



# 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](http://www.stjosephsonline.com)

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

**October 31, 2021 The Thirty-First 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

*Faith Sharing*  
COMMUNITY TESTIMONY SERVICE

*"May they all be as one,  
as you, Father,  
are in me and I am in you."*

John 17:21a, CSB

ALL ARE INVITED TO JOIN US

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH  
AT 5:45 PM**

ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH  
255 N. 8TH ST,  
PONCHATOULA, LA 70454



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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](mailto: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](mailto: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](http://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.

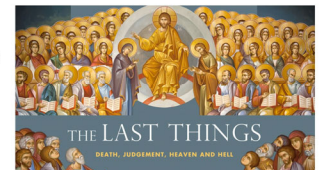
## FORMED®

PICK OF THE WEEK

Oct 31, 2021

### WATCH THE LAST THINGS

This film presents the reality of death and what will follow for every person: first the particular Judgment before God, then Heaven or Hell as our destination for all eternity. The Catholic teaching on Purgatory is also explained, giving examples from the Scriptures and philosophy.



### LEARN

TRUE REFORMERS: EPISODE FOUR  
SAINT CHARLES BORROMEO: THE GOOD SHEPHERD

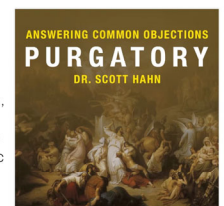


As the Cardinal-nephew of Pope Pius IV, Saint Charles Borromeo was one of the wealthiest and most powerful men in all of Rome. Yet he chose the extraordinary challenge of reforming the enormous Archdiocese of Milan to the pampered life of a Renaissance prince, and willingly spent himself in the service of his flock.

### LISTEN

PURGATORY BY DR. SCOTT HAHN

Covering the Biblical evidence for the authority of the Pope, the doctrine of Purgatory, devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary and the Saints, the Sacrament of Confession, the Real Presence in the Holy Eucharist, and more, the remarkable set is an essential resource for answering the various objections that Protestants makes to the Catholic Faith.



Our parish has a FORMED subscription.  
To set up your free account visit [formed.org/signup](http://formed.org/signup) and select our parish.

## Dulac Hurricane Relief



Photos of damage to Nicole Boudreaux's home.



*Thank you for your continued support of this worthy cause.*

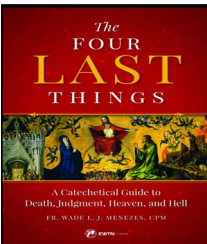


Nicole Boudreaux's family recently received their new trailer, thanks to your support and Ponchatoula First Baptist Church. Pictured above is Fr. Antonio Maria Speedy of Holy Family Catholic Church in Dulac with Nicole and two of her children.

## *O Come All Ye Faithful!*

We will celebrate the birth of our Lord in less than 8 weeks. With joyful anticipation, the Christmas Choir is beginning rehearsals for the 7 pm Christmas Vigil Mass. Come, join us! This is a lovely way to prepare for and celebrate the birth of our Lord. It is also an excellent time to give choir a try. We hope you will find the experience fulfilling and will continue after Christmas, but there is no contract, so you may prefer to be part of the choir in the pew. Is God asking you to serve him in the choir? The rehearsals are held on Monday evenings from 6:30-7:30 pm in the Choir Room in the church. We welcome vocalists and instrumentalists. Please call Rhonda at the church office (386-3749) for more information.

The **Voice of the Holy Innocents Youth Choir**, and **SJS Choir** will be singing for the 4 pm Christmas Mass on Christmas Eve. VHI meets on Mondays from 4:00-5:00 pm in the Choir Room and welcomes any students of kindergarten age or above. Please contact Rhonda at the number above for information about our youth choir.



## *New Adult Formation Class- Starting TODAY*

We want to invite all of our parishioners to read "The Four Last Things" and join Vance Balado as he leads a discussion of the book authored by Fr. Wade Menezes. Please join us in the school library on **10/31, 11/7, 11/14, and 11/21 at 9:30 am in between the Masses**. We look forward to seeing you! Please contact the church office or email Rachael Perrin at [rlbperrin@bellsouth.net](mailto:rlbperrin@bellsouth.net) with any questions and RSVP.

Have you ever wondered what happens after death? Where you go? What will it be like when you get there? Come hear the surprising facts that the Catechism, the Saints, and Holy Scripture reveals to us about life after death.



## *All Saints Day*

The Solemnity of All Saints, November 1, falls on a Monday this year, and is **NOT** a Holy Day of obligation. We will have a Mass at 8 am.

On the day that you were born  
the angels got together  
And decided to create  
a dream come true...



**OCTOBER 31, 2021 THIRST PSR IN GYM 9:15 am Sharp!! - 10:30 ish**  
**CIRCLES OF GRACE with Mrs. Nicole**  
**TOPIC: YOU ARE CREATED TO BE A SAINT**  
**WEAR SAINTS CLOTHES...ATTEND MASS AT 11:00 am....NO SHORTS PLEASE**

## Confirmation Corner

Class is on for October 31 in the gym. Please note baby flier above.  
 11-12th grade...make sure you have your **YELLOW YOUCAT BOOK** at every class. **PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO BE TO CLASS ON TIME AT 9:15 AM.**

Remember Mass is required...8:00 am or 11:00 am—before or after **THIRST PSR:)**

**NOTE:** November 7th 6-8pm in the Church if **FAITH SHARING NIGHT**. This will be counted as one of your **FAMILY EVENT CREDITS:)** Please mark your calendars. There will be great music, great speakers of all ages, and a fellowship of churches.

**THIRST 11TH-12TH**  
**GRADE IMMEDIATE**  
**CONFIRMATION TEENS**  
**AND PARENTS**



When your Confirmation saint is Joan of Arc



**BE SURE TO DOWNLOAD YOUR BOOK APP**

This helps if you **MUST** miss a class. Parents, you can also see what your teen is learning and open up family discussions at home!

## YOUTH MINISTRY



### 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.

### HAPPY ALL SAINTS' DAY !!!

#### WHAT SAINT SAID THIS?



“O my God, teach me to be generous, to serve you as you deserve to be served, to give without counting the cost, to fight without fear of being wounded, to work without seeking rest, and to spend myself without expecting any reward, but the knowledge that I am doing your holy will. Amen.”

St. Ignatius of Loyola  
 OR  
 St. George

*LAST WEEK'S SAINT...St. Elizabeth Ann Seton*

### ADO HIGH SCHOOL THIRST EVERY WEDNESDAY

**5-6 PM (or any time that day that is convenient for you from 8am-6pm)**

THIS IS  
 WHAT IT'S  
 ALL ABOUT.



**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.

## COME AS YOU ARE

NOVEMBER 3 & 17

6-7:30 PM

ST. JOSEPH ROOM

NOV 3- GAME NIGHT

NOV 17- FRIENDSGIVING  
 BRING A SMALL SIDE DISH  
 OR DESSERT!

## Love God

As we near the end of the liturgical year we listen to Gospel readings from the final stage of Jesus' ministry—his teaching in Jerusalem. This Sunday Jesus is in conversation with one of the scribes of the temple. In a rare occurrence Jesus and the scribe agree on the two greatest commandments—to love God with all your being and to love your neighbor as yourself.

In today's selection from Deuteronomy Moses gives this teaching to the Israelites as the core of their life of faith and prayer, and Psalm 18 echoes this prayer with the words, "I love you, O LORD, my strength" (Psalm 18:2). Jews and Christians agree that our greatest responsibility is to love the one and only God, and that we cannot claim to love God without loving our neighbor as ourselves. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



## Today's Readings

**First Reading** — The LORD, the God of your fathers, will give you a land flowing with milk and honey (Deuteronomy 6:2-6).

**Psalm** — I love you, Lord, my strength (Psalm 18).

**Second Reading** — Jesus is always able to save those who approach God through him (Hebrews 7:23-28).

**Gospel** — To love God with all your heart and to love your neighbor as yourself is worth more than all burnt offerings and sacrifices (Mark 12:28b-34).

## 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

Jason Abernathy, 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, Tarez Clark, Barbara Cravata, Ken Davidson, Lucille Davidson, Pat Davis, Melissa Balado Dean, Kitty Derveley, Edward Dieser, Beverly Dominique, Carol Dominguez, Danette Crovotto 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, Jordi Griggs, Joan Gurganus, Brian Guichet, Myrthus "Twinkle" Guichet, Anne Guidry, Pat Gullo, Bob Hackney, Katherine Harris, Sedia Hebert, 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 Larriue, Diane Lavigne, Wayne Laurent, Ruby Drude Lee, Liz LeSaicherre, Steve Lowery, Fay Lowry, Henry Lumino, Sr., Nora Lumino, Andie Mashburn, Arthur & Tate Mashburn, Caitlyn Matherne, William Mathes, Melissa McCormick, John & Susan McKinney, Ginger McLin, Cole McMillion, Barry Mince, Sr., Lisa Mince, Anna Mae Mixon, Patricia Monteleone, Dr. Joseph Mirando, Andrew Morales, Ed Murray, Aliyah Naquin, Cindy Newton, Judy Nicholas, James O'Conner, Ruth Ourso, Wanda Pandarvis, Eric Peltier, George Peltier, Diane Pepitone, Wayne Pepitone, Bert Perilloux, Marisa Perrin, Anne Phillips, Camilla Phillips, Fran Poche, 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 Tournillon, Carlo Triolo, Jean Troxler, Travis Troxler, Sam Vilardo, Ronald Vining, Sam Viola, Stone Viola, Carla Van Vrancken, June Villa, Glen Walker, Adelle Wall, Danny Wall, Danni Waugh, Rodney Wempren, Regi White, Faith Rose Wiltz, Phiney Yenni, **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, 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. Please call the Church office to renew.**

## Saints and Special Observations

Sunday: Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Monday: All Saints  
 Tuesday: Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)  
 Wednesday: St. Martin de Porres  
 Thursday: St. Charles Borromeo  
 Friday: First Friday  
 Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday

## Intentions of the Holy Father- November 2021

We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.



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](http://www.palgroup.org).

## Readings for the Week of

November 1, 2021

Monday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a  
 Tuesday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40, or any readings from no. 668 or from the Masses for the Dead, nos. 1011-1016  
 Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33  
 Thursday: Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14; Lk 15:1-10  
 Friday: Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 16:1-8  
 Saturday: Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Lk 16:9-15

### Next Sunday Readings (November 7, 2021)

First Reading.....1 Kings 17:10-16  
 Second Reading.....Hebrews 9:24-28  
 Gospel..... Mark 12: 38-44 or 12:41-44  
 Psalm.....146: 7, 8-9, 9-10

## Mass Intentions

### Monday, November 1, 2021

8:00 AM Lillian Foret  
 Connelley & Rolufs Family

### Tuesday, November 2, 2021

8:00 AM Franklin Borgerson

### Wednesday, November 3, 2021

8:00 AM Nancy Dupont

### Thursday, November 4, 2021

8:00 AMJ (L) Kelly Ourso

### Saturday, November 6, 2021

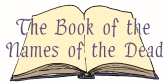
5:00 PM	Jim Bankston	Ernest Ourso
	Earl Baudin	Bill Perrin
	Dudley & Geraldine Berthelot	Rufus Poche.
	(L) Ann Boudreaux	Steve Pugh
	Delton Brooks	Martha Rogers
	Dennis Charbonnet, Jr.	Liz Sanderson
	Charles Dominguez	Glenn Snyder
	Wayne Kraemer	Sal Yenni
	Vincent Latino, Sr.	

### Sunday, November 7, 2021

8:00 AM	For the People of the Parish	
11:00 AM	Ruth Begue	Fritz Miller, Jr.
	Lucy Braun	Ernest Ourso
	Alice Ann Broussard	Rita Mae Perrin
	Heidi & Anthony Davis	(L) Reggie Pevey
	Mary Sue Drude	Steve Pugh
	Richard & Clotilde Drude	Scott Ramirez
	(L) Mike & Sandra Fulmer	Audrey Scamardo
	William & Antoinette Garrity	Glenn Snyder
	(L) Josiah Colt Jacob	Herberth Stahl, Jr.
	Cotton & Louanna Kraft	(L) David & Holly Strong
	DD Kraft	Donald Todd
	Lynnen Lambert, Jr.	(L) Wells Family
	Doris Drude Lavigne	Sal Yenni

## All Souls Day Remembrance

Envelopes are available near the Our Lady of Purgatory Statue, for remembrance of loved ones during the month of November. Envelopes can be dropped in the collection box.



## Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are donated:

In Loving Memory of: **Donald Todd**

By: Melanie Todd



## Stewardship

### The Gift of the Priesthood – The BIG Reveal

*Dt 6:2-6/ Heb 7:23-28 / Mk 12:28b-34*

Today's reading from the Letter to the Hebrews invites us to ponder the gift of the priesthood. In this passage, we read of the beauty of Jesus' perfect priesthood, and all that was given to us in that sacrifice. It also calls to mind the beautiful sacrifices made by our earthly priests. But does it call to mind the beauty of YOUR own priesthood — the one to which you were anointed in Baptism? A key function of the priesthood is to open a way of access to God.

Obviously, Jesus did this for us, and so do our parish priests today. How do your own sacrifices do this for you and those around you? How does your prayer life and your handling of suffering reflect the priesthood? If these are difficult questions for you, perhaps it is time for you to make a real connection with the priests around you. Invite one or two to walk with you as you grow in your faith. Learn and be inspired by them. And by all means, pray for them.

## Financial News

YTD	Actual	Budgeted	Difference
10/24/2021	\$ 299,845.57	\$323,000.00	\$ -23,154.43
Church Support	\$ 16,533.00		
Collection for Dulac	\$ 5,742.89		
World Mission	\$ 753.00		
Misc. Collections	\$ 807.26		
	<b>\$ 23,836.15</b>		

### Second Collections

St. Vincent de Paul      October 31, 2021

## Ministry Schedule

### Saturday, November 6th & Sunday, November 7th

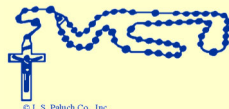
	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Ushers</u>
5PM	Fay Murray 7b Stephanie Willie 8b Mary Ernst 9b	Alex Joiner John Laiche Chris Marmillion Francis Martino Durald Pinion John Yeargain
8AM	Harold Thibodeaux 7b Harry LeBlanc 8b Jason Hotard 9b	Jeremy Barado Gordon Cotton Rene' Folse Pete Peterson Rodney Schmaltz Francis Waguespack
11 AM	Deborah Vogel 7b Tony Guagliardo, III 8b Donna Clause 9b	Barry Blackledge Marcial Gomez Christopher McNabb Robert McNabb Kelly Richard Jeff Ryan

### Altar Servers

	<u>Lectors</u>
5PM	5PM Larry Ernst
8AM	8AM Ed Hanks
11AM	11AM Phyllis Aymond

## Rosary Altar Society

Next Meeting: **Tuesday, November 2nd 10:30 am** in the Church Conference Room, all ladies of the parish are invited to attend.



## School News



Our 4-H members did a great job with the annual 4-H Pumpkin Contest! Congrats to all students who earned a ribbon on their pumpkin creativity!

## Bishops Annual Appeal- 2021-22:

### Caring For Our Families in the Spirit of St. Joseph

In scripture, we find a prime example of good stewardship in the earthly father of Jesus Recognizing that God entrusted him to the care and livelihood of the Savior of the world and the Blessed Mother, Joseph chose to discern God's guidance. Like Joseph, God has called us to be good stewards over all that HE entrusts to us. Family is one of the invaluable assets God has bestowed upon us.

This year's theme for the Bishop's Annual Appeal, *Caring for Our Families in the Spirit of St. Joseph*, reminds us of our vital role in not only attending to our family but also our church and community families. Last year, our parish answered the call to serve others through support of the BAA, A total of 56 members from St. Joseph's gave \$8,879. to the past year's successful campaign. Thank you for your support! Prayerfully, you will consider contributing to this year's campaign. Give online at: [www.diobr.org/stewardship](http://www.diobr.org/stewardship)

## Kaycee Ladies Spaghetti Dinner

The Kaycee Ladies Auxiliary will have their annual Spaghetti Dinner on **Thursday, November 18th**. There will be dine in - or take out dinners available from 4pm-7pm at the KC Hall. Tickets will be on sale after all Masses on October 30th & 31st, November 6th, 7th, 13th.



The Bereavement Quilting Ministry will meet in the St. Benedict Room on **Tuesday, November 2nd** at 5:30 pm. For more information contact Sheila Guillot at 985-320-4490.



## Stephen Ministry

Going through a crisis is painful at any time, but it can be even harder in the midst of everything going on right now. No one has to struggle through their crisis alone. A Stephen Minister will walk with you and share your burden. Things are always better if you have someone to talk to and someone to give you encouragement. Everything is confidential so you are able to talk with your Stephen Minister and not worry about what you say. When you keep feelings locked inside you, they have a tendency to keep getting larger. A Stephen Minister can make a difference so that you have that person you can trust; so you can unlock all those issues you are dealing with so you can move forward. Our Stephen Ministers are ready to help. Please call one of our leaders so they can set you up with a Stephen Minister. Anita Perrin (985) 687-4458, Ronnie Perrin (985) 507-9765, Terri Huguet (504) 450-5459 or Ron Huguet (504) 232-2484. You don't have to feel alone.

## Mark Your Calendar

**Saturday & Sunday, Oct. 30th 31st, Nov 6th -7th, Nov 13th** Ladies Auxiliary—selling tickets for Spaghetti Dinner

**Sunday, October 31st** 9:15-10:30 am  
PSR—Ablaze—Thirst

**Sunday, October 31st**  
RCIA— 9:30 am—St. Benedict Room

**Sunday, October 31st**  
"The Four Last Things" - 9:30 am in the School Library.

**Monday, November 1st**  
Youth Choir Practice—4:00 pm in the Church Choir Room

**Monday, November 1st**  
Monday Night Bible Study—6:00 pm in the St. Joseph Room

**Monday, November 1st**  
Adult Choir Practice—6:30 pm in the Choir Room

**Tuesday, November 2nd**  
Rosary Altar Society Meeting—10:30 am in the Church Conference Room

**Tuesday, November 2nd**  
St. Joseph's Bereavement Quilting Ministry—5:30 pm in the St. Benedict Room



**Tuesday, November 2nd**  
St. Vincent de Paul Meeting—6:30 pm in the St. Joseph Room

**Tuesday, November 2nd**  
Word & Worship—7:00 pm in the Church

**Wednesday, November 3rd**  
Adoration— 8:30 am—6:00 pm  
Divine Mercy Chaplet—3:00 pm Vespers—6:00 pm

**Wednesday, November 3rd**  
Come As You Are—Ablaze—6pm in the St. Joseph Room

**Wednesday, November 3rd**  
Consecration to St. Joseph—6:30 pm in the St. Catherine Room in the Ministry Building



**Friday, November 5th**  
Men's Bible Study—6:30 am—Benedict Room

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

**Sunday, November 7th**  
Faith Sharing—5:45 pm at St. Joseph's Church

**Wednesday, November 10th**  
Baptism Class for Parents and Godparents— 7 pm in the St. Benedict Room

**Sunday, November 14th**  
St. Joseph's Church—Blood Drive  
9am—1 pm in SJS Gym



**Thursday, November 18th**  
Kaycee Ladies Auxiliary Spaghetti Dinner—4 pm-7pm at the KC Hall— Dine In or Take Out



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