

Easter Sunday March 27, 2016



St. Joseph Catholic Church

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Parish Office Hours:

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

Friday: 8:00 am - 12 Noon



Pastor

Rev. Fr. Kevin Bordelon

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Deacons

Deacon Tommy Adams

Deacon Denis LaCroix

Deacon Tim Ledet

Parish Staff

Parish Life Coordinator

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Grounds Keeper

Doug Langley

Sacristans

Rita Monceaux

Flo Broussard

Weekly Calendar

Monday, March 28

Rosary Group – 9:00 am, Church
Prayer for Priests – 2:00 pm, Church
Cub Scout Meeting – 6:00 pm, Youth Hall

Tuesday, March 29

Wednesday, March 30

Elderberries – 9:00 am, Family Life Center
Rayne Guest Home Mass – 10:00 am
RCIA Class – 6:30 pm, Family Life Center

Thursday, March 31

No Babyberries
Ultreya – 6:30 pm, Family Life Center

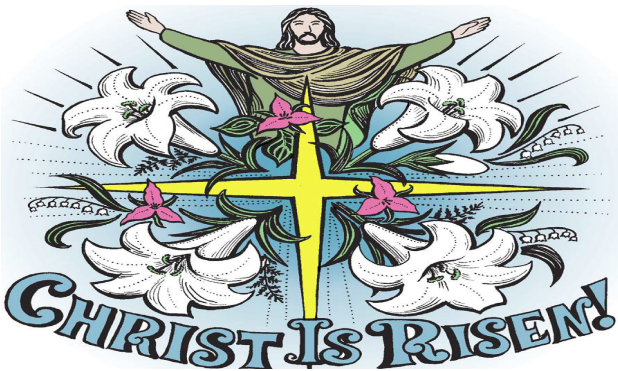
Friday, April 1

First Friday Mass with Benediction & Eucharistic
Adoration following – 6:30 am, Church
Edge Retreat – starting 5:00 pm, Family Life Center

Saturday, April 2

Pro-life Rosary – 8:30 am, Church
First Saturday Mass – 9:00 pm, Church
Edge Retreat – 9:00 am, Family Life Center

Sunday, April 3 (Divine Mercy Sunday)



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

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

We Believe In The Power Of Prayer



Joseph Abshire, Anais Alleman, Nicole Alleman, Linda Arceneaux, June Claire Baeler, Patricia Bercier, Denald Beslin, Mark Beslin, Monica Blanchard, Mim Bordelon, Don Boudreaux, Betty Boullion, Earline Boullion, Cynthia Bourque, Edward Bourque, Judy Bourque, Percy Breaux, Blackie Broussard, Paulette S. Butcher, Percy Castille, Joey Chatelain, Martin Chatelain Jr., Judy Chester, Lima Clement, James E. Colbert, Richie Colonna, Harry Lee Comeaux, Kinley Comeaux, Preston Comeaux, Marvin Constantin, Lisa Cormier, Ivy Credeur III, Mary Louise Credeur, Willis & Sue Credeur, Jack D'Aquin, Rita T. Deville, Jacob & James Dogua, Gloria Doucet, Theresa C. Doucet, Judy Duplechin, Dianna Faul, Dwayne Gallagher, Fred Gaspard, Tonya Gaspard, Marlene Leger Goodson, Raymond Gossen, Douglas "Bee" Guidry, Gussie Guidry, Marjorie Guidry, Mike Guidry, Nelda Guidry, Steve Guidry, Brooke Habetz, Dolores Habetz, Doreen Hanks, Lindsay Hanyen, Karen Hebert, Lisa Higginbotham, Tommy Hodges, Dalton Paul Hulin, Adam Istre, Kathryn Istre, Peggy Kirkpatrick, M. J. LaCroix, Lester Lasage, Christine LaSalle, Olivia Grace Latiolais, Marjorie Lavergne, Taylor Law, Sally Lincoln, Bridget Lonseth, Alex Louis, Heath Manual, Laura M. Meaux, Angie Melancon, Pat Melancon, Richard Melancon, Sable Menard, Troy B. Menard, Merlin & Norma Miller, Sara E. Miller, Melvin "Peanut" Moreau, Marilynn Mouton, Patty Nugent, Kathy Olivier, Joseph Ortego, Veronica Ortego, Ronald Prejean, Tommy Prejean, Frank Privat, Lenette Racca, Robert Racca, Margie Ray, Alice Roche, Patsy Rogers, Gene Romero, Damion Royer, Dot Royer, Melvin Savoie, Sherman "Frog" Savoy, Layna Simon, Alyssa Thevis, Billy Towry, Leslie H. Velasquez, Carroll Verette, Mary Villejoin, Cindi Vondenstein

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.

The Parish Office will be closed on Easter Monday, March 28th in observance of Easter.



Parish Seminarian Fund

There will be a Second Collection Easter Weekend for the Parish Seminary Fund.
Thank you for your generosity.



“Little White Books”
Little White Books for the Easter Season have arrived and may be purchased at the Parish Office. They contain six-minute reflections on the Sunday Gospels of Easter. Suggested donation \$1.00.

Benediction & Adoration
in Church
April 1st and every first Friday of the month from 7:00 AM to 8:00 AM following 6:30 am morning Mass

Catholic Daughter
SPRING SALAD BINGO
on **Monday, April 18th** in the **Family Life Center**



Doors open at 5:30 PM
Meal served at 6:00 PM
Bingo starts at 7:00 PM

Tickets are \$12.00
(includes meal, drink, dessert and 10 games of bingo)

Tickets are available from any Catholic Daughter or at the Parish Office.

Join the Elderberries as they travel to **Memphis, TN** **Monday, April 18th - Thursday, April 21st**



for 4 days & 3 nights
Tunica Casino Hotel, complimentary breakfast, \$10 free slot play per night, historic Beale Street, Peabody Duck Walk, Sun Studio, St. Jude Hospital, MoJo Tour of Memphis, Civil Rights Museum.
Single P/P \$580 Double P/P \$450
Includes hotel, 6 lunch & dinner meals, motor coach and admissions.

Reservations no later than April 1st payable to Elderberries Senior Group, P. O. Box 199, Rayne. Information, call Jeanette Leger at 334-2186

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

Baylen Thomas Navarre, Henry Joseph Rice, Beckett Michael Tolbert and William Mark Lee LeMaire



SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

We joyfully share in the union of:

Rickey Quibodeaux and Ashleigh Carrier Datraz



Weekly Sacrificial Giving
Weekly Offerings of 3/13/16 \$ 10,199
Thank you for your generosity.



Elderberries Senior Group
 invites you to join them as they
 travel to New Orleans
 on Thursday, May 26th
 to see the Broadway Musical
 “Wicked”

\$120.00 per person
 Cost includes transportation, play & dinner
 Contact Jeanette Leger @ 334-2186
 for more Information.



Sponsored by Central Region
 Diocese of Lafayette

Tuesday, April 5, 2016
Speaker: Rev. Sebastian Myladiyil, SVD
Pastor, Immaculate Heart of Mary
Church, Lafayette
 “Food for the Journey” is held on the first
 Tuesday of each month at Wyndham Garden
 Lafayette (formerly “Hotel Acadiana”), 1801
 West Pinhook Street, Lafayette. The program
 begins at 12:00 noon, with the speaker’s presen-
 tation from about 12:10-12:45 p.m. An optional
 lunch buffet is available beginning at 11:30
 a.m. All are welcome to come “**eat and be**
fed”! Pre-registration is not required.
 For additional information, please contact
 Mary Bergeron
 (337-654-8682 or Mbergeron@diolaf.org)

Movie Night
Presentation
Friday, April 8th
at 7:00 pm
in the
Family Life Center
Presentation of
“The Reluctant Saint”
 Presented by St. Joseph Pro-life Ministry

St. Joseph Parish
Vocations Chalice

is given each week
 to a parish family
 at the 10:00 AM Mass
 to pray for vocations
 to the religious life.

Please call the Parish Office (334-2193)
if your family would like to host the Chalice

If you would like to
 serve as a
GIFT BEARER
 at weekend Mass,
 please contact Linda
 at the parish office.

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GO TO:
www.stjoerayne.org

READINGS OF THE WEEK		
Monday, March 28	(Monday within the Octave of Easter)	<i>Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11; Mt 28:8-15</i>
Tuesday, March 29	(Tuesday within the Octave of Easter)	<i>Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22; Jn 20:11-18</i>
Wednesday, March 30	(Wednesday within the Octave of Easter)	<i>Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Lk 24:13-35</i>
Thursday, March 31	(Thursday within the Octave of Easter)	<i>Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2, 5-9; Lk 24:35-48</i>
Friday, April 1	(Friday within the Octave of Easter)	<i>Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27; Jn 21:1-14</i>
Saturday, April 2	(Saturday within the Octave of Easter)	<i>Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-21; Mk 16:9-15</i>
Sunday, April 3	(Divine Mercy Sunday)	<i>Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31</i>

God Bless You
On Your
Birthday



We give thanks to the Lord for you on this the day of your birth and always. Making mention of you in our prayers, remembering your works of faith, labors of love and dedication to our Lord Jesus.

Edward Benoit, Irvin Bergeron, Dina Broussard, Candy Dubois, Charles Fontenot, Amy Hernandez, Flint Meche, Ricky Meche, Seth Miller, Haley Morgan, Reagen Richard, Hannah Simoneaux, Nancy Soileau, Donna Wilridge, Julian Aucoin, James Comeaux, Eugene Guidry, Chad Hebert, Justin Hoffpauir, Janelle Kibodeaux, Rebecca Lavergne, Travis LeBlanc, Laurie Pellissier, Sable Richard, Rylee Signorelli, Priscilla Simon, Chris Thibodeaux, Colby Venable, Kallie Venable, Brantley Yeager, Jacob Zaunbrecher, Chad Abshire, Keara Blanchard, Charles Comeaux, Brenda Constantin, Tonya Granger, Stormey Hollier, Mary Junot, Zanolle Koury, Jane Leonards, Suzanne Melancon, Daniel Miller, Michael Milligan, Harry Prejean, Dorothy Thibodeaux, Scott Credeur, Velma Doucet, Daniel Gilbert, Patrick Menard, Hunter Milberger, Mary Stelly, Ray Terro, Mary Thibodeaux, Amelia Vienne, Karlie Weber, August Bailey, Flo Brasseaux, Kassie Constantin, Michael Cormier, Elaine Guilbeaux, Roger Hoskin, Charmaigne Lawless, Sarah Meche, Trevor Meche, Brent Robert, Michael Wright, Selena Breaux, Anthony Constantin, Jo Constantin, Yola Cortez, Jessi Granger, Antoinette Hoffpauir, Trent Leger, Gabriel Menard, Gracie Menard, Sydney Menard, Barbara Miller, Nicole Ortego, Lisa Pryor, Lillian Thibodeaux, Larry Vondenstein, Jude Abshire, Bryan Alleman, Bernadette Jennings, Marlon Leger, Robert Manual, Philomena Ohlenforst, Blaise Venable



Religious Education for
6th, 7th & 8th graders

EDGE RETREAT

April 2, 2016

9:00 AM to 10:00 PM

in the Family Life Center

Hosted by Net Ministries

*Please remember our Edge students in your
prayers as they attend the retreat.*

No Edge Night on April 3rd

For more information contact

Jan Fee 962-0724,

Georgette 230-3308

Or CCD Office 334-5657 Ext. 121



**Keeping Children & Youth Safe
Safe Environment Program
Training**

Monday, April 18, 2016
on the RCE Campus

Initial Training at 6:00 pm in Room 11

Continuing Education at 6:30 pm in Room 12

Call Georgette or Peggy at 334-2193 to sign up

**ADDITIONAL CLASS SCHEDULED
FOR**

FIRST COMMUNION CANDIDATES

CCD 2nd grade students are to attend this class

at Rayne Catholic Elementary

April 3rd

from 8:30 am to 11:00 am

*This class is not listed on your schedule;
you will receive an email concerning this.*



Next Life Teen Night

Sunday, April 3rd

in the Family Life Center

Life Teen is open to all high school students

FMI contact: Jamie@raynelifeteen.com

Baby Berries

A faith-filled, fun hour for parents,
grandparents and children 0-5 years

**No Babyberries on
Thursday, March 31st
Easter Holidays**



Proverbs 22:6

Joe's Café

Christian-based recreation
for 6th, 7th & 8th graders.

**Next Joe's Café,
Friday, April 15th**

6:00 pm to 10:00 pm in the Youth Hall

To help call Georgette at 334-5657 Ext 121



Stewardship Opportunities

April 2	9:00 am	Charmin Broussard	Mary Guidry, Peggy Lake, Annette Gossen		Rita Monceaux
	4:00 pm	Debra Reed, Larry Van Pelt	Barry LeBlanc, Josette LeBlanc, Denise Constantin, Diane Duhon	Jack Himel, Alli Mouton	Judy Doga
April 3	7:00 am	Betty Bellard, Janet Bertrand	Mona Vienne, Keith Vienne, Sylvia Alleman, Pat Miller, Becky Miller	Ivy Credeur	Flo Broussard
	10:00 am	Luke Beslin, Allison Gray	Margaret Young, Eva Simon, Nathan Mouton, Hubert Matte	Allie Gray, Boyd Gray	Melinda Leger
	5:30 pm	Leah Guidry	Lance Abshire, Logan Abshire, Mike Abshire, Denise Breaux	Caleb Calhoun, Elise Calhoun	Flo Broussard, Eric Mire
April 9	4:00 pm	Debra Reed, Larry Van Pelt	Barry LeBlanc, Josette LeBlanc, Denise Constantin, Diane Duhon	Jack Himel, Alli Mouton	Judy Doga
April 10	7:00 am	Betty Bellard, Janet Bertrand	Mona Vienne, Keith Vienne, Sylvia Alleman, Pat Miller, Becky Miller	Ivy Credeur	Flo Broussard
	10:00 am	Luke Beslin, Allison Gray	Margaret Young, Eva Simon, Nathan Mouton, Hubert Matte	Allie Gray, Boyd Gray	Melinda Leger
	5:30 pm	Leah Guidry	Lance Abshire, Logan Abshire, Mike Abshire, Denise Breaux	Caleb Calhoun, Elise Calhoun	Flo Broussard, Eric Mire



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.

March 28 Rev. Gregory Usselman, LC

March 29 Rev. Jason Vidrine

March 30 Rev. Richard Vidrine

March 31 Rev. Thomas Voorhies

April 1 Pope Francis

April 2 Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

April 3 Bishop Michael Jarrell



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:

**Mr. & Mrs. Maxon Duhon,
Ray Clark and
Mr. & Mrs. LeBodie Lavergne**

Mar 12, 2016

Love is more than just saying nice words and doing things – it means forgetting oneself and serving others, just as Jesus did when he washed the feet of the disciples.



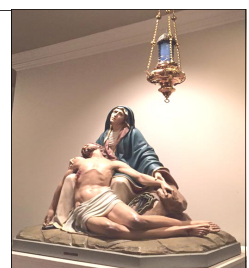
“By washing the feet of the apostles, Jesus wanted to reveal how God acts toward us, and to give an example of this ‘new commandment’ of loving one another as he has loved us; that is, giving his life for us. Love, then, “is the concrete service we give to each other,” the Pope said, explaining that love isn’t just saying or doing things, but “love is service! A humble service, done in silence and hiddenness, as Jesus himself said: ‘Don’t let your left hand know what your right hand is doing.’”

Pope Francis continued his catechesis on mercy as it is understood in Scripture, this time focusing on the passage in the Gospel of John when Jesus washes the feet of his disciples. It is such an “unexpected and shocking gesture” that Peter doesn’t want to accept it, the Pope said.

The Pietà Lamp

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

**Vivian Boudreaux and
Vernice Sonnier family**



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