

## The Third Sunday of Lent



### Saturday, March 6:

Middle School Bowling—off-site  
4:30pm—Confessions  
5:30pm—Mass

### Sunday, March 7:

8:30am—Mass, RCIA 1st Scrutiny and Dismissal  
9:45am—Adult/RCIA/Cat. Form., “History and Mystery of the Eucharist”, by Jan Carnahan, RCIA Rm.  
9:45am—Baptismal Prep, 1st Session, Rm. 4  
9:45am—K-5th Grade Classes, Classrooms  
11:30am—Mass  
6:00pm—6th-12th Grade Classes, Classrooms  
6:00pm—Parish Mission, Church

### Monday, March 8:

10:00am—Preschool Mom’s Baby Signing, Nursery  
7:00pm—Young Adult Bible Study, Rm. 4  
7:00pm—Parish Mission, Church

### Tuesday, March 9:

7:00pm—Parish Mission, Church

### Wednesday, March 10:

10:00am—Wandering Wednesday’s, Rm. 4  
5:30pm—Confessions  
6:30pm—Stations of the Cross  
7:00pm—Mass—RCIA Presentation of Lord’s Prayer, Dismissal  
7:30pm—Lenten Supper, S.H.

### Thursday, March 11:

9:00am—“Holy Stitchers”, RCIA Rm.  
10:00am—Preschool Mom’s, Nursery  
12:00pm—Mass  
6:00pm—Altar Server Training, Church  
7:00pm—Choir Practice, Church  
7:00pm—Parish Council Meeting, Music Rm.

### Friday, March 12:

12:00pm—Mass  
3:00pm—Deacon’s Den open  
7:00pm—Meditative Stations of the Cross, Church  
7:45pm—Lenten Supper, Social Hall

### Saturday, March 13:

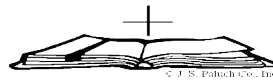
10:00am—K of C 3rd Degree, Church  
4:30pm—Confessions  
5:30pm—Mass

### Sunday, March 14:

8:30am—Mass  
9:45am—Adult/RCIA/Cat. Form., “Grace”, by Fr. Gaul, RCIA Rm.  
9:45am—Baptismal Prep, 2nd Session, Rm. 4  
9:45am—K-5th Grade Classes, Classrooms  
11:30am—Mass—RCIA 2nd Scrutiny and Dismissal  
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March 7, 2010

### Mass Intentions



For the Week of March 6—13, 2010

<b>Saturday</b>	5:30pm	Dan Beebe +
<b>Sunday</b>	8:30am	Tommy Pickel +
	11:30am	Good Shepherd Parish Family
<b>Monday</b>	7:00pm	Parish Mission
<b>Tuesday</b>	7:00pm	Parish Mission
<b>Wednesday</b>	7:00pm	Manuel Ramos +
<b>Thursday</b>	12:00pm	Courtney Holmes +
<b>Friday</b>	12:00pm	Peter and Teresa +
<b>Saturday</b>	5:30pm	Kaye O’Connor +

✠ **STEWARDSHIP** ☒  
What shall I render unto the Lord  
for all his benefits to me?

**Offertory Needed Each Week \$6077.00**  
Offertory Received Feb. 27/28 \$7254.50

**- Thank you for your continued support of our  
Parish and its mission to serve the people of God -**

**REPENT** If you do not repent, you will all perish  
(Luke 13:3).

### Readings for the Week of March 7, 2010

<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>Ex: 3:1-8a, 13-15; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9 (Year A) Ex 17:3-7; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42</b>
<b>Monday:</b>	<b>2 Kgs 5:1-15b; Lk 4:24-30</b>
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>Dn 3:25, 34-43; Mt 18:21-35</b>
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>Dt 4:1, 5-9; Mt 5:17-19</b>
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>Jer 7:23-28; Lk 11:14-23</b>
<b>Friday:</b>	<b>Hos 14:2-10; Mk 12:28-34</b>
<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>Hos 6:1-6; Lk 18:9-14</b>
<b>Next Sunday:</b>	<b>Jos 5-9a, 10-12; 2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3 11-32 (Year A); 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41</b>

## ✠ Penance

### LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES

March 16—7:00pm—St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Fayetteville  
**March 17—7:00pm—Good Shepherd, Hope Mills**  
March 23—7:00pm—San Isidro Mission, Stedman

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3:00pm—Fr. Bumann 4th Degree Mtg., RCIA Rm.  
5:00pm—H.S. Youth practice Living Stations of the  
Cross, Church  
6:00pm—6th-12th Grade Classes, Classrooms

# NEWS FROM THE OFFICE OF CATECHESIS

## Wandering Wednesdays

### LITTLE ROCK SCRIPTURE STUDY --

Due to a change in plans, the adult study group, "Wandering Wednesdays," will begin its video-based study of the Book of Exodus on Wed., March 10th, 10-11:30 am. The group chose to study Exodus as a follow-up to the presentation by Rabbi Levanon on the Passover Seder Meal that he presented on Sunday, Feb. 14th. This bible study will last ten (10) weeks, so it should take the group to the end of the catechetical year in May. Adults interested in deepening their understanding of the Jewish roots of the Mass are encouraged to participate in this study. Please sign the sheet posted on the Office of Catechesis bulletin board to register for the class.

### NEXT CLASS OFFERED BY THE CATECHETICAL INSTITUTE -

Interested adults who would like to learn more about the process of how the Bible was written, how Catholics approach Scripture and how to choose a bible are invited to register for the class, The Catholic Understanding of Scripture. The course will be offered on Monday evenings, 7-9 pm in the music room, and will be facilitated by Jan Carnahan, Director of Catechesis. Cost is \$20 per person, plus \$10 for the required textbook, "The Bible Blueprint: A Catholic's Guide to Understanding and Embracing God's Word."

April 12 -Session One - Where Did We Get Our Bible

April 26 -Session Two - Inspiration: Seeking the Language of God

May 10 -Session Three - What Scripture Says...and Doesn't Say

May 17 -Session Four - Biblical Interpretation in the Catholic Church

May 24 -Session Five - The Use and Abuse of the Bible

June 7 -Session Six - Choosing and Using a Bible

To register, please sign the sheet posted on the Office of Catechesis bulletin board in the Gathering Area.

Registration Deadline - Friday, April 2, 2010, (Good Friday)

## YOUTH NEWS

### ATTENTION MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH --

Fr. Mike Murry, who will present the Parish Mission, is a member of the Salesian Religious Order founded by St. John Bosco. St. John is noted for his love of young people and how he would engage youth by showing them magic tricks, taking them on picnics, and using interesting ways to help poor street kids learn about a better life in God. The Salesians are noted for using a positive, loving way to bring Christ to everyone they meet. It is very important that you arrive for class this Sunday, March 7, by 5:55 pm, as we will participate in the Parish Mission presented by Fr. Mike Murray. The mission WILL BEGIN PROMPTLY AT 6 PM and end at the regular time, 7:30 pm. Come directly to the church instead of going to your classroom and be ready to be pleasantly surprised!

ADULT FORMATION OPPORTUNITY -- This Sunday, March 7th, Jan Carnahan will present an opportunity for adults to learn about "The History & Mystery of the Eucharist" in the RCIA Room, 9:45-11 am. Interested adults are invited to attend and learn about the way the celebration of the Eucharist has changed over the centuries and how it has stayed the same.

## Adult Formation

## Confirmation

### CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES ON

RETREAT -- This weekend, the high school youth who are discerning whether they will ask for Confirmation, will be on retreat at Short Journey Center, Smithfield, NC. This time of discernment is very important for the youth, as they will make a decision that will affect their lives in a profound manner. Please take a moment to pray for them by name: Timera Bonner, Chelsea Bullard, John Butler III, Jovan Butler, Melissa Clason, Jennifer DeLong, Zachary Dilday, Catrina Dockery, Kai Ford, Jane Kelly, German Lara, Katia Lopez, J.C. Miller, Tyler Miranda, Michelle O'Donnell, Anthony Ringel, Nicholas Roy and Jeannette Tartaglia. Douglas Abraham, also a candidate, will attend a retreat later this month, and should be included in your prayers. Thank you!

### RCIA SCRUTINIES BEGIN -- This Sunday, March

7th at the 8:30 Mass, the RCIA will celebrate the First Scrutiny, which is an opportunity for the parish "to scrutinize our hearts to identify the falsehoods that keep us from living a fully Christian life" (Rite of Scrutiny). The Second Scrutiny will be celebrated March 14th at the 11:30 Mass, and the Third Scrutiny at the 5:30 Mass on March 20th. These rites are a gift to us as a direct result of the presence in our midst of the Elect and Candidates seeking Full Communion with the Catholic Church. Let us thank God for sending them to us.

## RCIA



**Young Adult Ministry** The Young Adult Ministry will be getting together Monday, March 8th from 7:00-8:30pm to begin reading James. We invite those that have participated in the bible study before as well as new young adults to join us. We will continue using

The Magnificat focusing on daily Lenten readings and discuss topics including faith and action, wisdom from above, as well as temptations and tests we face as Catholics. Nursery service is provided with advanced request. Contact Kerri-Lynn at [850-6633](tel:850-6633) if you have any questions.

## News Around the Parish



### Stations of the Cross

During Lent the Stations of the Cross are done in place of our regular Wednesday evening prayer and adoration. The Stations of the Cross will begin at 6:30pm, Mass at 7:00pm and our Lenten Supper following Mass in the Social Hall. If you would like to participate in the Lenten Supper, please feel free to bring soup, salad or bread to share.

### 2009 Tax Receipt Sign-up Sheet

If you are in need of a tax statement for 2009, please be sure to PRINT YOUR NAME AND PHONE NUMBER LEGIBLY on the list located on the small bulletin board in the kitchen airlock. If you are not a registered member, we will not be able to provide a statement. Thank you.

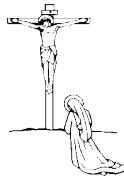




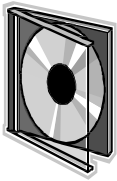
### More News Around the Parish

We would like to extend our prayers and sympathy to Jim and Margaret Kuhn on the passing of Jim's father, Robert Walter Kuhn. May the soul of Robert rest in eternal peace with our risen Lord.

Meditative Stations of the Cross -- Looking for a different approach to praying the traditional Stations of the Cross? Deacon Pat will offer a meditation at each of the stations that will enable participants to reflect on each station and connect it with their own experience and daily life. CHILD CARE will be provided and a soup supper will follow the Stations. When: Friday, March 12, 7-8:30 pm in the church. (P.S. If you want to bring a pot of your favorite homemade soup, a salad or some bread, we will be glad to help you share.)



LIVING STATIONS IS COMING AGAIN! Parishioners are invited to participate in the Stations of the Cross in a special way on FRI- DAY, MARCH 26th, 7 pm in the church. The high school youth will present the Stations in live tableaux and lead the prayer reflections and responses. The presentation is a moving experience that enables young and old to truly walk with Christ during his Passion and Resurrection. The nursery will be open for families with children 3 years old and under.



Remember to please stop by the new Lighthouse CD wooden rack located in the gathering area and pick up a CD to energize your Catholic faith. We have several new titles to choose from: The True Meaning of Easter; The Fourth Cup; The Significance of Holy Saturday, just to name a few. These CD's make good gifts too!

It's that time of year again to help put a smile on a child's face. The Women of Charity will be putting together Easter bags and baskets. Please donate individually wrapped candy, small toys, pencils, plastic eggs and basket grass so deserving children can enjoy an Easter treat! Place your donations in the box by the Women of Charity table in the Gathering Area. Thanks!



**Thank you  
and  
Welcome**

We would like to extend a special "Thank you" to Carol Lightcap for her extended service on maintaining the parish web-site for the past 7+ years. We would also like to Welcome Margaret Kuhn who will be maintaining our parish web-site and has made a few changes to the site. If interested, visit us at — [www.good-shepherd-church.org](http://www.good-shepherd-church.org)

### 50+ Flea Market

The 3rd Annual Flea Market is opening at the Good Shepherd Social Hall on Saturday, April 17th, 8:00am—4pm. Rent a table for \$15.00 and sell all those treasures that are packed away in your garage, attic, closets, etc.

Sell, make a few bucks and enjoy!! For further information, please contact Carol St. George at 425-9438.



We would like to Welcome all of our families who joined our parish family the month of February:

- Patricia Algieri
  - Robert and Maria Davis
  - Biju and Mini George and daughter
  - Eric Haug
  - Ian and Andrea Henneberger and sons
  - Dirk and Deanna Lafluer
  - Michael and Pauline Land and son
  - Soct Leviton and family
  - Jessica Mendizabal
  - Everado and Belinda Perez
  - Susan Shirinian
- WELCOME to the Good Shepherd parish family!!



### Respect Life News

On Friday's at 10:00am, join us at the Hallmark Abortion Clinic at 1919 Gillespie Street in Fayetteville to pray for an end to abortion.

The Respect Life Committee would like to extend a HUGE Thank you to all who brought gifts and donated money for the Spiritual Adoption Baby Shower. A total of \$202.00 was donated. The gifts— which included car seats, blankets, diapers, clothes, bottles, etc. — and \$109.00 will be donated to the Agape Pregnancy Center. The Agape Pregnancy Center is a haven for young women that become pregnant and unsure of what their next step will entail. God has given a haven for these young women to give their babies life and choose the right choice, not abortion...No one is ever turned away and they are extremely grateful for God's blessings. Once again, Thank you for your generosity.

**Thank You**

Good Shepherd is in need of a Respect Life committee chair for awareness efforts and events both at Good Shepherd and in the Diocese. You will be working with Jim Kuhn, who is our Respect Life coordinator for the Deanery. If interested, please contact Jim Kuhn at 224-1686 or e-mail: [kyliekuhn@gmail.com](mailto:kyliekuhn@gmail.com)



Girl Scout Sunday, Girl Scout Sabbath and Girl Scout Shabbat are all religious observances celebrating the rich diversity of belonging. Girls attend their

place of worship and are recognized as a Girl Scout as well as perform a service, such as greeting, ushering, gift bearers and so forth. These days can also be a time when girls explore other faiths. Girl Scout week is celebrated each March, starting with Girl Scout Sunday and ending with Girl Scout Sabbath on a Saturday, and it always includes the Girl Scout Birthday, March 12. The Girl Scout Birthday on March 12, commemorates the day in 1912 when Juliette Gordon Low officially registered the organization's first 18 girl members in Savannah, Georgia. This year, 2010, Girl Scout Week begins Sunday, March 7, 2010. If your daughter is interested in becoming a Girl Scout, stop by the table in the Gathering Area for more information.