

Bulletins:

Please remember to take a copy of the parish bulletin **home with you as you leave church**. We have noticed more bulletins remaining in the pews after Holy Mass; this is an important means of communication of upcoming and current parish events and news.

NECROLOGY:

Please remember the souls of these departed Priests, Deacons, Bishops, and other religious who have served our Diocese: Monday, Jan. 19: Rev. Desire Senneville (+1977), Tuesday, Jan. 20: Rev. John P. Ferret (+1936), Rev. L. Espittaller (+1954), Rev. Jules C. Speyrer (+2010), Thursday, Jan. 22: Rev. Alfred Dupret (+1935), Friday, Jan. 23: Most Rev. Maurice Schexnayder (+1981)

Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine et lux perpetua luceat eis.

LOUISIANA LIFE MARCH

Will you march with us to defend the defenseless? The Louisiana Life March in Baton Rouge will take place on **Saturday, January 24**. If you are interested in riding the Knights of Columbus bus to the Life March, please sign up at the St. Pius X Church office or by contacting Gerald Hoffmann at geraldhoff@aol.com or 337-993-0212. Round trip fare will be \$6 per person. Online registration and payments is available at <http://tinyurl.com/lifemarchbus>. Deadline for registration is January 16, 2015.



INTENTIONS OF POPE FRANCIS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY:

- **Universal:** That those from diverse religious traditions and all people of good will may work together for peace.
- **Evangelization:** That in this year dedicated to consecrated life, religious men and women may rediscover the joy of following Christ and strive to serve the poor with zeal.



PRAYERS FOR OUR DIOCESAN PRIESTS:

Each day, please remember the following Priests in prayer:

Monday, Jan. 19: Rev. Corey Campeaux, Tuesday, Jan. 20: Rev. Joseph Campion, SSJ, Wednesday, Jan. 21: Bishop Dominic Carmon, SVD, Thursday, Jan. 22: Rev. Clair Cazayoux, SJ, Friday, Jan. 23: Rev. Michael Champagne, CJC, Saturday, Jan. 24: Rev. Gregory Chauvin, Sunday, Jan. 25: Rev. Blaine Clement

Eternal Father, we lift up to You these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

VILLE PLATTE PRO-LIFE WALK

Please join us next weekend, on **Sunday, January 25th**, for our annual pro-life walk. Our walk will begin following the 10:30 a.m. Mass at Our Lady Queen of All Saints (around 11:45). Ville Platte Christians will walk to Sacred Heart church, praying the pro-life Rosary for an end to abortion in our nation and in the world. Following the walk we will have our guest speaker, Dr. Kathy Allen, the State director of Louisiana Black Advocated for Life. As the mother of a son with Down's Syndrome, Dr. Kathy Allen found the courage to speak out and help end the tragedy that is abortion.

Please join us next Sunday as we bear witness to the sacredness of all human life. There will be transportation from Sacred Heart Church back to OLQAS parking lot following the walk.

PRAYER FOR THE YEAR OF CONSECRATED LIFE

O God, throughout the ages you have called women and men to pursue lives of perfect charity through the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity, and obedience. During this Year of Consecrated Life, we give you thanks for these courageous witnesses of Faith and models of inspiration. Their pursuit of holy lives teaches us to make a more perfect offering of ourselves to you. Continue to enrich your Church by calling forth sons and daughters who, having found the pearl of great price, treasure the Kingdom of Heaven above all things. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

The Year 2 Spring Sessions of TMIY have begun. Sessions are held every Tuesday morning from 5:30-7 a.m. at the Our Lady



Queen of All Saints Family Life Center. One highlight of Year 2 Spring sessions will be a "Lenten Journey" to fall in line with the upcoming weeks of lent. Consider joining the men of our community in this free weekly program to grow in faith this year!

SUNDAY: 18 JANUARY: THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

From the Pastor

"My heart's desire and prayer to God for them is that they may be saved." Romans 10:1

Mes chers amis,

Now that the Christmas season has concluded, we return to the Church's Liturgical season called *Tempus per Annum*, literally, the Time through the Year, known as Ordinary Time. During this season, we do not celebrate any particular event in the life of Our Lord Jesus (such as we do at Christmas, Easter, etc.). Rather, we accompany Him through His public ministry in the Gospel as He preaches, teaches, heals, and forgives sins.

Recently, I've received some feedback about the Sacred Music that accompanies Holy Mass here at Sacred Heart. Several people have mentioned how much they enjoy the beauty of the chants - both in Latin and English - and appreciated them being restored to our worship. Others have expressed hesitation about the Latin. In light of this, let me explain the reason we have chants - both in English and Latin.

Vatican II taught clearly in its document on the Sacred Liturgy, *Sacrosanctum Concilium*: **"36. Particular law remaining in force, the use of the Latin language is to be preserved in the Latin rites."** It then went on to say that some parts of the Mass could be in the language of the People (in our case, English), particularly the readings. However, that didn't mean that all texts of the Mass should be.

Regarding Gregorian Chant, *Sacrosanctum Concilium* of Vatican II went on to say: **"116. The Church acknowledges Gregorian chant as specially suited to the Roman liturgy: therefore, other things being equal, it should be given pride of place in liturgical services."**

The US Bishops have also given us direction in light of the teaching of Vatican II. Their most recent document on *Liturgical Music is Sing to the Lord: Music in Divine Worship (2007)*. Regarding Latin, the Bishops wrote: **"61. The use of the vernacular is the norm in most liturgical celebrations in the dioceses of the United States for the sake of a better comprehension of the mystery being celebrated. However, care should be taken to foster the role of Latin in the Liturgy, particularly in liturgical song. Pastors should ensure that the faithful may also be able to say or to sing together in Latin those parts of the Ordinary of the Mass which pertain to them."**

Likewise, regarding Gregorian Chant, the Bishops teach: **"72. Gregorian chant is uniquely the Church's own music. Chant is a living connection with our forebears in the faith, the traditional music of the Roman rite, a sign of communion with the universal Church, a bond of unity across cultures, a means for diverse communities to participate together in song, and a summons to contemplative participation in the Liturgy."**

Finally, touching on both Latin and Gregorian Chant, the Bishops say: **"74. The Second Vatican Council directed that the faithful be able to sing parts of the Ordinary of the Mass together in Latin. In many worshipping communities in the United States, fulfilling this directive will mean introducing**

Latin chant to worshipers who perhaps have not sung it before. While prudence, pastoral sensitivity, and reasonable time for progress are encouraged to achieve this end, every effort in this regard is laudable and highly encouraged."

In light of what the Church teaches about Sacred Music, which Vatican II called **"112...a treasure of inestimable value, greater even than that of any other art"**, how should we approach the Sacred Music which accompanies our celebration of Holy Mass?

The most ancient Eucharistic Prayer, Eucharistic Prayer I (also known as the Roman Canon) begins with these words: **"To You, therefore, most merciful Father, we make humble prayer and petition through Jesus Christ, Your Son, Our Lord..."** In other words, our worship is not about what we think or our particular likes or dislikes. Instead, we are humbly approaching Our Father in worship through Christ Our Lord, and so we do so as His Church leads us in doing it.

Secondly, in Eucharistic Prayer II, we pray: **"Therefore, as we celebrate the memorial of His Death and Resurrection, we offer You, Lord, the Bread of life and the Chalice of salvation, giving thanks that You have held us worthy to be in Your presence and minister to You."** In other words, we are thankful that we even have the chance to worship the Lord with love, ministering to Him here on earth as best we can as the Angels do in Heaven. And so, it's as the Lord's humble servants that we conform our minds and hearts to Christ and His mysteries being celebrated in the Sacred Liturgy...as the Church wants us to. Thanks for your patience as together - with Ben LeBleu, our Director of Sacred Music and the members of the parish choir in leading us - we seek to do so!

Dans le Sacré Cœur du Christ,

Fr. Vidrine

STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCE

SACRED HEART:	\$5,516.00
BISHOP'S SERVICE APPEAL:	\$763.00
TOTAL:	\$6,279.00
BELAIRE COVE:	\$440.00
BISHOP'S SERVICE APPEAL:	\$45.00
TOTAL:	\$485.00

Advertiser of the Week



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SUNDAY: 18 JANUARY: THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ALTAR SERVERS FOR THE WEEKEND OF 24 & 25 January

4 p.m. (BC)	Jace Marcantel
4 p.m. (SH)	Wendy Maggio
7 a.m.	Cade Fontenot
10 a.m.	Gabe Fontenot, Vic Parks, Connor Fontenot
5 p.m.	Lucas Kincanon

READERS FOR THE WEEKEND OF 24 & 25 January

4 p.m. (BC)	Don Marcantel
4 p.m. (SH)	William Buller
7 a.m.	Chris Stromer
10 a.m.	Annette Fontenot
5 p.m.	Cindy Pitre

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING COURSE

Have you ever thought about what unnatural birth control methods really do to your body? To your marriage? The Couple to Couple League has the answers and more. Attend a short course and learn a natural method of family planning that is safe, effective, and morally acceptable. Great for achieving as well as postponing pregnancy. The series starts Monday, January 26 at 5:30 at the home of Clint and Jillane Bischoff. Call 337 550-9831 for more information or log onto ccli.org to register.

MUSIC NOTE: MUSIC BEFORE AND AT THE CONCLUSION OF HOLY MASS

In addition to the music that accompanies the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, there is the option for music before and at the conclusion of Holy Mass. Usually, this music is instrumental and provided by the organ. These selections have a particular reason for being placed where they are in the sacred liturgy. The prelude, the music before the Mass, serves as a means to bring the congregation for the silent prayer and meditation that takes place before Holy Mass to the anticipatory preparation for the procession and the beginning of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. These preludes take place normally during the seasons of: Advent, Christmas, and Ordinary time. The postlude, or the music at the conclusion of the Mass, is meant to accompany the retiring procession. This music is often more festive or celebratory in nature as it serves as a means provide some musical accompaniment, since in the Roman Rite no hymn or antiphon is assigned to this action. The organ postlude is also meant to give a marked notice that the service is ended and that the church should once again return to a silent state for prayer and meditation, and therefore congregants should respect those remaining to pray in church and not try to carry conversations over the organ postlude. These two instances of music are meant as we can see to give audible signs to the faithful that events are either commencing or concluding, and they are another means to show how music plays a role in the Sacred Liturgy of Holy Mother the Church.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE WEEKEND OF 24 & 25 January

4 p.m. (BC)	Faye Lafleur
4 p.m. (SH)	Barbara Vidrine, JoEl Guillory
7 a.m.	Winston Lafleur, Carlton Manuel
10 a.m.	Elena DeRouen, June Hamlin
5 p.m.	Tony Marks, Greg Hollier

ALTAR SERVERS FOR THE WEEK OF 19 January - 23 January

Mon. Jan. 19, 6:30 a.m.	Laura Manuel
Tues. Jan. 20, 6:30 a.m.	Jami Fontenot
Wed. Jan. 21, 6:30 a.m.	
Thur. Jan. 22, 6:30 a.m.	The Bellows
Fri. Jan. 23, 6:30 a.m.	Vic Parks

The 3 Pillars of Lent



Please join us
for **Fr. Brian Harrington's talk**
on the 3 key elements necessary for
spiritual growth this Lent:
Prayer, Fasting, & Almsgiving.
The talk will be on **Monday, Feb. 9,**
from **5:30-6:30 pm**
at the **Family Life Center.**



It is part of the
Back-to-Basics Lecture Series.

Parking lot:

Please be reminded that the blue striped areas in the handicap parking area are for load and unload of wheelchairs or other mobile assistants. These areas ARE NOT PARKING spaces. Please leave them open for those persons who may have need of them. Also, the small area in front of the garage at the convent as well as the area immediately in front of the convent is not parking area; please make an effort to keep these areas open.



SUNDAY: 18 JANUARY: THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

INTENTIONS FOR HOLY MASS

SATURDAY, 17 JANUARY 2015

4 p.m. BC: ALEX REED, SAM MATTE, MARK KRASNOFF, MR. & MRS. WILBUR REED

Also remembered in prayer: Mr. & Mrs. Alciduse G. Fontenot, Harris Dupre (Birthday), Loyce Dupre, HARRISE JOUBERT, Elouise Fontenot, Ruth Crosby, Janet DeVille & Family

4 p.m. SH: FOR PARISHIONERS

Also remembered in prayer: Ramiro "Cid" & Carolyn Cedillo, Percy Sylvester (8th Anniversary), Hazel Sylvester, Lucien Manuel (Birthday), James Reed Sr., Nelson Fontenot, Bobby & Mark Fontenot, Jeanette Bordelon, Alvin Bordelon Family, Ted Ardoin (Birthday), Aswell & Clemence Guillory, Horace & Tauline Ardoin, Dewey Fontenot, Wayne Perrodin, Jason Aguilard, Ruby Capps, Floyd Reed

SUNDAY, 18 JANUARY 2015

7 a.m.: JESSIE BROWN, ROGERS BROWN, ADAM CORONA, DAVID SEBASTIEN, EMILY & GEORGE CATOIRE

Also remembered in prayer: Rudy Guillory, Fr. E. Fruge', Sr. M. Charles, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Brakin, Emily Tezano, Maria Fontenot

10 a.m.: DR. & MRS. GORDON SOILEAU, LYNDON SOILEAU

Also remembered in prayer: Sally Duplechin, Mary Arden Duplechin, Harry & Leevana Vidrine, Brett Fontenot, Mr. & Mrs. Essie Chapman, Richard E. Grim, Gloria F. Grim, Cristina G. Morales, Huey B. Fontenot, Mr. & Mrs. Herman L. Soileau

5 p.m.: DON & LENA FRANKS, ELDRIDGE & CHRISTINE LANDRENEAU, LUIS CANTU

MONDAY, 19 JANUARY 2015

6:30 a.m.: MR. & MRS. ROY ARDOIN & FAMILY

Also remembered in prayer: Eva S. & Ray J. Lafleur, Eunice (Anniversary), Vernon & Marla Prudhomme, Rita Keller

TUESDAY, 20 JANUARY 2015

6:30 a.m.: CHESTER MECHE

Also remembered in prayer: Mitchell Attales

WEDNESDAY, 21 JANUARY 2015

6:30 a.m.: MINNIE GALENTINE

Also remembered in prayer: Percy David, Clifton & Alice Soileau, Adam, Ross & Matthew Guillory

8:10 a.m.

THURSDAY, 22 JANUARY 2015

6:30 a.m.: URSULA ATTAWAY (BIRTHDAY), CURTIS, INEZ & C.L. ATTAWAY, THOMAS & MARY REED, ALEX & ROSE DEMORUELLE

Also remembered in prayer: Harvey LeBas Family, Eva S. & Ray J. Lafleur, Eunice, Vernon & Marla (Anniversary) Prudhomme

FRIDAY, 23 JANUARY 2015

6:30 a.m.: SEAN MCCURRY (BIRTHDAY)

Also remembered in prayer: Rudy Guillory

8:10 a.m.

SATURDAY, 24 JANUARY 2015

8 a.m.:

The office of Marriage and Family Life will be sponsoring the annual **Diocesan Marriage Anniversary Mass** on Sunday, **February 8, 2015**, at St. Landry Church in Opelousas. The 2 p.m. Mass will honor those celebrating 25, 40, 50, 60 or more years within the year 2015. Please note that there will be ONE Mass for all couples celebrating in 2015 instead of two separate Masses as was done in the past. Pre Registration is required and will close on **January 30, 2015**. For more information or to register, visit www.diola.org/marriage or call the office at 337-261-5653

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, Jan 19: Heb 5: 1-10, Mk 2: 18-22, **TUESDAY,**

Jan 20: Heb 6:10-20, Mk 2:23-28, **WEDNESDAY, Jan 21:**

Heb 7:1-3, 15-17, Mk 3:1-6, **THURSDAY, Jan 22:** Heb 7:25

– 8:6, Mk 3:7-12, **FRIDAY, Jan 23:** Heb 8:6-13, Mk 3:13-

19, **SATURDAY, Jan 24:** Heb 9:2-3, 11-14, Mk 3:20-21

Sunday, Jan. 25, readings for Holy Mass: *Worship* hymnal begins on page 1116



PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Jim Briley, Theresa Fontenot, Joyce Soileau, and Ken Thevenet



Returned to Christ through death, our prayers and sincere condolences are offered to the families of:
Lena Saucier Leger and Peggy Hudspeth

