

Pastor

Rev. Brent L. Smith

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Henry Paul Antony, HGN

Mass Times

Sat Ant: 4pm Sun: 7am, 10am, 5:30 pm Mon: 6:30 am Tues: 12:05 pm Wed: 6:30 am Thurs: 12:05 pm Fri: 6:30 am

First Sat: 9:00 am

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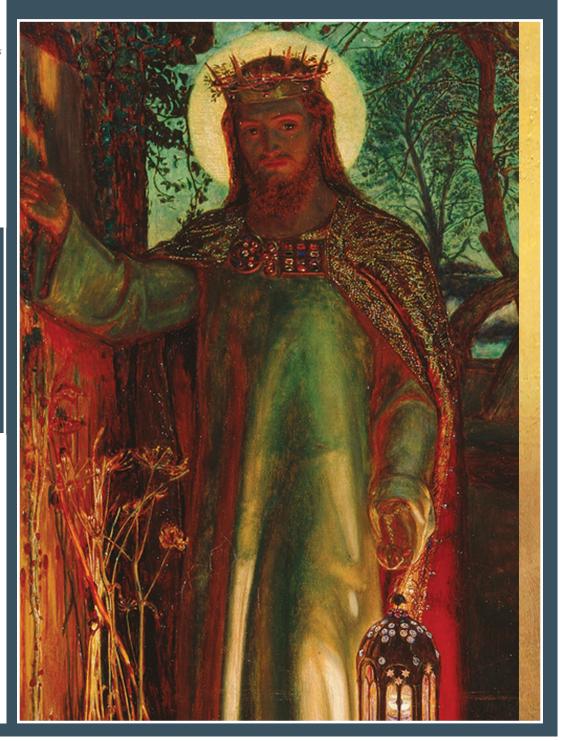
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St.Joseph Roman Catholic Church Est. 1872

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 07, 2022





BTH ANNUAL Fête-Dieu du Teche Eucharistic procession along bayou teche

Monday, August 15th Feast of the Assumption

In Honor of the 257th Anniversary of the Arrival of the Acadians and the Catholic Faith

Begins with French Mass by Bishop Deshotel at St. Leo's in Leonville at 8:00 am. Stops at Each Church on the Bayou: Arnaudville, Cecilia, Breaux Bridge, Parks for Rosary and Benediction. Ends up at Evangeline Oak in St. Martinville, followed by Processions to Notre Dame, St. Martin de Tours and Our Lady of Sorrows.



For More Information, Contact Fr. Michael Champagne, cjc

(337) 394-6550

fetedieuduteche@gmail.com www.fetedieuduteche.org

Sacraments

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.

Weekly Offertory

Offertory of 7/24/2022

\$10,297.05

2nd Collection next weekend is for St. Joseph Parish Insurance Fund

St. Joseph Church **Electronic Offering**



OFFERTORY

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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:

> Roy P & Lois Myers Myron Joseph Meche

The Pieta Lamp

Mother of Sorrows, You who held Jesus in your arms, please intercede with your Divine Son on behalf of: **Garrison Cole Gautreaux** Jerry & Frankie Arceneaux

Lisa Huval Lutz

Baptisms

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

Sullivan Michael Broussard, Case Houston Richard, Cullen Christopher Richard

Weddings

We joyfully share in the Sacramental union of:

There were no weddings this week.

Dearly Departed

Our faith community remembers in prayer our dearly departed.

Gregory Louis Hebert

Prayers for the Sick

Dale Alleman, Helen Boudreaux, Nessie Boudreaux, Ricky Boudreaux, Zora Boudreaux, Darla Comeaux Bryson, Courtney Comeaux, Denise Constantin, Phoebe Deshotel, Susan Dollison, Kerry Doucet, Theresa Cramer Doucet, Margie Dubois, Zubaida Elahi, Diego Escandon, Cheryl Fabacher, Martha Fontenot, Paula Fontenot, Shannon Fontenot, Debra Fusilier, Barbara & Tanya Gaspard, Laura Gautreaux, Eula Granger, Laurie Guenther, Keylonna Guidry, Raymond & Deanean Guidry, Karen Hebert, Dana Hernandez, Martha Hodge, Lloyd Jeffers, Candi Hebert Latino, Janice Lavergne, Elaine LeBlanc, Leslie Leger, Jessica F. Miller, Loretta Miller, Judy Mouton, Kristian Navarre, Mark Navarre, Francis Pellissier, Claudia "Pie" Richard, Darrell (Bubba) Richard, Jr., Judy Richard, Quentin Rowe, Hayden Ruffner, Myrtle Servat, Cade Siebold, Jeanette Simoneaux, Carita Sonnier, Mary Trahan, Rose Venable, Linda Viale, Becca Guidry Vidrine, Marguerite Wyble



ST. THOMAS AQUINAS' PRAYER

(After Communion)

HEAVENLY FATHER, I GIVE YOU THANKS, FOR IN YOUR GREAT MERCY, AND NOT BECAUSE OF MY OWN MERITS, YOU HAVE FED ME, A SINNER AND UNWORTHY SERVANT, WITH THE PRECIOUS BODY AND BLOOD OF YOUR SON, OUR. LORD JESUS CHRIST. MAY THIS HOLY COMMUNION NOT SERVE AS MY JUDGMENT OR CONDEMNATION, BUT AS MY FORGIVENESS AND SALVATION. MAY IT BE MY ARMOUR OF FAITH AND SHIELD OF GOOD PURPOSE. MAY IT ROOT OUT IN ME ALL VICE AND EVIL DESIRES AND INCREASE MY LOVE AND PATIENCE, HUMILITY, OBEDIENCE AND EVERY VIRTUE AND MAKE IT A FIRM DEFENSE AGAINST THE WILES OF ALL ENEMIES, SEEN AND UNSEEN, WHILE RESTRAINING ALL EVIL IMPULSES OF FLESH AND SPIRIT. MAY IT HELP ME TO CLEAVE TO YOU, THE ONE TRUE GOD, AND BRING ME A BL

Chili Cookoff



Women's ACTS Retreat



Are you interested in deepening your faith and finding a community to help support you on your journey? If so, consider signing up for the St. Joseph Women's ACTS Retreat which will be held November 17 – 20, 2022. The retreat begins Thursday evening, November 17th, with check-in at 5:00 p.m. at St. Joseph's parish. Retreatants will return to St. Joseph for the 10am Mass on Sunday, November 20th.

ACTS is a parish-based retreat in which parishioners serve parishioners. The goals of the ACTS Retreat, an acronym for Adoration, Community, Theology and Service, are to strengthen our faith and its application in our daily life, to renew ourselves spiritually, to build strong, lasting friendships, and to grow in our relationship with our Lord, our parish and one another.

Registration opens next Sunday, August 14th at noon and will remain open until all spots have been filled. You may register online beginning next weekend. The cost of the retreat is \$300.00 per person. You will be given payment instructions once it is confirmed that you have been accepted for the retreat. For more information, call the Parish Office at 337-334-2193.

RCIA REGISTRATION

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Are you baptized Catholic but need to complete your sacraments of initiation -Eucharist or Confirmation? Now is the time to register for our upcoming RCIA session. Please call the Parish Office at 337-334-2193 or visit the website at https://stjoerayne.org/rcia for more information.



Rayne Youth Registration



All TEENS in St. Joseph Parish are welcome to attend. Join us, we are doing a new thing!

- Register your High School Teen for Rayne Youth Ministry

stjoerayne.org/rayneyouth

- Like and Follow Rayne Youth on Facebook Rayne Youth & Instagram @rayneyouth

- Join the High School Faith Formation group on Flock Note

- Join YTeam and discover many ways to assist in equipping the future of our parish

https://stjoerayne.flocknote.com/signup/89807

Confirmation Registration is NOW OPEN for all 11th-grade students wishing to confirm in St. Joseph Parish.

- Scan the QR code or follow the link: stjoerayne.org/ registrations

- Scroll down to High School Confirmation and read carefully.

To lead a Confirmation Group: https://stjoerayne. flocknote.com/signup/65313 Physical Requirements are in the signup link.

All leaders MUST have Safe Environment certification For initial training - contact the parish office For continuing training - go to www.virtusonline.org/ virtus/ or call the parish office.

PreK-8th Faith Formation

Registration is open for PreK-8th Grade Faith Formation. Register your child for the upcoming 2022-2023 year on the parish website at https://stjoerayne.org/familycatechesis. If you have any questions or concerns please email Shelby Fuselier at shelby@stjoerayne.org, or Brandon LeJeune at brandon@stjoerayne.org.

PreK-8th Parent Meeting

There will be a parent meeting on August 7th at 6:30 in the Family Life Center. All parents are encouraged to attend for any child being registered for PreK-8th Faith Formation for the 2022-2023 school year. We will be discussing the purpose of family catechesis, incorporating PreK, K, 6-8th, and the continuation of 1-5th family catechesis. If you have any questions please contact Shelby Fuselier at shelby@stjoerayne.org,

Witness To Love

Legend Slade Cormier and Jasmine Lyn Guidry have been together for 5 years. Legend works at JMI manufacturing and Jasmine works at Lafayette Utilities System. The couple will be united in marriage on October 1, 2022 at St. Joseph Catholic Church with Deacon Denis LaCroix presiding over the wedding. Their mentor couple is Dale and Linda Meche. They have been married for 52 years and have 2 beautiful children and 4 beautiful grandchildren.

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.



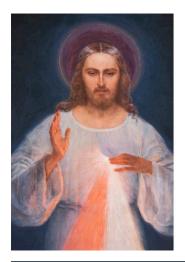
Men's Bible Study

Fridays at 7am - except for 1st Friday (due to 1st Friday holy hour) In the FLC

Ministers Schedule

August 2022

Sat. 4pm: Lector - Larry Van Pelt Extraordinary Ministers - Lyn Guidry, Neal Duhon Altar Servers
- 4 o'clock Team Sun. 7am: Lector - Mike Reynolds Extraordinary Ministers - Betty Bellard, Albert Johnson, Ramona Besse Altar Servers -7 am Team Sun. 10am: Lector - Luke Beslin Extraordinary Ministers - Linda Ancona, Angelo Ancona Altar Servers - 10 am Team Sun. 5:30pm: Lector - Charmin Broussard Extraordinary Ministers - Crystal Moody, Jimmy Fontenot, Andy Richard Altar Servers - 5:30 Team



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

First Friday Mass & Adoration

Adoration Sign Up Sign up for Adoration

rayne.weadorehim.com

Prayer before Receiving Holy Communion

I believe, O Lord, and I confess that You are truly the Christ, the Son of the living God, who came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am first. I believe also that this is Your own immaculate Body, and that this is Your own precious Blood. I pray: have mercy upon me, and forgive my offenses both voluntary and involuntary, of word and of deed, committed in knowledge or in ignorance. And make me worthy to partake of immaculate Mysteries, Your unto the forgiveness of my sins and life everlasting. Amen.

St. John Chrysostom

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!

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