

OUR LADY OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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THE PASTOR'S CORNER: "....the truth of life in HIM."

SPIRIT OF LOVE

It is time for our Risen Lord Jesus Christ to return to His Father's House in heaven and He assured His disciples that He will not leave them orphans because He will send from heaven the Holy Spirit of Love. Our Risen Lord will come to His disciples through the Holy Spirit, and He will live and remain in them.

Jesus will not be physically present anymore in the world, and this is for the good of all of us because it means that He will not be limited by time and space anymore. Our Lord will be present in us in Spirit, wherever we are and whatever time we exist in this world, because of the Holy Spirit. Our bodies will become the temple of the Holy Spirit through the grace of the Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation.

Now that we have Jesus in us, we, as His disciples, should therefore go out and share to others the gift of the Holy Spirit, which is Love. Let us keep the commandment of love our Lord Jesus Christ in our hearts by loving God and by loving our neighbor. This is our mission as matured missionary disciple of the Lord, to bring the Spirit of Love to others, because in that way, we are extending and not limiting the presence of Jesus in the world. Actually, Jesus commanded us before He ascended to the kingdom of heaven, to go to all the nations and baptize them, so that, He will be present in the hearts of every baptize person in the world.

If you know somebody, who has not been baptized yet or has not received yet the Sacrament of Confirmation, it is your mission to invite them to receive these sacraments. Let us make this world filled with the presence of the Spirit of Love, and let us invite our brothers and sisters to be disciples of our Risen Lord Jesus Christ.

I would like thank you again my dear parishioners for your kindness and generosity and for all your help in the Feeding of the Poor mission of the Diocese of Lucena, which will be this coming Monday, May 22, 2017 at 8:00 am, Philippines time (May 21, 2017, 7:00 pm Louisiana time).

Please pray for my safe travel, back to Louisiana, this week. God bless us all!

Fr. Rholly Grecia

Sunday, May 21, 2017

- Masses 8:00AM, 11:00AM & 6:00PM

Monday, May 22, 2017

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

Tuesday, May 23, 2017

- 8:00AM Mass (Church)
- Novena following

Wednesday, May 24, 2017

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

Thursday, May 25, 2017

- 8:00AM (Church)
- 6:30PM K/C Meeting (C/C)

Friday, May 26, 2017

- 8:00AM Mass (Church)

Saturday, May 27, 2017

- 4:00PM VIGIL
- **Catholic Communications Collection**

Sunday, May 28, 2017

- Masses 8:00AM, 11:00AM & 6:00PM
- **Catholic Communications Collection**



STEWARDSHIP REPORT:

May 14, 2017

COLLECTED	AMOUNT NEEDED WEEKLY	OVER/SHORT
Envelopes \$3,065.00		
Loose \$1,555.00	\$8,463.00	(\$3,843.00)
Total: \$4,620.00		

Major Maintenance and Repair 2nd Collection: \$1,357.71

Thank you for your generosity! God Bless!!

SICK RELATIVES AND FRIENDS:

Christine Harvey, Jerry Hermann, Sonny Breaux, Pearl Bonvillain, Johnny Roussell, River Naquin, Lawrence Trosclair, John Michael Champagne, Lucy Pitre Bourg & Frances Picou, Kerry Duplantis, Ray Duthu, Sr., Charlene Chatagnier, Emily Pitre, Gloria Stringer, Layne Pitre, Anna LeBoeuf, Harris LeBoeuf, Lloyd Marcel, Sr., Rosemary Bergeron, Jamie Crowley, Katie Savoie, Kristen Boudreaux, Ricky Dominique, Grady & Teresa Parrish, Linda LeCompte, Cheryl Kline, Flavia & Charles Redmond, Zelma & Rosie Autin, Kent Freeman, Anton Schneida, David Hebert, Geraldine Theriot, Joyce LeBlanc, Kelly Guidry, Julie Cenac, Diane Cenac, Rita Bernard, Marion Kurtz, Danny & Dawn Cadiere, 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 LeBouef, Juanita Pitre, Blake Pitre, Jr., Tiffany Dufrene, Lloyd Crochet, Kenneth Decoursey, Beverly Callahan, Tommy Moore, Ralph & Mazie Boudreaux, Mildred, Kelvin, David, Tommy, Jerry & Levis, Jr. LeCompte, Jason Rogers, Eugene Cadiere, Owen Rickets, Maelyn Pitre, DeAndre Pitre, Tee Douglas

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

- 5 - 22 Acts 16:11 - 15; John 15:26 - 16:4a
- 5 - 23 Acts 16:22 - 34; John 16:5 - 11
- 5 - 24 Acts 17:15, 22 - 18:1; John 16:12 - 15
- 5 - 25 Acts 1:1 - 11; Ephesians, 1:17 - 23; Matthew 28:16 - 20
- 5 - 26 Acts 19:9 - 18; John 16:20 - 23
- 5 - 27 Acts 18:23 - 28; John 16:23b - 28
- 5 - 28 Acts 1:12 - 14; 1 Peter 4:13 - 16; John 17:1 - 11a



MASS INTENTIONS

5 – 20 4:00PM Velma Trahan, Robert Gautreaux, Pearl Champagne, Rickey Baudoin, V.J. Oubre Family, Kerragen Ledet, Gina Breau, 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, Brian Eschete, Bruce, Wilma & Ricky Pellegrin, Marie Cenac, Mannie Cenac, Cecile Cenac, Mark Naquin, Tristan Scott, Richard Anthony Pitre, Patrick Scales, Betty Naquin, Florence Soudelier

5 – 21 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, Richard Anthony Pitre, Albert Verdin, Jr., Evelyn B. Pitre, Ruth Hebert, Clarence Carlos, Jr., David Lee Pitre, Ray J. Pitre, Sr., Dorina Ledet Pitre, Leonard "Lenny" Pitre, Suzette Micele & Vincent "Sparky" Micele

11:00AM Purgatorial List, Terry Babin, Sr., Maurice Boudreaux, Agnes Boudreaux, LeRoy Boudreaux, Lionel Boudreaux, Levis & Michael LeCompte, Neal Boudreaux, Todd Boudreaux, Terry Champagne, Betty Louviere, Gene Bonvillain, Sr. & Jr., Lena Trahan, Duane E. Mesh

6:00PM Richard Cenac, Sr., Salina L. Cenac, Deceased Members of the Altar Society, Ellen Dupre Hebert, Howard Breau,

5 – 22 Priests, Myron Chatagnier, Marie Thibodeaux
5 – 23 Donald "Red" Champagne, Rita Mae Plaisance
5 – 24 Betty Strong
5 – 25 Vocations
5 – 26 Priests, Religious, Deacons, Florence Soudelier

SANCTUARY LAMPS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 21, 2017

The **Sanctuary Lamp in the Church** is being burned this week, May 21, 2017 in loving memory of Marie R. Thibodeaux from Anita & Nolan Granier.

The **Sanctuary Lamp in the Church** is being burned this week, May 21, 2017 in loving memory of Gene Bonvillain, Sr. & Jr. & Cleophas Callais from family.

The **Sanctuary Lamp in the Chapel** is being burned this week, May 21, 2017 in loving memory of Betty Naquin and Florence Soudelier from family.

CLEANING ANGELS

May 21 – 27, 2017

Whiley & Esther Landry & Angie Naquin

THE RELIGIOUS SHOP will be open before and 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.

ADORATION ON FRIDAYS

Adoration will resume on First Friday June 2nd from 3PM to 7PM.

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. If you would like to make a donation you may use cash or a check to Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary.

DIOCESE OF HOUMA – THIBODAU

The Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux will joyfully celebrate its 40th Anniversary on Pentecost Sunday, June 4, 2017, at 2:00 PM at the Cathedral of St. Francis de Sales. All of the faithful of the Diocese are invited to participate in this momentous historical milestone in our diocese. A reception will follow the Mass.

CHURCH PARISH NOVENA - PRAYING FOR OUR PARISHES

Between Divine Mercy Sunday through Pentecost Sunday, the celebration of our 40th Anniversary as a diocese, Bishop Fabre invites us to pray for our church parishes. On the back of the prayer card in church, you will find a church parish to pray for each day. Please join Bishop Fabre and all the faithful in prayer for the renewal of our parishes. Learn more about this novena and our church parishes at hdiocese.org/churchparishnovena.

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS

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Next week our parish will take up the Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). This Collection communicates the Good News through Catholic social media activities and enriches our faith through podcasts, television, radio, and print media. Half of all proceeds remain in our (arch) diocese, so please be generous in this Collection. CCC is how the Good News gets around to you.

ORDINATION OF PAUL BIRDSALL TO THE SACRED ORDER OF DEACON

With praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God, the Church of Houma-Thibodaux joyfully announces the Ordination of:

PAUL BIRDSALL

on Saturday, May 27th at 10:00am at St. Joseph Co-Cathedral, Thibodaux, LA.

ORDINATION OF:

DEACON SAMUEL BRICE HIGGINBOTHAM

DEACON JOHN DAVID MATHERNE

DEACON JEAN-MARIE NSAMBU

TO THE SACRED ORDER OF PRESBYTER

With praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God, the Church of Houma-Thibodaux joyfully announces the Ordinations of Deacon Samuel Brice Higginbotham, Deacon John David Matherne & Deacon Jean-Marie Nsambu on Saturday, June 4th at 10:00am at St. Joseph Co-Cathedral, Thibodaux, LA.

JOIN OUR NEWLY ORDAINED PRIESTS FOR THEIR MASSES OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE SOLEMNITY OF PENECEST:

Father Brice Higginbotham

St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church
Sunday, June 4, 2017 at 10:30am
Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Father John David Matherne

St. Mary's Nativity Catholic Church
Saturday, June 3, 2017 at 4:00am
3500 Highway 1 Raceland, LA 70394

Father Jean Marie Nsambu

St. Genevieve Catholic Church
Sunday, June 4, 2017 at 10:30am
815 Barbier Ave. Thibodaux, LA 70301



DID YOU KNOW?

Who Are the Abusers?

Estimates are that approximately 60% of abusers are men, 15 to 20% are women and 20 to 40% are men and women acting together. So while men are indeed the majority of sexual abusers, it is dangerous to underestimate the risk that female sexual abusers also pose to children. Among educators, 57.2% of abusers are male, and 42.4% of abusers are female. For particular help you may call: The Outreach Number for the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux at (985) 873-0026.