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CATHOLIC CHURCH



TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME * SEPT. 6, 2020

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
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EUCCHARIST

Saturday4:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Weekday Masses: Tuesday.....6 p.m. w/Novena
Wednesday thru Friday.....8 a.m.
First Friday Mass 8:00 a.m.
First Friday Adoration..... 8:30 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

PENANCE

Saturday 3:15–3:45 p.m. before Mass
Or anytime by appointment.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements should be made at least 6 months prior to
wedding. No weddings during lent.

BAPTISM

First Saturday of the month after the 4:00 p.m. Mass.
Baptismal Seminar: Last Tuesday of the month.
Make arrangements 2 weeks in advance.

ANOINTING OF SICK

Anytime when in need. Please phone.

MISSION STATEMENT

We the family of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church provide worship, education, ministerial and social opportunities for the Spiritual growth of all.

Offertory Gifts

In Appreciation to Fr. Joe by Lisa Pinell & Andre’.

Lamp I

In Loving Memory of Ervin Chiasson Sr. (Anniv-3/22/2015) by Betty Trosclair,

Lamp II

In In Loving Memory of Ida R. & Andre Bourgeois, Andre M. Bourgeois, Bob Bourgeois Jr, Lydia & Joseph Roger, Ophelia & Marcellain Bourgeois, M/M Theophine Aucoin, Edwina Boudreaux, Adela Clement, Victoria T. & Walter C. Richard, Tyrone Richard, Bob & Bessie Gros, & Deceased Loved Ones, Steve “Buck” Bourgeois, Mary & Elie Guillot & Fly, Andrew, Rita & Gustave & Harry Tabor, Annalie Gravois, For Conversion & Salvation of Souls, For Priest & Religious & Those in Prison by Susie & Walter Richard & Jerome & Jennifer Bourgeois & Fly.

Missalettes

In Loving Memory of Russel & Emelda Benoit & Lee & Eudora Chauvin by Sheryle & Harold Chauvin.

Bulletins

For Those Affected by the Recent Hurricane by a parishioner.

Please pray for those of our Parish who are ill and those listed on the Prayer List.



Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 6, 2020

In chapter 14 of Luke's Gospel, Jesus is speaking to people gathered at the table about the difficulties of following him. This group of people is suspicious about Jesus, looking to catch him doing something wrong.

Jesus speaks to them in parables, emphasizing that although there is a right way to be a disciple and enter into the kingdom of his Father, it is a difficult path to follow. Many, even some of the guests at the table, reject the invitation. So Jesus turns to the crowds and speaks to them of discipleship.

Jesus explains that, when it comes to making a choice for the Kingdom of God, nothing can get in the way. When Jesus describes “hating” one's father and mother, he is not talking about feelings. Rather, he is emphasizing very strongly that choosing to be a disciple means that everything else—family, money, your own life—must come second.

In Matthew's version of this story (Matthew 10:37), Jesus refers not to “hating” father or mother, but to *loving them more* than Jesus. Jesus makes it very clear that being a disciple is not easy. It means to bear one's own cross.

These difficult sayings of Jesus are followed by two brief parables (a person constructing a tower and a king marching into battle) that make an obvious point—don't start what you cannot finish.

Discipleship is difficult and is something we can commit to only if we are prepared to put the Kingdom of God before everything else.

(source: catholicculture.org)



TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—SEPT. 6, 2020

Collections—

Aug. 22 & 23, 2020

Envelopes.....	2278.00
Loose.....	276.00
Total.....	2554.00
Pandemic coll.....	140.00
Parish Devel.....	325.00
Spec. Donation.....	30.00
Masses.....	135.00
Wedding.....	250.00
Deferred.....	75.00
Cem. Commission.....	34.80

Aug. 29 & 30, 2020

Envelopes.....	3622.00
Loose.....	419.00
Total.....	4041.00
Parish Devel.....	175.00



Mass & Novena

Mass with the Novena will be held this Tuesday, Sept. 8 at 6 pm in the church. All are invited.

Masses for Wednesday thru Friday will be held at 8 am in Church.

Second Collections for September

Parish Development — 9/5 & 9/6

You may also make a donation to the Hurricane

Laura collection at any of our masses in Sept.

Catholic University — 9/12 & 9/13

Special Holy Land—9/19 & 9/20

March of Life Pilgrimage—9/26 & 9/27

The St. John Office will be closed on Monday, Sept. 7th for the Labor Day Observance.

Marriage Anniversary Couples Celebration

The Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux is inviting all couples married in the Catholic Church who are celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, (and beyond) anniversary during 2020 to one of two Diocesan Liturgies of the Word, which will be celebrated Sunday, Nov. 8 and Sunday, Nov. 22 respectively at St. Joseph Co-Cathedral, both at 3 pm. The celebration will not be a Mass, but a Liturgy of the Word. If you wish to participate in this program, contact your church parish before Sept. 18, 2020 to register. All registered anniversary couples will receive an inscribed diocesan certificate in their own church parish during their scheduled parish celebration.

SEPT. 5-11

World Peace, Poor Souls In Purgatory, Ida R. & Andre E. Bourgeois, Andre M. Bourgeois, Bob Bourgeois Jr., Lydia & Joseph Roger, Ophelia & Marcellain Bourgeois, M/M Theophine Aucoin, Edwina Boudreaux, Adela Clement, Victoria T. & Walter C. Richard, Tyrone Richard, Bob & Bessie Gros, & Deceased Loved Ones, Mary & Elie Guillot & Fly, Andrew, Rita & Gustave & Harry Tabor, Stanley Gravois, Annalie Gravois, Sterling Aysen, Irving Chiasson, For Conversion & Salvation of Souls, For Priest & Religious & Those in Prison, Lee & Eudora Chauvin, Russel & Emelda Benoit, Bernice Morvant, M/M Edward Aucoin, Eulalie Mire, Louis Mire, Hazel Mire, Virginia L. Mire, Louis Benoit, Eula Benoit, Gary Joseph Benoit, Regina Carlos, Larry Joseph Benoit, Louis Thibodaux, Gale Clement Decker, Thomas E. 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Boudreaux, Pamela & Carrol, Roy & Earline LeBlanc, Jackie Andolsek & son-Eric, M/M Calvin Bourgeois, Daphne LeRay, M/M Xavier Toups & Fly, M/M Bartholew Thibodaux & Fly, M/M Tanile Morvant & Fly, Esther & Stanley Morvant Sr, Audrey & Stanley Morvant Jr, Lilly & Harold Clement, Sylvia & Chester Tabor, Gerald & Tiffany Crouch, Elsie & Carolyn "Tut" Delaune, M/M Andrew Milek, Mary Catherine Milek Pharo, Chad C. Tabor, M/M Albert G. Gauthreaux Sr & Albert Jr, M/M Walter C. Tabor Sr & Fly, Yvonne & Carroll Tabor & Mikie, Roland & Vivian Tabor, Marion Tabor, Melvin & Theresa Percle Sr & Fly, M/M Leo Boudreaux & Fly, M/M Aubert Gauthreaux & Fly, Mrs. Edith R. Gauthreaux & Fly, M/M John Tabor & Fly, M/M Wilfred Boudreaux & Fly, M/M Ezeb Schexsnayder & Charles & Fly, M/M Willie Daigle, Dave Sr & Lorena Folse & Dave Jr, Noelee Grabert, Mrs. Marie Chaisson, Mrs. Verlene Oubre, Tom Herrington, M/M Louis Trosclair Sr, Lyle, Lilly, Harold & Francis Clement, Marion Knight, Raymond & Betty Waguespack, Leonard Amedee, M/M Raoul Pitre, M/M Harris Henry, Beverly Delice, Edna B. & C. J. Thibodaux & Fly, Charles Bonvillain, Mickey Talbot, Hortence Usey, Howard Aysen Sr., Audrey & Stanley Morvant Jr., Wallace Gauthreaux Sr., Judy Degraeville, Lillie Mae Loupe, Beryl Gros, Sylvia Tabor, Abby Tabor Sr, Louis Edwin Thibodaux, Ellis Falgoust, Clarence Ford, Milton Duet, Marjorie, A. J. & Elsie, Floyd & Deceased Family Members, Naquin & Leonard Flys, Darrick Matherne, Adam Snetzer, Mary & Bill Lancaster, James Sr & Ruth, Gail Estay & Deceased Loved Ones, Bourgeois & Filce Fly, Robert Thibodaux Jr, Roger & Fields Flys, Mire & Duet Flys, Randy Duet, Albert "A.J." Guillot Jr, Albert J. Guillot Sr, Harry & Letitia Webre, Lawrence "L.J." 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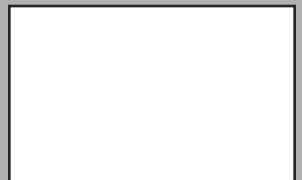
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