



St. Henry Catholic Church

December 3rd 2023

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Mass Schedule Horarios de Misas

SATURDAY | Sábado:

4:00pm (Vigil)

SUNDAY | Domingo:

8:00am, 10:30am, 5:00pm & 12:30pm (Spanish)

MONDAY | Lunes:

6:30am

TUESDAY | Martes:

5:30pm

WEDNESDAY | Miércoles:

6:30am & 5:30pm (Spanish)

THURSDAY | Jueves:

6:30am & 5:30pm

FRIDAY | Viernes:

6:30am & 5:30pm. Adoration 7am-noon.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: 3:00-3:45pm.

Thirty minutes before all other Masses on Weekdays & Weekends or anytime by appointment.

Adoration Adoración

Day Chapel: Fridays 7:00am - 12:00pm noon.

Adoración (Español): Primer Miércoles 6:15pm.

Office Hours Horarios de Oficina

M-Wed 8:30am-3:30pm., Thur. 8:30-11:30am;
(Closed for lunch 12:00-1:00pm)

1:00pm-3:30pm.

Friday 8:30am-12:00pm

Clergy Team

Very Rev. Matthew Cormier V.F., Pastor (Párroco)

Rev. Levi Thompson Parochial Vicar (Vicario Parroquial)

Deacon Josue Canelo

Deacon Patrick Hebert

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



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Clergy

SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

VIGIL MASS – THURSDAY DECEMBER 7TH AT 5:30PM
FRIDAY DECEMBER 8TH
6:30AM, 12:05PM, 5:30PM (SPANISH/ESPAÑOL)
NO ADORATION/BENEDICTION
CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED



Mary, under the title of the Immaculate Conception is patroness of the United States of America. This is a Holy Day of Obligation. We should attend Holy Mass on this day unless excused for a serious reason (for example, serious illness or physical impossibility).

“We declare, pronounce, and define that the doctrine which holds that the most Blessed Virgin Mary, in the first instance of her conception, by a singular grace and privilege granted by Almighty God, in view of the merits of Jesus Christ, the Savior of the human race, was preserved free from all stain of original sin, is a doctrine revealed by God and therefore to be believed firmly and constantly by all the faithful.” (Blessed Pope Pius IX defining the Dogma of the Immaculate Conception, 1854)

SOLEMNIDAD DE LA INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN DE LA SANTÍSIMA VIRGEN MARÍA

MISA DE VIGILIA – JUEVES 7 DE DICIEMBRE A LAS 5:30PM
VIERNES 8 DE DICIEMBRE
6:30AM, 12:05PM, 5:30PM (ESPAÑOL)
NO ADORACIÓN / BENEDICTION
CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED



María, bajo el título de la Inmaculada Concepción, es patrona de los Estados Unidos de América. Este es un Día Santo de Precepto. Debemos asistir a la Santa Misa en este día a menos que estemos excusados por una razón grave (por ejemplo, enfermedad grave o imposibilidad física).

"Declaramos, pronunciamos y definimos que la doctrina que sostiene que la Santísima Virgen María, en el primer momento de su concepción, por una gracia y privilegio singulares concedidos por Dios Todopoderoso, en vista de los méritos de Jesucristo, el Salvador de la raza humana, fue preservada libre de toda mancha de pecado original, es una doctrina revelada por Dios y, por lo tanto, debe ser creída firme y constantemente por todos los fieles". (Beato Papa Pío IX definiendo el Dogma de la Inmaculada Concepción, 1854)

Weekly Calendar

Calendario de la Semana

Monday, December
4

6:00am Confessions
6:30am Mass

Tuesday, December
5

5:00pm Confessions
5:30pm Mass

Wednesday, December
6

6:00am Confessions
6:30am Mass
5:00pm Confessions | Confesiones
5:30pm Spanish Mass | Misa en Español
6:15pm Adoration | Adoración

Thursday, December
7

**ST. AMBROSE, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
| SAN AMBROSIO, OBISPO Y DOCTOR DE LA IGLESIA**
6:00am Confessions
6:30am Mass
5:00pm Confessions
5:30pm Mass (VIGIL)

Friday, December
8

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY | INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN DE LA BIENAVENTURADA VIRGEN MARÍA
6:00am Confessions
6:30am Mass
11:25am Confessions **No Adoration | Benediction**
12:05pm Mass
5:00pm Confessions
5:30pm Mass (Spanish | Español)
*** CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED***

Saturday, December
9

3:00pm Confession
4:00pm Mass

Sunday, December
10

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT | SEGUNDO DOMINGO DE ADVIENTO
7:30am Confessions
8:00am Mass
10:00am Confessions
10:30am Mass
12:00pm Spanish Rosary Prayer & Confessions
Rosario & Confesiones en Español
12:30pm Spanish Mass | Misa en Español
4:30pm Confessions
5:00pm Mass



Upcoming at St. Henry's

Próximamente en San Henry



SAINT HENRY
CATHOLIC CHURCH



Advent 2023 Ad Orientem Schedule

During the Season of Advent, we especially focus our gaze on the Christ who is to come. The Eucharistic Prayer of the following Masses will be offered with the priest facing the same direction as the people (East). This emphasizes 1) Our watching for the Lord's return which is what Advent is all about, and 2) Priest and people praying as one Body. Sunday December 3 at 12:30pm. Friday December 8 at 5:30pm. Sunday December 10 at 12:30pm & 5:00pm. Sunday December 17 at 8:00am. Sunday December 24 at 10:30am & 12:30pm. Monday December 25 at Midnight.

Calendario de Adviento 2023 Ad Orientem

Durante el tiempo de Adviento, centramos especialmente nuestra mirada en el Cristo que ha de venir. La Plegaria Eucarística de las siguientes Misas se ofrecerá con el sacerdote mirando en la misma dirección que el pueblo (Este). Esto enfatiza 1) Nuestra espera del regreso del Señor, que es de lo que se trata el Adviento, y 2) El sacerdote y el pueblo oran como un solo Cuerpo.

Domingo 3 de Diciembre a las 12:30h. Viernes 8 de Diciembre a las 17:30h. Domingo 10 de Diciembre a las 12:30 y 17:00 horas. Domingo 17 de Diciembre a las 8:00 a.m. Domingo 24 de Diciembre a las 10:30 y 12:30 horas. Lunes 25 de Diciembre a medianoche.

CHRISTMAS CARE PACKAGES

It is time to start collecting monetary donations to go towards the Christmas Care Packages for our homebound parishioners. This year, we have 26. Last year, our homebound parishioners were extremely grateful for this sharing of Christ's love with them. Let's make it happen again this year! Donations can be placed in the collection basket or dropped at office. Write "Homebound Christmas" on the envelope.

PAQUETES DE CUIDADO NAVIDEÑOS

Es hora de comenzar a recolectar donaciones monetarias para destinarlas a los Paquetes de Cuidado Navideño para nuestros feligreses confinados en sus hogares. Este año, tenemos 26. El año pasado, nuestros feligreses confinados en sus hogares estaban extremadamente agradecidos por compartir el amor de Cristo con ellos. ¡Hagámoslo realidad de nuevo este año! Las donaciones pueden colocarse en la canasta de la colecta o dejarse en la oficina. Escribe "Homebound Christmas" en el sobre.

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION – THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION DECEMBER 8TH

On this day, the Church celebrates that the Blessed Virgin Mary was preserved from all stain of original sin from the moment of her conception. Mary, under this title, is also the patroness of the United States of America.

(Catholics are obligated under pain of serious sin to participate in the Holy Mass on this day or the evening before.)

Holy Masses:

Thursday December 7th at 5:30pm (Vigil)

Friday December 8th : 6:30am, 12:05pm, 5:30pm (Spanish) **NO ADORATION**

Church office closed

DÍA SANTO DE PRECEPTO – LA INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN 8 DE DICIEMBRE

Este día, la Iglesia celebra que la Santísima Virgen María fue preservada de toda mancha de pecado original desde el momento de su concepción. María, bajo este título, es también la patrona de los Estados Unidos de América.

(Los católicos están obligados, bajo pena de pecado grave, a participar en la Santa Misa en este día o la noche anterior).

Santas Misas:

Jueves 7 de diciembre a las 5:30pm (Vigilia)

Viernes 8 de diciembre 6:30am, 12:05pm, 5:30pm (Español) **SIN ADORACIÓN**

Oficina de la iglesia cerrada

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

This year's celebration of **Our Lady of Guadalupe** will be a two-day event. **Monday December 11th from 6-8pm** will be a serenade, testimonies about Our Lady, the Mañanitas song, dancers, and hot coco.

Tuesday December 12th will be the big feast. We will begin in the church with the **rosary at 5:15pm** followed by the

Holy Mass celebrated by Bishop Provost at 6:00pm. Following Mass will be the family feast outside the community center with good food, music, pinata, and more. Bring the whole family!

Donations of food are needed. To donate food, please call the church office or sign up on the sheets in the vestibule as soon as possible. Monetary donations are also appreciated.

FIESTA DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE

La celebración de **Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe** de este año será un evento de **dos días**. El **lunes 11 de diciembre, de 6 a 8 p.m.**, habrá una serenata, testimonios sobre Nuestra Señora, el canto de las Mañanitas, DANZANTES y chocolate caliente.

El **martes 12 de diciembre será la gran fiesta**. Comenzaremos en la iglesia con el **rosario a las 5:15 p.m.**, seguido de la **Santa Misa celebrada por el Obispo Provost a las 6:00 p.m.** Después de la misa será la **fiesta familiar afuera del centro comunitario con buena comida, música, piñata y más**. ¡Trae a toda la familia!

Se necesitan **donaciones de alimentos**. Para donar alimentos, llame a la oficina de la iglesia o regístrese en las hojas en el vestíbulo lo antes posible. También se agradecen las donaciones monetarias.



Mass Intentions for the week

We remember in the weekly EUCCHARIST

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4TH, 2023

6:30AM- Tommy Jones Sr.+ & Kashala Jones+, Mr. & Mrs. Jack (Elsie) Leger Sr.+ , Mr. & Mrs. Felix (Carrie) Jones+, Mr. & Mrs John E. Leger Sr. (Joan, Jackie & Dwight)+, Aubrey Leger+, Mr. & Mrs. (Joyce) Brown+, Mr. & Mrs. William (Louida) Fuse-lier Sr. (William Jr.)+, Mr. & Mrs Joseph (Phyllis) Sa-voy Sr.+ , Elizabeth Leger+, Mr. & Mrs. Albert (Oraletta) Alexander+, Wilfred Chenier+

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5TH, 2023

5:30PM – Melissa Richard McCraney (Birthday

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6TH, 2023

6:30AM- Mr. Morris+ & Mrs. Julia Lavergne+

5:30PM- Lily Contreras

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7TH, 2023

6:30AM- Shane Deshotel & Megan Deshotel

5:30PM- Hazel+ & Bill Koehl+

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8TH, 2023 (Abstinence)

6:30AM- Missa Pro Populo

12:05PM- Betty Stevens +

5:30PM- Betty Jane Simien+ & Kevin Champagne+

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9TH, 2023

4:00PM – Michael Keys+

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10TH, 2023

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:00AM- Missa Pro Populo

10:30AM- Wilken Lawrence Stevens+, Matthew Bellow+ Aaron Allen Bellow Sr.+ , Harry Burton Vil-lerly Sr.+ , Maudry Mae Alfred+

12:30PM-

5:00PM- John Wilfred Broussard Jr.+

VOCATION PRAYER

O Jesus, Good and Gentle Shepherd. Grant that the men and wom- en from our community. May have the grace and the courage to hear and answer your call to the Priesthood and religious life. Give them the wisdom to realize that life is a gift. Let them realize their life is part of your plan. Call forth those you have chosen to spread the Gospel message and help them to freely respond to a life of service in the Church. May the parents and families of our parish, support and encourage our young men and women to search for, follow and answer the call of God in their lives. AMEN.



Prayer Requests

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Brittany Foreman, Tamika

Belton, Dillon Mackey, Lonnie

Gradney, Isabella Hope, Gonzalez Angulo Fmly, Lily Contreras, Fredrick & Connie Lemelle, Rodney & Annie Alfred & Family, Paula Simien, Robert Handy, Quinessa Handy, Appoloina Simien, Joseph Handy, Kenderick Celestine, Sheril Bowman, Carolyn Miller, Anna Landry, Ken Case, Earl Lemell, Shirley Miller, Lenora Jennings, Greer Joubert, Florence Guillory, James, Joseph & Gerard Richard, Bryant & Justin Bartie.

*Ambrose Bushnell, Bernice Bushnell, Eltra Trahan, Phillip & Rose Gotch, Lou Richard, Ana Champagne, Ronald Lecompte, Joseph Jordan, Betty Jordan, Arthur Auzenne, Irene Guillory, Annie Fontenot. Manuel Fontenot, Teresa Semien, Georgia Pete, Geraldine Dargin, Betty Thibodeaux, Elizabeth Malbrough, Daniel Ozane, Mary L. Fontenot, Maybel Leblanc, Ophelia Guillory, Beulah Victorian.

Please check the prayer list; names are removed after 4 weeks. (337-436-7223).

PRAY FOR OUR LOVE ONES

IN THE MILITARY



Terrall Thurman, Christian K. Bru- no, Nigel Capeland, Jesus Tellez, Carmen Rigmaiden, Brandon Guil- lory, Robert Davis, Joseph David Carmouche III, Erik L. Jackson, Ken- neth Reed, Luther Thomas Jr., Jason Soileau, Marieta A. Bias, Mark The- riot Jr., Roy James Vital Jr., Trawn & Angela Poe, Jerome Louis, Bryan Soileau, Carl Bellard, Marissa Thibodeaux Jones, Jason Jones, Matthew Good- win, Desmond Keith & Anna Lee LaFleur, Jason Arce- neaux, Corey Beverly, Chris Rhodes, James Compton, Brian Johnson, Clinton Willis, Michael Knatt, Marcus Hughes, Nicholas Cormier, Desmond Keith Lafleur, Clif- ton Knight, Destiny Obrien, Hayley Rene Paul.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

Sunday, November 18th - 19th, 2023

Masses	1st Collection
4:00pm	\$ 1,686.00
8:00am	\$ 3,659.00
10:30am	\$ 2,582.00
12:30pm	\$ 1,263.00
5:00pm	\$ 1,312.00
	\$ 10,502.00

OLINE GIVING

**November 20th - 26th
\$869.00**

**FROM LAST WEEK OLINE GIVING
November 13th - 19th
\$1,649.00**

**NEXT WEEK SECOND COLLECTION
December 9th / 10th, 2023
HURRICANE RECOVERY FUND**

SANCTUARY LIGHTS

will burn

November - December
in Memory/Honor of:

Main Church:

Henry Martin Jackson+
Jeromy Joseph Bilbo+

Day Chapel:

Catherine Eccles+



*Welcome into the Family of Christ
through the waters of Baptism on*

November 19th, 2023

*Nelsy Ivette Vargas Hernandez
Katerin Jimena Tejada Pineda
Armando Isaias Mendoza Tejada
Jeyson Isaac Mendoza Tejada*

Ministry Schedule

DAY	THURSDAY 12\7	FRIDAY 12\8			SATURDA Y 12\9	SUNDAY 12\10			
HOURL	5:30PM	6:30AM	12:05PM	5:30PM	4:00PM	8:00AM	10:30AM	12:30PM	5:00PM
LECTOR	Shanna Thibodeaux	Gussie Pitre Sr.	Judy Richard	Pilar Suarez	Irene Metoyer	Carla Goodly	Raymond Mason	Maria Velazquez Pilar Suarez	Brittany Foreman
EMHC	Deacon Bushnell Deacon Patrik	*****	Wayne Rigmaiden	Dc. Josue Canelo	Deacon Bushnell Bessie Auzienne	Greg Guillory Romona Guillory	Veronica Cox	Dc. Josue Canelo	*****
ALTAR SERVER		*****	Kadence Foreman Conner Foreman Kynleigh Foreman	Angel Segura Perla Rocha	Brayden Pitre	Jolie Metoyer	Kaitlyn Turner Jayden Broussard Leia Broussard	Juan Garcia Luis Garcia Jonathon Garcia	Kadence Foreman Conner Foreman Kynleigh Foreman

VOCATION CRUCIFIX SHEDULE

If your family is interested to receive the Vocation Crucifix, please call the Church Office to sign up your name.

Si su familia desea recibir la Cruz vocacional, por favor llame a la Oficina de la Iglesia para registrar su nombre en la lista.



NAME	DATE Received	NOMBRE	FECHA Recibimiento
English Masses		Spanish Mass	
Marion & Rose Green	DEC. 3, 2023	Carmen	DEC. 3, 2023
Carol Perkins	DEC. 17, 2023	Elia Muro	DEC. 17, 2023

Upcoming in the Diocese



Christmas at Sea

The Stella Maris Seafarers Center is giving holiday treats and gift cards to sailors instead of the usual hygiene products. Call 337-263-0317 to learn more.



Cookies, cakes, candy, holiday breads, and monetary donations are welcome.

Gift cards to fast food restaurants like Subway, McDonald's, Burger King, Wendy's, and Chick-fil-A, are perfect choices.



Spread the love of Christ to sailors this year!



Mail checks to Stella Maris Seafarers Center, 150 Marine St., Box 10, Lake Charles, LA 70601. Call Ray Fontenot, Director, at 337-263-0317 to have items picked up.



SEEKING DONATIONS

Catholic Charities of Southwest Louisiana is seeking donations of new or gently used blankets, new socks and underwear for men, women and children. Drop off donations at their warehouse, 1225 Second Street, Lake Charles, Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

337-439-7436

www.catholiccharitiesswla.com

BIBLE STUDY

Bishop Provost will host a monthly bible study for men and women beginning in September. This year, we will study the Psalms. Contact Cassie Meaux at 337-439-7400 x 200 or cas-sie.meaux@lcdioocese.org.

All events take place at the Cathedral. Dates for the year are as follows:

Men - Fridays after 6:30am Mass

Feb 2, 2024

March 1, 2024

April 12, 2024

May 3, 2024

Women - Wednesdays at 12pm

Feb 7, 2024

March 6, 2024

April 10, 2024

May 1, 2024



Center for Catholic Studies Presents

The Science and Art of Spiritual Accompaniment

INSTRUCTOR:
PAULA HUNTER
SIGN UP TODAY!

Dates: January 11, 18, 25, and Feb 1 2024

5:30-7:30pm at the Chancery

1201 Ryan Street, Lake Charles 70601

Cost: \$35 To Register: cassie.meaux@lcdioocese.org



