

# St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church



## Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 24, 2023

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### Homebound/Shut In

Please call the parish office if you have anyone who has become homebound or shut in. Father Greg will see them at their home and then schedule for them to be served weekly Communion.

### MASS TIMES

First Saturday: 9:00 a.m., St. Rose of Lima

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m., St. Joseph

Sunday: 7:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m., St. Joseph

Sunday: 9:00 a.m., St. Rose of Lima

Monday: 8:00 a.m. St. Rose of Lima

Tuesday: 8:00 a.m., St. Rose of Lima

Wednesday: 6:30 a.m., St. Joseph

Friday: 6:30 a.m., St. Joseph

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### OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday: 7:00 a.m. to 12 noon

### Sacrament of Penance

3:30 p.m.— St. Joseph Church  
Saturday Mass

### Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact the office  
6-8 months in advance.

*Guidelines may be accessed  
on our website.*

### Sacrament of Baptism

Please call the rectory to schedule.  
*Packets may be accessed on our website.*

### Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Any adult seeking Baptism,  
First Communion, or Confirmation  
should call or come by the rectory  
office for more information.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**First Saturday Mass** is on Saturday, October 7th at 9 a.m. at St. Rose of Lima Church.

Every week, before each weekend Mass, the lector will lead the congregation in praying **The Unity Prayer**. Large print laminated sheets are located in the pew holders of each pew. Those laminated sheets are to remain in the pew holders every week. We have small prayer cards that you are welcome to take home with you. The prayer cards look like the image here.



Get more out of Mass by using websites and/or apps where you can actually read the scriptures for the weekend Mass readings ahead of time. There are several and a couple that I recommended are <https://bible.usccb.org/daily-bible-reading>, or <https://www.ewtn.com/catholicism/daily-readings>. —Father Greg

Our youtube page has been created, **"Joe and Rose's Place"**.

Announcements will be made as videos are posted. Questions or comments can be directed to Father Greg or Tim Andries (Catechist Corner) using the following link [stjsocialmedia@stjosephcecilia.com](mailto:stjsocialmedia@stjosephcecilia.com).



## ADORATION CHAPEL

The following **ONE HOUR TIME SLOTS** are available and in need of at least one person to sit with Jesus.

Sunday: 7-8 a.m., 9-10 a.m., 11a.m.-12 noon,

Sunday: 1-2 p.m., 2-3 p.m., 3-4 p.m., 9-10 p.m.

Wednesday: 12-1 p.m.

Thursdays: 11 a.m.-12 noon, 1-2 p.m., 2-3 p.m.

Fridays: 11 a.m.-12 noon, 5-6 p.m.

If you would like to sign up for 1 hour of adoration, or to be a sub, please contact Cheryl Guidry at 337-207-9819 or [cherry0523@cox.net](mailto:cherry0523@cox.net)

## VETERANS NEEDED!

The Acadiana Veterans Honor Guard is seeking retired and military Veterans to join their organization helping them to honor any deceased veterans. You will need to provide a DD214 for verification. You will be issued a uniform, training, also be required to stand at attention or at ease for about 10-15 minutes and be able to carry a rifle that weighs 9.6 pounds. If you need any more information, please call 337-873-1526, or email [avhg@avhonorguard.com](mailto:avhg@avhonorguard.com) or visit the web page at [avhonorguard.com](http://avhonorguard.com).



**BSA Update**—St Joseph/Cecilia Bishop's Services Appeal (BSA) collected \$10,970.57 of the goal of \$12,626.00, 86.9% & we are almost to our goal. Thank you for your generosity.

## BULLETIN SPONSOR OF THE WEEK!



**All grades** (Prek—Confirmation) meet for Faith Formation on October 8th.



The **First Communion & Confirmation** classes also meet on October 22nd.

*Faith Formation*

**ALABAMA PILGRIMAGE:** This is the last chance to register for a wonderful Pilgrimage to Alabama! Laura Huval will serve as the music minister and Fr. Jason Vidrine will be our spiritual director. See the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament, EWTN Studios, and more! Travel dates are November 6-9, 2023. Find out more at [www.holytravels.org/LauraHuvalAlabama](http://www.holytravels.org/LauraHuvalAlabama) or call Magnificat Travel at 337-291-1933. Make sure to register before October 2nd!

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults/Children/RCIA**, is a wonderful program where people come together, grow together, share together entering a desire for the faith. It involves those seeking to know more, or become a member of the Catholic faith. Father Greg will be one of the instructors during the program. If you are interested you may contact Father Greg who will meet with you and explain how it works.



The **Divine Mercy Group** meets next on Tuesday, September 26th in the parish hall at 6 p.m. The September meeting focuses on week 26, page 136 in the Cenacle Formation Manual. The readings to prepare for this month's meeting are from the Diary of Saint Faustina, 152-162, Scripture Mt 24:13, Thess 5:12, Jn 6:52-58, CCC #2731, 2634-36, 264, 1402, 1416.

**Come Fall In Love With Jesus** is a prayer group that meets every first Thursday of the month at 6 p.m. in the St. Joseph parish hall. Group format is an hour of prayer and song. Next meeting is October 5th.

## FINANCIAL UPDATE

### Financial Summary of 09/10/2023

**General Offertory: \$2,455.00**

**Development: \$238.00**

**Online Giving: \$1,175.00**

### Financial Summary of 09/17/2023

**General Offertory: \$2,374.00**

**Development: \$568.00**

**Online Giving: \$660.00**

# **HOLY MASS INTENTIONS**

**Wed, Sept. 27, 2023—6:30 a.m.**—\*Harvey & Alice LeBlanc, \*Louis Thomassee Sr.

**Fri, Sept. 29, 2023—6:30 a.m.**—Poor Souls in Purgatory

**Sun, Oct. 01, 2023—7:00 a.m.**—Pro-Populo

**Sat, Sept. 30, 2023—4 p.m.**

Percy & Pauline Savoy  
Tony Hebert  
Deacon Delahoussaye  
Lisa Faye Hebert  
George & Joyce Taylor  
Danny Stoute  
Woodrow Theriot  
Ji Angelle  
Shirley Stobart  
James Stelly  
Angelle & Theriot Families  
DJ Calais

**Sat, Sept. 30, 2023—4 p.m.**

Michael & Maxine Huval  
Monique Huval  
Babette Guidry  
Holy Souls in Purgatory  
Abel Huval Jr.  
Andy LeBlanc  
M/M Claude Trahan  
Dolores Johnson  
Kelly Johnson  
Barbara Futrell McNeely  
John W. Bertrand Sr.

**Sun, Oct. 01, 2023—11 a.m.**

Willa Mae Toot Knott  
Sam & Lucy Bonin  
Clarence & Elaine Angelle  
Barbara Guidry  
Yolande & Steven Guidry  
Seth Guidry  
Allen & Mary Ann Guidry  
Quinn & Ryan Dejean  
Evangeline Breaux  
Lou Angelle  
Reeves & Dorothy Huval  
Amilcar & Ann Opal Guidry  
\*Jude Guidry

**Sun, Oct. 01, 2023—11 a.m.**

Brandon & Baby Brook Guidry  
Loula & Paige Guidry  
Elizabeth Latiolais  
John Ray Duplechin  
Johnny Devillier  
Stoney & Alice Devillier  
Paul & KeeKee Patin

*If a name is not printed due to human error, be assured  
God has received the intention in heaven. - Canon law 945*

\* Denotes Anniversary or Birthday

*Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, those in my own home and within my family.  
Amen*

## **MONTHLY PRIEST PRAYER CALENDAR**

### Diocese of Lafayette, Louisiana Prayer Calendar for **Priests — October 2023**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Pope Francis	2 Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel	3 Bishop Emeritus Michael Jarrell	4 Rev. Louis McCabe, SJ	5 Rev. Richard McGowan, SJ	6 Rev. Garrett McIntyre	7 Rev. Glenn Meaux
8 Rev. Aaron Melancon	9 Rev. Bill John Melancon	10 Rev. Andre Metrejean	11 Rev. Mark Miley	12 Rev. Thomas Montelaro	13 Rev. Michael Moody, SVD	14 Rev. Randall Moreau
15 Rev. Joseph Nasser, SJ	16 Rev. James Bam Nguyen	17 Rev. Theodore Nnabugo	18 Rev. Albert Gayle Nunez	19 Rev. Godwin Nzeh, CMF	20 Rev. Mark Alewo Odoguje	21 Rev. Anselm Ofodum
22 Rev. Paul Onuegbe	23 Rev. Anthony Ostini, SJ	24 Rev. Arockia Doss Palthasar, HGN	25 Rev. Paul Patin, SJ	26 Rev. John Paul, SJ	27 Rev. John Payne, SJ	28 Rev. Lt. JG Rene Pellessier
29 Rev. Stephen Pellessier	30 Rev. Donald Pelous	31 Rev. Neil Pettit				



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<p>Gone But Not Forgotten <i>Pauline Savoy</i> <i>Percy Savoy</i> <i>Deacon Delahoussaye</i> <i>Tony Hebert</i></p>	<p><b>Green's Piggly Wiggly</b> <i>Down home down the street!</i> <i>Grocery, Specialty Meats, Deli, Fresh Produce</i> <b>337-667-6147</b></p> 			<p><b>BON AMI</b> PHARMACY &amp; COMPOUNDING <i>Taking care of each person one friend at a time.</i> Myles R. Stelly &amp; Ryan LeBlanc / Owners P: 337.454.6536   F: 337.454.6540 2825 Grand Point Hwy #9 Breaux Bridge, LA 70517</p>
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