

MARCH 12, 2023 | THE THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

# Cathedral OF THE Incarnation



## MASS SCHEDULE

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday – Friday 7:00 AM & 12:10 PM  
Monday - Thursday 5:30 PM UCat

### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8:00 AM (First Saturday Only)  
5:00 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM, 11:00 AM, 5:00 PM

### CONFESSION

Saturday 3:00 PM – 4:30 PM

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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday  
8:00 AM – 4:00 PM  
Friday 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Saturday – Sunday Closed

## OUR CLERGY

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Father Eric Fowlkes

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Father Anh Tuan Phan

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Joe Holzmer, Thales Finchum,  
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# WELCOME!

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Mass Intentions may be obtained for loved ones, living or deceased, through the Parish Office.  
Please email [info@cathedralnashville.org](mailto:info@cathedralnashville.org).

### SATURDAY, 3/11

5:00 PM † Rob Chriss (21st Ann.) by Thomas Schwartz

### SUNDAY, 3/12

8:30 AM Priests of the Cathedral by Christine DiStadio

11:00 AM † In Memory of Betty Crecelius by Deacon Joe & Pam Holzmer

5:00 PM People of the Diocese

### MONDAY, 3/13

7:00 AM † Than Nguyen by Chris & Pat Casa Santa

12:10 PM Jim Hughes by Theresa & John Hughes

5:30 PM Marco Orellana

### TUESDAY, 3/14

7:00 AM Georgia Beasley & Rob Beasley – Birthday

12:10 PM † Thomas Higgins, Jr. by Theresa & Michael Marchetti

5:30 PM Patricia Hunt

### WEDNESDAY, 3/15

7:00 AM † Suzanne Lafond by Chris & Pat Casa Santa

12:10 PM † Marian Canale King by Estie & Rhett Harris

5:30 PM † Catherine Bogan

### THURSDAY, 3/16

7:00 AM † Charles Taylor (Birthday) by the Beal Family

12:10 PM † Deceased Members of the Stevens Family

5:30 PM Sarah McLeod

### FRIDAY, 3/17

7:00 AM RCIA Catechumens and Candidates

12:10 PM Adeline Brown (90th Birthday) by Your Family

### SATURDAY, 3/18

5:00 PM † Marti Ledford Harris by Erica & Ray Elder

*May the Souls of the Faithful Departed, through the Mercy of God, Rest in Peace. Amen*

## Just a reminder...

that we will have additional Confession times each Wednesday from 3:30-5pm before the 5:30pm Mass and Stations of the Cross following the 12:10 Mass on Fridays.

**Do you know someone interested in learning more and becoming a part of the Catholic Faith through RCIA?**

Contact Kevin Raymond at: [KFRaymond@cathedralnashville.org](mailto:KFRaymond@cathedralnashville.org)

## This Week At Cathedral March 11 - March 18

### SATURDAY

7:00 Cursillo Group in RM 303 & 304

### SUNDAY

Coffee & Donuts After Morning Masses

8:00 Rosary Before Mass

8:30 CLOW RE RM 104

4:00 CYA Book Club RM 202

6:00 Youth Group RM 304

### MONDAY

4:30 UCat Confession/Adoration

6:30 CYA Bible Study RM 305

7:00 Boy Scouts RM 304

### TUESDAY

10:30 Women's Prayer Group RM 301

4:30 UCat Confession/Adoration

5:30 Legion of Mary RM 204

5:30 Cursillo RM 202 & 206

6:00 RITI in the Fleming Center

### WEDNESDAY

3:30 Confession

### THURSDAY

4:30 UCat Confession/Adoration

6:00 Mary & Martha RM 202

7:00 RCIA RM 303 & 305

### FRIDAY

12:10 Stations of the Cross in Church Following Mass



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**Franklin Bridge Golf Course  
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Or Contact Terry Doherty  
[dohertyt22@gmail.com](mailto:dohertyt22@gmail.com)



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This year, **St. Patrick's Day**, March 17th, falls on the Friday of the Third Week of Lent. Having taken into consideration both past and present circumstances, Bishop J. Mark Spalding has granted to the *faithful* of the Diocese of Nashville, as well as to *any visitors* or *travelers* who may be physically present in the diocese, a dispensation from the obligation of abstinence from meat on March 17, 2023.

Those taking advantage of the dispensation, however, are exhorted to undertake a work of charity, an exercise of piety, or an act of comparable penance on some other occasion during the Third Week of Lent.










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## The Nashville Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

is hosting a Conference "Behold, I Make All Things New" at Henry Horton State Park Lodge, Chapel Hill, TN on Friday, April 14 and Saturday, April 15. Registration is \$100 which includes Friday dinner and Saturday lunch. Speakers and Entertainment by Elizabeth Tomlin, author of Joyful Momentum: Growing and Sustaining Vibrant Women's Groups; Cindy Hinton Church, a self-described Catholic Humorist; and Tatiana 'Tajci' Cameron, an award-winning music artist, author and inspirational speaker, all who will fill the soul along with Mass with Fr. Eric Fowlkes on Friday and Bishop Spalding on Saturday interspersed with rosaries, meditation and fellowship. Information and registration can be found at:

<https://sites.google.com/site/nashvilledccw/events>

For help or more information contact Diann Nance [dnance40@gmail.com](mailto:dnance40@gmail.com) or 1-931-237-3698.



You are invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood (412 Dr. D.B. Todd Jr. Blvd, Nashville, TN 37203).

The Cathedral will be sponsoring Saturday, March 25th, so kindly sign up for that day. Planned Parenthood is still doing abortion referrals and chemical abortions are still occurring in our state through the use of the pill RU-486 (mifepristone).

If you'd like more information – and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact Roy Silveira at [roysilveira@gmail.com](mailto:roysilveira@gmail.com). Also visit the website at [www.40daysforlife.com/nashville](http://www.40daysforlife.com/nashville) for more information and to sign up.

### Mary & Martha Women's Ministry

**March:** Sip & Paint (DTBD)

**Next Meeting:** Thursday, March 16th  
6-7pm Room 202 St. Albert Hall

For more information, contact Susan Brigrance at [susan.brigrance@vumc.org](mailto:susan.brigrance@vumc.org) or (615) 406-5815

### CATHEDRAL NURSERY COORDINATORS

The Cathedral of the Incarnation in Nashville seeks two nursery caretakers for children during Sunday Masses. A love for children and a desire to serve are essential requirements of this role. These positions are part time, non-exempt hourly employees, reporting to the Director of Religious Education.

Candidates must be able to meet Diocesan Safe Environment requirements, including a criminal background check.

Email [relder@cathedralnashville.org](mailto:relder@cathedralnashville.org) for more information or submit a resume.

*The Knights of Columbus  
are organizing a  
baby bottle campaign to benefit*

## Mulier Care's Pregnancy Help Center

Mulier Care is a non-profit, pro-life, ministry based in Nashville, Tennessee, which helps women who have a minimal support network. They assist women with crisis and unplanned pregnancies in their initial decision to make an informed choice for themselves and their children. They help them become better prepared to care for themselves and their children, both before and after they give birth.

Mulier Care focuses on providing women with the basic education, advocacy, and help they require during their greatest time of need. Providing a continuum of care program is essential to helping a woman thrive during her crisis. If the mother cannot thrive, her unborn child will not survive.

The Knights of Columbus believe in this mission and are partnering with Mulier Care to host a baby bottle campaign in our parish. Grab a bottle, take it home, fill it with your coins, cash, or checks and return your bottle on 3/19/23. If you are interested in being on the email list to receive updates and successes, add a note with your information in the bottle. All funds raised will help Mulier Care's Pregnancy Help Center to continue offering these invaluable services, to their clients, for free. Thank you for your prayers and support of this ministry! **Please return your baby bottles to the large labeled blue containers located in the narthex and the side altar entrance.**

If you would like more information about this please contact Roy at roysilveira@gmail.com or (201) 674-3233, or Tom Frazier at tomfrazier01@gmail.com

### The Mulier Care Ultrasound Bus

will be at the Cathedral and on display Sunday, March 19th.

Please come out for a tour and see how your donations are being used to support the Culture of Life.

### WELCOME COMMITTEE

Interested in joining to welcome  
new parishioners?

Contact:

Nancy Brenner: nbbrenner@comcast.net

Kay Lang: kaytlang@comcast.net



When the rectory was built it was furnished with some of the most beautiful furnishings of the time. Even now there are beautiful oriental rugs, antique furniture, chandeliers and china in use and on display throughout the rectory. The beautiful dining room set was purchased in the 1930s before the arrival of Bishop Adrian.

In an earlier article, you read that Bishop Byrne spent much of his time translating from Italian piece works to help with some of the expenses. There was a long table that he used to lay out his books for translating and also to take care of the many documents and business matters he was responsible for as Bishop. The table was used for meetings of the Diocesan Consultors and conferences with priests. The table was later in the parlor near the dining room. The bodies of Bishop Byrne and Bishop Smith were placed on this table, at the time of their deaths. Black funeral candlesticks, three on each side, were arranged around the table. The body lay in repose so the faithful could pay their respects. Bishop Smith's body lay in repose from Monday evening until 3:00 PM Wednesday. During those three days, 200 boys from Fr. Ryan High School, four at a time, formed an honor guard for the deceased Bishop. The Bishop was attired in his full episcopal regalia and his Mass vestments. He was placed in a casket and moved to the church on the day of the funeral mass. That table is now in the conference room in the Fleming Center.

Have you noticed the new cabinets in the reconciliation chapel in the church? Stay tuned!

## February Baptisms and Weddings

### FEBRUARY BAPTISMS

Carter Lloyd Wagner,  
son of Benjamin and Shannon Wagner

Dollyanne Rose Kinsland,  
daughter of Thomas and Julie Kinsland

### FEBRUARY WEDDINGS

Rene Aguirre and Esther Smith  
Gabriel Wateski-Hansen and Julianne Staley  
Thomas Fitzgerald and Laurie Krhebiel



In an effort to provide parishioners with greater transparency around the financial position of the Cathedral, the Finance Council is pleased to introduce the below snapshot of its Cash Position and the key categories of Operating Revenues and Expenses on a quarterly basis beginning with YTD 6-month results as of 12/31/2022. We expect future quarterly updates to be available four weeks after each quarter-end. We will also continue to publish Offertory/Operating Revenue highlights monthly to ensure parishioners have a timely awareness of revenue trends for the parish.

#### Cathedral of the Incarnation Statement of Financial Position for the Quarter and YTD Ending 12/31/2022

Cash Position as of 12/31/2022	Balance
Parish Checking (excludes Reserved- Haiti Funds totaling \$148,440.20)	\$198,281
Making All Things New Checking	\$50,087
Building Maintenance and Repair Savings (includes 9/22 receipt of \$89,831.00 from Diocesan Legacy Campaign)	\$292,325
Organ Savings (Designated by Donor- final payments upon organ installation- expected by 7/23)	\$619,405
<b>Total Cash Position</b>	<b>\$1,160,098</b>

#### Parish Revenue and Expense Highlights for the 2nd Quarter/YTD Period ending 12/31/2022

	Current Fiscal Year thru 12/31/22			Prior Fiscal Year thru 12/31/21	
	Quarter (Q2.23)	FYTD 2023	Budget	Quarter (Q2.22)	FYTD 2022
Offertory Receipts	\$483,957	\$855,273	\$857,500	\$546,392	\$861,014
Building Maintenance & Repair Receipts	\$63,550	\$153,381	\$25,000	\$0	\$0
Other Operating Revenues	\$77,271	\$152,143	\$124,500	\$72,452	\$387,288
<b>Total Operating Revenues</b>	<b>\$624,777</b>	<b>\$1,160,796</b>	<b>\$1,007,000</b>	<b>\$618,844</b>	<b>\$1,248,302</b>
Diocesan Assessments/School Subsidies	\$60,418	\$152,931	\$214,500	\$96,180	\$86,141
Payroll Expenses	\$174,698	\$338,791	\$322,500	\$181,241	\$287,480
Utility Expenses	\$37,607	\$93,404	\$72,250	\$29,106	\$65,364
Other Parish Operating Expenses	\$164,395	\$315,848	\$379,350	\$184,996	\$424,509
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$437,118</b>	<b>\$900,974</b>	<b>\$988,600</b>	<b>\$491,524</b>	<b>\$863,493</b>
<b>Net Surplus</b>	<b>\$187,659</b>	<b>\$259,823</b>	<b>\$18,400</b>	<b>\$127,320</b>	<b>\$384,809</b>

\*"Net Surplus" results for YTD 2023 may be overstated at times due to timing in receipt and payment of certain invoices as average monthly expenses are flat-line budgeted at ~\$165,000, along with unbudgeted first year receipts from Diocesan Faith, Hope, and Love Legacy Campaign (\$89,831.00) which were received in 9/2022 which are included in the "Business Maintenance & Repair Receipts" (BMAR) line item. The parish share of Diocesan FHL Legacy Campaign funds have been allocated to the BMAR Fund to assist in building cash reserves for future maintenance and repairs expense estimated at \$300,000 annually.

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## Deacon Thales Finchum is on a Mission!

*Learn how to make a cord Rosary and learn about Deacon Thales' mission!*

There will be a **Rosary Workshop** this weekend, Sunday at 9:45 am, as well as March 19th at 12:15PM in the 3rd Floor Conference Room, St. Albert Hall. The workshop is limited to 10 participants for adult parishioners. All materials are furnished. Come have some fun making your own rosary!

For reservations call the office at (615)327-2330 or email [deaconthales@bellsouth.net](mailto:deaconthales@bellsouth.net).

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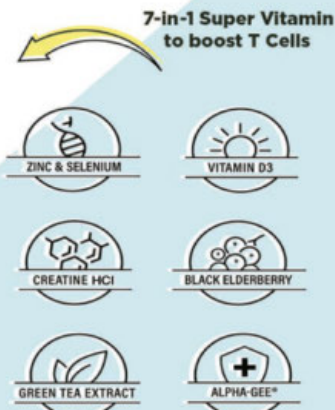
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