



St. John the Evangelist

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CATHOLIC CHURCH



19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—AUGUST 8, 2021

STAFF

Pastor..... Rev. Varghese Josekutty
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OFFICE HOURS

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

Saturday 4:00 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 Loving Memory of Sterling Aysen & Deceased Members of the Aysen & Bourg Families by Inez Aysen.

Lamp I

In Loving Memory of Louis Dill by wife-Mary Ann & Family.

Lamp II

In Thanksgiving by Warren & Cathy Chauvin.

Missalettes

In Loving Memory of Russel C. Benoit (BDay-8/11) by dgr—Sheryle.

Bulletins

In Loving Memory of Allen Cavalier by Dad, Mom & Tim.

PRAYER TO SAINT JOSEPH

O good St. Joseph, Guardian of Jesus and Mary, I place myself under your faithful protection.

You were always attentive to the voice of the Lord and never ceased to follow wherever God led you. Help me to hear and respond to God’s voice with the same humble fidelity.

O St. Joseph, Terror of demons, protect me from all that might tempt me away from abiding in communion with Jesus.

Chaste Spouse of the Blessed Virgin, grant me a pure heart that I may see as God sees, and love as God loves.

With deep tenderness you cared for Mary and held the sleeping child Jesus, the Son of God, in your arms.

O dear St. Joseph, pray for me that I might have a mind and heart to receive that same love from my Father in heaven. St. Joseph, intercede for me always so that under your care I might be found worthy to rejoice forever with Jesus and you in heaven. Amen.

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—AUG. 8, 2021

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

On this Sunday, we continue to read from the “Bread of Life discourse” found in the sixth chapter of John’s Gospel. Recall that we have been reading from this chapter for the past two weeks and will continue to read from it for another two. Last week, the crowd asked for a sign that would show that Jesus came from God. Jesus replied by saying that he is the sign and the bread of life sent by God. At this point, our Lectionary omits six verses in which Jesus predicts the unbelief of the crowd and further develops his connection with God the Father. In these verses, Jesus says that he was sent by God to do the Father’s will. Jesus promises that those who look upon the Son with faith will find eternal life. Some of these themes are repeated in today’s Gospel reading.

Today’s Gospel begins with a report that the Jews complained about Jesus’ claims regarding his identity. They knew his family, and they knew he was the son of Joseph. They could not comprehend what Jesus meant when he said that he came down from heaven. Jesus responds to the complaints by saying that only those who are chosen by God will recognize him as the one that God sent. This is a recurring theme in John’s Gospel, that God has chosen those who will have faith in Jesus.

In the verses that follow, Jesus talks more about his unity with the Father. He is the one who has seen the Father and, therefore, knows the Father. Those who listen to God will recognize that Jesus is the one sent from God. Those who believe will have eternal life. Jesus concludes with the central element of our Eucharistic theology. He promises that the bread of life will bring eternal life to those who partake of it, and he tells us that the bread of life will be his own flesh, given for the life of the world.

In today’s reading, we hear Jesus say again, as he did in last week’s Gospel, that he is the bread of life. We also hear Jesus add that he is the living bread. Both of these statements help us understand better the gift that Jesus gives us in the Eucharist. We celebrate this gift of Jesus each time we gather for Mass. We believe that receiving Jesus in the Eucharist will lead us to eternal life.



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COLLECTIONS—July 31 & 1

Envelopes.....	2590.00
Loose.....	376.00
Total.....	2966.00
Parish Dev.....	1541.00
Masses.....	25.00
Property rental.....	600.00
Donations.....	25.00

Thank you for your continued generous support of St. John Church.

Adult Formation

An Adult Formation Summit will be held on Fri., Aug. 27th thru Sun., Aug. 29th at the Pastoral Center in Schriever. Precautions are being taken for the safety of everyone in regards to COVID. The weekend is designed to be an opportunity for all those involved in your parish's Adult Formation Leadership to grow in relationship with God and to be coached in the vision and skills for Adult Formation. The event will kickoff on Friday evening with dinner at 5:30 pm with the 1st session starting around 7 pm. We'll have a full day on Saturday & continue thru Sunday afternoon. We will wrap up around 3 pm on Sunday which includes Mass. There is NO CHARGE for this event. Food and needed materials will be provided. For any questions or to register, please call 850-3155.

Thank You—Thank You—Thank You

We thank three of our parishioners— J., L. & S., who cleaned the front porch and walls of the rectory last weekend. It looks welcoming and pleasing as any guest approaches the front door. God bless you all.

+Weekly Mass Schedule+

Monday—No Mass

Tuesday—6 pm w/Novena in chapel

Wednesday thru Friday—8 am in chapel

Saturday—4 pm in church

Sunday—8 & 11 am in church

Recitation of the Rosary—10 am on Tuesday & Thursday at the St. John Grotto. All are invited.

C.C.D. News

+St. John CCD classes will begin soon. An Orientation with Parents/Guardian will be held on Monday, Aug. 23rd at 6 pm in church.

+A CCD Opening Mass will be held on Monday, Aug. 30th at 6 pm in church. Students and parents should attend.



Lester Gravois, Lawrence & Lilly Melancon, John, Leslie, GG & Jack Legendre, Byrne Legendre, Joyce Hidalgo, James Blanchard, Allen Cavalier, M/M James Blanchard, Mike Baye(Anniv-8/6) , Shirley Baye(8/21), Parishioners

MASSSES—AUG. 7—13

World Peace, Poor Souls in Purgatory, Russel & Emelda Benoit, Lee & Eudora Chauvin, Hilda Melancon, 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, Joseph N. Niquiporo, John Oliver, Sterling Aysen, Irving Chiasson, For Conversion & Salvation of Souls, For Priest & Religious & Those in Prison, Maurice Mire, Chester A.Mire, Hazel Mire, Virginia Mire, Louis Mire, Eulalie Mire, Eula Benoit, Louis Benoit, Regina Carlos, Larry Benoit, Gary J.Benoit, Russell Bernard Sr, (BDay-1/6), Eddie & Edna Filce, Thomas & Anna Mae Bernard, Trysten Bernard, Robert Thibodaux Jr, Roger & Fields Flys, Mire & Duet Flys, Randy Duet, Abby Tabor Sr, Valcour & Regina Tabor, Edmond & Elise Naquin, Harold Terracina, John Arceneaux, Louis Thibodaux, Rhea G. Hall, Kimberly H. Robichaux, Paul & Margaret Boudreaux & Deceased Family Member, Betty & Jimmy Boudreaux, Loralyn, John & Jeanne Fields, Harold Terracina, John Acherman, Maurice P. Mire, O.J. Legendre, M/M Edward Aucoin, Timmy Aucoin, Henry Usey, Janet (Usey) Molaison, Paul Dudek, M/M Leonce Guillot, Earl, Wilbert, William, Gilbert & Olivia, Francis & Virgie, M/M Marcel Usey Sr, 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, Charles Prejean, Terry Hymel, Louis Thibodaux, Nazie & Dolien Thibodaux, M/M Wilson Alleman, M/M Ridley Westerman, Christopher Alleman, M/M Ralph David, Charles Alleman, Juanita Alleman, Johnathan Besson, Gustave, Enola & Crane Arcement, Lois & Ralph Jougla, Cazenave & Graugnard Flys, Aleen Lorio, Charlotte Zieyes, Wilson E.Thibodeaux, Michael A.Thibodeaux, Amy T.Steinacker, Mona & Joseph Pitre Sr, Hilda & Titus Crawford, Mary E Thibodeaux Marcel, Randolph & Sylvia Richard, Richard & Mire Flys, Albert "A.J." Guillot Jr, Albert J.Guillot Sr, Harry & Letitia Webre, Jody Arcement, Lawrence "L.J."Arcement, Charlie Adams, Bernice Morvant, Ernest Floyd Thibodaux, Ricky, Larry, Louise & Junius Boudreaux, Chester Chiasson Jr, Odette Naquin, Calvin Naquin Sr, Calvin Naquin Jr, Peggy & Chester Chiasson & Holly, Stacy Domangue, June Shaw, Bob Breaux, Nora Shaw, Billy & Delta Shaw, Scott Naquin, Dean Fakier, Rosadel Fakier, Louis Fakier, Raymond & Betty Waguespack, Trosclair, Tregre, Bernard & Terracina Flys, Lester & Lucille Gravois, Joseph & Louise Accardo, Ivory Stewart, Francois & Winnie Aubert, Wilson & Alice Adams, Michel & Lydia Guillot, Judith Guillot, Aubert, Adams & Borne Flys, Mary Elizabeth Hebert, Eustace Breaux, Milton & Yvonne Breaux, Amedeo Sr & Laura Roger, Lloyd Legendre, M/M Gus Legendre, M/m John B. Ray, June M. Shaw, O. J. Legendre, Timmy Aucoin, M/M Edward Aucoin, M/M Andrew Milek, Cathy Milek Pharo, Clarence Ford, M/M Louis Fakier, M/M Luke Ford Sr, Thomas E. Gros, Allen Cavalier, Daphne LeRay, M/M Calvin Bourgeois, Drew Adams, Ruffy Adams, Adams & Clement Flys, Elward Arcement, Ricky LeBlanc, Jr., Elsie & Ricky LeBlanc, Dwight LeBlanc, Carole Ann Domangue, Bessie & Louis LeBlanc and Camelia & Elphege LeBlanc, Sophie & Elward Arcement, Sophie & Phillip Cancienne, Dora & Tecoon Arcement, Joe, Verna & Camille Boudreaux, Joyce & Ray Waguespack, Donna Boudreaux Toups and Mary Deanna Dohmann Chachere, Nola Trahan Dohmann, Blackie Dohmann, Carolyn & Alvin LeBlanc, Bryan Ritchie, Barbara Richard Landry, Chester Boudreaux Sr, Milton Duet,Louis L. Dill Jr, Ida & Lawrence Blanchard, L.J.(AI), Irving & Dave Blanchard, Hilda & Louis Dill Sr & Fly, Ione Clause & Hilda Reed, Melvin Pallock, Michael Thomas, Charles(Bubba)Braud, Daniel Legendre, Denis & Rose Legendre, Emile & Marie Blanchard, Joyline Cancienne, Loy Smith, Allen Cavalier, M/M Dewey Talbot & Lorena, Paul & Thelma Boudreaux, Pam & Carrol, Roy & Earline LeBlanc, Chris Alleman, Milton Benoit, Ervin Benoit, Jack Legendre, Anna Mae & Norman Naquin, Tom & Wanda Swafford, Marilyn Himel, Nela Guillot, Janet(Usey)Molaison, Helen Usey, Virgie & Olivia Guillot, Elsie Taylor, Legendre & Taylor Flys, Albert C. Gerstle Jr, Norman Navarre, Brian Parks, Clement, Navarre, Aucoin Families, Enid & Rodney Mire, Lesley LeBlanc, Gigi Bonvillain, William & Windy Adams, Joyce Hidalgo, Anita Ponville, Allen Cavalier, Junius"Nonnie"Arabie, Barry"Bugba"Arabie, M/M Dennis Chiasson, M/M Joseph Arabie, Irvin Arabie, Eugene & Theresa"PeeWee" Legendre, Louis Thibodaux, Elsie & Jim Taylor, Claudine Richard, Byrne & Irving Legendre Fly, Joyce & Roland Hidalgo, Archie Julien, Steve, Preston & Vincent Morvant, James & Beverly Stafford,

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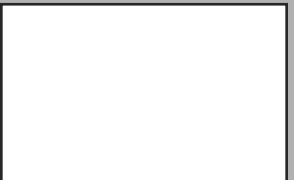
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