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Parochial Vicar

Rev. Fr. Christopher Cambre

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Deacon Denis LaCroix

Deacon Barry LeBlanc

Deacon Tim Ledet

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Director of Youth Ministry

Jamie Orillion

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Coordinator

André Landaiche

Choir Director

David Lalande

Organist

Kurt Boudreaux

Facilities Keeper

John Comeaux

Grounds Keeper

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st. Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

Est. 1872



Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 15, 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, July 16

Tuesday, July 17

Wednesday, July 18

8:00am - Elderberries, FLC

Thursday, July 19

6:30pm - Ultreya, Church

Friday, July 20

Saturday, July 21

Sunday, July 22

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

Judy B. Arceneaux, Taylor Michelle Arceneaux, M/M Robert Battles, Elsie Besse, Betty Boullion, Madilyn Claire Boyer & Family, Susan Thibodeaux Bourque, Christine Brandon, Sheila Breaux, Betty Bush, Eugene Cahanin, Ginger Comeaux, Kinley Comeaux, Robert Comeaux, John Thomas Crouch, Peggy Deville, Fr. Benoit Drapeau, Elgie 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, Donna G. Hoffpauir, 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, Robert "Bobby" Richard, 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



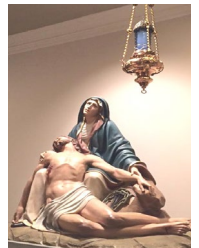
The Sanctuary Lamp burns constantly to proclaim the real presence of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Tabernacle. This week we dedicate the flame to:

**C. J. & Mary Lee Melancon
John Dan Gielen III
Floyd Foreman**

The Pieta Lamp

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

**Deceased Catholic Daughters
M/M Lester Richard
Ronald "Ronnie" Thibodeaux**



Weekly Offertory

Offertory of 7/01/2018

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Baptisms

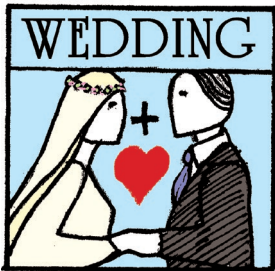
We welcome those who entered our Catholic faith through the waters of Baptism:

Reid Anthony Bourque
Etena Katherine Harrison



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Weddings



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We joyfully share in the Sacramental union of:

Jordon Manuel &
Mica Ortego

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.

Shawn Michael Simoneaux and
Wilbert Stelly

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.

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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Dear Youth, Love Core

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

Challenge Survival Tips

Choosing the Right Challenge

Choosing the challenge that is best for you is key to having a successful experience. When deciding which challenge to go with, ask yourself: Which one is the most realistic? Which one will challenge me most? Which one will draw me closer to Jesus? Which one touches an area that I lack and want to strengthen?

Consistency

Find a way to make this prayer challenge a part of your daily routine. Will it be what you'll wake up to or the last thing you'll do before you go to sleep? Make a decision and stick to it.

Keeping Track

Journaling is a good way to keep track of your reflections and findings. It's a great resource for when you're searching for inspiration, or want to look back on how much you've grown and accomplished.

Don't Forget to Listen

This isn't simply an opportunity to ramble on about your life; it's an opportunity to find the communication style that works best for you and God. Be sure to make some time for silence and witness how He communicates back to you.

It Doesn't End After 15, 30, or 60 Days

It's one thing to be excited about completing a challenge, but truth be told, the real challenge starts the day after you're done. That's when you realize whether the challenge was just a task you wanted to check off your list, or if it's something you can build a virtuous lifestyle from. Don't just push through and complete it. Allow this experience to truly transform you for the long-term.

Church Humor



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Humanae Vitae and Natural Family Planning Awareness Week

GENERATIONS OF LOVE *Humanae vitae (1968-2018)*



Natural Family Planning
Celebrate God's gift of married love!

Humanae Vitae and Natural Family Planning Awareness Week

This year marks the 50th Anniversary of the Papal Encyclical “*Humanae Vitae*”, which is July 25. Written in 1968, by Bl. Pope Paul VI, the encyclical provides beautiful and clear teaching about God’s plan for married love between man and woman, the nature of human sexuality and marriage, and God’s call to husband and wife to co-create with Him. It also warned of the consequences that widespread acceptance of artificial contraception would lead towards infidelity and a general lowering of morality.

The Office of Marriage and Family Life wants to increase the number of Natural Family Planning Instructors, to meet the needs our diocese. Any individuals or couples who are interested in becoming an NFP instructor can contact Kelley Chapman at: (337)261-5653.

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 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

- July 16** Rev. Joel Faulk
Rev. Patrick Broussard, Director of Vocations
- July 17** Rev. Kendal Faulk
Seminary Faculty, Parents and Benefactors
- July 18** Rev. Emmanuel Fernandez
Sem. Reed Bellingham
- July 19** Rev. Thomas Finley
Sem. Sem. Connor Poirrier
- July 20** Rev. Samuel Fontana
Sem. Brother John Joseph, CJC
- July 21** Rev. Brian Garry, SJ
Sem. Joseph Boustany
- July 22** Rev. William Gearheard
Sem. Alex Cormier

RCE Asks: Did You Know?

St. Joseph the Worker

St. Joseph (1st c.) was born in Bethlehem in Judea and later settled in Nazareth. By Divine command he became the husband of the Virgin Mary and adoptive father to God Incarnate. We know from Scripture and Tradition that St. Joseph was a virtuous man and a carpenter by trade. His feast days are: St. Joseph the Husband of Mary on March 19th, and St. Joseph the Worker on May 1st. Pope Pius XII instituted the feast of St. Joseph the Worker in 1955 to emphasize the dignity, meaning, and value of human work in the eyes of God, and to give all laborers a model of virtue as well as a heavenly intercessor and protector.



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