

# OUR LADY OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

## DISCIPLES' SERVICE

Why do the disciples need to leave their father and mother? Why do the disciples have to take up the cross? Why do the disciples have to leave their homes and possessions? Why did the Master, our Lord Jesus Christ, ask the disciples to lose or offer their lives?

A worthy disciple of Jesus is the one who is always ready and available to serve the people of God. There are, of course, other ways to serve the people, but service as a disciple of the Lord means total self-giving and sacrifice. If a disciple serves without sacrifice, he is not really serving at all as a disciple of our Lord Jesus Christ, who served and gave His all and His life to the people given to Him by God, the Father.

The Books of the Old Testament contain stories of prophets who sacrificed everything to serve God. The Books of the New Testament tell us many stories of the disciples who left everything, followed our Lord Jesus, and went on a mission to teach and baptize all the nations. The Gospel on this 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday is calling on us to become worthy and matured missionary disciples of Jesus by giving ourselves to the Lord and making necessary sacrifices for the Gospel. The Strategic Plan of our Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux is to make all of us matured missionary disciples of the Lord. Let us therefore pray to the master to grant us the grace and the strength to make sacrifices and become worthy and matured missionary disciples.

If for some good reasons that we cannot do the missions, the Gospel is asking us, as matured disciples of Jesus, we can still serve in many other ways, like welcoming the disciples of Jesus into your homes or giving a cup of cold water to the little disciples of the Lord. Not that we are after a reward, but a disciple who serves the Lord or a disciple who welcomes a disciple of the Lord, according to the Gospel, will surely receive a reward from the Master, our Lord Jesus Christ.

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**HAPPY 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY TO ALL!**

*Fr. Rholly Grecia*

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

- 7 - 3 Ephesians 2:19 - 22; John 20:24 - 29  
7 - 4 Genesis 19:15 - 29; Matthew 8:23 - 27  
7 - 5 Genesis 21:5, 8 - 20a; Matthew 8:28 - 34  
7 - 6 Genesis 22:1b - 19; Matthew 9:1 - 8  
7 - 7 Genesis 23:1 - 4, 19; 24:1 - 8, 62 - 67;  
Matthew 9:9 - 13  
7 - 8 Genesis 27:1 - 5, 15 - 29; Matthew 9:14 - 17  
7 - 9 Zechariah 9:9 - 10; Romans 8:9, 11 - 13;  
Matthew 11:25 - 30



## Sunday, July 2, 2017

- Masses 8:00AM, 11:00AM & 6:00PM
- 7:00PM Baptism Seminar (M/R)

## Monday, July 3, 2017

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

## Tuesday, July 4, 2017

- 8:00AM Mass (Church)
- Novena following
- **Office Closed - INDEPENDENCE DAY**

## Wednesday, July 5, 2017

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

## Thursday, July 6, 2017

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY FR. RHOLLY

- 8:00AM Mass (Church)
- 6:30PM Implementation Team Meeting (C/C)

## Friday, July 7, 2017

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

## Saturday, July 8, 2017

- 4:00PM VIGIL
- Healing Mass
- Food Bank/ ERG Collection
- Pot Luck Supper following Mass (C/C)

## Sunday, July 9, 2017

- Masses 8:00AM, 11:00AM & 6:00PM
- Food Bank/ERG Collection



## STEWARDSHIP REPORT:

June 25, 2017

| COLLECTED            | AMOUNT NEEDED WEEKLY | OVER/SHORT   |
|----------------------|----------------------|--------------|
| Envelopes \$2,971.00 |                      |              |
| Loose \$1,681.32     | \$8,463.00           | (\$3,810.68) |
| Total: \$4,652.32    |                      |              |

*Thank you for your generosity! God Bless!!*

## SICK RELATIVES AND FRIENDS:

Chelsey Domingue, Ronald Fitch, Cherub Smiley, Larry Fitch, Jimmy Breaux, Kelly Rodrigue, Christine Harvey, Jerry Hermann, Sonny Breaux, Pearl Bonvillain, Johnny Roussell, River Naquin, Lawrence Trosclair, John Michael Champagne, Frances Picou, Kerry Duplantis, Ray Duthu, Sr., 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 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, Kelvin, David, Tommy, Jerry & Levis, Jr. LeCompte, Jason Rogers, Eugene Cadere, Owen Ricketts, Maelyn Pitre, DeAndre' Pitre, Tee Douglas

## CLEANING ANGELS

July 2 - 8, 2017

*Robbie LeBlanc, Audrey Verdin, Margaret Dubois*

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.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**7 – 1 4:00PM** Velma Trahan, Robert Gautreaux, Pearl Champagne, Rickey Baudoin, V.J. 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 Fazio, Charles Fazio, Lynn M. LeBoeuf, Joseph L. Poencot, 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, Marilyn Null

**7 – 2 8:00AM** Holy Rosary Family, Aline Bergeron, Mr. & Mrs. Wilbert LeCompte, Mr. & Mrs. Druis Luke, Roy & Walter Luke, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Poencot, Jerry Thibodeaux, 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

**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, Patrick Scales, Reuben Bonvillain, Sr., E. J. Bergeron

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

**7 – 3** Vocations

**7 – 4** Holy Rosary Family

**7 – 5** Holy Rosary Family

**7 – 6** Donald "Red" Champagne, Burleigh Ruiz

**7 – 7** All priests



## SANCTUARY LAMPS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 2, 2017

**The Sanctuary Lamp in the Church** is being burned this week, July 2, 2017 in loving memory of Paul & Velma Dupre, Rita & John Daigle, Charles & Avala Dupre, Emile & Sadie Foret from Nelson Dupre.

**The Sanctuary Lamp in the Church** is being burned this week, July 2, 2017 in loving memory of Wayne Paul Kraemer from wife and children.

**The Sanctuary Lamp in the Chapel** is being burned this week, July 2, 2017 in loving memory of Sidney Duplantis from family.

## ADORATION ON FRIDAYS

Adoration is on Fridays from 3:00PM – 7:00PM in the Chapel.

## 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.



## POT LUCK SUPPER/BIRTHDAY PARTY JULY 8, 2017 FOLLOWING 4:00PM MASS

On Saturday, July 8th following 4:00PM Mass, we will have pot luck supper. Please bring a dish and let's celebrate **Fr. Rholly's Birthday which is July 6th**. Please keep him in your prayers. Drinks will be furnished by the Church.

## PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

Today we support the Holy Father in his charitable works. The Peter's Pence Collection is taken up worldwide to support the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disaster and others in need of emergency assistance. Be a pilgrim of charity – please be generous in today's collection.



## REGISTRATION FOR 2016 – 2017

We are now registering for the 2016 – 2017 Religious Education Session. Please register your children as soon as possible by contacting the Office of Religious Education at (985) 879-2815. All new registrations must have Baptismal Certificates. Please leave your name and telephone number and Laurie will get back to you.

## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process that introduces people to the Catholic faith. This process is for people who have never been baptized, those who have been baptized in another faith and are now seeking to enter the Catholic faith, and people who have not received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation and would like to do so. If you are interested in becoming Catholic or know someone who is interested in knowing more about the Catholic Faith, please contact the parish office on or before August 1st to register.

## ADULT CONFIRMATION

Adult confirmation classes are for adults 18 ages or over who have been baptized and have received Eucharist, but were never confirmed. For more information, please contact the parish office on or before August 1st to register.

## PASTORAL COUNCIL

We are currently accepting nominations for the Pastoral Council. If you are interested please contact the Parish Office with your name, address and telephone number.

## FAMILY FUN DAY

Please mark your calendar Family Fun Day will be on Sunday, October 29th. If you are interested in helping in a booth please contact Nancy Collins at 879-1824.

## ARE YOU HAVING MARITAL PROBLEMS?

In our society, with the pressures of conflicting demands and too little time, personal relationships are often taken for granted. With all the distractions, we easily forget that without attention and care, marriages wither. Couples slowly and quietly drift apart or are being torn apart by terrible words and actions. Many are married in name only or just stay together "for the sake of the kids". For many, it has been ages since they knew the joy of a loving relationship. When infidelity, alcohol abuse, or drug dependency is involved, the situation may seem even more hopeless. Retrouvaille is helping couples put the pieces back together and rebuild loving relationships. Retrouvaille consists of a weekend experience with a series of 6 follow-up sessions, along with a monthly support group. The next weekend hosted by the New Orleans community is July 21-23, 2017 at Lumen Christi Retreat Center.

For more information, or to register, call 985-641-3802 or go to [Retrouvaille.org](http://Retrouvaille.org). There is a limited capacity, so register early. There is a non-refundable registration fee required to confirm your registration, food, and lodging. No couple will be denied the chance to renew and heal their marriage because they are facing financial difficulties.

## Prayer for Hurricane Season

**Please join us in prayer for the safety and protection of our area for the upcoming Hurricane Season.**

*O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed your order and returned to its former quietude. You are still the Master of land and sea. We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control: the Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awake from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land and spread chaos and disaster.*

*During this hurricane season we turn to you, O loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with the passing of time. O Virgin, Star of Sea, Our beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son in our behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your divine Son to reach heavenly Jerusalem where a stormless eternity waits us.*

**Amen.**

*Lord, open my eyes that I may see the needs of my brothers and sisters. Guide my hands and my heart, that I may do for them what I would do for you.*

**Amen.**