



SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | JULY 20, 2025

**Welcome
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& Visitors**

**St. Mary Magdalen
Catholic Church**

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Mass Monday - Friday 6:30am
First Saturday (only) 8:30am
Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 5:30pm

Reconciliation Saturday 3:00 - 3:45pm
Sunday 6:15 - 6:45am, 8:15 - 8:45am,
Sunday 10:15 - 10:45am, 4:45 - 5:15pm
Monday - Friday 6:00 - 6:25am

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Friday 8am - 12pm

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FROM THE PASTOR: ST. MARY MAGDALENE



As I wrote last week, we are celebrating our parish's patron saint this weekend. As we all know, St. Mary Magdalene was one of those who followed Jesus during his earthly ministry and was one of the few who stood at the foot of the cross during his crucifixion. She is also recorded in Scripture as the first person to witness Jesus' resurrection. He sent her to proclaim this news to the Apostles, which is why we call her "Apostle to the Apostles." For that reason alone, she is an excellent patron to have - someone whose example calls us to bear witness to others that Jesus is indeed risen! May we also proclaim the good news to the world like Mary Magdalene!

There is a lot of speculation about Mary of Magdalene. Some people think she is the same person as the woman who anointed Jesus' feet or the same Mary who is Martha and Lazarus' sister. There are also several legends about her after Jesus' ascension. Some of these theories get into bizarre and dangerous territory, so it's best to stick to what we do know. Beyond what I've already mentioned, we also know that Jesus performed an exorcism on her to drive out seven devils (Luke 8, Mark 16). From this, we can say that Mary Magdalene was a sinner in need of salvation. Captured under the power of the evil one, Mary Magdalene needed Jesus to set her free. So, we should easily see ourselves and our fellow sinners in her example.

As we celebrate her feast day and her special patronage of our parish, let's make her feast day a time of recognizing our need for salvation. Let us also resolve to be a place that offers forgiveness and freedom to those trapped by the devil and by sin.

St. Mary Magdalene, pray for us!

In Christ,
Fr. Albert

P.S. Please make sure to fill out our Summer Survey if you haven't already. Thank you!



Summer Survey

**CELEBRANTS NEXT WEEKEND
JULY 26 - 27**

**SAT 4pm | FR. ALEXANDER ALBERT
SUN 7am & 9am | FR. ALEXANDER ALBERT
SUN 11am | FR. MATTHEW BARZARE
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Thank You for Your Stewardship

7/7 - 7/13 Online	\$ 3,298.99
7/8 - 7/14 Sound System Campaign	\$ 3,930.00
7/13 Offertory	\$ 9,435.00
7/13 Christian Formation	\$ 2,351.00

Upcoming Collections

7/20	Bishop's Services Appeal
7/27	Maintenance Fund
8/3	Insurance Fund

Venmo



**St. Mary Magdalen
Online Giving**



PRAYERS

Sanctuary Candle is in Memory of
George C. Harrington
Blessed Mother Candle is in Honor of
M/M Dephnix Meaux (Anniversary)
St. Joseph Candle is in Honor of
John David Frederick (Birthday)

We Pray for the Family of . . .

Onezieme Russell Mouton, husband of
Toni, father of Onezieme, Jr. (Oni)

Katrina Faye Villejoin, sister of Shantell
and Carla

Lenora Marie Frederick

Merrick Charles Broussard, brother of
Norris, uncle of Holly and Heidi

Dodie Harrington, wife of Trent, mother
of Meah, Mikka, and stepmother of Tristyn

Baptized into Life with Christ . . .

Mamie-Catherine James Young

Daughter of
Beau Garrett
Young &
Nicole Renee
Hebert



Grateful

FOR YOU!

Ms. Margaret Jackson says thank you
for all of the birthday wishes. She is
truly grateful for you!

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PRAYING FOR THOSE ILL

Gloria, Kelly,	Saul Keeton
Linda Abshire	Ruth LaBauve
Angela Bernard	Angie, Teesie Landry
Judy Bergeron	Barbara Lapointe
Roy Bertrand, Jr.	Barry, Ora Laviolette
Madelyn Bourque	Paul, JT, Annetta F,
Logan Boutte	Morgan, Carol, Lindsey,
Chris Breaux	Irene, Adam, Leif A.,
Anna Mae, Sandra, Mary,	Judy, Kelly LeBlanc
Judy, Susan Broussard	Kathleen, Mary, Gerald,
Pam Bryant	Rosealee LeBouef
Audrey Bullington	John LeJeune
Hoi Cao	Carroll Lemaire
Jim, Robert, Ed Collins	Cynthia Lewis
Mary R. Comeaux	Gage Meaux
Emily Courtier	Linda Menard
Georgella Curtis	Darcas Monic
Andre Daigle	Judy Morgan
Lorraine Danof	Tony, Susan Morrow
Charleigh-Kate David	Danielle, Angela Mouton
Mark DeRouen	Elaine Mula
Shirley Desormeaux	Frances Pere
Kevin deValcourt	April Pitre
Sophie Ditch & Family	Mary Premeaux
Warren Doucet	Dorothy D. Primeaux
Karlie Drummer	Charmaine Quibodeaux
Clenes, Mary, Shirley,	Effie Rogers
Paul Duhon	Dana, Delaney Romero
John Eman	Dawn, DeElla Roy
Kate, Audrey Faulk	Mike Saunier
Tucker, Wilda Fontenot	Skip Scoggins
Raymond Frederick	Barry Sebren
Lonie Fuqua	Audrey Simon
Hilda Godfrey	Arthurine Sirmon
Bill Gorsik	Tookie Sonnier
Ray Granger	Rosa Stansbury
Lana, Tina Greene	Marty Stevens
Lola Griffin	Yvonne, Jackie Stelly
Ethel Guillot	Chris & Connie Suire
Raymond, Dawn, Lana,	Henry, Gloria Theall
Linda, Paul Hebert	Gracie Thibodeaux
Eric Henderson	Ava Grace,
Glenn Hymel	Nora Joan Touchet
Margaret Jackson	Judy, Ruby Trahan
Marcel Jeanfreau	Joseph Vallee
Rowan Johns	George, Lynn Veazey
Terry Kashner	Whittington Twins
Laurie Kainz	Clay & Kathy Willis

AROUND THE PARISH

ST. MARY MAGDALENE

Pray For Us!

PARTICIPATE TODAY!

JOIN OUR
COMMUNICATION
SYSTEM -
EVANGELUS



GIFT BEARERS
9AM & 11AM



HOLY HOUR
MONDAYS &
THURSDAYS



VOCATIONS
PRAYER CHALICE



Prayer Intentions

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Sanctuary Candle (week) | \$25
Blessed Mother Candle (week) | \$25
Saint Joseph Candle (week) | \$25

Take Home:

Large Blessed Candle | \$5
Small Blessed Candle | \$3

MAKE A Sound Difference

UPDATE AS OF 7/14/25

Donations before Matching
\$0 \$56,078 or 140% \$40,000

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\$0 \$96,078 or 140% \$80,000

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EXCESS FUNDS WILL BE PUT IN THE MAINTENANCE FUND
STMARYMAGDALENPARISH.ORG/SOUND-SYSTEM-CAMPAIGN

MOVIE at the MAG.



All are Welcome!

Thursday, July 24th

7:30pm | Lawn Opens

8:00pm | Concessions Open

8:30pm | Show Time

Bring your blankets and
get cozy under the stars to
watch *The King of Kings*,
the #1 animated biblical
release of all time!

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It is **Christ**
in you, the hope
for glory
Colossians 1:27

Upcoming

Jul 20	Celebration of Feast of St Mary Magdalene
Jul 22	Relic Display - St. Mary Magdalene Church
Jul 24	Movie at the Mag. <i>The King of Kings</i> Lawn
Aug 1	First Saturday Mass 8:30am Church
Aug 6	Grief Support Group 4pm Conference Rm

Aug 7	Lunch with the Lord Noon Pere Megret
Aug 14	Assumption Anticipated Mass 5:30pm
Aug 14	Catholic Daughters Mtg 6pm Ministries Hall
Aug 15	Feast of the Assumption Mass 6:30am 12:05pm 5:30pm
Aug 21	Womens' Praise & Worship 6:30pm PMC

AROUND THE PARISH

Feast in the Square

JOIN US TO CELEBRATE
ST. MARY MAGDALENE'S FEAST DAY

SUNDAY, JULY 20TH
FOLLOWING 11:00 AM MASS

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CATHOLIC CHURCH

ANONYMOUS
SUMMER SURVEY



All adults of the parish, please complete →



PRAYER CALENDAR

	PRIESTS	RELIGIOUS	DEACONS	SEMINARIANS
Jul 21	Jaime Lorenzo	Kathy Farrelly	Joseph Herd Guilbeau	Drew Landry
Jul 22	Michael Luxbacher	Teresa Benedicta Folmer	Russell Hayes	Bret Lee
Jul 23	Charles Mallet	Pat Gauthier	Clifford Hebert	Christopher Lee
Jul 24	Curtis Mallet	Lisa Gomes	Joseph Hebert	Isaac Lejeune
Jul 25	Arockia Mariasusai	Sophie Guidry	Marcel Hebert	Ian McElwee
Jul 26	Arockia Mariasusai	Emily Hayes	Randy Hyde	Stephen Melancon
Jul 27	Suresh Mathangi	Elizabeth Heredia	Bryan Istre	Miguel Pagan

MASS INTENTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS | JULY 21 - 27

Mon. July 21, 6:30am: Mass Intention: Maria Tran Thi Nghien **Prayer Requests:** Giuse Thanh Viet Cao, Guarino/ Thibodeaux Family, Guise Tran Duc Hoa, Guise Nguyen Duc Thien, Maria Nguyen Thi Tu, Maria Nguyen Thi The, Guise Cao Viet Thanh, Kevin Guarino (Birthday), Francis Nghiem Nguyen, Maria Nghiem Thi, Maria Ty Doan

Tue. July 22, 6:30am: Mass Intention: Marie Clair Patout Broussard (Birthday)

Prayer Requests: Giuse Thanh Viet Cao, Giuse Thanh Viet Cao, Guarino/Thibodeaux Family, Daminh Lam Van Tham, Maria Tran Thi Chic, Guise Nguyen Ngoc Dinh, Maria Do Thi Nu, Maria Do Thi Hoang, Guise Cao Viet Thanh, M/M Wilfred Clapp & Family, Souls in Purgatory & Orphaned Souls, Dudley L & Lilian P Broussard, Francis Nghiem Nguyen, Maria Nghiem Thi, Maria Ty Doan

Wed. July 23, 6:30am: Mass Intention: Rose LaBauve (Death Anniversary)

Prayer Requests: Prayer Blanket Intentions, Guise Nguyen Ngoc Dinh, Maria Do Thi Nu, Guise Bui Huy Long, Maria Do Thi Vui, Cac Dang Linh Hon, Giuse Thanh Viet Cao, Guise Cao Viet Thanh, John & Camille Vidos, Cecil McCrory, Francis Nghiem Nguyen, Maria Nghiem Thi, Maria Ty Doan

Thu. July 24, 6:30am: Mass Intention: Sloan L. Benoit **Prayer Requests:** Todd LaPorte, Elizabeth Dardeau, Guise Cao Viet Thanh, Francis Nghiem Nguyen

Fri. July 25, 6:30am: Mass Intention: Francis Nghiem Nguyen

Prayer Requests: Sherry Hebert Landry, Guise Cao Viet Thanh

Sat. July 26, 4:00pm: Mass Intention: Nicole LeBlanc **Prayer Requests:** Beth, Corey, Francis E. & Dorothy "Chank" Melebeck, Barbara Gayle & Teddy Lemaire, Guarino/ Thibodeaux Family, Mary Dyson Duhon, Hester Broussard (Birthday), P.J., Barbara & Daniel Jude Broussard, John & Camille Vidos, Annie, Leonard, Wayne & Larry Sellers, Guise Cao Viet Thanh, Lana LeBlanc Touchet, Paul G. Moresi, Jr., Souls in Purgatory Orphaned Souls &, Warren James Broussard (Birthday), JC Griffin, Clayton Griffin, Verlon Trahan, Francis Nghiem Nguyen

Sun. July 27, 7:00am: Mass Intention: Helen Wyble **Prayer Requests:** Francis LaCour, Chester & Joyce Thibodeaux, Joseph Duhon, Guise Cao Viet Thanh, Lynn Veazey, George & Grace Veazey, P.J. & Mike Veazey, Francis Nghiem Nguyen

9:00am: Mass Intentions: Margaret Saviano (Death Anniversary)

Prayer Requests: Tommy & Mackie Istre & Family, Davis & Violet Menard, Earl Broussard, Bradley C. Alleman; Louise, Galvez, James, Cindy, Rodley & Priscilla Baudoin; Michael Broussard

11:00am: Mass Intention: St. Mary Magdalen Parishioners

5:30pm: Mass Intention: John E. Miller

Prayer Requests: R.K Luquette Family, B.R. David Family

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