



**SUNDAY "Is 62:1-5; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11"**

8:30 A.M. Juanita Hudson

11:00 A.M. For the Parish

5:00 P.M. Tommy Fontana

**MONDAY "1 Sm 15:16-23; Mk 2:18-22"**

6:30 A.M. Mike Fontana

**TUESDAY "1 Sm 16:1-13; Mk 2:23-28"**

6:30 A.M. (Our Lady of Fatima)

5:30 P.M. Tricia Hensley Smith

& Marie Hensley

**WEDNESDAY 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51"**

6:30 A.M. Dewey F. Weaver, Sr.

**THURSDAY "1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Mk 3:7-12"**

6:30 A.M. (Our Lady of Fatima)

5:30 P.M. Andrew Anyamene

**FRIDAY "1 Sm 24:3-21; Mk 3:13-19"**

8:10 A.M. Caroline Savage

**SATURDAY "2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12; Mk 3:20-21"**

7:30 A.M. Deceased Members  
of the Costanza,  
Lewis, & Zagone  
Families

4:30 P.M. Dr. & Mrs. Frank Rizzo

**SUNDAY "1 Cor 12:12-30; Lk 1:1-4:14-21"**

8:30 A.M. Myrtle Toomer

11:00 A.M. Jelpi & Tuni Pikou

5:00 P.M. For the Parish

**ADORATION**

Adoration continues on Tuesday, January 19<sup>TH</sup>  
from 8:00 A.M.- 8:00 P.M.

**QUESTION FOR FAMILY 01-24-2010**

In what ways has my hearing of the Scriptures  
changed me?

**QUESTION FOR CHILDREN 01-24-2010**

What are three things I can do this week to act as  
a loving person?

**NEWSLETTER DEADLINE** – week of Jan. 18<sup>th</sup>.

**NEWSLETTER MAILING** – Monday, Feb. 15<sup>th</sup>,  
9:00 A.M. in the Parish Hall.

**OLD TESTAMENT COURSE**

Classes continue at 6:30 P.M. – 8:30 P.M. on  
January 20<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> at Our Lady of Fatima  
Catholic Church. The Old Testament course will  
concentrate on the following topics: (1) Typology  
the study of how events and people in the Old  
Testament prefigure events and people in the  
New Testament); (2) the Old Testament  
covenants; (3) the patriarchs of the Old  
Testament; (4) the book of Judges, and if there is  
time, (5) a discussion of some of the Old  
Testament prophecies. The classes will be  
facilitated by J. Randolph (Randy) Smith of  
Monroe.

**JGS DINNER CLUB**

Please sign up on the sheet on the gathering  
space table to join our JGS parish family at the  
Chateau Restaurant on Saturday, January 30<sup>th</sup>  
at 6:30 P.M. as we share a meal together.



Confirmation at JGS for parishioners in grades  
10, 11, and 12 who have not yet been Confirmed  
is scheduled for Sunday April 11, 2010 at the  
11:00 A.M. Mass. Confirmation preparation  
classes will begin on Sunday, January 31, 2010  
in JGS school cafeteria from 9:45 A.M. – 10:45  
A.M. These classes are mandatory, there is a  
book fee of \$20. Registration forms will be  
available in the church office. For more  
information, contact Heather Vidrine at 267-0382.

**CARING & SHARING – WIDOW'S SUPPORT  
GROUP**

Will meet on Friday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> at 1:00 P.M. in  
the Parish Hall. All widows women & men are  
invited.

**JR. SHEPHERDS (GRADES 5-8)**

The meeting on January 24<sup>th</sup> is a patriotic theme.  
Wear your red, white, and blue, and meet us in  
the Parish Hall from 6:00-7:30 P.M.

**BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS**

Is Monday, Feb. 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 P.M. in the Parish Hall.  
Please call the church office, 325-7549, to  
register. You must attend the class if you have  
not previously done so.

## SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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### **SPRING BIBLE STUDY CLASS**

During the Spring Semester the parish will offer a Bible Study class on the Book of Esther. The class will begin on Tuesday, Feb. 2, 2010 at 6:00 P.M. Each class will last one hour. The class will be held in the Moore Hall Meeting Room. Anne Hodge Smith will teach the class. You will not want to miss this interesting class.

### **SHEPHERD OF LIFE SPEAKER SERIES** **DR. MAHMOUD KALIL HAS RESCHEDULED** **TOPIC IS "UNDERSTANDING ISLAM"**

Please join us on Thursday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 P.M. in Moore Hall to learn more about Islam. A reception will follow the talk.

### **PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN CLASS**

Will be held on Thursday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 P.M. in the School Library. **Please make sure your participants know that the class will start promptly at 6:00 P.M. and run until 8:30 P.M. They need to arrive BEFORE 6:00 to sign in.**

In the last few sessions, several people were late and if they are not there for the full presentation, their attendance cannot be certified and they must return for another session, which makes them very unhappy. This is one time when it's "NOT BETTER LATE THAN NEVER" Also it is very disruptive when they walk in the middle of a video, not to mention disrespectful to those who did arrive on time. Thank you, Vonny Jaubert.

### **FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR CATHOLIC STUDENTS**

Application packets for tuition assistance from the Daughters of the Cross Educational Fund and newly-established Bishop's Tuition Assistance Fund are now available for the 2010-2011 school year. Partial tuition assistance is available on a needs-basis for Catholic students in the Diocese of Shreveport. Parents may contact any Catholic School or the Superintendent's office for application packets, or may apply online at [www.tuitionaid.com](http://www.tuitionaid.com). **Deadline for application is March 31, 2010.** More information contact the Diocesan Catholic Schools Office at 219-7253.

### **WELCOME TO THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY**

Mary Blake Liles, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. William Liles; and Meredythe Louise Hanchey, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Clint Hanchey.

### **FAMILY PROMISE MINISTRY**

The Family Promise Ministry has brought back the days when a person could find sanctuary in any church. This Ministry, an organization of 13 churches of different denominations, house and feed homeless families for 1 week intervals. JGS next round will occur February 7-14<sup>th</sup> with 2 families new to the system. JGS is asked to **supply supper meals** for these families housed at St. Paschal. **We need your help, call Elaine at 323-3144.** The new director of Family Promise, Ms. Sandra Jones will host regular planning meetings for those interested and the first meeting is **Tuesday, Jan 12<sup>th</sup> 6:00 P.M., 1317 South 10<sup>th</sup> St., Monroe.** Sandra can be reached at her office, 654-4101.

### **FUNDRAISER LUNCH BENEFITING JIHAN**

#### **GIDEON**

On Sunday, Jan. 31<sup>st</sup> a Homemade Lasagna Lunch will be served after the 11:00 A.M. Mass. The price for adults is \$20.00 ea. and price for children is \$10.00 ea. Tickets will soon be available, please plan to attend to support our Bethlehem University student.

### **FIRST ANNUAL DIOCESAN HIGH SCHOOL & MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH RALLY**

**Where:** Student Center, LA Tech University.  
**When:** February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2010, 8:30 A.M.- 5:00 P.M. Come and join youth from all over the Diocese to listen to Dynamic Speakers on issues that matter to you!

### **COLLECTION UPDATE 2010**

Weekly Revenue Budget (2 weeks) \$34,774.00.  
Collections Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> \$1,839.50 & Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup>  
\$11,097.50, Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> \$13,612.50  
Total - \$26,549.50  
Variance -\$8,224.50

### **PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Dr. Stanley Mintz, father of Mary Theus of our parish. May he rest in peace. Amen

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK**  
**LEE EDWARDS**