ADORATION CHAPEL

The Perpetual (24 hours) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is available to us at the 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!

Sacred Heart School is in need of a Cafeteria worker. If you are interested or need more information, please contact Fred Noel from the Diocese of Lafayette at (337) 837-5921 ext. 202.

Attention Parishioners! are now using a 3 day candle in Church. There will be blue glass holders that permanently stay in front of the Mary statue, and green glass holders in front of the St Joseph statue. The candles will already be in them. If you light one, please use the envelope provided next to the candles for your \$3.00 offering. Please bring the offering to the rectory if the office is open. If it is not open, slide the envelope through the iron gates into the sacristy far enough so that no one can steal it. We will continue to sell the 6 day candles to be used at home only. They are available at the church office, and will now cost \$5.00. We were losing money for those. Thanks for your cooperation with this small change.

NECROLOGY:

Please remember the souls of these departed Priests, Deacons, Bishops, and other religious who have served our Diocese: **Sunday, October 4**: Deacon Ivy J. Miller (+1997) **Tuesday, October 6**: Rev. Anthony Verhoeven (+1936) **Wednesday, October 7**: Rev. John C. Sinnige (+1996); Deacon Harris Soileau (+2012) **Friday, October 9**: Rev. Frederick Colle (+1921)

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear parishioners,

Pope Francis had a very successful trip to the United States. There were large crowds and curious on-lookers. He continues to impress diverse peoples. Today he begins a 14th Ordinary Assembly of the Synod of Bishops on the theme of the family. The scripture readings today work well with that, i.e. Genesis 2 the creation of Eve from Adam and Mark 10 about marriage and divorce and Jesus' love for the little children. Let us pray for the Synod and its success when it concludes on October 25th. Today is also Respect Life Sunday in which we focus on the pro-life message from the womb to the tomb. The scripture readings also go well this message. We will be passing out baby bottles after Mass for you to take home and put money in for the Women's Center in Lafayette, sponsored by the DesOrmeaux Foundation. Please bring them back next Sunday and we will let you know how much we collect.

This is something new about the R.C.I.A., if there are any Catholics who are already confirmed but just want to learn more about your faith this is open to you also. Please call so we will have enough books for everybody. We hope to start the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults soon so please spread the word to your non-Catholic family and friends. This is also for Catholics out of high school who need first communion and/or confirmation. Have all of the above give us a call as soon as possible.

We now have a live answering service at the rectory. If you call after office hours the answering service will screen the calls and take messages or call us in case of an emergency.

We had a good parish advisory council meeting the other week. We had 7 new members. Here is the whole parish advisory council: Eva Guillory, coordinator; Jeanor Fontenot, trustee; Chris Stromer, trustee; Jessica Fontenot, Paul Fish Fontenot, Tanya Guillory, Jonathon Hamlin, Leah Hollier, Perry Meche, Sheila Miller, Ursula Miller, and Lydia Trahan. We discussed the rectory renovation, church renovation, parking lot work, and much more. Welcome to all our new members.

I am writing this on Monday before our first school advisory council meeting on Wednesday the 30th. I am sure it too will have gone well. I have appointed Jacob Launey and Michael Manuel while Fr. Mitch Guidry has appointed Amy Kennard. The parents elected Jake Lafleur, Katie Vidrine, Kelli Vidrine, Robert Soileau, Jessica Reed, and Karen B. Fontenot. It took a while to get this all together but we finally got it done. I know great things will happen for our school.

We are very glad to have so many children at Mass. It adds so much life to our parish. One thing I would ask your help for is cleaning up after if you bring food for the babies and toddlers to eat, especially under the pews. Thanks so much for your help.

Sincerely in Christ,



Fr. Thomas Voorhies

FR. TOM'S JOKE OF THE WEEK: CATHOLIC VOCABULARY LIST JONAH:

The original 'Jaws' story.

JUSTICE:

When kids have kids of their own.

KYRIS ELEISON:

The only Greek words that most Catholics can recognize besides gyros and baklava.

CATHOLIC READING:

We have several resources available for you to take advantage of concerning our Catholic Faith. One literature rack contains pamphlets on some of the key doctrines, dogmas, and views of the Church on issues. The other is through Light House Publications and contains materials for reading as well as audio CDs. Please take time to look over these items. They are located at the south exit of the church beneath the organ/choir gallery

PARISHIONERS FOR LIFE: MOTIVATING **MEMBERS TO HELP END ABORTION**

Join us for a week of prayer and fasting to end the evils of abortion and Planned Parenthood

October 10-18th

Prayers can be found at www.prayercampaign.org or on our website at www.sacredheartvp.com

On Voting...

"In a democratic society citizens choose whom they vest with authority for the common good. A choiceforonepersonoveranotherforpublicoffice can significantly affect many lives, especially the lives of the most vulnerable persons in society, such as children in the womb and those who are terminally ill. Therefore, Catholic citizens have a serious moral obligation to exercise their right to vote, whether on the national, state or local level" (Bishops of Kansas, "Moral Principles for Catholic Voters," August 15, 2006).

Respect Life Month 2015 ~ "Every Life is Worth Living"

Abortion and Putting Our Faith into Action

In a culture and world that is hungry for the Truth, we are often challenged to put our faith into action. For example, many of our politicians profess their Catholic faith, but try to divorce the faith which they proclaim from their policies, particularly as this relates to LIFE issues.

However, as Christ's followers and as Catholics. we are called to integrate our faith into all aspects of our lives. In fact, we are called to make our faith evident in all our actions and decisions. In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus tells us not to hide our light under a bushel basket, but let our light shine before others (Mt 5:15-16).

Defense of the unborn---the most vulnerable and defenseless human beings in our society, is undoubtedly the most important aspect of integrating our faith and actions. After all, LIFE is the most important gift that God gives us!

America Needs Fatima Prayer Rally

Join your community in praying for all of the problems in our world.

When: October 10th at 12:00 noon Where: In front of the Evangeline Parish Courthouse (200 Court St. Ville Platte, LA) *May bring lawn chairs.

For more information, contact Carol Fontenot 363-2256

In The Secret of the Rosary, Saint Louis de Montfort said: "Public prayer is far more powerful than private prayer to appease the anger of God and call down His mercy, and Holy Mother Church, guided by the Holy Ghost, has always advocated public prayer in time of public tragedy and suffering."



Baby Bottle Campaign

Help end abortion. Give Hope. Save a life.

We will be handing out empty baby bottles this weekend after each Mass.

Then, on October 10th -11th you will return the baby bottles filled with the amount of money you would like to donate. Donations will benefit the Women's Center in Lafayette, La.

It takes more than just telling a young lady who has an unplanned pregnancy that she should not have an abortion. We must do all in our power to help her through this pregnancy. The Baby Bottle Campaign does this by providing counseling,

ultrasound exams, adoptions, parenting workshops, a maternity home, and much more! Please be as generous as possible!

For more information, contact the DesOrmeaux Foundation: (337)289-9366

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ALTAR SERVERS FOR THE WEEKEND OF 10 & 11 OCTOBER

Sat., 4 p.m. (BC)
Sat., 4 p.m.
Sun., 7 a.m.
Sun., 10 a.m
Layton May
Ben Manuel
Laura Manuel
Tre & Dreu Fontenot,

Seth Menard

Sun., 5 p.m. Nick Bellow

READERS FOR THE WEEKEND OF 10 & 11 OCTOBER

Sat., 4 p.m. (BC)

Sat., 4 p.m.

Sun., 7 a.m.

Sun., 10 a.m

Sun., 5 p.m.

Albert & Keitha LeJeune

Jim Soileau

Harold Stromer

Chris Soileau

Dennis Fontenot

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE WEEKEND OF 10 & 11 OCTOBER

Sat., 4 p.m. (BC) Jackie Reed

Sat., 4 p.m. Verna Guillory & Elaine Sonnier

Sun., 7 a.m. Winston Laffeur &

Sun., 10 a.m Carlton Manuel
Luke & Tanya Guillory
Sun., 5 p.m. Larry & Sherry Vidrine

ALTAR SERVERS FOR THE WEEK OF 5 OCTOBER - 9 OCTOBER

Mon. October 5, 6:30 a.m. Tre & Dreu Fontenot Tues. October 6, 6:30 a.m. Chase Bordelon

Wed. October 7, 6:30 a.m.

Thur. October 8, 6:30 a.m.

Fri. October 9, 6:30 a.m. Rivers Lanclos

INTENTIONS OF POPE FRANCIS FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER:

- **Universal**: That human trafficking, the modern form of slavery, may be eradicated.
- Evangelization: That with a missionary spirit the Christian communities of Asia may announce the Gospel to those who are still awaiting it.

PRAYERS FOR OUR DIOCESAN PRIESTS:

Each day, please remember the following Priests in prayer: Sunday, October 4: Rev. Gregory Cormier Monday, October 5: Msgr. Douglas Courville, JCL Tuesday, October 6: Rev. Robert Courville Wednesday, October 7: Rev. Angelo Cremaldi Thursday, October 8: Rev. Barry Crochet Friday, October 9: Rev. Henry Davis, SSJ Saturday, October 10: Rev. Hampton Davis Sunday, October 11: Msgr. Jefferson DeBlanc, VE

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.



PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS: Dean Prudhomme, Earline Palmer, Brenda Dupre McGee, Jackie Vidrine, Mayonce Dupre, and Rose Fontenot.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, October 5: Jon 1:1—2:1,11; Lk 10:25-37 TUESDAY, October 6: Jon 3:1-10; Lk 10:38-42, WEDNESDAY, October 7: Jon 4:1-11; Lk 11:1-4, THURSDAY, October 8: Mal 3:13-20b; Lk 11:5-13, FRIDAY, October 9: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Lk 11:15-26, SATURDAY, October 10: Jl 4:12-21; Lk 11:27-28

<u>Sunday, October 11</u>, readings for Holy Mass: *Worship* hymnal page 1191

<u>A Few Reasons from the Teachings of the Church for Wanting to Spend One Hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament"</u>

You are greatly needed!

"The Church and the world have a great need of Eucharistic Adoration."

(Pope John Paul II, Dominicae Cenae)

- 2. This is a personal invitation to you from Jesus. "Jesus waits for us in this Sacrament of Love." (Pope John Paul II, Dominicae Canae)
- 3. Your hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament will repair for evils of the world and bring about peace on earth. "Let us be generous with our time in going to meet Jesus and ready to make reparation for the great evils of the world. Let your adoration never cease."

(Pope John Paul II, Dominicai Cenae)
We are need of an adorer for the following times:

Saturday night at 12:00am (midnight)

Saturday morning at 4:00am (every other weekend)

Sunday morning at 1:00am

Sunday morning at 2:00am (temporary)

For more information, please call 363-4533. Thank you! You grow spiritually with each moment you spend with Jesus!

Annual White Mass

Sacred Heart School cordially invites you to worship with our children at our annual White Mass on

Wednesday, October 21, 2015 at 8:10 a.m.

The White Mass is celebrated in October on or around the Feast of St. Luke, patron saint of physicians and surgeons. Physicians, nurses, pharmacists, medical and nursing students, and other health care professionals will be honored.

We invite you to join us for coffee and pastries immediately following Mass in the Sacred Heart Elementary Cafeteria. Please **RSVP by October 5, 2015** by calling or emailing the Development Office at 337-363-8050 or kimberly.lejeune@shsvp.com.

Ministry for the Dying

"The most important hour of life is the hour of death" Our Lord said that when the Divine Mercy Chaplet is said in the presence of the dying "I will stand between My Father and the dying person, not as the just Judge but as the Merciful Savior". If you would like the Divine Mercy Chaplet said for someone who is near death, please call: Karen 336-1775 (all calls are confidential)

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Pilgrimage June 8-16, 2016

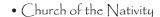
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In a real way, making a pilgrimage to the Holy Land draws us closer to Jesus of Nazareth. The Scriptures will come alive as we visit Our Lord's homeland, and each day, we will have time to renew and affirm our faith — to pray and reflect.

Come, as we follow in the Footsteps of Jesus

Pilgrimage Highlights:

- · Peter's Primacy
- Capernaum
- Nazareth
- Cana
- · Grotto of the Annunciation
- Mount Carmel
- Stella Mares
- · Ceasaria Phillipi
- Mt. Tabor
- · Shepherd's Field



- Mount of the Beatitudes
- · Mount of Olives
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INTENTIONS FOR HOLY MASS SATURDAY, 3 OCTOBER 2015

4 p.m. BC: Alex Reed, Sam Matte, Mark Krasnoff, Mr. & Mrs. Wilbur Reed, Mr. & Mrs. Aladise G. Fontenot, April Burleigh Fontenot & family, Janet Deville & family, Lee Fuselier, Lindsey Soileau Jr., Delores Chapman, Deloris Lafleur & family, Joyce & Leo Tate, Placide & Herminie Lejeune, Will Lejeune

4 p.m.: Clifton & Alice Soileau, Ross, Adam, & Matthew Guillory, Rudy Guillory, Betty Ann Guillory, Elice Landreneau & family, Mr. & Mrs. Felix Guillory & family, S. Soileau & family, William Sr., Adam, Ross & Matthew Guillory, Huey Foret, James A. Reed Sr. & deceased family members, Pat Tate, David Tate, Mr. & Mrs. Leo Tate, Mr. & Mrs. Edmond Tate, Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Tate, Jeanette Bordelon, Mrs. Alvin Bordelon (Birthday), Mr. & Mrs. Leonard Fontenot, Mr. & Mrs. Roy Wilson, Mr. & Mrs. Gilbert Aucoin, Mr. & Mrs. Clifton Lahaye, Molly Roberts, Rollins Saucier, Armance Saucier, Avie Saucier, Nelson A. Fontenot, Lelia J. Fontenot, Dr. J.S. Fontenot, Mr. & Mrs. Vories Morein, Mr. & Mrs. Louis S. Fontenot

SUNDAY, 4 OCTOBER 2015

7 a.m.: Joe Ardoin (12th Anniversary) Marjorie, Lezy & Ada Ardoin, Edeles Marie & Carel Fontenot, Yvette Soileau, Betty Guillory, Rudy Soileau, Bernita F. Soileau & family, Jessie & Rogres Brown, David Sebastein, Adam Corona, Emily & George Catoire

10 a.m.: FOR PARISHIONERS

Gloria Ardoin, Melba R. Albert, Lessie, Emily & Eldridge Deshotel, Sally Duplechin, Mary Arden Duplechin, Harry & Leavana Vidrine, Brett Fontenot, Jerry Clark, Mr. & Mrs Richard Pitre & family, Intentions of the Sacred Heart of Jesus & the Immaculate Heart of Mary

5 p.m.: Don & Lena Franks, Eldridge & Christine Landreneau, Luis Cantu, Foster Vidrine, Lourie Arnaud, Mr. & Mrs. Theodore Noel

MONDAY, 5 OCTOBER 2015

6:30 a.m.: Harvey LeBas & family, Nasen Fontenot & family, Chester Smith & family, Mr. & Mrs. Henry H. Soileau & family

TUESDAY, 6 OCTOBER 2015

6:30 a.m.: Steve Fontenot (Birthday), Bruce Soileau (Birthday), Geraldine Soileau, Hilda Lafleur, Theo Fontenot, Don Soileau

WEDNESDAY, 7 OCTOBER 2015

6:30 a.m.: Avie Vidrine Manuel, Steve Manuel, Bobby Manuel, Holy Soils, Gerald Attales & family, Rita Keller, Milton G. Arceneaux, Chester Meche, Ewell Ortego, Hazel R. Ortego, Grace R. Pitts, Selena, Theresa, Eric, Monita, Emilda, Percy David

THURSDAY, 8 OCTOBER 2015

6:30 a.m.: ALL SOULS LIST

FRIDAY, 9 OCTOBER 2015

6:30 a.m.: Joe & Emily LeBas & family, Bruce & Geraldine Soileau, Hilda Lafleur, Don Soileau, Theo Fontenot, Craig M. Fontenot, Douglas & Irene Fontenot, Mr. & Mrs. Clemance Fontenot, Cavolyn Tate, Effie & Levorine Guidry

SATURDAY, 10 OCTOBER 2015

8 a.m.: Rouell Duos, Mr. & Mrs. JD Segura, Mr. & Mrs. Bernard Duos, Inez Perrin, Tracy Perrin

Sacred Heart PTC Meeting: Tuesday, October 6th at 5:30p.m.

Tuesday, October 6th at 5:30p.m.
Will now meet in the Elementary Library

St. Peter Catholic Church of Pine Prairie Fall Festival October 10, 2015 from 10:00am-4:00pm

Come join us for a fun filled day with games, carnival food, a karaoke contest, silent auction, bingo, thrift shop, sweet booth, horse rides, barrel train rides, craft venders, live band and more!

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