



# I SUNDAY OF LENT

**MARCH 9, 2025**

Pastor  
Fr. John Henao, STL

## Mass Schedule

**Saturday**

5:00 PM (English) - Vigil

**Sunday**

9:00 AM (English)

10:30 AM (Spanish)

12:00 PM (Spanish)

5:00 PM (Spanish)

Holy Rosary is recited 30 min. before each weekend Holy Mass.

**Tuesday**

7:00 PM (Spanish)

**Wednesday**

12:05 PM (English)

**Thursday**

7:00 PM (Spanish)

**Friday**

8:00 AM (Spanish)

12:05 PM (English)

## Lauds

**Tuesday to Friday**

8:00 AM

## Reconciliation

**Tuesday**

6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

**Wednesday**

11:00 AM - 11:45 AM

**Thursday**

6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

**Saturday**

4:00 PM - 4:45 PM

**OR BY APPOINTMENT**

## Adoration

**Tuesday**

6:00 AM - 12:00 PM

5:45 PM - 6:45 PM

**Wednesday**

6:00 AM - 11:45 AM

**Thursday**

6:00 AM - 12:00 PM

5:45 PM - 6:45 PM

**Friday**

11:00 AM - 11:45 AM

**First Friday 8:00 PM until**

**Saturday at 8:00 AM**

**Exposition of the  
Blessed Sacrament**

**“BE WITH ME, LORD, WHEN I AM IN TROUBLE.”**



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### MASS INTENTIONS

#### I SUNDAY OF LENT

SUNDAY, MARCH 9, 2025.

9:00 AM: Pro Populo

10:30 AM: Maria Angela Gonzalez

12:00 M: Yolanda Flores

5:00 PM: † Cirila Eusebio Chavez

TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 2025.

7:00 PM: † Cirila Eusebio Chavez

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 2025.

12:05 PM: † Lanche Rhea

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 2025.

7:00 PM: Souls in Purgatory

FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 2025.

8:00 AM: † Cirila Eusebio Chavez

12:05 PM: Souls in Purgatory

SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 2025.

5:00 PM: † Carroll Boutte

## DONATIONS

MARCH 1 & 2, 2025.

Collection ..... \$9,812.00

Online Collections ..... \$587.60

Total Offering ..... \$10,399.60

## INFORMATION

Fr. John Henao, STL-Pastor

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FOR MORE INFORMATION

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## PRAY FOR THE SICK

We implore you, almighty God to please look kindly upon those who are sick. Bless them and by your mercy restore them to health. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

- Terry Kozeluh
- Alison del Angel.
- Marcia Dean
- Joey Owens
- Jonathan Kossa.
- JoBeth Reeves
- Madeline Cook
- Deacon Lino Huerta.
- Charles Stallings
- Arthur Quintero
- Joshus Wells
- Natalia Cepeda Arzola
- Mary Grush

If you or a family member need prayer, please contact (903) 483-2500 our community will pray for your intention.



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**GOSPEL**

## Reading of the Holy Gospel according to Saint Luke (4, 1-13)

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil.

He ate nothing during those days, and when they were over he was hungry. The devil said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become bread." Jesus answered him, "It is written, One does not live on bread alone."

Then he took him up and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in a single instant. The devil said to him, "I shall give to you all this power and glory; for it has been handed over to me, and I may give it to whomever I wish. All this will be yours, if you worship me." Jesus said to him in reply, "It is written. You shall worship the Lord, your God, and him alone shall you serve."

Then he led him to Jerusalem, made him stand on the parapet of the temple, and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written: He will command his angels concerning you, to guard you, and: With their hands they will support you, lest you dash your foot against a stone." Jesus said to him in reply, "It also says. You shall not put the Lord, your God, to the test."

When the devil had finished every temptation, he departed from him for a time.

**LORD'S WORD**



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**REFLECTION**

It is an ancient custom in the Church that the story of the temptation of Jesus in the desert should be read on the first Sunday of Lent. Jesus spent forty days in the wilderness. At the beginning of the forty days of Lent the Church always puts before us his time of solitude.

The temptation of Jesus is recounted in the three gospels known as 'synoptics', the gospels of Matthew, Mark and Luke. While Matthew and Luke give an extended version of the tradition, telling us that Jesus fasted for forty days and reporting a dialogue between Jesus and the devil, Mark simply gives the outline of the story.

Jesus has just received baptism from John in the river Jordan and he is filled with the Spirit. This same Spirit drives him into the wilderness, the place of desolation and loneliness, thought to be the habitat of evil spirits. Jesus' forty days in the desert remind us of the forty day journey of the prophet Elijah to the holy mountain where his call is renewed in the 'still, small voice'. We may even compare Jesus' stay in the wilderness with the forty years of wandering by Moses and the people.

As we begin the season of Lent, a time of self-reflection and spiritual development, contemplating the biblical story of Jesus' 40 days in the wilderness can be very enriching. This phase of His life, characterized by isolation, fasting, and temptation, provides valuable insights into our spiritual path. The fact that Jesus was tempted in every way that we are tempted means that he truly was one of us, that he became fully human.

The central statement is that Jesus was tempted. To be tempted is the fate of all human beings. That Jesus was tempted shows his humanity. He was 'like us in all things but sin'. He did not give way to temptation. Mark balances his statement about temptation with the laconic declarations 'he was with the wild beasts' and 'the angels looked after him'. The evangelist shows that this Son of Man is at peace with all creation and cared for by the providence of the Father.

Our gospel reading concludes with a reminder of Jesus' mission, to preach the 'good news' from God, to announce that the time has come and that the kingdom is approaching. These statements of Jesus have a particular resonance as we begin the season of Lent, a time of self-examination and self-denial. We are invited to welcome God's special time of blessing and the coming of the kingdom into our lives.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

## SANCTUARY CANDLES

The Sanctuary Candles  
burn this week  
(March 5 to 11, 2025)

In memory of  
**LAUREN CHEATHAM**

"MAY YOU SHINE IN THE SKY AND IN OUR HEARTS ETERNALLY"



**BILINGUAL STATIONS  
OF THE CROSS**  
Every Friday during Lent  
at 6:00 PM.

### CTK SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GRADUATING SENIORS

Applications for six \$500 CTK  
Scholarships are ready for graduating  
seniors in the Parish Office. They are  
due April 10 by 5:00pm.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY

The KC's will be having a fish fry  
during Lent on April 11 from 6:30-7:30.  
\$15.00 per plate. Dine in or take out.  
Funds raised support the KCs and CTK  
projects. Please join us.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Monthly meeting, Tuesday,  
March 11, 7:00pm, Parish Office  
Conference Room.

### RUMMAGE SALE

Start your Spring cleaning! The  
CTK Rummage Sale will be June  
20-21. Early collections will be  
every Tuesday, 9:00 AM-12:00  
PM, in the Parish Hall store room  
now until the sale.

### WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT

The St. Matthew's Women's ACTS  
Retreat will take place March 13-16. This  
is a wonderful opportunity to grow in  
your faith or to reconnect with your faith  
this Lenten season. For information on  
the retreat or for an application please  
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**NEWS**

**PURCHASE ONE OF  
OUR PERSONALIZED  
TUMBLERS**

**THE PLAN IS**  
FOR ALL TO  
**OBTAIN ONE**  
**ACQUIRE**  
**THEM IN OUR PARISH STORE**



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