



st. Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

Est. 1872

Pastor

Very Rev. Brent L Smith, VF

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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Parish Office

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Office Hours

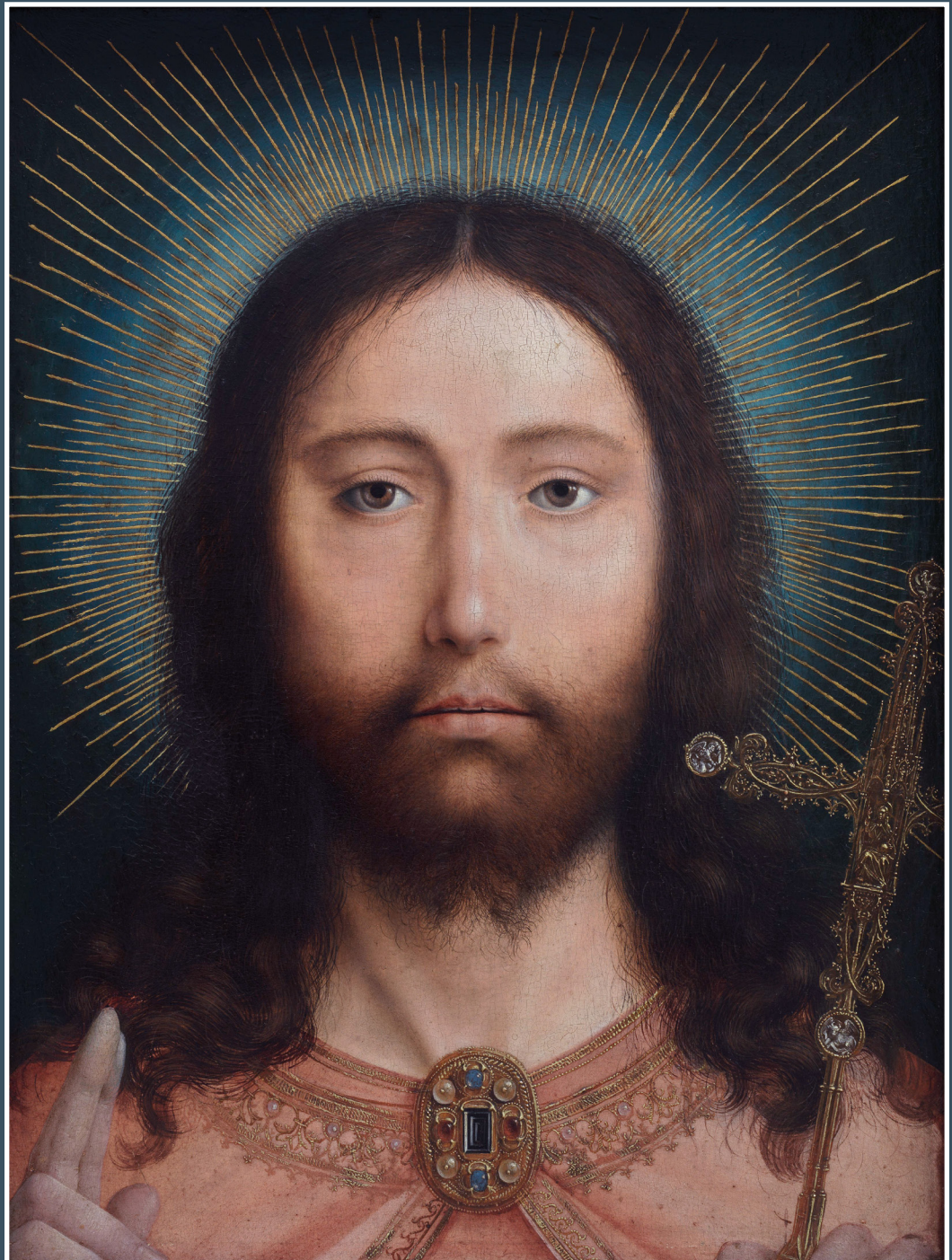
M, T, Th: 8am - 4pm

W: 8am - 2pm

F: 8am - Noon

Feast of Christ the King

November 20, 2022





Give thanks to the LORD, who is good,
whose mercy endures forever.

Ps 106:1



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.

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS 8AM

Weekly Offertory

Offertory of 11/06/2022 \$14,777.57

Special Collection next weekend is for Catholic Campaign for Human Development

St. Joseph Church
Electronic Offering

ONLINE

OFFERTORY

SCAN THE CODE TO GIVE



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Thank you for your generosity!



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:

Willie, Edward & James Leger
Ronnie Joseph Lavergne
Robert "Bob", Lois, Charles, & Kenny Myers

The Pieta Lamp

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

Jaime Gardiner & Zachary Henderson
Jameel & Ruth Saloom

Baptisms

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

Hank Joseph LeBlanc

Weddings

We joyfully share in the Sacramental union of:

Matthew Molbert & Megan Cassedy
Tanner Mason Jarreau & Hanna Grace Burleigh

Dearly Departed

Our faith community remembers in prayer our dearly departed.

Gloria Boulet, Delores Duplechin,
Verdie Breaux Arceneaux, Nalton Joseph Leger,
Stewart Brice Laurents

Prayers for the Sick

Dale Alleman, Betty Bellard., Nessie Boudreaux, Ricky Boudreaux, Zora Boudreaux, Mabel Louise Broussard, Courtney Comeaux, Kinley Comeaux, Tony Comeaux, Denise Constantin, Gloria Cormier, Joseph Mel Daigle, Phoebe Deshotel, Elizabeth Deaville, Dolores Deville, Kerry Doucet, Theresa Cramer Doucet, Margie Dubois, Cheryl Edwards, Zubaida Elahi, Diego Escandon, Cheryl Fabacher, Paula Fontenot, Shannon Fontenot, Debra Fusilier, Barbara & Tanya Gaspard, Laura Gautreaux, Laurie Guenther, Keylonna Guidry, Raymond & Deanean Guidry, Karen Hebert, Wayne Hebert, Dana Hernandez, Martha Hodge, Candi Hebert Latino, Elaine LeBlanc, Nanette LeBlanc, Leslie Leger, Jessica F. Miller, Loretta Miller, Kristian Navarre, Francis Pellissier, Mary Alice Petitjean, Deacon Richard Picard, Claudia "Pie" Richard, Darrell (Bubba) Richard, Jr., Judy Richard, Quentin Rowe, Hayden Ruffner, Myrtle Servat, Cade Siebold, Jeanette Simoneaux, Carita Sonnier, Angela Stelly, Ronald Stutes, Mary Trahan, Linda Viale, Becca Guidry Vidrine, Marguerite Wyble

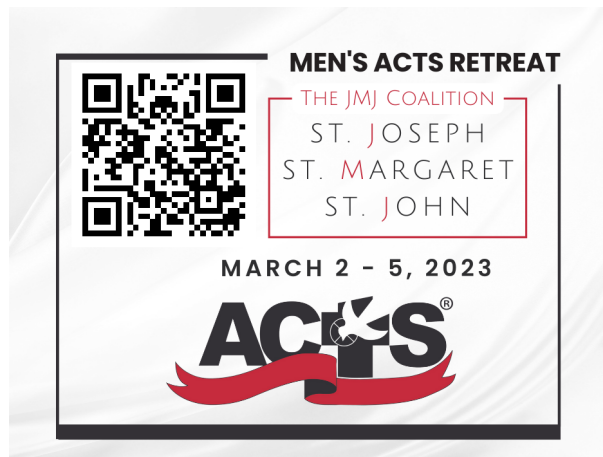
#iGiveCatholic

The goal of this day is to rally our Catholic community to raise funds to support the youth ministry of St. Joseph Parish, Rayne Youth. The focus of our goal this year is to rebuild a space to gather the youth for mentorship, recreation, & small groups.

Mission Statement of Rayne Youth: Our ministry leads teenagers and their families into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church through acts of Service, discerning Vocations, and unleashing the fullness of the Sacraments. We tackle relevant subjects that equip teens to unapologetically live a life of evangelization, confidently defend the faith, and fulfill the obligation of their vocation of building the Kingdom of God starting here on earth, right now.

Rebuilding a youth space will ensure that the youth of our parish have a space where they can feel comfortable in community with their peers. This space will provide an opportunity for mentorship centered around safe entertainment. So join us in the effort to create a way to cultivate strong Catholic Youth in St. Joseph Parish. The youth are the future of the Church!

Thank you for supporting our mission of Rebuilding Rayne Youth by donating to St. Joseph Parish during the #iGiveCatholic Giving Day on November 29th!





#iGIVECATHOLIC

NOVEMBER 29, 2022

Support Our Parish!

Participate in #iGiveCatholic by donating on #GivingTuesday, November 29.

It's as easy as...

1

VISIT
iGiveCatholic.org

2

SEARCH
for our Parish

3

DONATE
\$20 or more



Give early! Advanced giving runs November 14-28.

Men's Acts Retreat

Registration for the upcoming JMJ Coalition (St. Joseph - Rayne, St. Margaret - Estherwood, and St. John - Mementau) Men's ACTS Retreat to be held March 2-5, 2023 at the Acadian Baptist Center is currently underway. Registration is online only.

Please register by utilizing the QR Code or the following link: <https://forms.gle/6ucYGPfEhL7CNnDb9>

Christmas Flower Donations

In Memory of: _____

Donated By: _____

Amount: \$ _____ Phone: _____

Please return this form and your donation to the Parish Office or place it in the collection basket by December 11th.

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



Eucharistic Revival Event

The Eucharistic Revival Event with Bishop Deshotel has a new date!

Join us January 15 at 4:00 PM for Eucharistic Adoration.



Advent Meditation Books

The books for Daily reflections for the Advent & Christmas season are now available. They can be found on usher tables in church or purchased at the parish office.

Family Catechesis

SUNDAY | DEC 4

9:00 AM | FAMILY LIFE CENTER



Speaker: Adele Guillot

Theology of the Body

Witness to Love

Andrew Latiolais and Anna Claire Gossen will be united in Holy Matrimony on Friday, December 30th at St. Joseph's Catholic Church with Father Brent Smith as the officiant. Andrew is son of Tommy and Michelle Latiolais of Church Point. Anna Claire is the daughter of Jason and Amy Gossen of Rayne. Andrew is a Lineman with Entergy. Anna Claire is a student in the LSU Master of Social Work program. Andrew and Anna Claire plan to reside in Rayne after their wedding. The couple has chosen Brandon and Andree Stutes as their mentors. Brandon and Andree have been married for seven years and have two children- Genevieve, age 3, and Beckham, 11 months.

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. Amen



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Who Me?

Do you love God's holy word? Do you love the Holy Eucharist? We need you as a Lector proclaiming his Word. We need you as an Extraordinary Minister bringing Christ's Body and Blood to his people.

Call André Landaiche for more information. 337-250-1332

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 Your immaculate Mysteries, unto the forgiveness of my sins and life everlasting. Amen.

St. John Chrysostom



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



Ministers Schedule

November 2022

Sat. 4pm: Lector - Cathy Breaux
Extraordinary Ministers - Diana Duhon, Neal Duhon
Altar Servers - 4 o'clock Team

Sun. 7am: Lector - Allison Gray
Extraordinary Ministers - Mary Thibodeaux, Eddie Ware, Albert Johnson
Altar Servers - 7 am Team

Sun. 10am: Lector - Paul Molbert
Extraordinary Ministers - Joan Gatte, Richard Dupuis, Mandy Miller
Choir - Altar Servers - 10 am Team

Sun. 5:30pm: Adela Leger Lector
- Extraordinary Ministers - Tammy Clark, Charmin Broussard, Crystal Moody
Altar Servers - 5:30 Team

Adoration Sign Up

Sign up for Adoration

rayne.weadorehim.com



Rayne Catholic Elementary

Our students will learn together, work together, and pray together in answering the call to a faith-filled life of service.

MRS. ALICIA ARDOIN, PRINCIPAL
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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!