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Sacraments

Reconciliation: Monday – Friday 11:30 am – 12:00 pm Saturday 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Baptism: Call Office - 942-6552

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registration information.

Matrimony: Call Office at least six months before

planned wedding.

Our Parish Life

ADULT FORMATION - 942-6552

RCIA / Adult Confirmation – Dcn Sammy Diesi 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

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Mission Statement:

St. Landry Catholic Church is a community of the faithful that serves God and our neighbors by coming to know and love more deeply Our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. This is accomplished through the study of Sacred Scripture and by practicing the traditions handed down to us, especially the seven sacraments. By the help of Jesus' Grace, we seek to imitate Him in His faith, hope and charity so that we can receive His gift of salvation in eternal life.

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St. Landry Church Lent Activity Schedule

Weekday Mass Schedule

Ash Wednesday – 12:05pm & 5:30pm Monday – Friday at 12:05pm; Saturday 8am (IN CHURCH)

Confession Schedule

Monday – Friday from 11:30am to 12pm Saturdays from 2:30pm to 3:30pm Wednesday of Holy Week - 5:30pm – 8pm

Stations of the Cross

Mondays @ 11:00am

Fridays @ 5:15pm in the Church - Followed by soup and bread supper in Valentin Hall

Lenten Mission

Presented by Father Brent Smith Mission: March 25th & 26th Mass at 5:30pm; Mission begins at 6pm

Weekly in Valentin Hall

Mondays @ 10am—Bible Study
Tuesdays @ 6pm — "Come, Lord Jesus!"
Wednesdays @ 6am — "That Man is You!"
Wednesdays @ 5pm & 5:15pm — "Come Lord Jesus!"

Holy Week

Palm Sunday

Regular Sunday Mass Schedule O.C. Senior Passion Play – 7pm Sunday & 9am Monday

Wednesday

Confessions – 5:30pm – 8pm – Last opportunity before Easter

Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper – 7pm (Rehearsal 5:30pm)

Eucharistic Procession & Adoration - Immediately Following Mass until 10pm in Valentin Hall

Good Friday

Stations of the Cross for Children – 10am (Followed by Cheese Pizza Luncheon) Passion of the Lord – 3pm (Rehearsal 1:30pm)

Holy Saturday

Easter Egg Hunt – 10am Easter Vigil – 8pm (Rehearsal 11am) Easter Sunday Masses – 8am, 10am & 5pm

POPE FRANCIS' INTENTIONS -

March - Recognition of the Right of Christian Communities - That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS –

March 10, 2019

REGULAR	\$7777.73
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Poor / Needy	\$234.00
BSA	\$1289.90
OCS Foundation	\$40.00
Ash Wednesday (ICONS)	\$2725.02

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Second Collection

03/10/19 – Bishop's Services Appeal **03/17/19 –** Churches in Eastern Europe & Africa

REMINDERS FOR THE WEEK

Sun. - 03/10

3:30pm Confirmation Class

Mon. - 03/11

10:00am Bible Study

11:00am Marian Stations of the Cross S:45pm Rosary @ Lafleur Monument

Tue. - 03/12

6:00pm Come, Lord Jesus!

Wed. - 03/11

6:00am TMIY 9:10am OCS Mass

5:00pm Come, Lord Jesus! **5:15pm** Come, Lord Jesus!

Thu. - 03/12

Fri. - 03/13 - Office Closed

5:15pm Stations of the Cross

Sat. - 03/14

8:00am Mass in Church

ARE YOU A REGISTERED PARISHIONER?

Please don't take for granted that you are registered in the parish just because you attend Mass here. Census Forms are available at the back of church or by calling or coming by the office during business hours.

READINGS FOR FAITH SHARING

The Second Sunday in Lent

Gen 15:5-12, 17-18 In a holy covenant, God promises Abram a homeland.

Psalm 27 "The Lord is my light and my

salvation."

Phil 3:17-4:1 Christ will change our lowly

body to conform with his glorified body.

Luke 9:28b-36 His face changed in appearance and his clothes became dazzling white.

Today we hear two dramatic encounters with God. In the dark of night, God leads Abraham into a covenant, promising that Abraham's descendants will be as numerous as the stars of the sky and live in what will appropriately be called the Promised Land. In the Gospel, God speaks to Peter, John, and James through the shadow of a cloud. Saint Paul, who had a dramatic encounter of his own with God, assures the Philippians—and us—that we will share in Christ's glory in heaven.

PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

-Cade LeBlanc St. Thomas More, Eunice
-Matthew Pitre St. Thomas More, Eunice

-Michael Vidrine St. John, Melville

-Trey Fontenot Sacred Heart of Jesus, VP

Father, in your plan for our salvation you provide shepherds for your people. Fill your Church with the spirit of courage and love. AMEN.

PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY

Sunday, 03/17 Fr. Jared Suire, VE
Monday, 03/18 Fr. Brian Taylor
Tuesday, 03/19 Fr. Joseph Tetlow, SJ
Wednesday, 03/20 Fr. Mark Thibodeaux, SJ

Thursday, 03/21 Fr. Jude Thierry Friday, 03/22 Fr. Nicky Trahan Saturday, 03/23 Fr. Clint Trahan

Eternal Father, we lift up to You, these and all the priests of the world. 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

AFTER MASS SOCIALS

Each Sunday, following the 8am and 10am Masses we gather in the South Sacristy of the church for coffee & donuts and FELLOWSHIP! Everyone is welcome! Please use the outside entrance near the southeast corner of the church. Please do not enter through the sanctuary.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 16

4:00pm Barbara Burleigh Thibodeaux; Billie, Derbes & Hilda Soileau; Leroy Huguet; The family of Wm. & Dorothy Hatch; Wayne, Jeanette & Jonathan Lalonde; Patrick Murray Labbe; Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; Carolyn M. Bertrand; Norris Leger, Toby & Winnie Lalonde & Family; Mercedes A. & Scott A. Henry; Leonce Lalonde Jr.; Amanda Fournier (BD); Philip Frilot; Come, Lord Jesus Groups; The Sick & Dying; Robert (Bob) Chachere; Anna Lois Joubert; J.C., Bernice, Cyril James Diesi II & Peyton Cornette; M/M Francis Earl Patin; Madelyn McKinney; Murphy Allen Lanclos, Sr.; Fields & Voitier Families; Janette Sylvester;

Gerald (BD) Roy & Family

Sunday, March 17

08:00am Bernel, Arthur & Eva Fontenot; Velta Dupre Bajat; Lawrence & Beatrice Sylvester Family; Youle, Therese & John Ray Fontenot and Martin J. St. Amand; Jules, Edna & Marilyn DeCuir Gaspard; Judy (BD) & Robin Family; M/M John, John Jr., Jacob & Michael FaKouri; Debbie Fay (BD)

10:00am Darryl & Sarah Wagley (WA); Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; M/M Emillian Bodin & Joyce Lagrange; Harriet H. Doucet; Richard Bordelon; M/M Lee Martin, Jon Martin & Loray Martin Bertrand & Rita Darby; Hushel Bordelon; Malcolm "Slick" & Margaret Martin; Special Intention; Guise Tran H; Joyce & Baby Ortego; Lawrence Kelly & Darius & Zetta Deville; The Sick & Dying; John Miller, Jr.; M/M Ezra Martin & Denise Hull; Irl White & Hazel White Hollier; Daniel & Louise LaGrange; Lee & Beverly Faul & Mark Capone; Gloria Soileau Cortez

5:00pm St. Landry Church Parishioners **Monday, March 18**

12:05pm Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; The Sick & Dying; Harriet H. Doucet; George "Coco" Joseph LaTour, Jr.; Special Intention

Tuesday, March 19

12:05pm Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; Louis Fay; Roy & Justine L. Elder Family; Harriet H. Doucet; Page & Liz (BD) Puckett; Wilma Guillory; The Sick & Dying

Wednesday, March 20

12:05pm Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; Dallas Barron, Jr. (DA); George "Coco" Joseph LaTour, Jr.; Harriet H. Doucet; The Sick & Dving

Thursday, March 21

12:05pm Harriet H. Doucet; Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; The Sick & Dying; Marise F. Tate (DA)

Friday, March 22

12:05pm Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; Louis Fay; Harriet H. Doucet; The Sick & Dying; Father James Brady (BD); Janis Courvelle (BD)

Saturday, March 23

08:00am Special Intention; Janis Courvelle (BD); Charles Lognion (BD); Harriet H. Doucet

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Dannie Ardoin, Brenda & Dennys Baird, Camden Barnard, Victoria Barron, Addi Baquet, Eric Baquet, Mona Bernard, Rada Bono, Derek Bourque, Connie Benoit, James Buford Bergeron, Paula Bienvenu, Robert Bienvenu, Marty Billeaudeau, Bordelon, Ricky Bordelon, Alexandra Boudreaux, Mildred D. Boudreaux, Joan Brady, Judy Smith Briscoe, Eden Broussard, Pat Burleigh, Nico Campbell, Ronnie Collette, Liz Constantino, Betty Cormier, Leroy Darbonne, Glenda G. Darbonne, Francis "Flossie" David, Donald Dean, Dejean, Rose DeKerlegand Barbara Dopson, Lee Dubuc, Wanda Dupre, Glyn Durio, Brandon Fuselier, Glenda Gaudet, Albert Going, Robert Going, Jr., Sarah Groth, Rita Guidroz, Amelia Guillory, Gabrielle Hanson & Family, Norma Hardroder, Jeanette Harville, Carol Hebert, Eva Herbert, Corrace Hollier, Rosalie Jackson, Bryan Fontenot, Linda L. Fontenot, Merci Janise, Jo Ann Jones, Leon Khan, Virgie Lanclos, Lisa Leblanc, Jenny Ledoux, Ronald Leger, Paul Leleux, Cassandra Marceaux, Malcolm Marcus, Kathy Martin, Heather E. Matt, Sidney Matt, Barbara Marguerite Miller, Ed Moise, Taylor Micheal. Morales, Glenda Moreau, Julia Ortego, Gene Paillet, Mary Paillet, Elliot Pavlovich, Keith Pavlovich, Glenda Pitre, Michelle Poulet, Butch Richard, Gerald Roy, The Keith Richard Family, Geneva Scallon, Pap Roy, Clara Smith, Elaine Soileau, Ronald Speyrer. Andrew Stelly, Audrey Stelly, Lonnie St. Cyr, Becky Sylvester, Richard Tatman, Ervin Thibodeaux, Margaret Thibodeaux, Claire R. Venable, Brett Walker, Augustine Wilson, Brad Woodel, Evelyn Wyble, Caleb Zachary

(It is diocesan policy that we must have permission from any individual that is to be placed on the list of intentions prior to their name being listed.)

St. Landry's NEW MAUSOLEUM

When the time comes, where will I be buried? Have I made plans for that? How will my loved ones know my wishes? These are questions that we will all have to answer one day. What would you do if something happened in your family tomorrow? We don't like to think about those things and much less discuss the subject, but death is inevitable. Getting your burial space ahead of time is good family planning and makes good practical sense, especially now that our church is having a new mausoleum program in our historical cemetery.

If you buy now, you have choices. There are four different types of doubles, four different levels, also family units. There are different options for payment as well. If you wait until later to purchase, the options will be limited. The moment you sign up you are covered. Now you have the opportunity as husband and wife, and perhaps your entire family, to do your planning together in the privacy of your own home. Taking care of these plans now is a lot easier than to do so following a death.

Representatives from American Cemetery Consultants, are now available to meet with you at your home or at the church office to answer questions about mausoleum and help you to choose the option that is right for you. The number of crypts selected before construction will determine the final size of the mausoleum. Spaces are reserved on a first come basis. Anyone wanting information should either mail in the postage paid reply card from the brochure that was mailed to your home or call 337-935-3570.

ADULT CONFIRMATION

Bishop Douglas Deshotel is allowing Pastors to confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Baptized Catholics who are at least 18 years of age during Mass on Pentecost Sunday. Candidates must meet all the requirements of the Sacrament: if married, be married in the church, attending Mass regularly, and must participate in two sessions of sacramental preparation. Anyone interested should contact the office and leave a message for Msgr. Harrington.

KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus, Council #1173 meets on the second Thursday of each month. Call Sean Briley (337) 692-4911 if you are interested in joining.

ALTAR SOCIETY

The Altar Society meets on the second Monday of every month at 5:15pm in Valentin Hall. We are always welcoming New Members to be a part of our mission to assist in beautifying our church for the sacred liturgies. Our next meeting will be on Monday, 04/08! For more information call Yvonne Normand @ 337-308-3474 or Janis Courvelle @ 337-789-0971.

ALTAR SERVERS

We are always looking for more young people who desire to serve our Lord in this very important ministry! All Students who have made their 1st Holy Communion through HS are invited to become servers... Parents contact Deacon Joubert for more information.

LENTEN MISSION

Save the Date! Our Lenten Mission will be held on the evenings of March 25th & 26th. Mass will be celebrated at 5:30pm followed by the Mission Talk by Father Brent Smith from 6:00pm to 7:00pm. More information is coming soon!

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Each Friday during Lent we will have the Stations of the Cross @ 5:15pm in church. The Sations will be followed by a simple (But Delicious!) soup and bread supper in the Valentin Hall dining room. Please join us!

MARIAN STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Way of the Cross in the footsteps and through the eyes of the Blessed Mother will be prayed each Monday during Lent @ 11am.

MUSIC MINISTRY

We are always looking for new voices to enhance our ministry of liturgical music! If you feel called to share your talents in this capacity, call one of our choir directors – JP Poirior (337) 577-6466 or Rafael Henry (337) 739-8173, or call the parish office and someone will get with you!

COME & SEE

Palm Sunday Weekend! April 12-14, 2019 - Men, 16 years & older, this weekend is about how to discern God's call for your life. No cost to you. Transportation provided from Lafayette. To register, contact: Diocese of Lafayette Vocations Director, Fr. Patrick Broussard vocations@diolaf.org or lafayettevocations.org Reserve your spot today!

EXTRA - ORDINARY MINISTERS

March 23/24

Saturday - 4:00pm

Altar Servers: Katie & Broty Stelly

Extra-ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Nelda & Carl Villery, Charlie Roy, Linda Palmer, Derek

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Reader: Charlie Roy Sunday - 8:00am

Altar Servers: Leigh Labrie, Beau & Ethan Stelly **Extra-ordinary Minister of the Eucharist:** Lois Joubert, Debbie Fay, Gerry Vidrine Reader: Dwight & Christine Ledoux

10:00am

Altar Servers: Noah & Rylee Labruyere, Mia Fuselier

Extra-Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Paul Briley, Cynthia Guidry, Cindy Prather, Beverly

Bernard

Reader: Nancy Briley

5:00pm

Altar Servers: Mark & Myles Collins

Extra-ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Glenn & Shawn LeBlanc, Carrol Lafleur, Jeanie Anding

Reader: Irene Soileau

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