

**Pastor**

Rev. Fr. Kevin Bordelon

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Fr. Christopher Cambre

Deacons

Deacon Tommy Adams

Deacon Denis LaCroix

Deacon Barry LeBlanc

Deacon Tim Ledet

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Albert Johnson

Director of Youth Ministry

Jamie Orillion

Elementary Faith Formation

Josette LeBlanc (*Parish and School*)

Parish Secretary

Debbie Harrington

Ministries and Outreach**Coordinator**

André Landaiche

Choir Director

David Lalande

Organist

Kurt Boudreaux

Facilities Keeper

John Comeaux

Grounds Keeper

Doug Langley

Sacristan

Flo Broussard

st. Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

Est. 1872



The Ascension of the Lord

May 13, 2018

Parish Office

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Office Hours

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

Wednesday: 8:00am - 2:00pm

Friday: 8:00am - 12:00 Noon

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Weekly Calendar

Check Out Our Calendar Online!
stjoerayne.org/events/

Monday, May 14

6:00pm - Cub Scouts, FLC

Tuesday, May 15

6:00pm - Surviving Divorce Program, FLC

6:15pm - Choir Practice, Church

Wednesday, May 16

8:00am - Elderberries, FLC

Thursday, May 17

9:00am - Babyberries, FLC

Friday, May 18

Saturday, May 19

3:00pm - Cub Scout Banquet - FLC

Sunday, May 20

8:15am - Adult Faith Formation - FLC

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 scheduled through the Parish Office. Please call 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.

Prayers for the Sick

Gerald Alsandor, Taylor Michelle Arceneaux, M/M Robert Battles, Elsie Besse, Betty Boullion, Madilyn Claire Boyer & Family, Susan Thibodeaux Bourque, Christine Brandon, Gladdie & Nora Breaux, Sheila Breaux, Betty Bush, Eugene Cahanin, Lima Clement, Ginger Comeaux, Kinley Comeaux, Robert Comeaux, Eli Cormier, John Thomas Crouch, Peggy Deville, James Dogua, Fr. Benoit Drapeau, Elgie Dupuis, Frannie Dupuis, Susan Dupuis, Mary Dugas, Robert & Kathy Duhon, Racy Foreman, Richard Foreman, Judy Gautreaux, Karen Hebert, Kathryn Istre, Lloyd Jeffers, Janell Kibodeaux, M. J. LaCroix, Malcolm Landry, Paul Matte, Annette Martin, Ruth McBride, Norma Miller, Lynn Issac Mire, Rita Monceaux, Wilma Normand, Patty Nugent, Joseph Ortego, Scott Pharr, Rita Rayon, Karen Lastavica Reggie, Ularay Romero, Ruth Saloom, Edith Seaux, Linton Seaux, Jeanette Simoneaux, Jerome Simoneaux, Chasity Stakes, Tina Terro, Dexter Theunissen, Jr. Thibodeaux, Billy Towry, Connor Trahan

The Sanctuary Lamp



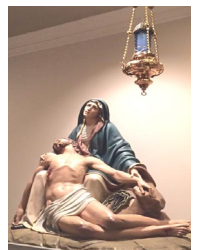
The Sanctuary Lamp burns constantly to proclaim the real presence of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Tabernacle. This week we dedicate the flame to:

**C. J. & Mary Lee Melancon
Anatole & Katie Gary
Vernice Sonnier & Family**

The Pieta Lamp

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

**Mary Annette Mier Comeaux
Ronald "Ronnie" Thibodeaux
Deceased Catholic Daughters**



Baptisms

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

**Benjamin Paul Habetz
Rowen Paislee Quibodeaux
Hugh-David Reed**



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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.

**Delton J. Perrodin
Joseph S. Richard**

L.A.M.S. 2018

For the past 35 years volunteers of L.A.M.S. Mission agency has devoted itself in helping the people in developing countries by bringing medical and other supplies and assisting in any way possible. If anyone is interested in helping L. A. M. S. they may do so by contributions of supplies, such as baby aspirins, bandages, vitamins (children's & adult's). Monetary donations are also accepted to help purchase supplies and defer the expense of transporting them to the mission. The reason we hand carry supplies is because we make sure it gets to the people who need it.

Our trip to Haiti this year is planned for Thursday June 14. If anyone is interested in having a Third World mission experience, please contact me as soon as possible.

I can be reached at 337 581 4405, or
P. O. Box 565, Rayne La 70578.

Thank you and May God Bless You.

- Reno LeBlanc

Parish Movie Night

JOAN OF ARC

Join us for Parish Movie Night's showing of "Joan of Arc" (1948), starring Ingrid Bergman. Friday May 25, 2018 at 7 pm in the Family Life Center.



Aquinas Institute Course

Register Now for an Aquinas Institute Course!
Summer Course: THE 293 Augustine and the Dawn of the Christian Era 3 sem. hours will be taught by Fr. Clinton Sensat, STL on Saturdays 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM at John Paul the Great Academy in Lafayette. Classes start June 2 and end August 4. Fall Courses: THE 203 Jesus, Son of God by Fr. Michael Russo, STB, MA (Tuesdays 6:15 – 9:00 PM at Knight Hall at Our Lady of Fatima – Classes begin Aug. 21 and end Dec. 4) and PHI 101 Introduction to Philosophy 3 sem. hrs. by Fr. Brian Harrington, MA, PhL (Wednesdays 6-8:45 PM at ULL – Classes begin Aug. 22 and end Dec. 5). The classes can be taken for college credit (accredited through University of Holy Cross) or for catechetical credit (audit). For more info or to register call (337) 394-6550, email frchampagne@yahoo.com, or go to www.aquinaslafayette.org

- Fr. Michael Champagne, CJC

Facebook

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Please consider
scheduling one
hour a week in the
adoration chapel
with our Lord.

For more information
please call or text
Cathy Breau at
337-501-1404 or email
stjoe24.7@gmail.com
to schedule your time.

Dear Youth, Love Core



Kanye has been saying some pretty controversial things lately and some of his close friends are not OK with what he's been saying. So how do his friends remain supportive of him, without supporting everything he says? Watch #LTRealTalk: <https://ltgo.co/2w5J0lk>

**KANYE
&
REAL
FRIENDS**

Church Humor



"You've been church-hopping again."

We  love
having you as part of our *flock*

*A communication link between
you and all things St. Joseph.*



Text **JOSEPH1872** to the number **84576**



QUO VADIS DAYS

LEARN ABOUT THE PRIESTHOOD & HOW TO DISCERN YOUR VOCATION

June 26-28, 2018

WHO: YOUNG MEN, AGES 15-25

WHERE: COMMUNITY OF JESUS CRUCIFIED
103 RAILROAD AVE, ST MARTINVILLE, LA

COST: NO CHARGE

TO REGISTER: WWW.LAFAYETTEVOCATIONS.ORG
OR (337) 261-5690

WHAT TO EXPECT:

QUO VADIS DAYS (WHERE ARE YOU GOING?) IS A TIME OF RECREATION, FELLOWSHIP, PRAYER AND DISCUSSION TO HELP YOU EXPLORE OUR LORD'S CALL IN YOUR LIFE. THERE WILL BE PRIESTS, SEMINARIANS AND OTHER YOUNG MEN LIKE YOURSELF GATHERED TOGETHER FOR THESE DAYS.

May 2018 Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Day	Time	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Altar Servers
Sat.	4:00 pm	Allison Gray	Dr. Neal Duhon, Peggy Lake, Larry LeBlanc, Larry Van Pelt	Allie Gray Katherine Gossen Tatum Hill
Sun.	7:00 am	Betty Bellard	Albert Johnson Sylvia Alleman	Peyton Menard Parker Menard Max Trahan
	10:00 am	Mandy Miller Connie Speyrer	Linda Ancona, Angelo Ancona, Janet Bertrand, Randy Bertrand	Evan Hebert Lane Comeaux JC and Ashton Orillion Justin Dupuis
	5:30 pm	Linda Swinkey	Andy Richard Jimmy Fontenot	Alaysha Dupont Angelle Bourgeois Nasyr Billy

Eucharistic Adorers



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.

Pray For Priests and Seminarians

Eternal Father,

We lift up to You these and all the priests and seminarians 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

- May 14 Rev. Kevin Bordelon
Sem. David Furka
- May 15 Rev. Millard Boyer
Sem. Jace Gyles
- May 16 Rev. James Bradley, SJ
Sem. Jonathan Harris
- May 17 Rev. James Brady, JCL
Sem. Nicholas Hebert
- May 18 Rev. Joseph Brasseaux, OSB
Sem. Sal Istre
- May 19 Rev. John (Buddy) Breaux
Sem. Luke Johnson
- May 20 Rev. Louis Allen Breaux
Sem. Andrew Killeen

RCE Asks: Did You Know?

During the Church's early years, persecution of Christians was commonplace under the Romans. However, Emperors Constantine I and Licinius signed The Edict of Milan in 313 A.D. It was an edict of religious toleration and what some would consider favoritism toward Christians. It brought forward the time in history known as the Peace of the Church.



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St. Joseph has purchased a parish account at Formed.org. There you will have access to Hundreds of Hours of Watching, Reading, and Listening to the Best Catholic Content online.

Here is your **free access code** to start moving your faith forward: **Q668NF**

Free resources for the whole family!

