

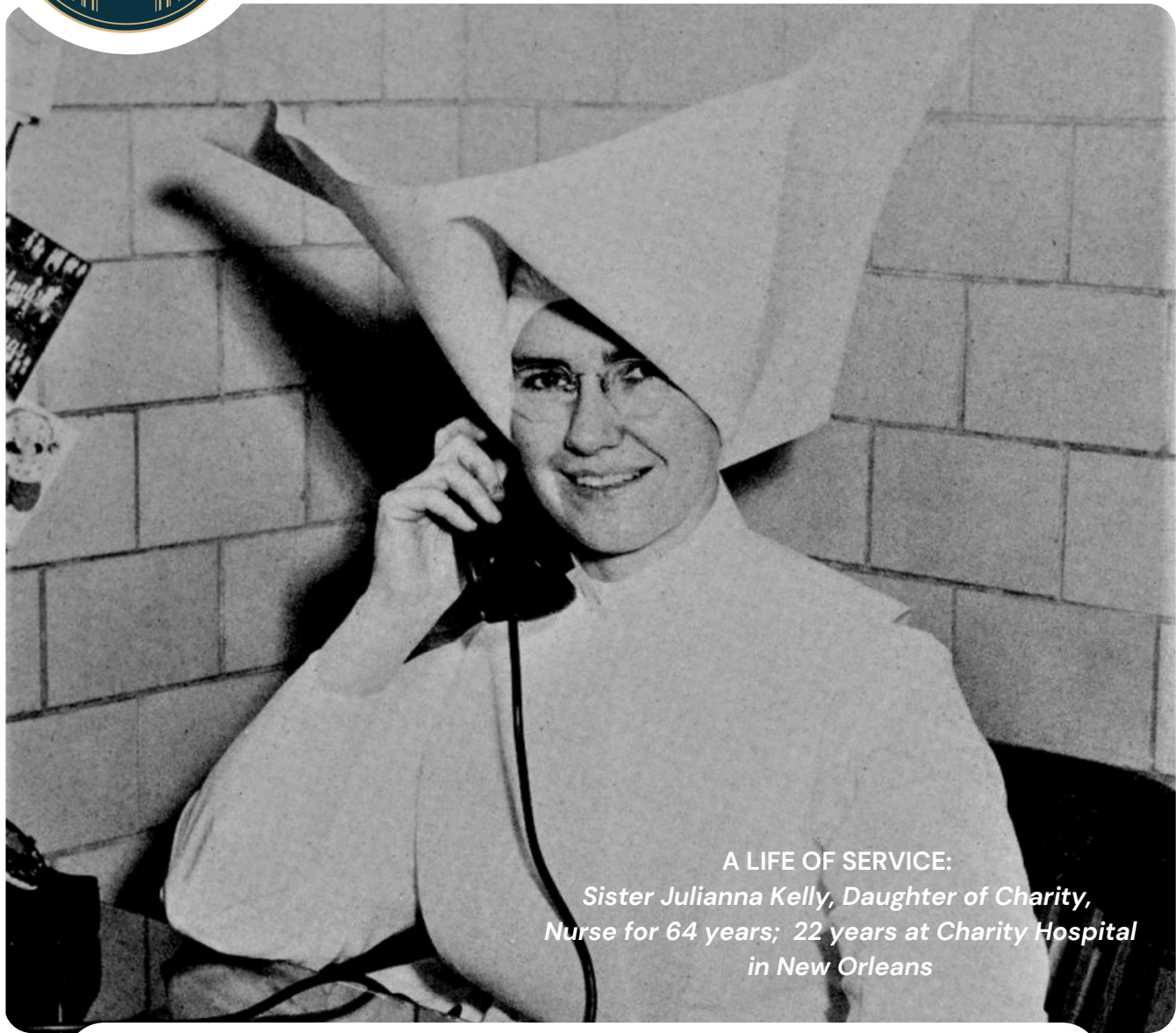
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THE 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

13 JULY 2025

CONTACT OUR
PARISH OFFICE

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Hours Mon–Wed: 9am–noon, 1–3pm
Thursday: Closed, Friday: 9am–noon

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THE HOLY SACRIFICE
OF THE MASS

Saturday (Anticipatory) – 4 pm
Sunday – 7 am, 10 am, & 6:30 pm
Mon, Tues, Wed, & Fri – 12:10 pm

Confessions

Saturday – 3 pm to 3:50 pm
+ Half an hour before other Masses

FROM THE HEART OF THE PASTOR

“...AND WHO IS MY NEIGHBOR?”
– Luke 10

Dear Parish Family,

In the Gospel, Christ teaches love of neighbor with the parable of the Good Samaritan. He answers the question, “Who is my neighbor?”

BIDDING FAREWELL TO OUR SENIOR ALTAR SERVERS

Join us on Sunday, July 27 at the 10 am Mass as we bid farewell to our 5 senior altar servers and wish them well in their college studies.

FATHER OUT NEXT WEEK

Next Monday, I am scheduled to have a minor, outpatient surgery in Lafayette. My doctor has asked me to take a week off to rest. I ask for your prayers, especially, as I recover.

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE NEXT WEEK

Daily Mass on Tuesday, July 15 is cancelled. The schedule is as usual otherwise.



INTRODUCING THEOLOGY IN A BOTTLE

Join us for evenings of faith, discussion, and good wine.

Each “Theology in a Bottle” evening is a social gathering where we welcome a different speaker to share their unique knowledge on a particular aspect of our Catholic Faith.

What is the format?

Each evening begins with wine and conversation, followed by a 10-20 minute talk and open discussion. “Theology in a Bottle” lasts just over an hour.

Space is limited – How do I register?

To register, call Ros in the parish office at 385-1280. The first three “Theology in a Bottle” evenings will be hosted in parishioners’ homes, so space is limited to 30 parishioners. The final evening will be hosted at the 180 Downtown.

Do I have to attend all four “Theology in a Bottle” evenings to participate?

No, you are free to attend as many as you would like.

Is wine provided?

Good wine will be provided for each gathering. You are also welcome to supplement with your own wine, if you choose.

Is there a cost?

No, this program is offered as a free adult faith-formation opportunity for the parish. However, donations will gladly be accepted.

Can I register ahead for upcoming evenings?

Of course. You can register for all four evenings, if you would like. Simply call Ros in the office to register.



THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

14 July - St. Kateri Tekawitha
J.P. Morella fly. (L&D), Cyril Bourgoyne fly. (L&D)

15 July - Daily Mass Cancelled

16 July - Votive of St. Joseph
Onesime & Hazel Richard, Asa & Aline Stewart, Michael Naquin

18 July - Votive of the Sacred Heart
L.P. Lipari, The Poor Holy Souls in Purgatory

19 July - 4 pm Anticipatory Mass
Louis Boudreaux, Wade J. Landry, Sr., Miles Liner fly (L&D), E.J. & Gerry Lemoine fly. (L&D), Herman Pellerin fly. (L&D), Mr. B.A. “Red” Adams, Hazel Richard, Leroy Gray, Madge Comeaux, John Tholen, Alden Vining, Jr., Eljean Nesmith, Bob Radtke

20 July - 7am Mass
Mr. Red & Mrs. Yvonne Adams, Deanna Sampey, Kenneth Garber, Sr., Ray & Chaille Rasberry, Calvin Leleux fly. (L&D), Roger Watson

10 am Solemn Mass
Pro Populo, Laura Magee Larive fly. (L&D), Eljean Chauvin Nesmith, Bob Radtke, Pat St.Romain

6:30 pm Mass
Craig Nini

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Are you or someone you know interested in joining the Catholic Church? Are you interested in completing your Sacraments of Initiation (First Communion, First Confession, Confirmation)?

OCIA is a program of classes that prepare individuals to receive sacraments as adults (OCIA: Order of Christian Initiation in Adults). It is an updated version of RCIA that the Vatican has asked the Church across the world to adopt.

Classes begin in September and are held twice a month. Simply call the parish office at 385-1280 to sign up or to receive more information.

LOOKING AHEAD

SENIOR ALTAR SERVER FAREWELL
Sunday, July 27th at 10 am Mass.

FIRST “THEOLOGY IN A BOTTLE” NIGHT
Thursday, August 14 at 6:30 pm
at Giroir Home (registration required)

FEAST OF ASSUMPTION MASSES
(A Holy Day of Obligation)
August 14 – 5:30 pm Vigil Mass
August 15 – 12:10 pm Mass

ONGOING MAINTENANCE AT ST. STEPHEN’S

Work Completed this Summer:

- Trees on bridge side of church trimmed
- Choir loft stairs painted
- Church bathroom plumbing repaired
- Damaged sections of church gutters repaired
- Church gutters and downspouts cleaned out

Work To Be Completed in the Coming Weeks:

- Small Window in St. Stephen Reliquary Niche in church is leaking and will be replaced
- Replacement doors for the back entrance to parish will be installed soon
- Additional downspouts will be installed for the church gutters

“THEOLOGY IN A BOTTLE” DATES:

“POP & POUR”

Fatherhood and Masculinity



Fr. Blake Dubroc
Vocation Director,
Lafayette

August 14, 6:30 pm

“REWIND & REVINED”

Helping Adult Kids

Back to the Faith

Speaker Pending

September 4, 6 pm

“SIPPING & SERVING”

Living Lives of Service



Dr. Denise Benton
UL Lafayette,
Professor

October 14, 6 pm

“PRUNING THE VINE”

Digital Overload & Toxicity



Fr. Jamin David
Vicar General,
Baton Rouge

November 13, 6 pm
at the One80 Downtown

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Offertory	\$ 8,748
Building & Maintenance	\$ 5,063
Total Weekly Giving	\$ 13,811

ONLINE GIVING

Online giving is a safe, easy way to support your parish. Go to ststephenberwick.org and click on the “give” tab, Or scan the code, at right.

