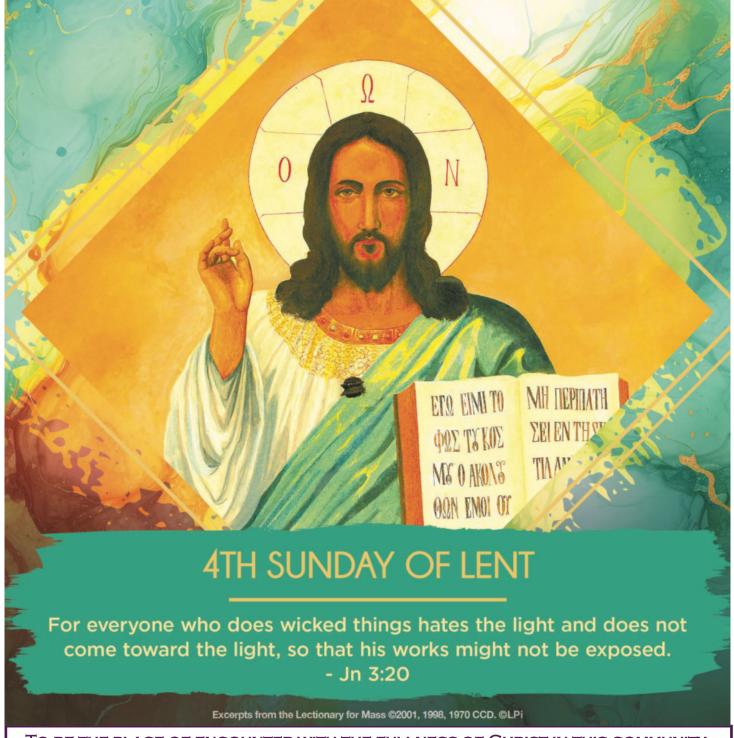


SAINT ROSE OF LIMA SANTA ROSA DE LIMA

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT, MARCH 10, 2024

IV DOMINGO DE CUARESMA, 10 DE MARZO 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, MARCH 10 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 Renewa

MONDAY, MARCH 11

7:00 am	Mass -English-Office of Readings
6:00 pm	Bible Study

TUESDAY, MARCH 12

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

6:30 am	Rosarv
7:00 am	Mass -English-Office of Readings
5:00-5:45 pm	Adoration and Confessions

THURSDAY, MARCH 14

6:00 pm

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6:30 am	Rosary

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7:00 am	Mass - English -Office of Readings
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	Adoration after Mass until Friday 6:45

St. Thomas Rutherford Mass 12:00 pm

6:30-8:00 pm Confessions

FRIDAY, MARCH 15 **ADORATION**

6:00 am	Contessions
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 16

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.

SUNDAY, MARCH	10 - 4th Sunday of Len
7:00 am	Kevin Eckardt
8:30 am	Maria Thomas
11:00 am	Monica Staudt
3:00 nm	Saint Poco Parichio

Saint Rose Parishioners 3:00 pm

† Jeanne Meyer 5:00 pm

MONDAY, MARCH 11

7:00 am Praying for Prodigals

TUESDAY, MARCH 12

7:00 am † Norma Ochs 7:00 pm Mia Avila

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

7:00 am Mike Friess 6:00 pm Will Sculley

THURSDAY, MARCH 14

7:00 am Nadia Boalch

FRIDAY, MARCH 15

3:00 pm

7:00 am John Beasty

8:10 am Charles Wayne Baker

SATURDAY, MARCH 16

8:00 am	Tom P	edine		
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4:30 pm Deceased members of Saint Rose of Lima 6:30 pm Jose Melendez and Ramon Melendez

SUNDAY, MARCH 17 - 5th Sunday of Lent 7:00 am Brian and Julia Green

8:30 am Jasper Ellis 11:00 am Gerardo Rodriguez

5:00 pm Saint Rose Parishioners

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 10 - 17, 2024

Martha Bravo

Sunday: 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (6ab)/Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21 Scrutiny: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Monday: Is 65:17-21/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b/Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 49:8-15/Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18/Jn 5:17-30 Thursday: Ex 32:7-14/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20/Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12/Jn 7:40-53

Next Sunday: Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15 (12a)/Heb 5:7-9/Jn 12:20-33 Scrutiny: Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7)/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or

11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

TITHING TEACHES RESPONSIBLE STEWARDSHIP

It encourages individuals to manage their finances wisely, recognizing that giving a portion to God's work can have a greater impact than solely pursuing personal wealth. Through tithing, individuals are encouraged to live more intentionally, considering how their financial decisions align with their faith values. It cultivates a mindset of generosity, encouraging believers to prioritize giving and supporting the church's mission over personal desires.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS are at 2:40 pm and 7:00 pm every Friday until Holy Week. March 22 there will not be a 2:40 during the School's Spring Break.

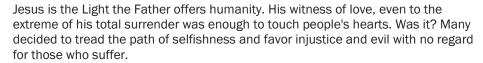
FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT IV DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

CHRISTIAN STEWARDS

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

BETWEEN LIGHT AND DARKNESS (Laetare Sunday) Dear Fellow Disciples, peace.

Nicodemus' visit at night allows Jesus to address a theme not only important to the disciples but to humanity. The predisposition we have to let ourselves be involved with darkness, even though the light is offered to us. Nobody is free from such risk.



Nicodemus represents those who, being in the darkness, find themselves in front of the possibility to choose the path of light. The decision will be challenging for them. They will need firm and strong willpower. Grace can help them to pass from darkness into light. Discipleship is the result of this decision. The disciple, having encountered Jesus, will decide for light, for conversion, for holiness and will walk in the way of light and love.

May the Holy Spirit assist us with sufficient grace to decide, convert, and follow in Jesus' footsteps.

God bless.

Fr. Chris

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FULL-TIME CHURCH OFFICE POSITION

We are seeking qualified candidates for Sacramental Registrar/Administrative Assistant. This position is responsible for the upkeep of sacramental records, administrative functions with significant computer functions, assisting with parish communications, the related processes and systems for the Parish, as well as general office duties. Requires significant interaction with Saint Rose parishioners and other parishes. This position is full-time Monday through Friday, non-exempt, working 37.5 hours per week with benefits.

PART-TIME PSR ASSISTANT

We are seeking an enthusiastic adult office assistant for PSR! This is a part-time (up. to 15 hours per month) position. Most hours will be on PSR Sundays 8:30 am -11:00 am, and some hours will be scheduled on Tuesday or Friday between 9:00am - 2:00 pm (the times may vary and be scheduled ahead). For more information please email Lynn Sigler at: lsigler@saintrose.org. TO APPLY: send resume and three work references to bsmith@saintrose.org and lsigler@saintrose.org

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.

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE PEGGY LYNCH

died on 02/23/2024.

Please pray for the repose of her soul and for the consolation of her family. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen



VARDSHIP

TREASURE SHARED Week # 35, Ending 2-26-2024

Weekly Donations Offertory:

Operating Deposits	16,147
eGiving Deposits	10,335
Total Collected	26,482
Designated Donations:	
Designated Deposits	6,995
eGiving Deposits	1,510
Total Collected	8,505
Total this Week:	34,988
*Average Weekly Budget	43,039
Weekly Surplus / (Deficit)	(8.052)

Year To Date Donations	
Regular Donations	1,375,198
Extraordinary Donation	ıs
Total Year to Date	1,375,198
*Year to Date Budget	1,506,368
Year to Date Surplus/(Defic	it) (131,169)
There were 3,619 registe	ered families
& 429 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

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!

EASTER EGG HUNT Sunday, March 31st at 9:45. All children 3rd grade and below. Meet in the Gym. Bring a basket. Easter Bunny will be available for pictures. Rain or Shine. Provided by the Saint Rose Women's Ministry.

> The Sanctuary Candle is in memory of Robert DesJardins



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



IV DOMINGO DE CUARESMA ENTRE LA LUZ Y LA OSCURIDAD (Domingo de Laetare) Queridos discípulos, paz.

La visita nocturna de Nicodemo le permite a Jesús abordar un tema no sólo importante para los discípulos sino para la humanidad. La predisposición que tenemos a dejarnos involucrar con la oscuridad, aunque se nos ofrezca la luz. Nadie está libre de tal riesgo.

Jesús es la Luz que el Padre ofrece a la humanidad. Su testimonio de amor, hasta el extremo de la entrega total, fue suficiente para tocar el corazón de las personas. ¿En realidad lo fue? Muchos decidieron recorrer el camino del egoísmo y favorecer la injusticia y el mal sin tener en cuenta a quienes sufren.

Nicodemo representa a quien, estando en la oscuridad, se encuentra ante la posibilidad de elegir el camino de la luz. La decisión será un desafío para ellos. Necesitarán una fuerza de voluntad firme y fuerte. La gracia puede ayudarlos a pasar de la oscuridad a la luz. El discipulado es el resultado de esta decisión. El discípulo, habiendo encontrado a Jesús, se decidirá por la luz, por la conversión, por la santidad y caminará por el camino de la luz y del amor.

Que el Espíritu Santo nos asista con gracia suficiente para decidirnos, convertirnos y seguir las huellas de Jesús.

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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Parish Community





Dear Fellow Disciples, peace.

From the beginning of our Capital Campaign, we have strived to provide transparency. Our Finance Committee has advised on financial matters and the Parish Council has prioritized our initiatives. Together, we have ensured that all decisions have addressed the parish's needs, reflected our mission and served our community effectively.

As we further navigate the financial aspects of this campaign, I want to reiterate some important information I shared in the bulletin last October - our original goal, though carefully calculated, was based on cost estimates from 2020 when we initially completed the Master Plan. Our continued research and discussions with architects have proven our assumption that we will need a significant increase in participation and funds to finish phases I and II.

Here's why we need to raise more money:

Expenses: Our strategic plan is ambitious and requires substantial financial resources. We need to consider factors such as updated construction costs and operational expenses to complete our initiatives.

Growing Community: Our parish is flourishing! Our ministries are reaching more people than ever. To sustain this growth, we need additional resources and space.

Stewardship: As stewards of God's gifts, we have a responsibility to ensure the long-term health of our parish. By addressing financial needs transparently, we honor our commitment to each other and to God.

Feeling like it's too difficult to do this by ourselves is okay. It's often exactly where God wants us - because it pushes us to rely on Him. As you lift the cross Jesus asks of you this Lent, please remember our Capital Campaign. We are counting on each other and counting on God! He will walk in the desert with us. What Can You Do?

Pray: Lift our parish in prayer. Seek God's guidance as we work together.

Give: If you're able, please pledge or consider increasing your pledge. Every little bit helps.

Engage: Attend parish meetings, volunteer your time to help with the campaign in any capacity, ask questions, and stay informed. Your involvement matters.

Remember, we are a family - a community bound by faith. Let's face these challenges together, trusting that God's grace will guide us. Thank you for your continued support and dedication.

God Bless! Fr. Chris Nunes Pastor



Oueridos discípulos, paz.

Desde el comienzo de nuestra Campaña Capital, nos hemos esforzado por brindar transparencia. Nuestro Comité de Finanzas nos ha asesorado en temas financieros y el Consejo Parroquial ha priorizado nuestras iniciativas. Juntos, nos hemos asegurado de que todas las decisiones aborden las necesidades de la parroquia, reflejen nuestra misión y sirvan a nuestra comunidad de manera efectiva.

A medida que avanzamos en los aspectos financieros de esta campaña, quiero reiterar información importante que compartí en el boletín de octubre el año pasado: nuestro objetivo original, aunque calculado cuidadosamente, se basó en estimaciones de costos de 2020, cuando completamos inicialmente el Plan Maestro. Nuestras continuas investigaciones y conversaciones con arquitectos han demostrado nuestra suposición de que necesitaremos un aumento significativo en la participación y los fondos para terminar las fases I y II.

He aguí por qué necesitamos recaudar más dinero:

Gastos: Nuestro plan estratégico es ambicioso y requiere recursos financieros sustanciales. Necesitamos considerar factores como los costos de construcción actualizados y los gastos operativos para completar nuestras iniciativas.

Comunidad en crecimiento: ¡Nuestra parroquia está floreciendo! Nuestros ministerios están llegando a más personas que nunca. Para sostener este crecimiento, necesitamos recursos y espacio adicionales.

Administración: Como administradores de los dones de Dios, tenemos la responsabilidad de garantizar la salud a largo plazo de nuestra parroquia. Al abordar las necesidades financieras de manera transparente, honramos nuestro compromiso mutuo y con Dios.

Sentir que es demasiado difícil hacerlo solos está bien. A menudo es exactamente donde Dios guiere que estemos, porque nos empuja a confiar en Él. Al levantar la cruz que Jesús te pide en esta Cuaresma, recuerda nuestra Campaña Capital. ¡Contamos unos con otros y contamos con Dios! Él caminará por el desierto con nosotros.

¿Oué puedes hacer?

Orar: Levantemos a nuestra parroquia en oración. Busque la guía de Dios mientras trabajamos juntos.

Done: si puede, haga una donación o considere aumentar su donación. Lo poco o lo mucho es ayuda.

Participe: asista a las reuniones parroquiales, ofrezca su tiempo como voluntario para ayudar con la campaña en cualquier capacidad, haga preguntas y manténgase informado. Su participación importa.

Recuerde, somos una familia, una comunidad unida por la fe. Afrontemos estos desafíos juntos, confiando en que la gracia de Dios nos guiará. Gracias por su continuo apoyo y dedicación.

:Dios los bendiga!

P. Chris Nunes



HAITI UPDATE

We are continuing to receive progress reports of the rectory construction from Fr. Doristin. The walls, roof and gates are up as well as much of the interior and exterior painting. As in the prior rectory, they will have lighting in each room powered by a generator St. Rose had provided years ago. The light fixtures have been installed which will allow for a simple light bulb in each room. He has reported that the rectory is designed to be water resistant to help prevent mold and water damage in the future. We are excited to see how quickly this has progressed and will keep you informed as we receive more reports from Robillard!



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.

PARISH COMMUNITY

PSR AND PSRS SCHEDULE

In observance of Spring Break and Easter Sunday, PSR will not meet on Sunday, March 24 and Sunday, March 31. PSR will reconvene Sunday, April 7.

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 Ifarmerfamily@comcast.net.



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: csukley@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 <u>fraternus@saintrose.org</u>.

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 will have a Lenten Reflection series for the Parish during the 6:30 pm prayer meeting in the Jo Call Room for three weeks. March 10th will be "Repent and Believe," March 17th is "Put Jesus First in Your Heart," and March 24th is "Die To Self & Rise With Christ." We invite all to attend and to experience the change God can make in our lives.

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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PRAYER REQUESTS

Peggi Bordash i, Kurt Ermond Blum i, Donald Wisehart i, Geneva Queen ii, Maya Augustine ii, Kay Marthaler ii, Rachel Goodwin ii, Fatima Curiel ii, Gloria Cazas ii, Dale Earwood iii, Beverly Phelps iii, Becky Fuchs iii, Bill Green 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

Nikki Dodd

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, 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

James Collier ii, Peggy Lynch ii, Edwin Allen iv, Ronald Meyer iv, Billy White iv. Email stewardship@saintrose.org to add or remove someone on the list.



Bridge Activity - February 2024
Total Families Served - 45
Total Dollars Spent (including gift cards) - \$6,521
Average Dollars Per Family - \$145

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



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!

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

CATHOLIC BUSINESS LEAGUE
Breakfast, March 14. Judy Komisky
Orr, LMSW, the executive director of
Catholic Charities, will be the featured
speaker for the Catholic Business
League Breakfast Meeting on
Thursday, March 14. Judy will give an
overview of the agency's workplace
development programs, the feature
of the upcoming fundraiser, Festival of
Hope Breakfast. The CBL meeting
begins in the Fleming Center at Cathedral
at 7:45am. More information is available

at <u>catholicbusinessleague.org</u>

JOIN US FRIDAY FISH FRY JO CALL ROOM 5:30 -7:00 DONATION ONLY
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!

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.

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.

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

- 9pm every night, and 6-7am Saturdays and Sundays, the popular Bible in a year and Catechism in a year with Fr. Schmitz. All episodes 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. Saint Rose Radio just added new section to their web site called ALL IN CATHOLIC. Fourteen tracts to help you grow in your knowledge of the Church, grow in your prayer life, and other interesting topics. All can be easily printed.

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.



Are you interested in helping to plan events for the Young Adult ministry? We are looking for volunteers in the 18-40 age range to help brainstorm, plan, and lead events. All skills are welcome, and no experience is necessary! Contact ojohnson@saintrose.org if interested.

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.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT IV DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

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. Stay tuned to the bulletin to learn more about these giving men and women.



Linda Edwards and her husband, Ron, have been parishioners at Saint Rose for close to 40 years. Originally from California, they moved to Tennessee via Texas in 1985. Linda and Ron have two grown children and seven grandchildren - four of which have attended or are currently attending Saint Rose School. Linda worked for the Nashville Crisis Center for three years after coming to Murfreesboro. After she finished her education at MTSU she worked for Schneider Electric for 25 years as a software engineer. Since

retiring five years ago, Linda has volunteered with the Bridge ministry and in the school cafeteria. "I help where I am needed," shared Linda. "I love Saint Rose; I am humbled and feel blessed to be on the Parish Council."

Jeff Laney - Chairperson, Paula Farmer – Secretary, Cecilia Cortes, Linda Edwards, Elaine Jones, 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.

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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!



THE SAINT ROSE WOMEN'S SOFTBALL team needs players. All ages and abilities are welcome. Minimum age is 16. Games begin in April. Please contact Cindy Nance at 615-584-2689 or cindyborotn@hotmail.com.

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: 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



BOCCE CLUB

Are you looking for a great opportunity to meet new people and have some fun? Then Saint Rose Bocce Club is the place for you. Bocce is like lawn bowling/ shuffleboard and quick to learn.

Saint Rose Bocce Club will begin its 10week spring league on April 1, 2024, and is looking for new members. Leagues play on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday evenings (6p) and Saturday morning (9:30a) - you decide which league works best for you. If you are interested in learning to play and/or think you would like to join a team, please reach out. We would be happy to meet you at the courts and play. All members need to be 18 years or older.

Please reach out to Beth Loats at balplayball@yahoo.com or cell phone 615-456-9143. We look forward to meeting you!

WHAT: SPRING CONVENT CLEANUP WHEN: SATURDAY, 23 MARCH **BEGINNING AT 9:00AM.**

WHERE: Parking is limited, carpooling from Saint Rose is recommended **EXPECTED PROJECTS:**

Trimming bushes, trimming low hanging branches, pressure washing, patio cleaning, raking leaves, hauling branches/weeds, raking/blowing out mulch beds, remove excess mulch, spread new mulch.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED Please mark your equipment for easy pickup at end of day: shovels, rakes, weedeaters/brush trimmers, tarps for hauling leaves, pressure washers, pole saws and trimmers, wheelbarrows, gloves.

This event is organized by the Knights of Columbus but is a parish wide event. We hope you and your families can spend the day or at least part of this amazing family event with our Dominican Sisters. Please RSVP with number coming to BStrebelKofC@comcast.net or call 615-804-1050 so that we can help the Sisters can estimate food. Anyone that has attended before knows how fun it is working side by side with the Sisters. After we are finished, the Sisters treat us to a wonderful lunch.

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?

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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

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

Saint Rose of Lima Boys7th-8th JV Basketball Wins Parochial League Tournament Congrats to Saint Rose of Lima Boys 7th -8th JV Basketball team who won the Parochial league tournament by avenging their only loss of season to defeat St Henrys 46-26 at Father Ryan High School the team went 10-1!! The boys were led by League All Stars Jude Brock, Charlie Frank, and Kuane Lashbrook. Also on team were Eli Karnopp, Cody Fries, Noah Drews, Owen Laney, Eli Coffey, Jacob Proctor, Tripp Bland, Henry Hoover, Elijah Ariza and Julian Medina. The team was coached by John McNicholas, Nic Rose, Will Holt and Owen Graham.

Knights of Columbus Crown State Free Throw Champions 2024

Each contestant was allowed 25 free-throw attempts in the contests. Ties were settled by successive rounds of five free throws per contestant until a winner emerged. They have earned the right to compete at the Supreme level. All 3 Regions West-Middle-East Tennessee winners ages 9-14 were eligible to participate and there were 29 participants.

State Winners: NATALIA TAROLA 11- y.o. girls and GAVIN MACGREGOR was 11 y.o. boys. State Runner Ups: ELI COFFEY 12 y.o. boys (double OT shootout) The Knights of Columbus wish to thank all who competed in this State event. Special thanks to the following Marion Council 4563 brother knights who helped make this year's event a huge success; Youth Director-John McNicholas, State Program Director - Tex Shellhart, and Past Grand Knight Bill Strebel.

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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