

#### Pastor

Very Rev. Brent L Smith, VF

#### Mass Times

Sat Ant: 4pm Sun: 7am, 10am, 5:30 pm Mon: No Mass Tues: 12:05 pm Wed: 6:30 am Thurs: 12:05 pm Fri: 6:30 am

First Sat: 9:00 am

#### Connect

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Parish Office 400 S. Adams Ave. P.O. Box 199 Rayne, La 70578

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

# St.Joseph Roman Catholic Church Est. 1872

June 18, 2023 Father's Day





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## Men Beginnings

**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP** 

Rediscovering your identity after the loss of a spouse.

1st & 3rd Tuesday | Monthly | 6:00 PM Starting April 18th from 6:00 - 7:00 PM

For more information call the St. Joseph Office 337.334.2193



The cost will be \$25,000 each.

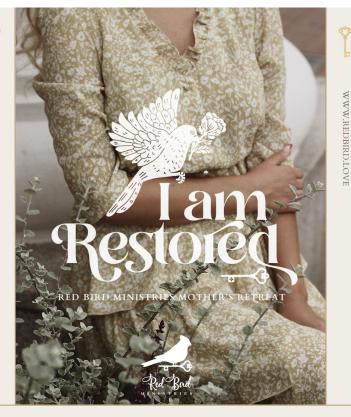
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St. Joseph, Defender of the Church

Presence of Our Lord and Our



#### For: Mothers of child loss.

Pregnancy through adulthood.

When:

September 8-10, 2023 Ĉheck-in at 4 pm

Where:

Lumen Christi Retreat Center 100 Lumen Christi Ln Schriever, LA 70395

Registration closes September 1, 2023 \$250 - Twin Bed Shared Room with Private Bath \$350 - Private Room and Bath with Double Bed

A Catholic GRIEF SUPPORT MINISTRY

### 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.

### 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:

#### James H. Comeaux Deynoodt J. Richard Marion Leon Foreman

#### The Pieta Lamp

Mother of Sorrows, You who held Jesus in your arms, please intercede with your Divine Son on behalf of: Myron Joseph Meche Charles W. Chappuis Ronnie Joseph Lavergne

#### **Baptisms**

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

There were no baptisms at the time of printing.

### Weddings

We joyfully share in the Sacramental union of:

There were no weddings at the time of printing.

### Weekly Offertory

Offertory of 5/28/23 Weekly Budget Over/Under Budget \$12,935.85 -\$11,730.77 \$1,205.08



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### **Dearly Departed**

Our faith community remembers in prayer our dearly departed.

Edison Mier

### Prayers for the Sick

Betty Adams, Natalie Alleman, Betty Bellard, Ricky Boudreaux, Zora Boudreaux, Courtney Comeaux, Kinley Comeaux, Tony Comeaux, Denise Constantin, Racie Cormier, Rhena V. Cramer, Joseph Mel Daigle, Sherrie David, Phoebe Deshotel, Elizabeth Deaville, Dolores Deville, Peggy Deville, Theresa Cramer Doucet, Margie Dubois, Cheryl Edwards, Zubaida Elahi, Diego Escandon, Chervl Fabacher, Jennifer Falcon, Michael "Micky" Fontenot, 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, Alex LaCroix, Candi Hebert Latino, Jeremy Lavergne, Leslie Leger, Dina Lejune, Patsy Meaux, Jessica F. Miller, Loretta Miller, Bonnie Sue Navarre, Kristian Navarre, Jim Orillion, Mary Alice Petitjean, Deacon Richard Picard, Shirley Quebodeaux, Judy Richard, Quentin Rowe, Hayden Ruffner, Gloria Ann Sanchez, Myrtle Servat, Cade Siebold, Jeanette Simoneaux, Carita Sonnier, Ron Sonnier, Angela Stelly, Ronald Stutes, Juanette Suire, Veronica Terro, Mary Lee Trahan, Linda Viale, Becca Guidry Vidrine, Marguerite Wyble, Wena York



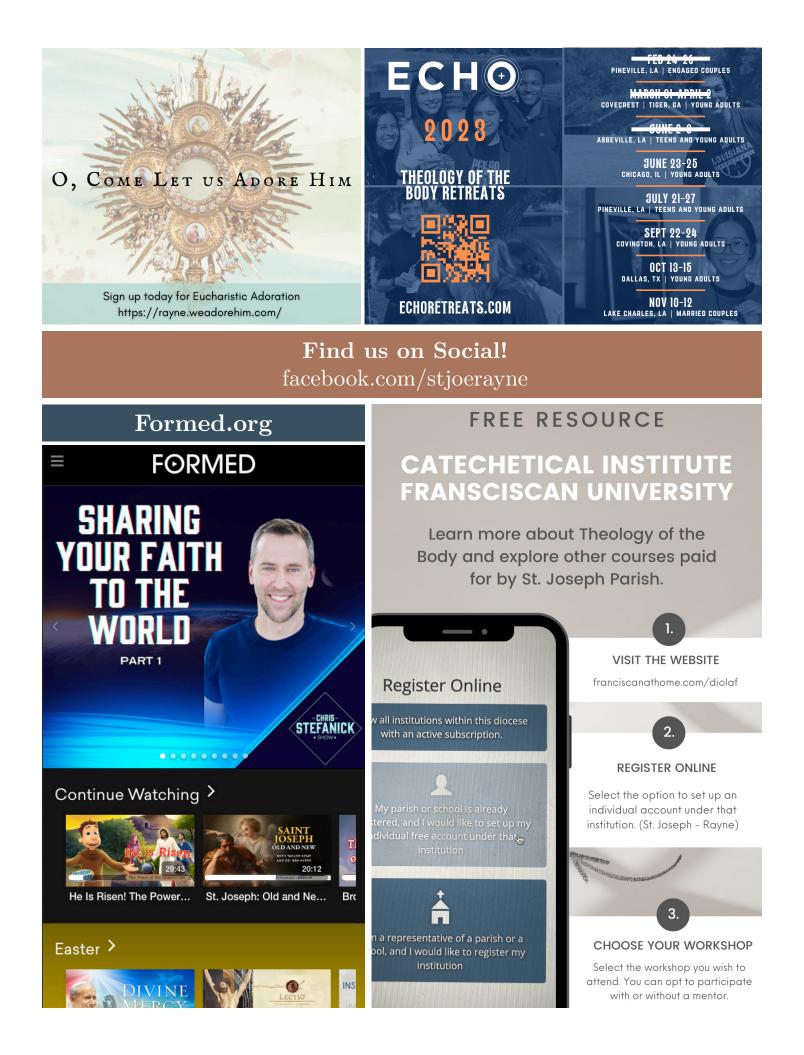
### Share the Good News!

How exciting, that we are called to share in the inheritance of God, being chosen to spread His message of love and hope! The word "Catholic" comes from a Greek word meaning "universal" or "spreading widely in the whole world". First coined by St. Ignatius, the Church is universal because Christ is continuously present in her. As Catholics, we are called to have Christ within us, being filled with the Holy Spirit and being "not people of the book, but people of the living word." We are not to live in passive reflection but active service amongst one another.

Who can you lead to Christ through sharing the Gospel? Make a goal of picking a person or group every year to speak to. Someday, when face to face with God after this life, He will ask us, who did you bring with you to heaven?

Today, let us pray: "Lord, help us to go and make disciples. May others see Christ in each of us." Amen!





### 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

June 2023

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

Sun. 7am: Lector - Mike Reynolds Extraordinary Ministers - Phil Speyrer, Albert Johnson, Eddie Ware Altar Servers - 7 am Team

**Sun. 10am:** Lector - Paul Molbert Extraordinary Ministers - Charmaigne Lawless, Tyler Primeaux, Altar Servers - 10 am Team

Sun. 5:30pm: Lector - Tammy Clark Extraordinary Ministers - Ramona Besse, Crystal Moody, Jimmy Fontenot 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 FR. BRENT SMITH, PASTOR

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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!