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## The Baptism of the Lord January 9, 2022

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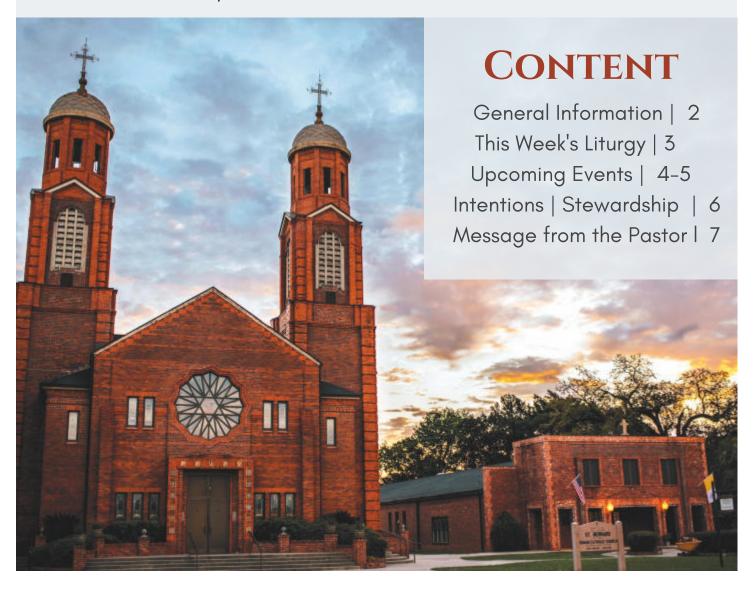
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# GENERAL INFORMATION

### **OFFICE HOURS**

## **ADDRESS**

#### **Church Office:**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 8:00am - 4:00pm Closed for lunch (12-1pm)

Wednesday: 8:00am - 3:00pm

Friday: 8:00am - 12:00pm

#### **Cemetery Office:**

M-F, 8:00am - 12:00 noon

#### Church:

204 N. Main Street Breaux Bridge, LA 70517

#### Office:

219 E. Bridge Street Breaux Bridge, LA 70517 337-332-2159

#### St. Bernard School:

251 E. Bridge Street Breaux Bridge, LA 70517 337-332-5350

## **STAFF DIRECTORY**

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IN THE MOUTH,

song

TO THE EAR, jubilation

IN THE HEART.

-ST. BERNARD



# THIS WEEK'S LITURGY

### PRAYER FOR OUR PRIESTS & SEMINARIANS



<b>♦</b>			<b>♦</b>	
Date	Priests	<b>Seminarians</b>	Deacons	
Sunday   Jan 9	Rev. George Ajuruchi, SSJ	Zachary Fuselier	Den. Richard Picard	
Monday   Jan 10	Rev. Ambrose Akalawu, CSSP	Bro. Francis Xavier, CJC (Jace	Dcn. William Pollingue	
Tuesday   Jan 11	Rev. Alexander Albert	Gyles) James Hamilton	Dcn. Kyle Polozola	
Wednesday   Jan 12	Rev. Thainese Alphonse	Evan Hebert	Dcn. Charles Richard	
Thursday   Jan 13	Rev. Anthony Anala, SVD	William Hebert	Den. Thomas Richard	
Friday   Jan 14	Rev. Rick Andrus, SVD	Caleb Henry	Dcn. Steve Rogers	
Saturday   Jan 15	Rev. Henry Anthony, HGN	Eric Hernandez	Dcn. Samuel Russo	

#### Let Us Pray

Eternal Father, we lift up to you these and all the clergy and religious of the world. Sanctify them. Heal them; guide them. Mold them into the likeness and holiness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You.

In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

#### **Vocations Prayer Cross**

The **Geoff & Leslie Gallet** family has accepted the Vocation Cross and is praying for vocations this week. To schedule your week, please call the office, 332–2159, or email micheleestbernardch.com.

#### **MASS SCHEDULE**

SUNDAY MASSES
Saturday Anticipated Mass
4:00pm

Sunday

7:00, 9:00, 11:00am | 5:00pm

#### **DAILY MASSES**

Monday | 6:30am Tuesday | 5:30pm Wednesday | 6:30am Thursday | 5:30pm Friday | 12:00pm Saturday | 8:00am

#### **SACRAMENTS**

#### **RECONCILIATION**

Saturday | 3:00–3:45pm & 30 Minutes Before All Masses & By Appointment

#### **MATRIMONY**

Contact the Church Office at least 10 months in advance for reservations.

#### **BAPTISM**

Expectant parents should contact the Church Office to register for the baptismal seminar.

#### **FEAST DAYS**

Sun Jan 9: Baptism of the Lord

**Thurs Jan 13:** St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor

**Sun Jan 16:** 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



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January 15th Schedule

START THE MORNING WITH MASS AT YOUR PARISH OR MEET AT CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST AT 8AM FOR MASS & ROSARY

9:30 A.M.

PRO - LIFE ECUMENICAL PRAYER WALK BEGINS @ PARC INTERNATIONAL 5 PRAYER STATIONS: UNBORN, STRONGER FAMILIES,

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#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Scholarship Opportunity | Any 8th grader, boy or girl interested in information on a \$500/\$200 scholarship or any Graduating Sr., interested in information on a \$1000/\$200 scholarship given by the State/Local CDA Courts are asked to contact Lucy Ellender @ 349-7489. Applicants must be St Bernard Church Parishioners. Completed applications are due to Lucy by January 15, 2022.

Baby Bottle Campaign | The DesOrmeaux Foundation would like to extend a warm thank you to St. Bernard parishioners for participating in this year's Baby Bottle Campaign. We raised a total of \$9,154 for the DesOrmeaux Foundation and their pro-life ministries!



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## 175th Anniversary Campaign Fundraising Progress

\$190,000 PAID

175th Anniversary Campaign | We are blown away by your generosity and support for our 175th Anniversary Campaign projects. Thanks to you, as on 12/28/21 when this bulletin was written, we have met and exceeded our pledge goal of \$600,000. We have reached \$711,515 in pledges, \$`190,000 of which has been paid. Stay tuned in 2022 for project updates as we celebrate our 175th year as a parish! It's not too late to participate. Give online at https://www.stbernardcatholicchurch.com/175years.



# INTENTIONS & STEWARDSHIP

### MASS & CANDLE INTENTIONS

Mondays & Wednesdays: 6am Rosary

Tuesdays: 5:15pm Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena (CDA)

**Thursdays**: 5:15pm Divine Mercy Chaplet (CDA)

Mon. Jan. 10, 6:30AM: Mary Ann Brown(Bth), Sandy & Rose Green

Tue. Jan. 11, 5:30PM: Betty D. Frederick

Wed. Jan. 12, 6:30AM: Heloise Juneau Dugas(Bth) Thu. Jan. 13, 5:30PM: Gaynell & Ralph Castille

Fri. Jan. 14, 12:00PM: Pat Arceneaux Sat. Jan. 15, 8:00AM: Brenda Landry

Sat. Jan. 15, 4:00PM: Ernest P. Guidry(20th Ann), Bennie J. Dugas(Bth), Laura Lanaux, Pat Arceneaux, Jane L.

Camel(Ann), Ruby Menard

Sun. Jan. 16, 7:00AM: Renella Patin(Bth), James & Ethel Frey, Ryan A., Roy Joseph, & Landon Tate Reed, George Menard(Bth), Luke, Feliciane, Alcee, & Emma Boyer, Allen Menard(Bth), Pearl D. & Leed Usie, Jimmy K. Blanchard Sun. Jan. 16, 9:00AM: Lillian & Joseph "Duey" Thibodeaux, Beverly Albert, Darrell "Joey" Boudreaux & holy souls in

purgatory, Dewey J. Guidry(Ann), Allen Menard(Bth), Fred LaPorte & holy souls in purgatory

Sun. Jan. 16, 11:00AM: Simon & Terry Melancon, Edwin & Yolande Guidry, Myrtile "Joe" Theriot, Pat Marks, John

Cady, James Yongue, Sandy & Rose Green

**Sun. Jan. 16, 5:00PM:** Pro Populo (For the people)

Church Candle Intentions: Margie R. Degeyter & M/M Melvin Rivers; Ernest P. Guidry (20th Ann)

Chapel Candle Intentions: Darrell "Joey" Boudreaux; Fred LaPorte

### PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekend of 12/25/21: Christmas \$9020.60 | Offertory \$10101.00 | 175th Anniversary \$5961.10 | Parish Insurance \$1196.00 Please include your parishioner number on your checks. Thank you for your continued support for our parish.

#### **Catholic Daughters**

Ladies 18 or older – first Tuesdays Info: Monica Domingue –288–9447

#### **Altar Society**

Maintain and beautify our church for liturgical services. Info: Barbara Angelle – 332–2338

#### Cursillo Ultreya

Have you made your Cursillo or want to make one? Join us! Meets every Wednesday at 7pm in the Borel Center. Info: Jackie Comb – 288– 4145

#### KC Council 2398

Knights of Columbus is a Fraternal Organization of Catholic men from our parish, 18 years or older, dedicated to serving our church. Info: Kenneth Tauzin - 654-4944

#### That Man Is You!

Do you seek to be the best man you can be? Tuesdays 5:30am @ Borel Center. Join us! Info: Jeremy Price – 356-4898

#### **RCIA**

For adults wishing to become Catholic or complete their sacraments. Info: Kathryn Allemand – 322–7990

#### **Witness to Love**

A Marriage Prep Renewal Movement for engaged couples. Call church office 8 months prior to wedding. Info: Pat & Courtney Pourciau - 332-2904 / courtneyrp@cox.net

#### Come, Lord Jesus!

A deeper understanding of Scripture, our Catholic faith and a closer relationship with our Lord and each other. Info: Audrey Thibodeaux – 288–3834

#### St. Bernard School

Info: www.sbscrusaders.com 332-5350 Principal – John Paul Masterson Vice Principal – Rachael Tolliver

#### **Parish School of Religion**

Kelli LeBlanc - Director & Rooted 257-1036 Kaitlin Davis - Edge & VIA 332-2159

#### **Small Group Initiative**

Get involved in parish life by joining a small group today! Visit our website at www.stbernardcatholicchurch.com/smallgro ups to learn more. Contact Courtney Pourciau at smallgroups@stbernardch.com with questions or if interested in leading a small group.

#### **Music Ministry**

St. Bernard Adult Choir - Pat Menard - 319-5744

Young Adult Choir - Jacob Freyou - 356-5994

#### **Red Bird Ministries**

Red Bird Ministries helps families of child loss from pregnancy through adulthood. Info: Joy Boudreaux- 233-2019/ nesteredbrid.love

#### Perpetual Adoration Vacant Hours

Vacancies: Thurs 5pm, Sat 10am, Sat 2pm, Sat 3pm, Sat 7pm, Sat 8pm

#### To sign up for Holy Hour, call:

Midnight - 5am: Keith Simon 278-0114 6am - 11am: Donna Melancon 242-9870 Noon - 5pm: Barbara Menard 332-2244 6pm - 11pm: Velma Comb 332-1980

Youth Adoration: 1st Fridays, 3-4pm Info: Jacki Muffoletto (jcmuffoletto1013eyahoo.com)

#### **Upcoming Collections**

Jan 2: Church Restoration
Jan 16: Maintenance & Improvement
Jan 23: Church in Latin America



## **READINGS &** REFLECTIONS

#### FIRST READING:

Then the glory of the LORD shall be revealed, and all people shall see it together; for the mouth of the LORD has spoken. — Is 40:5

O bless the Lord, my soul. — Ps 104

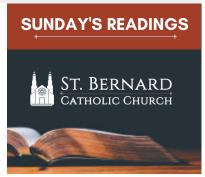
#### SECOND READING:

He saved us through the bath of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit. — Ti 3:5

After all the people had been baptized and Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. - Lk 3:22

#### FROM THE PASTOR:

The Christmas Season concludes following today's feast of the Baptism of the Lord. This feast marks the beginning of Jesus' public ministry. It is a sign that the saving waters of Baptism which we have received are not only for the salvation of our own souls. Baptism is our Theophany, our intense encounter with God, which then sends us out into the world to make disciples. The reception of Baptism is not a merely personal experience but a very public one. It is necessarily a declaration of belonging to the family of the Lord of all Creation and thus we are set to make more members of that family. Following His baptism, Jesus is driven by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the Adversary. Following our baptism, and indeed for the majority of our lives, we too are driven into the wilderness of the world. Yes, we endure temptation, but we have the power given by the grace of the Holy Spirit to resist, and not only resist, but to witness to the power and mercy of the One we have received.











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