

st. Joseph

Roman Catholic Church
Est. 1872



Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 10, 2016

Parish Office

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Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 8:00am - 4:00pm
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Pastor

Rev. Fr. Kevin Bordelon

Associate Pastor

Rev. Fr. Samuel Fontana

Deacons

Deacon Tommy Adams
Deacon Denis LaCroix
Deacon Barry LeBlanc
Deacon Tim Ledet

Director of Finance/Facilities

Albert Johnson

Director of Youth Ministry

Jamie Orillion

Director of Religious Ed

Georgette Richard

Parish Secretary

Debbie Harrington

Choir Director

David Lalande

Facilities Keeper

John Comeaux

Grounds Keeper

Doug Langley

Sacristans

Flo Broussard

Weekly Calendar

Monday, July 11

Rosary Group - 9:00 am, Church

Tuesday, July 12

Wednesday, July 13

Elderberries Sr. Group - 9:00 am, Family Life Center
Rayne Guest Home Mass - 10:00 am

Thursday, July 14

Ultreya - 6:30 pm, Family Life Center

Friday, July 15

Saturday, July 16

Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Mass for Our Lady of Mt. Carmel - 9am
Reception following in FLC

Sunday, July 17

Weekly Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am, 10:00 am & 5:30 pm

Monday: 6:30 am

Tuesday: 12:05 pm

Wednesday: 6:30 am

Thursday: 12:05 pm

Friday: 6:30 am

First Saturday: 9:00 am

Reconciliation/Confession

30 minutes prior to Mass or any other time by appointment.

Baptism

Baptisms are held each Sunday after 10 AM Mass. Contact the Parish Office (334-2193) to schedule the sacrament. Preparation Classes are held the 4th Sunday of each month after 10 AM Mass.

Marriage

Call the Parish Office at least 6 months in advance of desired wedding date to schedule an appointment and begin the preparation process.

Funerals

Funeral home personnel will contact the parish office for you to make all the necessary arrangements.

Anointing of the Sick

Contact the parish office to schedule the sacrament of anointing with one of our priests.

Readings of the Week

Monday: Is 1:10-17;

Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23;

Mt 10:34 -- 11:1

Tuesday: Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-8;

Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16;

Ps 94:5-10, 14-15; Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19;

Ps 102:13-14ab, 15-21; Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8;

Is 38:10-12abcd, 16; Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-4, 7-8, 14;

Mt 12:14-21

Sunday: Gen 18:1-10a; Ps 15:2-5;

Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42

The Sanctuary Lamp



The Sanctuary Lamp burns constantly to proclaim the real presence of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Tabernacle. This week we dedicate the flame to:

Joyce Z. Faulk,

Wilson & Laura A. Meaux Family &

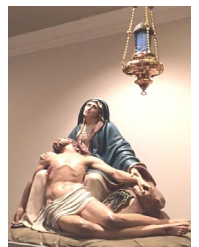
Walton Thibodeaux Sr.

The Pieta Lamp

Mother of Sorrows, You who held Jesus in your arms, please intercede with your Divine Son on behalf of:

Edward Ray Simon &

Hazel Prevost



Weekly Offertory

Offertory of 6/19/2016 \$8,656.32

Offertory of 6/26/2016 \$8,739.20

Monthly Report:

4.00% of Monthly Offertory EFT

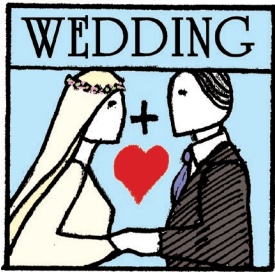
\$3,243.00 Total Building & Maintenance

Dearly Departed

Our faith community remembers in prayer our dearly departed. We pray that they will find joy & peace in the Lord's presence. We extend our sincere sympathy to their families and friends.

Frank Privat & Nelson Jeanise

Weddings



We joyfully share in the Sacramental union of:

**Dylan Joseph Lormand &
Kelsey Paige Primeaux**

**Joshua J. Guidry &
Alani L. LeJeune**

Sick and Shut-In

Anais Alleman, Darrell Alleman, Linda Arceneaux, Mary Baronet, Darrell L. Bearb, Donald L. Bearb I, Denny Beslin, Mark Beslin, Percy Breaux, Ruth Ann Breaux, Ricky Briggs Jr., Joseph "Blackie" Broussard, Harry Lee Comeaux, Kinley Comeaux, Preston Comeaux, Ruby Comeaux, Gil Cormier, Lisa Cormier, Willis & Sue Credeur, Jacob & James Dogua, Franny Dupuis, Dano Fontenot, Tanya Gaspard, Gussie Guidry, Kemp Guillory I, Sharon Hanks, Lindsay Hanyen, Karen Hebert, Tommy Hodges, Keith Hulin, Lloyd Jeffers, Henry Jillett, Rebecca Lalande, Brent Leger, Mark Wayne LeMaire, Sally Lincoln, Laura M. Meaux, Angie Melancon, Daniel Melancon, Kevin Melancon, Pat Melancon, Richard Melancon, Merlin & Norma Miller, Halli Monk, Bruce Moreaux, Joseph Ortego, Lenette Racca, Robert Racca, Craig Richard, Tammy Saltzman, Melvin Savoie, Adeline Rose Schexnayder, Edith Seaux, Linton Seaux, Jessie Simon, Russell Smith, Ronald Stutes, Joseph Trahan, Carroll Verret, John Williams

Our Lady of Mount Carmel



Miraculous Medal

Do you wear a Miraculous Medal? The Association of the Miraculous Medal located in Perryville, Missouri, has a goal of sharing one million Miraculous Medals throughout the United States by the date of our Lady's birthday, September 8. If you would like to share in this exciting goal for the Year of Mercy, please call 1-800-264-MARY or visit us online at www.amm.org.

Birthdays This Week

Grace R. Alexander, Brenda Burleigh, Ethel Dogay, Norma Gardiner, Lenette Guidry, Terry Guidry, Caroline Hensgens, Rebecca Miller, Tremie Petitjean, Dawn Richard, Mike Richard, Steven Robinson, Milton Stutes, Madison Aucoin, Rhonda Bearb, Traci Brochard, Lurcy Castille, Anselmo Cortes, John Credeur, Garrett Hebert, Ryan Henry, Deanna Mouton, Morgan Oliver, Evelina Owens, Adam Pellissier, Patricia Peltier, Joshua Rice, Shirline Richard, Pamela Roy, Mackenzie Simon, Mary Touchete, Traci Vasseur, River Venable, Malarie Zaunbrecher, Sherry Boudreaux, Hali Colligan, Jessica Credeur, Frances Doga III, John Guidry, Kenny Guidry, Becky LaFleur, Leah LeBlanc, Christopher McKenzie, Hunter Prejean, Alex Richard, Terry Roberts, Overton Stelly, Dolores Thibodeaux, Owen Thibodeaux, Eric Vernoy, Betty Bellard, Kelly Bergeaux, Betty Bush, Samuel Casanova, Shelly Daigle, Tyler Fontenot, Marlo Foreman, Nell Harson, Michele Leger, Dora Meyer, Larry Navarre, McKinlee Smith, Helen Thibodeaux, Florence Broussard, Terry Comeaux, Bobby Cormier, Ardel Courvelle, Michael Domingue, Edna Dugas, Elizah Hunt, Phillip Pellissier, Vickie Richard, Tiffany Roberts, Scott Sarsfield, Alexa Thibodeaux, Catherine Castille, Eldine Comeaux, Eugene Dupuis, Logan Granger, Magdalene McIntyre, Bonnie Navarre, James Petitjean, Elizabeth Richard, Rusti Richard, Erisse Schexnider, Lula St.Germain, Brian Suire, Evan Trudell, Erick Arceneaux, Rebecca Breaux, Blane Credeur, Rita Credeur, Jacob-Paul Dupont, Jeremy George, Lindsay Mooney, Felick Romero, Katie Trahan

Steubenville - High School



The week leading up to Steubenville, I was able to attend a retreat called LEAD, where I was able to dig deeper into my faith and learn so many amazing things. LEAD stands for Leadership, Evangelization And Discipleship and, to say the least, it was a life changing experience that I will forever be grateful for.

I was given an opportunity to learn what it means to be a true disciple of Christ, how to evangelize, and how important it is to lead people closer to Christ. It also helped me learn how to receive what Christ has to say to me and how important it is to get away from the noise of this world, so I can sit and listen to Him. I was able to truly encounter Christ through the week and weekend and it helped me to build my foundation on stone and make it strong (Matthew 7:24-27) . It also allowed me to meet some of the most amazing people, who I know I will be friends with forever. The week was



filled with tears and joy. Overall, it was amazing being able to praise our Saviour for a week. I am so excited to be able to spread God's love and His word to people by using the tools I learned from



LEAD. Thank you St. Joseph for supporting our youth!

- Gabrielle Peltier



Mass for the Blessed Mother

We will be having a special celebration in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary on the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Saturday, July 16, 2016. This event will include Mass in Church at 9am, followed by a Social in the Family Life Center sponsored by the Lay Carmelites.

Pope Francis



Look in the mirror before judging others.

The Pope gave this advice during his homily at morning Mass in the Casa Santa Marta today, reported Vatican Radio, as he pointed out that God's judgment is distinguished from ours by "mercy," not "omnipotence."

Because judgment belongs only to God, the Pope explained, "If we do not want to be judged, we should not judge others."

Drawing inspiration from today's Gospel, the Pope said, "All of us want the Lord to look upon us with kindness" on Judgment Day and hope He "will forget the many bad things we have done in life."

Time to Look in the Mirror

Therefore, if "you judge others constantly," he warned, "with the same measure you shall be judged." The Lord, he said, therefore asks us to look in the mirror:

"Look in the mirror, but not to put on makeup to hide the wrinkles. No, no, no, that's not the advice! Look in the mirror to look at yourself as you are. 'Why do you see the speck that is in your brother's eye and do not notice the log that is in your own eye?' Or, how can you say to your brother, 'Let me take the speck out of your eye,' while the log is still in your eye? And how does the Lord look at us then, when we do this? One word: 'hypocrite.' First take the log out of your eye, and then you shall see clearly to take the speck out of your brother's eye!"

Church Humor



"Excuse me? 'Til DEBT do us part?."



COMMITMENT WEEKEND

THANK YOU for your willingness to learn about this effort.

THANK YOU for your support for our parish.

THANK YOU for your vision for our greater Church.

THANK YOU for your commitment to our future.

Today, all St. Joseph families are invited to participate in the **Centennial Campaign: Building Our Future Together**. By joining together as a parish family, we will ensure the success of this effort.

We need gifts of all sizes! Please consider a sacrificial pledge if you have not already given. This is your chance to support our parish and our Diocese. By contributing to the **Centennial Campaign**, you demonstrate an amazing Christian example of faith and generosity. When all our parish households participate in sacrificial consideration, we have the opportunity to honor the past, celebrate the present, and ensure a brighter future. Together, we help build a stronger, more vibrant Catholic Church for years to come.

We hope you too will be inspired to join us in the **Centennial Campaign**. Thank you!

God bless you all!

Thank you also to all of our generous parishioners and volunteers for your support of the **Centennial Campaign**. Your enthusiasm towards this initiative is inspiring.

“And He looked up and saw the rich putting their gifts into the treasury; And He saw also a certain poor widow putting in two mites. So He said, “Truly I say to you that this poor widow has put in more than all, For all these out of their abundance have put in offerings for God. But she, out of her poverty, put in all the livelihood that she had.” (Luke 21:1-4)

Centennial Campaign: *Building Our Future Together*

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July 2016 Liturgical Ministers Schedule

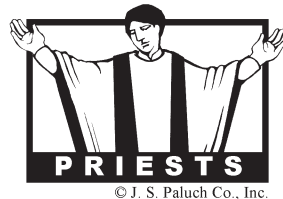
Day	Time	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Altar Servers
Sat.	4:00 pm	Allison Gray, Leah Guidry	Clara LeBlanc, Larry LeBlanc, Rita Monceaux, Barbara Nugent	Allie Gray, Boyd Gray
Sun.	7:00 am	Becky Miller, Joseph Swinkey	Brunella Reed, Betty Bellard, Mary Guidry, Buddy LeBouef, Joyce LeBouef	Ivy Credeur
	10:00 am	Devin Soeseno, Margaret Young	Margaret Young, Eva Simon, Nathan Mouton, Hubert Matte	Jon Cameron Habetz, Evan Hebert
	5:30 pm	Shawn LaCroix	Lance Abshire, Logan Abshire, Mike Abshire, Denise Breaux	Lizzie Prevost, Alaysha Dupont

Pray For Priests

Eternal Father, we lift up to You these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them.

Heal and guide them.

Mold them into the likeness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.



- July 11** Rev. Brian Garry, SJ
- July 12** Rev. Taj Glodd
- July 13** Rev. James Goeke, SJ
- July 14** Rev. Richard Greene, VE
- July 15** Rev. Michael Guidry
- July 16** Rev. Mitchell Guidry
- July 17** Rev. Brad Guillory

Eucharistic Adorers Needed



Please consider scheduling one hour a week in the adoration chapel with our Lord. For more information please call or text Cathy Breaux at 337-501-1404 or email stjoe24.7@gmail.com to schedule your time.

Pilgrimage to Fatima



A "Special" 7 Day Pilgrimage to Fatima Portugal will be offered from 3 Airline Gateways of Newark NJ, New York JFK, and Boston, Mass. The Price of \$1599.00 is the all inclusive price including airfare, 4 star hotel,

2 meals per day, tour guide and deluxe bus and more. Price is the same from all three airports and we can assist you in securing air from your home city to one of the 3 gateways listed above. We will also be flying from Miami International but the pilgrimage will be one day longer and the all inclusive price will be \$1699.00. The travel dates from Newark, JFK, and Boston will be Nov. 14-20, 2016 and the travel dates from Miami will be Nov. 14-21, 2016. Brochures and reservation forms are available at the Catholic Tour. Call 1-877-627-4268 toll free. Or simply email jimadair@thecatholictour.com.