

Parish Office Hours

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SANCTUARY LIGHT

CHURCH: Black History Month

CHAPEL: Black History Month

ALTAR SOCIETY

Group 1 Lois Joubert 02/12/21

Group 2 Jane Savoy 02/19/21

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Monday & Thursday 3:30pm – 5:00pm
& Saturday 2:00pm – 3:00pm (In the South Sacristy of the Church)

Baptism: Call Office – 942-6552

Anointing of the Sick: Call Office – 942-6552

1ST Communion & Confirmation: See Bulletin for registration information.

Matrimony: Call Office at least six months before planned wedding.

Our Parish Life

ADULT FORMATION – 942-6552

RCIA / Adult Confirmation – Call the Office

Come Lord Jesus! – Tue. 6pm – Rose Boulet

Wed. 5pm – Kim Lajack

Wed. 5:15pm – Lois Joubert

That Man is You – Dcn Dwayne Joubert

Bible Study – Dcn Dwayne Joubert

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION / YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Director – Dcn Dwayne Joubert 942-6552

Safe Environment 942-6552

LITURGY

Coordinator – Dcn Dwayne Joubert 942-6552

Altar Servers - Dcn Dwayne Joubert 942-6552

Ministers of the Word – Debbie Fay 308-3107

Eucharistic Ministers 942-6552

10 AM Choir – John Poirier 577-6466

5 PM Music – Raphael Henry 739-8173

First Friday Adoration – Ben Pitre 678-0501

Altar Society-Pam Hooks 331-4940

PASTORAL OUTREACH – 942-6552

Ministry to the Home Bound – Lois Joubert

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ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Daughters-Ramona Darbonne 692-0196

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Joseph Pisano, Jr. 298-2987

OPELOUSAS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Principal – Mrs. Marty Heintz 942-5404

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ALTAR SERVERS

Parents of students interested in becoming Altar Servers should contact Deacon Joubert @ 942-6552. NEW SERVERS ARE NEEDED.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS –

January 31, 2021

REGULAR	\$8239.75
GOAL	\$9000.00
Maintenance & Repair Fund	\$231.00
Poor & Needy	\$349.00
OCS Foundation	\$24.00
BSA	\$4.00

Your generosity during these most difficult times is greatly appreciated!

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS

Sunday, 02/07	Fr. Nick Hien Nguyen, SVD
Monday, 02/08	Fr. Leo Nicoll, SJ
Tuesday, 02/09	Fr. Albert G. Nunez
Wednesday, 02/10	Fr. Godwin Nzeh, CMF
Thursday, 02/11	Fr. Anselm Ofodum
Friday, 02/12	Fr. Norman O'Neal, SJ
Saturday, 02/13	Fr. Paul Onuegbe

PRAY FOR OUR DEACONS

Sunday, 02/07	Dcn. Chris Doumit
Monday, 02/08	Dcn. Kyle Faber
Tuesday, 02/09	Dcn. Randy Hyde
Wednesday, 02/10	Dcn. Bryan Istre
Thursday, 02/11	Dcn. Roland Jeanlouis
Friday, 02/12	Dcn. Dwayne Joubert
Saturday, 02/13	Dcn. Joseph Joubert

PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

Michael Vidrine	St. John, Melville
Trey Fontenot	Sacred Heart of Jesus, VP
Garrett Broussard	OLOGC, LC

READINGS FOR FAITH SHARING

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jb 7:1-4, 6-7 *I am filled with restlessness until the dawn.*

Ps 147 *"Praise the Lord, who heals the brokenhearted."*

1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23 *Woe to me if I do not preach the Gospel.*

Mk 1:29-39 *Jesus cured many who were sick with various diseases.*

Pope Francis Prayer Intention

FEBRUARY Violence Against Women We pray for women who are victims of violence, that they may be protected by society and have their sufferings considered and heeded.

OC CORNER

Congratulations to our "OC Students of the Year" chosen for their outstanding traits and accomplishments: Olivia Hebert, 12th grade; Rowen Bergeron, 8th grade; and Scout Darbonne, 5th grade. They will proceed to the Diocesan Student of the Year Contest.

OC students will experience "Courir de Mardi Gras" on Friday in an effort to teach them about the Cajun French culture. Due to COVID restrictions, plans are being made accordingly by the French teacher, Mrs. Turner.

Classes are filling up quickly for the 2021-2022 school year. Current parents must complete the enrollment process online before February 19; and new families must apply for admission first. Please go to the school website at www.OCSvikings.com. Contact Joanne Briley, Registrar, at brileyj@ocsvikings.com or 942-5404 ext. 109 for more information.

SAFE HAVEN SUNDAY

"Safe Haven Sunday" will be held on February 20-21, 2021. Safe Haven Sunday books will be available directly through Clean Hearts website. The theme for 2021 is "Connected: How Strong Family Relationships Lead to Internet-Safe Kids". Resources, including this year's FREE Ebook, are available through our website, <https://www.diolaf.org/safehaven>.

PRO-LIFE ORATORY CONTEST

This contest for high school juniors and seniors will be held February 10, 2021 at Immaculata Center – 1408 Carmel Dr., Lafayette, LA from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. Forms can be found at <https://diolaf.org/2020-pro-life-oratory-contest>. Both forms are to be submitted prior to the deadline of February 3, 2021. For additional information, please contact Trista Littell at (337) 261-5598.

ASH WEDNESDAY

Ash Wednesday is February 17th. Because of COVID restrictions we have added an additional morning Mass. The schedule is 10am, 12:05pm & 5:30pm. When making your plans, if you do not work or might be off that day, please consider attending the 10am or the 5:30pm Mass. This would put less stress on the attendance at the 12:05pm Mass which traditionally is "standing room only." Thank you for your consideration!

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday February 06

4:00pm M/M Robert Going Sr. & Family; Norris Leger, Toby & Winnie Lalonde & Family; John Arthur Guidroz (BD); Robert [Bob] Chachere; Martin Jr. & Miriam Roy (WA); In Thanksgiving; Roy "Bubba" & Justine L. Elder; Arthur Wyble (DA); James Grogan, Martha Bivona Grogan & Kathleen Grogan Tyrney; Patrick Murray Labbe; Matherne Bourque; Gerald Roy; Billie Dossmann Mackey; Kermit Christ; Carrace Hollier

Sunday, February 07

08:00am A.B. Courville, Jr.; Bernel, Arthur & Eva Fontenot Youle, Therese & John Ray Fontenot and Martin J. St. Amand; M/M John, John Jr., Jacob & Michael FaKouri; Marx "Sonny" Allen Budden; Geneva Gaspard Scallan; James E. Martin

10:00am Bill, Elaine, Claudia & Chris Fields & Voitier Families; Gordon Ryder; Carol J. Sr., Joyce & Baby Ortego; Lee R. & Beverly Faul and Mark Capone; Jr., J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon; M/M Ezra Martin & Denise Hull; William "Billy" H Jarrell, Jr. (BD); Dr. L. H. Boulet and Rene Peter Briggs, Jr.; The Sick & Dying; Gene Paillet; Dr. Earl Rozas

5:00pm St. Landry Church Parishioners

Monday, February 08

12:05pm Thomas A. Schexnayder; J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon

Tuesday, February 09

12:05pm J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon; Bertha Pavy

Wednesday, February 10

12:05pm Wade Brignac; J.Y. Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon; A. B. Courville Jr. (BD); Mora Family

Thursday, February 11

12:05pm Lucy Lavergne; J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon

Friday, February 12

12:05pm A. B. Jr. & Janis Courville (WA); J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon

Saturday, February 13

09:00am Koby [BD] Joubert & Family; J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon

OPELOUSAS PREGNANCY CENTER

A Center committed to facilitating abundant LIFE for women and children through FREE pregnancy testing and ultrasound, counseling, education and MORE! St. Landry Church proudly supports their mission.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Dainee Ardoin; Nela Badeaux; Rada Bono; Randy Bordelon; Rickie Bordelon; Carol D'Amico; Robert Comeaux; Ramona Darbonne; Gordon David; Tanna Doucet; Cecile Dupre; Rebecca Dupre; Glyn Durio; Catherine & Howard Fournier; Lisa Fruge'; Glenda Gaudet; Wayne Gautreaux; John Godeau, Jr; Susan Godeau; Linda Guidroz; Anne Hollier; Yola Huckaby; Rosalie Jackson; Vergie Lanclos; Mark Leblanc; Rebecca Leblanc; Ronald Leger; Billie Dossmann Mackey; Malcom Marcus; Sidney Matt; Lorna Sue W. Miller; Reed Mire; Kenny Moreau; M/M Timmy Smith, Sr.; Cy Lager; Ronald Leger; Mary Paillet; Kayla Ramoin; Glenda Darbonne; Leroy Darbonne; Edmae DeJean; Gertie DeJean; Pap Roy; Barbara St. Amand; Elaine Soileau; Taylor Stevens; Terri Trahan; Taylor Morales; Brett Walker

Prayer to Saint Joseph

Oh, Saint Joseph, foster-father of Jesus, most pure spouse of the Virgin Mary, pray for us daily to the same Jesus, the Son of God, that we, being defended by the power of His grace and striving faithfully in life, may be crowned by Him at the hour of death. Amen.

Prayer to Saint Landry

Through the intercession of St. Landry, bless us all, O Lord we pray, for loved ones, here and near, and far away. And everyone for whom we pray. Keep us safe each night and day, the homeless who have no place to stay. Those who are suffering in any way. The dying, those mourning or grieving and all who need God's mercy. Keep us safe, heavenly Father when we are at home, or traveling on our way, or when we are vulnerable, or in danger in any way. Most merciful Father, hear us as we pray for the souls in Purgatory, or who may be sent there some day. Amen.

PRAYER TO OVERCOME RACISM

Mary, friend and mother to all, through your Son, God has found a way to unite himself to every human being, called to be one people, sisters and brothers to each other. We ask for your help in calling on your Son, seeking forgiveness for the times we have failed to love and respect one another. We ask for your help in obtaining from your Son the grace we need to overcome the evil of racism and to build a just society. We ask for your help in following your Son, so that prejudice and animosity will no longer infect our minds or hearts but will be replaced with a love that respects the dignity of each person. Mother of the Church, the Spirit of your Son warms our hearts: pray for us. Amen.

From Msgr. Harrington...

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. The prayer that Jesus taught His disciples, who in turn passed it down to us, begins with an acknowledgment of the Father's presence. The word for father (Abba) is usually translated as Papa. This opening declaration speaks of the closeness of the Creator to the creation. Just as at the beginning of time, the Creator is in the sanctuary of heaven, the place of peace and perfect love.

thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Jesus now asks the Father to bring the perfection of heaven to the earth. It is interesting to note that the one who is the perfect reflection of this movement of grace is the one who is teaching the prayer. Jesus is the one who brings the Father's will to the earth.

Give us this day our daily bread. All nourishment, all sustenance comes from the hand of God. The covenant made between God and Abraham, that same covenant that we share with God, reminds us of our total reliance upon the Father. He is our God, we are His people. Each day we call upon Him to feed us with His grace, His peace, His love. He is the source of our lives, the bread from heaven that dispels all hunger and thirst.

and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Here is where we begin to voice our connection to the covenant. Since it is God who feeds us, then our lives, our decisions, our behavior should reflect that of the Bread from Heaven. We want our brokenness to be forgiven, but we also make the commitment to forgive the brokenness of others. Those two realities are bound to one another; to be forgiven, we must forgive.

and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Trusting that the Father is now imbedded in our lives, we ask Him to walk with us through the darkness of sin and lead us away from the evil that threatens the covenant. We want to remain faithful, and we want Him to help us throughout the journey.

We trust in the presence of God to enter our lives, sustain us, shroud us in mercy and lead us back to Himself. We trust in Him. **For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**

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