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SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Worship with Us

MASSES

Saturday Anticipated Mass 4 pm

Sunday

8:30 am & 10:30 am

Weekdays

(Tuesday-Friday only) 12:05 pm

Holy Days as announced

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3 to 3:45 pm

Weekdays (T-F) 11:30-11:50 am

Always on request

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16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. - Mk 6:34

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Daily Mass Schedule has changed.

There will be no mass or confessions on **Mondays**.

The schedule is as follows:

Tuesday– Friday Confessions: 11:30-11:50, Mass: 12:05

VOLUNTEERS FOR CHILDREN



Abused and neglected children need caring adults to speak up for them. You can help a child along the way to a safe, permanent home with a “forever family” by becoming a **Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA)** volunteer. The Capital Area CASA office needs volunteers so that it can continue serving every child in our community who needs a voice.

Learn more by simply calling [225-379-8598](tel:225-379-8598), visiting www.casabr.org or sending an email to volunteer@casabr.org.

BECOMING CATHOLIC

If you or someone you know is interested in finding out more about our precious Catholic faith and possibly even **joining our Church**, please call the Parish Office at [225-387-5928](tel:225-387-5928) or contact Mr. Chris Redden, our Pastoral Assistant, by simply emailing him at chris@cathedralbr.org. He will be setting up convenient preparation sessions soon!



IGNORANCE OF SCRIPTURE IS IGNORANCE OF CHRIST

– ST. JEROME, 5TH CENTURY

For the Bible readings used at Mass every day – and to hear a Reflection on them – go to www.usccb.org. Click on the “Daily Readings” tab at the top of the page for options.

THE SANCTUARY LAMP

burns before the Blessed Sacrament reposed by the Cathedral’s tabernacle. Have *you* ever considered “sponsoring” it? You can do so “*In Honor Of*” or “*In Memory Of*” a loved one, or for a specific general intention, and it’s pretty easy! Just telephone the Parish Office or you can simply send an email to office@cathedralbr.org.

LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR CATHOLIC FAITH

Do you want to **learn more** about the Catholic Faith, Church History, the Sacraments, Catholic Scripture, and many more topics? Consider taking one of our many **Ministry and Theology (MAT)** courses offered by the Diocese of Baton Rouge. Most courses are offered at the Catholic Life Center, but some are taught elsewhere throughout the diocese, and some are even offered online. They are open to anyone and are taught by very talented instructors from around our diocese, and at most ask just \$15 per course to defray expenses! For more information, visit the diocesan Office of Evangelization & Catechesis website at www.evangelatbr.org, under the “Certification” tab, or call its staff at 225-336-8760.

BRINGING UP THE GIFTS

Bread and wine to be consecrated into the Body and Blood of the Lord – along with monetary gifts of the faithful – are brought forward at weekend Masses in a small, formal procession. To **volunteer** to perform this service, simply dress appropriately, arrive early, and let an usher know of your willingness!

FOOD PANTRY CANCELLED

Our Parish *Food Pantry* will not be held on the 1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the months of June or July. We hope to resume this outreach in August.

HELP NEEDED!!

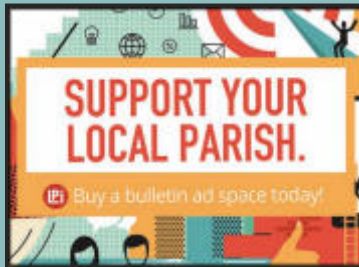
Are you looking for a fun and easy way to volunteer at church? Look no further, as **we are in need of help** as we continue our ever popular **Coffee & Donuts** ministry on Sundays after the 8:30 and 10:30 am Masses! Grab a family member or friend and make a team!

If you could help out once every 6-8 weeks or so, please give us a call at the Parish Office at [225-387-5928](tel:225-387-5928) to find out more.

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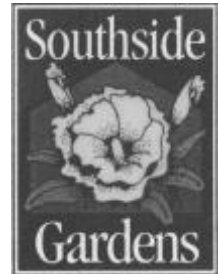
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