

st. Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

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Office Hours

M, T, Th: 8am - 4pm
W: 8am - 2pm
F: 8am - Noon

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 20, 2021

stjoerayne.org
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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

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.

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:

Alex Istre
Andrus Joseph Fontenot
LeBodier & Ronnie J. Lavergne

NOW HIRING

**DIRECTOR OF
HIGH SCHOOL
FAITH FORMATION**

OPPORTUNITIES INCLUDE
PLANNING AND
IMPLEMENTING
CATECHESIS AND
SACRAMENTAL
PREPARATION FOR HIGH
SCHOOL AGE
PARISHIONERS, AS WELL
DEVELOPING INNOVATIVE
WAYS TO REACH OUT TO
THE YOUTH IN OUR
COMMUNITY.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION,
CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT (337)334-2193 OR
EMAIL THE PASTOR AT BSMITH@DIOLAF.ORG**

**INNOVATIVE
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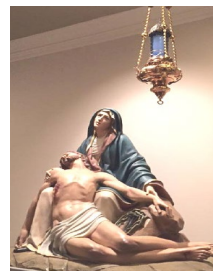
Prayers for the Sick

Dale Alleman, Lou Barry, Darrell Bellard, Helen Boudreaux, Nessie Boudreaux, Zora Boudreaux, Kinley Comeaux, Denise Constantin, Marvin Constantin, Aaron Doucet, Theresa Cramer Doucet, Michael Dupont, Linda Durio, Paula Fontenot, Shannon Fontenot, A.D. & Abigail Foreman, Roger Dale & Debra Fusilier, Barbara & Tanya Gaspard, Laura Gautreaux, Laurie Guenther, The Goodwin Family, Ethan Guidry, M/M Glenn Guidry, Keylonna Guidry, Raymond & Deanean Guidry, Sophie B. Guillory, Karen Hebert, Martha Hodge, Lloyd Jeffers, Janelle Kibodeaux, James A Leger, Leslie & Zona Leger, Tara P. Logsdon, Justin Martindale, Merella McFalls, Richard Melancon & Family, Jessica Miller, Loretta Miller, Kristian Navarre, Patty Nugent, Francis Pellissier, Jackie Pintacura, Harold Prevost, Darrell (Bubba) Richard, Jr., Judy Richard, Herbert Roberie, Patsy Rogers, Ruth Saloom, Myrtle Servat, Jeanette Simoneaux, Carita Sonnier, Gladys Stutes, Sherman Trahan, Mary Trahan, Rose Venable, Michelle Wheeler, Jan Wright

The Pieta Lamp

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

**Gus, Joe Sr., Carita &
Gilda Guidry**
Deacon Daniel Besse
Dupre' & Sabelle Menard



Weekly Offertory

Offertory of 6/6/2021 \$12,948.86

Special Collection next weekend is for Peter's Pence

Baptisms

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

Anna Catherine Shoffiett and Ella Marie Shoffiett

Weddings

We joyfully share in the Sacramental union of:

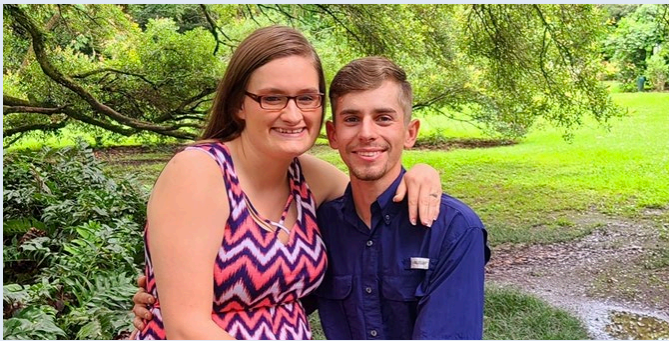
Kevin Dale Schexneider & GabrielleMarie Kirsch

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.

Mary Stelly, Joseph Picard

Witness To Love



Jacob Seaux & Jessica Rose have been together for four years. Jessica is a graduate of Carencro High School and Unitech Training Academy as a dental assistant. Jacob is a graduate of Acadiana High. After marriage, the couple plan on residing in Rayne. Their mentor couple is Jake and Kristen Molbert who have been married three years and have one daughter. Jacob and Jessica will be united in marriage on Saturday, June 19, 2021 at St. Joseph Catholic Church with Deacon Denis LaCroix presiding over the wedding.

Please join us in praying for this couple. We praise you, Lord for your gentle plan draws together your children in love for one another. Strengthen their hearts, so that they will keep faith with each other, please you in all things, and so come to the happiness of celebrating the sacrament of their marriage.

Man-to-Man Conference



On Saturday, August 28, 2021, the man-to-man Catholic men's conference will be held at Saint Pius the 10th Catholic Church in Lafayette Louisiana. The day will begin with an invocation by Bishop Douglas Deshotel and will include keynote speakers Jesse Romero and Fr Bill Casey. Fr James Brady will celebrate the mass and Fr Brent Smith will serve as the Master of Ceremonies. Lunch will be provided. 800 men attended the last conference. You don't want to miss this one!

For more information or to register visit:
<https://www.m2m21.com/>

RCIA Registration Opened

Registration is now opened for the 2021-2022 RCIA process. 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? We are here to help!!! Contact: St. Joseph Parish Office @ 337-334-2193 Randy Bertrand @ 337-356-1909 rjnbert@gmail.com Register online @ stjoerayne.org

Called to Serve

WE ARE ALL CALLED TO

Serve

July 17th

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, Lector, Altar Server, and Usher trainings will be July 17th for all current ministers and anyone interested in serving.

For more information, contact André Landaiche 337-250-1332

1 PETER 4:10

Jesus rebuked
the wind, and said
to the sea,
“Quiet! Be still!”
The wind ceased
and there was
great calm.

MARK 4:39



WHO IS THIS?

Though we re-enter Ordinary Time already knowing that Jesus is the Son of God (see the centurion’s words at the end of the Palm Sunday Passion reading from Mark’s Gospel), the long succession of Sundays confronts us again with the question that each Christian community, each individual Christian faces continually throughout life: “Who is this?” (Mark 4:41), and prompts an “examination of conscience” regarding the practical consequences of our response. This year’s Gospel readings from Mark suggest that we find our answer in the cross and in the Eucharist. Today’s stark challenge of Jesus’ call to discipleship is, thankfully, balanced by the comfort we can take in relating—perhaps only too well—to the disciples’ fears. Though we welcome Jesus in Word and Eucharist Sunday after Sunday, don’t we all, from time to time during our lives’ “ordinary time,” experience Jesus’ “real absence”?

SEA AND WIND

As always in Ordinary Time, today’s Old Testament sets the stage for the Gospel. God, who in Jesus will “rebuke the wind” and “command the sea to be still” (Mark 4:39), “addresses Job out of the storm” (Job 38:1), speaking to the turmoil in Job’s heart, calling to mind the primal chaos of creation’s untamed sea, reminding Job that God’s mighty word then was enough to command order and bring forth life. In today’s Gospel, the disciples’ fear, even near despair, takes center stage. Are any of us strangers to such emotions? Squall-force winds buffet their boat, waves break over it, and Jesus might as well not be there. Mark’s account is especially grim. Alone among the evangelists, he tells us that Jesus is in the stern, the very back of the boat, not just asleep—sound asleep! Only Mark adds the detail, “on a cushion” (4:38).

AWAKEN CHRIST

Though we welcome Jesus in Word and Eucharist Sunday after Sunday, haven’t we all, from time to time, experienced Jesus’ “real absence”? This personal application should comfort us, as it has generations of disciples before us. Though the “boat” is, primarily, a symbol of the Church, never forsaken by Christ, carried safely across time’s stormy waters, Saint Augustine preaching on this very Gospel sixteen hundred years ago noted that, since each of us is a temple of God, each one’s heart is a sailing boat. Consider any temptation, says Augustine, as “the wind, the surging of the sea,” and do what the disciples did: wake up Christ, “the sleeper in your heart,” by recalling his words and commands. Then be like the wind and the sea: “The sea obeys him, the wind is still.” Whenever emotions make our hearts turbulent, whenever Christ seems absent or at least asleep, “let us not despair but awaken Christ, so that we may sail in quiet waters, and reach at last our heavenly homeland.”

TODAY’S READINGS

Job 38:1, 8–11
Psalm 107:23–26, 28–31
2 Corinthians 5:14–17
Mark 4:35–41



QUO VADIS

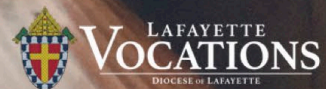
A DISCERNMENT RETREAT
FOR MEN

June 29 – July 1

Quo Vadis is a time of recollection to reflect on where you are going in your own life. We will explore that question through prayer, fraternity, recreation, and talks on discernment.

Registration through June 25, 2021

Retreatants will check in at Community of Jesus Crucified
(103 Railroad Ave, St Martinville, LA 70582)
at 8:30am on June 29 and depart at 11:30am July 1.



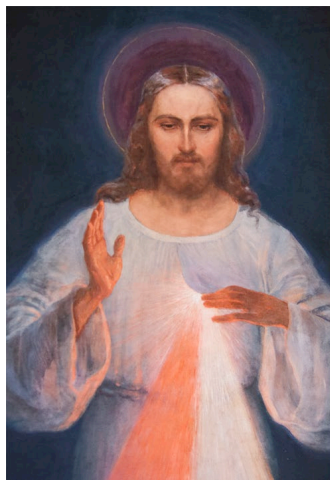
To Register, contact (337) 261-5690 or visit www.diolaf.org/vocations-and-seminarians

Ministers Schedule

Adoration Sign Up

June 2021

Sat. 4pm: Lector - Annette Gossen Extraordinary Ministers - Brenda Hooper, Lyn Guidry Altar Servers - Angelle Bourgeois, Ava Bourgeois **Sun. 7am:** Lector - Dolores Deville Extraordinary Ministers - Betty Bellard, Keith Vienne Altar Servers - Parker Menard, Justin Vienne **Sun. 10am:** Lector - Paul Molbert, Extraordinary Ministers - Linda Ancona, Angelo Ancona Altar Servers - Lane Comeaux, Boyd Boudreaux, Grant Pellissier, **Sun. 5:30pm:** Lector - Tammy Clark Extraordinary Ministers - Leah Guidry, Andy Richard Altar Servers - Emma Gossen, Emma Landaiche, Jude Richard

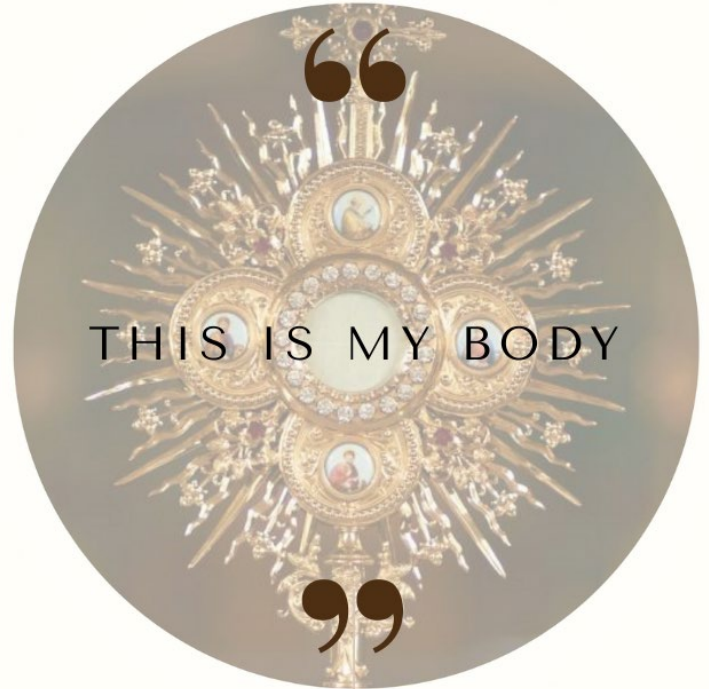


Divine Mercy Ministry for the Dying

If you know someone who is in imminent danger of death, call the number below for a Divine Mercy chaplet to be prayed for that individual.

337-237-5059

A Diocesan Ministry of St. Pius X Catholic Church available for all, Catholic and non-Catholic



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rayne.weadorehim.com

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