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THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Then taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing over them, broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets. - Lk 9:16-17

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The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

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ST. EDWARD CHURCH	ST. THOMAS CHAPEL
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SACRAMENT OF PENANCE
30 Min before each weekday mass.
Sat. 3:00pm—3:50pm / Sun. 10:00am—10:20am

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
All parents must attend required Baptism Seminar prior to baptism. Please call Parish Office to Schedule your class.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE
Couples must contact Father Lavergne upon engagement or at least six month's prior to your wedding date.

CEMETERY SALES
Please call the Parish Office and someone will assist you.

STAY UP-TO-DATE:

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MASS INTENTIONS**SAT, JUNE 18**

4:00PM

Mitchell Prather, Charles Cox, Jr.,
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M/M Elvin Richard-Living and Dec. Fly,
M/M Cary LeJeune-Living and Dec. Fly,
Darryl LeJeune (His B'day 6/17),
Viola and Wilson Doucet (His B'day 6/19),
Harold and Clara Richard and Daughters,
Gerald Vanicor

SAT, JUNE 18

5:30PM

Wayne Lavergne

SUN, JUNE 19

7:00 AM

Beatrice Daigle, Deanna Daigle

SUN, JUNE 19

8:45 AM

Byron Soileau

SUN, JUNE 19

10:30 AM

Felton LeJeune, Rodney Lavergne, Ian Miller
Cyphor LeJeune, Gervis Lavergne,
Nelson LeJeune, Kristi Fredieu,
Patrick Doucet, Philip Doucet, Kay Doucet

MON, JUNE 20

6 PM

Missions and Missionaries of the World

TUE, JUNE 21

9 AM

Lance Matte (B'day 6/25),
Dain Reed (B'day 6/22)

THU, JUNE 23

6 PM

Patrick and Philip Doucet-Living and Dec Fly

FRI, JUNE 24

9:00 AM

Deceased members of the Hilton Doucet Fly

PAYER FOR BEATIFICATION

Our Father in Heaven, moved by the Holy Spirit of Jesus Christ, Your Son and our Savior, we lift up our hearts to You and ask that, if it be Your will, You grant our request. May Your servant and native of Louisiana, Charlene Marie Richard, be raised to sainthood by the Holy Father, Successor of the Apostle St Peter, and visible head of Jesus' Church on earth.

We entrust this prayer to You through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of Jesus, under her title by which she is known as the Patroness of Louisiana: The Immaculate Conception.

Our Father...Hail Mary...Glory Be...

GOSPEL MEDITATION -

ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF
SCRIPTURE ©LPi

June 19, 2022**The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**

Jesus went to those most in need. He forgave the sinner, ate with the outcast, defended, and fed those who were poor and hungry. He worked for true justice, risked being unpopular, willingly accepted suffering and death, and always stayed connected with his Abba, Father. Jesus also consistently reminded folks that God's compassion, love, and mercy trump everything, even the law. This is the Christ that the Eucharist calls us to be. As we look around our churches, our towns and cities, and our world, there are many people who need to see the face and body of Christ. Some of those most in need may be right within our families. But it is always in the poorest of the poor and those most vulnerable that we find the greatest need. There are many who cannot function on their own. When the gift of the Eucharistic Christ takes root in our hearts, we can more readily see the face of Christ in others.

Many people are vulnerable. Highest on that list are the homeless. They show us the face of Christ. Whatever the cause, to have no place to go and no place to call home takes a toll on the human spirit. For Jesus when there were hungry people, they were fed. God asks us to do the same ... feed people. There are many who are hungry physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Gifted by the Eucharistic presence of Christ, we can bring them Christ. Who are the hungry around us and how can we feed them?

When someone is hurting, you comfort them. When someone is hungry, you feed them. When someone needs clothes, you provide them. When someone is cold, you warm them. When someone is in prison, you visit them. With over a million people who are homeless and over a quarter of them children, it is important to ask the question, "why?" and strategize for ways to lessen or alleviate the problem. Nevertheless, we are not off the hook for responding to the immediate needs that present themselves at our doors. Whether a person's current station in life is self-imposed or the result of being victimized, they are sacred vessels. We cannot lock the door and send them away and still believe we bear the Eucharistic presence of Christ. It doesn't work like that.

While at Prayer, Please Remember

Jerry Albertelli, Rachel Aguillard, Allen Andrepont, John Arabic, Earl Arceneaux, Carrol Ardoin, Michael Ardoin, Tammy Ashford, Troy Ashford, Mae Austin, Greg Baronet, David and Robin Barry, Rachael Bellard, Heath Bergeron, Charles and Barbara Boone, Phillip Boone, Ryker Boone, Terri Boone, Cody Boudreaux, Evelyn Bourgeois, Marie Bourque, Michelle Bradley, Debra Breaux, James Breaux, Isiah Broussard, Gavin Brown, Leo & Cynthia Burleigh, Juan Butler, Laddy Butler, Dot Chapman, Olivia Clark, Sandra Clement, Alyssa Cormier, Bernice Cormier, Jackie Crawford, Leroy Daigle, Mary Doucet, Velma Doucet, Wanda Doucet, George Dugas, John Dugas, Linda Duos, Haylee Dupre, Kenneth Edwards, Mildred Edwards, John Kirk Feucht, Jackie Fontenot, Joseph Fontenot, Lauren Fontenot, Lillie Fontenot, Maril Fontenot, Terry Fontenot, Ruth Frame, Odile Fulmer, Emile Garcia, Morris Gautier, Bert Guidry, Brenda Guidry, Jimmy Guidry, Rita Guidry, Catherine & Don Guillory, Dana Guthrie, Judy Hawk, Connie & Woody Hays, Glenda Hebert, Christine Higginbotham, Richard Horecky, Herman Hudson, T.K. Hulin, Tina Janise, Sarah Jeanis, Patricia Johnson, Peyton Joubert, Dolores Labbie, Martin LaCroix, Colleen Landreneau, John Lantier, Dianna Lavergne, Ivan Lavergne, Dolores LeBouef, Harper Grace Ledet, Kert Leger, Wilma LeJeune, Ronnie & Carrie Lemaire, Marvin Macip, Thelma Macip, Al Malveaux, Benny Manuel, Ham Manuel, Jarrod Manuel Fly., Dennis Matte, Melissa Meaux, Mary Meche, Myra Meche, Ricky Meche, Jacob Miller, Pauline Miller, Tonya Miller, Leonard & Dawn Miles, Phillip Meyers, Tyler Myers, Nathan Paul Olivier, Riley Orr, Shawnee Pearce, Patsy Chehotsky, Dagan Pitre, Mary Ann Pitre, Elmond Polard, Amanda Prather, Betrella Prather, Martha Pryor, Bella Richard, Berna Richard, Isabelle Richard, Reynold Richard, Ronald Richard, Stevie Richard, Tasha Richard, Warren Richard, Bob Robinson, Debbie Rodriguez, Carolyn Romero, Keith Romero, Paige Rozas, Pere' Rozas, Audry G. Rushing, Nancy Schmidt, Shane Smith, Kaylee Stephens, Andrew Thibodeaux, Glen Thibodeaux, Rodney Thibodeaux, Scotty Thibodeaux, Victoria Valdatro, Kerry Vuillemont, Tommy Young, Suzanne Wimberley

~PLEASE HELP US KEEP OUR LIST UPDATED~

WEALTH

Question:

If one's gift or talent is making money, and one uses that money for honorable purposes, is it considered a spiritual gift? What does our faith teach us about wealth and stewardship?

Answer:

Jesus said it best: to whom much is given, much is expected. All gifts come from God, and our abilities are given to us to be used for the benefit of ourselves and of others and at the service of the Gospel. In an article entitled "The Many Faces of Stewardship," Catherine Doherty wrote about stewardship in the "nitty-gritty everydayness of my life," and about the currency or "money" of spiritual stewardship: love, understanding, and unselfishness.

For a gift to have a spiritual benefit, our intention and involvement would be part of the consideration. If I give money to a charity, but do so in order to gain a tax advantage, it could hardly be a virtuous thing on my part. But if I give because I want to help and, in fact, am even willing to get involved, I have committed myself in a deeper, more meaningful way. Regardless of our money-making talents, in the end, true stewardship comes down to how well we practice the virtues of faith, hope, and love within our life and with those in our community and church. Ultimately, the most important element in stewardship is not intangible—it's you!

The Ladies of Charity
will be hosting a bake sale this weekend after all masses at St. Edward's.

Legion of Mary



Everyone is invited to attend meetings held each Tuesday in the parish hall at 5pm.

**STEWARDSHIP
06-05-2022**

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