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Our Parish Life

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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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From the Desk of Msgr. Harrington...

The following are a few points from last week's homily on discipleship:

The Ten Commandments of Discipleship

- 1. **Believe in the Good News.** For us to be disciples it is necessary to believe in the message of Jesus Christ. We must always remember that we are loved unconditionally, not because of anything we have done or deserved. Jesus came to tell us the stories of the loving Father and the life-giving Spirit. To be a disciple is to know that we are always loved, especially if we are to follow the One who was always confident in the Father's love.
- 2. **Stay in communication with the Lord.** Open and constant communication with Jesus is essential to discipleship. The sacraments, prayer, scripture, works of charity all help us to keep our connectedness to the One who calls us to be disciples. He reads our hearts, but we must still listen and express ourselves to the Divine Master. We are in relationship so we must communicate.
- 3. **Don't be afraid.** Sometimes we may think we have nothing to offer. We don't know enough; our faith is not strong enough. We are afraid we will make terrible mistakes or not live up to God's expectations. We face our fears and inadequacies to follow Him. He will lead us and guide us. The Spirit is always with us
- 4. **Don't be discouraged.** We will find that when we witness to the gospel of life, the right to life, the gospel of freedom for all people, the gospel of justice we can become discouraged or frustrated. It is even difficult at times to convince others that God loves them. Discipleship can be challenging in many ways. We must remember to witness, but ultimately to trust in the Father to accomplish all things.
- 5. **Believe in God's people.** We are called to recognize the goodness of people. We serve them not as their superiors, but as servants of the gospel. We trust in their integrity, their goodness and their holiness. We love our brothers and sisters as God loves them.
- 6. Learn from others, especially the ones you minister to/with. One of the greatest gifts of discipleship is to be open to the stories of others. We learn our most valuable lessons from those we serve. Their grace touches us, moves us, encourages us. We listen to them to hear the voice of God.
- 7. **Don't wear glasses of shame.** Toxic shame is not conducive to faithful discipleship. Our own self-hatred hinders us from recognizing our own beauty which further hinders us from recognizing the beauty and integrity of others. We wear shame-glasses and cannot see the wonder before us. If we are so busy evaluating them and figuring out ways they 'should' be living, we discard something sacred.
- 8. Accept support from others along the way. One of the most humbling parts of discipleship is acknowledging our need to be supported and helped by others. We are on this journey together. We support each other; we love each other. When we are not strong, we rely on others to lift us up.
- 9. **Make room for mercy and forgiveness.** We will make mistakes. We will fall and fail. There is always a need for God's mercy and forgiveness. We also need the forgiveness of others that we have wronged, even if our intentions were good.
- 10. **Remember that you are not God, therefore:** no judging, no fixing, no power, no control let God be God. You are only a disciple!
- 11. As the little girl reminded me at 4:00 mass when she came up to get her bulletin, there is an eleventh commandment. Do all this with a joyful heart.

POPE FRANCIS' INTENTIONS -

July - The Integrity of JusticeThat those who administer justice may work with integrity, and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS –

June 30, 2019

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REMINDERS FOR THE WEEK

Sun. - 07/07

Mon. - 07/08

5:45pm Rosary @ Lafleur Monument

Tue. - 07/09

6:00pm Come, Lord Jesus!

Wed. - 07/10

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

Thu. - 07/11

Fri. - 07/12 - Office Closed

8:00am

Sat. - 07/13

Mass in Valentin Hall

READINGS FOR FAITH SHARING

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 66:10-14c Mother Jerusalem will gather

her children.

Psalm 66 "Let all the earth cry out to

God with joy."

Galatians 6:14-18 I bear in my body the brand

marks of Jesus.

Luke 10:1-13, 17-20 If people welcome you, bid

them peace.

Every Mass begins and ends with the sign of the cross. It is the most prominent sign of our identity as Christians. Saint Paul boasts in it, for it has transformed us all. The disciples bear it, sent out as lambs among wolves. The cross is our reminder that we should expect to suffer. But it is also a reminder of our redemption. Isaiah sings of the return to Jerusalem from exile, a redemption for Israel. Let us note the power of the cross as we listen to today's readings.

PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

-Michael Vidrine St. John, Melville

-Trey Fontenot Sacred Heart of Jesus, VP

-Garrett Broussard OLOGC, LC

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, 06/30 Fr. Darren Eldridge Monday, 07/01 Fr. Pope Francis

Tuesday, 07/02 Pope Emeritus Benedict, XVI
Wednesday, 07/03 Bishop Douglas Deshotel
Bishop Emeritus Jarrell

Friday, 07/05 Fr. Peter Emusa Saturday, 07/06 Fr. Cyprian Eze

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. Please NO FOOD in any other area of the church.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 06

4:00pm Carolyn M. Bertrand; M/M Robert Going Sr. & Families; Norris Leger, Toby & Winnie Lalonde & Family; Billie, Derbes & Hilda Soileau; Wayne, Jeanette & Jonathan Lalonde; Come, Lord Jesus Groups; Madelyn McKinney; Clement Ned, Sr. (BD); Eli

Thanh Huynh; Robert (Bob) Chachere; Barbara Burleigh Thibodeaux; Janette Sylvester; Special Intention

Sunday, July 07

08:00am Bernel, Arthur & Eva Fontenot; Youle, Therese & John Ray Fontenot and Martin J. St. Amand; James E. Martin; M/M John, John Jr., Jacob & Michael FaKouri; David "Scotty" Thomas; Patricia Ann Briggs

Yvonne Guillory Fontenot; M/M Lee 10:00am Martin, Jon Martin & Loray Martin Bertrand & Rita Darby: Lawrence & Beatrice Sylvester Family: Kermit Christ; Dorothy (Vige) Lasseigne; Dorothy "Dot" Prejean, Robin, Rozas, Nezat; Phero Nguyen Nghi; William "Billy" H Jarrell, Jr.; Beverly Claire Hebert Nash; M/M Stanley Vige; Harriet H. Doucet; Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; Anna Tran Thi Diem; A.I.C. Class of '69; Lawrence Kelly & Darius & Zetta Deville; Guise Tran Ho; Beverly "Blondie" Thibodeaux; Dallas Barron, Jr.; Stephen Taylor; Lee & Beverly Faul & Mark Capone Jr.; M/M Emillian Bodin & Joyce Lagrange; Phan xieh Tran Ho; Carol, Joyce & Baby Ortego; Matta Nguyen Thi Nho; Fields & Voitier Families

5:00pm St. Landry Church Parishioners **Monday, July 08**

12:05pm Bonnie Wyble Shaver (BD); Shawn King DeJean (BD); Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; Alfred Octave Pavy; David "Scotty" Thomas

Tuesday, July 09

12:05pm Bernard Joubert (BD) & Family; David "Scotty" Thomas; Christine T. LeDoux (BD); Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.

Wednesday, July 10

12:05pm John Ray Fontenot (DA); Dr. Merrick Wyble; Nita & J.Y. Bordelon Sr.; Kathy Martin (BD); Father Joe Breaux; David "Scotty" Thomas

Thursday, July 11

12:05pm Marie & Martin (DA) Roy, Sr.; Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; David "Scotty" Thomas; Betty G. Wolfe

Friday, July 12

12:05pm Martin Sr., Angela, Martin Jr.& Wilda Cosgrove; Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.; David "Scotty" Thomas

Saturday, July 13

08:00am Nita & J. Y. Bordelon Sr.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Rena Mae Angelle, Dannie Ardoin, Brenda & Dennys Baird, Camden Barnard, Victoria Barron, Addi Baquet, Eric Baquet, Mona Bernard, Rada Bono, Derek Bourque, Connie Buford Benoit. James Bergeron, Paula Bienvenu, Robert Bienvenu, Marty Billeaudeau, Randy Bordelon, Ricky Bordelon, Alexandra Boudreaux, Mildred D. Boudreaux, Joan Brady, Judy Smith Briscoe, Eden Broussard, Nico Campbell, German Cardoza, Ronnie Collette, Liz Constantino. Bettv Cormier, Leroy Darbonne, Glenda Darbonne, Francis "Flossie" David. Angie Dejean, Rose DeKerlegand Barbara Dopson, Lee Dubuc, Wanda Dupre, Glyn Durio, Willie Mae Emonet, Johnny Fontenot, Brandon Fuselier, Glenda Gaudet, Albert Going, Robert Going, Jr., Sarah Groth, Rita Guidroz, Amelia Guillory, Gabrielle Hanson & Family, Norma Hargroder, Jeanette Harville, Carol Hebert, Scott Hebert, Eva Herbert, Corrace Hollier, Rosalie Jackson, Bryan Fontenot, Linda L. Fontenot, Jo Ann Jones, Leon Khan, Charles Kenneth Lalonde, Sr., Virgie Lanclos, Leblanc. Jenny Ledoux, Ronald Leger, Sawyer Leger, Paul Leleux, Margie Lintzen, Cassandra Marceaux, Malcolm Marcus, Kathy Martin, Verna Martin, Heather E. Matt. Sidney Matt, Marguerite Miller, Taylor Morales, Glenda Julia Ortego, Gene Paillet, Mary Paillet, Elliot Pavlovich, Glenda Pitre, Michelle Poulet, Butch Richard, Gerald Roy, Emery Richard, Jessie Richard, The Keith Richard Family, Geneva Scallon, Pap Roy, Jason Sonnier, Clara Smith, Elaine Soileau, Ronald Speyrer. Andrew Stelly, Audrey Stelly, Eddie Stelly, Becky Sylvester, Richard Tatman, Ervin Margaret Thibodeaux, Thibodeaux. 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.)

SUMMER TRAVELS?

Don't miss Sunday Mass simply because you are on Summer Vacation... Visit www.masstimes.org to find the Mass that best fits your schedule ANYWHERE in the U.S.

LIBRARY NEWS

There is a sampling of books from our parish library on a table at the main entrance to the church for you to "checkout." Just fill out the "checkout form" located in the book and leave the form in the "checkout box." After you're done with the book, drop it in the "return basket." Our library is located in Valentin Hall and has over 1100 books for your reading pleasure. If there is a specific book you are looking for, fill out a "request form" and someone will contact you if the book is available for checkout.

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 in September! (Summer Break!) 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.

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!

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.

THE LESS FORTUNATE

There are many in our community who are less fortunate than we are and find it difficult to survive on what income they might have. While we are sympathetic to this, we do not condone the act of soliciting on our church campus. Please know that anyone who has come to the office in need food or shelter has been attended to as Msgr. Harrington deems appropriate. It is in the best interest of this effort that anyone who expresses a need of monetary or other aid be referred to the church office at Valentin Hall. This is for the safety and fair treatment of everyone. Contributions to this cause are always welcome.

ONLINE CATECHESIS

The Diocese of Lafayette has partnered with Franciscan University in Steubenville, Ohio, to give everyone in the diocese access to workshops that can help in their religious formation. Although some of the workshops are geared towards teachers, many simply give information on topics that many of us want to know more about (i.e. the Eucharist, Mary, New Testament, Old Testament). All you have to do is go to www.franciscanathome.com/diolaf to begin to create your account. The Office of Catechetics has a short 3 minute video on their webpage that will direct you on how to create an account. Our parish (or institution) has already been placed in the system, so all you have to do is create your personal account.

PRAYER FOR 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 the 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 the heavenly Jerusalem where a storm-less eternity awaits us.

EXTRA - ORDINARY MINISTERS

July 13/14

<u>Saturday - 4:0</u>0pm

Altar Servers: Mark & Joseph Wilkes

Extra-ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Regena Stelly, Michelle Naguin, Didier Hargroder,

Suzette Ellis, Alice Cormier Reader: Nelda Villery Sunday - 8:00am

Altar Servers: Leigh Labrie, Beau & Ethan Stelly **Extra-ordinary Minister of the Eucharist:** Beth Stelly, Jane Roth, Rose Mariani

Reader: Keith & Yvonne Normand

10:00am

Altar Servers: Noah & Rylee Labruyere **Extra-Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:**

Peter Briggs, Larry Moreau, Joe Blumrich, Jackie Keyes

Reader: Cindy Prather, Josh Soileau

5:00pm

Altar Servers: Mia Fuselier

Extra-ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Glenn & Shawn LeBlanc, Jeanie Anding, Carrol Lafleur

Reader: Tanina Fuselier

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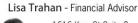
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