



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

October 3, 2021 The Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

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 6:00 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



**WALK
IN
THE
LIGHT
OF
SAINT
JOSEPH**

Devotions to the Man of the Year

Monday, October 11, 2021

St. Joseph Devotion Walk

6:30 PM

Tuesday, October 12, 2021

St. Joseph Votive Mass

7:00 PM



Saturday, October 16, 2021

**A Celebration of the Sorrows
and Joys of St. Joseph**

10:00 AM

A Diocesan wide invitation to celebrate St. Joseph, reflecting on his Seven Sorrows and Joys.

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Staff

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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: 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
Parish School of Religion: Grades K-12; Paige Bacile 985-386-3749
Special Education PSR: 985-386-3749.
RCIA: Ed or Julie Hanks, 985-351-3143.
St. Joseph Bereavement Food Ministry: Cheryl Laiche, 985-386-2033 or Anne Phillips, 985-969-2700
Stephen Ministry: Anita or Ronnie Perrin, 985-687-4458 or 985-386-3016.
Ushers: Contact Barry Blackledge 985-510-5502.
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:
Middle School: Kayla Fletcher: 985-386-3749
High School: Nicole Richard: 985-386-3749

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.



Organizations

Ancient Order of Hibernians: Ronnie Crimmins 985-773-8965.
Kaycee Auxiliary: Carolyn Pugh : 985-320-5741
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, Rebecca Smith, Larry Wilson
Finance Committee: Dennis James (Chairman) Michelle Ernst, Mike Fulmer, Larry Melancon, Brian Steib, Barbara Theriot
Council of Ministries: Vance Balado, Gordon Cotton, Lisa Kennedy, Harry LeBlanc, Rachael Perrin, Angela Pevey, Stephanie Reggio, Rodney Schmaltz, Wayne Vedeckis, Stephanie Waguespack, Tom Waller, Bill Wheat.
Ad Hoc Council Members: Fr. McDuffie, Deacon Larry Melancon, Fernando Morales, Danette Ragusa.

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PICK OF THE WEEK

Oct 3, 2021

WATCH CLARE AND FRANCIS

This outstanding movie is unique among films about St. Francis because of the historical accuracy of the story and its authentic spirit of joy and piety so characteristic of Francis, as well as the major role played by Clare, who is given equal stature with him. Both found major religious orders, and together they inspire many to follow their radical call to live the Gospel. Their impact has reached across the centuries to change the world.



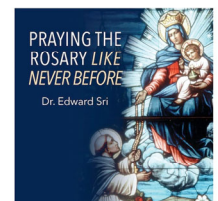
LEARN MISERY MEETS MERCY: ST FAUSTINA



Dr. Ben Akers and Fr. Mateusz Ratajczak discuss St. Faustina Kowalska and her role of bringing the message of Divine Mercy to the Church..

LISTEN PRAYING THE ROSARY LIKE NEVER BEFORE BY DR. EDWARD SRI

In this Lighthouse Talk, Sri discusses the main tenets of his book, *The New Rosary in Scripture: Biblical Insights on Praying the Twenty Mysteries*. Dr. Sri shares Pope St. John Paul II's practical strategies for praying the Rosary better so you can encounter Jesus more deeply in prayer.



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Sunday, October 3rd

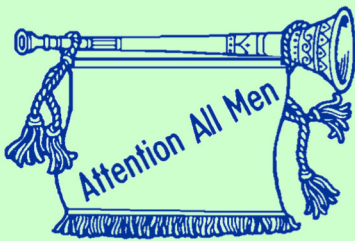
9:30-10:30 am

(in front of the Ministry Center)

Join us, as we stand for life and bring awareness to our local community. Join in prayer from 9:30-10:30 am on Pine Street. We will gather in the Ministry Center. Signs and water are provided, please bring your whole family and witness for life!

This fall, churches throughout our region will unite for the fall campaign of 40 Days for Life—an International, 40 day focused effort to pray and fast for an end to abortion starting on September 22 and ending on October 31.

In addition to forty days of prayer and fasting, we will participate in peaceful prayer from 7am to 7pm outside of Delta Abortion Clinic, located at 756 Colonial Drive in Baton Rouge. St. Joseph's has adopted the following date: **Saturday, October 16, 2021**
2 people needed per hour, carpooling and caravanning available.
For more information: Julie or Ed Hanks (985) 351-3143



St. Joseph's Needs You!

Ushers Needed!!!

For more information, see any

Usher after Mass, or call

Barry Blackledge

985-510-5502

Knights of Columbus



BBQ Chicken Dinners

Sunday, October 17th

9 am-12:30 pm at the Church

Tickets are available after Masses
this weekend and next weekend.

Tickets are \$10.00

YOUTH MINISTRY



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Confirmation

CORNER

What a wonderful first class back for 9th-12th grade! Grateful for our catechists who said **YES** to this vocation; and for our teens who showed up;)

WE DO HAVE CLASS THIS SUNDAY OCTOBER 3. It is listed in your parent/teen Thirst Confirmation Info Packet that you received either at meeting/first day of class/picked up in office. **A FAMILY EVENT IS REQUIRED:** And this Sunday is Life Chain Sunday and will count. So we meet at 9:15 am in **THE UPPER ROOM** (cute name, right) with a family and a rosary. We have some Pro-Life posters...but you can make one as a family as well. We will gather either outside or in gym to pray the rosary. (see announcement in bulletin for more details)

FORMS DUE THIS SUNDAY...Extra little packet with video/ photograph permission and the bullying contract (or the **NO BULLYING**).

Please keep in mind that Mass is also required. You can either worship at 8:00 am or 11:00 am. **THE BULLETIN IS YOUR LIFELINE TO THIS CONFIRMATION JOURNEY AS WELL AS THE PARENT PACKET.**



GRACE n GRUB

Thursday, October 14
Nicole & Kelly's House
6:30 pm

GUEST SPEAKER NICK WILEY
TOPIC: DISCERNMENT

Anyone who has **COMPLETED HIGH SCHOOL, 18 - 30 in age and considers themselves a Young Adult. You do not have to be in college. There is not a hard and fast age limit; but if you are 30 and over there's probably a better group in our church with whom you can meet. There are married couples, recent high school grads and single professionals. If you are a young adult looking to grow in our faith community take a peep at ROOTED. We are in early stages of being formed. For more information contact nrichard@sjscrusaders.org.**

IMMEDIATE CONFIRMATION TEENS...TIME TO START RESEARCHING YOUR SAINT FOR THE SACRAMENT!

Every week there will be **WHAT SAINT SAID THAT?** In the bulletin to help you learn about different vessels for the Lord.



WHAT SAINT SAID THIS?

“Let us make up for lost time. Let us give to God the time that remains to us.”

St. Wenceslaus
OR

St. Alphonsus Liguori

LAST WEEK'S SAINT...ST. TERESE L' SIEUX

YOU'RE INVITED TO Return to Love RED STICK CATHOLIC FEST 2021

HIGH SCHOOLERS WILL ENJOY AN AFTERNOON PACKED WITH DYNAMIC SPEAKERS, PRAISE AND WORSHIP, SMALL-GROUP TIME, CONFESSION AND ADORATION.

Speakers Include

DEACON MICHAEL PARKER | ERIN FRANCO | FR. JOSH JOHNSON |
AVERA MARIA SANTO | WEST GIFFIN | KATHLEEN LEE | FR. MAT DUNN
| MUSIC BY MEGAN BRAUD AND ERIC WILKES

St. John the Evangelist \$30 per participant
15208 LA-73, PRAIRIEVILLE, LA 70769
FROM 1-9 P.M.

REGISTRATION RE-OPENS SEPTEMBER 7TH! FOR MORE INFORMATION,
EMAIL YOUR PARISH YOUTH MINISTER OR CAMPUS MINISTER.

SEE YOU
Saturday, October 30, 2021



ADO (short for Adoration) is back for THIRST! WEDNESDAYS 5-6 PM

CONFIRMATION REQUIREMENTS include some adoration time if classes will be missed due to schedules. You have service/log in sheets in your packets—please note your time with Jesus on it.



Be strong and courageous and sign up for Bring Your Bible to School Day on Thursday, October 7! It's a great way for students and families to read and treasure the Bible and to encourage others with the hope found in Jesus Christ!

The Barriers That Separate Us

We live in a society that has many technological avenues for stimulation and entertainment, one in which the urban population exceeds the non-urban. It is curious that loneliness is a prevalent malady. It is easy to reach out and touch someone, we are told. But—in truth—it is not all that easy, and statistics from the mental health field will reinforce that opinion. Today's readings are about the ways in which we can authentically reach out: God touches Adam to create a mate and end his solitude; God-in-Jesus takes on human flesh and death in order that we might come to glory; Jesus reaches out to the children whom the disciples had tried to keep away, showing us the manner in which we must approach the loving embrace that awaits us in heaven. Until that day, however, we must remember that ours is a sacramental church, a church of signs of the love of God. And so we are called to reach out continually to ease the loneliness and the barriers that separate us from one another and, therefore, from the love of Christ.

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Today's Readings

First Reading — The man said, "This one is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called 'woman' " (Genesis 2:18-24).

Psalm — May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives (Psalm 128).

Second Reading — He who consecrates and those who are being consecrated all have one origin (Hebrews 2:9-11).

Gospel — Whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it (Mark 10:2-16 [2-12]).

Monica's Journey

Monica's Journey is a ministry of St. Joseph's Catholic Church for women who struggle from the brokenness of difficult relationships, abuse, 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. Please leave a voicemail or send a text message to (985) 467-9520 for further information. "Wait for the Lord; Be strong and let your heart take courage: Yes, wait for the Lord!" Psalm 27:14.

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

Jack Addison, Stephanie Alexander, Victoria "Vickie" Alexander, Laurie Allen, Ockie Baldassoro, Sr., Patrick Bailey, Mark Bear, Gloria Bennett, Mildred Bittick, David Blake, Michelle Bossier, Ann Boudreaux, Hazel Boudreaux, Larry Boudreaux, Ranice Bourg, Barbara Bourgeois, Angel Braun, Amy Brennan, JoAnne Brisset, Baby David Burris, Christine Castjohn, Rita Charbonnet, Julian Chiro, Eddie Cicardo, Gavin Cieutat, Gasper Corpora's Grandsons—Dominic & Osais, Barbara Cravata, Ken Davidson, Lucille Davidson, Pat Davis, Melissa Balado Dean, Kitty Derveloy, Beverly Dominique, Carol Dominguez, Danette Crovetto Drell, Kenneth Paul Drude, Joan Duplessis, Andrew Dzuryachko, Pam Guichet Elder, Nicholas Eirich, Jay Ernst, Jeanette Ernst, Veronica Fannaly, Joey Fortenberry, Marge Frahm, Eva Francois, Clint Gagliano, Lenny George, Nittie Gilliland, Carolyn Gillingham, Molly Gladney, Malissa Gonzalez, Joan Gurganus, Brian Guichet, Myrthus "Twinkle" Guichet, Anne Guidry, Pat Gullo, Katherine Harris, Sedia Hebert, Carol Hevert, Tommy Hebert, Kalee Henderson, Darrell Hoover, Lois Hoover, Tammy Perrin Horn, Peggy Howes, Jimmy Hubert, Harold Hungerford, Ashley Ingolia, Betty Ingolia, Ray Ingolia, Jennifer Jernigan, Lawrence Joiner, Victoria Keys and baby Natalie Keys, Nora Keys, Carol Kinchen, Alan Klein, Beulah Kluka, David Kraft, Pam Kraft, Scoffer Kraft, Sis Kyzar, Cheryl Laiche, Baby Callie Lakes, Norma Larrieu, Diane Lavigne, Paul Laurent, Wayne Laurent, Ruby Drude Lee, Liz LeSaicherre, Hilton Lloyd, IV, Steve Lowery, Henry Lumino, Sr., Henry Lumino, Jr. Andie Mashburn, Arthur & Tate Mashburn, Caitlyn Matherne, William Mathes, Melissa McCormick, John & Susan McKinney, Ginger McLin, Cole McMillion, Barry Mince, Sr., Anna Mae Mixon, Patricia Monteleone, Dr. Joseph Mirrando, Andrew Morales, Ed Murray, Aliyah Naquin, Cindy Newton, Judy Nicholas, James O'Conner, Ruth Ourso, Wanda Pandarvis, George Peltier, Diane Pepitone, Wayne Pepitone, Bert Perilloux, Marisa Perrin, Anne Phillips, Camilla Phillips, Fran Poche, Beth Powell, Ann Prine, Mary Prine, Lise Richard, Sr. Barbara Richter, MSC., Bryan Roddick, A. J. Roig, Jr., Brooklyne Sansone, Ernest Schenck, CJ Schiro, Patricia Charbonnet Schmit, Bob Simoneaux, Bristol Rose Smith, Kayla Smith, Ronald Springer, Sr., Rose Stahl, Jackie Stanga, Lynette Stanga, Robin St. Cyr, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Tartamelia, Wylene Remy Taylor, Earl Theriot, Madeline Thibodeaux, Tracy Todd, Mike Toumillon, Carlo Triolo, Sam Vilardo, Ronald Vining, Sam Viola, Stone Viola, Carla Van Vrancken, June Villa, Glen Walker, Adelle Wall, Danny Wall, Danni Waugh, Rodney Wempren, Faith Rose Wiltz, Phiney Yenni, Gabby Young. **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:

Col. Brian Duplessis, Col. David, Duplessis-Cole Gunham, US Navy, Commander, Mason Joiner Sgt Major in Army, Navy Petty Officer HM2 Kegan Keller, Jacob Milton, Commander Eric Olsen, US Navy. Elijah Whittington, Clyde Williamson, IV-Army, **Names submitted will be included for 4 weeks.**

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Saints and Special Observations

Sunday: Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time; Respect Life Sunday
Monday: St. Francis of Assisi
Tuesday: Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos
Wednesday: St. Bruno; Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher
Thursday: Our Lady of the Rosary
Saturday: St. Denis and Companions; St. John Leonardi;

Intentions of the Holy Father— October 2021

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel.



PAL (Parents of Addicted Loved-ones) is a support group open to parents and other adult family members who have a loved one struggling with addiction.

We meet every 2nd & 4th Thursday from 6-7:30 pm in the Ministry Building (St. Catherine Room).

For more information contact Mary Jo B. at 985-320-3010 or Paige B. 985-981-8010 . www.palgroup.org.

Readings for the Week of

October 4, 2021

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 Readings (October 10, 2021)

First Reading.....Wisdom 7:7-11
 Second Reading.....Hebrews 4:12-13
 Gospel.....Mark 10:17-30 or 10:17-27
 Psalm.....90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17

Mass Intentions

Monday, October 4, 2021

8:00 AM Lynn Lambert, Jr.

Tuesday, October 5, 2021

8:00 AM Jessica Bleakley Galatas

Wednesday, October 6, 2021

8:00 AM (L) Paula & Sean Rome

Thursday, October 7, 2021

8:00 AM (L) Brandon Beggren

Saturday, October 9, 2021

5:00 PM Sandra Bowman Bates
 Earl Baudin
 Dudley & Geraldine Berthelot
 Lucy Braun
 Delton Brooks
 Dennis Charbonnet, Jr.
 (L) Cora Derenbecker
 Henrietta & Buddy Joiner
 Wayne Kraemer
 L/D Members of the Landry Family
 Tony Landry
 Vincent Latino, Sr.
 Jane Maregno
 Erin Mauterer
 Ernest Ourso

Bill Perrin
 Rita Perrin
 Joe Provenzano, Sr.
 Steve Pugh
 Rufus Poche
 Liz Sanderson
 Deborah Sirisophon
 Glenn Snyder
 Sal Yenni
 Kathryn Zitzmann

Sunday, October 10, 2021

8:00 AM For the People of the Parish

11:00 AM Mary, Sam, & Ciro Agnello

Ruth Begue
 Bobby & Tilly Cutrer
 Zachary Cutrer
 Mary Sue Drude
 Richard & Clotilde Drude
 Scoffer & Pam Kraft
 Lynn Lambert, Jr.
 Doris Drude Lavigne
 (L) Linda Leblanc
 Elise & Levon Major
 Kelsey Martin
 Erin Mauterer
 (L) Shirley Morse
 Ernest Ourso
 Doris Perrin
 Rita Mae Perrin

Audrey Scamardo
 Glenn Snyder
 Herberth Stahl, Jr.
 Jackie Stanga
 Gerald Waguespack
 (L) Wells Family
 Sal Yenni

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are donated:

In Loving Memory of: **Patricia Pugh Yeargain**

By: John Yeargain

Stewardship

Let the Children Come to Me
Gen 2: 18-24/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16

“Amen, I say to you, whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child will not enter it.” If you are reading this, it is very likely that you are not a child. Yet today’s Gospel tells us that our faith and discipleship must resemble that of children. So, what do we have to learn from the younger members of society? How can we model our discipleship off of their example? Children are humble, and often shy away from prominence and publicity. Children are obedient by instinct; they have not yet learned the false sense of independence that often separates adults from God. Children know how to trust; they believe the best about others and do not suspect the world. Children know how to forgive, rather than holding grudges and nursing bitterness. Let us take a step back to watch how children approach Jesus, and let us live out faith as authentically as they do! In Stewardship, we need to trust God. Trust in being able to let go and let God, knowing God will provide. When people live in stewardship, God sees the trust in Him. Stewards trust God like they’ve never trusted before. Trust comes with the acceptance That God is at work in the world and in our own lives.



Financial News

YTD	Actual	Budgeted	Difference
9/26/2021	\$ 226,591.17	\$247,000.00	\$ -20,408.83
Church Support	\$ 17,584.25		
India Mission Appeal	\$ 960.00		
Misc. Collections	\$ 1,442.00		
	\$ 19,986.25		

Second Collections

St. Joseph School	October 10, 2021
Propagation of Faith	October 24, 2021
St. Vincent de Paul	October 31, 2021

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, October 9th & Sunday, October 10th

	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Ushers</u>
5PM	Stephanie Willie 7b Veronica Pierson 8b Angela Pevey 9b	Alex Joiner Chris Marmillion Durald Pinion Frank Schilling John Yeargain
8AM	Alice James 7b Mary Jo Balado 8b Danette Ragusa 9b	Jeremy Barado Michael Chiasson Rene’ Folse Rodney Schmaltz Roland Terrebonne Francis Waguespack
11 AM	Peggy Hastings 7b Deborah Vogel 8b Ronald Perrin 9b	Barry Blackledge Marcial Gomez Christopher McNabb Robert McNabb Kelly Richard Jeff Ryan Bob Zimmerman

Lectors

5PM	Tony Guagliardo, Jr.
8AM	Dennis James
11 AM	Catherine Rodriguez

Rosary Altar Society

All ladies of the parish are invited to the Rosary Altar Society meeting on **Monday, October 4th** at **10:30 am** in the St. Benedict Room in the Church.

NEW MEETING TIME

School News

Our 8th graders got to meet their Kindergarten buddies! Everyone was so excited to spend some time together getting to know each other in some beautiful weather! They all look forward to many more activities throughout the year, especially attending weekly Mass together.



Bereavement Ministry

The Bereavement Quilting Ministry will meet in the St. Benedict Room on **Tuesday, October 5th** at 5:30 pm. For more information contact Sheila Guillot at 985-320-4490.

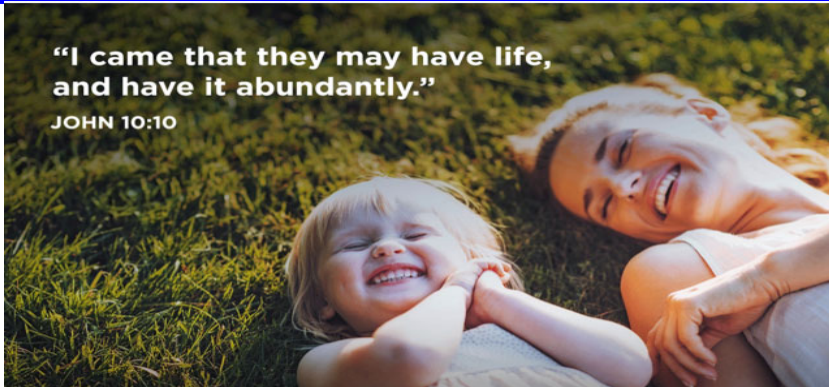


Stephen Ministers Are Care Givers, God Is The Cure Giver

The role of a Stephen Minister is to give care. They listen, empathize, encourage, and pray for you. They provide emotional and spiritual support on a weekly basis to hurting people for as long as the need persists. God works in and through Stephen Ministers to bring hope and healing. If you are feeling lonely, experiencing a crisis, struggling through Covid, or simply stressed by everyday life, talk with one of our Stephen Leaders. Our Stephen Ministers are ready to care for you. Anita Perrin (985) 687-4458, Ronnie Perrin (985) 507-9765, Terri Huguet (504) 450-5459, or Ron Huguet (504) 232-2484.



**"I came that they may have life,
and have it abundantly."
JOHN 10:10**



Mark Your Calendar

Saturday & Sunday Oct 2nd & 3rd, 9th & 10th
KC's Selling BBQ Chicken Dinner Tickets—after all Masses

Sunday, October 3rd 9:15-10:30 am
PSR—Ablaze—Thirst—

Sunday, October 3rd
Life Chain—9:30 am in front of the Ministry Center

Sunday, October 3rd
RCIA—9:30 am—St. Benedict Room

Monday, October 4th
Rosary Altar Society Meeting—10:30 am in the St. Benedict Room in the Church

Monday, October 4th
Youth Choir Practice—4:00 pm in the Church Choir Room

Monday, October 4th
Monday Night Bible Study—6:00 pm in the St. Joseph Room

Monday, October 4th
Adult Choir Practice—6:30 pm in the Church

Tuesday, October 5th
St. Joseph's Bereavement Quilting Ministry—5:30 pm in the St. Benedict Room

Tuesday, October 5th
St. Vincent de Paul Meeting—6:30 pm in the St. Joseph Room

Tuesday, October 5th
Word & Worship—7:00 pm in the Church

Wednesday, October 6th
Adoration—8:30 am—6:00 pm
Divine Mercy Chaplet—3:00 pm
Vespers—6:00 pm

Wednesday, October 6th
Come As You Are—6pm—St. Joseph Room

Friday, October 8th
Men's Bible Study—6:30 am—Benedict Room

Saturday, October 9th
Men's Morning Prayer Group—6:30 am in the Church

Monday, October 11th
St. Joseph Devotion Walk—6:30 pm

Tuesday, October 12th
St. Joseph Votive Mass—7:00 pm

Wednesday, October 13th
Baptism Class for Parents and Godparents—7:00 pm in the St. Benedict Room

Thursday, October 14th
Grace n Grub—6:30 pm

Saturday, October 16th
40 Days for Life—7am-7pm outside Delta Abortion Clinic

Saturday, October 16th
A Celebration of the Sorrows and Joys of St—10:00 am

Sunday, October 17th
KC's Barbeque Chicken Dinners—9am to 12:30 pm in front of the church.



Year of St Joseph

"In Joseph...heads of the household are blessed with the unsurpassed model of fatherly watchfulness and care."

- Pope Leo XIII


ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY

DENTAL IMPLANTS • WISDOM TEETH • FACIAL TRAUMA
JAW SURGERY • PRE-PROSTHETIC SURGERY
TMJ DISORDERS • SLEEP APNEA • CLEFT LIP & PALATE
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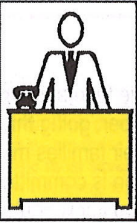


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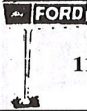
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