



## St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church St. Louis Mission Chapel

1034 Bridge Street — 1004-A St. Louis Drive

**Father David M. Rozas**Pastor

Deacon Dennis Landry

Deacon Joseph Liuzza





# Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

November 25 & 26, 2023



### **Parish Office Hours:**

Monday-Thursday: 9:00am to 1:00pm

Closed on Friday

New Parishioners: Call or stop by the office

to register.

### **Weekday Mass Times:**

Monday— 12:10pm, St. Joseph Tuesday—5:30pm, St. Louis Wednesday—12:10pm, St. Joseph Thursday—No Mass in the Parish Friday—6:30am, St. Joseph \*First Saturday—8:00am, St. Joseph

**Saturday**—4:00pm, St. Joseph (Anticipative of Sunday)

Sunday-8:00am, St. Louis 10:00am, St. Joseph

Confessions: 3:20pm—3:50pm, Saturday 7:20am—7:50am, Sunday 9:20am -9:50am, Sunday \*30 minutes before all Masses

**Devotional Life:** 

St. Theobald Adoration Chapel
open 24 Hours a day \*Call for code
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena
every Tuesday after Mass
Café 'Brose et Paulo
Coffee Social -1st & 3rd Sunday after 8:00am Mass

**Baptisms:** Diocesan policy requires parents/sponsors to attend a Baptismal preparation course. Godparents must be practicing Catholics; at least 16 yrs. of age; have received the sacrament of Baptism and Confirmation; and if married, be validly married in the Catholic Church and be able to receive Holy Communion, one may be a Christian witness; if not Catholic. Please contact the parish office for more details.

**Adults for Confirmation:** If you are an adult who made your First Communion but was never confirmed. A class for adults needing the Sacrament of Confirmation will be taught. For more information contact the parish office.

**Marriages:** Contact the Pastor at least one year prior to the expected date to begin preparations.

**Anointing of the Sick:** An Immediate Family Member needs to call the office to arrange a visit from the Pastor to the Home or Hospital.

**Funerals:** The Funeral Director must contact the parish office on behalf of the family. Viewing / visitation of the dearly departed will no longer be allowed prior to a Funeral Mass or Memorial Mass in the Church or Chapel. The family will have to acquire the facility of the Funeral Home in charge of handling the arrangements.

Altar Servers: Contact Wayne Angelle for training.

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Lessons

#### St. Andrew Christmas Novena

Hail and blessed be the hour and moment in which the Son of God was born of the most pure Virgin Mary, at midnight, in Bethlehem, in piercing cold.

In that hour vouchsafe, I beseech Thee,
O my God, to hear my prayer and grant my
desires

(mention your intentions here), through the merits of Our Savior Jesus Christ, and of His Blessed Mother. Amen.

November 30th — December 24th

Pray this novena fifteen times a day for twenty five days. Reciting this special novena prayer each day is a beautiful way to celebrate spiritual growth and experience a deeper conversion to the heart of Jesus during the Advent season.

### **Lessons and Carols**

Please join us for the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Lessons and Carols on Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 3:00pm at St. Louis. The event will feature a celebration

of Scripture readings, songs and prayers narrated by the talented youth of our Parish. Let's begin the Advent Season by supporting the works of our children. For more information contact Mr. Clark Schexnider at (337) 326-0727.

#### Senior Citizen Breakfast Gathering

Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, immediately following the 8:00am Mass, Parks Community and the Knights and Ladies of St. Peter Claver will host a light Advent Community Breakfast for our Senior Citizen. A small gesture to show appreciation for all those who have made a difference in the community. The breakfast will take place in the St. Louis Church Hall.

### Sponsor Highlight



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# <u>Diocese of Lafayette</u> "The Light is on for You" Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation

Confessions offered in parishes throughout the Diocese of Lafayette

Wednesdays in Advent (December 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>) 6:30pm to 8:00pm (St. Joseph)

### iGive Catholic Day

Tuesday, November 28, 2023, is designated as a global day of giving fueled by the power of social media and collaboration. #iGiveCatholic is an online giving day for faithful stewards in the diocese to come together to celebrate our Catholic heritage, and give back to all of the amazing parishes, schools, and nonprofit ministries that have an impact in the Catholic Community and beyond! Advanced giving starts November 13-27, 2023 from 12:01AM to 11:59PM. Head to lafayette.iGiveCatholic.org. Thank you for your continued support.



# Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup> - 12:10pm - Noon Mass St. Joseph Church

Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup> - 5:30pm - Evening Mass St. Joseph Church

\*\*\* No 6:30am Mass on this day\*\*\*\*

### **Annual Food for Families Food Drive**

The Annual Food For Families food drive will be on **Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>**. Food and money can be dropped off at the Veterans Home, 70517 Main Street, Breaux Bridge, 7am till 6pm. All donated food and money will stay in St. Martin Parish and the food donated at the Veterans Home will go to St. Bernard/St. Francis Food Pantry in Breaux Bridge. The pantry distributes over 240,000 pounds of food annually and is always in need of non-perishable food and money to purchase needed food items. If you would rather make a monetary donation, it can be dropped off at the Veterans Home or mailed to: St. Bernard/St. Francis Food Pantry

P.O. Box 72 Breaux Bridge, LA 70517

If you have any questions or need help bringing the food to the Veterans Home call Charles at 337-314-9494.

# Eucharistic

### **Eucharistic Adoration**



Join us on the First Friday of each month after the 6:30am Mass at St. Joseph for Prayer and Adoration. The Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will

begin at 7:00am on Friday, December 1, 2023. Benediction and the Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament will conclude at 11:30am. All are welcome to attend.

### SECOND HARVEST

### Second Harvest Food Distribution

Second Harvest Food Distribution will take place Monday, November 27th, at 11:00am in the Cecile Poche Park, 1019 Periou Street in Parks. Distribution will be issued on a first come / first serve basis. Pictured ID and proof of income required. We are also in need of volunteers to assist with our monthly distributions from 8:30am -1:00pm. For more information call St. Martin SMILE Community Action at (337) 394-6014.

#### Liturgical Schedule Date Mass Reader Ex. Min 12/02/23 4:00pm Sandra Nicole LaHave Patin 12/03/23 8:00am Linda Yvonne Dauphine Narcisse 12/03/23 10:00am Elizabeth Margaret Maslowski Stach



### St. Joseph Rosary Group

will meet at the home of Mrs. Julie Theriot on Thursday, November 30th.

### Financial Support for Operations & Services

	General Offertory	Hum. Dev. Campaign	XXX
White the same of	11/19/23	11/19/23	11/19/23
St. Joseph	\$1,690.00	\$252.00	XXX
St. Louis	\$1,014.00	\$55.00	XXX
Totals	\$2,704.00	\$307.00	XXX

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## **Mass Intentions** Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Saturday, November 25, 2023,(St. Joseph) 4:00pm Rov Maraist, Arista and Melanie Champagne (his 24th anniv.), Gus and Lena Katsoulis (her birthday and anniv.), Tom Katsoulis, Verna Huval (birthday), Preston and Enola Theriot, T-Ray and Rodney Theriot, Lloyd Guidry, Rogers Louviere, Cody Bourque, Leon "T-Bit" Bourque, Marian Roy, a Healing Intention for David Cameron, Aguedelo Palacio Family, George Touchet Family, Mary Claire Castille, Pascal and Emelie Guidry (his anniv.), Winifred Broussard Entwisle, Amelia and Joseph Bergeron, Edwin and Helen Champagne, Vance Rodriguez, Bryan A. Gobert (birthday)

Sunday, November 26, 2023, (St. Louis) 8:00am Livingston and Mildred Narcisse (her anniv.), Rubin Hypolite, Sr., Rubin Hypolite, Jr., Annie Mae Wiltz, Denzel Alexander, M/M Wallace Thomas (his anniv.), Geraldine and Sam Lewis, June and Caroline Roberts (anniv.), Jo Anne Dauphine (birthday), Archille Dauphine (birthday). M/M Louis Dauphine, Sr. (her anniv.), Lawrence Charles (anniv.), Tonya Charles (anniv.), Kenneth Dauphine (anniv.), Mary Ann Thomas, Lenzy Lawrence

Sunday, November 26, 2023, (St. Joseph ) 10:00am All Parishioners of St. Joseph & St. Louis

Monday, November 27, 2023; (St. Joseph) 12:10pm Special Intention for Fr. Michael DeBlanc

Tuesday, November 28, 2023; (St. Louis) 5:30pm Fr. J.B. Godbout

Wednesday, November 29, 2023; (St. Joseph) 12:10pm Fr. Joseph M. Dussault

Thursday, November 30, 2023;

No Mass in the Parish

Friday, December 1, 2023; (St. Joseph) 6:30am Msgr. Clay A. Bienvenu



## Sanctuary Lamp

Paul F. Wiltz, Mary L. Hebert Joseph L. Wiltz, Wallace J. Wiltz Antoine C. Wiltz Livingston and Mildred Narcisse Gary Bienvenu, Sr., Gary Paul Bienvenu, Jr.

### Upcoming 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection Schedule

Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>: Insurance Fund

Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>: Immaculate Conception (one collection)
Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>: Retirement Fund for the Religious

Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>: Bishop's Services Appeal