St.Joseph Roman Catholic Church Est. 1872

The Most Holy Trinity June 15, 2025

Pastor Very Rev. Brent L Smith, VF

Deacons Deacon Denis LaCroix Deacon Tim Ledet

Mass Times

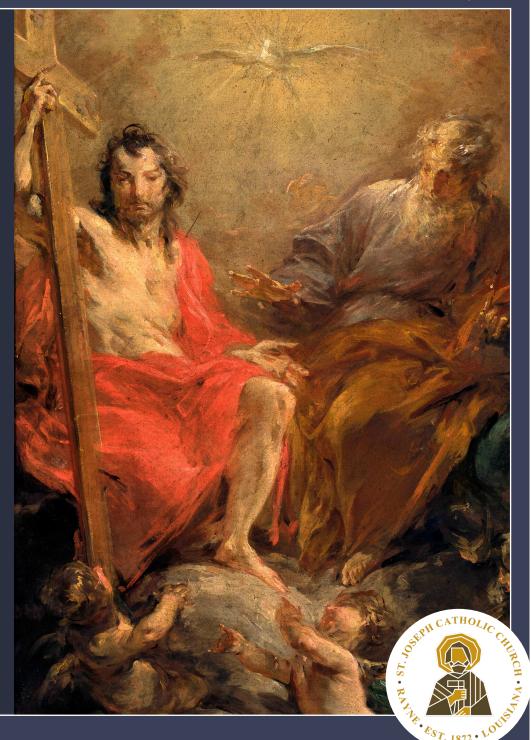
Sat Ant: 4pm Sun: 7am, 10am, 5:30 pm Mon: No Mass Tues: 12:05 pm Wed: 6:30 am Thurs: 12:05 pm Fri: 6:30 am First Sat: 9:00 am

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

Contact 337-334-2193 stjoseph1872@diolaf.org

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





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

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Prayers for the Sick

Connie Credeur Anderson, Melissa Arnaud, Marie G. Benoit, Obrey "Toboy" Benoit, Jr. Shannon Benoit, Diane Bergeron, Laura Boudreaux, Fr. Allen Breaux, Conrad Breaux, Flo Broussard, Monica Broussard & Family, Courtney Comeaux, Kinley Comeaux, Tony Comeaux, Joseph Mel Daigle, Scott Daspit, Dolores Deville, Peggy Deville, Harry Dogie, Linda Durio, Cheryl Fabacher, Donald Faulk, Racy Guidry Foreman, Katie Fruge, Kathy Pellerin Fruge, Debra Fusilier, Barbara & Tanya Gaspard, Judy Gautreaux, Laura Gautreaux, Keylonna Guidry, Lurline Guidry, Raymond & Deanean Guidry, Rose Guidry, Monica Harrington, Karen Hebert, Wayne Hebert, Sammy & Dana Hernandez, Martha Hodge, Clyde Hunter, Charlotte Istre, Janelle Kibodeaux, Harper Lancon, Sandra Lavergne, Dina Lejeune, Carla Lormond, Noreima Lowenstein, Patsy Meaux, George Melancon, Jr., Judy Melancon, Mary Melancon, Berna Menard, Loretta Miller, Bonnie Sue Navarre, Kristin Navarre, Dorothy Nelams, Natalie New, Brannon O'Connor, Sandy Parks, Amelia Grace Pellerin, Mary Alice Petitjean, Deacon Richard Picard, Shirley Quebodeaux, Clyde Reed, Clifford & Helena Richard, Edward Richard, Emmett Richards, Dee Rogers, Glenda Meaux Rogers, Quentin Rowe, Hayden Ruffner, Theresa Savoie, Linton Seaux, Myrtle Servat, Ashley & Kade Siebold, Nanette Simoneaux LeBlanc, Angela Stelly, Kraig Stutes, Ronald Stutes, Juanette Suire, Mike Suiter, Veronica Terro, Christina Thevenet, Joel Thevenet, Betty M. Thevis, Rita Trahan, Chris Van Pelt, Linda Viale, Rebecca "Becca" Vidrine, Josh Wyble, Linda Zaunbrecher

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 Richard Tommy Petitjean

Pieta Lamp

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

Charles, Robert & Arthur Jr. Myers Deceased Members of CDA Edward & Willie Leger

Baptisms

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

Magdala Ce'leste Gauthier Jansen Paul Devillier

Weddings

We joyfully share in the Sacramental union of:

Nicholas G. Couvillon & Emily Ann Savoy

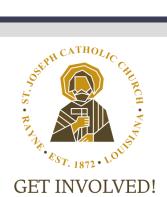
Dearly Departed

Our faith community remembers in prayer our dearly departed.

Hunter Keith Trahan Chris James LeBlanc

Prayer Before Receiving Holy Communion

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



Faith Formation

Elementary, Middle & High School Shelby Fusilier | shelby@stjoerayne.org

Rayne Catholic Elementary

www.raynecatholic.org | 337-334-5657 Principal | Alicia Ardoin

Babyberries

For children not of school age Fridays, 9am, FLC, September-April Josette LeBlanc | josette@stjoerayne.org

Elderberries

Meet on Wednesdays 8-12, FLC Carroll Menard | jmenard433@cox.net

Music Ministry Denise Brignac | cbric318@aol.com

Knights of Columbus

Knights of Columbus is a Fraternal Organization of Catholic men from our parish, 18 years or older, dedicated to serving our church Daniel Simoneaux | bigsim002@gmail.com

Catholic Daughters Ladies 18 or older - second Thursday of the month Tammy Clark | tclark3570@hotmail.com

Ultreya

Thursdays, 6:30-8:00, Cry Room Neal Duhon | <u>nduhon@msn.com</u>

Lay Carmelites Cathy Breaux | cathyrbreaux@gmail.com

Men's Bible Study Deacon Denis Lacroix | dcnlacroix@gmail.com Fridays 7:00-8:00am, FLC Damian D'Augereaux | Thursdays 5:30-7:00am, FLC

Come Lord Jesus Bible Study Mary Terro | mtvip40@yahoo.com Debra Fusilier | debra 3757@aol.com

Homebound Communion Deacon Denis LaCroix | dcnlacroix@gmail.com ACTS For more information Grayson Benoit | 337-523-7497

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For adults wishing to become Catholic or complete their sacraments Father Brent Smith | bsmith@diolaf.org | 337-334-2193

Lectors/Extraordinary Ministers/Altar Servers

Andre' Landaiche | alandaiche@gmail.com

Sacristans

Brenda Hooper | bjh5802@gmail.com Helen Johnson | dezyndsurv@yahoo.com

Ushers Jack McIntyre | jmcintyreii@hotmail.com

Small Group Initiative

Get involved in parish life by joining a small group today! Short-term & seasonal group opportunities available For more info: Mandy Miller | mandy@stjoerayne.org

To sign up for a Holy Hour: https://rayne.weadorehim.com/en

Welcome to our New Office Staff!



Mandy Miller Pastoral Assistant Wedding Coordinator



Kellie Hollier Bookkeeper



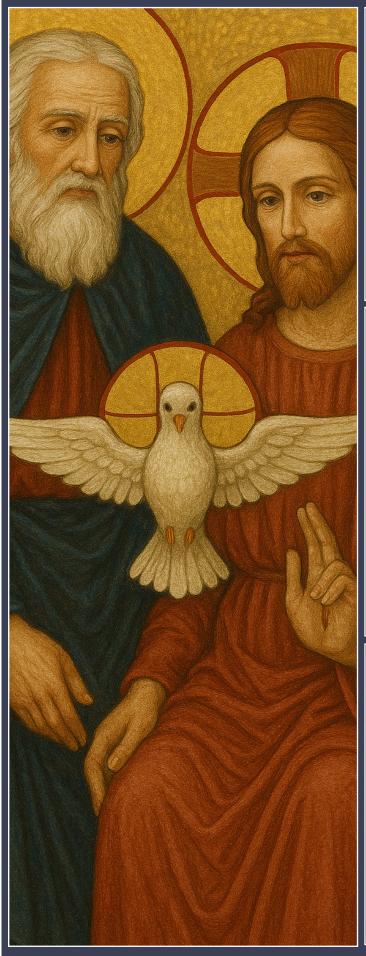
Madison Boudreaux

Wedding Coordinator



Jonathan Boutin Director of Facilities





Witness To Love

Congratulations Jack and Madicyn Veillon who were joined in marriage at St Mary's Catholic Church in New Orleans on May 30th.



Witness To Love

Congratulations to Nicholas & Emily Couvillion who were united in marriage on May 31, 2026. Officiating the ceremony was Father Matthew Barzare, Parochial Vicar-Our Lady of Fatima Church. Con-Celebrating was Father Ted Broussard, Spiritual Director, Cursillo Center, Prairie Ronde.





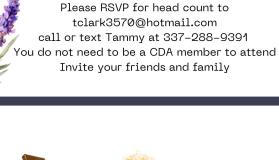
What does Prayer life look like for you? How much time a day do you spend in prayer? What do you pray about? What encourages your prayer life? What struggles do you have with prayer?"

"Pray Without Ceasing"

Women's Morning of Reflection Hosted by CDA Court Rayne #844



Saturday, June 28, 2025 8:00 AM – 11:00 AM St. Joseph's Family Life Center 406 S. Adams Ave. Rayne, LA 70578 Rev. Mark Miley, Pastor, St. Michael the Archangel Church, Crowley will be our guest speaker. Light Breakfast will be offered Door Prizes Awarded No registration fee.





THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

ANNOUNCING THE ROSARY IN A YEAR PODCAST



St. Joseph is seeking a Cantor for the 10am Sunday Mass Auditions for the position will be held Saturday, June 28 at 9:30am in church

> email Father Brent at bsmith@diolaf.org if interested

PRECEPTS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

- 1. Attend Holy Mass on all Sundays & Holy
- Days of Obligation.
- 2. Observe days of fasting and abstinence.
- 3. Confess our sins at least once a year.
- 4. Receive Holy Communion at least once
 - a year during the Easter season.
- 5.Contribute to support the needs of the Church.
- 6.Observe the laws of the Church concerning Marriage.