



# st. Joseph

## Roman Catholic Church

Est. 1872



**Parish Office**

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**Office Hours**

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

**Third Sunday of Lent**

March 20, 2022

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## Weekly Mass Times

**Saturday Anticipated:** 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

### 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.

## Men's Bible Study

Hosted by Fr Brent  
When: Fridays at 7am  
Where: Rectory

## 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:

**Garrison Cole Gautreaux**

St. Joseph Church  
Electronic Offering

# ONLINE

# OFFERTORY



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Thank you for your generosity!

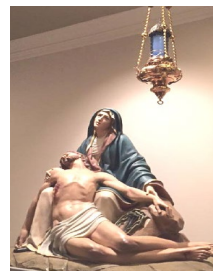
## Prayers for the Sick

Dale Alleman, Natalie Alleman, Darrell Bellard, Helen Boudreaux, Nessie Boudreaux, Ricky Boudreaux, Zora Boudreaux, Nola Comeaux, Preston Comeaux, Denise Constantin, Marvin Constantin, Phoebe Deshotel, Diana Meaux Doty, Kerry Doucet, Theresa Cramer Doucet, Margie Dubois, Zubaida Elahi, Paula Fontenot, Shannon Fontenot, Abigail Foreman, Debra Fusilier, Barbara & Tanya Gaspard, Laura Gautreaux, Laurie Guenther, M/M Glenn Guidry, Keylonna Guidry, Raymond & Deanean Guidry, Stanley Granger, Sophie B. Guillory, Karen Hebert, Sammy Hernandez, Martha Hodge, Lloyd Jeffers, Tara P. Logsdon, Sandy Matte, Merella McFalls, Richard Melancon & Family, Jessica F. Miller, Loretta Miller, Ronnie Myers, Kristian Navarre, Francis Pellissier, Darrell (Bubba) Richard, Jr., Judy Richard, Hayden Ruffner, Myrtle Servat, Jeanette Simoneaux, Carita Sonnier, Mary Trahan, Rose Venable, Linda Viale, Becca Guidry Vidrine

## The Pieta Lamp

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

**Willie & Edward Leger**  
Special Intention



## Weekly Offertory

**Offertory of 03/06/2022**      \$19,312.13

Special Collection next weekend for Catholic Relief Services

## Baptisms

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

**Easton James Nolan**  
**Kayleb Keith Mouton**

## AARP Driving Class

The Elderberries Group is sponsoring an AARP Driving Class on Thursday, March 24th in the Family Life Center from 12:30pm to 4:00pm. Anyone age 50 or over is invited to attend. Participants of the class may be eligible to save 10% on their car insurance premiums. The fee for AARP Members is \$20 and the fee for non-members is \$25. This fee can be paid by cash or check on the day of the class.

## Feeding our Faith

Feeding our Faith returns for a special Lenten series on Tuesday evenings, March 15th, 22nd, and 29th from 6pm to 7:30pm in the Family Life Center. Each session begins with a free supper followed by a video presentation and discussion. Our video series is entitled "The Hidden King: The Jewish Roots of St. Joseph" by Dr. Brant Pitre. What is your image of St. Joseph? A poor, humble carpenter, an elderly widower, or a man in his prime, the chaste spouse of Mary? In this series, Dr. Pitre takes the popular figure of St. Joseph and opens up the mysteries of his hidden identity, his relationship with Mary, and his role as the earthly foster-father of Jesus. Many books on St. Joseph focus on legends and private revelations. In this Bible study, Dr. Pitre focuses on what we can learn about St. Joseph from the Bible, ancient Jewish and Roman history, and the Living Tradition of the Church. As you will discover, when looked at through ancient Jewish eyes, Joseph stands with Jesus and Mary at the center of salvation history. Feeding our Faith is offered free of charge so please come and join us as together we unpack the mystery of our Patron, St. Joseph, during this special 150th Anniversary Year of St. Joseph Parish.

# Women's Lenten Morning of Reflection

**Saturday, April 9, 2022**

**9 AM- NOON**

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

**"SERVANT HEART"**

**Incorporate the Spiritual and Corporal Works of  
Mercy in your daily life and be the "hands and feet  
of Jesus"**

**Presented by Laura Huval, founder of Joyful Noise Ministries**



[www.laurahuval.com](http://www.laurahuval.com)

## Witness To Love

Congratulations to Logan and Alexis Abshire who were united in marriage at St. Joseph Catholic Church on January 28, 2022.



## CDA Scholarships

CDA Court Rayne 844 is now accepting applications for the 2022 Irene M. Petitjean Memorial Scholarships. Applications can be obtained by calling the Scholarship Chairperson, Becky Miller (337) 250-1933, or by downloading from Court Rayne's website: <https://sites.google.com/view/cda-rayne-844>. Deadline to receive applications is 03/31/22 at 5pm.

**Elderberries**  
MEET EVERY WEDNESDAY 8AM-NOON | FAMILY LIFE CENTER  
Prayer, Chair Exercises, Board Games, Bingo, Card Games, Sewing, Line Dancing  
Meet Old Friends. Make New Friends. Come and See. Stay and Play.  
**Senior Group**  
NO REGISTRATION - NO DUES - NO CHECKING IDS

## Easter Flowers

Monetary donations in memory of loved ones may be made for the purchase of Easter Flowers for our Church. The name of you loved will be included in the church bulletin on Easter weekend.

Easter Flower Donation

In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

Donated by: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail or bring this form and your donation to the Parish office or place it in the collection basket by April 8th

AS IRON SHARPENS IRON  
**PROVERBS 27:17**  
WEDNESDAYS | 5:30AM | FAMILY LIFE CENTER  
BEGINNING ASH WEDNESDAY  
SO ONE MAN SHARPENS ANOTHER

**SOLEMNITY OF**  
*St. Joseph*  
**MASS**  
SATURDAY | MARCH 19 | 9:00AM

# DID YOU KNOW?



St. Joseph Church church was built in 1878 on property owned by Father Joseph Anthonioz, on a ridge between Pouppeville and Castille, and was blessed on August 30, 1879

THE FIRST 150 YEARS

## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION & CONFESSIONS

EVERY WEDNESDAY OF LENT  
6:00PM - 7:00PM

### 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](http://www.formed.org/signup) and search for St. Joseph to **sign up for free!**

### KC Fish Fry

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 1897 RAYNE, LA 3RD ANNUAL LENTEN FISH FRY \$10.00 / PLATE PLATE INCLUDES: FRIED CATFISH, FRIES, COLE SLAW, KING'S HAWAIIAN ROLL DATES: MARCH 4TH MARCH 11TH MARCH 18TH MARCH 25TH APRIL 1ST APRIL 8TH PRE ORDER QUANTITIES EACH WEEK BY CALLING ALBERT JOHNSON 337-581-9708 RICHIE COLONNA 337-789-1120 (TEXT OR VOICEMAIL) PICK UP EACH FRIDAY BEHIND THE KC HALL BETWEEN 5:45 PM UNTIL SOLD OUT 300 S. ADAMS AVE, RAYNE EXTRA PLATES AVAILABLE WITH LIMITED QUANTITIES

### St. Joseph Garden Mausoleum

We are pleased to announce that arrangements have been completed with American Cemetery Consultants LLC to build the beautiful new Garden Mausoleum in St. Joseph Cemetery. The program has the full approval of His Excellency, the Most Reverend J. Douglas Deshotel, D.D., Bishop of Lafayette.

Sales Representatives of American Cemetery Consultants will be contacting families in the Rayne area over the next few weeks to answer questions about the mausoleum and determine who is interested. The number of crypts selected before construction will determine the size of the mausoleum. Spaces are reserved on a first come basis; therefore, anyone seeking information should either mail in the postage paid reply card from the brochure or call (337) 347-6989.

## MAN-TO-MAN MEN'S CONFERENCE

Saturday, April 30, 2022

8th Biennial Conference

St. Pius X Catholic Church

Lafayette, LA

8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

(Doors open at 8:10 a.m.)

\$35 per person  
(includes lunch)

Men 18 years and older

Keynote Speakers:  
Father Wade Menezes  
John Edwards

Special Guest Speakers:  
Bishop Douglas Deshotel  
Fr. Jim Brady

Master of Ceremonies  
Fr. Brent Smith

For more information and to register, visit  
[www.m2m21.com](http://www.m2m21.com)

# Ministers Schedule

March 2022

**Sat. 4pm:** Lector - Annette Gossen Extraordinary Ministers - Brenda Hooper, Lyn Guidry Altar Servers - 4 o'clock Team  
**Sun. 7am:** Lector - Allison Gray Extraordinary Ministers - Randy Bertrand, Albert Johnson Altar Servers - 7 am Team  
**Sun. 10am:** Lector - Luke Beslin Extraordinary Ministers - Liz Deaville, Charmaigne Lawless, Joan Gatte - Choir Altar Servers - 10 am Team  
**Sun. 5:30pm:** Lector - Emma Landaiche Extraordinary Ministers - Leah Guidry, Bryan Guidry, Gracie Mouton Altar Servers - 5:30 Team

# Adoration Sign Up

Sign up for Adoration  
[rayne.weadorehim.com](http://rayne.weadorehim.com)

## First Friday Mass & Adoration

The first Friday of the month is often marked by special devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. St. Margaret Mary Alacoque (1647-1690) reported visions of Jesus Christ directing her to promote devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus on nine consecutive First Fridays in reparation for sins and in order to show love to Jesus. In return for this act of devotion, which usually includes Mass, Communion, confession and even an hour of Eucharistic Adoration, our blessed Savior reputedly promised St. Margaret Mary the following blessings:

"In the excess of the mercy of my Heart, I promise you that my all powerful love will grant to all those who will receive Communion on the First Fridays, for nine consecutive months, the grace of final repentance: they will not die in my displeasure, nor without receiving the sacraments; and my Heart will be their secure refuge in that last hour."

*Please join us every first Friday of the month for 6:30am Mass followed by Adoration from 7-8am. Sacred Heart of Jesus, make my heart like yours!*



### 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

## 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

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 (Name of Financial Institution)

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Financial Institution Routing Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Account Number

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\_\_\_\_\_  
 (Name - PLEASE PRINT)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (Date)

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