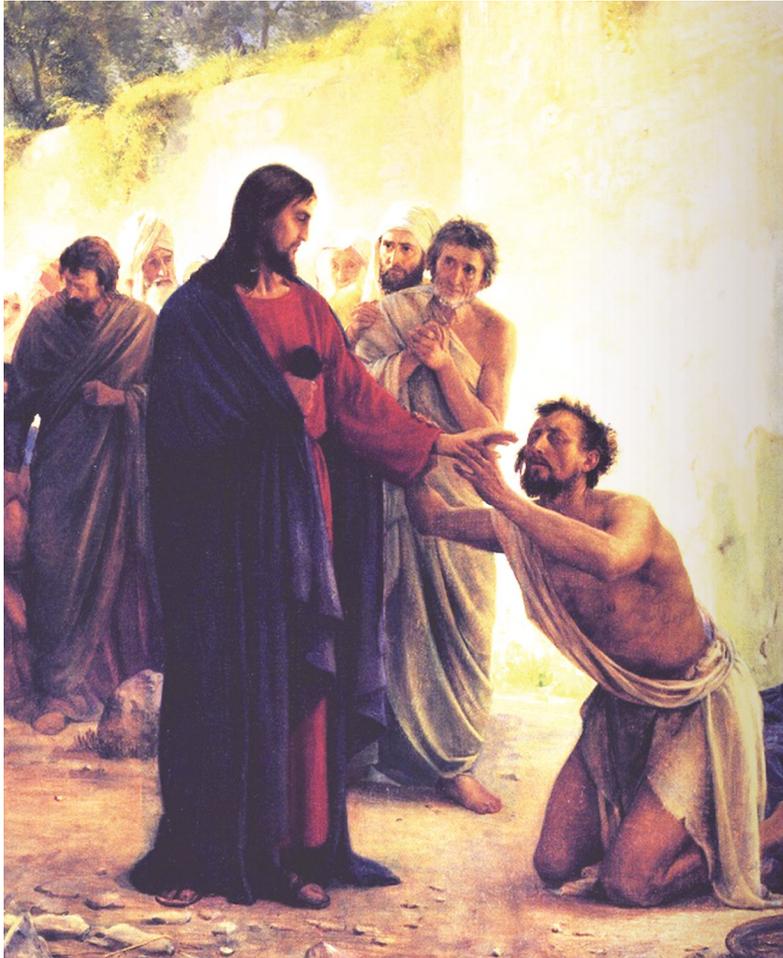




# SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

**MARCH 15, 2026**



## 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

When Jesus heard that they had thrown him out, he found him and said, "Do you believe in the Son of Man?"  
- Jn 9:35

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**MASS SCHEDULE**

**Weekend Mass**

Saturday Vigil..... 4:30pm  
Sunday ..... 8:30am (Español)  
Sunday ..... 11:00am & 6:00pm

**Weekday Mass**

Monday-Thursday ..... 8:30am

**Confessions**

Saturday ..... 3:45pm  
Sunday ..... 7:45am

**Parish Office Hours**

Monday-Thursday...8:30am-4:00pm

# PARISH INFORMATION

## TODAYS READINGS

WORD OF THE LORD—PAGE 115

### FIRST READING:

Then Samuel, with the horn of oil in hand, anointed David in the presence of his brothers; and from that day on, the spirit of the LORD rushed upon David. (1 Sm 16:13)

### PSALM:

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. (Ps 23)

### SECOND READING:

“Awake, O sleeper, and arise from the dead, and Christ will give you light.” (Eph 5:14)

### GOSPEL:

He spat on the ground and made clay with the saliva, and smeared the clay on his eyes, and said to him, “Go wash in the Pool of Siloam” — which means Sent — . So he went and washed, and came back able to see. (Jn 9:6-7)

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday

Is 65:17-21/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b/Jn 4:43-54

### Tuesday

Ez 47:1-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 5:1-16

### Wednesday

Is 49:8-15/Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18/Jn 5:17-30

### Thursday

2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

### Friday

Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

### Saturday

Jer 11:18-20/Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12/Jn 7:40-5

## HYMNS

THE MASS SETTING FOR TODAY IS PLAINSONG AND CAN BE FOUND IN A BULLETIN INSERT.

777 – I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

Anthem: When I Survey - Archer

749 – The King of love

743 – Love Divine, All Love’s Excelling

## STEWARDSHIP

### COLLECTIONS: 2/17 – 2/23/2026

Offertory \$ 13,195.00

Special Collections /Other \$ 1,763.00

Church & School Rentals \$ 400.00

Southern Cross FY2026 \$ 1,743.00

### GIVE ONLINE TODAY!

<https://osvhub.com/sacredheartsavannah/giving/funds>

## UPCOMING COLLECTIONS

### Christian Service Collection

March 14/15, 2026

### Catholic Relief Services Collection

March 14/15, 2026

## EASTER FLOWER OFFERINGS

You should be receiving your Easter Offering envelope with your March/April Envelopes. Please consider giving in memory or to honor someone for Easter. **DEADLINE: 4/1/26**



The Annual Catholic Appeal

### Our parish goal is \$61,807

With your help, we can assure the continued support of many important programs that help thousands in our diocese each year.

## HARVEST OF HOPE COLLECTION



### Our 3 YEAR Goal

\$ 490,551.00

Total Given

\$335,800.89

Total Remaining

\$154,750.11

## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY

4:30 pm Gwen Ogden

### SUNDAY

11:00 am Judy Nichols

### MONDAY

8:30 am

### TUESDAY

8:30 am

## IN OUR PRAYERS

Deacon Danny Burkett, Nina Charap, Susan DeBow, Capt. Mitchell Dutton, Amanda Mizelle Fanning, Marianne Fahey, Fr. Dan Firmin, Christine Gerbino-Kennedy, Christie Hanna, Norma Hiers, Jimmie Jackson, Joan Mayer, Littleton Miller, Emily O'Connor, Megan Odom, Sandy Odom, Gwen Ogden, Paula Peterson, Al Powers, Steve Proper, Jackson Shay, Jimmy Sheehan, Mary Anne P. Sheridan, Frances Stafford, Margaret Stanley, Amber Williams, and Rachel Zonca.

## MARCH NATIONAL CHILDREN NUTRITION MONTH:

Lord Jesus, we ask for your loving assistance in providing food for children so that they will not be hungry. Help us to ensure that all children may receive nourishment to be able to grow physically and spiritually. Pour out Your grace to parents who strain to feed their children and to us so that we are able to share our daily bread.

## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

O God, hear our prayer and let our cry come out to you. Bless our Diocese of Savannah with many vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life. Give the men and women who hear Your call the light to understand Your gift and the love to follow always in the footsteps of Your priestly Son. Amen

## LECTORS/EMHC MARCH 21–22, 2026

### 4:30 PM

LUCILLE RABUSIN

ANN PINCKNEY

### 11:00 AM

TERRY STAUTBERG

LEWIS COLLINS

### 6:00 PM

ANGELA SARFO-ABABIO

MICHELLE COURREGES

### EMCH

CUP 1: Chris Bright

CUP 2: Lucille Rabusin

CHOIR: Ann Pinckney

Michele Picou

Kris Tindol

Carol Smart

Cheryl Toma

Robin Godbold

Christy Caughran

# ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

## THIS WEEK AT SACRED HEART PARISH

**Monday, March 16th**

6:00 pm Men's Faith Formation— Understanding Sin

**Tuesday, March 17th - PARISH OFFICE CLOSED**  
Happy St. Patrick's Day!

**Friday, March 20th**

6:00 pm Stations of the Cross-English

6:30 pm Adoration

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross-Spanish



**Saturday, March 21st**

10:00 am Legion of Mary Meeting at Parish Hall

**Check out more special events:**

[www.sacredheartsavannah.org](http://www.sacredheartsavannah.org)

## CHANTING MASS PARTS

Acapella - For Lent, the Church asks that flowers not be used in decorating the altar and that musical instruments have limited use. This is to intentionally deprive ourselves of some consolation during the season of penitence so that Easter will be that much more joyful. Learning to sing Mass parts acapella, without help from musical instruments, helps us to follow that request. Fr. Kevin

## CAMPUS MINISTRY WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Sunday, March 15th**

6:00 pm Mass at Sacred Heart Church

7:00 pm Dinner at Sacred Heart Parish

**Monday, March 16th**

*Spring Break Starts!*

**Every Tuesday & Wednesday**

11:00 am Bible Study in the Campus Ministry Room

12:00 pm Daily Mass at the Cathedral Basilica

## YOUTH MINISTRY WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Wednesday, March 18th**

6:30 pm Youth Night

For more info: [www.sacredheartsavannah.org](http://www.sacredheartsavannah.org)

Go to Youth Ministry Tab under Parish Life OR

On Instagram: [@sacredheartsavym](https://www.instagram.com/sacredheartsavym)

## Sacred Heart Lent 2026—Praying for a Parishioner

The Sunday Mass for March 15 celebrates Laetare Sunday. Laetare translates to "Rejoice". We are now halfway thru Lent so Easter is now only a few weeks away. Perhaps we can pray for our parishioner to rejoice with God this week by enjoying the Spring flowers, greener trees and warmer weather.

Any questions regarding Praying for Parishioner may be directed to Joan at [jowehner50@gmail.com](mailto:jowehner50@gmail.com)



**Knights of Columbus**

**Drive -thru Fish Fry**

**March 13th and 27th**

**Starts at: 6:30 pm**

**Parish Office Parking Lot**

**\$10 Per Plate**

Fish, French Fries, Cole Slaw, Dinner Roll  
and a bottle of water .

*Will sell until supplies run out so  
get there early!*



## Volunteers Needed for Schola

**Saint Benedict & Ward Class**

**Thursday Afternoons**

The children's music offerings at Sacred Heart are looking for volunteers to assist as the second adult in the rehearsal room on Thursday afternoons.

There is very little that is asked of volunteers, primarily just their presence.

To learn more, please contact Sharon Mays at:  
[shc.schola@gmail.com](mailto:shc.schola@gmail.com)



## FALL REGISTRATON DEADLINE: March 15, 2026

**Regina Caeli Hybrid (Catholic Classical) Academy**

The academy is opening in Pooler at Corpus Christi this Fall. You must register your child by March 15th to hold their place. There is a \$50 fully refundable preregistration fee per student. Please use the QR Code for Pre-registrations.



For additional information contact via text: Brenna Parks at 330-819-7774 or call or text Wayne Sheridan at 207-350-6098.



Please pray for our Faith Formation students who will be receiving sacraments: First Reconciliation (March); Confirmation (April); and First Eucharist (May)