

ST. MARTIN dePORRES

Catholic Church Bulletin

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Sunday Service ~ 9:30 am • www.stmartindeporescatholic.org

COMMUNITY NEWS

If you are aware of a parishioner who is ill, please get their permission to have their name printed on the sick and shut-in list, and if they would like to receive communion, please call into the parish office.

*ENCOUNTER SAFIATA

In Burkina Faso, we encounter Safiata a mother, grandmother and farmer who relies on the money she makes from her crops to put her children through school. How can our purchases this lent support farmers and artisans? How can you support those worldwide, who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities? Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

Thought of the Day ".... To those who sold doves he said, "Take these out of here, and stop making my Father's house a marketplace" **John 2:16**

Does my use of my time, and treasure reflect my true priorities? In other words do I have a marketplace mentality—me centered? Or, do I have a stewardship mentality—other centered?

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

"Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the LORD your God which He has given you."
-Deuteronomy 16:17

* **Lenten Books**- Lenten Little Black Books will be available for purchase (\$1.50) in the parish office. It will kick off on Ash Wednesday, February 14, at SMdP on Thursday from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. hosted at CEC.

Do you have an upcoming event?

Consider Thea Bowman Rental Hall!

- *Comfortably can accommodate 284 people.
- *Equipped with a nice kitchen, with access to the stove, refrigerator, ice machine, and round & banquet tables.
- *Located beneath the Catholic Enrichment Center.
- *Convenient parking with easy access to the hall.
- *Affordable pricing available.

*Available for Birthday Parties, Family Get-togethers, Anniversary Parties, Special Occassions and Repass Celebrations, etc

***For more information about scheduling your next event, please call 502.778.1118 ext. 13 or email parishoffice@stmartindeporescatholic.org**



WELCOME!

We would like to extend a warm welcome to all of our visitors worshipping with us today. We are happy to have you in our presence and we hope that you are inspired by our worship service. We hope that all of our visitors will come worship with us again soon.

~ May God Bless You

Ministry Meetings

(All meetings held in the Parish House or Family Life Center.)

Parish Leadership	3 rd Monday, 6:00 pm
Administration	2 nd Sunday, After Mass
Evangelization.....	2 nd Saturday, 1pm
Family Life	1st Sunday, After Mass
Finance Ministry.....	2 nd Tuesday, (Odd Months) 5:30 pm
Formation.....	2 nd Monday, 6:30 pm
Service Committee	3 rd Sunday, After Mass
Social Concerns.....	3 rd Sunday, After Mass
Worship.....	3 rd Sunday, After Mass

Our Mission Statement

We are an African American Catholic parish with a blend of faith family members from various ethnic backgrounds and communities throughout Kentuckiana. We care about one another, those around us and those we must reach from afar by prayer. We place emphasis on our Afrocentric worship services that speak to our religious beliefs and our spiritual traditions.

Pastoral Administrator
Deacon James R. Turner



Sacramental Moderator
Fr. Conrad Sutter



Parish Office Coordinator
Rochelle Harris



Parish Bookkeeper
Margaret Staples



Music Minister
James Taylor

STEWARDSHIP

Use the gifts GOD has given you by sharing your time and talents with a ministry.

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"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor." He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord."

~ Luke 4:18-19 ~

MARCH 4, 2018

WORSHIP AND PRAYER THIS WEEK

Today' Eucharist	9:30 a.m.	Shaun Barlow
Next Sunday's Eucharist		



MONTH OF MARCH COMMUNION MINISTERS:

James Holman, Adriene Mitchell, Joseph Felix, Kathryn Gaines, Dorice Firmin, Rita Shoulders

HOSPITALITY MINISTERS

MARCH 4th -----Brenda Wimberly, Destiny Wimberly

MARCH 11th – Marie Mucker, Abby Blair

MARCH 18th – Mr. & Mrs. Pernell Johnson

MARCH 25th Jackie Ellery, Autumn Ellery

ALTAR SERVERS:

MARCH 4th Nehemih Felix, Armonte Snodgrass

MARCH 11th Shaun Wimberly, Victoria Wimberly

MARCH 18th – Stephanie Henry, Corey Mitchell

MARCH 25th – Jediah Holman, Kamyah Porter

LECTORS:

MARCH 4th Arlandria Spalding, Lolita Ewing, Kenya Turner

MARCH 11th Pam Colman, Andrea Davis, Stephanie Henry

MARCH 18th – Sr. Dorothy Jackson, Tony Mathis, Jessica Holman

MARCH 25th – A'nya Ellison, Aaliyah Taylor, Jessca Holman

GIFT BEARERS:

MARCH 4th-- Shan Hermitt, Shantel Walton

MARCH 11th-- Aliza Toney, Mary Scott-Jones

MARCH 18th -Mr. & Mrs. Spearman

MARCH 25th- Corey Mitchell, Robert Byrd, III

CANTORS:

MARCH 4th - Mary Taylor

MARCH 11th Erika De'Sha

MARCH 18th - Yvette Stith

MARCH 25th - Patricia Bolds

CHILDREN'S CHURCH MINISTERS:

MARCH 4th – 25th – Rita Holman

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

FIRST READING: Exodus 17:3-7(28A)

SECOND READING: Romans 5:1-2, 5-8

GOSPEL READING: John 4:42, 15

PRAYER REQUESTS



Lorraine Baker, James Blincoe, Mary Brown,
Robert Downs, John Evans, Anna Groves,
Geraldine McKinney, Steve Porter, Ellie Ross,
Kenneth Shoulders, Sr., Elbert & Shirley Turner

"Prayer is an act of love; words are not needed. Even if sickness distracts from thoughts, all that is needed is the will to love."

-Saint Teresa of Avila



Happy Birthday
MARCH

Happy Birthday to everyone
born in the month of March!



*"And these three things remain:
faith, hope and love. But the
greatest of these is love." 1
Corinthian 13:13*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

STEWARDSHIP

Tithes Received for 2.25.2018	\$ 2,150.00	Tithes Received-YT	\$ 58,402.78
Budget Tithes Needed for 2.25.2018	\$ 1,885.00	Budgeted Tithes-YTD	\$ 65,975.00
Over/under BUDGET for 2.25.2018	\$ 265.00	Over (Under) Budget-YTD	\$ (7,572.22)

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***Fish Fry-** Any donations can be dropped off Wednesday and Thursday, between 11a.m. and 4 p.m. **Fish Fry will be Friday, March 2nd.** "We can't all be chiefs, some have be crew, but there is something for all of us to do"

***Day After Scripture Series-** Catholic Enrichment Center and Office of Multicultural Ministries will begin offering a scripture study series. The six-week series will start on **Monday, Feb. 12** through March 19, from 1-2 p.m. and the facilitator is Rev. Conrad Sutter.

***Worship Survey – March 4th -A Worship Survey will be handed out today before church and before announcements. Please complete and turn in to the Hospitality Ministers before you leave church today.**

***SAVE THE DATE: Fr. John Judie** will have a celebration of his retirement, **70th birthday and 31 years of priestly ministry on Saturday, August 11, 2018.** More details will follow later. He may be reached at 502-774-5772.

***Archdiocese of Louisville Catholic Women's Conference**-will be held on **Saturday, March 10, 2018.** The conference will be held at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, 1000 N. Beckley Station Rd. Keynote Speakers are Sarah Hart and Sr. Eva Marie Lumas. For more information go to www.cwclouisville.net

***31st Annual African American Catholic Leadership Awards Dinner-** Office of Multicultural Ministry cordially invites everyone to attend the Leadership dinner on **Saturday, March 10** at Crowne Plaza Hotel. Silent Auction and cocktails begins at 5 p.m. Dinner will begin at 6:00p.m. **Donations is \$70.00.** If you would like a table, please see Eric Williams or Erika DeSha for more Details.

***Community-Wide Science Fair-** Office of Multicultural Ministry will host a Community-Wide Science Fair on **Saturday, March 17, 2018,** 10:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m. at the C.E.C. Students from grades 5 -8 are invited to participate in this community wide event and are encouraged to crate and showcase projects representing all sciences disciplines including but not limited to physical, natural, biological and space. Registration is required and the deadline is Friday, February, 23, there is a \$10.00 entry fee. For more details, please call OMM call 502-471-2123.

***Women's Choir Concert – Office of Multicultural Ministry** will host a Women's Concert on Sunday March 18, 2018, 4:00pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. Everyone is invited to attend. The church is located at 1545 Louis Coleman Drive, Louisville KY 40211. For further details, please call the office of Multicultural Ministry at 502-471-2134.

***Submit all bulletin/advertisement requests before 10 am on Wednesday to the Parish office or via email at: parishoffice@smartindeporrescatholic.org Bookkeeper: info@smartindeporrescatholic.org**