

St. Joseph Catholic Church

YEAR OF SAINT JOSEPH

Aug 16, 2020 - May 1, 2021

December 06, 2020

Second Sunday of Advent

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 Mass Times

Saturday Anticipated: 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

St Joseph Holy Hour every Wed at 6pm

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 07 Rev. Matthew Higginbotham
Sem. Calvin LeMaire
Dec 08 Rev. Godwin Imoru
Sem. Rev. Mr. Seth Lemaire
Dec 09 Rev. Sal Istre
Sem. Joseph Marcantel
Dec 10 Very Rev. Thomas James, SVD
Sem. Riley Maturin
Dec 11 Rev. Johnathan Janise
Sem. Stephen Melancon
Dec 12 Rev. Rofinus Jas, SVD
Sem. Brian Nguyen
Dec 13 Rev. Stanley Jawa, SVD
Sem. Rev. Mr. Connor Poirrier

Prayers for the Sick

Lou Barry, Darrell Bellard, Nessie Boudreaux, Zora Boudreaux, Robert Comeaux, Tony, Mona, Kinley & Myrtle Comeaux, Denise Constantin, Grace Constantin, Marvin Constantin, Michael Constantin, Gloria Cormier, Janet R. Cormier, Susan Dollison, Theresa Cramer Doucet, Michael Dupont, Paula Fontenot, A.D. & Abigail Foreman, Shannon Fontenot, Roger Dale & Debra Fusilier, Barbara & Tanya Gaspard, Laura Gautreaux, Ethan Guidry, M/M Glenn Guidry, Keylonna Guidry, Raymond & Deanean Guidry, Sophie B. Guillory, Karen Hebert, Martha Hodge, Steven Hunter, Lloyd Jeffers, Janelle Kibodeaux, Ronnie Lavergne, Leslie & Zona Leger, Tara P. Logsdon, Malbrough Family, Justin Martindale, Richard Melancon & Family, Loretta Miller, Darline Richard Premeaux, Harold Prevost, Judy Richard, Herbert Roberie, Ruth Saloom, Virginia Santiago, Edith Seaux, Jeanette Simoneaux, Hilda Simoneaux, Carita Sonnier, Felicia Langley Stowe, Sharon Stuart, Wayne Thibodeaux, Laura Thomas, Michelle Wheeler

The Sanctuary Lamp



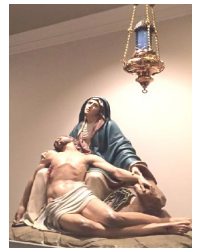
The Sanctuary Lamp burns constantly to proclaim the real presence of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Tabernacle. This week we dedicate the flame to:

Gus, Joe Sr., Carita & Gilda Guidry
Deacon Daniel Besse
Sr. Catherine Martin

The Pieta Lamp

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

Merlin Andre Alleman
Dudley Simon
Robert & Bernard Vincent



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.

Weekly Offertory

Offertory of 11/22/2020 \$12,183.55
2nd Collection next weekend is for St. Joseph Insurance Fund

Holiday Schedule

The parish office will be closed December 24th 2020 through January 3rd 2021 for the Christmas Holiday.

Christmas Vigil Masses

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

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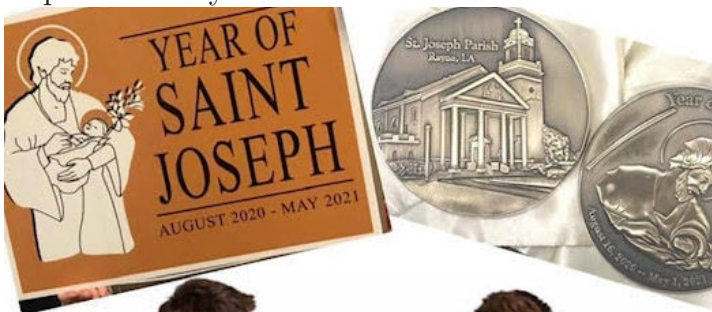
December 25th - Midnight and 8:00am

Solemnity Mother of God

December 31st - Anticipated - 5:30pm
January 1st - 9:00am

Year of St. Joseph

We have several items for sale to commemorate the year of St. Joseph. Please visit the parish office to purchase any of these items.



**YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH
Commerative Medallions (\$20),
Yard Signs (\$10) and
T-Shirts (\$15 any size)**

Immaculate Conception

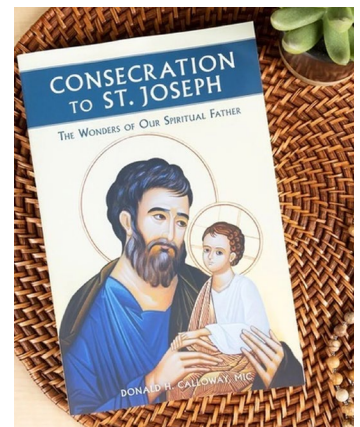
This Tuesday, December 8th, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Because the faithful continue to be dispensed from Mass attendance in our Diocese, the Solemnity this year is not treated as a Holy Day of Obligation, however, we will still celebrate the Solemnity with a 12:05pm Mass on December 8th. This Mass will be live streamed via our Facebook page.

First Confession

First Confession will be heard on Tuesday Dec. 15, for all 2nd graders who have registered for this sacrament this year. As a reminder one parent must attend with their child. Confession will begin at 6pm. Please check in with Josette LeBlanc upon arrival.

Consecrate Yourself to St. Joseph

In this Year of St. Joseph for our diocese, now is the perfect time for men and women to consecrate themselves to St. Joseph, our principal Spiritual Father and Patron Saint of the Universal Church. A perfect tool for this consecration is the recent book authored by Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC, which provides a 33-day consecration program.



Christmas Festival

Benefiting Rayne Catholic

Come see Santa Claus!

- cookies with santa
- santa pictures available for purchase
- games
- photo booth
- concessions
- train ride
- cake decorating contest
- holiday market

RFC Christmas Play

11:30 AM

Vendor Booths

Contact - nestledandcompany@gmail.com

for booth information

\$10 per Child | \$10 per Adult

December 12th | 9:00 - 12:00 | St. Joseph's Lawn

Please remember masks and social distancing.

Year of St. Joseph Devotionals

This week we conclude our 33 day Consecration to St. Joseph on Tuesday, Dec. 8th. On that day participants will recite an Act of Consecration to St. Joseph and they will also recite the Prayer of the Holy Cloak Novena. That prayer is highlighted here and we ask that you incorporate it into your daily prayer this week.

Prayer of the Holy Cloak Novena

O Glorious Patriarch St. Joseph, you who were chosen by God above all men to be the earthly head of the most holy of families, I beseech you to accept me within the folds of your holy cloak, that you may become the guardian and custodian of my soul.

From this moment on, I choose you as my father, my protector, my counselor, my patron, and I beseech you to place in your custody my body, my soul, all that I am, all that I possess, my life, and my death.

Look upon me as one of your children; defend me from the treachery of my enemies, invisible or otherwise, assist me at all times in all my necessities; console me in the bitterness of my life, and especially at the hour of my death. Say but one word for me to the Divine Redeemer whom you were deemed worthy to hold in your arms, and to the Blessed Virgin Mary, your most chaste spouse. Request for me those blessings which will lead me to salvation. Include me amongst those who are most dear to you and I shall set forth to prove myself worthy of your special patronage. Amen.



Year of St. Joseph Parish Mission & Celebration

St. Joseph Catholic Church
401 South Adams Ave.
Rayne, LA

- Monday, January 11 @ 6 P.M** *Talk on life of St. Joseph*
- Tuesday, January 12 @ 6 P.M** *Talk on life of St. Joseph*
- Wednesday, January 13 @ 6 P.M** *Talk on life of St. Joseph*
- Thursday, January 14 @ 6 P.M** *Celebration of Holy Mass*
@ 7 P.M *Parish Celebration on Church Grounds*
to include free Jambalaya Dinner

EVERYONE IS INVITED!

Christmas Flowers

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

Christmas Flowers In Memory of:

Donated by: _____

Amount: _____

Phone#: _____

Please bring this form and your donation to the parish office or place it in the collection basket by December 18th. Thank You and May the Lord bless you and yours during this Christmas Season and throughout the coming year.

December 2020 Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Day	Time	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Altar Servers
Sat.	4:00 pm	Annette Gossen Larry Van Pelt	Larry Van Pelt Lyn Guidry	Emma & Anna Guidry Katherine Gossen Avery Futch
Sun.	7:00 am	Dolores Deville	Keith Vienne Albert Johnson Patrick Miller	Jackson Casanova Sam Casanova Justin Vienne
	10:00 am	Luke Beslin Paul Molbert	Richard Dupuis Mandy Miller Larry LeBLanc	Lane Comeaux Nicholas Fogelman Austin Judice Grant Pellissier
	5:30 pm	Leah Guidry	No Servers for this Mass	Emma Landaiche Emma Gossen Ava Bourgeois Layne Autin

RCIA

Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

Were you baptized Catholic, and need to complete your sacraments and become a full member in the faith, or would you like to deepen your understanding of the Catholic faith?

Registration is now opened for the 2020-2021 RCIA process.

For more information go to stjoerayne.org/rcia/



*Rayne Adoration Chapel
at St. Joseph's*

Consider signing up for weekly adoration by visiting:
<https://rayne.weadorehim.com/>

Please consider supporting our Parish

DIRECT DEPOSIT OFFERINGS

Detach, and return to parish office with a voided check.

General Offertory in the amount of \$ _____ Frequency: Monthly / Bimonthly Draft on Date: 2nd / 16th

Building and Maint. in the amount of \$ _____ Frequency: Monthly / Bimonthly Draft on Date: 2nd / 16th

(Name of Financial Institution)

(Address of Financial Institution - Branch, City, State, Zip)

Financial Institution Routing Number

Account Number

I (we) hereby authorize ST JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH OF RAYNE LOUISIANA to initiate electronic debit entries and if necessary, credit entries and adjustments for any transactions debited in error to my account. This authority will remain in effect until ST JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH OF RAYNE LOUISIANA is notified by me (us) in writing to cancel it in such time as to afford ST JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH OF RAYNE LOUISIANA and THE FINANCIAL INSTITUTION a reasonable opportunity to act on it.

(Name - PLEASE PRINT)

(Signature)

(Date)

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