Parish Office Hours

Monday – 1:00 – 4:00 Tuesday – Thursday 8:30 – 12:00, 1:00 – 4:00 Closed Friday, Saturday & Sunday

For AFTER HOURS Emergencies including Anointing of the Sick:

(337)942-6552 and follow the prompts

Email: stlandrychurch@diolaf.org

Website: www.StLandryCatholicChurch.com

Pastoral Staff - 942-6552

Pastor
Father Neil Pettit ext. 1107

Pastoral Associate
Deacon Dwayne Joubert ext. 1104

Deacons
Deacon Sammy Diesi ext. 1105
Deacon John Miller

Bookkeeper
Lois Joubert ext. 1101

Receptionist/Secretary

Priscilla Guidroz ext. 1100

Pastoral Council

Cindy Prather 945-2585 Richard LeBlanc 658-5927 **Elected Members** Joe Blumrich 257-2379 Nancy Briley, Secretary 308-1563 Debbie Deshotel 945-1654 Howard Fournier 948-8850 Yvonne Normand 308-3474 Sharon Ortego, Chair 942-9288 Harry Ragas, Vice Chair (225)571-0850

Ad Hoc

Charlie Roy

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Dwight Ledoux (Finance Council)942-6732 Josh Soileau (KC's) 912-5812

948-8052

SANCTUARY LIGHT

CHURCH: Denise Hull (DA)
CHAPEL: Cecile Dupre' (BD)

ALTAR SOCIETY

Group 2 Jane Savoy 08/13/21 Group 3 Rebecca Reed 08/20/21

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Monday - Friday 11:30am - Noon

Saturday 3pm - 3:45pm

Baptism: Call Office - 942-6552

Anointing of the Sick: Call Office – 942-6552

1ST Communion & Confirmation: See Bulletin or

Website 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. 5pm – Lois Joubert

That Man is You – Dcn Dwayne Joubert Bible Study – Dcn Dwayne Joubert

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION / YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Director – Dcn Dwayne Joubert942-6552Safe Environment942-6552

LITURGY

Coordinator – Dcn Dwayne Joubert 942-6552 Altar Servers - Dcn Dwayne Joubert 942-6552 Ministers of the Word - Debbie Fav 308-3107 **Eucharistic Ministers** 942-6552 10 AM Choir – John Poirier 577-6466 5 PM Music – Rafael Henry 739-8173 First Friday Adoration - Ben Pitre 351-8389 Altar Society - Pam Hooks 331-4940

PASTORAL OUTREACH - 942-6552

Ministry to the Home Bound – Lois Joubert Ministry to the Bereaved-Lois Joubert

ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Daughters-Ramona Darbonne 692-0196 Knights of Columbus-Josh Soileau 912-5812

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator

Joseph Pisano, Jr. 298-2987

OPELOUSAS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Principal – Mrs. Marty Heintz 942-5404

ONLINE GIVING

WWW.STLANDRYCATHOLICCHURCH.COM

SATURDAY MORNING MASS TIME

The Saturday "Daily Mass" time I now 8am. Please note the change.

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OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS -

August 01, 2021	
REGULAR	\$9169.00
GOAL	\$9000.00
Maintenance & Repair Fund	\$1458.00
Poor & Needy	\$300.00
OCS Foundation	\$617.00
Maintenance Endowment	\$20.00

Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS

Sunday, 08/08 Msgr. Richard Greene
Monday, 08/09 Fr. Mitchell Guidry
Tuesday, 08/10 Fr. Brad Guillory
Wednesday, 08/11 Fr. Joshua Guillory, JCL
Thursday, 08/12 Fr. Jude Halphen
Friday, 08/13 Fr. Brian Harrington
Saturday, 08/14 Msgr. Russell Harrington

PRAY FOR OUR DEACONS

Sunday, 08/08
Monday, 08/09
Tuesday, 08/10
Wednesday, 08/11
Thursday, 08/12
Friday, 08/13
Saturday, 08/14
Dcn. Keith Duhon
Dcn. Christopher Doumit
Dcn. Kyle Faber
Dcn. Gary Gaudin
Dcn. Shawn Gautreaux
Dcn. Perry Guidry
Dcn. Russell Hayes

PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

Michael Vidrine St. John, Melville
Trey Fontenot Sacred Heart of Jesus, VP

Garrett Broussard OLOGC, LC

READINGS FOR FAITH SHARING

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kgs 19:4-8 Strengthened by that food, he walked to the mountain of God.

Ps 34 "Taste and see the goodness

of the Lord."

Eph 4:30 – 5:2 Walk in love, just like Christ.

Jn 6:41-51 I am the living bread that

came down from heaven.

Pope Francis Prayer Intention

August – The Church

Let us pray for the Church, that she may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel.

OC CORNER

Students begin reporting to school this week with assigned grade levels on certain days. Then on Friday, all students (PreK-12) will begin class for the 2021-2022 school year and an all-school Mass will be held in St. Landry Catholic Church to bless the beginning of the new year. In a change for the remainder of the year, school Masses will be held on Thursdays.

OCS is happy to announce that over 100 NEW students are enrolled for 2021-2022. There are still some openings in many classes. For admission/enrollment information, email school registrar Joanne Briley at brileyj@ocsvikings.com.

The theme for this school year is "Love Like Jesus". It is an encouragement to look outside of ourselves and help those around us to become better children of God. The song to be sung at school Masses to reflect the theme is "Less Like Me" by Zach Williams. May God continue to bless Opelousas Catholic School!

CJC RETREAT OPPORTUNITIES

October 15-17, 2021 - Women at the Feet of Jesus Retreat - A silent retreat for women to help foster intimacy w/ Christ. Meditations will focus on the women in the life of Jesus, such as Mary and Martha, the penitent woman, the woman at the well, and Mary at the Foot of the Cross.

November 19-21, 2021 – Married Couples Retreat – A preached retreat for couples consisting of talks and meditations pertinent to living out the sacrament of Matrimony. Retreat directed by Fr. Champagne.

Both retreats will be held at the Our Lady of Sorrows Retreat Center in St. Martinville. To register contact Cheryl Moss @ (337)453-2385.

ALTAR SERVERS

We are in need of altar servers for all weekend Masses. Any young man who has made his 1st Communion is welcome to serve! Parents – please call Deacon Joubert if your child is interested.

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.

MASS INTENTIONS

4:00pm Kermit Christ; William & Dorothy Hatch and Family; M/M Robert Going Sr. & Family; Jessie & Emery Richard; Ricky Doucet; Lucille LaFleur; In Thanksgiving; M/M Norris Leger, Toby & Winnie Lalonde & Family; Charles F. & Mercedes Going & Family; Fr. Joseph C. Deluca; Billie P. Dossmann; Matherne Bourque; Glenda Lanclos & Gwen Darbonne (BD Both); Gerald Roy, Fr. Joseph O. Breaux

Sunday, August 08

08:00am Martin Sr.; Angela; Martin Jr.& Wilda Cosgrove: Charles LeBlanc: Barbara St. Amand: Bernel, Arthur & Eva Fontenot; Murphy Allen Lanclos, Sr., Rose Fontenot & John Huval; Cecile Dupre (BD); Malcolm Melancon; Billie P. Dossmann; Shirley Donatto; Moise & Martha Lagrange; M/M John, John Jr., Jacob & Michael FaKouri: Youle. Therese & John Ray Fontenot and Martin J. St. Amand; Moise & Martha Lagrange James & Martha Grogan & Kathleen 10:00am Grogan Tyrney; Conrad O. Martin Family; M/M Ezra Martin & Denise Hull (DA); Kossuth Doucet Family; Guise Tran Ho; Louis Doucet; Michael Reagan Gallagher: J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon; Lee R. & Beverly Faul and Mark Capone, Jr.; Gordon LeBlanc; Phero Truong Si Chuyen; Burnel Manuel Sr. and families of LaFleur & Manuel; Dr. Ed Moise (BD); Frances D. Bordelon; Marjorie J. Quebedeaux; Quentin Joubert; J. D. & Mildred Dupre and Dupre-Lagrange Families St. Landry Church Parishioners 5:00pm Monday, August 09

12:05pm J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon **Tuesday, August 10**

12:05pm Mayance (DA) & Wanda Dupre and Family; Dr. Ed Moise; J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon; Raphael Fontenot (BD) & Family

Wednesday, August 11

12:05pm J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon; Pascual Requiro; Marjorie J. Quebedeaux; Thomasa Seblos Requiro; Jo Ann Soileau Landry; Martin Sr., Angela, Martin Jr. & Wilda Cosgrove

Thursday, August 12

12:05pm Willard "Bubba" Andrepont (DA); J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon; Brett (BD) and Jill Boullion & Family

Friday, August 13

12:05pm J.Y., Sr., Nita & Richard Bordelon; Bryan Joseph Joubert (BD) & Family

Saturday, August 14

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

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Nela Badeaux; Rada Bono; Randy Bordelon; Rickie Bordelon; Carol D'Amico; Robert Comeaux; Glenda Darbonne: Leroy Darbonne: Edmae DeJean: Gertie DeJean; Liz Darbonne; Ramona Darbonne; Gordon David; Tommy Dupre; Betty W. Doucet; Cecile Dupre; Rebecca Dupre: Glyn Durio: Glenda Gaudet: Wayne Gautreaux; John Godeau, Jr; Susan Godeau; Linda Guidroz; Allen Guillory; Elaine Guillory; Maggie Guy; Yola Huckaby; Charlotte Hundley; Rosalie Jackson; Johnathon Johns; Gene Kidder; Vergie Lanclos; Debra Leblanc; Mark Leblanc; Rebecca Leblanc; Ronald Leger; Malcom Marcus; Sidney Matt; Lorna Sue W. Miller; Kenny Moreau; Lisa Ortego; M/M Timmy Smith, Sr.; Mary Paillet; Jesse R. Richard; Pap Roy; Elaine Soileau; Terri Trahan; Kenneth Gilda Soileau; Greg Tate; Thibodeaux; Taylor Morales; Brett Walker; Avery Woodson; Merlin Young; Special Intention

Prayer for Protection Against Hurricanes

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 passing of time. O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son on 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 stormless eternity awaits us. 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.

OFFERING A MASS FOR SOMEONE

When we hear that a Mass is being offered for the intentions of a certain person or persons, what does this mean? And how can we go about have a Mass offered for OUR friend or family member?

The Mass is the most powerful of all prayers, and so it is a very effective way to pray for loved ones. Praying for loved ones with the Mass is an ancient tradition. While you can personally offer your prayers at Mass for a special intention, requesting a priest say a Mass for your intention can be even more powerful because your intention will often be read aloud or published in the parish bulletin. The priest and many in the congregation will now be offering their prayers, through the Mass, for your special intention.

Requesting a Mass for your special intention is easier than you might think. It's often as simple as calling your local parish and putting in a request. There are also many religious orders and shrines with online Mass intention request forms you can submit. It is customary to give a very small monetary gift when you request a Mass for a special intention. This money helps support the parish facilities or missions.

You can offer a Mass for family members, friends, or any special intention, but Masses offered for the dead are particularly powerful. In fact, many souls have actually appeared to loved ones to ask for Mass to be said for them so that they will be released from Purgatory. Since the souls in Purgatory are no longer able to pray for themselves, they rely on the prayers and good works of those still on Earth to help them along in their journey to paradise.

To request a Mass Offering here at St. Landry call or come by the parish office during business hours or visit our website and submit the online form.

