



st. Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

Est. 1872

Pastor

Rev. Fr. Kevin Bordelon

Deacons

Deacon Denis LaCroix
Deacon Barry LeBlanc
Deacon Tim Ledet

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Deacon Denis LaCroix

Director of Finance/Facilities

Albert Johnson

High School Faith Formation

Kassie Richard

Middle School Faith Formation

Shelby Fuselier

Elementary Faith Formation

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Coordinator

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David Lalande

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Facilities Keeper

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Sacristan

Flo Broussard



Second Sunday of Advent

December 08, 2019

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

stjoerayne.org

facebook.com/stjoerayne

Weekly Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am, 10:00 am & 5:30 pm

Monday: No Mass

Tuesday: 12:05 pm

Wednesday: 6:30 am

Thursday: 12:05 pm

Friday: 6:30 am

First Saturday: 9:00 am

Weekly Calendar

Check Out Current and Future Dates Online!

stjoerayne.org/events/

Monday, December 09

5:45pm - Elementary Faith Formation, RCE

Tuesday, December 10

6:00pm - First Confessions, Church

Wednesday, December 11

8:00am - Elderberries, FLC

6-8pm - "Light is on for You" Confessions, Church

6:00pm - First Confessions, Church

Thursday, December 12

9:00am - Babyberries, FLC

5:30pm - Cub Scouts, FLC

6:30pm - Ultreya, Church

Friday, December 13

6:00pm - Joe's, Youth Hall

Saturday, December 14

9:00am - Life Teen Giving Tree Delivery, FLC

Sunday, December 15

6:30pm - Edge, Youth Hall

6:30pm - Life Teen, FLC

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

Christy Alleman, Mary Nell Avant, Mike Alvey, Sherry Avery, Mary Baronet, Kay Bercier Carriere, Nessie Boudreaux, Mona Carrier, Martin Chatelain, Jr, Samuel Chatelain, Dawn Clostio, Kinley Comeaux, Patricia A. Comeaux, Tony Comeaux, Denise Constantin, Marvin Constantin, Gloria Cormier, Lucille Cormier, Sister Clare Cramer, Donald & Mary Credeur, Megan Jones Derbes, Susan Dollison, Aaron Doucet, Theresa Cramer Doucet, Kathy Duhon, Elgie & Mary Dupuis, Crystal Durio, Fr. Kendal Faulk, Paula Fontenot, Shannon Fontenot, A.D. & Abigail Foreman, Barbara & Tanya Gaspard, Laura Gautreaux, Perry Gerbine, Bertrand Guidry, Ethan Guidry, M/M Glenn Guidry, Keylonna Guidry, Paul Guidry, Raymond & Deanean Guidry, J. C. Guilbeau, Sophie B. Guillory, Marie Habetz, Karen Hebert, Lloyd Jeffers, Janelle Kibodeaux, Martin LaCroix, Chaz LeBlanc, Shawn Leger, Delta Mae, Theresa Melancon, Judy B. Melancon, Loretta Miller, Ron Myers, Lucille Pellissier, Rita Rayon, Brad Richard, Judy Richard, Duke B. Romero, Fr. Bill Ruskoski, Ruth Saloom, Edith Seaux, Dudley Simon, Jeanette Simoneaux, Hilda Simoneaux, Carita Sonnier, Evelyn Sonnier, Alfred Zaunbrecher Sr.

The Sanctuary Lamp



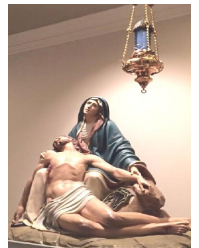
The Sanctuary Lamp burns constantly to proclaim the real presence of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Tabernacle. This week we dedicate the flame to:

Freddie "Bully" & Carolyn Morgan

The Pieta Lamp

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

**Vernice Sonnier & Family
Ronald "Ronnie" Thibodeaux**



Weekly Offertory

Offertory of 11/24/2019	\$9,598.22
Monthly Offertory EFT/Credit Card	13.00%
Total Building & Maintenance	\$3,145.00

Advent Prayer Books

The Books on Daily reflection for the Advent & Christmas season are available and can be purchased for \$1.00 at the parish office.

Holiday Mass Schedule

The parish office will be closed Tuesday, December 24th through January 1st for the Christmas Holiday.

Christmas Vigil Masses

December 24th - 4:00pm & 6:00pm

Christmas Masses

December 25th -Midnight and 8:00am -only

Solemnity Mother of God

December 31st – Anticipated – 5:30pm

January 1st – 9:00am

Sanctuary/Pieta Lamp

The 2020 Sanctuary and Pieta Lamp schedule is now open for anyone wanting to dedicate a week in memory of a loved one. A donation of \$10.00 is greatly appreciated. Please contact or come to the parish office for forms and available dates.

CDA Anniversary Mass & Banquet

1923 to 2019: Catholic Daughters of The Americas Court Rayne #844 is celebrating 96 years of service to the Lord and to St. Joseph Parish.



You are invited to attend the 96th Anniversary Mass & Banquet on Sunday, December 15, 2019. Celebration of Mass at 10:00 am, followed by banquet at Chef Roy's. Advance reservations only by Dec 6, 5:00 pm. Cost is \$23 per person.

Call Mary Comeaux 334-7216, Annie Leger 581-4881 or email cda.rayne844@gmail.com.

The Giving Tree

Rayne Life Teen's Giving Tree will be up through this Sunday, December 8th in support of the needy of our community. To participate, please remove ornaments off of the tree which detail household items you'd like to donate and return your items to the tree before Friday, December 13th. Thank you for your generosity!

Monthly Giving

Ever consider direct deposit or scheduled monthly credit card offerings?

As stewards of the many gifts God has given us do you ever think about the consistency of your offertory giving? The summer months are the most inconsistent in offertory collections. The biggest factor seems to be most of us are in the "Vacation Mode" as we certainly need the break from daily routine to refresh our spirits and strengthen/renew our family bonds.

One way you can remain consistent with your offertory giving is through direct deposits or even rack up mileage points for your next family vacation by setting up monthly credit card transactions.

This is how direct deposits work:

- You complete a "Direct Deposit Authorization" form (this gives us permission to debit your checking or savings account for the amount and on the date you specify)
- We make withdrawals on the 2nd and 16th of each month (when the 2nd or 16th falls on a weekend or banking holiday the withdrawal will occur the next banking day)
- You determine the amount and frequency of your donations

For credit card donations:

- You simply fill out your information on the parish website and the amount you would like to give monthly and you are all set.

To obtain a "Direct Deposit Authorization" form or to set up a monthly credit card donation visit stjoerayne.org/giving

Silent Retreat For Men

“Be still and know that I am God”

Our Lady of the Oaks Silent Retreat
Grand Coteau, Louisiana

Rayne Group: January 23th to 26th, 2020

Contact for more info:
Nathan Mouton 250-1569

Or check out the website:
www.ourLadyoftheoaks.com



Christmas Flowers

Monetary donations in memory of loved ones may be made for the purchase of Christmas flowers to beautify our Church.

-----Cut--Here-----

2019 Christmas Flowers In Memory of: _____

Donated by: _____

Amount: \$ _____ Phone #: _____

Please send or bring this form and your donation to the parish office or place it in the collection basket by December 13th.

Thank You and may the Lord bless you and yours during this Christmas Season and throughout the coming year.

14th Annual

PRIESTS

VS.

SEMINARIANS

BASKETBALL



Running Revs vs. Slammin Sems



December 30, 2019 • 6:30pm Tip-Off
Cathedral-Carmel Gym

848 St. John Street, Lafayette

December 2019 Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Day	Time	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Altar Servers
Sat.	4:00 pm	Peggy Lake Allison Gray	Diana Duhon Dr. Neal Duhon	Kate & Max Trahan Michael Zaunbrecher
Sun.	7:00 am	Connie Speyrer	Janet Bertrand, Randy Bertrand Betty Bellard	Ivy Credeur Peyton Menard Parker Menard
	10:00 am	Layna Thibodeaux Anthony Emmons	Peggy Deville, Thomas Hebert, Brooke Thomas	Lane Comeaux James Orillion Ashton Orillion Sidnee Soeseno
	5:30 pm	Tammy Clark	No Servers for this Mass	Angelle Bourgeois Alaysha Dupont Tatum Hill

Who Me?

Looking for a way to serve?

As a Lector proclaiming his Word?

As an Extraordinary Minister?

Call André Landaiche for more information.

337-250-1332

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

Dec 09 Very Rev. Thomas Voorhies, V.F.

Sem. Tré Fontenot

Dec 10 Rev. Thomas Vu

Sem. Andrew Furka

Dec 11 Rev. Derrick Weingartner, SJ

Sem. David Furka

Dec 12 Rev. Kyle White

Sem. Jace Gyles

Dec 13 Rev. Travis Abadie

Sem. Jonathan Harris

Dec 14 Rev. Lawrence Abara

Sem. Evan Hebert

Dec 15 Rev. Ambrose Akalawu, CSSp

Sem. Eric Hernandez



*Rayne Adoration Chapel
at St. Joseph's*

Consider signing up for weekly adoration by visiting:

<https://rayne.weadorehim.com/>

FORMED: Catholic Faith On Demand

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.

Go to www.formed.org/signup and search for St. Joseph to sign up for free!

