



Saint Joseph Catholic Church

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass — 4:00 p.m.

Sunday — 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

Monday — 6:45 a.m. at Our Lady of Victory

Tuesday — 5:30 p.m. at Saint Joseph

Wednesday — 6:45 a.m. at Saint Joseph

Thursday — 5:30 p.m. at Saint Joseph

Friday — 6:45 a.m. at Our Lady of Victory

First Saturday — 8:00 a.m. at Our Lady of Victory

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Every Saturday from 3:00 p.m. to 3:40 p.m. and one-half hour before all weekday Masses, or by appointment during office hours.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday — 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

If possible please conduct parish business by phone or email.

RECEPTIONIST/BOOKKEEPER/CEMETERIAN

Mrs. Gail Borel — gail.borel@stjosephparishonline.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mrs. Sherry Hebert — sherry.hebert@stjosephparishonline.org

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

The Adoration Chapel has reopened. The Main Church is also accessible from this entrance for your convenience.

FUNERALS

Please contact the Church Office to make Funeral Service arrangements prior to your appointment with the Funeral Home.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

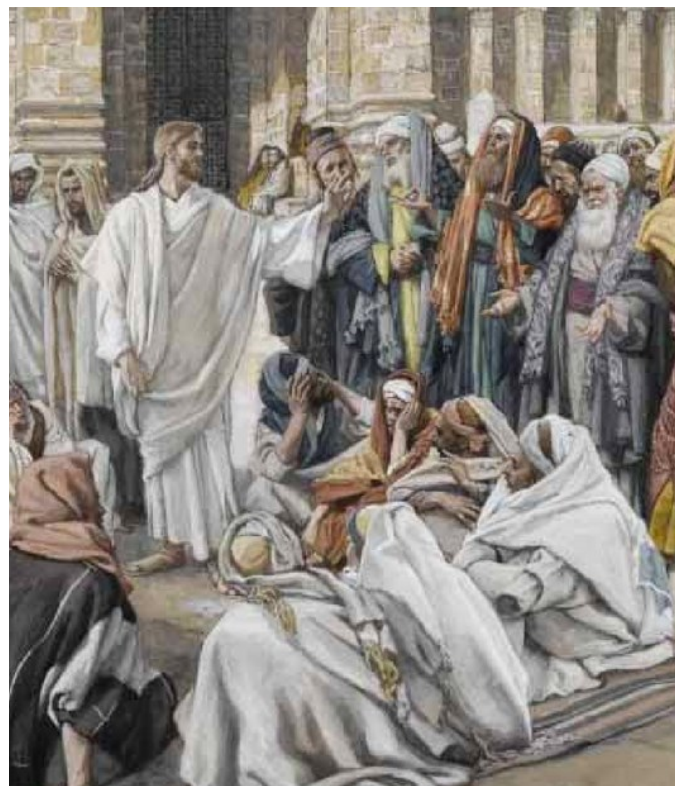
Please contact the Church Office to make arrangements for your child's Baptism.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please contact the Church Office six months prior to the desired date of marriage. No dates for marriage are reserved until after the first marriage interview with clergy.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact the Church Office to set up an appointment.



God of might, Giver of every good gift, put into our hearts the love of Your Name, so that, by deepening our sense of reverence, You may nurture in us what is good and, by Your watchful care, keep safe what You have nurtured.

Please pray for our parish family members who are sick:

We invite you to submit the names of people who are in need of our prayers.



Stuart Sandoz, Duffy Domingue, Eric Clements, David Louviere, Hayden Ransonet, Trevor Louviere, Austin Willett, Willey Poirrier, Inez Barras, Butch and Debbie White, Lydia May, Louis "CoCo" Landry Jr., Jimmy Clifton, Rowena Borel, Falyon Sonnier, Rickey Sonnier, Caline Provost, Patricia Freyou, Lecia Broussard, Roshondra Nora, Noah Abraham, Jimmy LeBlanc, Chad Borel, Ashley Hebert, Stephen Dugas, Jon-Luke Lancon, Jade Delcambre, Pat Villernin, Ira Bourque, Hailey Thomassee, Lon Prioux, Francis Crochet,

Brennan Wingfield, Lawrence Albert, Betty Suire, Joe Judice, Lisa Adcock, Nola Champagne, Kathleen Heitkamp, Lori Brasseaux, Jamie Brady, Lisa N. Dugas, Nona Bourque, Leroy Begnaud, Betty Champagne, Robin Wisdom, Keri Bonin Boutte, Leroy and Gloria Courville, Robert, Anna Richard, Wayne LeBlanc, Melvin Broussard, Daniel Horton, III, Raymond Bergeron, Max Borres, Lisa Hussey, T-Boy and Diane Leger, Vivian LeBlanc, Beckie LeBaron, Dwayne Latiolais, Lee Franks.

Please note that our office will purge the names on our sick list every quarter. We ask anyone who lists someone's name to please call the parish office to add or remove a name.

August 22, 2021	
Regular Sunday Offering Envelopes	\$ 5,672.50
Regular Sunday Offering Loose	\$ 2,699.00
Weekly Budget	\$ 7,385.00
Regular Collection Total	\$ 8,371.00
Difference	+\$ 986.50
Present Loan Balance	\$ 294,372.58
Donation Against Loan Balance	\$.00
Insurance Balance 2020-2021	\$ 22,764.00
Insurance Collection	\$ 487.00

The Sanctuary Lamp is burning for

Louto and Anite Gondron and Family

The Vocation Chalice is in Church

Please pray for vocations. If you would like to have the vocation chalice in your home please call the rectory office at 229-4254

Flowers on the Altar

Susan Stiles

The Bi-Monthly Statue is in the home of

Parishioners

The Weekly Statue is in the home of

Parishioners

Saint Joseph Altar Candles are burning for

Pliny Walet, Charles and Jackie Poirrier Family, Vance Breaux, Sr.

Delcambre and Breaux Families, Jon-Luke Lancon

Thanksgiving, Keri Boutte Family, Deyna Champagne

Harold Champagne and Chad Romero, Carolyn Aquillard

Kyle Mestayer, Successful Surgery, Landry and Champagne Families

Ancestors and Descendants and Souls in Purgatory

Protection from and end to Corona Virus,

Bourque and Hebert Families, Jan Bourque

Justin Boudreaux and Katie Boutte,

Steve and Donna Berard, (special intention)

Mass Intentions — 8/28 — 9/4

Saturday 4:00 p.m. — Landry and Champagne Families Ancestors and Descendants and Souls in Purgatory, Pope, Priest, Religious, Protection from and end to Corona Virus, Ronald Albert, Aymar “Poon” and Beulah Dugas, Ide Dugas Family, Alexis Laviolette Family, Wayne LeBlanc, Lily Mae and Alvin LeBlanc, Otto Sr. and Laurence Girouard, Terradot Family, Theresa Girouard Allen, Chad Romero, Deyna Champagne, Harold Champagne, Audrey Crochet, Jordan Prince and Special Intention, Barry Eldridge and Ned Broussard Families, Melvin Dugas, Roy Sr. and Gladys Berard, Forbus and Myrtle Mestayer Sr., Granger and Mestayer Family, Ronald, Sr. and Mildred Gonsoulin, Leed and Mabel Gondron, Fred Laviolette, Louis and Grace Moran, Gloria and Sam Delcambre and Family, Virginia Frioux, Lennet and Marie Antoinette Crochet, Clenie and Eve Segura and Billie, Sally Domingue, Cabrol and Domingue Family, Martha Escagne Rodriguez, Lloyd Broussard, Claude and Felicie Granger, Nancy Broussard, Clarence and Hilda Landry, Billie and Armance Barrilleaux, Kay Dooley and William and Dolores Dooley, Earl Mestayer, Kim Decuir, Ossie Romero, Jr., Buck Barras, Merlin and Maudry Barras, Susan Stiles, Landry and Ryan Families, Sharon Morgan, Joan Herring, Chase Sonnier, John Lacour Family, Rosalie LeJeune Family, Special Intention, Dupoy and Lasseigne Family, Dr. John Rellus Hebert, D.D.S., John and Barbara

MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK			
	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
September 4 4:00 p.m.	Earl Price	Sandra Boudreaux	Volunteers
September 5 8:00 a.m.	Russell Steiner	Lottie Frioux	Volunteers
10:00 a.m.	Catherine Lejeune	Deacon Chris	Volunteers

Perez, Vance Breaux, Sr., Steven and Donna Berard Family, Special Intention, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peltier, Sr.

Sunday 8:00 a.m. — John Michael Steiner, Jay Gonsoulin Family, Paul Sonnier Family and Clyde Warfel Family, Loto and Leah Louviere, Antoine “Boy” LeBlanc Family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Albert Sr., Champagne and Landry Families Ancestors and Descendants and Souls in Purgatory, Pope, Priest, Religious, Protection from and end to Corona Virus, Maude Granger, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Granger, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Granger, Dr. Raymond Schneider, Elaine Schneider, Skip Schneider, Lolly Harbin, Breaux and Delcambre Families, Lenwood Delcambre, Dugas, Borel and Chataignier Family, Joe and Rita Habetz, Mary Kay Habetz, Tom Voorhies, Oris Cormier, Susan Stiles, Merlin and Maudry Barras, Lovell Romero, Tracey Defelice Guilbeaux, Cathy Defelice John Lacour Family, Rosalie LeJeune Family, Special Intention, Clifton and Shirley Maturin and Family, Virginia Landry.

10:00 a.m. — Alvin and Faye Tauzin, Edmonia Tauzin, Marcel and Nadage Broussard, Jimmy Eldridge, Elaine Plessala and Eldridge Family, Cheryl Segura, Pliny Walet Family, Agnes Breaux, Louis and Elbay Judice, Boots Thomas, Joe Boudreaux and Justin Boudreaux, Katie Boutte, Sandra Angelle and Glenn Angelle, Angelle Family, Judy and Clyde Dressel Family, Stant and Laura Courville Family, Mental Illness, David Hebert, Earline Landry, Linda Theriot, Evan and Owen Allen, Jan Bourque.

Monday 6:45 a.m. OLV — Judice and Walet Families, Landry and Champagne Families Ancestors and Descendants and Souls in Purgatory, Pope, Priest, Religious, Protection from and end to Corona Virus.

Tuesday 5:30 p.m. StJo — John and Doris Prados, Landry and Champagne Families Ancestors and Descendants and Souls in Purgatory, Pope, Priest, Religious, Protection from and end to Corona Virus.

Wednesday 6:45 a.m. StJo — Andrew “Toupee” Bonin, John Michael Steiner, Landry and Champagne Families Ancestors and Descendants and Souls in Purgatory, Pope, Priest, Religious, Protection from and end to Corona Virus.

Thursday 5:30 p.m. StJo — Landry and Champagne Families Ancestors and Descendants and Souls in Purgatory, Pope, Priest, Religious, Protection from and end to Corona Virus.

First Friday 6:45 a.m. OLV — Rhule, Mabel and Wayne Gondron, Steve and Donna Berard Family, Special Intention, Gam and Velma Gondron, Landry and Champagne Families Ancestors and Descendants and Souls in Purgatory, Pope, Priest, Religious, Protection from and end to Corona Virus, Judice and Walet Families.

First Saturday 8:00 a.m. OLV — Robin, Stan and Van Judice, Steven and Donna Berard Family, Ancestors and Decendents, Special Intention, Champagne and Landry Families Ancestors and Descendants and Souls in Purgatory, Pope, Priest, Religious.

**Please pray for our priests,
deacons and religious**

Eternal Father, we lift up to You these special sons and daughters. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus' Name we pray. Amen.

August 29	Rev. Andrew Killeen Dcn. Barry LeBlanc/Sr. Margaret Caire, RSCJ
August 30	Rev. Steven Kimmons, SJ Dcn. Joshua LeBlanc/Sr. Maria Louisa Cotto, RSCJ
August 31	Rev. Andrew Kirschman, SJ Dcn. Timothy Ledet/Sr. Suzanne Lasseigne, RSCJ
September 1	Pope Francis Dcn. Barney Lejeune/Sr. Lucie Nordman, RSCJ
September 2	Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI Dcn. Thomas Lindsey/Sr. Rose Marie Quilter, RSCJ
September 3	Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel Dcn. Joseph Liuzza III/Sr. Elizabeth Renard, RSCJ
September 4	Bishop Emeritus Michael Jarrell Dcn. Phil Lizotte/Sr. Mary Ellen Theriot, SSND



**Please make an appointment
for your home**



**Exorcism and Blessing
Make it happen!
229-4254**

Saint Joseph Catholic Church Presents our 17th Annual **TAILGATING COOK-OFF**

Silent/Live Auction

11:00 am - Food Served
4:00 pm - Mass
4:30 pm - 2 in the Chamber
7:00 pm - Side Show

Details to come



4:30 - 6:30 pm



7:00 - 11:00 pm

Saturday, October 16, 2021
Loreauville Park



Registration Links

Cooking Registration (starts at \$60.00)

<https://forms.gle/dEVtSBSZshhGARVy6>

Event Sponsorship (starts at \$100.00)

<https://forms.gle/dTHd6kLvfuwiTpzf9>

Memorial Sponsorship (\$25.00)

<https://forms.gle/y1hscsjXpZGfUESf6>

Vendor Registration (\$60.00 fee)

<https://forms.gle/HMy3ZCURCoabq6756>

Questions? Email us at tailgatingcookoff@yahoo.com

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**All of our registration forms can be found
online using the links provided.**

**All payments are due before the
registration form can be counted as complete.
If you have any questions, you can email us at
tailgatingcookoff@yahoo.com.**

Servant of God Joseph Verbis Lafleur
Annual Memorial Mass

The *Friends of Lt. Father Lafleur*
request your presence on
Tuesday, September 7, 2021
for the 6:30 p.m. Mass
at Saint Landry Catholic Church
Opelousas, Louisiana
to commemorate the
77th Anniversary of the death of
Lt. Father Joseph Verbis Lafleur
Chaplain-United States Army Air Corps
The Celebrant and Homilist will be
Rev. Carl E. Beekman
priest of the Diocese of Rockford, Illinois
and donor of Fr. Lafleur's ordination chalice
Also in attendance will be priests and deacons
of the Diocese of Lafayette

Joseph Verbis Lafleur was born in Ville Platte on January 24, 1912. Later, he would move with his family to nearby Opelousas, where he faithfully served as an altar boy at Saint Landry Catholic Church during his youth and where he also celebrated his first Solemn Mass following his ordination to the priesthood for the Diocese of Lafayette in 1938. Fr. Lafleur's first and only diocesan assignment was to Saint Mary Magdalen Church in Abbeville. He soon joined the U.S. Army Air Corps in 1941 and was sent to serve at Clark Field in the Philippine Islands before the United States entered the War.

Lt. Father Lafleur was taken as a prisoner of war by the Japanese and chose to stay with his men rather than be evacuated. His days were spent offering daily Mass in the prison camp, working as a slave laborer with the men, attending to the wounded, hopeless and dying. On September 7, 1944, he and several hundred other prisoners were killed when the ship upon which they were being transported was torpedoed. Father Lafleur's body was never recovered, but statements by survivors report that he was last seen aiding others to escape the sinking ship, refusing to leave the last of them. For his heroic military service, Father Lafleur was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross, Purple Heart, and Bronze star for his valor. In October of 2017 he was posthumously awarded another Distinguished Service Cross and a second Purple Heart. On September 5, 2020, Lt. Father Joseph Verbis Lafleur's Cause for Beatification and Canonization was opened and he was declared, Servant of God.



YARD SALE

Saturday, September 11
8:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

**946 N. Main St.,
Loreauville, LA**

INCLEMENT WEATHER LOCATION:

St. Theresa's Hall, 109 S. Main Street, Loreauville, LA

(all sales benefit the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention
& the Acadiana Out of the Darkness Walk)

Lots of Everything – Come See For Yourself!

(household items, decorations, clothes, jewelry,
knick knacks, small kitchen appliances, furniture,
and craft/DIY stuff)

Saint Therese of Lisieux's Prayer for Priests



O Jesus, eternal Priest, keep your priests within the shelter of Your Sacred Heart, where none may touch them. Keep unstained their anointed hands, which daily touch Your Sacred Body. Keep unsullied their lips, daily purpled with your Precious Blood. Keep pure and unearthly their hearts, sealed with the sublime mark of the priesthood. Let Your holy love surround them and shield them from the world's contagion. Bless their labors with abundant fruit and may the souls to whom they minister be their joy and consolation here and in heaven their beautiful and everlasting crown.



The Catholic Daughters have
canceled all meetings until
further notice.

Hard Sayings By Rev. Paul D. Scalia

What does it mean that our Lord's saying is "hard"? Now, it *could* mean that it's difficult to understand. And since our Lord was speaking about the Eucharist – *the* Mystery of Faith – that would be a fair reaction. It's just too hard to grasp.

But that's not what it means. The word "hard" here indicates something offensive or intolerable. That is why our Lord asks, "Does this shock [literally, *scandalize*] you?" In other words, "Do you find it offensive and intolerable?" He doesn't ask if it confuses them, because by this point in the Bread of Life discourse, He has already clarified His teaching several times. They understand Him clearly enough; they are simply unwilling to accept what He taught. The problem here is not in the intellect, but the will.

More to the point, they were unwilling to accept what He taught because then they would have to change their lives. He was inviting them to yield their earth-bound view to His supernatural truths: "It is the spirit that gives life, while the flesh is of no avail." (John 6:63) They intuited what His words meant: If this teaching was true, they would have to change their lives accordingly. So, they balked. Even after witnessing His miracles and signs, they still could not entrust themselves to His teaching: "As a result of this, many of His disciples returned to their former way of life and no longer accompanied him." (John 6:66)

These disciples fall into the same backsliding as their ancestors in the Exodus. The Israelites who followed Moses out into the wilderness eventually wearied of trusting in the Lord and His miraculous manna. At a certain point they said, "Thus far and no farther." They even began to long for the fleshpots in Egypt and a return to that land of slavery. (cf. Exodus 16:3; Numbers 14:4) So also, the disciples who followed Christ out into the desert sought Him because He fed them miraculously, but not because He had the words of eternal life. (cf. John 6:68) Thus, those who had been fed by Him, who

had witnessed His miracles, now return "to their former way of life."

All of this brings to mind what has come to be called "Eucharistic coherence" – the simple truth that those who receive the Eucharist ought to live lives coherent with It. Now, this has become inexplicably controversial. In fact, "Eucharistic coherence" is a fairly low bar. After all, we shouldn't strive to live in a manner that is simply *coherent* with our reception of the Eucharist. Rather, we should strive to draw life and the very meaning of our lives from the Eucharist. Put differently, our lives should be coherent with the Eucharist because they are determined by It.

The disciples in Capernaum recognized what was being asked of them. They found the saying hard precisely because they perceived that to accept it meant to live in coherence with it. Unlike many today who receive the Eucharist in an incoherent manner, those disciples at least had the integrity to recognize their unwillingness and walk away.

Dietrich von Hildebrand writes that to be a disciple of Christ requires "the readiness to change, the *waxlike* receptiveness to Christ." (emphasis added) Operative throughout a Christian's life, this disposition applies most of all to our reception of the Eucharist. In Saint Catherine of Siena's **Dialogue**, our Lord uses just this image to describe the reception of Communion: "When this appearance of bread has been consumed, I leave behind the imprint of my grace, just as a seal that is pressed into warm wax leaves its imprint when it is lifted off."

Eucharistic coherence requires the willingness – indeed, the *desire* – to receive the imprint of Christ, no matter how "hard" His teaching might be. Thus, we should dispose ourselves to receive what He desires to give. We should desire from Holy Communion what He wills, not what we will; it should effect in us what He wants, not what we want.

Of course, we shouldn't fault the disciples in Capernaum too strongly. For them, the teaching on the Eucharist was something extraordinary, supernatural,

and shockingly new. We have two millennia of teaching and witnesses to bolster our faith. And even with all those advantages, we can still fail in our Eucharistic devotion. So, like their ancestors in the desert, those disciples provide a cautionary tale. It makes no sense to note (and complain about) the Eucharistic incoherence of others if we do not strive to correct it in ourselves.

Again, von Hildebrand: "There are many religious Catholics whose readiness to change is merely a conditional one." In other words, we're always in danger of becoming like the disciples in Capernaum by limiting our readiness to change, finding His sayings too hard, and arriving at that point at which we say, "Thus far and no further." Some come to that point when they encounter a hard teaching of Christ's Church, others when they suffer some loss, pain, or scandal. Whatever the case, the result is the same: a hardness that resists His grace.

This, then, is a good way for us to prepare for Holy Communion – by asking for the proper docility and waxlike disposition so that the Eucharist benefits us as He desires and impresses His image upon us more deeply.

Rev. Paul Scalia is a priest of the Diocese of Arlington, Virginia, where he serves as Episcopal Vicar for Clergy and Pastor of Saint James in Falls Church. He is the author of **That Nothing May Be Lost: Reflections on Catholic Doctrine and Devotion** and the editor of **Sermons in Times of Crisis: Twelve Homilies to Stir Your Soul**.



September 1
 1886 Eugene Lafont
 1890 Odile Mulbert
 1898 Marie Jean Louis
 1903 James Ambroise
 1912 Austin Provost
 1927 Joseph Prosper
 1955 Anthony Tauzin
 1976 Wilson Guidry
 1981 Leon Champeaux
 1987 Sylvia Guidry
 1992 John Broussard
 2013 Susan Patin

September 2
 1888 Louis Pompier
 1891 Pauline Mestayer
 1896 Simon Jean Louis
 1900 Celeste Jony
 1906 Charles Bourda
 1910 Otto Hebert
 1918 Corinne Simon
 1918 Junius Simon
 1922 Mrs. Maxille Louis
 1923 Numa Broussard
 1927 Allen Dominique
 1930 Leonel Dugas
 1947 Clelie Segura
 1951 Robin Segura
 1957 George Oubre
 2003 Camille Broussard
 2007 Agnes Hymel

September 3
 1892 Celine Landry
 1895 John Waller
 1933 Antoine Courville
 1936 Luto Jones
 1940 Elizabeth Doucet
 1954 Sidney Breaux Jr.
 1984 Roland Kern
 1991 William Ste. Marie
 1997 Millard Eldridge
 2015 Cecile Frederick
 2016 Lee Fontenette, Sr.

September 4
 1899 Clementine Jones
 1914 Joseph John
 1915 Odilon Provost
 1928 Louise Verret
 1936 Marie Louviere
 1958 Aduis Gonsoulin
 1959 Joseph Romero
 1961 George Landry
 1996 Susan Thibodeaux
 2020 Lovell Romero

September 5
 1891 Aimee Francis
 (Mrs. Anore Joseph)
 1893 Ulisse Borel
 1908 Godefried Vincent
 1915 Louis Bourgeois
 1932 Infant Guillot
 1976 Laurence Verret
 2012 Justin Boudreaux
 2015 Eddie Francis
 2020 Mary Mitchell

September 6
 1873 Michel Federle
 1889 Alice Boatet
 1895 Mrs. Louis Broussard

1909 Noelle Leblanc
 1910 Antoinette Judice
 1916 Mrs. Octavie Aucoin Blanchard
 1916 O'Neil Broussard
 1954 Aymar Vincent
 1965 Felicie Borel
 1968 Ackley Lecamus
 1978 Myrtle Bonin
 1994 Martha Vaughn
 2003 Jade Standridge
 2007 Wallace Landry
 2008 Mabel Broussard
 2019 Charles Chataignier

September 7
 1873 P. Laurance
 1880 Amanda Ransonet
 1890 Claude Broussard
 1891 Leo Breaux
 1893 Aucoin (Infant)
 1896 Elmire Dugas
 1909 Jules Julien
 1911 Pierre Jean-Louis
 1917 Edouard Dugas
 1979 Adam Crochet
 1980 Olympe Dressel
 1982 Meidie Berard
 1988 Marie Prados

September 8
 1886 Alc   Dugas
 1890 Armand Lissard
 1891 Adile Giroard
 1900 Octave Traun
 1913 Joseph Breaux
 1942 Josephine Johnson
 1946 Noelle Girouard
 1960 Lorraine Dugas
 1960 Emma Broussard
 1971 Hazel Dugas
 1979 Genesta Dugas
 1985 Anna Judice
 1993 Amy Latiolais

September 9
 1885 Hypolite Sarazin
 1897 Antoni Dugas
 1912 Mrs. Filias Borel
 1917 Mabel Borel
 1929 Maurice Mitchell
 1931 Emma Vincent
 1935 Edward Celestin
 1949 Sherwood Oubre
 1955 Russell Prince
 1966 Julius Chatagnier
 1975 Sidney Gondron
 1978 Sandra Braquet
 1978 Verna Braquet
 2014 George Etie

September 10
 1877 Gamotis Prospere
 1881 Cecilia Honore
 1881 Lecamus
 1902 Nina Green
 1907 Filias Breaux
 1913 Paul Broussard
 1939 Baby Crochet
 1942 O'Neil Mestayer
 1974 Roland Judice
 1977 Alice LaGrange
 1987 Ray Vincent
 1989 Jeanne Broussard
 2001 Martha Angelloz

2006 Angelle Broussard
 2008 Loiccy Pommier
 2015 Lee Paul Castille

September 11
 1911 Emile Gondron
 1924 Charlotte Simon
 1928 Alice Ransonet
 1932 Charles Mestayer
 1978 Robert Gonsoulin
 2004 Harry LeBlanc
 2017 Janice Mestayer

September 12
 1902 Adolphe Berard
 1915 Wilfred Prince
 1927 Eunice Fr  d  ric
 1937 Joseph Bonin
 1956 Joseph Molbert
 1965 Noelle Dugas
 1976 Laurence Crochet
 2013 Theresa Polk
 2017 Kenneth Pelous

September 13
 1906 Mrs. Charles Bourda
 1916 Emence Guidry
 1920 Hermogene Landry
 1985 Pierre Vaughn
 2013 Hazel Frioux

September 14
 1898 Mrs. Anatole Dugas
 1909 F  nelon Dugas
 1910 Joseph Dugas
 1923 Adrien Louis
 1925 Luc Dresselle
 1929 Louise Simon
 1935 William Ransonet
 1937 Peter Jean Louis
 1941 Charles Anthony
 1957 Hazard Vaughn
 2008 Lillian Dugas
 2015 Joyce Landry
 2018 Raymond Doucet

September 15
 1905 Mrs. Tom Jennings
 (Aurelia Tompline)
 1906 Pierre Vuillemot
 1907 Catherine Norbert
 1944 Amais Girouard
 1944 Joseph Julien
 1951 Paul Bonin
 1968 George Crochet
 1998 Jeffery Viator
 2014 Louise Horton

September 16
 1895 Joseph De Jean
 Granger (Infant)
 1908 Alfred Bonin
 1909 Alice Provost
 1921 Baby Montondon
 1930 Amelie Parlou
 1934 Joachim Honore
 1946 Luti  a Dugas
 1948 Eidonia Ransonet
 1975 Sidney Plessela
 1975 Dennis Mestayer
 2012 Willis Dugas Sr.
 2014 Hayden Louviere
 2017 Sandra Angelle
 2018 Eugenie Castille

September 17
 1886 Joseph Judice (Infant)
 1889 Louis Guillotte
 1893 Gonsoulin (Infant)
 1911 Marie Pierre
 1917 Leonard Crochet
 1926 Joseph Gilbert
 1948 Anna John
 1991 Noe Broussard
 2009 Earline Crochet

September 18
 1875 Henri Broussard
 1891 Betsie
 1902 Anthony Gardner
 1902 Mrs. Filias Gach
 1905 Lelamie Crochet
 1928 Joseph Collins
 1951 Willie Gonsoulin
 1957 Sidney Girouard
 1965 Pauline George
 1979 Leonard Gonsoulin
 1992 Kaisten Deslatte
 1996 Cora Judice
 1997 Francis Young
 2004 Georgina Millman
 2007 Lennet Berard

September 19
 1874 Eleonide Breaux
 1877 Emma Broussard
 1897 Bernard Dauterive
 1899 Infant Charles
 1902 Alvin Declouet
 1905 Rosalie Granger
 1909 Cora Anthony
 1969 Mitchell Seneca
 1974 Bella Bonin
 1974 Sidney Boutte
 1997 Maria Decuir
 2013 Nita Berard

September 20
 1875 Louis Moise Bonin
 1887 Pauline Verret
 1888 Celestine Mang  
 1890 Scolartique Giroard
 1893 Olphida Oubre
 1916 Joacin Braquet
 1919 Albert Dominique
 1924 Valcourt F. Bonin
 1933 Cecile Breaux
 1940 Manuel Olivier
 1945 Louis Fontenette
 1946 Anna Dugas
 1951 Baby Barras
 1965 Eunice Burke
 1969 Mathilde Prados
 1997 Carrie Darby
 2002 Robert Dugas
 2005 Mabel Derouen
 2006 Edmond Broussard
 2013 Mary Ann Prados
 2018 John Murphy
 2018 Leroy Bonin

September 21
 1894 Marie-Jeanne Mitchell
 1898 Paul Delarge
 1904 Camelia Crochet
 1914 Aurelia Doucet
 1933 Rosa Henry
 1951 Lola Pierre
 1962 Antoine Broussard

1969 Louise Decuir
 1990 Adele Eldridge
 1994 Marie Judice
 1999 Yola Boudreaux
 2000 Andrew Dupuis
 2007 Shawn Berard

September 22
 1904 Ernestine Leblanc
 1916 Louis Broussard
 1923 Gaston Lafontaine
 1938 Feolora Granger
 1959 Mrs. Sully Dugas
 1963 Alvin Bonin
 1965 Rhea Breaux
 1989 Dudley Thibodeaux
 2000 Placide Emonet
 2008 Moise Louviere
 2020 Doris Prados

September 23
 1888 Oscr Prince
 1894 Laurence Vilmot
 1927 Phlomena Vaughn
 1927 Eve Gonsoulin
 1943 Polyeorfre Bourda
 1978 Stanley Moulig
 1978 Clarence Louviere
 1979 Edurge Broussard
 1998 Sady Ransonet
 2003 Johnny Albert Sr.
 2016 Bernard Bourque

September 24
 1877 Unknown Mang  
 1885 Alexandre Gondien
 1886 Marie Adele Mulbert
 1899 Valerie Pierre
 1907 Robert Vincent
 1915 Bertha Gonsoulin
 1928 Infant Gonsoulin
 1955 Louis Dugas
 1994 Jerry LaGrange
 1997 Maude Granger
 2003 Juey Darby
 2005 Nadge Broussard
 2014 Odette Blanchard

September 25
 1899 Auguste B. Oubre
 1906 Mathilde Broussard
 1937 Olivier Courtville
 1938 Alden Verret
 1939 Wilfred Anthony
 1945 Infant Landry
 1947 Donald Louviere
 1963 Nancy Goellner
 1968 Leonard Ronsonet
 1980 Stanley Barilleaux
 1996 Elmo Boutte
 2006 Vernice Louviere

September 26
 1880 Clemence Prince
 1880 Infant Decoux
 1894 Eliza Fontonet
 1900 Felix Dugas
 1900 Rita Friou
 1911 Mrs. Maxille Louis
 1915 Mabel Lapeyrouse
 1944 Infant Bonin
 1947 Robin Judice
 1965 Robert Vaughn
 1966 Leonide Lemeraud

1984 Brett Laviolette
 2014 Joyce Benoit
 2019 Gwindl Borel

September 27
 1893 Ulgere Verret
 1901 Corinne Bonen
 1916 Claiborne Antoine
 1935 Anthony Girouard
 1935 Raymond Daviette
 1936 Anne Bernard
 1938 Marguerite Blanchard
 1939 Corrine Honore
 1946 Baby Antoine
 1952 George Rebert
 1957 Joelle Tauzin
 1964 Marcel Robicheaux
 1975 Denis Bonin
 1979 George Boutte
 2003 Brad Berard
 2013 Sybil Verret

September 28
 1874 Louis Bonin
 1875 Eugene Broussard
 1889 Louise Vital
 1895 Pierre Louvi  r  
 1900 Child Bonin
 1915 Olga Louviere
 1921 Beraud Louis
 1923 Mrs. Elodie Simon
 1924 Sidonia Baily
 1952 Charles Wiltz
 1955 Joseph Provost
 1975 Silvia Louviere
 2002 Rose Dugas
 1997 Pierre Crochet Sr.
 2005 Delma Judice Jr.
 2016 Sidney Prados

September 29
 1919 Joseph Courville
 1922 Elma Gonsoulin
 1940 Baby Simon
 1944 Eliza Eldridge
 1944 Alese Collins
 1979 Valerie Albert
 1982 Louis Moulis
 1997 Richkey Fauchaux
 2006 Wilmer Suire

September 30
 1884 Elizia Leblanc
 1902 Marie Lissare
 1918 Bertha John
 1925 Eusebe Gonsoulin
 1926 Joseph Magloire
 1952 Elise Vincent
 1962 Whitney Segura, Jr.
 1974 Willie Prados
 1978 Moise Courville
 1981 Mickey Champagne Jr.
 2008 Frank Prioux

Necrology

September Birthdays

Happy Birthday!

May God richly bless you on your special day. It will be our privilege to remember you at the altar during the celebration of Holy Mass as we offer the Victim.

Father Crochet and Father Godwin

September 1

Patricia Poirier
Kenneth Boudreaux
Sarah Badeaux
Nataleigh Fields
Sarah Landry
Elaine Louviere
Thadd Meche
Elaine Villermin

September 2

Vance Breaux
Sheila Granger
Mark Dupre
Kagon Broussard
Haidyn Dugas
Kaylee Denise
Emmalyn Richard
Ericka Dees
Haidyn Marceaux

September 3

Wesley Bodin
John Hewell
Kristen Lasseigne
Jade Dugas
Issac Gerace
Thomas Hymel
Caleb Laviolette
Cain Breaux
Kurstin Robertson
Landon Stanfield
Jolie Hymel
Brody Hebert

September 4

Shalone Foco
Hillary Gaspard

September 5

Danielle Belaire
Leroy Begnaud
Kodi Cormier
Andrew Lopez
Jonathan Broussard
Raven Labry
Ozzie Latiolais

September 6

Laci Chastant
Jence Jordan
Riley Spahr
Aaliyah Robin
Theresa Delcambre
Audrey Judice
Brian Perez

September 7

Josh Boutte
Brittany Bonin
Dale Sonnier
Brittlyn Broussard
Nicholas Bonin
David Broussard II
Nicolaus Laviolette
Barrett Duplechain

Justin Huval

September 8

Timothy Allen
Sandy Girouard
Lauren Schouest
Logan Robin
Easton Gondron
Quinten Etie
Monica Hymel
Jennifer Baudry
Heather Huval
Meghan Stevens
Quinten Walet

September 9

Link Bonin
Jade Cox
Breigh Rodriguez
Britt Sonnier
Shelby Wilson

September 10

Braton Andrus
Michael Arceneaux
Beth Boggs
James Clifton
Dan Dworaczyn
Chris Goudeau
Hailey Latiolais
Benny Mora
Elia Ronsonet

September 11

Kelly Bernard
Brent Crochet
Bobbi Jo Dionne
Raygen Greaux
Mary Judice
Macie Latiolais
Jamie Salsman

September 12

Edward Frederick
Kevin Gondron
Brandi Guidry
Gale Holmes
Ida Louviere
Madilynn Martin
Janet Mestayer
Sophia Rauschenbach
Casey Stanfield

September 13

Thomas Barras
Alisa Boudreaux
Brian Breaux
Benita Horton
Brianna Luquette
Earl Price, Sr.
Donald Solar
Brance Viator

September 14

Eva Crochet
Madison Freyout
Taylor Gonsoulin
Michael Hargis
Jayd LeBlanc
Aimee Ledford
Kristen Norris
Betty Romero
Mason Walet

September 15

Mason Buteaux
Russell Castille
Kristin Cormier
Ross Foco
Joshua Marcantel
Adrienne Thibaux
Demi Trahan

September 16

Mike Ackal
Laila Arceneaux
Adam Barrientez
Hannah Gaudet
Kain LeBlanc
Jackson Wazenkewitz

September 17

Deven Breaux
Cole Girouard
Irelynn Kelly
Cody Romero
Nicolas Schouest
Hazeley Smith
Steven Sumrall Jr.
Jeremy White

September 18

Aiden Fontenot
Adalee CoCo
Brielle Landry
Wayne Fails Jr.
Ed Oubre Jr.
McKinley Owens
Belinda Romero

September 19

Yoseline Boudreaux
Aiden Bahwell
Josie Boudreaux
Sydney Cavagnaro
Austin Champagne
Grace Curtis
Kenedi Darbonne
Chloe Guillot
Bradford Habetz
Fran Lanclos
Gwendolyn LeBlanc
Avery Patout
Jamie Poche
Chadd Richard

September 20

Brant Blanchard
Gina Blanchard
Morgan Boudreaux
Erin Bourque
Dea Broussard
Easton Dees
Jason Delcambre
Casey Guidry
Mckenzie Latiolais
Lani Martin
Preston Plessala
Monique Rebert
Elizabeth Tauzin
Hanna Tucker

September 21

Shea Bourque
Joelle Charpentier
Donald Courville
Stacey Dempsey
Dana Dugas
Karol Dugas
Malaine Eldridge
Coen Green
Ashley Hebert
Rodney Kerne
Olivia Landry
Robert Landry
Brycen Patout
Tina Suire
Jeanne Stiles

September 22

Leyton Arceneaux
Brandi Broussard
Karli Chataignier
Angela Guillot
Sherry Hebert
Kyla Lokitz
Rhyann Norris
Kyle Theriot
Braxton Trosclair

September 23

Carrie Chastant
Fran Dugas
John Gottschalk
Maci Thomas

September 24

Jillian Angelle
Preston Boudreaux
Kimberly Foster
Briggs Theriot

September 25

Danielle Defelice
Mary Fraering
Noah Richter

September 26

Caleb Baudry
Renee Bodin
Peggy Borres
Viviana Castillo
Page Chataignier
Kyle Guilbeaux
Alfred Guillotte
Gavin LeBeouf
Daniel Mire
Mason White

September 27

Jennifer Angelle
Gerard Carriere
Kevin Gary
Lexi Guidry
Jarad Hunter
Andrew Munnerlyn
Brandt Walker
Liam Warfel

September 28

Johnny Berard
Sidney David
Keefe Duhon
Rylin Gaspard
Dylan Hanks
Jackson Hebert
Erica Perez

September 29

Rene Boatright
Tyler Bonin
Jobe Hebert
Jordan Henry
Danielle Laviolette
Seth Viator II

September 30

Jamie Ackal
Tommy Champeaux
Norma Cormier
Kim Doucet, II
Thomas Landry II
Dillon Lasseigne
Sawyer Leleux
Jenny Troups
Scott Vice
Jerome Weber

If your name does not occur in our birthday list, please call the parish office so that we can update our census information.



**DECREE FOR THE
DESIGNATION OF PLACES
FOR THE CELEBRATION OF THE *USUS ANTIQUIOR***

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

HIS EXCELLENCY
THE MOST REVEREND J. DOUGLAS DESHOTEL
By the Grace of God and the Authority of the
Apostolic See
BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE

For some time now, the faithful of the Diocese of Lafayette who feel attached to the earlier liturgical forms have gathered attentively, devoutly, and reverently in three places under the care of pastors and priests of this Diocese for the celebration of the Eucharistic sacrifice and the Sacraments of salvation according to the liturgical books in force prior to the liturgical reforms of the Second Vatican Council. Their gathering in these places, all of which are parish churches, has been and remains peaceful and harmonious, without rancor or contention.

Therefore, with these things in mind,

Seeing as these groups are already inserted into parish settings;

Given that at present there are no available or suitable non-parochial churches;

Whereas it would cause needless dismay and difficulty to displace these groups;

The required determination of art. 3, §1 of the motu proprio *Traditionis custodes* having been made;

Pursuant to art. 3, §2 of the same motu proprio, but in derogation from the exclusion of parish churches;

Motivated above all to seek and preserve the unity of the Church by special care and pastoral solicitude for those on the peripheries, and

With utmost concern for the salvation of souls,

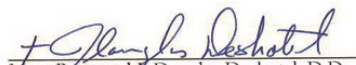
I hereby designate the following locations where the faithful may gather for the celebration of the holy Eucharist and the other liturgical rites according to the *usus antiquior*:

1. Our Lady of Lourdes Church in Erath
2. Saint Joseph Church in Plaisance
3. Saint Patrick Church in Lafayette

Mass may be celebrated in the *usus antiquior* in these places on Sundays, holydays of obligation, and weekdays, according to the prudent judgment of the pastor, who is to ensure that such celebrations do not impede or supplant the ordinary liturgical life of the hosting parish church.

Before acting in anything that touches upon these matters, the pastor of each place is to consult with the Bishop's delegate, who is entrusted with these celebrations and with the pastoral care of these groups of the faithful. This decree is to take effect immediately.

Given at the Chancery and on this day, the thirty-first (31st) day of August in the year of our Lord 2021 and the Year of Saint Joseph.


Most Reverend J. Douglas Deshotel, D.D.
Bishop of Lafayette


Mrs. Maureen K. Fontenot, PHR, SHRM-CP
Chancellor



**Cardinal Burke:
An Appreciation**

I join in offering prayer, Mass, and fasting with good Catholic people all over the world for the quick recovery of Cardinal Burke — a dear friend, former professor, and inspiration of mine for almost forty years. Having known His Eminence as a friend and teacher going back

to the years I studied in Rome (when he was Monsignor Burke), I have always been inspired by his charity, intelligence, humility and sheer goodness coupled with his simple, child-like devotion to our Lord, our Blessed Mother, and all the saints.

I remember when I became a bishop. He was Bishop of La Crosse then and was conducting a retreat for a group of nuns at the time of my episcopal ordination, but willingly skipped one day of the retreat to fly to San Diego, serve as a co-consecrator, and then fly back to La Crosse. For him, no sacrifice is too great to show kindness to others.

I thank God that He has given me such an outstanding model of priesthood, which has been for me both an anchor and a goal as I strive for ever greater fidelity in responding to my own priestly calling.

— Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone of San Francisco

We are wholeheartedly grateful to Divine Providence that, in one of the darkest times in history, He gave His Church Cardinal Raymond L. Burke, who is a true adornment of the Sacred College of Cardinals.

In his shining service as bishop and cardinal, he selflessly works for the preservation and defense of the Divine Deposit of the Catholic faith, especially in relation to the sacraments of Marriage and the Eucharist and through the celebration of the traditional liturgy, which is a treasure that belongs to all saints and to the Church of all time — a sacred treasure of which no fallible administrative ordinances, even at the highest levels of the Church, can rob us.

Cardinal Burke remains a light and support for many priests and faithful in the current battle for the treasure of the faith and the liturgy. It is a consoling sign that God is not abandoning His Church in the most difficult hours, as long as there are in our day churchmen like Cardinal Burke. May this fill us with courage and hope.

Cardinal Burke makes a truly great contribution to the renewal of the Church through his present illness, to which the inscrutable and yet loving counsel of Divine Providence has called him. We thank Cardinal Burke for setting the example, worthy of a cardinal, of the virtues of courage, fortitude, and suffering for the Church. We have in him a cardinal according to the Heart of Jesus and we implore the Sacred Heart of Jesus to keep him for long fruitful years of service in the holy Church.

— Bishop Athanasius Schneider