

ST. MARTIN de PORRES

Catholic Church Bulletin

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Sunday Service ~ 9:30 am • www.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 Leadership3rd Monday, 6:00 pm
- Administration2nd Sunday, After Mass
- Evangelization.....2nd Saturday, 1pm
- Family Life1st Sunday, After Mass
- Finance Ministry..... 4th Thursday, 5:30pm Parish House
- Formation.....2nd Monday, 6:30 pm
- Service Committee3rd Sunday, After Mass
- Social Concerns.....3rd Sunday, After Mass
- Worship..... 1st 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.

- Pastor**
Rev. Charles Walker
- ∨
- Associate Pastor**
Rev. Deogratias Ssamba, A.J
- ∨
- Senior Associate Pastor**
Rev. Tom Gentile
- ∨
- Deacons**
Keith McKenzie
James R. Turner
- ∨
- 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.

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.

Thought of the Day: "What good is it, my brothers, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him: James 2:14

St. James poses this bold question because he believes this basic tenant of Christian stewardship – all are called to share their gifts in love and justice with others to build up God’s kingdom.

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

***FISH FRY FUNDRAISER** – Each month St. Martin de Porres will be holding a five dollar (\$5.00) fundraiser. For the month of **SEPTEMBER**, we are asking each church member to spend five dollars on **“cut” green beans.**

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

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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 ~

SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

WORSHIP AND PRAYER THIS WEEK

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



24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: Isaiah 50:4c-9a 9131B)
 SECOND READING: James 2:14 - 18
 GOSPEL READING: Mark 8:27-35

PRAYER REQUESTS



James Blincoe, Mary Brown, Robert Downs,
 John Evans, Anna Groves,
 Geraldine McKinney, Steve Porter, Ellie Ross

*"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
SEPTEMBER
 Erika DeSha 9/2
 Fr. Chuck Walker 9/5
 Waldine Ellison 9/12
 Adriene Taylor-Mitchell 9/12
 Rita Shoulders 9/12
 Armonte Snodgrass 9/12
 Kenya Turner 9/12
 Francis Ellery 9/23



*"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 9/9/2018	\$ 988.25	Tithes Received-YTD	\$ 18,961.79
Budget Tithes Need d for 9/9/2018	\$ 1,885.00	Budgeted Tithes-YTD	\$ 20,735.00
Over/under BUDGET for 9/9/2018	\$ (896.75)	Over (Under) Budget-YTD	(876.46)

ST. MARTIN de PORRES NEWS

*** IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY COMMUNITY FUN FESTIVAL: 12pm – 7pm** on September 22, 2018. DJ spinning the tunes. Vendors will also be on site. There will be Hot Fish and Chicken Dinners served. A variety of kid friendly snacks to fill you up, along with Cold Beer, Soft Drinks and Water. Questions you may call the church 502-774-5772. All kinds of games/activity for the entire family.

***FORMED FOR FREE:** Our Archdiocese has free access to thousands of catholic educational materials for the whole month of September. Go to www.formed.org on your computer or cell phone. Log in this email address: Louisville@formed.org. Use the password formed#18 to get total access to all of FORMED Catholic formation materials. Finally let Fr. Chuck or someone on the Parish Council what you think about **FORMED.**

***THE OFFICE OF MULTICULTURAL MINISTRY:** will offer Basic Level 1 Spanish Classes for persons wishing to communicate and become more involved with the Hispanic community in their parishes. The classes will take place on Mondays from 1:00pm – 3:00pm starting on October 8, 2018 through December 10, 2018 at the Maloney Center, 1200 South Shelby Street, Louisville, KY 40203. A minimum of five students are necessary for the course to take place. The fee is \$70.00 which includes a book and other materials. For further information please call [\(502\)636-0296](tel:5026360296).

***ZUMBA'S FITNESS CLASS:** held every Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:00p.m. 1st class is free; \$3.00 per class after that; punch cards will be available for 10 classes for \$25.00. Please wear comfortable, light exercise clothing and shoes that offer stability and cushion bring a water bottle for rehydration. For more details call the center at 502-776-0262

***INTRODUCTION & INTERMEDIATE COMPUTOR CLASSES:** Introduction to computers will take place on Monday afternoons (September 17, 24, October 1, 8, 15, & 22, 2018) from 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Intermediate Computer Techniques will take place on Tuesday Afternoons (September 18, 25, October 2, 9, 16, & 23, 2018) from 5:00p.m. – 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$20.00 for each six-week course. For more details call the center at 502-776-0262.

*** ENHANCED AFTER SCHOOL TUTORING PROGRAM & CULTURAL INSTITUTE:** The Tutoring Program will start on Monday, September 24, 2018. The program cost is \$20.00 per month per child. Contact the CEC office at 776-0262 for more information.

Submit all bulletin/advertisement requests before 10 am on Wednesday to the Parish office or via email at:

parishoffice@stmartindeporrescatholic.org

MONTH OF SEPTEMBER COMMUNION MINISTERS:

Cecilia Ellery, Lolita Ewing, Dorice Firmin, Tony Mathis,
 Kenya Turner, Joseph Felix

**Everyone can now SIT DOWN after the last person receives
 communion instead of waiting on the clergy to sit.**

HOSPITALITY MINISTERS

SEPT 9TH Eric Williams, Peggy Porter
 SEPT 16TH Shannon Woods, Stacy Gaston
 SEPT 23RD Shantel Hermit, Destiny Wimberly
 SEPT 30TH Sheila Cox, Theresa Clark

ALTAR SERVERS:

SEPT 9TH A'nya Ellison, Nehemi Felix
 SEPT 16TH Danari Turner, Myzanae Baskett
 SEPT 23RD Stephanie Henry
 SEPT 30TH Jediah Holman

LECTORS:

SEPT 9TH Patricia Bolds, Adriene Mitchell, Stephanie Henry
 SEPT 16TH Annette Turner, Stephanie Williams, Louise Penman
 SEPT 23RD Corey Mitchell, A'nya Ellison, Aaliyah Taylor
 SEPT 30TH Rita Shoulder, Andrea Davis, Kim Mapp

GIFT BEARERS:

SEPT 9TH James, & Cheryl Spearman
 SEPT 16TH Jeffery & Dianna Walker
 SEPT 23RD Kamryn Morgan, Alonna Roberson
 SEPT 30TH Sandra Youself, Deanne Woods

CANTORS:

SEPT 9TH Erika De'Sha
 SEPT 16TH Yvette Stith
 SEPT 23RD Audrey Penman
 SEPT 30TH Patricia Bolds

CHILDREN'S CHURCH MINISTERS:

SEPTEMBER 2 THRU 30 – Aliza Toney & Mary
 Scott-Jones

