Administration of the Sacraments

Baptism

To schedule Baptisms, please call the church office. Godparents and parents must attend a Baptismal Seminar prior to the Baptism.

Penance

The Sacrament of Penance/Reconciliation is offered before every mass.

Marriage

Arrangements for Christian Marriage should be made at least 6 months prior to the planned date of the wedding, by the couple, in person. Please do not set your date without first checking with the St Patrick Parish Office to be sure that date is available.

Ministry to the Sick

Please contact the Parish Office concerning hospitalized and homebound parishioners wishing to receive sacraments or parish visits. Contact the Rectory @564-6792.

Funerals

Family of the deceased should contact the rectory prior to making any arrangements. We realize that this is a very emotional time for the family, but the time that Church is available for the service must be taken into consideration.

We wish to accommodate everyone and welcome all ministers. All family member and ministers must address the family prior to the start of mass.

Cemetery

Proper license, insurance, permits and contracts needed prior to work performed in cemetery.

Father Gerry will be taking a well-deserved vacation from July 18th through August 11th. In case of an emergency during Father Gerry's absence, please contact Doreen Davis @ (504)912-4361



Fr. Gerry appreciates the support and the faithfulness of the parishioners at all masses. He will be praying for all of us while he is away.

God Bless.



Traditional Irish Blessing

May the road rise to meet you, may the wind be always at your back. May the sun shine warm on your face, the rains fall soft upon your fields.

And until we meet again, may God hold you in the palm of His hand.

May God be with you and bless you, may you see your children's children.

May you be poor in misfortune, rich in blessings,

May you know nothing but happiness from this day forward.

May the road rise to meet you, may the wind always be at your back,

May the warm rays of sun fall upon your home, and may the hand of a friend always be near.

May green be the grass you walk on, may blue be the sky above you,

May pure be the joys that surround you, may true be the hearts that love you.



ST PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH & ST ANN MISSION



Jesus visits Martha & Mary By Alessandro Allori May 1535 - Sept 1607

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME July 17, 2022

FATHER GERARD P. STAPLETON, PASTOR

VERY REVEREND EUGENE JACQUES ALGIERS - PLAQUEMINES DEANERY



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday GENESIS 18:1-10; COLOSSIANS 1:24-28; LUKE 10:38-42

Monday MICAH 6:1-4, 6-8; MATTHEW 12:38-42

Tuesday MICAH 7:14-15, 18-20; MATTHEW 12:46-50

Wednesday JEREMIAH 1:1, 4-10; MATTHEW 13:1-9

Thursday WISDOM 8:9-16; **LUKE** 9:1-6

Friday JEREMIAH 3:14-17 ; JOHN 20:1-2, 11-18 Saturday JEREMIAH 7:1-11 ; MATTHEW 13:24-30

Mission Statement

We, the Parish Family of St Patrick, which includes former parishioners of St Jude, St Joseph, St Ann, St Anthony, and Our Lady of Good Harbor, joyfully celebrate around the table of the Lord Jesus Christ the love and the beauty of our God and who we are as people on a faith journey. Conscious of our baptismal call, we proclaim God's word, in fidelity to our tradition, to believer and non-believer alike. We seek to give prophetic witness to our faith by striving to be a servant community of welcome and hospitality, of reconciliation and forgiveness, of compassion and hope.

Parish Staff: Pastor Father Gerard P. Stapleton

Director of Religious Education Clara Frelich Administrative Assistant Doreen Davis

Our Sacrificial Offerings

We offer unto you, O Lord, our sacrificial giving.

Last Week's Collection\$ 2699.00



The **Sacrament of the Mass** is a beautiful prayer that can be offered up for a deceased loved one or friend. For more information, please contact the church office.



Sanctuary Lights burn by the Tabernacle to show the real presence of Jesus (Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity) in the Eucharist. You may request that a sanctuary light burn in memory of a deceased loved one, in honor of a birthday, anniversary or any special event. The light burns for a 7 day period (Saturday-Friday) and a donation of \$10.00 is suggested.



The Sanctuary Light will burn this week in loving memory of Pauline Gleason.

VACATION Bible School

Special thanks to Michelle Robichaux and other volunteers and all those who donated to make VBS very successful. The children had a great time!

Please visit us on the Web at: stpatrickportsulphur.com/



<u>Daily Mass</u> <u>Schedule</u> Monday, Wednesday, Friday

day, Friday 9:30 A.M.

Tuesdays 5:00 P.M. Mass & Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursdays 5:00 P.M. Mass & Hour of Prayer

Weekend Mass

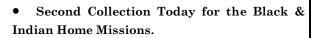
Saturday
4:30 P.M.
Sunday
8:00 A,M.
10:00 A.M.
St Ann Church
Sat. 6:30pm
Confessions 30
minutes before all
Masses

Rectory: (504) 564-6792 Fax: (504) 564-9760

1st
Sunday of every
Month.



7) (SO)	MASS INTENTIONS		
July	4:30pm	George Landry	
16	6:30pm	Arlen Griffice	
July	8:00am	For the People	
17	10:00am	Malinda Barthelemy Walker / Marie Solis Brian Bubrig Vera Frelich Vera Mailhes Chimas/ Sherise Sylve Newbon / Ruby Duplechiar Laura M. Lopez Huey R. Galmiche Aaron Duplechien Celestine Ancar Ralph Vaughn Jr. & Family	Farrell Barthelemy Evelyn Rose Mark Hebert Elise Gipson Mack / Elsie Becnel Edward/ Beverly Nolan Guise Dang Ancar Brothers Winnie/ Mazie Ancar Frank Barthelemy Emma Brown



- Volunteers are needed to clean the church. If you are able to help, please contact the church office (504) 564-6792.
- On Tuesdays, we have Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help beginning at 5:00pm.
- Rosary/Divine Mercy on Wednesdays at 5:00pm.
- On Thursdays, Adoration at 5:00pm.
- On Fridays, Rosary and Divine Mercy at 9am.

Please Mark Your Calendars for the following Mass Changes during Father Gerry's absence.

- Weekday changes as listed above.
- On Saturday, July 23rd, 30th and August 6th there will be 4:30pm Mass at St. Patrick's. There will be NO 6:30pm Masses celebrated at St. Ann on these weekends.
- On Sunday, July 24th, 31st and August 7th Sunday Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am. There will be NO 8:00am or 10:00am Masses on these weekends.