

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

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SUNDAY, JUNE 13, 2021

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants." - Mk 4:30-32b

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Rev. Paul E. Sumler

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Rev. Mr. Stephen Sellers

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Fri

8:30AM—4:30 PM

Lunch (12 pm—1 pm)

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MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass

No Daily Mass

Saturday Vigil Mass

5:00 pm

Sunday Mass

10:00 am

Confessions

Saturday before Mass

Saturday, June 12

5:00 pm †Margaret Melancon
†Byron Ready

Sunday, June 13

10:00 am †Elizabeth Landry
†Beamon Minton



Saturday, June 19

5:00 pm All Fathers (Special Intention)
†Deceased Fathers

Sunday, June 20

10:00 am All Fathers (Special Intention)
†Deceased Fathers

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 13, 2021

SUN 6/13 Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 [cf. 2a]/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34

MON 6/14 2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4 [2a]/Mt 5:38-42

TUES 6/15 2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a [1b]/Mt 5:43-48

WED 6/16 2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9 [1b]/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

THR 6/17 2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8 [7a]/Mt 6:7-15

FRI 6/18 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [cf. 18b]/Mt 6:19-23

SAT 6/19 2 Cor 12:1-10/Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 [9a]/Mt 6:24-34

SUN 6/20 Jb 38:1, 8-11/ Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31 [1b]/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41

MISSALETTES AVAILABLE IN PEWS ADVENT 2021-2022

Recently, we ordered Breaking Bread *Missals* for next year. Our Lady of Lourdes will not have Missalettes available in the pews until the weekend of November 27-28, 2021.



Peter Obergon Cortez passed away May 30, 2021.



Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

For the family: May our Lord bless and comfort you and your family during this time of grief.

BAPTISMS Our Lady of Lourdes Parish welcomes all registered parishioners who are wishing to have their child baptized. In order to come to Baptismal instruction class, please contact Parish Business Office: (409) 769-2865 or Deacon Stephen Sellers: sellers@gt.rr.com

HOLY MATRIMONY Diocesan policy requires that an appointment be made with a priest of your parish at least SIX MONTHS in advance. DO NOT set a final date for the wedding prior to your interviews with the priest.

TO MARRY FOR LIFE is a program of Catholic preparation for sacramental marriage. In addition to being a civil contract, marriage is also a covenant of unconditional love. Living out this covenant is a grace bearing sign to each other and to society of the love of Christ for us. Marriage is, thus, a sacrament and a calling from God to a holy state in Life. The dates for 2021 are: Saturday, July 31, 2021 Saturday, September 25, 2021 Saturday, November 20, 2021 For more information, please call: Office of Family, Marriage, and Youth, 409-924-4362, or email mehrlich@dioceseofbmt.org

CONFESSIONS by appointment (call parish office 409 769-2865) or Saturdays before Mass.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP Parishioners entering or leaving the Parish contact the Parish Business Office during office hours (409) 769-2865.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF

ADULTS: The Catholic Church always welcomes new members into its community. (RCIA) is the liturgical process in which interested adults may explore Catholicism over time in a friendly, relaxed environment.

Contact Parish Business Office (409) 769-2865 or Deacon Stephen Sellers—ssellers@gt.rr.com

BULLETIN DEADLINE FOR

ANNOUNCEMENTS 10:00 A.M. Mondays.

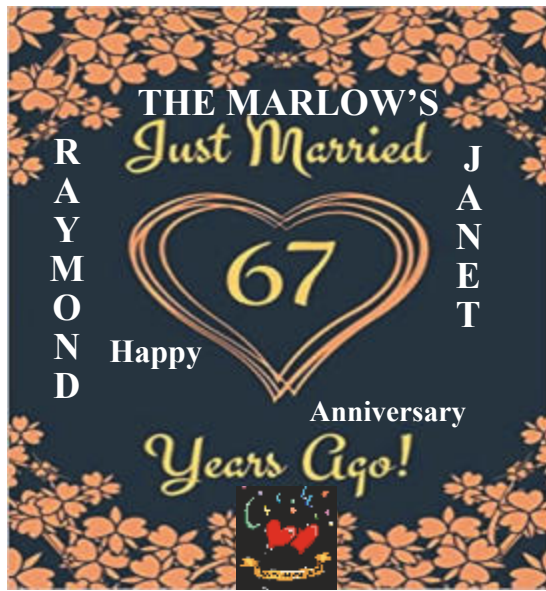
PARISH SUPPORT



May 29-30 \$2,025.00
Building Fund \$ 129.00

BUILDING AND MAINTENANCE FUND: On weekends when there are no Diocesan Collections, donations are being asked for our building and maintenance fund that helps in maintaining our buildings and premise. Please make a notation on your check or envelope to specify **Building and Maintenance**. *Our giving reflects a true measure of thankfulness and gratitude to God.*

FLOWERS IN SANCTUARY



The beautiful flowers in the sanctuary are to remember a loved one or to give thanksgiving for the people and events in their lives. Donation of \$40 covers the flower costs. Contact Gezel Frank 786-3684.

CALLING YOUNG ADULTS

June 18 (Friday) – Bishop Toups will lead Vespers with Young Adults at 6 pm at St. Anthony Cathedral Basilica.

RCIA 2021 - 2022

RCIA is the process, which adults, youth, and children of catechetical age are initiated in the Church. We would like each parishioner to consider inviting at least one person they may know who is either not baptized or who have been baptized in another Christian tradition and would consider becoming Catholic. In addition, you may invite Catholics who have been baptized, but have not received their First Communion nor their Confirmation. Invite them to a relationship with God who truly loves them, invite them to our community of faith, Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, and to the Catholic Church. Please reach (Deacon Stephen Sellers) either by email: ssellers@gt.rr.com, or call (409-769-2865) for those interested in joining us in our Catholic family. We can then start our sessions with them soon!

WHERE DOES THE MONEY GO THAT IS COLLECTED EACH WEEK AT CHURCH?

This is a good question! Every parish has financial obligations, including the basic operation of the buildings, salaries, maintenance, and improvements. In addition, there are schools to support, programs to run, charities to be funded, and operational expenses like hosts and wine for Mass, music books, vestments, and so on. In some cases, cemeteries and other buildings need attention. Finally, there is the diocesan assessment that each parish pays to help run the diocese and the support services provided to each parish.

Most parishes manage to get by with the collection, a few fundraisers and endowments. But contrary to popular opinion, cash flow is also a problem, and many parishes operate in the red. The Finance Committee is responsible for assisting the pastor in fiscal management, and good stewardship is the basis for successful programs.

BBQ FUNDRAISER

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AFTER
MASS
June
26-27



SPOTS FILLING UP FAST!

SESSION 1
JULY 11-16 4TH-6TH GRADE

SESSION 2
JULY 18-23 7TH-9TH GRADE

THE BEST WEEK OF SUMMER THAT YOU'LL REMEMBER ALL YEAR.
LONG! GREAT TIMES WITH GOOD FRIENDS - OLD AND NEW. CRAZY GAMES.
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