en el sentido de que es venerada por católicos, hindúes y el pueblo indígena Warao.

Divina Pastora, que antes se llamaba Ladeira, es un pequeño pueblo en el interior de Sergipe, el estado más pequeño de Brasil. Está situado en la cima de una colina.

La comunidad hispana te invita el sábado 13 de enero de 2024 Procesión (si el tiempo lo permite) a las 5:30 p. m.

Venta de comida (Campaña Capital) y actividades culturales en el Gym después de la Misa.

PARISH COMMUNITY





PATHWAY TO PROGRESS

Since our last update in early December, progress on the Saint Rose Development has been ongoing, albeit not as robust as anticipated due to the holiday season. Nevertheless, we have made sufficient strides to forecast a busy January ahead.

In relation to the Marian Center, the structural engineer from Bauer Askew has conducted a comprehensive inspection, resulting in a forthcoming report detailing his findings. Overall, the building's structure is in good condition; however, they identified issues that may impact the optimal utilization of the space. A meeting with the architects is scheduled for mid-January to explore available options. We will provide a comprehensive update on our recommendations following that discussion.

Concerning the Athletic Field Relocation, we have secured legal approval from the Diocese, and approval for parish fund allocation is expected in the coming days. Once received, we will initiate the project promptly.

In the context of the Master Plan update, the December 19th meeting with the ONE Building Committee had to be postponed. However, we have rescheduled it for January 8th. During this meeting, Bill Heyer will present his final recommendations for development. Following this session, I intend to conduct multiple presentations for the parish, explaining our proposed actions, rationale, associated costs, and timelines.

Finally, continued progress is being made regarding the use of the 30 acres to the North. Will Moorehead has already undertaken bushhogging on some existing trails, enhancing accessibility. We eagerly await word from the USDA regarding our application for EPIC funds to clear the underbrush next summer. If you are interested in actively contributing to this project, please reach out to Leslee Dodd Karl at ldoddkarl@saintrose.org; she would appreciate hearing from you.

For other inquiries or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at Wayne Overman <u>wjoverman@dtkjllc.com</u> or 615-414-5731. Thank you for your ongoing support and involvement in these critical developments for our community.



Desde nuestra última actualización a principios de diciembre, el progreso en el Desarrollo de Saint Rose ha continuado, aunque no tan sólido como se anticipó debido a la temporada Navideña. Sin embargo, hemos avanzado lo suficiente como para pronosticar un enero ajetreado.

En relación con el Marian Center (Centro Mariano), el ingeniero estructural de Bauer Askew ha realizado una inspección exhaustiva, de la que se publicará un informe detallado de sus conclusiones. En general, la estructura del edificio se encuentra en buenas condiciones; sin embargo, identificaron problemas que pueden afectar la utilización óptima del espacio. Está prevista una reunión con los arquitectos para mediados de enero para explorar las opciones disponibles. Proporcionaremos una actualización completa sobre nuestras recomendaciones después de esa discusión.

Con respecto a la reubicación del campo deportivo, hemos obtenido la aprobación legal de la Diócesis y se espera la aprobación para la asignación de fondos parroquiales en los próximos días. Una vez recibido, iniciaremos el proyecto de inmediato.

En el contexto de la actualización del Plan Maestro, la reunión del 19 de diciembre con el Comité de Construcción de ONE tuvo que posponerse. Sin embargo, lo hemos reprogramado para el 8 de enero. Durante esta reunión, Bill Heyer presentará sus recomendaciones finales para el desarrollo. Después de esta sesión, tengo la intención de realizar múltiples presentaciones para la parroquia, explicando nuestras acciones propuestas, fundamentos, costos asociados y cronogramas.

Finalmente, se están logrando avances continuos con respecto al uso de los 30 acres al norte. Will Moorehead ya ha realizado trabajos de limpieza en algunos senderos existentes, mejorando la accesibilidad. Esperamos ansiosamente noticias del USDA sobre nuestra solicitud de fondos EPIC para limpiar la maleza el próximo verano. Si está interesado en contribuir activamente a este proyecto, comuníquese con Leslee Dodd Karl en Idoddkarl@saintrose.org; ella agradecería saber de su interes.

Para otras consultas o comentarios, no dude en ponerse en contacto conmigo, Wayne Overman wjoverman@dtkjllc.com o al 615-414-5731. Gracias por su continuo apoyo y participación en estos desarrollos críticos para nuestra comunidad.



WORLD MARRIAGE DAY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

All married couples are invited to celebrate your wedding anniversary in a special way this year at the World Marriage Day Mass with Bishop Spalding at the Cathedral of the Incarnation on Sunday, February 4, 2024 at 2:30 p.m. Anniversaries of any year are encouraged to attend (special recognition for milestone anniversaries of 25, 50, 60+ years). A reception will follow the Holy Mass. If you would like to attend, please RSVP with how many in your party will be attending to the Office of Marriage and Family Life online at nashvillefaithformation.com/mfl-events or call 615-540-1235

TROOPS OF SAINT GEORGE

Tuesdays from 7-8:30 in the Saint Rose gym. If you have boys between the ages of 6 and 18 looking for adventure coupled with virtue, we invite you to join the Troops of Saint George. The Troops of Saint George (TSG) is a Catholic organization that uses the outdoors as a canvas and the sacraments as a path for formation, friendship, and service to the Church. Weekly meetings and camping/outdoor events allow boys and their fathers the opportunity to work toward achieve ments together, strengthening the father/son relationship as well as cultivating new friendships within the Catholic community. For more information, please visit troopsofsaintgeorge.org or contact us at StRoseStGeorge@gmail.com. You may also contact Michael Arndt, 615-785-0243.

UNIVERSITY CATHOLIC MTSU is a community of Catholic students committed to human flourishing, intellectual formation, spiritual growth, and apostolic works of service. Our motto is "proposing Christ, forming disciples." UCAT meets on Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday at the Saint Martin de Porres House (1606 Maymont Dr.). This is a great opportunity for MTSU students to grow in their faith. For more information, contact Nathan Williams: nwilliams@saintrose.org. UCAT is on Christmas break and will reconvene for Sunday Supper on January 14, 2024.

PARISH COMMUNITY

TRUE INTIMACY IN MARRIAGE

Looking for more in your marriage? Come and learn about God's plan for your marriage through Theology of the Body. Join us for a wine and cheese night as we dive into the Church's teachings on Natural Family Planning and explore the different approaches couples can take to live a holy, intimate, and fruitful marriage that is in harmony with God's design. Friday, January 26th at 7 pm in the Jo Call Room. For questions, text Paula at (320)223-5536.

SAINT ROSE SENIOR BIBLE STUDY meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month at 10:00 am, in the Stonewall house. Deacon John D'Amico leads a brief Bible study. Fellowship, coffee, and doughnuts included. We look forward to having you join us. For more information contact Dr. Smith, bsmith@saintrose.org or call 615-893-1843 et.1067.

MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

We are on break until January 15 when we will begin the study of the book of Esther. This is a great time to join the group! Saint Augustine tells us that the purpose of reading and reflecting on Sacred Scripture is to find our way to God. Both Esther and Daniel are role models for staying faithful when the pressure is most intense. We invite you to prayerfully consider joining us in the Jo Call Room at 6 pm on Monday evenings to learn together how God's word supports and teaches us. You will also find a vibrant faith community eager to meet you. For more information contact Paula Farmer at 615-974-7676 or Ifarmerfamily@comcast.net.



LIFE TEEN is a community of disciples that leads HS teens into a closer relationship with Jesus ChriSaint During the school year, Life Teen meets every Monday at 6:30PM in the Stonewall house. All teens are welcome. We also welcome volunteers. For more information, contact the HS Youth Minister, Clare Suckley: csukley@saintrose.org Life Teen will reconvene on Monday, January 8.

FIDELIS forms girls — heart, mind, body, and soul — into a sisterhood of mature, virtuous disciples of Christ, through the witness of Catholic women. All girls in grades 6-12 are invited to attend. Fidelis meets on Wednesday and begins with Mass at 6:00 pm. For more information, please contact Liz Canchola at <u>Fidelis@saintrose.org</u>.



Fidelis will reconvene on January 10.



FRATERNUS forms boys into virtuous Catholic men. Fraternus meets on Wednesday nights. Boys in grades 6-12 are invited to join in. Meetings begin with Mass at 6:00 pm. For more information, contact Pisut Vongkasemsiri at fraternus@saintrose.org.

Fraternus will reconvene on Wednesday, January 10.

CURSILLO

If you have been praying about going or have wanted to encourage someone else to go, the time has come. You can visit www.nashvillecursillo.com to read all about Cursillo, see when weekends have been scheduled, and even apply. Should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to me. Megan Hutchings thehutchfive@gmail.com The Saint Rose Cursillo Family is praying for you!

MAGNIFICAT BREAKFAST

Judy Zelden will speak at our Magnificat Prayer Breakfast Saturday, February 3 from 9 a.m. -12 p.m. starting with 8 a.m. Mass. The location is the Cathedral of the Incarnation 2015 West End Ave, Nashville, TN. She will speak of her journey and how she came to write bible studies for women. The Magnificat meal will provide Breakfast, Praise & Worship and Healing Prayer for all adults. Advanced reservations are necessary by Jan 24th. No Walk-ins, please. Cost is \$43. No refunds. To pay by check: Magnificat c/o Patty Bolger, PO Box 2252, Hendersonville, TN 37077-2252 For more information, call Patty at (615) 319-2798.

PARISH COMMUNITY

PRAYER REQUESTS

Arelene Murphy ii, Tammy Hooper ii, Charles Lane ii, Beverly Phelps ii, Becky Fuchs ii, Jimmy Blackwell ii, Peggy Lynch iii, Bill Green iii, Fatima Curiel iv, Gloria Cazas iv, George Davila iv, Fatima Curiel iv, Peggi Bordash iv, Kurt Ermond Blum iv, Donald Wisehart iv.

Names remain on this list for 4 weeks. Email stewardship@saintrose.org to add or remove someone on the list.

CELEBRATE LIFE! PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WITH CHILD

Email stewardship@saintrose.org to add or remove someone on the list.

HOMEBOUND, ASSISTED LIVING, NURSING HOME & VA PARISHIONERS

Edwin Allen, Sharon Allocco, Fakie Bracey, Peggy Brandon, Frank Burns, George Coughlin, Billy Culverhouse, Irene Cutler, Jane Kinports Davis, Mary Sue Dillon, Pat Day, Michael Drislane, Bobbie Duke, Patrick Dunn, Hortense Farone, Leigh Ferrara, Anthony Fiducia, Robert Formato, Pat Gratkowski, Bill Green, Michelle Hauet, Melissa Herlevic, Judy Hillman, Jackie Horan, Kennis Jung, Marcel Kamba, Kitty Kline, Vic Laubacher, Janet Lehman, Madge Lewis, Peggy Lynch, Dennis Mahoney, Kay McCann, Agnes McGill, Jo Ann McGowan, Joseph Meshotto, Ronald Meyer, Onah Nwizu, Elaine Parrish, Barbara Patterson, Helen Rice, Trinidad Sanchez, Bernadette Schafer, Gladys Smith, Richard Tavares, Genevieve Vanderslice, Billy White. Email stewardship@saintrose.org to add or remove someone on the list.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SAFETY OF OUR MILITARY PARISHIONERS
KEVIN BÉNIER, ALEX CARTER, AIDEN CHEW, JOSH CHEW, AUDREY
CREIGHTON, DAVID GARRETT, ISABELLE DE GROOT, JESSICA HANN,
MICHAEL HANN, BRYANT HAPPEL, SHAUN KOSERSKI, KENNETH MARX
III, SHANNON MILLER, MICHAEL NIMS, JASON PITMAN, AUSTIN RAY,
ALEX ROSE, LUIS SANCHEZ, JORDAN SCANGO, CARSON SHAW,
LANDON C. SMITH, KENDALL TRICHEL.

Do you have an active duty military that you would like added to this prayer list? Email stewardship@saintrose.org to add or remove someone.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Georgia England i, Gary Eugene Bartlett ii.

Email stewardship@saintrose.org to add or remove someone on the list.



Bridge Activity - December 2023 Total Families Served - 23 Total Dollars Spent (including gift cards) - \$2,894 Average Dollars Per Family - \$126

OUR MISSION IS TO ASSIST SAINT ROSE PARISHIONERS

and those in the community having financial difficulties. We provide limited monetary assistance as funds allow and/or referrals to other local resources. All personal information is kept in utmost confidence. Please call BRIDGE at 615-692-0159 to leave a confidential message. We meet on Tuesdays between 9:30 - 11:30 am.

If you would like to donate to the BRIDGE Ministry, please indicate this in the memo area of your check or on your monthly Choice Gifts envelope. Walmart or Kroger gift cards are needed to assist with this ministry. Please drop them off at the church office.

DELIVERING THE HOLY SACRAMENT TO THE HOMEBOUND

The Homebound Ministry now takes Holy Communion to over 80 homebound parishioners of Saint Rose. The ministry is blessed to have 30 active Homebound Ministers.

We are presently active in most of the Assisted Living facilities in Murfreesboro. The ministry recently added the VA Nursing Home to this growing list. We visit 30+ who reside at home.

The relationships formed between Homebound Ministers and Parishioners who are homebound are priceless. It is a ministry built through faith, love and the Most Blessed Sacrament.

If you would like to join this caring team of Homebound Ministers, please call Brenda D'Amico at 615*427*8967. God Bless You!





BACKPACK FOR KIDS MINISTRY This ministry has been providing for

the needs of 36 students weekly since August 2023 school term began. Even with the donations from parishioners and the most recent Knights of Columbus food drive our shelves are very bare. All donations will help us provide for this ongoing need. Thank you in advance for all your generosity.

We continue to assist children at Kittrell Elementary. Following is a list of the items we will need in order to provide supplemental weekend nutrition for those students in need.

Instant oatmeal packets Hot cocoa packets Granola bars Vienna Sausage

Beanie Weenie

Redtop Chef Boyardee meals -small size Shelf stable milk

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Fruit cups
Pop Tarts
Applesauce

Applesauce cups Protein granola bars Pudding cups

Peanut butter/cheese crackers

SAINT ROSE FOOD PANTRY

Saint Rose of Lima's Food Pantry is pleased to serve our community. If you are in need of our services, we are open Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday mornings from 10:00 - Noon.

Thank you to all that have so generously donated to the food pantry this past year. We have seen a sharp increase (58%) in families asking for assistance. Presently the food pantry needs

canned vegetables canned fruits

oil

sugar

flour

Maseca flour canned potatoes

peanut butter jelly

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bagged beans

Thank you again for your generosity and may God bless you and your families.



PARISH COMMUNITY

UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS?

The Saint Rose Homebound Ministry has caring men and women who provide pastoral care to those who are unable to receive the Holy Eucharist at weekly Mass. These volunteers will be happy to visit you and keep you connected to the parish. During their visit, they will bring a bulletin, distribute Holy Communion, read the daily Gospel and other inspiring prayers. The relationship is priceless. If you desire a Homebound Minister or know someone who would like to receive the Blessed Sacrament, please call the Saint Rose office, 615*893*1843, God Bless You!

THE CENACLE is a prayer/study group which delves into the writings of Saint Faustina, the Catholic Catechism, and Sacred Scripture. The Cenacle will meet twice a month to learn how to evangelize the Message of Divine Mercy and the Holy EuchariSaint We meet on the 1st and 3rd Friday at 9:30 am. Those interested in attending should contact Ed Chávez at chavez.ed@gmail.com.

SAINT ROSE RADIO now celebrates seven years of changing lives and saving souls by learning the faith in truth with emphasis on the sacraments. We appreciate all those who support, listen to, and pray for this evangelization ministry of Saint Rose parish.

You can listen to Saint Rose Radio on 99.3 FM at home or in your car, listen on line at saintroseradio.com, the parish's website and the myParish app. We will have our own app very soon... more information to come.

FR. CYRIAC'S HOMILY IN WRITING

Fr. Cyriac makes his homily available in writing. It is posted to our website saintrose.org with the link on the homepage. You may access them by clicking on the Fr. Cyriac homily link on our home page or click the Resource button in myParish App.

SAINT ROSE PRESCHOOL PRIORITY REGISTRATION FOR THE 2024-25 SCHOOL YEAR

Priority registration for parish members began on Monday, December 4 and end on Monday, January 8th. Applications can be found on our website www.school.saintrose.org under Admissions. If you have any questions or would like to come take a tour, please contact Staci Rose ~ Admissions Director ~ 615-898-0555 ext. 1017 or by email admissions@saintrose.org.

The deadline for priority registration is Monday, January 8th. Applications must be submitted, in order to secure your spot. SPOTS ARE LIMITED!

PSR (PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION)

PSR classes in English (K-6) meet from 9:45 to 10:45 every Sunday except for holidays; confirmation students arrive at 9:30. PSR classes in Spanish meet from 12:30pm - 2:30pm. For questions about PSRE contact Lynn Sigler (Isigler@saintrose.org); for PSRS, contact Laura Morales (Imorales@saintrose.org, 615.663.3589). Classes will recommence on Sunday, January 7.

LEGION OF MARY

Do you want to grow closer to Jesus and his Mother? Do you want to enrich your prayer life? Do you want to develop close Catholic Friendships? We would love to have you in our meetings every Tuesday at 12:30 in Room 121 behind the church in the meetings room.

For more information you can contact Trina Martinez at 615-243-3218 or tmartinez3218@gmail.com

THE CHARISMATIC RENEWAL OF SAINT ROSE OF LIMA

The Charismatic Renewal Prayer Group will meet again JANUARY 7th for our regular prayer meeting on Sunday 6:30 - 7:30 pm in the Jo Call Room.

There is a Prayer Tree for all prayer requests available on Facebook at "The Charismatic Renewal of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church." Scroll to the Prayer Tree and put your prayer request in the comments. There are people praying day & night for your needs.

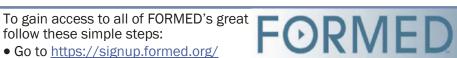
The Charismatic Renewal is looking for a guitarist to play weekly between 6:30-7:30 pm on Sundays during the Prayer Group. This would be a great opportunity for a music ministry. Contact Paul Rogalski at radnorlake1@gmail.com.

HAITI UPDATE

We are so happy to announce that Fr. Doristin has found a new vehicle for the clinic. It is a 2003 Nissan Frontier which he purchased for \$8,300 plus \$350 set aside to service the truck. This is very good news as his original budget was \$13,000 (\$10,000 from the Saint Rose fundraiser plus \$3,000 from the sale of the old truck). He was very conscientious about both the cost and quality of the vehicle and took a mechanic with him to evaluate the truck before purchasing. He wants to make sure all of you know how grateful he and the clinic staff are. Thank you all so much for your financial gifts and prayers! The rectory repairs are underway as well, and we'll pass along that information next week. Thank you again!



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PARISH COMMUNITY



We are in the process of updating our annual Guide Book Directory for the church. This book will contain the various ministries, organizations, committees, and a complete directory of all members. This book is being provided and direct-mailed to each family at no cost to our church, and it is again being subsidized by local businesses that advertise. If you own or manage a business and would like to find out about advertising in our book, please call Tracy Vatterott at 1-800-597-3037 Ext: 211.

Recent survey results by Guide Book Publishing show that 92.1% of families would rather patronize a Guide Book Directory advertiser over a non-advertiser. It "will pay" to advertise in our new Guide Book & Directory.

UPDATE YOUR MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION FOR THE DIRECTORY

Does our Church database have YOUR family membership record correct? It is time for us to update our database with any changes, additions, or deletions that may have occurred in YOUR family over the past year. Have you changed your phone number? Have you moved? Are you preparing to move soon? Are all of your children still at home and are they all included in your membership record? Do you want your record published?

If you have not already informed the Church Office about changes to your record, please let us know now so that the information in the Directory is correct. Go to: https://www.saintrose.org/update-info or call us at 615-893-1843 to update your information.

LADIES YOUNG ADULT (18-35) BIBLE STUDY will meet every Tuesday from 5-6 pm in the Stonewall House, beginning Jan 9th. We will be starting a new study! Contact Olivia Johnson for more information ojohnson@saintrose.org.

SAINT ROSE LADIES GUILD, DAY GROUP

The Ladies Guild will meet Tuesday, Feb. 6 at the Stonewall House at 10:00. We invite all our sisters in faith to come join us in our Ministry of Spirituality and Service. Together with God's help, we can accomplish anything. Future meetings are on the first Tuesday of each month. For questions or information please contact us at StRoseLadiesGuildDayGroup@gmail.com

SAINT ROSE WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Sisters in Christ, have you heard of the Saint Rose Women's Ministry? We are a diverse group of women in all stages of life, with unique perspectives united by one purpose– to deepen our relationships with Jesus in order to be models of discipleship within our parish & community. We are committed to bringing women together through fellowship or service, for the benefit of the women, children and families at Saint Rose.

If you are new, we know how much courage it takes to walk through the doors, but we promise that you will be greeted by BIG hearts. If you are previous member, we hope to see you! Our next meeting is Thursday February 8 at 6:30PM in the Jo Call Room. FREE CHILDCARE now available at meetings. For any questions or special accommodations, please contact Leanne Rayo at saintrosewomensministry@gmail.com

CELEBRATE LIFE! Please pray for the women in our parish who are with child. If you or someone you know in our parish is pregnant or has recently had a baby and would like to receive some meals to help out during this exciting time of transition, please contact Elena Mancera at (615) 947-9527 (se habla espanol) or saintrosewomensministry@gmail.com. Meals for Moms is offered by the Saint Rose Women's Ministry as a way to help make this time a little easier!

INTERESTED IN JOINING THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?

Registration for OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) is now closed. However those interested in learning more about the Catholic faith are encouraged to contact Dr. Smith for more info: bsmith@saintrose.org.



JOURNEY HOME OPPORTUNITIES

The Journey Home is a Christian organization that has as its mission placing homeless seniors, families and individuals in permanent housing. The Journey Home continues to provide for basic needs once they are rehoused and provides for the daily needs of the local homeless population with food, clothes, & basic medical care. Our ministry prepares meals for The Journey Home during 2024 on: Tuesday, 1/30; Thursday, 2/29; Tuesday, 4/30; Thursday 5/30. If you feel called to assist, please join us from 9:00-11:00 to prepare the food and/ or 11:00am to 1:00pm to serve the food. The Journey Home, is located at 308 W. Castle Saint, Murfreesboro. If you have any questions or would like to join our ministry, contact Suzie Schulenberg at 615-403-2837 or Nancy Pardy (609) 203-0433.

INDIVIDUAL OPPORTUNITY (WEEKLY) Tuesday, Thursday or Friday Mornings Answering the Phone and Sorting Mail The Journey Home is looking for someone to help in the front office by answering the phone and sorting the mail. The individual would come in Tuesday, Thursday, or Friday Mornings from 8am to 11am.

If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity, please contact Penny at

PRiddle@LoveGodServePeople.org

INDIVIDUAL OPPORTUNITY
Event Committee Volunteer
The Journey Home is looking for
individuals to work on our events in
2024. We have two events:
Journey 24 scheduled for March 4
Groovin' In The Boro scheduled for
September 19. Volunteers can
participate on one or both committees
and assist with organizing the event sub committees include sponsorship,
logistics, auction, etc.

If you are interested in learning more, please contact Lis at LCouser@LoveGodServePeople.org



FATHER RYAN LEGACY GALA

Save the Date - 2024 - Join us on January 27, 2024, at the Music City Center as we honor David '66 and Linda Bohan for their work and service to Father Ryan and the entire Nashville community. Sponsorship opportunities are now available by going to: fatherryan.org/gala. Online tickets will be available in December.

LEARN MORE ABOUT SCA

Would you like to learn more about SCA and what it means to be a Saint Cecilia Girl? Join us for Walk-in Wednesdays or SCA Connect!

Walk-In Wednesday - Stop by SCA on Wednesdays from 12:00 - 1:00 for a tour of our school and speak with the admissions team. This is a great way to introduce yourself and for us to meet you. No registration is required. We can't wait to see you!



THE CATHOLIC BUSINESS LEAGUE'S

monthly breakfast meeting on Thursday, January 11, 2024, will feature Shana Druffner, the new Superintendent of Catholic Schools for the Diocese of Nashville and inaugural Principal of St. Michael Academy in Nolensville. Join us in The Fleming Center at The Cathedral of the Incarnation at 7:45am. Mass is offered at 7:00am. All are welcome. More details can be found at catholicbusinessleague.org

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come from every stage of life. We offer many opportunities throughout the year to help others in need. Join us as we celebrate real role models in a world that needs men who lead, serve, protect, and defend the Catholic faith. Please consider putting your FAITH INTO ACTION...JOIN the KNIGHTS! Learn more about our council at Saint Rose at: saintrose.org/knights-of-columbus

January 13-14 - Hand out bags for food drive January 20-21 - Collect bags returned for food drive January 20 - Chili Cook off, Iron Chef Competition





LIFE COMPASS WORKSHOP RETREAT FOR MEN

Saturday, January 13th at St Ann's Parish 5101 Charlotte Ave, Nashville Early bird registration for \$109

The world and the Church need more good men. Men of faith and virtue; men of vision and purpose; men that are dangerous and good. The Life Compass Workshop Retreat will help you integrate all aspects of your life - professional, spiritual, personal, and familial. Creating one roadmap, a Life Compass, will guide you in your journey of being your best self and making your best contribution to the world. The Workshop Retreat includes a full day of content, a follow-up mastermind meeting, a private group chat, time for personal prayer, and the opportunity to receive the sacraments. Written and digital materials will be provided. Snacks and coffee are available throughout the day, as well as a full hot lunch to restore your energy and help you enjoy some fellowship with other like-minded men. Doors open and coffee is served at 7:30 a.m., sessions begin at 8:00 a.m.

PRIEST EMERGENCY CONTACT Should you have an emergent need for a priest after office hours, you may reach one by calling 615-809-8736. If the priest does not answer, please leave a message.

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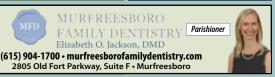
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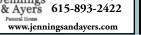


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