

St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church



Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 05, 2023

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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

All Saints Day has come and gone, but we continue to collect annual cemetery dues. Dues remain \$35 per plot or \$700 per plot for perpetual dues. Please consider paying perpetual cemetery dues at the death of your loved ones. This will ensure that nobody will ever have to worry about paying cemetery dues for you or your loved ones ever again. If you are not sure if you owe cemetery dues, you may call the parish office at 337-667-6344.

Question: A friend of mine has used a Ouija board on several occasions. I have advised him against using it, but he insists it is used just for fun and that it is harmless. Is this true?

Answer: No. The Ouija board is far from harmless, as it is a form of divination (seeking information from supernatural sources). The fact of the matter is, the Ouija board really does work, and the only "spirits" that will be contacted through it are evil ones.

It's true that many people view the Ouija board as harmless. They often claim, "Oh, I don't believe in it," or something to this effect. However, a disbelief in something does not necessarily mean that something isn't real. The Ouija board has an objective reality that exists apart from a person's perception of it. In other words, it's real even if you don't believe in it. And we know this because God himself tells us so.

The Lord repeatedly condemns any and all occultic practices, including divination. While many Bible passages could be cited, the following one is typical of his view of occultic practices: "Let no one be found among you who sacrifices his son or daughter in the fire, who practices divination or sorcery, interprets omens, engages in witchcraft, or casts spells, or who is a medium or spiritist or who consults the dead. Anyone who does these things is detestable to the Lord" (Dt 18:10-12, NIV).

On the experiential side of the issue, we have the testimony of the Church's exorcists. Their experience shows that Ouija boards are far from harmless. Some investigating supernatural phenomena from a Catholic perspective have gone so far as to say that 90 percent of their very worst cases involving demonic activity have been linked to the use of the Ouija board.

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.

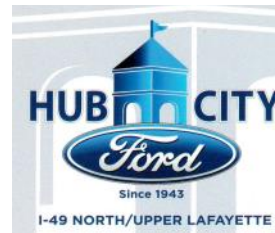
Fridays: 11 a.m.-12 noon

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

New Men's Group Formed!

There is a new men's group that is being formed in our parish. Group is led by Ashton & Eli Daigle and they meet at Bayou Teche Brewery at 1002 North Lane, Arnaudville on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. For more information, contact Ashton at 337-680-8450 or Eli Daigle at 337-281-2867

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Faith Formation

The following is a Faith Formation class schedule for the month of November:

Pre K, K & 1st Grade—Sunday, November 12th

2nd Grade—Sunday, November 12th & 26th

3rd through 7th Grade—Sunday, November 12th

The Divine Mercy Group meets next on Tuesday, November 27th in the parish hall at 6 p.m. The November meeting focuses on week 27, page 136 in the Cenacle Formation Manual. The readings to prepare for this month's meeting are from the Diary of Saint Faustina, 163-170, Scripture Pet 3:8-9, Lk 6 :36, Phil 4:6-7, and CCC #2447, 2304-5.

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.



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 December 7th.

Anointing of the Sick takes place every second weekend of the month. The next anointing will be November 11th & 12th.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Financial Summary of 10/29/2023

General Offertory: \$1,753.50

Development: \$312.30

Online Giving: \$1,176.00

Wed, Nov 08, 2023—6:30 a.m.—*Mrs. Ira Hebert

Fri, Nov 10, 2023—6:30 a.m.—Nook, Vicky, & Bert LeBlanc, *Larry Hebert

Sun, Nov 12, 2023—7:00 a.m.—Pro-Populo (Mass for all deceased)

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

Sat, Nov 11, 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
 Edith Angelle

Sat, Nov 11, 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
 Kathleen Wyatt
 Homer Kirk LeBlanc
 Gary J. LeBlanc

Sun Nov 12, 2023—11 a.m.

Sam & Lucy Bonin
 CHS Class of 1948
 Reeves & Dorothy Huval
 Barbara Guidry
 Steven & Yolande Guidry
 John Ray & Lou Duplechin
 Willa Mae Toot Knott
 Lou Angelle
 Lionel Robin
 Roosevelt Trahan
 Ryan & Quinn Dejean
 Evangeline Breaux

Sat, Nov 12, 2023—11 a.m.

Johnny Devillier
 Stoney & Alice Devillier
 Roy & Peggy Guidry
 Antoine Kaiser & Lydia LeBlanc
 Brandon & Baby Brook Guidry
 Elizabeth Latiolais
 Lou & Paige Guidry
 *Ryan Zeringue

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Pope Francis	2 Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel	3 Bishop Emeritus Michael Jarrell	4 Rev. Hanh D. Pham, SJ
5 Rev. Hai Ngoc Pham, SVD	6 Rev. Daniel Picard	7 Rev. Ben Pitre, STL	8 Rev. Connor Poirrier	9 Rev. Mikel A. Polson	10 Rev. Bala Prabhakar Rayapati	11 Rev. Louis Richard
12 Rev. Michael Richard, JCL	13 Rev. Msgr. J. Robert Romero	14 Rev. Mario Romero	15 Rev. David Rozas	16 Rev. Michael Russo	17 Rev. Francois Sainte-Marie, MIC	18 Rev. Donald Saunders, SJ
19 Rev. Garrett Savoie	20 Rev. William Schambough	21 Rev. Gary Schexnayder	22 Rev. Andrew Schumacher	23 Rev. Clinton Sensat	24 Rev. Bryce Sibley, STL	25 Rev. Gregory Simien
26 Very Rev. Brent Smith, VF	27 Rev. William Snyders, SJ	28 Rev. Cedric Sonnier	29 Rev. Raymond Ssebina	30 Rev. John Stacer, SJ		

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