

Welcome

To our communities of faith

Our Divine Saviour Catholic Church

12th Street and Love Avenue
Tifton, GA

and

St. Ann Catholic Church

U.S. Highway 82 East
Alapaha, GA

First Sunday of Lent
March 1, 2020

Pastor
Rev. Peter Oyenugba, MSP

**Be merciful, O Lord, for
we have sinned.**

Psalm 51



The story of Jesus' temptation is always the Gospel reading for the First Sunday of Lent.

The three temptations attack the three human faculties with which one is commanded to love God: heart, soul and strength.

The Gospel reading makes clear the difference between Jesus and Adam, the reason that Adam's act brought death and Jesus' act brought life.

Our Divine Savior

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Monday – Thursday.....10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Friday.....Closed

**Any new parishioners who would like to register,
Please call the parish office**

Please see back of bulletin for Mass Times

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Requests for Prayers

Please pray for the sick and those who have requested our prayers:

Russ Aschoff, Allison Brannan, Rachel Brantley, Larissa Barosso, James Brown, Julia Cadden Brady, Carol Budnick, Erica Carroll, Mary Carroll, Tommy Carroll, Sean Winn Carampatan, Margarie D'Souva, Tina DeWees, Anne Marie Emanuelli, Carlos & Carrie Fletcher, Lauren Marie Fletcher, Judy Fraelich, Mary Ann Gregoire, Rodolfo Hernandez-Labastida, Wayne Harrell, Chloe Kendrick, David LaForest, Isaac Lindsey, Randy Long, Shirley Martin, Raeleigh Jane McCartha, Andrew Meredith, Susana Melgar, Pantea Pahlavan, Butch Parker, Charles Phenicie, Nancy Quynn, Marian Robinson, Arlene Ruse, Josephine Sehranski, Marlena Smith, Sterling Saunders, Robbi Scarbrough, Wayne Scarbrough, John B. Sherlock, Jennifer Unis, Dowson Bedore, Debra Vazquez, Rena Ward, Sonia Webb

Please Pray for our Military:

Anthony Caucci, Jonathan Elder, Clayton F. Gibbs, Terry Jones, James Olands, Angel Olivos, Bong Tanesco, Aurelio Tovar, Gregory Camargo, Michael Gibbons, Jackson Bergeron

Birthdays March 1 - March 7

Mike Garvey, Suzanne Norwood, Kim Massa, Crystal Baird, Jim Mejia, Bernadette Lorincey, Adrain Viruegas, Felicitas Douglu, Braulio Hernandez, Erick Hernandez, Michael Gregus

March 1, 2020
First Sunday of
LENT

Readings:

Genesis 2:7-9
Romans 5:12-19
Matthew 4:1-11

Theme:

Temptation – What would Jesus do?

Question of the week:

When you yourself pause to be alone with God, what distracts you from dwelling in that? Busyness? The demands of life? The internet?

March 8, 2020
Second Sunday of
LENT

Readings:

Genesis 12:1-4
2 Timothy 1:8-10
Matthew 17:1-9

Theme:

Transfiguration – with the Spirit of Jesus within us, we will be transformed.

Question of the Week:

Perhaps this reading calls us, not to cling to the familiar, but to leave the comforts of the parish and reach out to the world around us.



Life Teen information:

Life Teen is having a Tamales sale fundraiser. In upcoming weekend Masses, we will be taking orders. We will deliver the Tamales on March 14 after the 5pm Mass. For more information or to place your order contact Juan C. Gaytan at juan.c.gaytan@gmail.com.

Annual Catholic Appeal:

Just a reminder! If you haven't yet made your pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal, please consider doing it this week. As good stewards, each of us has a responsibility to share our great gifts that come from God. *Thank you to those who have already responded with a sacrificial gift or pledge to the 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal!*

Book Club:

The Book Club selected "Baptizing Harry Potter" by Luke Bell for our next discussion. You are invited to read the book and join us on Monday, March 9th at 7pm in the CCD building.

ODS and St. Ann Parish Wide Survey: PLEASE READ!

It's official! The Disciple Maker Index Survey opens on Monday, February 24th and we need your help! Please help us participate by completing a 10 - 15 minute survey online or paper copy as soon as possible.

Go to www.disciplemakerindex.com and fill out the survey online for our parish.

We also have paper copies of the survey for you to take home, fill out and return. The copies are located in the front entrance of the church.

The survey will be available from February 24 thru March 23 and will ask you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide feedback on our parish's efforts to help you grow. *All responses will be confidential* and the parish will only receive information about the community as a whole when we get the results this spring/summer at which time we will share what we have learned with the entire parish.

ODS Lenten Penance Service will be held on Thursday, March 5th at 7:00 pm.

* There will be NO Mass at St. Ann on March 5th

ODS Friday Schedule during Lent:

- 5:00 pm English Stations of the Cross
- 5:30 pm Mass at ODS
- 6:00 pm 1 hr. Eucharistic Adoration
- 7:00 pm Via Crucis (Spanish Stations)
- 7:30 pm Spanish Choir practice

The
Season
of
Lent



CCW Rummage Sale:

Do you have usable items in your home that you would like to donate to the CCW? The CCW will be holding its yearly Rummage Sale on Saturday, March 7th from 7:00 am until 12:00 pm. We will sell your donated items and use the proceeds to finance the CCW scholarship for a Tift County High School senior, preference given to a worthy student from our parish. All items must be CLEAN and in WORKING ORDER. Items needed include: sports equipment, furniture, children's toys, games and puzzles, also, books, tools, kitchen wares, serving pieces, decorative items, Christmas decorations, electronics (Must be in working order, with all cords), luggage, handbags, small kitchen appliances, jewelry. **NO CLOTHING will be accepted.** For more information, please contact Janet Vanags (vanags01janet@gmail.com). Drop off your items on Thursday, 3/5/20 from 3-5PM; Fri. 3/06/20 from 9AM to 6PM. Thank You!

Tifton Meals on Wheels is in need of Volunteers!

Meals on Wheels deliver meals 5 days a week to anyone in the Tifton area who is homebound, disabled or have long term health needs. Most delivery routes in Tifton take less than 45 minutes of your time one day a week, every other week. This service is limited by the number of volunteers it has. Currently there are volunteers delivering more than one route. Please consider volunteering to this much needed community service in our area. Tifton Meals on Wheels is sponsored by United Way, Donors, Memorials and Volunteers. For more information please contact Lawrence Williams (912-230-1366) or Kathy Jordan (229-386-8760).

2020 Community Lenten Lunch Schedule:

Lunch will be served at 12:00 - 12:30 at the Leroy Rogers Center. Cost will be \$3.00 a person.

March 4: First Presbyterian, Jarred Hammet (*Due to a conflict at the LRC on March 4, lunch will be at the First Presbyterian Church*)

March 11: St. Anne's Episcopal, Lonnie Lacy

March 18: Beulah Hill Missionary Baptist, Chris Solomon

March 25: Dayspring Inspirational, Cornelius Ponder, III

April 1: Our Divine Saviour, Fr Peter Oyenugba

April 8: First United Methodist, Chip Grantham

REMINDER!!!

Daylights Savings Time Begins March 8th. Turn your clocks ahead 1 hour Saturday night before bed.



Anuncios Sábado 29 de Febrero del 2020

- 1 Tendremos misas todos los días de la semana y la hora de Adoración Eucarística el Viérnes.
- 2 Todos los Viérnes de Cuaresma tendremos el Via Crucis en Inglés a las 5 pm y en Español a las 7:30 pm
- 3 El próximo Jueves 5 de Marzo serán las Confesiones de Cuaresma a las 7 pm. Tendremos 7 sacerdotes.
- 4 Life Teen también tendrá una venta de tamales para recaudar fondos. Estaremos tomando órdenes en las próximas Misas. Se entregarán los tamales después de la Misa de las 5 pm el Sábado 14 de Marzo.
- 5 Necesitamos músicos y cantantes para los Coros.
- 6 **Las damas del CCW invitan a su venta anual de Garage en el Edificio de Actividades el Sábado 7 de Marzo desde las 7 am. Hasta las 12 del mediodía.**
- 7 Necesitamos gente que quiera llevarse la Virgen Peregrina a sus casas. La Morenita del Tepeyac se lo agradecerá. Pregúntenle a los que se la llevan a sus casas.
- 8 La Diócesis de Savannah tiene ahora Radio Misión Católica por Internet: www.radiomisioncatolica.com

Aquí podrás escuchar muchas prédicas de crecimiento espiritual y mucha música Católica en Español.

- 9 A todos los interesados en participar en el Via Crucis viviente habrá una reunion mañana Domingo 1 de Marzo a las 12 del medio día en el estacionamiento .
- 10 La Virgen de Guadalupe Peregrina se la llevan Marbella y Salvador del 22 Gene Lane, Tifton.

Amoroso Dios,

nos llamaste por nuestro nombre,
y entregaste a tu único Hijo para redimirnos.
En tu fidelidad enviaste al Espíritu Santo
para completar la misión de Jesús
entre nosotros.

Abre nuestro corazón a Jesús.
Danos valor para anunciar su nombre
a los que están cerca de nosotros,
y generosidad para compartir su amor
con los que están alejados.

Te pedimos que cada persona
en este mundo sea invitada
a conocer y amar a Jesús
como Salvador y Redentor.
Que todos conozcan su infinito amor.
Que ese amor transforme
todas las esferas de nuestra sociedad.

Te lo pedimos por Cristo, nuestro Señor.
Amén.

EVENTS of the WEEK:

Saturday, February 29

2nd Collection: ODS Building Fund

Reconciliation 4:15 pm
Mass at ODS [+Toni Martin. 5:00 pm
(Ken & Margo Martin)]

Spanish CCD 5:30 pm
Spanish Mass at ODS [+Baldomero Santos Astudillo
(Santos Family)] 7:00 pm

Sunday, March 1

2nd Collection: ODS Building Fund

Choir practice 8:00 am
Mass at ODS (For ODS Parishioners) 9:00 am
CCD & EDGE at ODS 10:15 am
CCD at St. Ann 10:00 am
Mass at St. Ann (For St. Ann Parishioners) . 11:15 am

Monday, March 2

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Grupo Oracion 7:00 pm

Tuesday, March 3

Mass at ODS 5:30 pm

Wednesday, March 4

Mass at ODS 8:00 am
Life Teen 6:30 pm
English Choir practice. 7:15 pm

Thursday, March 5

Mass at ODS 8:00 am
LENTE PENANCE SERVICE at ODS 7:00 pm
NO Mass at St. Ann

Friday, March 6

Stations of the Cross (English)..... 5:00 pm
Mass at ODS. 5:30 pm
1 Hr. Eucharistic Adoration 6:00 pm
Via Crucis (Spanish) 7:00 pm
Spanish Choir 7:30 pm

Saturday, March 7

CCW Rummage Sale 7:00 am – 12:00 pm
Reconciliation 4:15 pm
Mass at ODS [+Harriet Stolberg 5:00 pm
(Eloise Stone)]

Spanish CCD at ODS 5:30 pm
Reconciliation 6:15 pm
Spanish Mass at ODS [+Baldomero Santos Astudillo
(Santos Family)] 7:00 pm

Sunday, March 8

Daylight Savings Time Begins

Choir practice 8:00 am
Mass at ODS (For ODS Parishioners) 9:00 am
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Protecting Our Youth: Diocesan policy requires all diocesan Adult employees and volunteers who minister to the youth of the diocese attend VIRTUS (safe environment) awareness training undergo a background check, and read and sign the Diocesan "Code of conduct for working with minors" prior to commencing their ministry. The Office for the Protection of Children and Young People, toll free reporting hotline: (888) 357-5530.

ODS LITURGY TEAM

Saturday, March 7, 2020 - 5:00 pm Mass

PRESIDER: Fr. Peter Oyenugba, MSP
LECTOR 1: Jim Laycock
LECTOR 2: Barbara Windmoller
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS: Priscilla Carpenter
..... Helen Lindsey
..... Pat Stephens
SACRISTAN: Eloise Stone

Sunday, March 8, 2020 - 9:00 am Mass

PRESIDER: Fr. Peter Oyenugba, MSP
LECTOR 1 Bob Kemerait
LECTOR 2 Ria Morgan
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS: Ben Fraelich
..... Bill McDaniel
..... Chris Ann Krohn
SACRISTAN: JaNay Windmoller

LAST WEEKS OFFERING AT ODS

Weekly Budget \$5,622
Weekly Offertory (2/23/20) \$3,885
Last Year. (2/24/19) \$4,836
Offertory to Date \$190,201
Expenses to Date \$213,597

ODS BUILDING FUND

Balance of Building Fund \$49,873.34
Monthly Money Received \$ 2,117.00
Total Draw for CCD building \$51,905.00

LAST WEEKS OFFERING AT ST. ANN

Weekly Needs \$650
Weekly Offertory (2/23/20) \$816
Last Year (2/24/19) \$723
Offertory to Date \$28,130
Needs to Date \$22,100

Loving God,

you called us each by name
and gave your only Son to redeem us.
In your faithfulness, you sent the Holy Spirit
to complete the mission of Jesus among us.

Open our hearts to Jesus.
Give us the courage to speak his name
to those who are close to us
and the generosity to share his love
with those who are far away.

We pray that every person
throughout the world
be invited to know and love Jesus
as Savior and Redeemer.
May they come to know his
all-surpassing love.
May that love transform every element
of our society.

We ask this through Christ, Our Lord. Amen.