

February 19, 2017

THE PASTOR'S CORNER:

GROUNDING

*“Whoever keeps the word of Christ,
the love of God is truly perfected in him.”*

A mature missionary disciple of our Lord Jesus Christ is always grounded in the words of the scriptures. A disciple always has an open heart and keeps the words of Christ. Then the mission of a disciple is to proclaim and share to others the words of Christ perfected in the disciple's heart.

Being grounded in the scriptures does not mean we have to memorize the chapters, the verses and the words of the Bible. Being grounded in the Scriptures means, we have to love God and our neighbor. The books of the Old Testament tell us about the love of God for the Israelites, His chosen people and the books of the New Testament tell us about the love of the Father and His only Begotten Son, who offered His life to save all men.

Our Lord Jesus Christ reminded His disciples in the Gospel that they should love their neighbors, love their enemies and pray for those who persecute them. If someone strikes them on the right cheek, a disciple should turn the other cheek as well, and if someone wants their tunic, a disciple should give the cloak as well. This is the perfect love of God in the Scriptures, which every disciple should keep in their hearts, and then, they should proclaim it to all the people.

As we prepare for the Season of Lent, this is the time to reflect on the love of God and the passion, death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ all written in the Scriptures. Let us keep both our feet grounded in the words of God and our hearts filled with the love of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Let us pray and hope that we will all grow as mature missionary disciples.

Fr. Rholly Grecia

Sunday, February 19, 2017

- Masses 8:00AM, 11:00AM & 6:00PM
- 11:00AM Come Listen
- Baptisms following Mass

Monday, February 20, 2017

- 8:00AM Mass (Chapel)
- 1:30PM ERG

Tuesday, February 21, 2017

- 5:15PM Mass (Chapel)
- Novena following

Wednesday, February 22, 2017

- 8:00AM Mass (Chapel)
- Novena following
- 1:30PM & 6:30PM Come Lord Jesus (M/R)

Thursday, February 23, 2017

- 5:15PM Mass (Chapel)
- 6:30PM K/C Meeting (C/C)

Friday, February 24, 2017

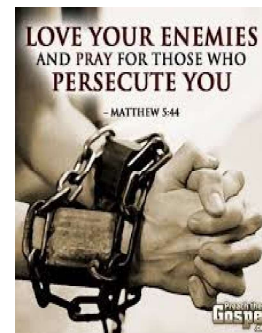
- 8:00AM Mass (Chapel)
- Adoration 3 – 7PM

Saturday, February 25, 2017

- 4:00PM Vigil Mass

Sunday, February 26, 2017

- Masses 8:00AM, 11:00AM & 6:00PM
- 11:00AM Burning of Palms/Reconciliation



STEWARDSHIP REPORT:

February 12, 2017

COLLECTED	AMOUNT NEEDED WEEKLY	OVER/SHORT
Envelopes \$4,157.00		
Loose \$2,263.81	\$8,463.00	(\$2,042.19)
Total: \$6,420.81		

Major Maintenance & Repair Collection: \$1,338.00

Thank you for your generosity! God Bless!!

SICK RELATIVES AND FRIENDS:

Jane Breaux, Penny Bergeron, Alaina Maiorana, Bentley James Dubois, Charles Sims, Kathy Mattingly, Melanie Boquet, Ray Duthu, Sr., Lance Breaux, Charlene Chatagnier, Percy Rhodes, Mrs. Amelia Breaux, David Callahan, Sr., Emily Pitre, Gloria Stringer, Shelly Boudreaux, Layne Pitre, Roxanne Wilson, Anna LeBoeuf, Harris LeBoeuf, Lloyd Marcel, Sr., Rosemary Bergeron, Jamie Crowley, Melissa Broussard, Katie Savoie, James Blanchard, Kristen Boudreaux, Ricky Dominique, Grady & Teresa Parrish, Linda LeCompte, Cheryl Kline, Flavia & Charles Redmond, Royce Voisin, Zelma & Rosie Autin, Kent Freeman, Anton Schneida, David Hebert, Geraldine Theriot, Steve Cunningham, Joyce LeBlanc, Kelly Guidry, Julie Cenac, Diane Cenac, Rita Bernard, Marion Kurtz, Danny & Dawn Cadere, Rebecca Authement, Errol Chouest, Kyler Domingue, Moe Solet, Paul J. Verdin, Sr., Dan LeBlanc, Mitchell Pitre, Keith Dubois, Stacy Billiot, Jackie Bonvillain, Tyler Morgan, Barbara Price, Carey Duplantis, Anna Rodrigue, Clemence Bardell, Mary A. Murphrey, Angela & Tommy Guidry, Morris Rabb, Alice LeBoeuf, Juanita Pitre, Blake Pitre, Jr., Tiffany Dufrene, Lloyd Crochet, Kenneth Decoursey, Beverly Callahan, Tommy Moore, Ralph & Mazie Boudreaux, Mildred LeCompte, Jason Rogers, Eugene Cadere, Kelvin LeCompte, David LeCompte, Tommy LeCompte, Jerry LeCompte, Levis Jr. LeCompte, Owen Ricketts, Maelyn Pitre, DeAndre' Pitre, Tee Douglas, August Bonvillain

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

- 2 – 20 Sirach 1:1 – 10; Mark 9:14 – 29
- 2 – 21 Sirach 2:1 – 11; Mark 9:30 – 37
- 2 – 22 1 Peter 5:1 – 4; Matthew 16:13 – 19
- 2 – 23 Sirach 5:1 – 8; Mark 9:41 – 50
- 2 – 24 Sirach 6:5 – 17; Mark 10:1 – 12
- 2 – 25 Sirach 17:1 – 15; Mark 10:13 – 16
- 2 – 26 Isaiah 49:14 – 15; 1 Corinthians 4:1 – 5; Matthew 6:24 – 34

MASS INTENTIONS

2 – 18 4:00PM Velma Trahan, Robert Gautreaux, Pearl Champagne, Rickey Baudoin, The Oubre Family, Kerragen Ledet, Gina Breaux, Ola Crochet, Rosella & Kevin Crochet, Julie Chauvin, Donald "Red" Champagne, Joey Magnus Fields, III, Reynold Pitre, Daniel J. Bergeron, Vincent & Zenobia Fazzio, Charles Fazzio, Lynn M. LeBoeuf, Joseph L. Poiencot, Paul & Velma Dupre, Rita & John Daigle, Charles & Avala Dupre, Emile & Sadie Foret, Larry Boudwin, Horace Bourg, Brian Eschete, Bruce, Wilma & Ricky Pellegrin, Dorsey, Buck & Margaret Belanger, Marie Cenac, Mannie Cenac, Cecile Cenac, Mark Naquin, Tristan Scott, Evelyn Ann Brunet Pitre

2 – 19 8:00AM Holy Rosary Family, Aline Bergeron, Mr. & Mrs. Wilbert LeCompte, Mr. & Mrs. Druis Luke, Roy & Walter Luke, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Poiencot, Burleigh, Molly & Stephen Ruiz, Alvin Dominique, Jr., Lanny Ledet, Jovanna Ledet, Wilma & Herbert Cressoine, Alvin Dominique, Monique LeBlanc, Richard Anthony Pitre, Albert Verdin, Jr., James Brunet, Sr., Evelyn Ann Brunet Pitre

11:00AM Purgatorial List, Tommy Bonvillain, Mrs. Mabel B. Bonvillain, Terry Babin, Sr., Gloria Bergeron, Camille Duplantis, Sr., Maurice Boudreaux, Agnes Boudreaux, LeRoy Boudreaux, Lionel Boudreaux, Levis LeCompte, Michael LeCompte, Neal Boudreaux, Todd Boudreaux, Terry Champagne, Betty Louviere, Gene Bonvillain, Sr. & Jr., Cleophas Callais

6:00PM Richard Cenac, Sr., Salina L. Cenac, Deceased Members of the Altar Society, Ellen Dupre Hebert, Mr. & Mrs. Elwood Usie, Mr. & Mrs. Glynn Hutchinson, Wayne LeBouef, Mr. & Mrs. Raynold Usie, Sr., Larry Falgout, Mr. & Mrs. Ivy Usie, Davon Usie, Norris Bourg, Mr. & Mrs. Alcide Falgout, Mr. Eldrige Klibert, Kade Levron, Mr. & Mrs. Leo Usie

2 – 20 Holy Rosary Family
2 – 21 Mr. & Mrs. Peter J. Hamilton
2 – 22 Myron Chatagnier
2 – 23 Deacons
2 – 24 Vocations

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SANCTUARY LAMPS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 19, 2017

The Yellow Sanctuary Lamp in the Church is being burned this week, February 19, 2017 in loving memory of Gene Bonvillain Sr. & Jr., Cleophas Callais, Sr. & Anthony Trahan.

The Red Sanctuary Lamp in the Church is being burned this week, February 19, 2017 in loving memory of Betty Louviere from your Saia Family.

The Sanctuary Lamp in the Chapel is being burned this week February 19, 2017 in loving memory of Evelyn Ann Brunet Pitre from Carol and Corey Louviere.

CLEANING ANGELS February 19 – 25, 2017

Melanie Pontiff, Ann Rhodes, Henry Rodrigue, Yvonne Duplantis

THE RELIGIOUS SHOP will be open after the 4:00PM Vigil Mass and the 11:00AM Mass this weekend. Please come by the Parish Office if you would like to shop Monday through Thursday. Items not found in the shop can be ordered for your convenience and in most instances will be received in 1 – 2 days.



PALMS

All parishioners are asked to bring in their blessed palms from last year to be burned for Ashes for Ash Wednesday. Ash Wednesday is March 1st. There will be a box in front of the Church for you to drop off your palms. Masses for Ash Wednesday will be at 8:00AM, 12Noon and 6:00PM. Many thanks.

MARDI GRAS DAY MASS TIME CHANGE LENTEN & EASTER CHANGES

The Daily Mass for Tuesday, February 28th will be prayed at **8:00AM** instead of 5:15PM in church. The parish office will be closed on Mardi Gras Day. **During Lent and the Easter Season weekday masses will be at 8:00AM only and will be in Church. We will not have 5:15PM mass during this time.**

BURNING OF PALMS/RECONCILIATION FEBRUARY 26, 2017 – AFTER 11:00AM MASS

On Sunday February 26th we will have burning of Palms after the 11:00AM Mass. We will also have a chance to have reconciliation.

OUR LADY OF PROMPT SUCCOR ADORATION CHAPEL 4316 Hwy 56, Houma, LA 70363, February 23th 6:35PM – 8:35PM

TEACHING: "EVERYBODY NEEDS TO FORGIVE SOMEBODY" - Based on Allen Hunt's latest book. We fail to capture the power of forgiveness because we are afraid of it, because we have grown comfortable in our familiar wounds, or because we are sinfully stubborn. The power of forgiveness is waiting for us! This teaching and Allen Hunt's book will help unleash that power in your life!

SPEAKER: MONICA

Bulletin Message/Pulpit Announcement #4 All Gifts Provide Hope

Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary parish is pleased with the very good early response to the 2017 Annual Bishop's Appeal, for which we are immensely thankful; however, we know that there are still many who have yet to make their commitment. Please return your commitment card in the offertory or simply mail it to the diocese in the provided envelope, or you may also visit www.htdiocese.org to make your gift via the internet. Please remember that if the diocese reaches its goal, then a percentage of funds will be returned to all parishes that go over its individual goal.

If you would like more information about the 2017 Annual Bishop's Appeal, please contact the diocesan Office of Stewardship and Development at 850-3155 or visit www.htdiocese.org.

CANDLE ROOM

Please take time to light a candle on behalf of your loved ones or even a personal prayer petition for yourself. The candles are lit for four hours at a time for the cost of \$2.00 per candle.

CONDOLENCE COMMITTEE OF OUR LADY OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

As you are aware we have a Condolence Committee for Our Lady of The Most Holy Rosary Catholic Church. For more information or if you wish to join this group please contact Mrs. Gwen Eaton at 665-8740. Donations are appreciated.

CONFIRMATION



The following were confirmed at Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary on Sunday, February 12th at 6:00 p.m. Please pray for our Newly Confirmed Catholics that they will use their gifts to build God's Church! Congratulations to: Kassie Renah Bourg, Noah Anthony Dryden, Brittany Ann Luke, Erin Blake McCormick, Dylan Jude Trahan, Harley Kay Trahan, Dustin Michael Trosclair, Ashley Ann Parfait, Dasan Layne Verret, Freddie Elizabeth Tucker Webre.

SHRIMP BOIL FUNDRAISER

On Friday, March 10, 2017 our Confirmation team will have a boiled shrimp dinner fundraiser to help cover the increased cost of our Confirmation Retreats. Dinners will consist of 1# Boiled Shrimp, Potatoes, Corn, Crackers and Dip. Cost will be \$11.00. Delivery will be available for orders of 10 or more. Order forms will be available beginning February 25th in the vestibule of the Church or the Parish Office and must be turned in by Tuesday, March 7, 2017.

