St.Joseph Roman Catholic Church

Est. 1872

Lent – 4th Sunday March 30, 2025







Your generosity contributes to our mission: Providing opportunities for others to Encounter Christ, Share His love & Become more like Him.







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GIVING

To give electronically, use the camera on your phone, hover over the code above and tap the link that pops up.





Rayne Catholic Elementary

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

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Service

In an effort to provide timely pastoral care to our St. Joseph parishioners who are suffering from an extended illness or an extended hospital stay or receiving palliative care, we ask the family to please notify the Parish Office to arrange a visit from our clergy.



OUR CLERGY:

- Very Rev. Brent L. Smith, VF
- Rev. Connor Poirrier
- ✓ Denis LaCroix Deacor

CONTACT US AT:



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!

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.

Serve in the Liturgy

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

Holy Hour Sign Up

Sign up for Adoration rayne.weadorehim.com

Weekly Offertory



Offertory week of 3/16/25 \$ 11,337.22 Weekly Budget \$ (12,596.15) Under Budget \$ (1,258.93)

2nd Collection next weekend is for Building & Maintenance Fund

Prayers for the Sick

Connie Credeur Anderson, Melissa Arnaud, Marie Benoit, Obrey "Toboy" Benoit, Jr, Shannon Benoit, Diane Bergeron, Sybil Blanchard, Laura Boudreaux, Fr. Allen Breaux, Conrad Breaux, Flo Broussard, Bobby Caldwell, Courtney Comeaux, Kinley Comeaux, Tony Comeaux, Denise Constantin, Joseph Mel Daigle, Emma Lavergne Danna, Scott Daspit, Dolores Deville, Peggy Deville, Harry Dogie, Linda Durio, Diego Escandon, Cheryl Fabacher, Joanne Faucheaux, Linda Credeur Faul, Donald Faulk, Racy Guidry Foreman, Katie Fruge, Kathy Pellerin Fruge, Debra Fusilier, Barbara & Tanya Gaspard, Judy Gautreaux, Laura Gautreaux, Laurie Guenther, Keylonna Guidry, Lurline Guidry, Raymond & Deanean Guidry, Rose Guidry, Catherine Meaux Hardy, Monica Harrington, Karen Hebert, Wayne Hebert, Sammy & Dana Hernandez, Martha Hodge, Clyde Hunter, Charlotte Istre, Albert Johnson, Janelle Kibodeaux, Alex LaCroix, Harper Lancon, Sandra Lavergne, Dina Lejeune, Garland LeJeune, Carla Lormond, Noreima Lowenstein, Patsy Meaux, Judy Melancon, Mary Melancon, Berna Menard, Loretta Miller, Elaine Myers, Ron Myers, Bonnie Sue Navarre, Kristin Navarre, Dorothy Nelams, Natalie New, Brannon O'Connor, Sandy Parks, Amelia Grace Pellerin, Lydia Pellissier, Mary Alice Petitjean, Deacon Richard Picard, Shirley Quebodeaux, Clifford & Helena Richard, Edward Richard, Emmett Richards, Dee Rogers, Glenda Meaux Rogers, Quentin Rowe, Hayden Ruffner, Linton Seaux, Myrtle Servat, Ashley & Kade Siebold, Jeanette Simoneaux, Angela Stelly, Kraig Stutes, Ronald Stutes, Juanette Suire, Mike Suiter, Veronica Terro, Christina Thevenet, Joel Thevenet, Rita Trahan, Chris Van Pelt. Linda Viale. Rebecca "Becca"

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

Pieta Lamp

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

Simon & Nero Families

Weddings

We joyfully share in the Sacramental union of:

Logan Keith Breaux & Kylie Lynne Chaney

Prayer Before Receiving Holy Communion

Vidrine, Josh Wyble

I believe, O Lord, and I confess that Thou art truly the Christ, the Son of the living God, Who camest into the world to save sinners, of whom I am first. I believe also that this is truly Thine own most pure Body, and that this is truly Thine own precious Blood. Therefore, I pray Thee: have mercy upon me and forgive my transgressions both voluntary and involuntary, of word and of deed, committed in knowledge or in ignorance. And make me worthy to partake without condemnation of Thy most pure Mysteries, for the remission of my sins, and unto life everlasting. Amen. St. John Chrysostom



SOUTH THIS SUMMER!

Donations can be dropped off at the St. Joseph Parish Office

scan the code below to make an online donation







Donation Questions? Contact Shelby Fuselier at shelby@stjoerayne.org

BEGINNING MONDAY, MARCH 24

MONDAY MORNING MASS WILL NO LONGER BE OFFERED

LOCAL CHURCHES THAT OFFER MASS ON MONDAY INCLUDE:

ST. MICHAEL-CROWLEY - 12:05PM
OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART-CHURCH POINT-12:05PM
STS. PETER & PAUL-SCOTT-12:10PM
ST. LAWRENCE-MOWATA-5PM ST. BENEDICT THE MOOR-DUSON - 6PM





Witness To Love

Congratulations to Logan & Kylie Breaux who were united in marriage on March 15, 2025. Officiating the ceremony was Deacon Denis LaCroix.



LENTEN MISSION





A two-night Lenten Mission with

Fr. J. Patrick Hough, SJ

featuring Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction

Presenting:

"Triumph of Grace over Tribulation"

NIGHT ONE **MONDAY** March 31st

6 PM - 7 PM

NIGHT TWO **TUESDAY** April 1st

6 PM - 7 PM



Retreat Director, Jesuit Spirituality Center

Location: St. Joseph Catholic Church



KC Lenten Fish Fry

6th Annual Lenten Fish Fry! Plates are \$12.00 each and include fried catfish, fries, coleslaw, and a King's Hawaiian roll. Dates: March 7th, March 14th, March 21st, March 28th, April 4th, and April 11th. Pre-order your plates each week by calling: Albert Johnson – 337-581-9708 Daniel Simoneaux – 337-581-2306 Richie Colonna – 337-789-1120 Pick-up: Behind the KC Hall at 300 S. Adams Ave, Rayne Time: Fridays from 5:45 PM until sold out. Extra plates will be available in limited quantities. Don't miss out!



Growing the Pioneer Legacy

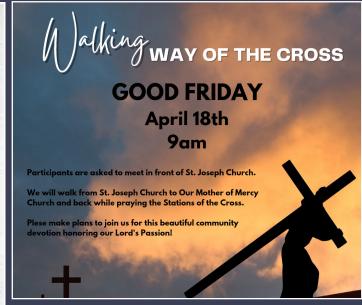
Help us shape the future of Notre Dame High School by joining a one-hour Listening Session. Share your input to help guide the strategic vision for the vitality and growth of our beloved school. These round table meetings are for anyone who desires the best for NDHS, now and in the future.

JOIN A LISTENING SESSION

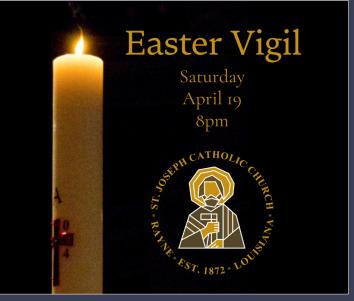
- Sunday, March 23 @ 3:30 pm St. Michael Church Parish Hall, Crowley
- Friday, March 28 @ 11 am Notre Dame Library
- Wednesday, April 2 @ 6 pm, Notre Dame Library
- Thursday, April 3 @ 6 pm Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church Annex, Church Point
- Sunday, April 6 @ 11 am St. Joseph Family Life Center, Rayne
- Monday, April 7 @ 8:30 am Notre Dame Library



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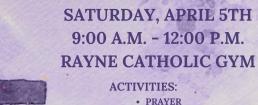
Thursday Liturgy of the Last Supper April 17th 7pm

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Children's Lenten **Retreat**

ALL CHILDREN WELCOME **GRADES K - 5TH**



- LENTEN DISCUSSION
- STATIONS OF THE CROSS
- SINGING
- GAMES
- **SNACKS**



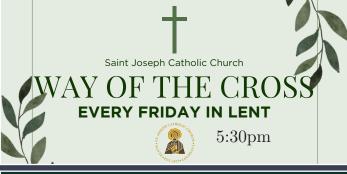
REGISTRATION IS FREE PLEASE USE QR CODE TO REGISTER BY MARCH 31ST



April 20, 2025

Mass Schedule 7:00am & 10:00am







NOW AVAILABLE

