

Holy Savior Catholic Church

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Pastor, Lincoln Dall

The Presentation of the Lord

February 2, 2025

We always celebrate the Presentation of the Lord on February 2. Because this date falls on a Sunday this year, it is a part of our liturgy this weekend. It is interesting that even though the Christmas season ends with the celebration of the Baptism of the Lord on January 12, the Vatican and other countries have the tradition of keeping the nativity scene up until the celebration of the Baptism of the Lord on February 2. With Christ being seen as God's light in the world, his presentation in the Temple was also traditionally known as Candlemass, with a blessing of candles being a part of the celebration ritual of the day. I love all the rituals and traditions that we have in our Catholic faith. It will be about a month from now when we enter the holy season of Lent with Ash Wednesday on March 5. Have a blessed week everyone - Father Lincoln.

Father Lincoln posts all his homilies, prayers of the faithful, and other reflections on his blog. You can access them on: <u>http://peregrinolincoln.blogspot.com</u>

Weekly Readings

Sunday, February 2 Presentation of the Lord Feast Malachi 3: 1-4 Psalms 24: 7, 8, 9, 10 Hebrews 2: 14-18 Luke 2: 22-40 or Luke 2: 22-32

Monday, February 3 Hebrews 11: 32-40 Psalms 31: 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 Mark 5: 1-20 Tuesday, February 4 Hebrews 12: 1-4 Psalms 22: 26b-27, 28 and 30, 31-32 Mark 5: 21-43 Wednesday, February 5

Hebrews 12: 4-7, 11-15 Psalms 103: 1-2, 13-14, 17-18a Mark 6: 1-6 **Thursday, February 6**

Hebrews 12: 18-19, 21-24 Psalms 48: 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 9, 10-11 Mark 6: 7-13 Friday, February 7

Hebrews 13: 1-8 Psalms 27: 1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc Mark 6: 14-29

Saturday, February 8 Hebrews 13: 15-17, 20-21 Psalms 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 Mark 6: 30-34

Sunday, February 9 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Isaiah 6: 1-2a, 3-8 Psalms 138: 1-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 7c-8 First Corinthians 15: 1-11 or First Corinthians 15: 3-8, 11 Luke 5: 1-11 Let us keep in prayer... Jackie Phillips, George Saul, Henriette Allen, Dee Throm

We would like to list your family and friends in special need of prayer. Please contact the office to add a name to the bulletin.

Mass Intentions: February 5 – Vicki McDowell; February 8 – Altonette Jackson

Altar Flowers: Please sign up on the calendar in the vestibule if you wish to place flowers at the altar for a loved one or honoring a special event.

January 26, 2025 Collection				
Regular	Building	Loose	Specials	
\$4,975	\$705	\$390	\$152	
Total: \$6,222				

Thank you for your continued support of Holy Savior

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Bishop Kopacz will be coming to Holy Savior on Friday, February 7 for the blessing of our new prayer and adoration room in the RE building. The blessing will take place after the 8:30 a.m. Mass. All are invited to attend.

THIS WEEK AT HOLY SAVIOR TUESDAY, February 4

Rosary – 5 p.m. Mass – 5:30 p.m. Ladies Auxiliary – 6 p.m. – McGing Hall OCIA – 6:15 p.m. – RE Building

WEDNESDAY, February 5

Rosary – 8 a.m. Mass – 8:30 a.m. Adoration – 6 – 7 p.m. – Church

THURSDAY, February 6

Rosary – 5 p.m. Mass – 5:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, February 7

Rosary – 8:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Mass – 8:30 a.m. Blessing of the new prayer chapel after Mass – RE Building Potluck Breakfast – McGing Hall

SATURDAY, February 8

Reconciliation – 4:15 p.m. Mass – 5 p.m.

SUNDAY, February 9 Mass at Immaculate Conception – 8 a.m. Adult Ed – 9 a.m. – McGing Hall Elem Religious Ed – 9 – 10:10 a.m. – RE Bldg Mass – 10:30 a.m. KC Lunch – 11:15 a.m. – McGing Hall



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

All adults are invited to McGing Hall Sundays at 9 a.m. beginning January 12 for a 12-week study on The Bible and the Church Fathers. We hope all will join!

The Knights of Columbus will have another Football Fundraiser. They will be selling squares for \$10 each for the Superbowl from January 18 until February 2 after Masses. You have a chance to win \$100 per quarter! The proceeds will be split between the Knights and the Ladies Auxiliary.

The Knights are having a Gumbo fundraiser lunch on February 9 after 10:30 a.m. Mass. Please sign up in the vestibule.

Young Adults! See the online bulletin for upcoming events hosted by the Diocese. Theology on Tap – February 4 at 7 p.m. and a Spring Basketball League.

Next weekend is Commitment Weekend for the Catholic Service Appeal at our parish. We invite every member of Holy Savior to prayerfully consider a generous gift to the CSA. Achieving our parish goal of \$21,200 relies on the collective efforts of our diocese to support the 14 impactful ministries funded by the Appeal. Your contribution will make a difference, especially by supporting Family Ministry, which provides essential services to couples, helping them strengthen their vocation of marriage and family life through both marriage preparation and enrichment programs. Let us come together to make the Catholic Service Appeal a true success for our parish and our diocese.

2024 Contribution Statements have been mailed. Please contact Mary Katherine in the office with any questions or corrections or if you did not receive yours. Thank you!

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH? YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN OUR OCIA CLASSES

OCIA stands for the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults, it is the process by which an adult person is initiated into the Catholic Church, through Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. OCIA welcomes: Unbaptized adults, adults baptized in other churches and adults baptized in the Catholic Church, but who lack First Holy Communion and Confirmation. Anyone interested in exploring the Catholic tradition may begin at any time. Next class is February 4 at 6:15 pm. Contact the Church Office (601-924-6344) or Chris Halliwell (601-757-9910) for more information.

CHURCH STAFF

Mary Katherine Yentzen, Secretary/Bookkeeper Michael Saway, Custodian Toni Canizaro, Music Director Tammy Threadgill, Elem CRE Hunter Yentzen, Youth Minister/HS CRE

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Please notify the Parish Office of deaths, births, illnesses or to add a prayer intention. Bulletin items should be submitted by Wednesday at noon.

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Adult Education:

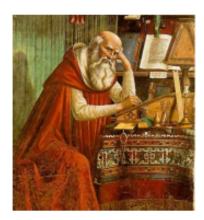
THE BIBLE and the CHURCH FATHERS

Adult Religious Education:

Join us for an Inspiring 12-week Bible Study

Beginning Date -	<u>Sunday January 12, 2025</u>
from Time -	<u>9 a.m.</u>
in Location -	<u>McGing Hall</u>
Registration Cost -	Free

Contact - Chris Halliwell (601) 757-9910 <u>challiwell62@gmail.com</u>



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Embrace the Faith of Our Fathers

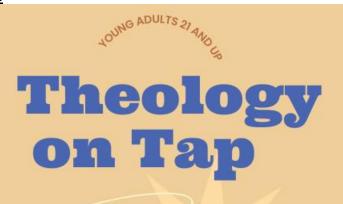
- + Meet the Great Fathers of the Church
- + See why the ancient faith is the Catholic faith
- + Learn how the Fathers approached Scripture



In "No Greater Love", You Will Experience the Unconditional Love Christ Has for You. We often hear about Jesus' passion and death, but imagine experiencing them for the very first time.

In "No GreaterLove: A Biblical Walk Through Christ's Passion", we are going to walk step-by-step with Jesus on his journey from his agony in the garden to his crucifixion on Calvary. Along the way, we will unpack the biblical background to these events, the prophecies, and most especially, the ways Jesus is inviting us to walk more closely with him today. This video pilgrimage reveals Christ's amazing love for us. Best-selling author Edward Sri guides you through the last hours of Christ's life. Every step of the way, Old Testament prophecies, messianic expectations, biblical symbolism, and historical context shed light on the mystery of Christ's suffering and death.

"No Greater Love" is a five-part Bible study program that begins on March 16th at 9:15 am in McGing Hall. All adults are invited to this special Lenten study. For more information, contact Chris Halliwell at (601) 757-9910 or by email at: challiwell62@gmail.com.







GUEST SPEAKER: DEACON MARK BOWDEN TOPIC-"DEFENDING YOUR FAITH"



FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT AMELIA RIZOR AMELIA.RIZOR@JACKSONDIOCESE.ORG



JACKSON AREA CATHOLIC Young Adults Spring League

March 6-April 24, 2025 COME AND JOIN THE YOUNG ADULT BASKETBALL LEAGUE. TEAMS FOR MEN18-35 LEAGUE REGISTRATION FEE IS \$30. REGISTER BY FEBRUARY 28

@FIRST BAPTIST JACKSON GYM 6-9PM THURSDAYS



To Register Scan the QR Code

For more information contact Amelia Rizor 601-949-6931

<u>St. Joseph Catholic School – Bruin Burn</u>

Holy Savior, you're invited! We're inviting all parishioners to Bishop Kopacz's blessed event, St. Joseph Catholic School's annual Bruin Burn 5K- run, 2k- walk, and fun run on March 1, 2025 at 9:00 am in Ridgeland. This will be a fun-filled "Back to the 80's" - event with music, pizza, and a glow tunnel. Prizes will be given to the best "1980's " dressed. Proceeds benefit SJ Athletic programs and Webster Animal shelter. Early discounted registration ends soon, register today!

• Sign up at: <u>https://runsignup.com/Race/MS/Ridgeland/BruinBurn.</u>

We would also love for you all to consider sponsoring this event to help make this event possible. We will proudly advertise for you and list your name on our t-shirts, signup online or via the attached form.

Sponsor

here: <u>https://www.stjoebruins.com/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=296737&type=d&pREC_ID=2197185</u>

Millions of Monicas – Praying With Confidence For Our Children

Many individuals have children who find it challenging to connect with their Catholic faith or have completely distanced themselves from the Church. Millions of Monicas is a ministry dedicated to supporting mothers, grandmothers, step-mothers, and aunts facing this issue. Inspired by St. Monica's prayers for her son, St. Augustine, the group gathers weekly to earnestly pray for the joyful return of their children to full communion with the Catholic Church. Millions of Monicas meet every Tuesday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, located at 127 Church Road, Madison. For further details, please contact the church office at 601.856.2054, email millionsofmonicas@stjosephgluckstadt.com, or visit www.millionsofmonicas.com.