



Our Lady of Perpetual Help

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August 29, 2021 Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil	4:00 PM
Sunday	7:30 AM
	9:00 AM
	10:30 AM
	12:30 PM
Latin Mass	5:00 PM
Monday - Friday	6:00 PM
Tuesday	6:00 PM (followed by Perpetual Help Novena)
1st. Thursday	6:00 PM (St. Philomena)
1st. Friday	6:00 PM
1st. Saturday	9:00 AM

CONFESIONS:

Saturday 3:00 - 3:45 PM
One Half Hour before all Masses
& by appointment

PARISH STAFF

Sr. M. Michaeline, O.P.
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OLPH SCHOOL

531 Williams Blvd, Kenner, LA 70062
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Mr. Jacob Owens Principal

ADORATION CHAPEL

6 am to 6 pm Contact: Pat Fisher (504) 874-3177

BAPTISMS

Parents and Godparents must attend a Baptismal Seminar on the third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. Registration is required. Contact Parish Office.

MARRIAGES

Arrangements must be made six months in advance. Marriage Preparation Program is required. Contact Parish Office.

OLPH FOOD BANK

Thursdays 9:30am—11:00am (504) 464-1316

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August 29, 2021
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Albert Einstein said that the “true measure of intelligence is not knowledge but imagination.” Being a disciple of Jesus Christ requires a great deal of imagination. It is not enough to simply attend to facts, rules and rituals and consider the job done. Quite contrarily, the Gospels demands creativity, of trying to discern how to put flesh on the Beatitudes and properly serve God’s children. Jesus never doled out a top down agenda. Not once did he ever demand conformity over conversion or sacrifice over mercy. The Gospel is always about putting people in touch with their compassionate, forgiving, and unconditionally loving God and meeting them where they are.

For Jesus, it often meant breaking a few rules. Well respected and time-honored traditions had to be set aside in order to attend to what really mattered. God’s compassion, mercy and true conversion were always the trump cards. The story of the Good Samaritan, healing on the Sabbath, and bypassing of purification rituals all display this theme. Human beings can get too hung up on protocol and tradition. This is so much so that often preserving all of these things is of greater concern than the beggar knocking on our door or the sinner looking for mercy. It is no wonder, then, that we can easily become hypocritical. Many can see us on our knees in prayer while our true heart and actions, rooted in judgment and self-preservation, are hidden from others. It is a trap into which we can easily fall. Who cares how we live our lives as long as our hands are properly washed!

Here enters the need for imagination and the distinction of truly being a wise and intelligent person. It takes a good measure of creativity and a lot of guts to really be a doer of God’s word and not merely a hearer. Being a person who doesn’t just tell people about God but shows people God requires courage and ingenuity. That’s why people like St. Francis of Assisi and St. Teresa of Calcutta are timeless. Their genuineness speaks volumes generation to generation. It’s risky business taking the step to allow God into our hearts. Permitting God to release us from the grip of our evil thoughts, infidelity, greed, malice, sexual improprieties, licentiousness, envy, arrogance, folly, and the like takes courage. That’s why we prefer to spend our energy rearranging the future rather than take measures to secure a foundation that is most certainly crumbling.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, August 28, 2021

- 4:00 pm Karen Kirchem, Paul Perret, Sr., Sharon Mitchell, Becky Faucheaux (L), Alice & Leo Boyle, Bernard Triche, Daniel Sagona (L), Thomas Sagona (L), Al & Lee Uhrmann, Harold & Josie Sambola, Gary Boudreaux, Joy Pavolini (L), Jack Richard, Diddy Novatny, Helen Noto, Jackie Courtney

Sunday, August 29, 2021

- 7:30 am Lois Williams Owens
 9:00 am Sean Barrette (L)
 10:30 am Dorothy Schnell, Leonard Marretta, Paul Perret. Sr., Myrtis Woods, Zelaya Family, Elisa Schnur, Rosemary Crockett, Al & Lee Uhrmann, Mary Roy, Marilyn Nulty, Rosalie Ehrhart, Jeff Fonteneau (L), Anthony Russo, Helen Noto

- 12:30 pm Robert Nims

- 5:00 pm Paul Perret. Sr.

Monday, August 30, 2021

- 6:00 pm William Barrette (L)

Tuesday, August 31, 2021

- 6:00 pm Diddy Novatny

Wednesday, September 1, 2021

- 6:00 pm Inez P. Grieshaber

Thursday, September 2, 2021

- 6:00 pm Joan & PJ Truxillo

Friday, September 3, 2021

- 6:00 pm David D’Antoni



Readings for The Week

Sunday: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 [1a]/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18/Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13 [13b]/Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [13]/Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: Col 1:1-8/Ps 52:10, 11 [10]/Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: Col 1:9-14/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 5:1-11

Friday: Col 1:15-20/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [2b]/Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: Col 1:21-23/Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8 [6]/Lk 6:1-5

Collection ReportAugust 22, 2021**Envelopes: \$5,355.50****Loose: \$3350.27****Second Collection: \$896.00***Thank you for your generosity*

**Sanctuary Lamp Burns For
Deceased Parishioners**

The Adoration Chapel

**Sanctuary Lamp Burns For
Holy Souls In Purgatory**



This Week

Tuesday, August 31st

6:30 pm Legion of Mary—Yenni Rm

Thursday, September 2nd

5:45 pm Radio Rosary — Yenni Rm

7:00 pm Men of Christ—Yenni Rm

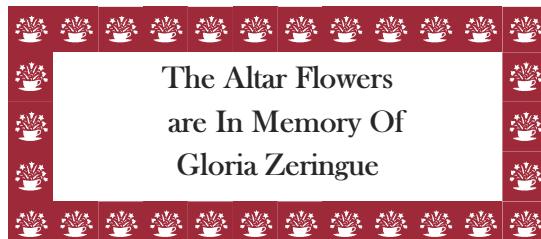


Out of reverence for
Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament
and in consideration of fellow
parishioners who are praying,
please refrain from talking in church.

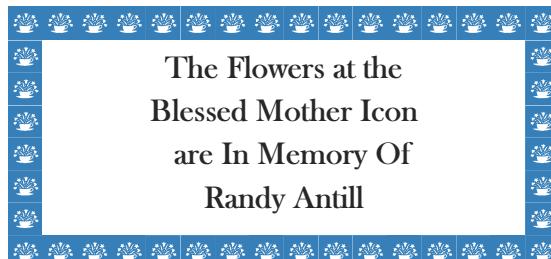


Please pray for the souls of the
dearly departed and all those who
mourn for them.

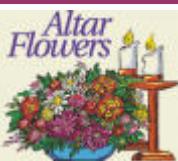
May They Rest In Peace.



The Altar Flowers
are In Memory Of
Gloria Zeringue



The Flowers at the
Blessed Mother Icon
are In Memory Of
Randy Antill



If you would like to
donate flowers on the altar
in memory of or in honor of
a loved one, contact :

Mary McAlister
at (504) 669-0120 or maryamistretta@gmail.com
Patty Zito
at 504-491-0361 or mspazito@gmail.com

**Baptismal Seminars**

Baptismal Seminars are required for first-time parents and Godparents. They are held on the third Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm.

Registration is required. Please call the office to register at least one week in advance.

**The next seminar will be held on
September 15, 2021**



PARISH NEWS



SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend August 28-29, the second collection will be for the **Little Sisters of the Poor** of Mobile.

The mission of the Sisters is to serve the needs of the elderly sick and poor.



The Food Pantry is in need of **canned goods, non-perishable items, cereal for kids and any healthy after school snacks.**

All items can be left in the vestibule of the church after every weekend mass.

Thank you for your continued support of this ministry.



Spend A Week Praying With St Joseph

- Take the opportunity week to have the Traveling St Joseph Statue in your home. Prayers are included in the bag that the statue carrying bag.
- Sign up binder is in the front of the church next St Therese in repose statue.

Please Pray For

Corey Bourg, Randall Bourg, Glenn Eherett, Kristy Ferguson, Christopher Porché West, Chet Vaughn, Bradley Waguespack, Evis Williams Family, Dr. Chuck Mary, Rueben Francis, Alvin Swanner, Joey LaBella, Marilyn Baker, Jeff Fonteneau

Names will remain on the prayer list for 6 weeks. Please call the office to add a name to the list.

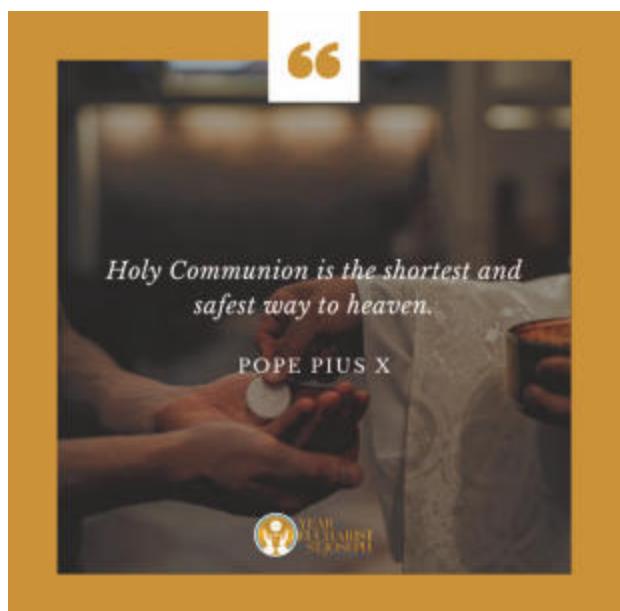
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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If you did not register your child for
CCD or Confirmation,
please come to the Church Office
between 9 am and 5 pm,
Mon. - Fri. to register.



Be sure to check out the **Kiosk**
in the back of church.
New items have been added.





Bible Study

The Eucharist in Scripture

First session: Tuesday, September 7th
6:45pm-8:15pm

Please join us for our upcoming bible study:
This 6 week study will start on Tuesday, September 7th. We will meet in the LaRose Center from 6:45pm-8:15pm.

**Registration is required;
cost is \$30.00 for the workbook.**

Please contact Gina Radecker at 504-234-1324
or via email at: ginaradecker@yahoo.com

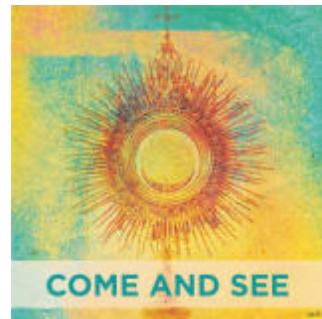


MASK MANDATE



Gov. John Bel Edwards has reissued an indoor mask mandate. Face masks that properly cover the wearer's mouth and nose should be worn indoors at all times while in public.

**Please wear a mask while
attending Mass.**



**Looking for peace
in these troubled times?**

Come sit in the presence of Our Lord
in the Adoration Chapel.

He waits for you.

Will you answer Him?

Adoration Chapel is open every day from
6am to 6pm

For more information contact
Pat Fisher (504) 874-3177

Prayer For Hurricane Season

*Our Father in Heaven,
through the intercession of
Our Lady of Prompt Succor,
spare us during this hurricane season
from all harm.
Protect us and our homes
from all disasters of nature.
Our Lady of Prompt Succor,
hasten to help us.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.*

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