

Saint Joseph Roman Catholic Church

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***August 10, 2014
19th Sunday
in Ordinary Time***

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Deacon Daniel Besse
Deacon Denis LaCroix
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Weekly Calendar

Monday, August 11

Rosary Group-9:00 am, Church
Prayer for Priests-2:00 pm, Church
Bible Study-7:00 pm, Family Life Center

Tuesday, August 12

Knights of Columbus-6:30 pm, K C Hall

Wednesday, August 13

Elderberries-9:00 am, Family Life Center
Rayne Guest Home Mass-3:30 pm

Thursday, August 14

No Noon Mass
Vigil Mass-5:30 pm, Church
Ultreya-6:30 pm, Church Cry Room

Friday, August 15

Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed

Virgin Mary

Holy Day of Obligation
Parish Office Closed
Mass – 6:30 am, 8:20 am, & 12:05 pm

Saturday, August 16

Sunday, August 17

Mass Schedule

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

Parish Office

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am to 4:00pm
Friday 8:00 am to Noon

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



Keith Alleman, Jackie Arceneaux, Josette H. Baker, Tommy Bearb, Lois Bennett, Dawn Bergeron, Trina S. Bonin, Vivian Boudreaux, Betty Boullion, Cynthia Bourque, Dovey Bourque, Judy Bourque, Margie Breaux, Percy Breaux, Rick Briggs, Paulette S. Butcher, Lynna Caldwell, Percy Castille, Charles "Moon" Chappuis, Martin Chatelain Jr., Judy Chester, Kinley Comeaux, Earlis Cormier, Eva Belle Credeur, Linda Credeur, Jack D'Aquin, Jason "Chubby" Dogue, Priscilla Dupuis, Bernice Eddy, Lt. Kevin Fontenot, Lionel Fontenot, Martha Fontenot, Ella Mae Foreman, Henrietta & Raymond Gossen, Ilse Grote, Lynette Guidry, Michael Guidry, Ronald Hanks, Karen Hebert, James Hodges, Leo LaCroix Jr., M. J. LaCroix, Erica Latiolais, Olivia Grace Latiolais, Faye Ledford, Bridget Leger, Ethel Leger, Willie Leger, Bailey Leon, Bridget Lonseth, Heather Menier, Doug Marshall, Crystal May, her pregnancy & family, Raphael Meche, Pat Melancon, Troy B. Menard, Randal Monceaux, Rita Monceaux, David Moore, Mickey & Kathy Olivier, Joseph Ortego, Delia Richard, Gussie Richard, Gene Romero, Jimmy & Bertha Romero, Damion Royer, Dot Royer, Melvin Savoie, Jerome & Hilda Simoneaux, Tony Spaetgens, Annie W. Spell, Alyssa Thevis, Joseph Trahan, Cindy Vondenstein, Daniel Washington, Jessie Zaunbrecher

**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.



Pictured above is Fr. Kendal purchasing the first ticket from Grand Knight

Acadian Knights of Columbus Council #1897

LABOR DAY RAFFLE

Tickets are \$2.00 each

available from the Parish Office or any K C member.

- 1st prize: Stainless Steel Gas Grill, propane cylinder, grill cover, BBQ utensil set and ribeye steaks donated by Anonymous K C Member
- 2nd prize: 5 hour Mercedes Sprinter van ride (10 passenger) donated by Gossens Funeral Home
- 3rd prize: Cajun Stove & Pot donated by LeBlanc Trailer Sales
- 4th prize: \$100.00 Gift Certificate donated by Fezzo's Restaurant & Rochetto's Pizzeria
- 5th prize: \$100.00 fireworks package donated in memory of former Knight Clet Richard and Carson Brignac

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*St. Joseph Parish is in need of **Volunteer Sacristans** to serve in rotation setting up for **Wedding and Funeral Masses.***

If you are interested in finding out more about this important ministry or to volunteer, please call Linda at the Parish Office (334-2193)

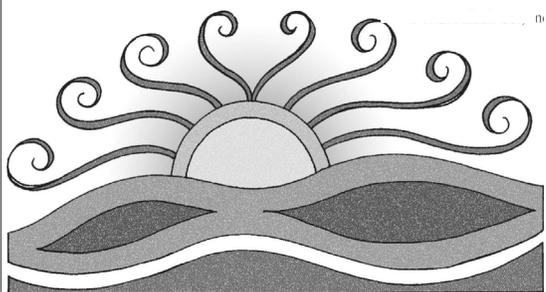
Perpetual Lamp

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:

**Walton Thibodeaux,
Susan Besse and
Raymond Besse family**



This Sunday's Gospel features Jesus picking his way to a boat of disciples through a storm of windy darkness over a sea of nighttime waves. At three in the morning, he finds them being tossed about in their own storm of windy fear. Then Peter, who always seems to say the right thing by saying the wrong thing at the right time, calls out across the tumult, "Lord, if it is really you, tell me to come to you across the water." So Jesus calls back and says, "Come."

That is when Peter must decide if he will step off the platform and into the roller coaster, or if he will play it safe. Amazingly, Peter decides not to play it safe but rather steps into the swirling storm of life. There he begins to sink and drown, but it's also there that he discovers God reaching out and grasping him. Had he played it safe and stayed in the boat, he might never have known God's saving hand. He also realizes that what Jesus came preaching was not an amusement park of fun and games but rather a kingdom where life is known only through great risk.

Such is the story of all of our lives when we must choose between a life of apparent security and the real life that is always revealed through risk and trust. Such choices may arise when we face the prospect of marriage counseling or first-time parenting or late-life parenting or job loss or spouse loss or health loss or even what may appear to be loss of faith. At these times, not to step out of the boat and into the swirling storm, not to risk all for the sake of all is to lose all. On the other hand, to step out, even though it be with great fear, is to meet our saving God.

—Rev. Joseph J. Juknialis

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

Kayle Melancon

RECENTLY DEPARTED

Our faith community remembers in prayer:

Clara Hollier Leger

and

Willie Richard

We pray that they will find joy & peace in the Lord's presence. We extend our sincere sympathy to their families and friends.



Perpetual Giving

The love you've shown,
the path you've walked,
the little kindnesses,
the daily courage and
the generosity you've

shown,

these reflect your savior's love.

And are the legacy you're living as well as
Leaving!

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contact Albert at stjoseph1872@diolaf or
call 334-2193.

Offerings for July 26 & 27, 2014

Weekend Offerings	\$ 10,079
Building & Maintenance	<u>177</u>
Total Weekly Offerings	\$ 10,256

Thank you for your generosity.



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

Timothy Arceneaux, Patricia Ardoin, Cathleen Bedel, Dwayne Bergeaux, Madeline Besse, Lane Girouard, Jachole Lormand, Blaine Meche, Lucas Navarre, Jennifer Richard, Mia Arceneaux, Tony Breaux, Brandy Carrier, Debra Cavalier, Caelan Comeaux, Autry Cormier, Ralph Gautreaux, Bridget Hanks, John Istre, Charmaine Jumonville, Devin Menard, Frank Menard, James Menard, Nicholas Monk, Hudson Rivere, Ashley Schexnayder, Kaely Smith, Shannon Thibodeaux, Thomas Touchette, Bridget Touchette, Jillian Benoit, Travis Broussard, Andrew Habetz, Widdley

*LaGrange, Morgan Menard, Ariel Mire, Corey Richard, Vanessa Romero, Torie Scott, Barbara Stonicher, Noah Adams, Genie Arsement, Helen Arsement, Debbie Breaux, Madeline Colligan, Jill Henry, Paula Hollier, Rosina Kinkade, Melinda Langley, Adrian Leonards, Carl Meche, Cassie Robinson, Allen Schexnider, Adam Soileaux, Glenn Zaunbrecher, **Deacon Daniel Besse**, Dawn Comeaux, Inez Credeur, Jennifer Falcon, Kristopher Granger, Mary Johnson, Marcia Menard, Todd Prejean, Dorothy Pryor, Brian Reed, Kim Richard, Myrtle Servat, John Weber, Inez Broussard, Christopher Castille, Lena Guidry, Melissa Guidry, Jenna Menard, Kent Reaux, Brandy Sievers, Walton Thibodeaux, Ricky Briggs, Adrienne Dailey, Sandra Doucet, Brook Duhon, Timothy Johnson, Carol LaCroix, Mary Langley, Nanette LeBlanc, Jamie Lopez, Tristan Mouton, Albert Myers, Elaina Navarre, Trudy Pellegrin, Denise Pellissier, Christopher Royer, Tim Terro, Mackenzie Trahan, Susan Trudel*



*the
Assumption
of the
Blessed Virgin
Mary*

Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, **Friday, August 15th, is a Holy Day of Obligation**

There will be an anticipated Mass on Thursday, August 14th at 5:30 pm and masses at 6:30 am, 8:20 am (RCE) and 12:05 pm on Friday, August 15th.

There is no Noon Mass on Thursday, August 14th.

Engaged Couples

Spend a weekend away from the cares and distractions of everyday living. Attend a **Catholic Engaged Encounter Weekend** in preparation for your marriage. Upcoming weekend dates are September 19-21, November 7-9 and January 23-25.

For location, cost, and other dates visit our website at www.lafayettecee.org or call Shawn & Liz Gautreaux at 664-4840. Daytime call 254-8947 or 898-9257. Find us on Facebook at Lafayette Catholic Engaged Encounter.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: *Ez* 1:2-5, 24-28c; *Ps* 148:1-2, 11-14; *Mt* 17:22-27
 Tuesday: *Ez* 2:8- 3:4; *Ps* 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; *Mt* 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
 Wednesday: *Ez* 9:1-7; 10:18-22; *Ps* 113:1-6; *Mt* 18:15-20
 Thursday: *Ez* 12:1-12; *Ps* 78:56-59, 61-62; *Mt* 18:21-19:1
 Friday: **Vigil:** *1 Chr* 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; *Ps* 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; *1 Cor* 15:54b-57; *Lk* 11:27-28
Day: *Rv* 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; *Ps* 45:10-12, 16; *1 Cor* 15:20-27; *Lk* 1:39-56
 Saturday: *Ez* 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; *Ps* 51:12-15, 18-19; *Mt* 19:13-15
 Sunday: *Is* 56:1, 6-7; *Ps* 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; *Rom* 11:13-15, 29-32; *Mt* 15:21-28

ST. JOSEPH

Rosary Makers

There will be a **Rosary Making Class** at the Family Life Center on Saturday, August 23rd from 9:00 am till noon. All supplies will be furnished. Price for the class is \$5.00 per person.



BLESSED ARE YOU AMONG WOMEN

The Gospel of Luke tells of the visitation of Mary to her cousin Elizabeth.

Mary, a woman alone and with child, made a 70 mile journey from Galilee to Ein Karem, in the hill country of Judea. Today a Catholic Church stands at that site. Its many paintings depict Elizabeth and Mary, and other women of their time, as they went about the sacred business of keeping alive their religious traditions. It is surely the most "feminine" church in Christendom. When Mary sings her Magnificat it's clear that what's most on the mind of this new mother is not, curiously, the news of her astonishing pregnancy. Instead, she sings about God's power to lift up the lowly and to fill the hungry with good things. Her tiny baby is already setting out his agenda.

COME AND SEE!

Have you ever thought about priesthood or religious life? Then join us for an informative day at *Our Lady of Sorrows Retreat Center (103 Railroad Ave., St. Martinville)* on Saturday, August 9th from 9AM to 3PM. Topics include: discerning a vocation, various vocations, nuns & consecrated virgins, religious brothers and more. Mass will be celebrated at noon. **There is no cost and no registration is required.** Please bring a brown bag lunch. Participants under 18 years should be accompanied by a parent or guardian. For more information call Fr. Champagne at 394-6550.



RCIA

HOW DOES ONE BECOME CATHOLIC?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the liturgical process concerned with the total spiritual formation of a person that enables an individual to become Catholic.

The gradual development culminates in the celebration of the initiation sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist, usually at the Easter Vigil celebration.

The 2014-2015 RCIA Process will begin in St. Joseph Parish on Wednesday, August 24th at 7:00 PM in the Family Life Center.

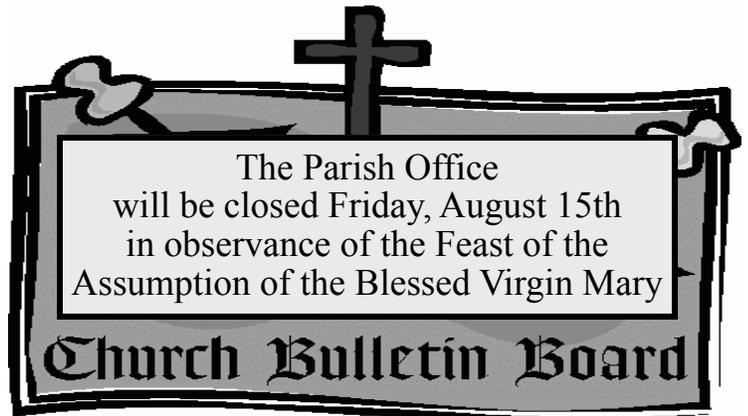
If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or finding out more about the process, please call Randy Bertrand at 356-1909.



Attention! Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

There will be another Commissioning Service after 10:00 AM Mass on Sunday, August 24th for those who were unable to attend the previous service.

Please make every effort to attend. The Diocese of Lafayette recommends that all Extraordinary Ministers of Communion be commissioned annually.



St. Joseph Carpenter Choir Year begins in late August

We would love to have you join us!

Rehearsals are Tuesdays at 6:30 PM
Performances are Sundays at 10:00 AM Mass



"New Beginnings"

Bi-Weekly Bible Study Ministry

"... He was made known to them in the breaking of the bread." (Lk 24:35)

Join us Monday, August 11th at 7:00 PM in the Family Life Center.

The topic of discussion will be the Eucharist. Exactly how and when during the Mass does ordinary bread and wine become the Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of our Lord, Jesus Christ? Do you know the answer? And, once that change occurs, all of salvation history is re-presented on the altar. How and when?

Please join us for an important lesson about a cornerstone of the Roman Catholic faith - Holy Communion!

New beginnings is a bi-weekly bible study ministry designed to answer any questions about the Holy Bible and the Catholic faith.

Join us anytime. All are welcome.

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.

Aug. 11 Rev. Bernard Lebiecz, OSB

Aug. 14 Rev. Louis Ledoux

Aug. 12 Rev. Clyde LeBlanc, SJ

Aug. 15 Rev. Mark Ledoux

Aug. 13 Rev. Steven LeBlanc

Aug. 16 Rev. Lambert Lein, SVD

Aug. 17 Rev. Austin Leger





Liturgical Ministers serving at the Lord's Table

		Lectors	Extra-ordinary Ministers of Communion	Altar Servers	Sacristans
Aug. 11	6:30 am	Clinton Boullion	Mike Ortego, Patricia Greene, Matilda Johnson		Brenda Hooper
Aug. 12	12:05 pm	Margaret Young	Daniel Habetz, Charmaigne Lawless, Mary Guidry		Margaret Young
Aug. 13	6:30 am	Jeanette Leger	Dean Thibodeaux, Flo Broussard, Mona Vienne		Robert Simoneaux
Aug. 14	5:30 pm	Dolores Deville	Charmin Broussard, Leah Guidry, Peggy Lake		Helen Boudreaux
Aug. 15	6:30 am	Clarence Arsement	Paul Molbert, Rita Monceaux, Liz Deaville		Rita Monceaux
	12:05 pm	NEED HELP	FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY		NEED HELP
Aug. 16	4:00 pm	Mary Comeaux, Clarence Arsement	Deacon Denis, Gale Prejean, Helen Arsement, Edward Prejean, Charmin Broussard, Daniel Habetz, Tammy LeBlanc	Steven Lopez, Heidi Guilbeau	Cathy Breaux
Aug. 17	7:00 am	Betty Bellard, Janet Bertrand	Deacon Tommy, Darrel Dugas, Randy Bertrand, Brunella Reed, Larry Van Pelt, Sylvia Alleman, Georgette Richard	Ethan Comeaux, Kaleb Comeaux, Jake Benoit	Brunella Reed
	10:00 am	Faye Jeffers, Devin Soeseno	Deacon Tim, Mike Ortego, Jared Lawless, Louisette Broussard, Jonathan Broussard, Linda Arceneaux, Paul Molbert, Hubert Matte	Emma Landaiche, Charles Himel, Mary Himel	Faye Jeffers
	5:30 pm	Laila Wyatt	Deacon Dan, Barry LeBlanc, Josette LeBlanc, Nancy Sarsfield, Denise Breaux, Mike Abshire, NEED HELP	Baileigh Goins, Grant LeBlanc	Gilbert & Mary Cormier
Aug. 18	6:30 am	Clinton Boullion	Keith Vienne, Randy Bertrand, Mona Vienne		Brenda Hooper
Aug. 19	12:05 pm	Margaret Young	Daniel Habetz, Charmin Broussard, Mary Guidry		Margaret Young
Aug. 20	6:30 am	Jeanette Leger	Barry LeBlanc, Dean Thibodeaux, Betty Bellard		Rita Monceaux
Aug. 21	12:05 pm	Dolores Deville	Peggy Lake, Charmaigne Lawless, Linda Ancona		Charmaigne Lawless
Aug. 22	6:30 am	Clarence Arsement	Deacon Tommy, Helen Arsement, Rita Monceaux		Rita Monceaux
Aug. 23	4:00 pm	Peggy Lake, Debra Reed	Deacon Dan, Zubaida Elahi, Annette Gossen, Brenda Hooper, Lyn Guidry, Barbara Nugent, Charmin Broussard	Marley Traub, Evan Hebert, Caleb Calhoun	Gilbert & Mary Cormier
Aug. 24	7:00 am	Clinton Boullion, Becky Miller	Deacon Denis, Mary Guidry, Michael Bellard, Patrick Miller, Flo Broussard, Mary Leger, Betty Bellard	Maddie Murrell, Ethan Bowling, Jude Thibodeaux	Flo Broussard
	10:00 am	Connie Richard, Allison Gray	Deacon Tommy, Barry LeBlanc, Jonathan Hebert, Christine Dupont, Eva Simon, Peggy Deville, Marlon Leger, Liz Deaville	Jacob Mooney, Madeline Deville, Annabelle Pitts	Jude & Cynthia Beslin
	5:30 pm	Janet Bertrand	Deacon Tim, Bill Says, Lance Abshire, Angela Says, Russell Menard, NEED HELP	Nicholas Reaux, Ivy Credeur, Luke Mire	Flo Broussard & Eric Mire

“Let us never forget that authentic power is service, which has its radiant culmination on the Cross.”



Pope Francis
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