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Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 6, 2022
I will give thanks to you, O LORD,
with all my heart,
for you have heard the words of my mouth.
— Psalm 138:1



Eucharistic Celebration

Weekends:
Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM
Sunday: 9:00 AM

Weekdays:
Tuesday: 6:00PM
Wednesday-Friday: 8:00AM

Adoration

The 1st Friday of the month at 5:00 P.M. and Mass at 6:00 P.M., morning Mass is cancelled on this day.
Forty-five minutes before every weekday Mass.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday and Sunday: Thirty minutes before each Mass or by appointment.

Baptism: Infant Baptism is celebrated the 3rd Sunday of the month. At least one parent must be a registered member of the parish for at least 3 months. Parents **and** godparents **must** attend a one hour Baptism preparation class prior to the scheduled Baptism. For other guidelines and details, please call the parish office.

Matrimony: Call the parish office for an appointment with the pastor. Diocesan guidelines require an initial interview at least 6 months before the wedding date. Please call the parish office for further information.

R.C.I.A.: This is a process for anyone who wishes to become Catholic. Please call the parish office for further information.

MASS INTENTIONS

February 5th 4:30PM Levy Adams, Jr. (RIP) by Langston Adams; Thaddeus Sanders (RIP) by Johanna Lewis & Sonia Harris; Mary Lee McZeal (Healing & Strength-Living) by Martha Burditt; Gus Roy (RIP) by Hospitality Ministry; Gloria (Dorothy) Fontnette (24yrs. Death Anniversary-RIP) by Rachel Jacquet & Fontnette Family

February 6th 9:00AM Parishioners of Sacred Heart Catholic Church

February 8th 6:00PM In Memory of the Martin Family (Living & Deceased) by Alma Martin

February 9th 8:00AM

February 10th 8:00AM Daisy & Harrison Hill, Sr. (RIP) by Jasline Sebile

February 11th 8:00AM World Day of the Sick; National Shut-in Visitation Day

February 12th 4:30PM Levi Adams, Sr. (RIP); Onley Antoine (RIP) by Fredrick Antoine; Gloria Mae Jacob Roy, Gussie Roy & Gus Roy (RIP) by Berlinda Roy Mouton

Collections

January 28th & January 29th

4:30pm	**$1,207.00**
9:00am	**$2,270.00**
Mail	**$1,759.00**
Totals	**$5,636.00**



All families are asked to begin discerning a gift to the 2022 Appeal for Catholic Ministries (formerly known as the Bishop's Faith Appeal). Please respond as generously as possible when you receive your Appeal for Catholic Ministries Pledge Form in the mail. This year the theme is *"Building the Kingdom Together"*. As you review the mailing from the Office of Stewardship and Development, please note the ministries and services funded by the Appeal, including those that directly support the work of our parish. We thank you in advance for your generosity.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading —In a vision Isaiah is called to be a messenger for the LORD of hosts. Isaiah responds, "Send me!" ***(Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8)***.

Psalm —In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord ***(Psalm 138)***.

Second Reading — Paul reminds us of the gospel he preached through which we are saved, if we believe it ***(1 Corinthians 15:1-11 [3-8, 11])***.

Gospel — Jesus directs Simon to take his boat into deep water for a miraculous catch of fish. Simon and his partners leave all to follow Jesus ***(Luke 5:1-11)***.



SAVE THE DATE

16th Annual St. Katharine Drexel Feast Day Celebration

Celebration of the Eucharist

Thursday, March 3, 2022– 6:00 p.m.

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

920 Booker T. Washington Ave. - Port Arthur, TX

Most Reverend David Toups

Bishop of Beaumont - Celebrant

Concelebrating Priests of the Diocese of Beaumont

Come join us as we remember St. Katharine Drexel and her gifts to the Diocese of Beaumont through the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament to:

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School

Sacred Heart Catholic School

St. Therese Catholic School

Reception immediately following in Parish Hall

EVERYONE IS ASKED TO WEAR A MASK

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132:6-7, 8-10; Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday:	1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84:3-5 10-11; Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday:	1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7:14-23
Thursday:	1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106:3-4, 35-37, 40; Mk 7:24-30
Friday	1 Kgs 11:29-32, 12:19; Ps 81:10-15; Mk 7:31-37
Saturday:	1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106:6-7ab,19-22; Mk 8:1-10
Sunday:	Jer 17:5-8; Ps 138: 1-5, 7-8; 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20-26

Meeting

-Sr. Usher will meet Sunday, February 6th after the 9:00am Mass in the St. Katharine Drexel Education Building.

-Ladies Auxiliary Cartagena Court #32 are accept application for young ladies who are interested in joining the Jr. Daughters of KPC, for more information contact Jean Babineaux-Bergeron at 409-718-7886.

-Knights of Peter Claver Council #32 will meet Wednesday, February 9th at 6:00pm at the KPC Hall.

-St. Katharine Drexel Feast Day Celebration rehearsal will be held on Thursday, February 10th & 17th at 6:00pm at Sacred Heart Church.

2021 Contribution Statements are available at the Parish Office for your tax purposes.

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

For a humble guy, St. Paul really tells it like it is. Paul lists those witnesses who actually saw the risen Jesus, last and least of these being Paul himself. Now we are used to thinking of Paul as one of the greatest apostles, even though we know he once persecuted Christians. So you might think he is being overly humble, like someone fishing for a compliment. No, Paul is only interested in making sure the Corinthians understand just how much God has done.

Besides being "born abnormally" (1 Corinthians 15:8), that is, coming to follow Christ in such an unusual way, he felt unworthy because of so many Christians he hurt before his conversion. Yet he turns that unworthiness into an example of how much God has done through him. So he can say that he worked harder than any other apostles because of God's grace, not Paul's strength.

In today's Gospel, Peter has a similar experience. He was a fisherman who knew his business and knew that some days, the fish just aren't there. So when they caught enough fish to fill both boats, he realized that his pride was sinful. He was unworthy to receive such bounty from the Lord. And yet Jesus tells him that "you will be catching men" (Luke 5:10).

How many of us are like Peter and Paul, thinking we know just what our place in the world is, relying on our own strengths to do our jobs? They found Jesus calling them to a much more challenging life. Do we have the courage to listen to God's call to serve?



"Come Back to the Heart of Jesus"

For the Sick and Home bound Parishioners who may need Confession, Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick, please call the Parish office for the Priest at (409) 985-5104.



Omesimus-An enslaved Africans who described the African method of inoculation against smallpox.

Mary Eliza Mahoney-First black professional nurse (RN) to graduate in 1879.

Why Go to Mass?

With virtual live-streaming available, especially in times of pandemic, is in-person attendance still necessary? Should it now be "optional" for modern Catholics? On **March 11th & 12th** at **St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church in Beaumont, TX**, Fullness of Truth presents its timely Lenten conference entitled, **"Why Go to Mass?: Grasping the Source of Your Salvation!"** Come explore both fresh insights and the non-negotiable truths related to our central act of worship, with the apostolic preaching of **Bishop David Toups (Diocese of Beaumont)**, the straight-forward rationale of EWTN call-in radio show host **Dr. David Anders**, and the Augustine Institute's dynamic scripture scholar & author **Dr. Michael Barber. This conference will provide clarity on such an essential matter...Your salvation! Don't miss it...! To register & more information, visit: FullnessOfTruth.org or call: 877.21.TRUTH**

THE 2ND COLLECTION IS FOR THE BEREAVEMENT FUND. NEXT WEEKEND, THE 2ND COLLECTION IS FOR THE BUILDING FUND.

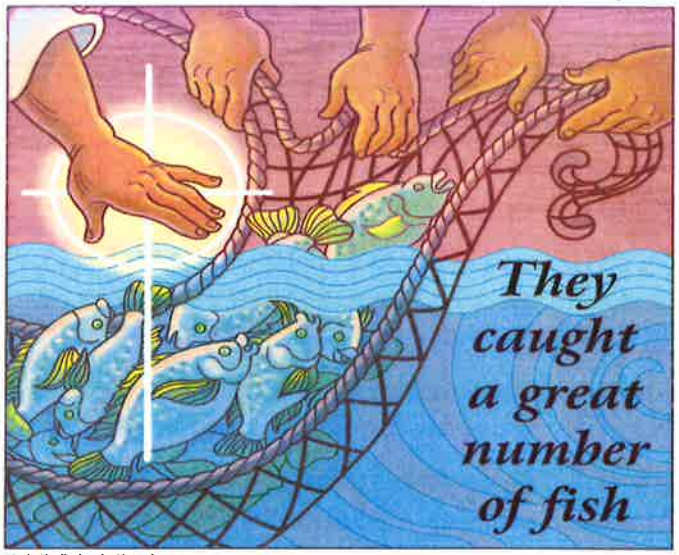
Father Anthony will bless singles, widows and widowers who lost a spouse in February. Next weekend he will bless those celebrating a wedding anniversary in February.

Reflection question:
How can I come to rely more on heavenly grace?

IF YOUR FAMILY MEMBER OR FRIEND IS ON OUR PRAYER LIST AND HE/SHE GETS WELL OR PASSES, PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO DELETE HIS/HER NAME. THANKS.

Pray for ...

Ethel Allen, Lucinda Allen, Nedra Alpough, Thelma Alpough, Lyric Anderson, Juliana Barnes, Emma Bonton, Diane Bowd, Kay Bridges, Tom Bronnon, Geraldine Broussard, Cecilia Brown, Beverly Carmouche, Doris Jacob Castile, Curtis Clark, Lionel Clark, Jr., Theresa Coleman, Emmett Comeaux, Kenneth Cormier, Aletha Covington, Isaiah Covington, III, Nekemia Covington, Cheetara Cox, Janelle Dale, Morris Davis, Valerie Dennis, Charles Doyle, Kaitlyn Dugas, Vincent Fertitta, Sandra Fontenette, Jonathan Fontenot, Lillian Fontenot, Normand Fontenot, Michael Fontnette, Jr., Gloria Foreman, John Francis, Alton Gallentine, Wilda Green, Malinie Guidry, Annie Guillory, Elzina Harris, Zacchaeus Hart, Robin Hataway, Aerial Hawkins, Mildred Hayes & Family, Edmonia Henderson, Crystal Henton, James Henry, Fay Hines, Yvette Jacquet, Hazel January, Mary Jenkins, Darlene Joe, Zackary U. Johnson, Jr., Linda M. Jones & Family, Roderick Jones, Steven Jones, Wilda Jones, Curtis Joseph, Hilda Joseph & Family, Elda Kennerson, Bernadette Lavine, Wildred Lavine, Bobbette Lawson, Michael Linden, Akliah Lopez, Adrienne Davis-Lott, Joseph Marcel, Marita Marcel, Phil C. Mahoney, Veronica Mayo, Mabry McZeal, Mary Lee McZeal, Robert Mae Mims, Denisha Montgomery, Erma Moore, Velma Morgan, Yvette Morris, Berlinda Mouton, Elvina Mouton, Sophia Mouton, Linda Nico, Dewey Normand, Helen Orsort, Johnny Owens, Roger Paris, Iris Phillips, Lester Pickney, Iris Plumber, Mary Polk, Bernice Potier, Chery Prevost, Jared Prevost, Joseph Prevost, JoAnn Pugh, Estella Ray, Mary Riggle, Jocelyn Rush, Earline Smith, Eldridge Smith, Ree Smith, Schreida Solaire, Lillie Stewart, Aneel Thomas, Clarence Thomas, Alozia Vaughns, Jennie Veal, Jean Vincent, Larry Viltz, Rosina Viltz, Phyllis Voliby, Rose Mary Williams, Gladys Wilson-Hollins, Jamon Wilson, Juanita Williams, Shahara Williams, Andre' Winston, Jr., Hazetta Younger and Tosharie Younger. **Communicants:** Ethel Allen



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PRAYER OF THE WEEK
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Keep your family safe, O Lord, with unfailing care, that, relying solely on the hope of heavenly grace, they may be defended always by your protection. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.



It's Mardi Gras time and we need your help! Mardi Gras will be held on February 24th-27th in Downtown Beaumont and we need volunteers. The more volunteer hours we work, the more profit the Church earns. There are several areas that need volunteers. To sign up, or for additional information, please contact Crystal Williams at (409) 365-3790.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE
February 12th & February 13th

LECTORS

SAT.	**4:30PM**	**Corine Jones**
		Geraldine Viltz
SUN.	**9:00AM**	**Tanya Robertson**
		Katrina Martin

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