



St. Joseph's

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Founded 1875

255 North 8th St. (P. O. Box 368) Ponchatoula, LA 70454

Church Phone Number: (985) 386-3749

Church Web site: www.stjosephsonline.com

Church Office Hours: Monday through Friday from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Sunday Mass Schedule:

Sat. Vigil 5:00 pm
Sun. 8:00 am & 11:00 am

Week Day Mass Schedule:

M-Th 8:00 am

Confession:

Sat. 4:00 pm
T & Th after Mass or by appointment.

Baptism:

Couples who would like their child baptized need to contact Ramona at the office, 985-386-3749 to register for baptism preparation.

Marriage:

Contact a priest or deacon of the parish at least 6 months before the wedding at 985-386-3749.

Anointing of the Sick:

Please notify the office as soon as a Catholic is seriously ill or is having surgery.

Adoration:

Wed. 9:00 am to 10:00 pm
- Divine Mercy: 3:00 pm
- Vespers & Benediction: 6:00 pm

Catechetical Programs:

PSR-Gr. K-5; Sun 9:30-10:30 am
Ablaze-Gr. 6-8; Sun 9:30-10:30 am
High School Formation
Gr. 9-12; Sun. 5:00-7:00 pm

October 6, 2019 Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



SJS Grandparents' Day 2019

We were blessed with a beautiful day celebrating our grandparents at SJS. Thanks to everyone who made it so special!

A big thank you to the Ponchatoula Fire Department for cooking our jambalaya and to Walmart for donating cases of water!



Congratulations to 4th grade student Reese Perrin and 8th grader Tori Thompson for being chosen as our September Crusaders of the month! Students were recognized at assembly and presented with a certificate and a basket of goodies donated by Berrytown Produce!. We are so proud of you!



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Mission Statement

St. Joseph's Parish is a rapidly growing faith community that serves the spiritual and temporal needs of Southernmost Tangipahoa Parish through its various ministries.

St. Joseph's develops, supports, nurtures and educates Catholic Christians while offering to this entire expanding community a caring environment and a welcoming spirit of Christ present.

Parish Ministries and Contact Persons

Altar Servers: Michele & Glen Ernst, 985-386-6618. sj_altar_server@bellsouth.net
Bible Studies: Monday at 6 p.m.—Stephanie Waguespack, 985-981-9859
Children's Liturgy Ministry: Paige Bacile 985-386-3749.
Cooking Ministry: Cook a plate of food for our Priest one day each month, call Linda Guagliardo 985-345-8409.
Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion: Angela Pevey (Call / text) 985-507-5757.
Readers: Larry Ernst, 985-386-5731. lernst1@bellsouth.net
Marriage Ministry: Ed & Julie Hanks, 985-351-3143.
Mass Greeters: Barbara Martino, 985-386-3622.
Music Ministry: Rhonda Rossano 985-386-3749 - Choir Practice-Wednesday's at 6:30 pm.
Parish School of Religion: Grades K-12; Paige Bacile 985-386-3749
Special Education PSR: B. J. Nepveux, 985-370-7548.
RCIA: Ed or Julie Hanks, 985-351-3143.
Small Christian Community: Clay Nepveux at 985-634-8805.
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Stephen Ministry: Anita or Ronnie Perrin, 985-687-4458 or 985-386-3016.
Ushers: Contact Joseph Jason, 985-386-8639.
Widowed Friends of St. Joseph: Barbara Guy at 985-507-9966.
Word & Worship Prayer Ministry: Fernando Morales: 985-662-2844.
Women's Ministry: Mary Vedeckis, 225-294-6631.
Youth Ministry: Sarah Stoehr, 504-270-3451.

Organizations

Ancient Order of Hibernians: Ronnie Crimmins 985-773-8965.
Kaycee Auxiliary: Maureen Felder 225-294-3092 or maureenfelder75@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus: Buddy Williams, 504-252-2031 (Application for new members)
Rosary Altar Society: Evelyn Lavigne 985-386-6732
St. Vincent de Paul Society: For membership contact the church office, 985-386-3749. For assistance call 985-370-5459.
Core Group: Ronnie Perrin (Chairman), Lawton Hotard, Barbara Martino, Larry Melancon, Angeliqwe Richardson, Larry Wilson
Finance Committee: Dennis James (Chairman) Michelle Ernst, Mike Fulmer, Larry Melancon, Brian Steib, Barbara Theriot .
Council of Ministries: Vance Balado, Melissa Henderson, Lisa Kennedy, Harry LeBlanc, Rachael Perrin, Stephanie Reggio, Rodney Schmaltz, Mary Threton, Wayne Vedeckis, Stephanie Waguespack, Tom Waller, Bill Wheat. Ad Hoc Council Members: Fr. McDuffie, Deacon Larry Melancon, Danette Ragusa.

Download Our New Parish App!

Our new St. Joseph's app is now available to download for iPhone and Android smart phones. Stay connected with our parish throughout the week with instant notifications, an easy-to-access event calendar, and the ability to quickly reply to or share messages via Facebook or Twitter. Also enjoy a bunch of additional features like prayers, daily readings, helpful reminders to silence your phone before Mass or Confession, and much more.

Help foster a stronger parish life at St. Joseph's and better engage the New Evangelization.

Download our app today at myparishapp.com or search your phone's app store for my parish.



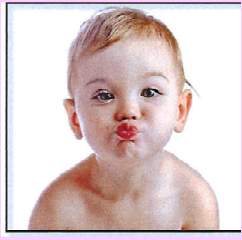
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The Parish access code is **DPWW2F**



Life Chain

Sunday October 6th, 2019

9:30am – 10:30am ← NEW TIME!

(in front of Ministry Center)

Signs and water are provided, please bring your whole family and witness for life! Rain or shine!

TODAY!!!

40 DAYS FOR LIFE.
LOUISIANA

Saturday, October 19th, 2019

7:00am – 7:00pm

Baton Rouge Delta Abortion Clinic

2 people needed per hour, carpooling and caravanning available.

For more information contact Julie or Ed Hanks, (985) 351-3143.

America Needs Fatima

St. Joseph's Rosary Altar Society and Knights of Columbus invites you to

**Join us for the 2019
Public Square Rosary Crusade**

Saturday, October 12th

at 12 Noon

in front of St. Joseph's School

Come and pray for peace in the world, country, and pro life issues.



Please bring friends, family, lawn chair, and rosaries. Water will be provided! If it rains we will go to the chapel in Church. Questions call Peggy West 985-370-7397.

Our Lady of Fatima

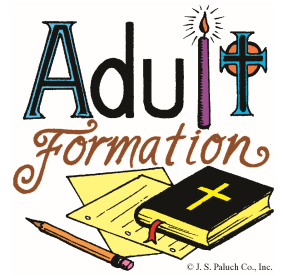
On Sunday, **October 13**, in honor of Our Lady of Fatima and the Miracle of the Sun, our PSR students K-5 will gather in the gym at 9:30 am to learn about this miracle and then process with the Fatima statue ending in the Narthex at 10:30 am.

Families and parishioners are welcome to join us. The 11 am Mass will be served by our young people and the youth choir will sing.



New Adult Formation Class Starting Soon

Exploring Our Catholic Liturgy: Oct. 6th, 13th, 27th, Nov 3rd (9:30 am-10:30 am)
Chris O'Neill- School Library



STARTING TODAY

Most of us have been going to Mass all our lives and we're familiar with the prayers and responses- when to sit, kneel, and stand. For many of us the Mass has become routine and maybe even boring. This class takes a closer look at the Mass. We'll learn about the theology of the liturgy, study the liturgical texts together and learn about other Catholic liturgical expressions like the Liturgies of the Easter Rites and the pre-Vatican II Tridentine Mass in Latin. Come explore our rich Catholic heritage of liturgical worship. Going to Mass every Sunday won't be the same!



On a Sacred Note

It is generally true that the more we know about something, the better we understand it and may appreciate it. An important step in understanding our Liturgy is understanding the music of the Liturgy.

If you have ever wondered why we sing certain prayers and hymns during Mass and why we don't sing others or just have questions about Sacred Music, consider attending **Sacred Notes, the Music of the Liturgy** offered Sundays from 9:30 – 10:30 am twice monthly beginning **October 20th**.

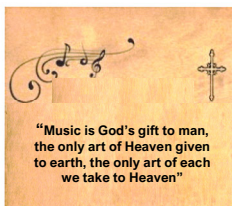
Do You Hear What I Hear?

Yes, that is the sound of voices rehearsing for Christmas Mass. This year, we are excited to have two choirs for Christmas. The St. Joseph's School Choir and Teen/Young Adult Choir will join to sing at the 4:00 pm Christmas Eve Mass. The Adult Liturgical Choir will sing at the 7:00 pm Christmas Eve Mass. Do you sing or play an instrument? Have you always wanted to be part of the choir and just haven't taken that leap? No experience is required. You are invited to share your talents. What a marvelous gift you have to give this Christmas! The Teen/Young Adult choir rehearses the 2nd and 4th Sunday each month from 9:30-10:30 am. The Adult Choir rehearses on Wednesdays from 6:30 – 7:30 pm. Both choirs meet in the Church Choir room. Call Rhonda at 386-3749 for additional details.

TEEN AND YOUNG ADULT CHOIR

WE'RE LOOKING FOR YOU IF YOU SING

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Baritone
Bass



"Music is God's gift to man, the only art of Heaven given to earth, the only art of each we take to Heaven"



Rehearsals:
2nd & 4th Sundays
each Month

9:30-10:30 AM
Choir Room

Starts Sept. 8

"PRAYING FOR FAMILIES"

There is so much brokenness in our world—families are suffering from the effects of divorce, addiction, and abuse, and many are turning away from God. If you are a spouse, parent, relative, or concerned friend of someone who has fallen away from the Church or is struggling with their faith, or you simply wish to offer prayers for those in need of conversion, please join the women of

Monica's Journey

for an evening of prayer, worship music, and Eucharistic Adoration.

Friday, October 18, 2019, from 6:00 p.m. until midnight



Participants should stay as long as possible, but it is not necessary that they remain for the entire event if they are unable to do so. Fasting is encouraged but not required, and light refreshments will be provided.

St. Monica is the patron saint of difficult marriages, troubled children, victims of adultery, victims of abuse, and conversion of relatives. Her profound faith and constant prayer helped to bring about the conversion of her pagan husband, Patricius, and her wayward son, Augustine, who would become a great saint and Doctor of the Church.

She is a perfect example of fortitude, patience, and trust in the Lord and the power of persistent prayer.



A Little Faith

Today our readings are about faith, frustration, and how much is enough. Habakkuk is a complainer having an argument with God. Timothy is encouraging a community challenged by cowardice and the apostles want more faith than they have. Things aren't happening fast enough for any of them or for us. All of them and we want God to do something sooner rather than later and we want God to give us a reason to believe that it will all work out. What does God do? God puts it back on them—and us—telling Habakkuk to describe the world he wants; telling the apostles to do more than the expected. Doing more with less is a familiar phrase today and a reminder that a little faith may be enough even for the most difficult times.

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Today's Readings

First Reading — The just ones, because of their faith, shall live (Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4).

Psalms — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 95).

Second Reading — Bear hardship with the strength that comes from God (2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14).

Gospel — The apostles said to Jesus, "Increase our faith" (Luke 17:5-10).

Monica's Journey

"Monica's Journey" is a ministry of St. Joseph Catholic Church for women who struggle to find answers in the midst of difficult relationships or traumatic experiences in their lives. This ministry gives them a welcoming and non-judgmental place to find the hope and healing they need. Meetings are held in the evening during the week for 90 minutes. Members of other denominations are welcome. **This is a strictly confidential group and a confidentiality statement must be signed by all members.** The place and time of meetings will be disclosed after initial contact is made with the group facilitator. Voicemail: *Please leave a message and your call will be returned as soon as possible. (985) 467-9520.*

Healing Hearts

Healing Hearts: A Catholic support group for WOMEN, whose relationships have been negatively impacted by the pornography addiction or sexual addiction of a loved one. This may include a spouse, boyfriend, family member or friend. Strict confidentiality is observed by all members. Meetings are held on a weekly basis. Contact 985-401-2010 for more information and respond to the prompting.



Healing from Divorce Group

If you are separated or divorced, the Church cares about you. The loss of a relationship through separation or divorce poses one of the most difficult transitions a person can face. As people journey through a divorce, they face the stress of emotions, life changes, and developing a way to live a new life. As a Church, we are called to imitate Jesus Christ, who always sought to heal the brokenhearted. St. Joseph now has a new ministry for this purpose. For more information please contact Angela Perrin at 985-318-4927.

Please Pray for Sick and Shut-Ins

Jason Abernaghy, Joseph Agnello, Stephanie Alexander, Patrick Bailey, Ockie Baldassoro, Mark Bear, Gloria Bennett, Mildred Bittick, Ray Boihem, Michelle Bossier, Hazel Boudreaux, Larry Boudreaux, Ranice Bourg, Angel Braun, Brewster Family, JoAnne Brisset, Baby David Burriss, Morgan Carel, Carol Castle, Dennis Charbonnet, Rita Charbonnet, Julian Chiro, Shirley Chislom, Gavin Cieutat, PJ Clause, Phillip Connelley, Aurelie Costanza, Tilly Cutrer, Ken Davidson, Lucille Davidson, Kitty Derveley, Larry Deslatte, Stacey Dolan, Lawrence Dominguez, Beverly Dominique, Carol Dominguez, John Dufreche, Noel & Andrew Dzuryachko, Pam Elder, Lisa Elstrot, Veronica Fannally, Joey Fortenberry, Marge Frahm, Eva Francois, Lenny George, Malissa Gonzalez, Brian Guichet, Myrthus Guichet, Anne Guidry, Jean Guitreau, Diane Gunther, Katherine Harris, Warren Heckmann, Sherry Hill, Elaine Hoover, Tammy Perrin Horn, Peggy Howes, Jimmy Hubert, Tara Huguet, Grace Innerarity, Jackie Jacobs, Jennifer Jernigan, Norma Kraemer, David Kraft, Charles Gregory Kraft, Sis Kyzar, Wayne Laurent, Doris Lavigne, Ruby Drude Lee, Margie Liuzza, Elsie Major, Mary Twickler Mann, Francis Martino, Patricia McKigney, Cole McMillion, Ella Mae Melancon, Willie Melancon, Barry Mince Sr., Victoria Miranda, Patricia Monteleone, Andrew Morales, Ed Murray, Betty Olsen, Dayna O'Neill, CJ Otilio, Carol Ott, Wanda Pandarvis, Bert Perilloux, Fran Poche, Ann Prine, Mary Prine, Mike Raiford, Dale Roberts, A. J. Roig, Jr., Liz Sanderson, Rosa Maria Santos, Bob Simoneaux, Kayla Smith, Millie Spansel, Wylene Remy Taylor, Madeline Thibodeaux, Tracy Todd, Mike Tourmillon, Cheryl Twickler, Nathan Vicknair, Sam Vilardo, Sam Viola, Carla Van Vrancken, June Villa, Glen Walker, Danny Wall, Francis Waguespack, Rodney Wempren, Peggy West, Julie Wheelahan, Brock Wiggins, Sandra Wooten. *Names submitted will be included for 4 weeks. Please call the Church office to renew.*

Please pray for members of our parish family serving our country in the armed forces and remember also their families:

CM Sgt Christopher Castle, Col. Brad Duplessis, Col. Brian Duplessis, Col. David, Duplessis- Commander, Mason Joiner Sgt Major in Army, Capt. Kathleen Keller, Jacob Milton, Commander Eric Olsen, US Navy. *Names submitted will be included for 4 weeks. Please call the Church office to renew.*

Saints and Special Observations

Sunday: Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time; Respect Life Sunday
Monday: Our Lady of the Rosary
Wednesday: St. Denis and Companions; St. John Leonardi
Friday: St. John XXIII
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary



PAL (Parents of Addicted Loved-ones) is a support group of parents helping parents. PAL is also open to spouses and other family members and friends (18 or older) who have a loved one struggling with addiction. .

A local PAL group meets in the St. Dominic room of St. Joseph's Ministry Building on the corner of 8th and Pine St. every 2nd and 4th Thursday from 6-7:30 pm.

We look forward to sharing this program of hope and support with you. For questions or information contact Mary Jo B. at 985-320-3010 or Paige B. 985-981-8010 or review the website www.palgroup.org. All inquiries are held in strict confidence. **You are not alone There is HOPE.**

Readings for the Week of

October 7, 2019

Monday: Jon 1:1 — 2:2, 11; Jon 2:3-5, 8; Lk 10:25-37
 Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8; Lk 10:38-42
 Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4
 Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:5-13
 Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9; Lk 11:15-26
 Saturday: Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday's Readings (October 13, 2019)

First Reading.....2 Kings 5:14-17
 Second Reading.....2 Timothy 2:8-13
 Gospel.....Luke 17:11-19
 Psalm..... 98:1, 2-3, 3-4

Mass Intentions

Monday, October 7, 2019

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

Tuesday, October 8, 2019

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

Wednesday, October 9, 2019

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

Thursday, October 10, 2019

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

Saturday, October 12, 2019

5:00 PM Dudley & Geraldine Berthelot
 Ronald Braun
 Cecile Dugas Ellenberger
 (L) Michael Foret
 Vincent Latino, Sr.
 Mark McDuffie
 Bill Perrin
 Deanna Piediscalzo
 Rufus Poche
 Dorothy M. Prator
 Joseph D. Provenzano, Sr.
 Family of Michael Pugh
 John & Ida Salvador
 (L) Liz Sanderson
 Audrey Scamardo
 (L) Betty Springer
 Joy Steib
 Steve Vuljojn
 Joseph Mike Zeringue

Sunday, October 13, 2019

8:00 AM For the People of the Parish

11:00 AM Patsy Atkins
 Louis & Floretta Aymond
 Wayne Aymond
 Cecile & Jack Bates
 Paul Colomes
 (L) Deacons, Wives & Their Families
 Mary Sue Drude
 Richard & Clotilde Drude
 Ted Dupont
 (L) Noel & Andy Dzuryachko
 Marianne Evans
 (L) Michael Foret
 Johnny Gregoire
 Deceased Members of Jaundot Family
 (L) David Kraft
 Deonard & Gertrude Kraft
 Merlin "Moe" Laurent
 Stanley & Helen Laurent
 (L) Deacon Steve and Nan Ourso
 Morgan Perrin, Sr.
 Joseph D. Provenzano, Sr.
 Michael Vincent Pugh
 (L) Liz Sanderson
 Audrey Paulette Scamardo
 Marie Schilling
 Joy Tucker Steib
 (L) Sage Waller
 (L) Karen Weaver

(L) Indicates Living

PLEASE NOTE: There will be **NO** Weekday Masses or Confessions October 7th-10th. We will have Communion Services on those dates.



Rosary Altar Society

The Rosary Altar Society will meet on Monday,
October 7th at 1:30 pm in the Ministry Building.

All ladies of the parish are invited.

Ministry Schedules

Saturday, October 12th & Sunday October 13th

Eucharistic Ministers

5PM Barbara Martino 1c
 Fay Murray 2c
 Linda LeCompte 3c
 Deacon 4c
 Rachel Perrin 5c
 John Albrecht 7b
 Angela Pevey 8b
 Ronald Perrin 9b

8AM Mary Jo Balado 1c
 Buddy Pugh 2c
 Scott Henderson 3c
 Deacon 4c
 Melissa Henderson 5c
 Harold Thibodeaux 7b
 Stephanie Waguespack 8b
 Barbara McGary 9b

11AM Stacy Randazzo 1c
 Veronica Pierson 2c
 Danette Ragusa 3c
 Deacon 4c
 Kerry Balado 5c
 Bax Baxley 7b
 Carol Kinchen 8b
 Barbara Guy 9b

5PM Altar Servers
 Aubrey Alston
 Joshua Carter Alston
 Addy Liuzza

8AM Cambre Boudreaux
 Ella Boudreaux
 Nathan Palisi

11AM Lexie Driscoll
 Marianna Fulks
 Travis Turner, II

Ushers

Jesse Bergeron
 Chris Marmillion
 Philip LeCompte
 Durald Pinion
 Vincent Poche
 John Yeargain

Michael Chiasson
 Joseph Jason
 Francis Waguespack
 George Peltier
 Jacob Schmaltz
 Ronnie Reggio

Sidney Alexander
 Randy Bennett
 SUB REQUESTED
 Joseph Ragan
 Jeff Ryan
 Buddy Williams

Greeters

5 PM Belita Schilling
 8AM Carolyn Pugh
 11 AM D. Schanzbach

Lectors

5PM Janice Radosti
 8AM Nicole Dillon
 11 AM Deborah Vogel

Financial News

YTD	Actual	Budgeted	Difference
9/29/2019	\$247,140.64	\$247,000.00	\$ +140.64
Church Support	\$13,635.18		
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 2,298.06		
Mis. Collections	\$ 112.00		
	\$16,045.24		

Second Collections

St. Joseph School: October 13th
 Propagation of Faith: October 20th



Gardening Angels

Thank you angels for a job well done!
 Brogan Cason giving us a helping hand with some very badly needed weeding.
 Alex Roy back to doing his favorite gardening chore.



Shayne & Savannah Johnson enjoying Family Gardening Therapy! And the family has committed to adopting their own garden!

Kellie & son Brody Bridges, along with friends Martha LeSaicherre & son Noah, not only weeded together for Family Gardening Therapy but the moms had the opportunity to initiate their own 5th grade sons into Gardening Angels!



OOPS! My fault, no photo available for Gardening Angels Rheis & sibling Rhett Broom! Thanks angels for help with the much needed weeding. Come back and get your picture taken!



You Have a Gift !!!

The Holy Spirit has given each of us special gifts to help other people. If God is calling you to use your gift to care for people in crisis. Please answer that call and become a Stephen Minister. Every day you see people who are hurting. Some have lost a job. Have lost a loved one, have gone through a divorce, or are battling a terminal illness. Stephen Ministers are God's representatives who bring his love to those who are hurting. God is waiting to make a difference in their lives through you. If you want to find out more about how you can be involved in this one to one care giving ministry, contact Anita Perrin (985) 687-4458 or Ronnie Perrin (985) 507-9765.



St. Joseph's Ministry Leaders Meeting

All Leaders

Sunday, October 22nd
6pm in the Church

Louisiana Youth Pilgrimage to the March for Life

From Womb to Tomb - We Stand for Life

A life-changing experience that will take you from Baton Rouge to the White House, and from the Holocaust Museum to the Supreme Court steps, where you will join hundreds of thousands from across America who have come to take a stand for life.

Other highlights include national monuments, the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament, the Mother House of the Nashville Dominican Sisters, Mount Vernon, Capitol Tours, the National Basilica, the Lincoln Memorial, and countless other experiences. Like no other!



WHEN: January 19-25, 2020
WHO: 10-12th grade students

October 9th- Deadline to let Sarah know if you are coming this year. She needs to purchase seats on October 10th and once they're gone, they're gone.

Pro Vita Benefit Dinner

Dinner & Silent Auction
To benefit the
Youth March for Life Pilgrimage
Thursday, October 17
6:30 pm
St. Michael High School Gym
\$75 per person or \$500 per table of 8

For more information contact
Emily Froeba at
225-620-5291
or youthmarchforlife@gmail.com

Pro-Vita auction items needed! If you have any items you are willing to donate, the funds raised go to our teens going on the March! Contact Sarah Stoehr if you have something to donate
sstoehr@sjscrusaders.org or
(985) 386-3749.

Marian Consecration for Teens

"Mary is the safest, easiest, shortest and most perfect way of approaching Jesus." -St. Louis Marie de Montfort

Starting November 8th and ending with consecration ceremony on December 12th, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. We will meet every Sunday, 9:30am-10:30am, location to be announced. Consecration book and notebook will be provided if you sign up early. First gathering will be November 3rd. For more information or to sign up, contact Mary Hanks 985-602-6949.



Widowed Friends

Mark your calendar for changes in destinations. **October 8th, Chookies**, 45654 University Park Dr, Hammond and **October 22nd at B&J's Seafood**, 45654 University Park Dr, Hammond. **Bring a guest for our event at B&J's.** Looking forward to seeing you there and God bless. All events start at 11:30 am

The Widowed Friends group has been formed to provide for the specific fellowship of Widows and Widowers. Parishioners who are in other circumstances of single life are invited and encouraged to join the various ministries in our parish offers to suit their specific and/or general needs.

Mark Your Calendar

Saturday, Oct. 5th, Sunday Oct 6th KC's selling BBQ Chicken Dinner Tickets- All Masses

Sunday, October 6th
Life Chain-9:30am- Ministry Building



Sunday, October 6th
Called and Gifted Class-9:30 am in Ms. Notariano's Classroom

Sunday, October 6th
PSR, Ablaze 9:30am-10:30 am

Sunday, October 6th
RCIA Class-9:30 am in the Ministry Building

Monday, October 7th
Rosary Altar Society- 1:30 pm in the St. Catherine Room.

Tuesday, October 8th
Widowed Friends- 11:30 am at Chookies

Tuesday, October 8th
St. Vincent de Paul Society-6:30 pm Meeting in the Ministry Building

Tuesday, October 8th
Word & Worship 7pm in the Chapel

Wednesday, October 9th
Divine Mercy Chaplet-3pm in the Chapel

Wednesday, October 9th
Choir Practice- 6:30 pm in the Choir Room.

Wednesday, October 9th
Lord, Teach Me to Pray-6:30 pm
For Women- St. Catherine Room
For Men- St. Dominic Room

Thursday, October 10th
PAL Meeting- 6pm in the St. Dominic Room.

Saturday, October 12th
Our Lady of Fatima- Public Square Rosary Crusade
-Noon in front of St. Joseph's School.

Sunday, October 13th
Our Lady of Fatima Procession-9:30 am in the Gym

Sunday, October 13th
Teen and Young Adult Choir- 9:30 am in Choir

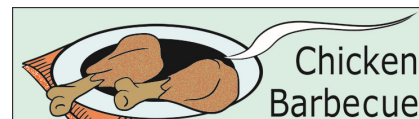
Wednesday, October 16th
Baptism Class for Parents & Godparents- 7pm in the Ministry Building

Friday, October 18th
Praying for Families- 6pm in the Chapel

Saturday, October 19th
40 Days for Life- 7am-7pm Baton Rouge Delta Abortion Clinic

KC's Columbus Day BBQ

Tickets are available at all Masses for the Knights of Columbus Council 4874 Columbus Day BBQ. For a donation of \$8.00, BBQ chicken dinners will be ready for pick up Sunday, October 13, between 9 AM and 12:30 PM. This annual fundraiser supports the Knights' community service projects. The Council will no longer be holding this BBQ event during Memorial Day weekend in May.



Chicken
Barbecue