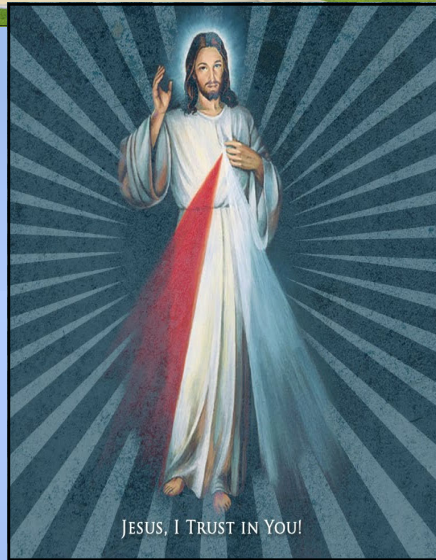
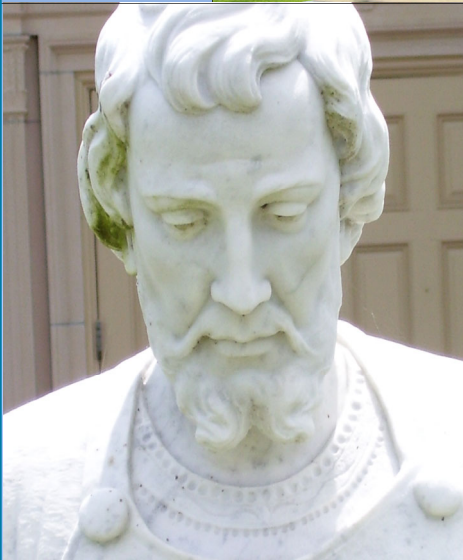


Saint Joseph Roman Catholic Church



April 27, 2014 Divine Mercy Sunday

Rev. Kendal Faulk	Pastor	401 S. Adams - P. O. Box 199	Rayne, LA 70578
Rev. Garrett Savoie	Associate Pastor	Phone: 337-334-2193	Fax: 337-334-2199
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Deacon Tim Ledet	Permanent Deacon	Family Life Center:	Phone: 337-334-5656

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil	4:00 pm	Wednesday	6:30 am
Sunday	7:00 am, 10:00 am & 5:30pm	Thursday	12:05 pm
Monday	6:30 am	Friday	6:30 am
Tuesday	12:05 pm	First Saturday	9:00 am

Parish office is open 8:00 am to 4:00pm Monday - Thursday and 8:00 am to Noon on Friday



Weekly Calendar

Monday, April 28

Rosary Group-9:00 am, Church

Prayer for Priests-2:00 pm, Church

Tuesday, April 29

Choir Practice-6:30 pm, Church

Wednesday, April 30

Elderberries-9:00 am, Family Life Center

Rayne Guest Home Mass -3:30 pm

Thursday, May 1

Babyberries-9:00 am, Family Life Center

St. Vincent de Paul-6:00 pm, Youth Hall

Ultreya-6:30 pm, Church Cryroom

Friday, May 2

RCE Mass-8:20 am, Church

Joe's Café-6:00 pm, Youth Hall

Saturday, May 3

First Saturday Mass-9:00 am, Church

Sunday, May 4

Call the Parish Office to add loved ones to the prayer list.

Please pray for these parishioners & friends of St. Joseph Parish:



Keith Alleman, Josette H. Baker, Tommy Bearb, Dawn Bergeron, Carter Bertrand, Jody Besse, Susan Besse, Vivian Boudreaux, Cynthia Bourque, Judy Bourque, Joseph Breaux, Jr., Debbie Breaux, Rick Briggs, Paulette S. Butcher, Percy Castille, Charles "Moon" Chappuis, Martin Chatelain Jr., Judy Chester, Kinley Comeaux, Milo Comeaux, Earlis Cormier, Eva Belle Credeur, Jack D'Aquin, Randy "Frog" Duplechin, Earl & Joyce Dupont, Burton Dupuis, Jr, Susan Dupuis, Irene Durio, Bernice Eddie, Anthony Emmons, Lt. Kevin Fontenot, Ella Mae Foreman, Claudia Fruge', Debra Fusilier, Junior Gaspard, Mike Gaspard, Lynette Gaspard, Patricia Gautreaux, Ilse Grote, Lynette Guidry, Stormy LeMay Hamilton, Gregory Hebert, Kadon Hebert, Karen Hebert, Philip Ray Hebert, Dana F. Hernandez, Dale Hodges, James Hodges, Antonia Hoffpauir, Linda Hulin, Leo LaCroix Jr., Erica Latiolais, Olivia Grace Latiolais, Doris Lavergne, James Lavergne, Margie Lavergne, Faye Ledford, Eloise LeJeune, Ethel Leger, Willie Leger, Amanda Leon, Bailey Leon, Bridget Lonseth, Cooper Lormand, Laura Meaux, Joyce Meche, Raphael Meche, Pat Melancon, Sybil Menard, Troy B. Menard, Merlin & Norma Miller, Donald "Rod" Mire, David Moore, Tola Myers, Lily Navarre, Tina B. Northrup, Andre' O'Brian, Joseph Ortego, Gail Prejean, Cynthia Melancon Reed, Alice Richard, Dolores Richard, Elisha Richard, Gussie Richard, Karl Richard, Gene Romero, Damion Royer, Dot Royer, Annie W. Spell, Edmond Simon, Edward Simon, Hilda Simon, Tammy Stelly, Bill Storey, Alyssa Thevis, Joey Thibodeaux, Cindy Vondenstein, John Weber, Lindsay West, Merrick Young, Jessie Zaunbrecher



Perpetual Lamp

in our sanctuary burns constantly to proclaim the real presence of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Tabernacle.

This week we dedicate the flame to:

Tony & Emily Ancona family & Edith Foreman

If you would like to include someone on the above prayer list, please call the Parish Office at 334-2193. They will remain on the list for sixty days, unless otherwise indicated. Remember to call with updates. We like to know when our sick recover.

Sacrament of Baptism is held the 2nd Sunday of each month after 10AM Mass. Contact the Parish Office 4 to 6 months before to schedule Baptism Preparation. Classes are held the 4th Sunday of the month after 10AM Mass.

Sacrament of Marriage: Call the Parish Office at least 6 months in advance of desired wedding date to schedule an appointment with Father in order to set the wedding date & begin the preparation process.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: 30 minutes prior to Mass or any other time by appointment.

Communion for the Shut-Ins: Please contact Deacon Tommy (334-8453) to schedule visits by a Minister of Communion.

Funerals: Families should contact the Funeral Home to make all the necessary arrangements.

Parish Membership: Every family in St. Joseph Parish is asked to register with the Parish Office by filling out a census form. If you have moved, changed your phone number or family information, please update your records. Census forms may be obtained at the Parish Office, on our website www.stjoerayne.org or in the lobby of church.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, April 28th, St. Peter of Chanel, St. Louis Grignion de Montfort, Holocaust Remembrance Day

6:30 am Sadie Menard, Chester Boudreaux

Tuesday, April 29th, St. Catherine of Siena

12:05 pm Wiltz J. & Eloise K. & Bryan J. Chatelain, Dr/Mrs. Elmo Petitjean

Wednesday, April 30th, St. Pius V

6:30 am M/M Joseph Gaspard, Tom & Betty Derveloy, Shirley N. Leonards

Thursday, May 1st, St. Joseph the Worker

12:05 pm Wenzel Habetz Fly, Tony & Emily Ancona Fly, Antoine & Agnes P. Menard Fly, Joseph & Ben Stutes, Clarence "Mano" Foreman

Friday, May 2nd, First Friday, St. Athanasius

6:30 am Betty Guidry, Deus Monceaux Fly, Edward & Emilia S. Alleman Fly, Amanda Claire Briggs, Edward Alleman Fly, Celine D. Normand Fly, Raymond & Eunice A. Thevis, Ellen Shepard, Chester Boudreaux

Saturday, May 3rd, First Saturday, Sts. Philip & James

9:00 am Eula A. Cobena, Sadie Menard, Robert A. Gossen Sr., Weil, Privat & Gossen Fly, Amanda Claire Briggs, Nelson G. Richard Fly, Merton Leger, Deceased Lay Carmelites, Donwid Deville, Eric Johnston, Rayne High School Class of 1959, Lloyd J "Kelly" LeBlanc, Robert "Ray" & Flora Camp Fly, Ivan Jude Arceneaux, Ashleigh Miller, Joseph & Ben Stutes, Suzanne T. Bercier

4:00 pm All Parishioners

Sunday, May 4th, 3rd Sunday of Easter

7:00 am Bubba & Mona Zaunbrecher, Julius & Orelia Henry, Flo Slominsky, Eldridge Henry, M/M Leo Breaux, Lloyd Hoffpaur Sr., M/M Joachim Prevost Fly, Special Intentions, M/M Ryness LeBlanc

10:00 am James H. Comeaux, M/M Numa Martin, Maurice & Delia Thibodeaux, Agony of Jesus, Millard, Renola R., Tommy & Donald Gilbert, Carson Brignac Sr., Wilbert Quebodeaux

5:30pm M/M Theophile Constantine, Lillie Patin

PLEASE PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY

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.

April 28 Rev. Joseph Brennan

May 1 Pope Francis

April 29 Rev. David Broussard

May 2 Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

April 30 Rev. Henry Broussard

May 3 Bishop Michael Jarrell

May 4 Rev. Ken Broussard



Birthday



May the Lord bless you on the day of your birth and fill your life with much happiness.

Erick Alleman, Kathy Champagne, Karon Cormier, Mary Guidry, Cheryl Hanks, Leslie Leger, Celeste Rosette, Madison Terro, Paige Boullion, Jamie Girouard, Julia Maynard, Milton Mire, Ashley Moody, Ann Petitjean, Joanie Romero, Pam Seaux, Kade Stutes, Merlin Alleman, David Babineaux, Shara Belaire, Benjamin Boudreaux, Rachel Bourque, Victoria Buffington, Bertha Doucet, Dalton Doucet, Martha Dupuis, Martha Garin, Tessa Himel, Laurent Lavergne, Brielle Menard, Camille Menard, Jeanne Menard, Rebecca Servat, Murray Thibodeaux, Raymond Trahan, Alma Broussard, Misty Chaumont, Karl

Hensgens, Rebecca Meaux, Adele Orillion, Dana Romero, Paul Vondenstein, Brennan Abshire, Dylan Bergeron, Sheila Broussard, Annette Castille, Todd David, Tracey Satchell, Dwayne Breaux, Dayne Courville, Donald Darnell, Mimi Fletcher, Jillian Jones, Daniel Keding, Heather Menier, Harold Prevost, Jamie Zaunbrecher, Neil Alleman, Glen Boudreaux, Lima Clement, Cheryl Duplechin, Elliott Meche, Ruth Poirrier, Ryan Servat

PARISH LIFE

Daily Manna Christian Service Center

600 Section Street, Rayne
337-393-2146



Saturday, May 3rd
8AM to 1PM

and the First Saturday of each month

Merchandise sold for pennies on the dollar.

*Help this worthy cause and
find a bargain at the same time!*

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS GROUP

*Are you desiring a closer walk with God?
Do you feel a call from the heart and soul
to reach out and make a difference for Him?*

Join the Prayer for Priests Group
in Church each Monday at 2:00 PM
to pray for priests, religious and
vocations to the religious life.

Elderberries Summer Extravaganza

June 16th to June 20th



*Visit: EWTN,
Our Lady of Angels Monastery,
Birmingham Botanical Gardens,
Ava Maria Grotto,
St. Bernard Abbey,
Unclaimed Baggage Center,
Ivy Green (home of Helen Keller),
& the birth home of Elvis Presley.*

*Includes: Tour Bus, 5 days / 4 nights, hotel,
all meals and admissions*

Single: \$560/pp, Double: \$445/pp,
Triple: \$400/pp, Quad: \$370/pp

Call Jeanette (334-2186) for more information.

Make check payable to Elderberries Senior Group
Mail to P. O. Box 199, Rayne, LA 70578

April 6, 2014 Offerings

Weekend Offerings	\$ 12,454
Building & Maintenance	\$ 2,237
Total Weekly Offerings	\$ 14,691

Thank you for your generosity.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

*We welcome those who have entered our Catholic
faith through the waters of Baptism:*

Braxton Lee Broussard

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

We joyfully share in the union of:

Brad Allen Pommier &

Melina Ann Soeseno

Taylor Ryan Edgens &

Elizabeth Claire Chance

"What God has joined together, let no man separate."

Mark 10:9

RECENTLY DEPARTED

Our faith community remembers in prayer:

Ann Hebert

*We pray that she will find joy & peace in the Lord's
presence. We extend our sincere sympathy to her
family and friends.*

**Please remember St. Joseph Parish
when planning your will.
For further information
call the Parish Office at 334-2193.**



"Little White Books"

The Little White Books for the Easter Season
may be purchased at the Parish Office.
They contain six-minute reflections that walk you
through the Gospels for this Easter,
with explanations and reflections along the way.
Suggested donation of \$1.00 .

Diocesan Clergy Training Days

Fr. Kendal and Fr. Savoie along with
all clergy from the Diocese of Lafayette
will be attending Clergy Training
on Tuesday, May 6th and
Wednesday, May 7th.

There will not be a

12:05 pm Mass on May 5, 2014 nor

6:30 am Mass on May 6, 2014.

All Mass intentions will be said on
Tuesday & Wednesday of the following week.



Edge students enjoy trip to New Orleans where they toured the National Shrine of Blessed Francis Seelos, St. Mary's Assumption Church and attended Mass at St. Louis Cathedral.



2014 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
June 2nd through June 6th
 9:00 am to Noon
 on the RCE Campus
SUPPLIES ARE NEEDED

There are poster boards at all entrances of church with penguins that have:

Supplies needed for Vacation Bible School as well as a box for you to place your donated supplies.

Monetary Donation is listed on some of the penguins, which will be used to purchase specialty crafts.

Baked Goods are listed on other penguins. Please contact Georgette at 334-2193 if you can bring baked goods.

All donations are needed by May 18th.

Registration Forms are available online at:
www.stjoerayne.org/VBS2014

Deadline to register is May 18th.

Please contact Peggy at 334-2193
 for additional information or to volunteer

C. M. J. (now called CCD)

for students in grades K through 5th

will be held for two weeks each Summer instead of on Monday evenings throughout the school year.



Classes this Summer will be June 16th - June 27th from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm on the RCE Campus

Registration Forms

will only be available online through the parish website : www.stjoerayne.org

Registrations will **NOT** be mailed to your home as in past years.

If you do not have access to a computer please call the Religious Education Department to schedule an appointment for Assisted Registration.

Registration is \$30.00.

Deadline to register is May 15th.

Thank you in advance for your patience and understanding during this transition year.

Please contact Georgette at 334-2193 for additional information or to volunteer.

Altar Server Training with Deacon Tim

for all current Altar Servers and anyone wishing to become an altar server on Wednesday, May 7th from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM.

There will be a second training on May 10th from 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM for those who can not attend the first session.



**Pope Francis and the
Blessed Virgin Mary's Apparitions
Tuesday, May 20th 6 PM - 9 PM**

St. Charles Center
2151 Sam Houston Jones Parkway
Lake Charles, LA

Presented by: Sr. Diane Depwe

The Holy Mother of Jesus has appeared throughout the world over several centuries to let us know her Son's desire and love for us. This retreat will go through these apparitions, her messages and the impact they have had upon the Church and on Pope Francis' own Marian beliefs. Come and journey through time and explore how Holy Mary's messages pertain to us today.

To register call the Center at #855-1232 or go to our website at www.stcharlescenter.com.

Suggested donation is \$20.00 per person.

Please register by Friday, May 16th so that adequate arrangements can be made for supper.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: *Acts* 4:23-31; *Ps* 2:1-9; *Jn* 3:1-8
 Tuesday: *Acts* 4:32-37; *Ps* 93:1-2, 5;
Jn 3:7b-15
 Wednesday: *Acts* 5:17-26; *Ps* 34:2-9;
Jn 3:16-21
 Thursday: *Acts* 5:27-33; *Ps* 34:2, 9, 17-20;
Jn 3:31-36,
 or, for the memorial,
Gn 1:26-2:3 or
Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24;
Ps 90:2-4, 12-14, 16; *Mt* 13:54-58
 Friday: *Acts* 5:34-42; *Ps* 27:1, 4, 13-14;
Jn 6:1-15
 Saturday: *1 Cor* 15:1-8; *Ps* 19:2-5;
Jn 14:6-14
 Sunday: *Acts* 2:14, 22-33;
Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11;
1 Pt 1:17-21; *Lk* 24:13-35



Our Lady of Sorrows Retreat Center

103 Railroad Ave.,
St. Martinville, LA

MARRIED COUPLES RETREAT

May 30-June 1, 2014

Dec. 19-21, 2014

*A preached retreat for couples consisting of talks & meditations
pertinent to living out the Sacrament of Matrimony.*

Fr. Champagne is the Retreat Director, with married couples also
giving talks. To register, contact Cheryl Moss at 337-453-2385.

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code for a complete
listing of Church
locations and Mass
times anywhere in the
United States.*

Reflecting on God's Word

Once in a while I find myself in the pew at a liturgical celebration, and I confess I like to sit near the front and watch all the people as they come back from receiving Holy Communion. I know what all the books say about that, what my teachers taught, and what the priests I've listened to have preached. They said you're supposed to be praying, but I can't help it. I just like to watch all the folks. I think God may even like it as much as I do.

When I sit there watching them, I think about how we're all believers of one sort or another. George, who every week comes alone, without his family. And Melissa, who flirts with all the boys more than she should, and whose parents hardly ever seem to smile. And Mr. P., who always casts his eyes downward and folds his hands upward. And Agnes, who seems to have been caring for her aging mother for as long as anyone in the church can remember and who herself is now beginning to show signs of aging as well. And the lanky high schooler who must play basketball well, because he's certainly tall enough and wears a letter proudly on his school jacket. And Arthur, whose wife just died. And a couple hundred other believers as well. They're all here, every Sunday, and they're all part of the Body of Christ. It's also why I'm a believer, because they're believers; and most of the time I need them to be believers just so I can be a believer.

Thomas of this week's Gospel couldn't be a believer on his own. Having missed the Sunday gathering, he just couldn't say yes on his own. But one week later when he was there with all the others, that made all the difference in the world. In fact it made him a believer. So that's why I watch all the folks processing by after they receive Holy Communion. They make me a believer.

—Rev. Joseph J. Juknialis



Liturgical Ministers serving at the Lord's Table

		Lectors	Extra-ordinary Ministers of Communion	Altar Servers	Sacristans
Apr. 28	6:30 am	Clinton Boullion	Keith Vienne, Randy Bertrand, Mona Vienne		Brenda Hooper
Apr. 29	12:05 pm	Margaret Young	Linda Ancona, Daniel Habetz, Mary Guidry		Margaret Young
Apr. 30	6:30 am	Jeanette Leger	Barry LeBlanc, Dean Thibodeaux, Rita Monceaux		Robert Simoneaux
May 1	12:05 pm	Dolores Deville	Peggy Lake, Charmaine Lawless, Daniel Habetz		Charmaine Lawless
May 2	6:30 am	Clarence Arsement	Deacon Tommy, Helen Arsement, Rita Monceaux		Rita Monceaux
May 3	9:00 am	Annette Gossen	Flo Broussard, Mary Leger, Rita Monceaux		Rita Monceaux
	4:00 pm	Shawn LaCroix, Luke Beslin	Deacon Dan, Peggy Lake, Zubaida Elahi, Brenda Hooper, Lyn Guidry, Annette Gossen, Barbara Nugent	Brittney LaCroix, Grant LeBlanc	Gilbert & Mary Cormier
May 4	7:00 am	Clinton Boullion, Betty Bellard	Deacon Denis, Keith Vienne, Michael Bellard, Mary Guidry, Flo Broussard, Mona Vienne, Matilda Johnson	Christopher & Lane Comeaux	Flo Broussard
	10:00am	Jim Petitjean, Devin Soeseno	Deacon Tommy, Barry LeBlanc, Hubert Matte, Christine Dupont, Linda Arceneaux, Faye Jeffers, Liz Deaville	Luke Kibodeaux, Alaysa Dupont	Faye Jeffers
	5:30 pm	Linda Swinkey	Deacon Tim, Bill Says, Angela Says, Russell Menard, NEED HELP	Jon Cameron Habetz, Jude Thibodeaux	Flo Broussard & Eric Mier
May 5	6:30 am	Clinton Boullion	Patricia Greene, Brenda Hooper, Mike Ortego		Brenda Hooper
May 6	12:05 pm	Margaret Young	Daniel Habetz, Linda Ancona, Mary Guidry		Margaret Young
May 7	6:30 am	Jeanette Leger	Deacon Tommy, Flo Broussard, Mona Vienne		Robert Simoneaux
May 8	12:05 pm	Dolores Deville	Peggy Lake, Charmaine Lawless, Daniel Habetz		Helen Boudreaux
May 9	6:30 am	Clarence Arsement	Keith Vienne, Liz Deaville, NEED HELP		Rita Monceaux
May 10	4:00 pm	Cathy Breaux, Rita Monceaux	Deacon Denis, Gale Prejean, Jimmy Fontenot, Edward Prejean, Larry Van Pelt, Diana Duhon, Charmin Broussard	Anna Claire Gossen, Emma Landaiche	Cathy Breaux
May 11	7:00 am	Janet Bertrand, Joseph Swinkey	Deacon Tommy, Barry LeBlanc, Randy Bertrand, Brunella Reed, Mary Leger, Georgette Richard, Josette LeBlanc	Ethan & Kaleb Comeaux	Brunella Reed
	10:00am	Jared Lawless, Paul Molbert	Deacon Tim, Margaret Young, Nathan Mouton, Jonathan Hebert, Marlon Leger, Jonathan Broussard, Mike Ortego	Steven Lopez, Jacob Mooney	Jude & Cynthia Beslin
	5:30 pm	Laila Wyatt	Deacon Dan, Nancy Sarsfield, Denise Breaux, Mike Abshire, NEED HELP	Peyton Menard, Heidi Guilbeau	Gilbert & Mary Cormier



*I think we too are the people who,
on the one hand, want to listen to Jesus,
but on the other hand,
at times, like to find a stick to beat others with,
to condemn others.
And Jesus has this message for us:
mercy.
I think — and I say it with humility —
that this is the Lord's most powerful message:
mercy.*

Pope Francis

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