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**Parochial Vicar**

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Deacon Barry LeBlanc

Deacon Tim Ledet

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**Parish Secretary**

Debbie Harrington

**Ministries and Outreach****Coordinator**

André Landaiche

**Choir Director**

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**Organist**

Kurt Boudreaux

**Facilities Keeper**

John Comeaux

**Grounds Keeper**

Doug Langley

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# st. Joseph

## Roman Catholic Church

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## Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 1, 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/](http://stjoerayne.org/events/)

### **Monday, July 02**

Life Teen Summer Camp, Tiger, GA

### **Tuesday, July 03**

Life Teen Summer Camp, Tiger, GA

### **Wednesday, July 04**

Life Teen Summer Camp, Tiger, GA

6:00am - Rosary, Church

8:00am - Elderberries, FLC

### **Thursday, July 05**

Life Teen Summer Camp, Tiger, GA

6:30pm - Ultreya, Church

### **Friday, July 06**

Life Teen Summer Camp, Tiger, GA

7:00am - Benediction and Adoration

### **Saturday, July 07**

Life Teen Summer Camp, Tiger, GA

9:00am - First Saturday Mass, Church

### **Sunday, July 08**

8:00am - Donut and Coffee Social, Church Lawn

11:00am - Donut and Coffee Social, Church Lawn

## 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, Judy B. Arceneaux, 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, Ginger Comeaux, Kinley Comeaux, Robert Comeaux, John Thomas Crouch, Peggy Deville, Fr. Benoit Drapeau, Elgie Dupuis, Frannie Dupuis, Susan Dupuis, Mary Dugas, Robert & Kathy Duhon, Racy Foreman, Richard Foreman, Michelle Fourroux, Bubba Fredrick, Judy Gautreaux, Amanda Hebert, Karen Hebert, Kent Hebert, Ray Hebert, George Holbrook, Kathryn Istre, Lloyd Jeffers, Candi Hebert Latino, Josh LeBlanc, Paul Matte, Annette Martin, Bryant "Brother" Martin, Ruth McBride, Lynn Issac Mire, Rita Monceaux, Joseph Ortego, Orphise Pellerin, Scott Pharr, Julie Ray, Rita Rayon, Karen Lastavica Reggie, Fr. Bill Ruskoski, Ruth Saloom, Edith Seaux, Jeanette Simoneaux, Jerome Simoneaux, Carita Sonnier, Chasity Stakes, Gerald Tanner, Tina Terro, Dexter Theunissen, Connor Trahan, Mona Vienne

## The Sanctuary Lamp



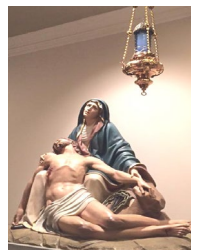
The Sanctuary Lamp burns constantly to proclaim the real presence of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Tabernacle. This week we dedicate the flame to:

**Anne Caillier Guidry**  
**Daniel "Nappy" Landry**  
**Clarice Stewart**

## The Pieta Lamp

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

**Denny & Mark Beslin**  
**Joyce L. LeBouef**  
**Ronald "Ronnie" Thibodeaux**



## Baptisms

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

Elizabeth Rose Billeaud  
Finlee Rene Trahan  
Olivia Meade Hodges



## 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.

**Matilda T. Johnson**

## Cemetery #1 Repairs

The community of St. Joseph's Catholic Church will soon undertake a much needed repair project for the old cemetery. Tombs in need of attention will be pressure washed and repainted. Descendants who object to this repair work being done on their family tombs must present their objection in writing to the parish office by July 16, 2018.

## Annulment Process

July 24, 2018, the Judicial Vicar for the Diocese of Lafayette, Msgr. Robie Robichaux, will be presenting workshops on Declaration of Nullity and what is needed to begin the process. Two workshop times are offered: 10:00 am – noon, or 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm, at the Diocesan offices, Immaculata Center, 1408 Carmel Drive, Lafayette, LA. All are invited to attend. Prior to attending one of the sessions, please register by calling 261-5623, or via email to [catrahan@diolaf.org](mailto:catrahan@diolaf.org). There is no charge for this workshop.

## Altar Servers Reunion



Have you served as an Altar Server at St. Joseph Catholic Church from 1975 to 2005 ???

During the Pastorship of Father Marcel Porrier, Fr. Benoit Drapeau, (Eudist -Congregation of Jesus and Mary) Father Eugene Tremie, Father Jules Arceneaux and or Father Bill Ruskoski ??

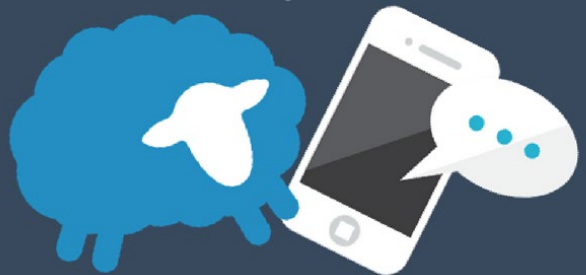
A committee under the guidance of Mrs. Jeanette Leger is trying to gather Altar Servers of those 30 years for a "Reunion" tentative date is set for Saturday September 15, 2018 . Details to follow.

Please RSVP by Monday September 7. so we can complete preparations.

RSVP: Altar Servers Reunion P.O. Box 199  
Rayne, LA 70578 FMI Call 337 250 7312

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## Facebook

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## Dear Youth, Love Core

### Summer Prayer Challenge... (Part 2 of 4)

#### 30 Days: Scripture is Life

You know that feeling you get when you're worried about a test and then your teacher lets you use your notes? That's how I feel about Scripture: It's the study guide God has given us for our journey to His Kingdom. This challenge is designed for someone who knows the test is coming, but maybe needs a little help taking advantage of the study guide. Choose a Bible verse each day for the next 30 days and find ways to build a personal connection with it. Consider how that verse is applicable to your life and reflect on why God chose it for you.

**Where to Start:** It can be hard to open the Bible and just start reading. Luckily, the Church provides us with an awesome reading plan, hand-selecting readings for every day of the year! You can choose a Scripture verse from the Gospel or Psalm for that day. You could also reflect on your overall feeling that day and look up verses that are relevant to your personal experience. Below are a few verses I recommend:

Romans 8:28

John 4:14

Psalms 119:105

Matthew 7:7

Revelation 21:4

1 Corinthians 10:13

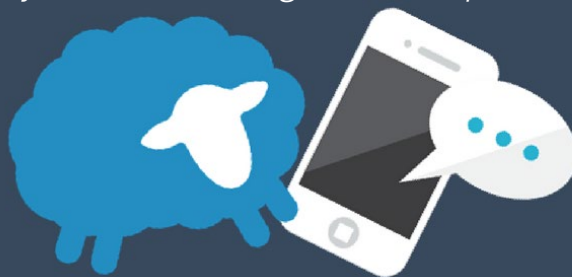
### Church Humor



"Pastor, I'd like you to meet my husband, Carl, who decided to come to church this Sunday."

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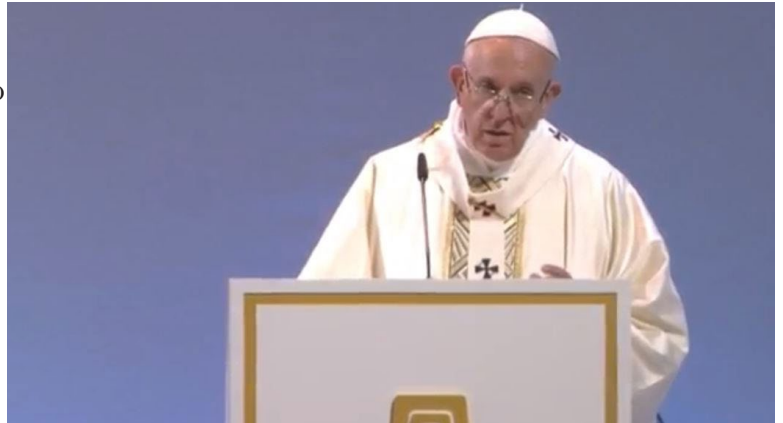
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## Pope Francis

### Ask Only for What is Truly Needed, Live a Simpler Life

Using simple words and the “Our Father”, Pope Francis on June 21, 2018, urged the faithful to ask only for what they truly need, to lead a simpler life. His reflections came in his homily at the Geneva Palexpo, the last major event of his one-day ecumenical pilgrimage to Geneva to mark the 70th anniversary of the foundation of the WCC.



“Father, bread, forgiveness,” the Pope began. “Three words that the Gospel offers us today. Three words that take us to the very heart of our faith.”

**Father:** The Pope stressed that this is where the central prayer of our faith begins. Before being powerful and infinite, God is father.

**Bread:** In the “Our Father” the Pope notes that we ask for our needs for just that day. This is our call to a simpler life.

**Forgiveness:** The Holy Father reminded the congregation that God never tires of forgiving our sins. For us, forgiveness is not easy – but that is what God expects, that we forgive others as he forgives us.

The Holy Father urged the faithful to never tire of saying “Our Father”. It holds many vital reminders.

“It will remind us that just as there are no sons or daughters without a Father, so none of us is ever alone in this world,” the Pope said. “It will also remind us that there is no Father without sons or daughters, so none of us is an only child. Each of us must care for our brothers and sisters in the one human family.

“When we say ‘Our Father’, we are saying that every human being is part of us, and that, in the face of all the wrongs that offend our Father, we, as his sons and daughters, are called to react as brothers and sisters. We are called to be good guardians of our family, to overcome all indifference towards our brothers or sisters, towards any of our brothers or sisters. This includes the unborn, the older person who can no longer speak, the person we find hard to forgive, the poor and the outcast. This is what the Father asks us, indeed commands us, to do: to love one another from the heart, as sons and daughters in the midst of their brothers and sisters.”

Pope Francis concluded with a reminder that forgiveness “renews and works miracles”:

“Forgiven by our Father, each of us is born again as a new creation when we love our brothers and sisters. Only then do we bring true newness to our world, for there is no greater novelty than forgiveness, which turns evil into good.”

# July 2018 Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Day	Time	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Altar Servers
Sat.	4:00 pm	Allison Gray	Dr. Neal Duhon, Peggy Lake, Mary Comeaux, Larry Van Pelt	Allie Gray Katherine Gossen
Sun.	7:00 am	Delores Deville	Janet Bertrand Randy Bertrand	Ivy Credeur Max Trahan
	10:00 am	Anthony Emmons Layna Thibodeaux	Thomas Hebert, Nathan Mouton, Charmaigne Lawless, Connie Speyrer	Evan Hebert Lane Comeaux Caleb and Elise Calhoun Gianni Colonna
	5:30 pm	Tammy Clark Matthew Molbert	Bryan Guidry Leah Guidry	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 Breau 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

- July 02** Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI  
Sem. Luke Kirk
- July 03** Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel  
Sem. Hayden Lacour
- July 04** Bishop Emeritus Michael Jarrell  
Sem. Joshua Laffleur
- July 05** Rev. Willard Dugas  
Sem. Alex Lancon
- July 06** Rev. Ed Duhon  
Sem. Cade LeBlanc
- July 07** Rev. Jacob Dumont, LC  
Sem. Calvin LeMaire
- July 08** Rev. Nicholas DuPre  
Sem. Seth Lemaire

## RCE Asks: Did You Know?

### St. James the Less

St. James the Lesser (1st c.), also called St. James the Just, was one of the Twelve Apostles and the cousin of Jesus. He died in the year 62 A.D. during the reign of the Roman Emperor Nero. St. James the Lesser is the patron saint of pharmacists and the dying. His feast day is May 3rd.



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