14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 6, 2025



St. Mary Mother of the Church 419 Doucet Road, Lafayette, Louisiana 70503 www.stmarych.com

Pastor Deacons	Reverend Cedric Sonnier Deacon Michael Crain & Deacon Michael Thompson	Baptism	Expectant parents should register for Baptism Class four to six months before the child's birth. Baptismal classes are held once every month. The deacon celebrates baptisms once per month on Saturday at 10:00 AM.	
Phone	337-981-3379			
Office Hours	Monday-Thursday: 9:00 AM-12:00 PM, 1:00-4:00 PM			
	Friday: 9:00 AM-12:00 PM			
Masses	All Masses are Live Streamed (watch all day)	Marriages	Anyone interested in getting married at St. Mary Church should contact the church 6-12 months prior to any marriage planning. For further information, see our Website Video.	
	Monday-Friday: 7:00 AM in Church			
	1 ST Fri & 1 ST Sat Masses with devotions: 7:00 AM		Tornier information, see our vicessite video.	
	Saturday: 4:30 PM in Church			
	Sunday: 8:00 & 10:30 AM & 5:00 PM in Church	Funerals	To arrange a funeral at St. Mary Church, please call the	
Reconciliation	Saturday: 3:00-4:00 PM		Parish Office.	
	Sunday: 9:45 — 10:15 AM, 4:30 — 4:50 PM			
	Monday - Friday: 6:35 - 6:55 AM			

THIS WEEK

Morning Prayers Monday thru Friday 6:25 – 6:45 AM Reconciliation Monday thru Friday 6:35 – 6:55 AM

Sun	July 6	8:00, 10:30 AM & 5:00 PM Masses (Church) 2nd Collection St. Mary Capital Improvement
Mon	July 7	Vacation Bible School Begins
Tue	July 8	4:00 PM Children's Handbell Class (Church)
Sat	July 12	3:00 PM Confessions (Church)
		4:00 PM Mass (Church)
		2 nd Collection Catholic Communications
		KCs Selling Bingo Tickets after Mass
Sun	July 13	8:00, 10:30 AM & 5:00 PM Masses (Church)
		2 nd Collection Catholic Communications
		KCs Selling Bingo Tickets after Masses
		School Supply Drive Begins (Vestibule)



Mission Appeal Weekend

Mon July 7 7:00 AM

July 19-20

Seminarians; Bill & Margaret Rucks; Red Lerille; Wayne & Irene May (living); Dr. Oran Toce

Tue July 8 7:00 AM

Bill & Margaret Rucks; Wayne & Irene May (living); Red Lerille; Rev. Fred Fraser; Arthur J. Mire Family

Wed July 9 7:00 AM

Bill & Margaret Rucks; Wayne & Irene May (living); Red Lerille

Thu July 10 7:00 AM

Bill & Margaret Rucks; Wayne & Irene May (living); Fr. Raymond Ssebina (living); Red Lerille;

Allen Angers Sr. & Family Fri July 11 7:00 AM

Fr. Cedric Sonnier (living); Wayne & Irene May (living); Bill & Margaret Rucks; Red Lerille

Sat July 12 4:30 PM

James "Mickey" Marceaux; George Latiolais; Red Lerille; William Gillette; Willie Hernandez; Thomas Foard; Bill & Margaret Rucks; JonTerez Broussard; Tom Black Wayne & Irene May (living); Jules & Genevieve Meaux; Bonnie Oswalt (living); Ned & Shirley Guilbeau; Gertrude LeBlanc; Clyde Neck

Sun July 13 8:00 AM

Diana Gesser; Dr. Dean Keeley; Red Lerille; Clay Judice; Mederick Thibodeaux Sr.; Bob James; George H. Cole; Nicolas Andre' Beleau

Sun July 13 10:30

Bill & Margaret Rucks; Wayne & Irene May (living); Reggie Bergeron (living); Mike Patin; Rev. Fred Fraser; Ogden Thomas Jr.; Donald & Leah Buller; Ruth Robin; Dr. Monte Rizzo; Greg Long; Willie Hernandez Sun July 13 5:00 PM St. Mary Parishioners

GOD'S HOUSEKEEPERS

Purificator for July: Becky Latiolais

July 10-11 Carol Duplechin & JoElle Breaux
July 17-18 Kayla Matte & Susan James
July 24-25 Pattie Bienvenu & Carol Long



OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY MAY	\$ 84,434.50
Capital Improvement	\$ 13,890.00
St. Mary Charities	\$ 2,987.00
Aid to Eastern Europe	\$ 1,360.00

TOTAL MAY \$ 102,672.00



JULY 7 - 13 HAPPY BIRTHDAY St. MARY PARISHIONERS

Mon July 7 Joshua Adams Melba Benoit Kelley Chapman Adalynn Hebert **Duane Perry** Evan Thibodeaux **Brian West** Mackenzie Wright Tue July 8 Elizabeth Baudoin Collin Benoit Sissy Breaux MaryBeth Broussard Mark Couvillon Keith Guidry Kendall Hammack Melissa Kenney James Kerin Nathaniel Lasiter William McCormick Thomas Moylan, Jr **Brian Recatto** Wed July 9 Beau Billeaud Marcelle Billeaud

Jordan Delaney Ashley Elledge Grant Elledge Denise Henry **Todd Lambert** Kelly Minter Charles Orsak Shawn Rhymes Lucas Sebastian Amanda Shea John-Henry Simon Daniel Sonnier Katie Vizina Thu July 10 **Ronald Bennett** Saul Buck **Byron Cart Emily Fortier** Armistead Long **Thomas Marcotte** Andrew McCormick Mae O'Brien Meredith Rongey Millicent Trahan Diane Whittington

Evangeline Allen Matthew Andress Candace Broussard **Brent Carriere** Anna Castellanos Miles Eldredae Noah Geoffroy John Hutchinson Don O'Day Ryan Reaux David Romero Sat July 12 Jill Adams Leo Camel Laura Christman Gracie Dominaue Emma Fox Elizabeth Jones Palmer Mosing Louis Noel Lance Ortemond **Emily Ory** lgia Townsend Sun July 13 Jeanette Bijeaux Court Vantassell

Fri July 11

SICK IN THE PARISH

Please pray for: Thad Doucet; Cile Martin; Larry Diaz; Douglas Cochrane; Pat Sibille; Krieg Sibille; Susan Schwing; Carolyn & Keath Perron; Nathaniel Gabish; Mary Pat Keeley; Yvonne Bienvenu; Phil Mayers; Emily Duhon; Carolyn Levy; Eleanor Hebert; Michael Viator; Arlene Koffskey; Emile Concienne; Anne Bourgeois; Belinda LeBlanc; Mary Margaret Camalo; Thomas Henry; Ashley Blanchard; Charles Domingue; Barbara Arceneaux; Sue Munchrath; Kevin LeBlanc; Bo Domingue; Bea Domingue, Wagner Pfeffer.

SUMMER SEMINARIAN

Coby Hebert is a seminarian for our Diocese and will be in the Parish July 7-31. It will be a short stay but we welcome him to the parish as he will be helping out at Masses while he is here. Let us pray for all seminarians and all called to a religious vocation.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

2nd COLLECTION

The 2nd collection next weekend, July 12-13, will be for the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects Catholics with Christ in the United States and developing countries using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the money collected remains here in the Diocese of Lafayette to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the gospel message! Learn more www.usccb.org/ccc.

SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

The St. Mary annual collection for school supplies begins **July 13-14**. More information will be available in the Vestibule of the Church.

ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

Please help to support Desormeaux Foundation Fundraiser by purchasing a bingo ticket. The Knights of Columbus will be at St. Mary next weekend, July 12-13, selling tickets after all the Masses. The bingo this year will be Tuesday, July 22, at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Rena Drive. \$25.00 ticket reserves a seat and 1 bingo card. You may purchase extra cards the day of the bingo. Food and drinks will also be available for purchase.

St. MARY EARLY LEARNING CENTER

Registration is ongoing. For further information or to schedule a tour, please contact: Dina Castille, Principal at 337-984-3750.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



ST. MARY HISTORIC PICTURES

We will be creating a slideshow presentation for our December 8th reception in Founders Hall. If anyone has pictures of St. Mary and Events that you would like to submit, please digitally send to:

st.mary.edge.cody@gmail.com, or drop off at the office and we will scan the pictures. **Deadline is August 15.**

PILGRIMAGE TO CALIFORNIA

St. Mary Mother of the Church Pilgrimage to California is planned for October 13-20, 2025. If you are interested in going, please contact Magnificat Travel at 337-291-1933.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

VBS begins **this Monday**, **July 7**, in Founders Hall, 8:30 AM to 12:15 PM, for all registered children.

BAPTISMAL SEMINARS

St. Mary Baptismal Seminars are scheduled for **Mondays**, **July 21**, **August 25 and September 29**, 6:30 -7:30 PM, in the Conference Room. To register, call Denise Gesser at 337-703-3045.

ADORE NIGHT

This event is for students entering the 8th grade, High School and older. All these students are invited to Adore Night, **Wednesday**, **July 30**. Mass begins at 5:30 PM followed by Adoration, Confessions, Dinner and a Talk.

OCIA

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) program, is for adults who were never baptized, those baptized in other faith communities, or adult Catholics who were never confirmed. Sessions for the 2025-2026 year begin Sunday, **September 7** and continue on Sundays until the conclusion of the Easter season. If you or someone you know is curious about our Catholic Faith, email Melanie Fowler at:

mfowler.rcia@gmail.com or call Denise at 337-703-3045.



FIRST COMMUNION

Registration for First Communion 2026 is open. First Communion is for any child in Grade 2, or higher, attending Catholic, parochial or private school. Registration must include the candidate's baptismal certificate and payment. If you are not a registered parishioner of St. Mary Parish you will need a letter of consent from your home parish. Please visit the website for the calendar of classes, registration and payment information. Registration may be done online or picked up at the Church Office.



CONFIRMATION

All students in 8 grade and above, whether in public, Catholic or Parochial schools, are asked to register for Confirmation if they wish to make their 2026 Confirmation. Registration must include the candidate's baptismal certificate and payment. If you are not a registered parishioner of St. Mary Parish you will need a letter of consent from your home parish. Please visit the website for registration and payment information. Registration may be done online or picked up at the Church Office.

RETREATS

ECCE ANCILLA DOMINI

A Marian Retreat based on the desires of the feminine heart! The mission of the Retreat is finding our way from Eve to Mary. This retreat is for rising high school seniors and recent graduates, from July 10-13. It will take place at Our Lady of the Bayou Retreat House in Abbeville. For information email:

ecce ancilla domini retreat@gmail.com.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!

Mission Appeal Weekend July 19-20 Book Bag Blessing August 3 Adult Choir Rehearsals September 3 Senior Citizen Social September 12 Family Fun Fest October 5 California Pilgrimage October 13 50th Anniversary Mass December 8