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SANCTUARY LIGHT

CHURCH: Good Health for all

CHAPEL: End to Pandemic

ALTAR SOCIETY

Group 2 Jane Savoy 01/15/21

Group 3 Rebecca Reed 01/22/21

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Monday & Thursday 3:30pm – 5:00pm
& Saturday 2:00pm – 3:00pm (In the South Sacristy of the Church)

Baptism: Call Office – 942-6552

Anointing of the Sick: Call Office – 942-6552

1ST Communion & Confirmation: See Bulletin for registration information.

Matrimony: Call Office at least six months before planned wedding.

Our Parish Life

ADULT FORMATION – 942-6552

RCIA / Adult Confirmation – Call the Office

Come Lord Jesus! – Tue. 6pm – Rose Boulet

Wed. 5pm – Kim Lajack

Wed. 5:15pm – Lois Joubert

That Man is You – Dcn Dwayne Joubert

Bible Study – Dcn Dwayne Joubert

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION / YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Director – Dcn Dwayne Joubert 942-6552

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LITURGY

Coordinator – Dcn Dwayne Joubert 942-6552

Altar Servers - Dcn Dwayne Joubert 942-6552

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Eucharistic Ministers 942-6552

10 AM Choir – John Poirier 577-6466

5 PM Music – Raphael Henry 739-8173

First Friday Adoration – Ben Pitre 678-0501

Altar Society-Pam Hooks 331-4940

PASTORAL OUTREACH – 942-6552

Ministry to the Home Bound – Lois Joubert

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ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Daughters-Ramona Darbonne 692-0196

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Joseph Pisano, Jr. 298-2987

OPELOUSAS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Principal – Mrs. Marty Heintz 942-5404

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NATIVITY REFURBISHMENT

The Nativity Set that is used in the church during the Christmas Season has been professionally re-furbished. The cost of this task was \$12,000 and we are proud to have it beautifully displayed in front of the main altar in church! Anyone wishing to donate to this cause should contact Msgr. Harrington or Deacon Joubert. Thanks!!

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS –

December 20, 2020

REGULAR	\$8179.91
GOAL	\$9000.00
Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God	\$2776.50
Maintenance & Repair Fund	\$1173.00
Poor & Needy	\$300.00
OCS Foundation	\$9.00
Assumption of the BVM	\$50.00

Your generosity during these most difficult times is greatly appreciated!

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS

Sunday, 01/10	Fr. Jaime Lorenzo, LC
Monday, 01/11	Fr. Albert Louapre, SJ
Tuesday, 01/12	Fr. Michael Luxbacher, LC
Wednesday, 01/13	Fr. Thomas Madden, SJ
Thursday, 01/14	Msgr. Charles Mallet
Friday, 01/15	Msgr. W. Curtis Maller, JCL, VG
Saturday, 01/16	Fr. Donald Martin, SJ

PRAY FOR OUR DEACONS

Sunday, 01/10	Dcn. Herd Giolbeau
Monday, 01/11	Dcn. Carlton Lee
Tuesday, 01/12	Dcn. Louis Lloyd
Wednesday, 01/13	Dcn. Joe Trahan
Thursday, 01/14	Dcn. Alec Alexander
Friday, 01/15	Dcn. Kenneth Arnaud
Saturday, 01/16	Dcn. Arthur Bakeler

PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

Michael Vidrine	St. John, Melville
Trey Fontenot	Sacred Heart of Jesus, VP
Garrett Broussard	OLOGC, LC

READINGS FOR FAITH SHARING

The Baptism of the Lord

Is 42:1-4,6-7 *Behold my servant with whom I am well pleased.*

Ps 29 *“The Lord will bless his people with peace.”*

Acts 10:34-38 *God anointed him with the Holy Spirit*

Mk 1:7-11 *You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.*

Pope Francis Prayer Intention

January - Intention for Evangelization: – Human Fraternity - May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.

OC CORNER

OC students and staff are back in class and look back in thanks to the families who contributed to all of the worthy Christmas drives held in December. The toy and food drives along with the collection of blankets, hats and gloves were all successful to help the community. In addition, the National Honor Society raised funds for The Grey Effect Foundation. What blessings and a testament to OC's "Service above Self"!

Attention Parents! New students for 2021-2022 can now apply online at www.OCSvikings.com. Once approved, enrollment for new (and current) students begins January 22. OCS looks forward to much growth in the next year!

OPELOUSAS PREGNANCY CENTER

A Center committed to facilitating abundant LIFE for women and children through FREE pregnancy testing and ultrasound, counseling, education and MORE! St. Landry Church proudly supports their mission.

CALCUTTA HOUSE

The Calcutta House, a project of Hospice of Acadiana. The *Calcutta House* is a 12-bed, 8,500 square foot home that will provide quality end-of-life care for those terminal patients whose symptoms can no longer be managed in a home setting; those patients who may not have a home, or not have a home conducive to a dignified death (*i.e. unsafe, unsanitary, etc.*); or for those patients who may not have anyone to care for them in their final days of life. Staffed 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, the *Calcutta House* will care for approximately 800 terminal patients on an annual basis. Donations can be made through the Hospice of Acadiana Website.

CONFIRMATION

Registration for Confirmation for 2021 is now open to all 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students who have made their First Communion. Forms are available on our website and can be mailed or dropped in the mail slot at Valentin Hall. The deadline to register is January 15, 2021.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 09 4:00pm In Thanksgiving to God, Patrick Murray Labbe, Gerald Roy, Norris Leger, Toby & Winnie Lalonde & Family, Matherne Bourque, Miriam Roy, Kermit Christ

Sunday, January 10 08:00am M/M John, John Jr., Jacob & Michael FaKouri, Souls in Purgatory, Jackie David Bordelon, Bernel, Arthur & Eva Fontenot, Youle, Therese & John Ray Fontenot and Martin J. St. Amand, J. Y. & Raphael Fontenot Gertrude Andrepont Marks; Willard & Willard Ray (Bubba) Andrepont, Alvin, Bradley & Richard Marks, Geneva Gaspard Scallan, Amar, Maryina & A. B. Courville Sr., Murphy Allen Lanclos, Sr., Harry Lanclos, Sr., Horace Lanclos

10:00am Dr. Earl Rozas, J.Y.,Sr.,Nita & Richard Bordelon, Darryl Wagley [BD), Gene Paillet, HazelWhite Hollier & Irl White, Lee R. & Beverly Faul and Mark Capone,Jr.,MfM Ezra Martin & Denise Hull, Bill, Elaine, Claudia & Chris Fields & Voitier Families, Irl White & Hazel White Hollier, Melanie & Billy Farrell, The Sick & Dying, Moise & Martha Lagrange, Carol F. Sr., Joyce & Baby Ortego

5:00pm St. Landry Church Parishioners

Monday, January 11 12:05pm J.Y.,Sr.,Nita & Richard Bordelon, Tommy Fontenot [BD)

Tuesday, January 12 12:05pm Willard Andrepont (DA), Bertha Pavy, J.Y.,Sr.,Nita & Richard Bordelon, Sam & Elva Moncla(DA)

Wednesday, January 13 12:05pm Lee, Kristie & Vivian Artigue (DA K), J.Y.,Sr.,Nita & Richard Bordelon, Henry Fontenot Family (DA), Mora Family

Thursday, January 14 12:05pm Gerald Roy, J.Y.,Sr.,Nita & Richard Bordelon

Friday, January 15 12:05pm Special Intention, f.Y.,Sr.,Nita & Richard Bordelon, Sharon Branson [BDJ, Wayne Wyble & Family

Saturday, January 16 09:00am J.Y.,Sr.,Nita & Richard Bordelon

ALTAR SERVERS

Parents of students interested in becoming Altar Servers should contact Deacon Joubert @ 942-6552. NEW SERVERS ARE NEEDED.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Dainee Ardoin; Anonymous; Nela Badeaux; Rada Bono; Randy Bordelon; Rickie Bordelon; Carol D'Amico; Robert Comeaux; Ramona Darbonne; Gordon David; Tanna Doucet; Cecile Dupre; Glyn Durio; Catherine & Howard Fournier; Lisa Fruge'; Glenda Gaudet; John Godeau, Jr; Susan Godeau; Albert Going; Robert Going, Jr.; Linda Guidroz; John Harper; Anne Hollier; Yola Huckaby; Rosalie Jackson; Vergie Lanclos; Mark Leblanc; Rebecca Leblanc; Ronald Leger; Malcom Marcus; Sidney Matt; Lorna Sue W. Miller; Reed Mire; Kenny Moreau; M/M Timmy Smith, Sr.; Cy Lager; Ronald Leger; Mary Paillet; Kayla Ramoin; Glenda Darbonne; Leroy Darbonne; Edmae DeJean; Gertie DeJean; Julie Roy; Pap Roy; Barbara St. Amand; Elaine Soileau; Taylor Stevens; Terri Trahan; Taylor Morales; Brett Walker

Prayer to Saint Joseph

Oh, Saint Joseph, foster-father of Jesus, most pure spouse of the Virgin Mary, pray for us daily to the same Jesus, the Son of God, that we, being defended by the power of His grace and striving faithfully in life, may be crowned by Him at the hour of death. Amen.

Prayer to Saint Landry

Through the intercession of St. Landry, bless us all, O Lord we pray, for loved ones, here and near, and far away. And everyone for whom we pray. Keep us safe each night and day, the homeless who have no place to stay. Those who are suffering in any way. The dying, those mourning or grieving and all who need God's mercy. Keep us safe, heavenly Father when we are at home, or traveling on our way, or when we are vulnerable, or in danger in any way. Most merciful Father, hear us as we pray for the souls in Purgatory, or who may be sent there some day. Amen.

PRAYER TO OVERCOME RACISM

Mary, friend and mother to all, through your Son, God has found a way to unite himself to every human being, called to be one people, sisters and brothers to each other. We ask for your help in calling on your Son, seeking forgiveness for the times we have failed to love and respect one another. We ask for your help in obtaining from your Son the grace we need to overcome the evil of racism and to build a just society. We ask for your help in following your Son, so that prejudice and animosity will no longer infect our minds or hearts but will be replaced with a love that respects the dignity of each person. Mother of the Church, the Spirit of your Son warms our hearts: pray for us. Amen.

The Baptism of the Lord!

This weekend as we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord, we are reminded of the words of the Catechism of the Catholic Church as pertains to our own Baptism:

“Through Baptism the Christian is sacramentally assimilated to Jesus, who in his own baptism anticipates his death and resurrection. The Christian must enter into this mystery of humble self-abasement and repentance, go down into the water with Jesus in order to rise with him, be reborn of water and the Spirit so as to become the Father's beloved son in the Son and "walk in newness of life"



By association, we are also reminded of another sacrament, The Sacrament of Confirmation, of which St. Paul writes to the Corinthians:

“Indeed, through Confirmation Christians, consecrated by the anointing in Baptism, share in the fullness of the Spirit with whom Jesus is filled, so that their whole life will spread the ‘aroma of Christ’ (2 Corinthians 2:15).”

The unique bond of these two sacraments encourages us to link them in as timely a manner as is practical. Therefore, we at St. Landry are taking steps toward lowering the age of Confirmation over the next couple of years. We are offering the Sacrament of Confirmation to 9th, 10th and 11th grade students in our Celebration of the Sacrament in 2021.

Parents of students who wish to Confirm this year should visit the church website at www.stlandrycatholicchurch.com, print and complete the Confirmation Registration form and return it to the parish office at Valentin Hall. Please call Deacon Dwayne Joubert with any questions.

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