



# THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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**APRIL 19, 2015**



## Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church

228 South Beach Boulevard ~ Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

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Podcast Site: <http://olgpastor.podbean.com/mobile/>

**Pastor: Reverend Michael P. O'Connor**

**Deacons: Mike Harris & Eddie Renz**

### Our Mission Statement

Our Lady of the Gulf Parish was established in 1847 for the Salvation of Souls (Matthew 6:20)  
and the Greater Glory of God (1 Corinthians 10:31).

*Come to worship—leave to serve!*

### Mass Schedule

**Saturday Vigil: 5:30 p.m.**

*(4:00 p.m. for the Winter)*

**Sunday: 8 & 10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.**

**Every Weekday: 7:00 a.m.**

**Monday, Thursday & Friday at 8:15 a.m.**

**Tuesdays: 6:00 p.m.**

**Wednesdays: 6:00 p.m.**

**Saturdays: 7:30 a.m.**

### Confession Schedule

- ◆ One hour before Saturday Vigil Mass
- ◆ 30 minutes prior to all Sunday Masses
  - ◆ 30 minutes prior to the Tuesday & Wednesday evening Masses
- ◆ 30 minutes prior to the Monday, Thursday and Friday 8:15 a.m. Masses
- ◆ 30 minutes prior to Saturday morning Mass

*Other times by appointment*

*Communal Penance celebrations held during Advent and Lent*



### CONFIRMATION MASS

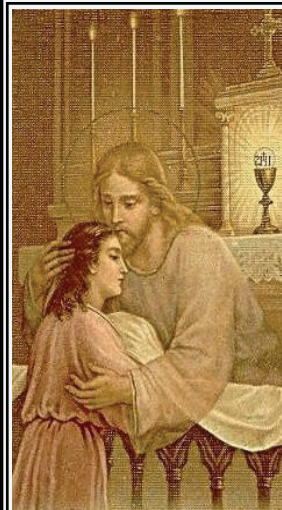
Our Confirmation students will be confirmed at a Mass celebrated by Most Reverend Roger P. Morin on Thursday, April 23rd at 7:00 p.m.

Please pray for our Confirmandi as they prepare to receive the Gifts of the Holy Spirit.

*Rehearsal for the students will be*

*Sunday, April 19th at 4:00 p.m. in the church.*

*All students and their sponsors are required to attend.*



*We invite you to visit our  
St. Joseph Perpetual Adoration  
Chapel located at 107 Union Street.*

### Available Hours:

**Sunday:** 1-2 am, 9-10 am & 10-11 am; 5-6 pm & 7-8 pm  
**Monday:** 1-2 am  
**Tuesday:** 12-1 am, 1-2 am & 2-3 am  
**Wednesday:** 2-3 am  
**Thursday:** 7-8 am; 11 pm—12 am  
**Friday:** 5-6 pm & 11 pm—12 am  
**Saturday:** 5-6 pm & 8-9 pm

*If you would like to commit to an hour, contact James San Fillippo at 228-671-1835.*

**New Parishioners:** To register call the parish office and request a parish registration form or download our parish registration form from our website at [www.olgchurch.net](http://www.olgchurch.net) or fill out the Quick Registration below.

**Baptisms:** The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated the third Sunday of each month after the 10:30 a.m. Mass. At least one parent or guardian must be (or become) a regular attending member of OLG parish. Non-parishioners who wish to have their child baptized here must provide a letter from their pastor. Parents and Godparents are required to attend a "baptism class". (Visitors may attend class at their home parish). We offer the class the first Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the Catholic Life Center. Godparents must be at least 16 years old, confirmed Catholics, who practice the faith. At least one Godparent is needed.

**Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:** Those who are seriously ill should be given the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick as soon as possible. Communal celebrations are held during Advent and Lent.

**Sacrament of First Holy Communion:** The First Communion program of OLG parish is now be a 2-year program (1st and 2nd grades). Please contact Kathleen LeBlanc for info or questions.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Arrangements for weddings must be made at least six months ahead of time. A pre-marriage preparation program and individual counseling with the parish priest are required for all.

**House Calls:** Please notify the parish office of the names of any who desire to receive Holy Communion, the Sacrament of the Sick or the Sacrament of Reconciliation at home.

**St. Joseph Perpetual Adoration Chapel:** We welcome you to visit our chapel as a guest or a committed adorer. Call the parish office for questions or to sign up for an hour.

**St. Mary Cemetery:** A sacred enclosure to receive those who have lived within the faith. For information or questions, call Joe Monti at 228-216-7409.

**Continuing the Church:** Please remember Our Lady of the Gulf Parish and its schools in your will.

**Church Support:** Parishioners are encouraged to base their giving on the principles of stewardship and sacrifice. Please use your envelopes or sign up for Direct Debit.

***OLG Status Update Quick Registration Form***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

- New Parishioner     Updated info listed above
- I would like a call from Father     Address change

*Please return to the parish office or place in the collection basket at any Mass. Thank you!*

**PARISH OFFICE: 228-467-6509**


- Pastor**, Rev. Michael P. O'Connor.....ext. 302  
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- Receptionist**, Karen Parker.....ext. 303

**MINISTRIES & CONTACT INFO**

- Altar Server Training:** Rich & Deborah-Mae Kren  
[krenfam@earthlink.net](mailto:krenfam@earthlink.net)
- Altar Society:** Kathy Donner 363-1838  
*Meets 2nd Monday of every month at 6:00 p.m.*
- Angel Ministry:** JoAnn Hille 467-6169 or 467-6509
- Annulment Counseling:** Deacon Eddie Renz
- Booking of Facilities:** Jo Sharp
- CCD & Religious Education:** Kathleen LeBlanc,  
Chris Austin & Patricia LaFontaine 467-6509
- Choir Practice:** Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the church
- Crab Festival:** Pamela Metzler 467-6509
- Electronic Transfer (Direct Debit):** Jo Sharp
- HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL (PreK3-6):**  
Janet Buras, Principal—[principal@holyltrinitycatholic.net](mailto:principal@holyltrinitycatholic.net)  
467-5158 [www.holytrinitycatholic.net](http://www.holytrinitycatholic.net)
- K of C Ladies Auxiliary:** Sue Brocato 342-2902
- Knights of Columbus:** Mel Estrade 324-0530
- Men's Night Out (Thursdays):** Deacon Eddie Renz
- Novena of Perpetual Help:** *Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m.*
- OUR LADY ACADEMY (Girls Grades 7-12):**  
Tiffany H. Lindmark, Principal  
467-7048 [www.ourladyacademy.com](http://www.ourladyacademy.com)
- Perpetual Adoration:** James San Fillippo 228-671-1835
- Prison Ministry:** Deacon Mike Harris
- Rabboni Ministry:** Suzi Lee 493-3449
- RCIA, RCIC:** Deacon Mike Harris
- Sacramental Preparation:** Kathleen LeBlanc
- ST. STANISLAUS COLLEGE (Boys Grades 7-12):**  
Brother Francis David, President  
Patrick McGrath, Principal  
467-9057 [www.ststan.com](http://www.ststan.com)
- St. Vincent de Paul Conference of OLG-St. Clare-St. Rose:** Call 228-342-1545 on Mondays from 9-11:30 a.m. for assistance. Hancock County residents only.
- St. Vincent de Paul Pharmacy:** Meets in Bay St. Louis on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month. Call 374-9097 for more information.
- Together Forever Marriage Prep:** Deacon Mike Harris
- Wedding Coordinators:** See Wedding Guidelines Packet at [www.olgchurch.net](http://www.olgchurch.net).
- Youth Ministry:** Mrs. Suzi Hand  
[casadelosmanos@hotmail.com](mailto:casadelosmanos@hotmail.com)

**WHAT'S HAPPENING IN AND AROUND THE PARISH:**

- The Blanket Group of the OLG Angel Ministry will meet on Wednesday, April 22nd, 1-3 p.m. in the Catholic Life Center.
- St. Thomas Parish in Long Beach will host the next West Harrison County Ultreya on Monday, April 20th at 7:00 p.m. Ultreya is the reunion of Cursillistas, but all are invited to learn more about the Cursillo Movement of South Mississippi. They will meet in Room 203B on the second floor — just follow the signs. Michelle Fleming can be contacted at Michelle2694@gmail.com or 228-236-7307 with any questions you may have.



Please take time after Mass to browse through our new selection of CDs that are now available at the kiosk in church. Titles include: **Living the Gospel with the Heart of Pope Francis** by Dr. Edward Sri, **The Second Greatest Story Every Told** (Understanding Mary's Role in Your Life) by Fr. Michael Gaitley, **Light in the Darkness (Living A Christian Life In A Secular World)** by Patrick Lencioni, and **A Voice for the Unborn** by Lila Rose.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT OLG!**  
**Monday, June 8—Friday, June 12**  
 Ages 5—12

Must pre-register by May 18th! Cost is \$25/Child ~ Max \$50/Family (price increases after the deadline).  
 To register go online at :  
<https://osv.groupvbsspro.com/vbs/ex/olg>  
*Forms also available in church and at the parish office*

Use of any and all parish facilities by any person or group, including any and all parish groups and ministries, must be requested, approved, and booked through the parish office by contacting Jo Sharp at 228-467-6509 or [olgchurc@bellsouth.net](mailto:olgchurc@bellsouth.net).  
 If you have any questions or concerns about an existing booking, or if an existing booking needs to be rescheduled or cancelled, please use the aforementioned information to contact the parish office ASAP. Thank you for your consideration and cooperation.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

|                 |            |                                |
|-----------------|------------|--------------------------------|
| Monday, 4/20    | 7:00 a.m.  | †Dorothy Phillips              |
| Monday, 4/20    | 8:15 a.m.  | †Mildred Treutel               |
| Tuesday, 4/21   | 7:00 a.m.  | †Buster Heitzmann              |
| Tuesday, 4/21   | 6:00 p.m.  | †Anthony Trapani, Jr.          |
| Wednesday, 4/22 | 7:00 a.m.  | †Gene & Mary Alice Monti       |
| Wednesday, 4/22 | 8:15 a.m.  | †Victor & Katie Damborino Luc  |
| Wednesday, 4/22 | 6:00 p.m.  | †Maureen Lohan Nash            |
| Thursday, 4/23  | 7:00 a.m.  | †Flo Mauffray                  |
| Thursday, 4/23  | 8:15 a.m.  | †Alberta Beyer                 |
| Friday, 4/24    | 7:00 a.m.  | †Fr. John T. O'Brien           |
| Friday, 4/24    | 8:15 a.m.  | Frank & Elizabeth Stallborries |
| Saturday, 4/25  | 7:30 a.m.  | †Mrs. Mary Adams               |
| Saturday, 4/25  | 5:30 p.m.  | †George Proulx                 |
| Sunday, 4/26    | 8:00 a.m.  | †Fr. J. P. Grenham             |
| Sunday, 4/26    | 10:30 a.m. | Parishioners of OLG            |
| Sunday, 4/26    | 6:00 p.m.  | Jessica Thomas                 |
|                 |            | †Paul Trouard                  |
|                 |            | †Mr. Carroll Gordon            |

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Linda Beauregard, Beulah Benigno, Dot Bermond, Mrs. Pat Bishop, Sarah Bishop, Kathleen Boatman, R.C., Teresa Cabrera, James Chiniche, Shannon Collins, Brad D., John Dahn, Mary Ann Denham, Louis Doussan, Ethel Favre, Pete Furze, Margaret Gavagnie, Mark Gonzales, Deacon Brian Goodman, Glenn Grassel, Ronnie Guildeau, Gene Hoffmann, Ellen James, Beryl Kidd, Doug Kren, Anna Ladner, Mary Alice Ladner, Ronald Ladner, Carolyn Langenbacker, Danita Luttrell, Joan H. T. Mary, Paul E. Mary IV, Eddie O'Connor, Nicholai & Roya Olahi, Dr. J. D. Rutherford, Mike Santalla, Arlin Schaap, Chris Schaumburg, Johnny Smith, John Storms, Lou Taylor, Theresa Trent, Don Watson, our shut-ins, and all others in our parish and community who are in need of physical, mental, emotional or spiritual healing.  
*For our parishioners entering the hospital at any time, please inform the hospital that you are a member of OLG for visitations.*

**Prayer for Vocations**

**Heavenly Father, bless Your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers and sisters. Give those You have called to the married state and those You have chosen to live as single persons in the world the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of Your Son so that in Him, with Him and through Him we may love You more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere. With Mary, we ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**FINANCES WEEK OF APRIL 12, 2015**

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| Offertory:                                   | Envelopes    | \$ 4,006.00 |
|                                              | Loose        | \$ 3,918.10 |
|                                              | Direct Debit | \$ 2,515.00 |
| Extra & Other Donations                      |              | \$ 727.00   |
| St. Vincent de Paul                          |              | \$ 128.00   |
| Number of Identifiable Contributions         |              | 185         |
| <i>Thank you for your continued support!</i> |              |             |