

SAINT ROSE OF LIMA SANTA ROSA DE LIMA

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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT, FEBRUARY 25, 2024
II DOMINGO DE CUARESMA, 25 DE FEBRERO DE 2024



2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

And he was transfigured
before them, and his clothes
became dazzling white,
such as no fuller on earth
could bleach them.
- Mk 9:2-3

2º DOMINGO DE LA CUARESMA

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The Arm of ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE is visiting the United States

Known as the *Apostle of the Impossible*,
Saint Jude is revered for his unwavering
dedication and steadfast faith. Millions
have experienced his intercession in times
of adversity and need.



**SAVE THE
DATE
FRIDAY,
MARCH 8**

**First-class
relic of
St. Jude
the Apostle
at Saint Rose**

Special Mass celebrated in Saint Jude's honor: 7:00 PM

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.



25 DE FEBRERO DE 2024

FEBRUARY 25, 2024

WORSHIP & SPIRITUAL LIFE

WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25

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, FEBRUARY 26

7:00 am Mass -English-Office of Readings

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27

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

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

6:30 am Rosary
7:00 am Mass -English
5:00-5:45 pm Adoration and Confessions
6:00 pm Mass

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29

ADORATION

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

FRIDAY, MARCH 1

ADORATION

6:00 am Confessions
7:00 am Mass - English
8:10 am School Mass
2:40 pm Stations of the Cross
5:30 pm Fish Fry
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

SATURDAY, MARCH 2

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions will be honored, although times or dates may be altered.

All Masses are public.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25 - 2nd Sunday of Lent

7:00 am † JoAnn Bardet
8:30 am Saint Rose Parishioners
11:00 am † Ruth Marie Cornwell
3:00 pm † Sidronea Mateos
5:00 pm † Minnie Lane

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26

7:00 am Praying for Prodigals

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27 - St. Gregory of Narek, Abbot and Doctor of the Church

7:00 am Irineo Corales
7:00 pm † Reina Cordoba Espinoza

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

7:00 am † Richard J. Smith
6:00 pm Eva Mankowski

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29

7:00 am † Donald Bangs

FRIDAY, MARCH 1

7:00 am † Margarita Maria Zurita
8:10 am † Joe Gaskins

SATURDAY, MARCH 2

8:00 am † Pablo V. Corales
4:30 pm † Vincent Evers
6:30 pm Noe Israel Campos

SUNDAY, MARCH 3 - 3rd Sunday of Lent

7:00 am Dr. Carmelite Espiritu
8:30 am Joe Hugh
11:00 am Saint Rose Parishioners
3:00 pm † Thamara Bozo
5:00 pm † Guillermo Ledesma-Garcia

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 25 - MARCH 3, 2024

Sunday: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19 (116:9)/
Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10

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: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28

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 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/
1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25

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

TITHING ... WHY IS IT IMPORTANT - PART II

One of the primary reasons why tithing is important to the church is financial stability. Churches are responsible for various expenses, including staff salaries, building maintenance, and community outreach programs. Without a consistent source of income, churches would struggle to fulfill their mission, provide essential services and engage in various initiatives that address societal needs.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS are at 2:40 pm and 7:00 pm every Friday until Holy Week, except March 8 for veneration of the relic of St. Jude.

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
II DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

CHRISTIAN STEWARDS

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

THE TRANSFIGURED SON

Dear Fellow Disciples, peace.

The contemplation of Jesus' transfiguration, during our Lenten journey, has a very precise reason. It is given to us to contemplate the Son who in a short time we will contemplate hanging on the cross. On Calvary, if we don't pay close attention, we can think of him as cursed by the Father, as his enemies would think and expect. Or as a disqualified criminal as the Romans would see and think about the crucified.

Transfigured, Jesus shows the interior beauty of his being, glorious and full of mercy. In the same way, the crucified Jesus is not what his enemies would think and see but rather the "beloved Son of the Father".

The interior beauty of Jesus was so immense and attractive that the disciples did not want to leave the mountain. Naive of them! Jesus and the disciples had a journey planned by the Father and that experience was not the finish line but rather just a small break.

May the Holy Spirit help us to cherish our experiences of God's glory but never allow us to be tempted to stay in the Tabor's moments of life, but rather gain strength from it to continue our journey in faithful discipleship.

God bless.
Fr. Chris



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.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

ST. JUAN DIEGO ROUTE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL PILGRIMAGE

They are making their way through Murfreesboro June 25-26, 2024. More details to be announced later. Any questions please contact Christina Bien at cbien@saintrose.org. More details are to come closer to the date!

CAN YOU SHARE YOUR HOME WITH A ST. JUAN DIEGO PILGRIM?

Housing is needed for two seminarians and six laity pilgrims following along the St. Juan Diego route of the National Eucharistic Revival Pilgrimage from June 25-26, 2024. The seminarians need housing that has no females or children, while laity pilgrims need regular housing. If you are willing and interested to house these individuals, please contact Christina Bien at cbien@saintrose.org. We need to know their housing arrangements as soon as possible to the upcoming pilgrimage!

JOIN BISHOP SPALDING on a package tour trip to the National Eucharistic Revival! The tour includes 4 nights' accommodations in Indianapolis, continental breakfast, roundtrip transportation from Nashville via deluxe motorcoach. Use this QR code to see more details.



The Sanctuary Candle is in memory of
Robert DesJardins



STEWARDSHIP

TREASURE SHARED

Week # 33, Ending 2-12-2024

Weekly Donations

Offertory:

Operating Deposits 34,929
eGiving Deposits 11,792
Total Collected..... 46,721

Designated Donations:

Designated Deposits..... 4,489
eGiving Deposits 3,652
Total Collected..... 8,141

Total this Week:..... 54,862

*Average Weekly Budget..... 43,039

Weekly Surplus / (Deficit)..... 11,823

Year To Date Donations

Regular Donations 1,304,132

Extraordinary Donations..

Total Year to Date..... 1,304,132

*Year to Date Budget..... 1,420,290

Year to Date Surplus/(Deficit).... (116,158)

There were 3,593 registered families & 449 families that gave via check, envelope or eGiving.

GIVING TO SAINT ROSE

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





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MINISTERIO HISPANO

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.

PLÁTICAS PREMATRIMONIALES

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

II DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

EL HIJO TRANSFIGURADO

Queridos discípulos, paz.



La contemplación de la transfiguración de Jesús, durante nuestro camino cuaresmal, tiene un motivo muy preciso. Nos es dado para contemplar al Hijo que dentro de poco contemplaremos colgado en la cruz. En el Calvario, si no prestamos mucha atención, podemos pensar que él está maldecido por el Padre, como pensarían y esperarían sus enemigos. O como un criminal descalificado como lo verían y pensarían los romanos sobre el crucificado.

Transfigurado, Jesús muestra la belleza interior de su ser, glorioso y lleno de misericordia. Del mismo modo, Jesús crucificado no es lo que sus enemigos pensarían y verían sino el "amado Hijo del Padre".

La belleza interior de Jesús era tan inmensa y atractiva que los discípulos no quisieron abandonar el monte. ¡Ingenuo de su parte! Jesús y los discípulos tenían un viaje planeado por el Padre y esa experiencia no fue la meta sino solo un pequeño descanso.

Que el Espíritu Santo nos ayude a valorar nuestras experiencias de la gloria de Dios, pero nunca nos permita caer en la tentación de quedarnos en los momentos de la vida del Tabor, sino más bien sacar de él fuerza para continuar nuestro camino en fiel discipulado.

Dios los bendiga.
P. Chris

CONOCER LAS SAGRADAS ESCRITURAS – ESTUDIO BÍBLICO EN ESPAÑOL

Están bienvenidos a estudiar las Sagradas Escrituras los miércoles a las 7 PM. Nos reunimos en las salas de reuniones detrás del santuario. También se puede entrar desde afuera por las puertas marrones al lado izquierdo de la iglesia. Para mejor aprender la Palabra de Dios concluimos cada clase con un juego de bingo bíblico. Favor de contactarse con Margarita Mainardi con preguntas, 615-651-0169.



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- Ingresa a signup.formed.org
- Selecciona tu parroquia
- Insíbete usando tu nombre y correo electrónico
- Revisa tu correo y sigue la liga para que comiences a usar FORMED

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PARISH COMMUNITY



INTRODUCING THE PARISH COUNCIL

The Saint Rose of Lima Pastoral Council provides leadership, direction, formation, education, and resources in accordance with the mission of the parish, the diocese, and the Universal Church. It supports the pastor in his role, and together they establish goals and objectives based on the priorities for the parish. The council also develops new programs and expands existing programs to meet the changing needs of the parish.

We will feature members of the Parish Council over the next several weeks, starting with our chairperson, Jeff Laney. Stay tuned to the bulletin to learn more about these giving men and women.

Paula Farmer – Secretary



Paula and her husband, Larry, have three children, seven grandchildren, and three, great-grandchildren. She has served the parish in many capacities over the last 44 years: as a CCD teacher (now PSR), on past councils, with Vacation Bible School, Cursillo, and other various committees for parish events. Currently she coordinates the Altar Care Committee (which is a passion of hers), as well as prepares the sanctuary for Christmas and Easter. She and Larry facilitate adult Bible study. "Saint Rose holds a deeply personal spot in my heart – it is where I received instruction to convert to Catholicism, where several of my family members received their sacraments and were married." shared Paula. "Our photo album is filled with pictures of Saint Rose as it has changed over the years. It is my hope that it will always be a special place and keep me close."

Paula Farmer – Secretary

Cecilia Cortes

Linda Edwards

Elaine Jones

Carmen Martinez Rincon

Laura Morales

Dr. William C. Smith, II

Moises Vasquez

Ex-Officio Members (non-voting)

Fr. Chris Nunes

Fr. Cyriac Kurian

Fr. Alejandro Avelino

Deacon John D'Amico (representative from Finance Committee)

Sr. Catherine Marie, OP

Amy Swartz

Benjamin Smith, Ph.D



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS®

**FEB 16TH & 23RD
MARCH 1ST, 8TH, 15TH, 22ND**
every Friday in Lent except Good Friday

5:30 PM - 7 PM
enter through JoCall Room
Donations at Door
(cash, credit, check, venmo)

*proceeds benefit the numerous
charities supported by
the Knights of Columbus*

The Women's Ministry will be collecting
desserts and soft drinks to serve.



FISH FRY

INCLUDES:
FISH
FRENCH FRIES
COLESLAW
HUSHPUPPIES
GREEN BEANS

Join us in the church at 7:00 pm for Stations of the Cross.

This is a wonderful way to share in Jesus' journey.

Join us this Friday for the first Fish Fry of the Lenten season. The Fish Fry is hosted by the Knights of Columbus, with support from the Women's Ministry, Awesome Bakers and others. Volunteers are needed! Teens and tweens are welcome. It's a great way to get volunteer hours.

Sign up here to volunteer: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080F4EACA92BA6FA7-47846891-fish>

We are also asking for donations of desserts (storebought or homemade) and cases of soda. You may deliver them to the gym anytime during the fish fry. Thank you!



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PARISH COMMUNITY

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 Dr. Benjamin Smith at bsmith@saintrose.org.

MORE SCAM EMAILS AND TEXT MESSAGES!

We continue to hear from parishioners and staff that they are receiving emails and text messages that appear to be coming from Fr. Chris and other priests. Generally, they are asking you for help, gift cards, or scheduling. Our priests will not reach out to you in this way. Please do not respond to these bogus requests! Do not click on any links as these can download a virus. If you respond, the scammer will know that they have reached someone willing to respond. The best action is to block the number or email address. Unfortunately, there is not much that we can do from the office other than to educate parishioners not to respond.



HEARING ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

Saint Rose has a built in Hearing Loop system that connects automatically to T-coil enabled hearing aids.

There are also devices available to use with earbuds or ear phones on the table near the water fountains. Contact the church office for assistance.

This system feeds directly from the sound system microphones. Try it at least once before you decide that it won't help!

STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE? – RETROUVAILLE is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness. Others experience conflict in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on March 1-3 call 931-820-2115 or email: Nrv3043@gmail.com or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com

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

Saint Augustine tells us that the purpose of reading and reflecting on Sacred Scripture is to find our way to God. Esther is a role model 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 lfarmerfamily@comcast.net.



LIFE TEEN

LIFE TEEN is a community of disciples that leads HS teens into a closer relationship with Jesus Christ. During the school year, Life Teen meets every Monday at 6:30PM in **Saint Martin de Porres House (1606 Maymont Dr.)**. All teens are welcome. We also welcome volunteers. For more information, contact the HS Youth Minister, Clare Suckley: csuckley@saintrose.org

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 Fidelis@saintrose.org.



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.



THE CHARISMATIC RENEWAL OF SAINT ROSE OF LIMA

The Charismatic Renewal Prayer Group meets on Sundays from 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.

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.



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PARISH COMMUNITY

PRAYER REQUESTS

Dale Earwood i, Beverly Phelps i, Becky Fuchs i, Peggy Lynch i, Bill Green ii, Ruth Kennedy iii, Mike Fuller iii, Tom Pedine iii, Peggi Bordash iii, Kurt Ermond Blum iii, Donald Wisehart iii.

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

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, Charles "Chuck" Gordon, Pat Gratkowski, Bill Green, Michelle Hauet, Melissa Herlevic, Judy Hillman, Jackie Horan, Kennis Jung, Marcel Kamba, Kathy Kano, Zac Kano, Kitty Kline, Vic Laubacher, Janet Lehman, Madge Lewis, Peggy Lynch, Dennis Mahoney, Kay McCann, Agnes McGill, Jo Ann McGowan, Joseph Meshotto, Onah Nwizu, Elaine Parrish, Barbara Patterson, Helen Rice, Trinidad Sanchez, Bernadette Schafer, Gladys Smith, Richard Tavares, William Young. 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, 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

Edwin Allen i, Ronald Meyer i, Billy White i, Joe Gaskins ii, Genevieve Vanderslice ii, Gary Eugene Bartlett iv.



Bridge Activity - January 2024

Total Families Served - 43

Total Dollars Spent (including gift cards) - \$5,971

Average Dollars Per Family - \$139

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.**

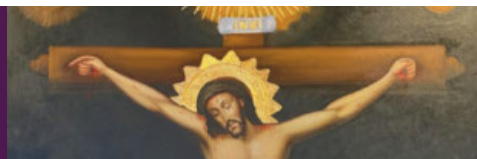
DELIVERING THE HOLY SACRAMENT TO THE HOMEBOUND

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. 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

Juice boxes

Fruit cups

Pop Tarts

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.

Parishioners-thank you so much for your generous donations during the last food drive that benefitted the Saint Rose Food Pantry! We are very grateful for your generosity. We have seen over a 78% increase in families needing our assistance! Along with physical donations we have spent over 44k on food items since 7/1/2023 the beginning of our fiscal year! The need is great and we understand how difficult it is to extend your budgets, but any donation will help. Also if you find yourself needing help please come to our food pantry so we can help supplement your food needs. God bless each of you for your dedication and generosity!

Janet Jones & Michael LaCorte

Critical Items:

Maseca flour

Sugar

Oil

Cereal

Peanut Butter

Jelly

Bagged Beans

Rice



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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!

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.

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!

2024 SPRING ATHLETIC PROGRAMS REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

Saint Rose is offering the following sports to help your child build his/her athletic and teamwork skills. They include: girls 5-6 grade volleyball; 4-6 and 7-8 grade coed soccer; boys and girls golf for 6-8 graders; MTSU tennis clinics or boys and girls 1-8 grades; cheerleading for girls 3-8 grade, and 1-2 and 3-4 grade coed flag football. Go to <https://school.saintrose.org/spring-registration> for more information.

APPLICATIONS FOR SAINT ROSE SCHOOL & PRESCHOOL -LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE

Saint Rose School and Preschool is continuing to accept applications for the 2024-2025 school year for children ages 2 years of age through 7th grade. Spots are limited. Applications can be submitted through our website www.school.saintrose.org For more information or to take a tour please contact: Staci Rose ~ Admissions~ admissions@saintrose.org ~ 615-898-0555 ext. 1017.

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 Meeting Room 121 behind the church. For more information you can contact Trina Martinez at 615-243-3218 or tmartinez3218@gmail.com

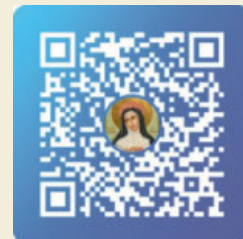
SAINT ROSE RADIO welcomes you to 2024 with some new programs and schedule:

- 9pm every night the popular Bible in a year & Catechism in a year with Fr. Schmitz. Don't worry if you miss an episode...all are available on YouTube.
- Monday to Friday 3pm Beacon of Truth with Deacon Harold Sivers live show... starting February 5.
- Saturdays 2:30pm: Moms In The Middle with Jennie Guinn from Nashville. Her ministry equips and encourages middle-life moms to reconnect with who they are and their unique God-given purpose so they can MAGNIFY Christ in their corner of the world.
- Don't forget to learn more about our faith with Called to Communion at 1pm and Catholic Answers Live at 5pm Monday to Friday with Mother Angelica at 1pm & 7pm Sunday.
- Other Saint Rose provided shows are Battle Ready with Nashville priest and exorcist Fr. Rehill at 7:30pm Saturday & 5pm Sunday; Nash Vocations at 2:30pm Sunday; Young Catholics at 5:30pm Sunday; Fathers of Mercy at 7pm Saturday; Fulton Sheen at 2pm Saturday & Sunday.
- Check out parish web site or www.saintroseradio.com for copy of new listening schedule.

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 Eucharist 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.

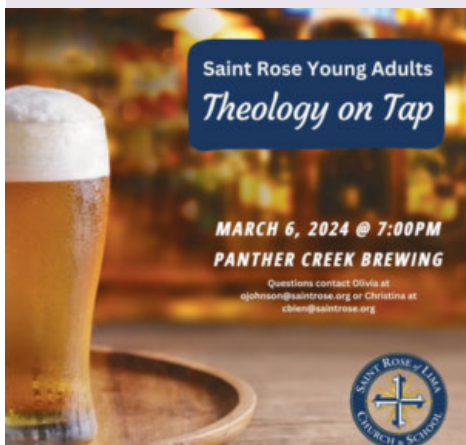
YOUNG ADULT (18-40) GROUP

The Young Adult Ministry welcomes anyone age 18 to 40 to participate in their events. This ministry is open to those who are single, married, or with kids. To find out about their upcoming events, like "Communion and Coffee" and "Theology on Tap," as well as their active Young Adult Women's Bible Study, use this QR code to join the Saint Rose Young Adults Group Chat.



LADIES YOUNG ADULT (18-40) BIBLE STUDY meets every Tuesday from 5:30 - 6:30 pm in the Stonewall House. Contact Olivia Johnson for more information ojohnson@saintrose.org.

THEOLOGY ON TAP Come join the Saint Rose of Lima Young Adults on March 6 from 7:00-9:30PM for a spiritual talk and great local brews. It will be held at Panther Creek Brewery (714 W Main St., Murfreesboro, TN). Any questions, please email ojohnson@saintrose.org or cbien@saintrose.org



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ST. ROSE EBAY ONLINE SITE

Saint Rose eBay online site will be featuring several featured Catholic religious items for 2 weeks - starting Feb. 13th. There will be Crucifixes, Christmas items and other items of interest. If you get a chance to take a look, please do! The eBay online site is named: strosegifts. St. Rose parishioners are able to pick up their purchased items at the Stonewall House without having to pay shipping costs. All proceeds go directly to the Saint Rose Building Campaign. Thank you to everyone who has donated to this project!

SAINT ROSE LADIES GUILD, DAY GROUP



The Ladies Guild will meet Tuesday, March 5 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, March 7 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!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 40 CROSSES DISPLAY



The protection of life is a sustained prayer intention of the Church, and in particular of the Knights of Columbus. Knights remain firmly committed to defending the right to life of every human being - from the moment of conception to natural death. 40 days of life began on February 14th and ends on March 24th. For those unfamiliar with 40 Days for Life, it is an international organization that campaigns against abortion in more than 60 nations worldwide. Each campaign consists of 40 days of prayer and fasting in shifts outside of a clinic or hospital that performs abortions or which is an abortion referral center. The campaign also involves outreach to the community to promote awareness about abortion and outreach directly to women considering abortion. The name refers to a repeated pattern of events lasting for 40 days in the Bible, such as Noah's Ark, Moses's 40 days on Mount Sinai, and Jesus's 40 days in the desert. To commemorate and bolster this important campaign within our community, the Saint Rose of Lima Knights of Columbus council has erected a memorial of 40 crosses outside the church as a reminder to what the 40 days of life campaign stands for and hopefully touches anyone that supports or is considering an abortion. We hope you and your family are able to take a moment to pray along side the crosses during the 40 days of life campaign.



MEN'S SOFTBALL IS BACK!

After several years of hibernation, Saint Rose will once again have a men's team in the Murfreesboro Recreation Church league. Saint Rose is looking for a few good men! The team is open to any skill level and 17 years or older can play. The goal of the softball team is to encourage and promote family friendly Christian fellowship at Saint Rose. If you are interested or have any questions, send me your name, age and preferred playing positions to Mike Johnston at: strosesoftball@gmail.com. The season will start the first week of April. Games will be played mostly at Barfield Park on Tues, Thursday and Friday nights from 7pm to 9pm.

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: 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



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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!

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.

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WHY HAVE YOU NOT JOINED THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS?

Are you or someone you know interested in giving their time and talent to support our Church? If you're a male age 18 or older and have been searching for the perfect opportunity to practice Catholic stewardship and bring hope to those who need it the most, look no further...Knights 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

Come to the Lenten Fish Fry! Fridays, Mar. 1, 8, 15, 22



THE SAINT ROSE CATHOLIC MEN OF FAITH have begun their Winter/Spring sessions with the Series from Ascension Press - "What We Believe - The Beauty of the Catholic Faith".

The sessions begin with fellowship, coffee, fruit and donuts at 6:00 am followed by a 30 minute video and then small group discussion in the Jo Call Room. We will complete the mornings study by 8:00 am to allow attendance of Saturday morning Mass. We look forward to seeing you there.

JOIN US FOR THE INAUGURAL KALEIDOSCOPE FESTIVAL!

We are hosting Kaleidoscope Festival on Saturday, March 23, 2024, 10am - 5pm, at the Catholic Pastoral Center. This is part of a new initiative designed to bring the community together, and to build bridges that promote understanding and harmony.

The day will include many family-friendly activities, along with food-trucks, music, and cultural demonstrations. Read more about the Kaleidoscope initiative at cctenn.org/kaleidoscope and more about the festival on the Kaleidoscope Festival website, <https://cctenn.org/about/kaleidoscope/kaleidoscope-celebration/>

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