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ST. LANDRY CATHOLIC CHURCH \_\_\_\_\_ Est. 1756 | Opelousas, LA \_\_\_\_\_

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday | 1:00pm-4:00pm Tues., Wed., Thurs. | 8:30am-Noon, 1:00pm-4:00pm *Closed Friday – Sunday* 

#### MASS TIMES

Saturday Anticipated Mass | 4:00pm Sunday Mass | 8:00am, 10:00am, 5:00pm Weekday Masses | 12:05pm Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, 8:00am First Saturday of the Month

#### **CONFESSION TIMES**

Weekdays | 30 minutes before Mass Saturdays | 3:00pm-3:45pm Sundays | 4:15pm - 4:45pm

#### CLERGY

Father Neil Pettit, Pastor Deacon Dwayne Joubert, Pastoral Associate Deacon Sammy Diesi

#### **PASTORAL STAFF**

Dcn. Dwayne Joubert, Office Administrator Lois Joubert, Bookkeeper Priscilla Guidroz, Receptionist Abigail Caffery, Director of Sacred Music Charlie O'Chery, Director of Youth Ministry

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#### **ST. LANDRY** CATHOLIC CHURCH Ed. 17561 Opeleane, LA

# MASS INTENTIONS

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 04

4:00pm Robert Sr., Madeline & Albert Going; Lee R. & Beverly Faul and Mark Capone, Jr.; M/M Norris Leger, Toby & Winnie Lalonde & Family; Olita R. Credeur; Julie Roy; Gervis "BB" Babin; Alton Ray Barron

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 05

o8:00am Moise & Martha Lagrange; Family of Adam & Rosita Guidry; Gloria S. Griffin; Laurent J., & Willie Mae Dossman and Clarice D. Faul; Barbara S. Nezat; David LeDoux; Release of Souls in Purgatory; James E. & Mattie W. Martin; M/M John, John Jr., Jacob & Michael FaKouri; Bernel, Arthur & Eva Fontenot; Youle, Therese & John Ray Fontenot and Martin J. St. Amand; Barbara St. Amand; Evelyn Kidder; Richard Marks (BD); Kathleen Dupre (Special Intention) 10:00am Donovan Lavergne; Deceased Family of Truong Si Chuyen; Phero Truong Si Chuyen; Orphan Souls; Kermit Christ (BD); Wayne Family of Tran Ho; Lavergne; Deceased Families of Fields and Voitier; GuiseTran Ho; Deceased Parishioners of Opelousas Community Choir; Warren Soileau; Ronald Boudreaux; Corrace & Hazel White Hollier and Irl White (BD); Ezra & Velma Martin and Denise Hull; J.Y., Sr., Nita, Richard & Francis Bordelon; Glenda Pitre

5:00pm St. Landry Church Parishioners

#### MONDAY, JUNE 06

12:05pm Marie & Martin A. Roy, Sr. (WA); Special Intention; J.Y., Sr., Nita, Richard & Francis Bordelon; Sam & Elva Moncla (WA

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 07

12:05pm J.Y., Sr., Nita, Richard & Francis Bordelon; Special Intention

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 08

12:05pm Martin Sr., Angela, Martin Jr. & Wilda Cosgrove; Special Intention; J.Y., Sr., Nita, Richard & Francis Bordelon

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 09

12:05pm Special Intention, J.Y., Sr., Nita, Richard & Francis Bordelon; Richard Marks (DA)

#### **PRAYER INTENTIONS**

Mercedes Bihm; Leslie Buller; Dora Clay; Carl Crump; Glenda Darbonne; Leroy Darbonne; Denise Dejean; James Dupre; Johnny Fontenot; Jude Foster; Howard Fournier; Julie Ford; Charlotte Guidry; Allen Harrington; Brandon and Angie Hathon; Betty Johnson; Larry Johnson; Karen Lanclos Hessler; Ronnie Leger; Judi R. Lucito; Taylor Marales; Shirley Marcus; Kathy Martin; Kenneth Moreau; Craig Ortego; Belle Pitre; Ben Pitre; Faron Racca; Richard Family; Matthew Gene Richard; John C. Saucier; Ronnie Savoy; Chris , Soileau; Greg Tate; Schleen Thibodeaux; Mary Faith Wyble Thomasee; Hien Tran; Burnell Vidrine; Brett Walker

#### ADORATION OPPORTUNITIES

There are still a few time slots that do not have regular scheduled committed adorers:

- 6pm on Sundays
- 10pm on Mondays
- 3pm on Tuesdays
- 9pm on Wednesdays
- Iam on Thursdays
- 10pm on Fridays
- 12am, 2am, 12pm, 1pm, & 9pm on Saturdays

Visit stlandry.weadorehim.com or call the office for details.

#### PRAYERS FOR OUR CLERGY

#### PRIESTS

- 06/04 | Fr. Howard Blessing
- 06/05 | Fr. Kevin Bordelon, JCL
- 06/06 | Fr. Marshall Boulet
- 06/07 | Fr. John Joseph Bourque, CJC
- 06/08 | Fr. Millard Boyer
- 06/09 | Fr. James Bradley, SJ
- 06/10 | Fr. James Brady, JCL

#### DEACONS

06/04	Dcn. James Davis
06/05	Dcn. Alvin Dejean
06/06	Dcn. Raymond Derouen
06/07	Dcn. Daniel Didier
06/08	Dcn. Timothy Francis Donovan
06/09	Dcn. Sammy Diesi
06/10	Dcn. Christopher Doumit

#### SEMINARIANS

Trey Fontenot | Sacred Heart of Jesus, Ville Platte

#### SANCTUARY LAMP

Church: Fr. Pettit (Ordination Anniversary) Adoration Chapel: Parishioners

#### VACATIONING?

Don't miss Mass... www.masstimes.org



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Congratulations to our Class of 2023! Top-ranking graduates included Sabrina Dupre, Valedictorian; Dylan Hollier, Salutatorian; Luke Copenhaver, Historian; and Jacob Vazquez, Recorder. The prestigious "Pieta Award" was bestowed upon Sabrina Dupre for being a role model to younger students, her involvement at OCS and her Catholic values. Among other special awards presented were the American Legion Patriotism and Service Awards to Olivia Clark and Caleb Sullivan. As voted on by classmates and based on good examples of carrying out the school mission and school spirit were the "Senior Vikings of the Year" Gracie Carriere and Brodie Dupuis.

The administrative offices will be open this week from Tuesday through Thursday 9 am to 2 pm.

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# Gospel Reading Reflection

This week we return to the liturgical season of Ordinary Time. This Sunday and next, however, are designated as solemnities—special days that call our attention to central mysteries of our faith. Today on Trinity Sunday we celebrate the mystery of the Holy Trinity, one God in three persons.

Today's Gospel is from the beginning of John's Gospel. The passage we read follows Jesus' conversation with a Pharisee, Nicodemus, about what it means to be born of both water and the spirit. Nicodemus approaches Jesus at night and acknowledges Jesus as a teacher from God. Jesus tells him that only those who are born from above will see the Kingdom of God. Nicodemus misunderstands and questions how a person can be born more than once. Jesus tells Nicodemus that no one can enter the Kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. Jesus is essentially explaining Baptism, which we celebrate as a sacrament today. Yet Nicodemus, we are told, still does not understand what Jesus is saying. Jesus continues by testifying to the need to be born from above so that one might have eternal life.

After the dialogue with Nicodemus, the author of the Gospel offers his own explanation of Jesus' words. This is what we read in today's Gospel, John 3:16-18.

In the context of today's focus on the mystery of the Holy Trinity, the reading calls our attention to the action of God, who reveals himself in three persons: God the Father, Jesus the Son, and the Holy Spirit. God the Father, out of love for the world, sent his Son into the world in order to save it. Through the death and resurrection of the Son, we have been given the gift of the Holy Spirit. As three persons, God acts always as a God of love; he does not condemn the world but acts to save it.

The Gospel also calls attention to the response that is required of us. God's love for us calls us to respond in faith by professing our belief in God's son, Jesus, and the salvation that he has won for us. This profession of faith is a sign of the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

#### READINGS FOR FAITH SHARING

#### FIRST READING

Exodus 34:4b-6,8-9 Moses pleads for God's mercy on Mt. Sinai.

#### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Daniel 3:52-56 We praise God who is exalted above all forever.

#### SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 13:11-13 Paul urges the Corinthians to live in peace with one another and with God.

#### **GOSPEL READING**

John 3:16-18 God sent his Son into the world to save the world.

#### OFFERTORY

MAY 28, 2023

Regular: \$9001.99 Goal: \$9000

OCS Foundation	\$398.00
Maintenance & Repair	\$75.00
Bishop's Services Appeal	\$10.00

# YOUTH GROUP YOUTH GROUP YOUTH GROUP YOUTH GROUP YOUTH GROUP YOUTH GROUP SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023 MEET MRS. CHARLE! MIDDLE SCHOOL (4TH-7TH) @ 3:45PM High School (8TH-12TH) @ 6PM YALENTIN HALL YALENTIN HALL YALENTIN HALL

#### FROM PRISCILLA GUIDROZ...

To Fr. Pettit, Staff and Parishioners,

A great big heartfelt THANK YOU for the lovely Preretirement reception! It was a pleasant and enjoyable affair with delicious refreshments.

Thanks also the many beautiful cards and sentiments; text messages; phone calls as well as gifts. All are so appreciated! To say I won't miss being here is an understatement.

I'm looking forward to developing a better prayer life; going to school activities of my great grandchildren; catching up visiting with relatives and friends working on my genealogy. Thanks again and please be welcoming to the new secretary

Save these Dates....

- Youth Group Meetings this Sunday!
- June 14, 2023 Source and Summit Returns! Wednesday Evening from 5:30pm - 6:30pm
- June 23, 2023 Day of Reflection Praying for the intercession of Mary Queen of Peace

