

**SUNDAY: 2 APRIL: 5TH SUNDAY OF LENT**

**Prayer Partners  
Needed:**

There are many Holy Hours with only 1 adorer. A prayer partner for these adorers would enable them to depend on each other and allow more flexibility with their schedule.



**ADORATION CHAPEL**

The Perpetual (24 hours) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is available to us at Mercy Regional Hospital Chapel. If you are interested in becoming a regularly scheduled adorer or a substitute adorer, please phone 337-363-4533 for more information.

As Bishop Fulton J. Sheen called it... ***The Hour of Power!***

We are in need of adorers for the following times:

Fridays at 7:00p.m.

**+ Way of the Cross:**

Fridays during Lent  
5:30p.m. in Church.



**Fr. Tom's Joke of the Week**

**The pastor's good-news/bad-news day:**

Good News: The women's club voted to send you a get-well card.

Bad News: The vote passed, 31-30.

Good News: The parish council accepted your job description the way you wrote it.

Bad News: They were so inspired by what it said that they're asking the bishop for a priest capable of filling the position.



**FROM THE PASTOR**

Dear Parishioners,

Today Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead as a sign of Jesus' future resurrection. Now Lazarus would have to die again but when Jesus resurrects he doesn't die again. The same will be true for us. So death does not have the final answer. Let us live for Jesus every-day so that we can be with Him in Heaven forever.

Thursday we have our Holy Hour in church at 5:30 pm and then our Charismatic meeting in the Meeting Room afterwards. All are invited.

Our Diocesan Centennial Campaign is progressing nicely. You should have received your pledge card, if you did not then you are not registered here or we do not have your current address. Please contact us about that. There are 5 case elements for this \$42.5 million dollar diocesan campaign. Our parish goal is \$440,000.00 for Sacred Heart and \$35,000.00 for Belaire Cove. 30% of monies collected up to goal come back to us and 50% after goal. I'm glad to report that Sacred Heart Church is now at 80% and Belaire Cove is at 98%. Don't forget after we reach our goal we get to keep 50% of monies received after that. So let's surpass our goal and keep on going.

Knights of Columbus are having their annual BBQ on Palm Sunday, April 9th with pick up at the KC Hall. It is BBQ pork or 1/2 chicken with trimmings for \$8.00 per plate. If any high school students want to get service hours, cooking begins at 6:00am -10:00am and serving is from 10:00am -12:00noon. Make sure to make your Mass on Saturday evening or Sunday evening. Contact Butch Buller at 831-2228. Please come out and support them!

Please pray for our men who are on retreat this weekend in Grand Coteau.

Father Herb Bennerfield, pastor of St. Joseph Parish in Patterson, is leading a Centennial pilgrimage to Fatima Fatima in October 2017. The itinerary includes Toulouse (visit to the grave of St. Thomas Aquinas) Lourdes, Our lady of the Pillar Shrine in Zaragoza, Valley of the Fallen and El Escorial near Madrid Avila, and Santiago de Compostela in addition to Fatima. Highlighted feature of the pilgrimage: we will be in Fatima on October 13, the 100th anniversary of the miracle of the spinning sun. For further details or for a flier about the pilgrimage, please contact Fr. Bennerfield at (985)395-3616.

Easter Triduum services will be Holy Thursday, April 13th at 7:00pm; Good Friday, April 14th starting at St. Joseph Church and ending at Our Lady Queen of All Saints; Easter Vigil- Saturday, April 15th at 8:00pm; Easter Sunday we will not have a 5:00pm Mass.

Sincerely in Christ,

*Fr-Tom*  
Fr. Thomas Voorhies

## SUNDAY: 2 APRIL: 5TH SUNDAY OF LENT

### Altar Servers for the Weekend of 8 & 9 April

Sat., 4:00 p.m.(BC)	Silas & Tucker Fontenot
Sat., 4:00 p.m.	Wendy Maggio
Sun., 7:00 a.m.	*Need Altar Server*
Sun., 10:00 a.m.	Tre & Dreu Fontenot, Seth Menard, Sam Veillon
Sun., 5:00 p.m.	Sam Walker

### Readers for the Weekend of 8 & 9 April

Sat., 4:00 p.m.(BC)	Paul Roy Fontenot
Sat., 4:00 p.m.	Jackie Vidrine
Sun., 7:00 a.m.	Tim Donovan
Sun., 10:00 a.m.	Annette Fontenot
Sun., 5:00 p.m.	Cindy Pitre

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for the Weekend of 8 & 9 April

Sat., 4:00 p.m. (BC)	Margaret Fontenot
Sat., 4:00 p.m.	Joel Guillory & Barbara Vidrine
Sun., 7:00 a.m.	Brenda S. Fontenot & Barbara Fontenot
Sun., 10:00 a.m.	Paul "Fish" Fontenot & Fay Fontenot
Sun., 5:00 p.m.	Sybil Vidrine & Yvette Buller

### Altar Servers for the week of April 3-7

Mon., April 3, 6:30 a.m.	Tre & Dreu Fontenot
Tues., April 4, 6:30 a.m.	
Wed., April 5, 6:30 a.m.	
Thur. April 6, 6:30 a.m.	Rivers Lanclos
<b>HOLY HOUR, 5:30pm:</b>	<b>Tre &amp; Dreu Fontenot</b>
Fri., April 7, 6:30 a.m.	

### \*Attention Altar Servers, Readers & Eucharistic Ministers\*

Below you will find the schedule for our Easter Triduum Masses. If you have any questions or problems with the schedule, please call Michelle at the rectory!  
*Thank you all for your time & dedication to Sacred Heart!*

### April 13th – Holy Thursday, 7:00p.m.:

Altar Servers: Tre & Dreu Fontenot, Seth Menard, James Wilson, Dane Lejeune  
Readers: Alice Lejeune (SH) and Serella Williams (St. J)  
Eucharistic Ministers: Tony Marks (SH), Sybil Vidrine (SH), Elizabeth Fontenot (St.J)

### April 15th- Holy Saturday, 8:00p.m.:

Altar Servers: Tre & Dreu Fontenot, Seth Menard, Scott Peyton Jr.  
Readers: Eva Guillory, Susan Saunders, Faye Fontenot  
Eucharistic Ministers: Theresa Attales, Gail Fontenot, Deacon Scott & Letitia Peyton

### April 16th – Easter Sunday:

#### 7:00a.m. Sacred Heart:

Altar Servers: Cade Fontenot  
Reader: Dr. William Buller

Eucharistic Ministers: Suzanne Estilette, J. Paul Fontenot, Pitchy Tuminaro

#### 8:30a.m. Belaire Cove:

Altar Servers: Cole Fontenot  
Reader: Albert & Keitha Lejeune  
Eucharistic Ministers: Faye Lafleur

#### 10:00a.m. Sacred Heart:

Altar Servers: Dane Lejeune  
Reader: Annette Fontenot  
Eucharistic Ministers: Sheila Miller & Elena DeRouen

## INTENTIONS OF POPE FRANCIS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL:

That young people may respond generously to their vocations and seriously consider offering themselves to God in the priesthood or consecrated life.

### Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration with Benediction

On Holy Thursday, the night that Our Lord gave us His Body and Blood, he asked his disciples to spend one hour with him in prayer. Sacred Heart of Jesus Church has a Eucharistic Holy Hour with Exposition & Solemn Benediction each month.

**Next Holy Hour:** Thursday, April 6th 5:30pm-6:30pm

### Back-to-Basics:

**Next Class:** Monday, April 10th

**Presenter:** Fr. Mitch Guidry

**Theme:** Understanding the Book of Apocalypse

### STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCES 26 MARCH 2017 – 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

SACRED HEART	\$ 9,424.40
BISHOP SERVICES APPEAL	\$ 684.81
CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES	\$ 383.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 10,492.21</b>

BELAIRE COVE CHAPEL	\$ 372.00
BISHOP SERVICES APPEAL	\$ 39.00
CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES	\$ 1.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 412.00</b>

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATIONS AND STEWARDSHIP! PLEASE REMEMBER TO PUT SACRED HEART OF JESUS CHURCH AND SCHOOL IN YOUR WILL.

### Advertiser of the Week



**Please do not forget!** Our advertisers make this bulletin possible at no charge to the parish. Please call on them when you have need of their services.  
Thank You!

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**PRAYERS FOR OUR DIOCESAN PRIESTS:**

Each day, please remember the following Priests in prayer: **Sunday, April 2:** Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI; **Monday, April 3:** Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel; **Tuesday, April 4:** Bishop Emeritus Michael Jarrell ; **Wednesday, April 5:** Msgr. Russell Harrington; **Thursday, April 6:** Rev. David Hebert; **Friday, April 7:** Rev. T.J. Hebert **Saturday, April 8:** Rev. Matthew Higgingbotham

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.

**NECROLOGY:**

Please remember the souls of these departed Priests, Deacons, Bishops, and other religious who have served our Diocese: **Monday, April 3:** Rev. Oscar J. Chauvin (+1971); **Tuesday, April 4:** Rev. Moise P. Hebert (+1949); Most Rev. Robert E. Tracy (+1980)

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday, April 3:** Dn13: 1-9, 15-17,19-30,33-62 or 13:41c-62; Jn 8:1-11 **Tuesday, April 4:** Nm 21:4-9; Jn 8:21-30 **Wednesday, April 5:** Dn 3:14-20, 91-92,95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42 **Thursday, April 6:** Gn 17:3-9; Jn 8:51-59 **Friday, April 7:** Jer 20:10-13; Jn 10:31-42 **Saturday, April 8:** Ez 37:21-28; Jn 11:45-56 **Sunday, April 9** reading for Holy Mass *Worship Hymnal page 1042*



**PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Fr. Gene Tremie, Fr. Jonathan Janise, Deacon Ray Gibson Jr., Dale Guillory, Mitch Attales, Henrietta Deshotels, Christine P Soileau, Anita B Fontenot, James Briley, Karen Vidrine , Tad McDaniel Jr., John Clyde Deville, Beverly J. Manuel, Diane McCormick, Nasreen Marikar, Ryan Sparks, Jane Meyer, Ryan Sparks, Daniel Sparks, Sybil Vidrine, Huey Daire.

**That Man Is You!**

That Man is You! is a 26 week interactive men's program combining the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of a man fully alive. By honestly addressing the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, the nationwide program called That Man is You! seeks to form men who will be capable of transforming homes and society.

**When:** Tuesday Mornings; **Breakfast** at 5:15am; **Presentation** at 5:50am; **Small Group** at 6:20am; **Conclusion** at 7:00am

**\*Where:** *Sacred Heart Church Meeting Room*

Register for this free program online at [www.thatmanisyou.org](http://www.thatmanisyou.org) or by calling (337) 831-1278 or in person at the Family Life Center prior to any TMIY session.



**Knights of Columbus BBQ**

**Palm Sunday, April 9th**

Pick up at the KC Hall  
BBQ Pork or ½ Chicken  
with trimmings

- \$8.00 per plate

Service Hours are available for high school students.

Cooking: 6:00am- 10:00am; Serving:

10:00am-12:00noon

Contact Butch Buller for more information 831-2228



**Mega Garage Sale!!!**

*Ville Platte Christian Missions*

**Saturday, April 29th**

7:00am-2:00pm

Ville Platte Civic Center

**Volunteers Needed:** Thursday, April 27th at 12:00noon and Friday, April 28th at 7:00am  
*Any questions or help with drop off items, please call Winston Lafleur 230-5811.*



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**INTENTIONS FOR HOLY MASS**

**SATURDAY, 1 APRIL 2017**

**4:00 P.M. B.C.:** Alex Reed, Mark Krasnoff, Mr. & Mrs. Wilbur Reed, Sam Matte; Gervis Roberie, Joyce & Leo Tate, Placide & Hermonie Lejeune

**4:00 P.M.:** Gussie, Shane, Rachel, Jessie & Rogers Brown, David Sebastein, Adam Corona, Bill, Emily & George Catoire; Lawrence Do Guillory, Agatha Guillory; Mr. & Mrs. Juan Brignac & family ; Maria Nguyen Thily; Nellie & Delta Doucet, Mr. & Mrs. Alphonse Soileau; David & Pat Tate, Troy Dupre; Harold Stromer family; Mr. & Mrs. George Sebastien & Roy, Winnie Ortego; Jimmy Doucet, Mr. & Mrs. Rayfield Lafleur & Karen Lafleur; Rodrick J. Fontenot, Mr. & Mrs. Nelson A. Fontenot & family; Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Breaux & Roy; Lucas, Hazel & J.L. Brignac; L. P. Olga Ardoin Demoruelle

**SUNDAY, 2 APRIL 2017**

**7:00 A.M.:** Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Fontenot Sr. & Jr.; Kristen Lewis; Bell, Elzia, Etta & LV Thibodeaux; Miles Briley, Melba Manuel, Elic Ardoin, Pat Derouen, Lucille Carley, Blanche Chapman; Mr. & Mrs. JB Veillon & family; MR. & Mrs. Joe Tuminaro & family

**10:00 A.M.:** Irene & Joffre Fusilier, Alexis U., Victoria & Hottel Fontenot; Winnie Ortego; Sally Duplechin, Charles Nat Fontenot, Mary Arden Duplechin, Harry & Leavana Vidrine; Hilda & Alverd Johnson, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mr. & Mrs. Ned B. Fontenot, J.L. Brignac

**5:00 p.m.: FOR PARISHIONERS**

**MONDAY, 3 APRIL 2017**

**6:30 A.M.:** Nasen Fontenot Family; Chester Smith Family; David Perrodin (Birthday); Ada Fontenot, Lolita & Junior Perrodin; Jackie Coreil

**TUESDAY, 4 APRIL 2017**

**6:30 A.M.:** Police & Firefighters; Giaeob Tran Van

**WEDNESDAY, 5 APRIL 2017**

**6:30 A.M.:** Lourie Lafleur (Birthday); Hilda Lafleur, Don Soileau, Steve Coreil, Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Soileau; Theo Fontenot, Special Intention ; Matha Nguyen this Ehanh; Percy David

**THURSDAY, 6 APRIL 2017**

**6:30 A.M.:** Harvey LeBas Family; Dominieo Nguyen Van Day; Ewell Ortego

**FRIDAY, 7 APRIL 2017**

**6:30 A.M.:** Souls in Purgatory; Jacques Vidrine; Ellen Vidrine (3rd Anniversary); Angela, Ronnie, Ricky (Birthday) Tony Andrus (Birthday); Ethel Soileau; Kenneth, James, Eric, Monita, Fr. Holloway; Joseph G. Fontenot & family; Betty Lejeune & family; Elen Vidrine (3rd Anniversary) Angela Stelly (Birthday); Craig M. Fontenot, Douglas & Irene Fontenot, Mr. & Mrs. Maurice Trahan , Mr. & Mrs. Clemance Fontenot, Mr. & Mrs. Ferdinand Fontenot

**Saturday, 8 April 2017**

**6:30 A.M.:** For people in need of prayers

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**1st Communion practice for  
Sacred Heart Parish children  
Wednesday, April 12th at 5:30p.m. in Church**

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**Next Baptism Class:  
Monday, April 3rd at 6:00pm  
OLQAS Family Life Center**

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**Saturday Confession Times for 2017**

2:30pm – 3:45pm

Please spread the word!

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**EASTER FLOWERS**

Donations for Easter Flowers are now being taken in memory of loved ones. Please use the designated envelope provided with the envelope system or an envelope labeled "Easter Flowers" with your donation and your list of names by **Monday, April 3rd.**



**WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND THE DIOCESE?**

**+ St. Ann's Church (Mamou) - Lenten Mission:**

**DATE:** April 3rd, 4th, 5th **TIME:** 6:20pm-7:20pm

**PRESENTER:** Fr. Hampton Davis **THEME:** Make a Space for Grace

**+ Lenten Activities at Our Lady Queen of All Saints:**

**- Way of the Cross:** Each Friday after 12:10pm Mass.

**-Parish Mission:** Each Thursday of Lent (March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 & April 6) at 6:30p.m. there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and a meditation on one of the Seven Sorrows of Mary by Father Guidry and guest priests followed by confessions.

**-First Friday Holy Hour:** March 3rd & April 7th  
11:00am- 12:00pm

**+ Rachel's Vineyard Retreat**

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat to be held in the Acadiana Area **April 21-23, 2017**. Do you know someone hurting after an abortion? Still seeking peace years later?

Experience the healing love of Jesus at our Rachel's Vineyard Retreat. Retreat includes sharing of stories, Scripture based spiritual exercises, Sacraments, and a Memorial Service. The retreat is open to women, men, couples, and family members touched by **ABORTION**.

For more information contact: Diocesan Office of Pro Life Apostolate at **337.261.5607**

Inquiries, registration and participation are completely confidential.

**+ LSUE Awakening Retreat:**

The next available Awakening Retreat held at the LSUE Catholic Student Center will be on **April 21-23rd**. It is for young adults; you do not have to be in college to attend. The cost of the retreat is \$15.00 to cover all costs for the weekend, including your food, t-shirt, and lodging. For more information about the retreat and to sign up, stop by the LSUE Catholic Student Center and speak to Joe Nelson (CSC Campus Minister) or you may register online at **www.**

**awakeningretreat.org/register**

*\*If you'd like to attend the Awakening Retreat and can't afford it, we will be happy to find a sponsor for you to attend.*

**+ School News+**

**+ ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING TUITION**

Anyone wishing to pay tuition in full for the 2017-2018 school year, must do so by June 15, 2017, in order to receive the 3% discount. The schedule of discounted tuition is listed on the SHSVP.COM website under "Registration" Documents.

**+ HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL**

**& BASEBALL**

Congratulations to the Lady Trojans on their victories against OC (12-11) and Rapides (7-4). Congratulations to the Trojans on their victories against St. Edmund (11-10) and Simpson (2-8).



**+ THE NORTHWEST**

**RODEO RESULTS**

**RODEO**

Congratulations to Gavin Soileau— 1st in Steer Wrestling Remey Parrott— 2nd in Steer Wrestling Brad Hesnor— 4th in Calf Roping and 5th in Team Roping

**+ 2017 INTERACT DISTRICT 6200**

**CONVENTION**

For the first time since the club started in 2008, Interact Club of Sacred Heart School attended the annual District 6200 convention. The convention was held on March 22nd and 23rd in Lafayette.

Congratulations to Lance Costanza for winning the 2017 Interact Scholarship at the District 6200 Convention. Lance was awarded a \$1,000 scholarship.

**Congratulations!**

With the  
**LORD**  
there is **MERCY**  
and fullness of  
**REDEMPTION.**

