



MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parish of Sacred Heart, are committed to enriching the Spirituality of the parish family, the Christian community, and all brothers and sisters created in God's divine image and likeness. We are called by the Holy Spirit, under the leadership of our Bishop and Pastor, to assist others through the development and promotion of various ministries. We pray for Divine guidance that we may serve others with truth, courage, forethought and compassion.

Parish Council 1998

BAPTISM: Call the office three months prior to anticipated birth to schedule a preparation class after which a Baptism date can be scheduled.

FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION: Please contact Aga Chandler, Coordinator of Religious Ed.

MARRIAGE: Contact the office six months prior to anticipated wedding date. Pre-Cana is required for all engaged couples and should be attended at least three months before the wedding.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK & MINISTRY OF CARE: If you or someone you know is seriously ill, hospital or home bound, and would like the Anointing of the Sick, please call the Church office to make arrangements to have a priest come and visit. The Eucharist can also be brought to homebound parishioners by an Extraordinary Minister.

WE WELCOME YOU AND INVITE YOU

to fill out a form to become a member of our special Little Church with the Big Heart. The green census forms are located in the back of the Church. You may put the completed form in the collection basket, mail it to the office, or bring it in during office hours. We welcome you to our family.

September 26, 2021

Sacred Heart Of Jesus Catholic Church

Established 1966

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MASSES ARE AS FOLLOWS

Saturday — 4:00 p.m. and Sunday — 9:00 a.m.
with Rosary recited 30 minutes before each Mass starts

WEEK DAY MASS

**Wednesday — 9:00 a.m. in the Church with Adoration
and Benediction**

Anointing of the Sick is the First Wednesday of Each Month

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION MASSES

12:00 p.m. Day of the Holy Day

Confessions

After the Wednesday Morning Mass and at 3:00 p.m. on Saturdays

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday — 9:00 a.m. — 2:00 p.m.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Pre K 3 through High School — Sunday at 10:15 a.m.

September — May

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

For those interested in exploring the Catholic Faith

Sunday at 10:15 a.m. September — May

BULLETIN NOTICE DEADLINE

— **MONDAY 1:00 PM for the following Sunday's bulletin** —

Please email your request to libbyac@sacredheartshreveport.org. You can drop it off at the church office or place your written announcement in the collection basket on Saturdays or Sundays.

Thank you.

BIENVENIDO A LOS RECIÉN LLEGADOS!

Por favor rellene un formulario de censo situado en el vestíbulo de la Iglesia. Usted puede poner el formulario en la cesta de la colección, enviarlo por correo a la Oficina o llamar a su información a la Oficina de la parroquia durante las horas de oficina.

Nosotros le damos la bienvenida a nuestra familia.



**Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 26, 2021**

The law of the LORD is perfect,
refreshing the soul;
the decree of the LORD is trustworthy,
giving wisdom to the simple.

— Psalm 19:8

MASS TIMES WEEK

09/25 SAT.	4:00 p.m.	†	JEAN PAUL & RANDY BROSSET	by: Mardie & Les Brosset
09/25 SAT.	4:00 p.m.	†	ANGELINE MINCH	by: Juanita Minch
09/26 SUN.	9:00 a.m.		IN HONOR OF BILL & CATHY FLYNN'S 35TH ANNIVERSARY	by: Cathy Flynn
09/29 WED	9:00 a.m.	†	BUCK PROCELL	by: Bill & Billy Powell
10/02 SAT.	4:00 p.m.		PARISHIONERS OF SACRED HEART	
10/03 SUN.	9:00 a.m.		IN HONOR OF ROBERT & MARILYN CROSBY'S 45TH ANNIVERSARY	by: Marilyn Crosby
10/03 SUN.	9:00 a.m.	†	CAROLYN BUTSCHER & MARY GRACE MCCOY	by: Albert Butscher

SAT., SEP. 25, 2021 — 4:00 PM

SUN., SEP. 26, 2021 — 9:00 AM

Reader 1
Reader 2

Bea Cernigliaro
Roberta Moses

Marlyn Pangatungan
Rey Pangatungan

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Donna Long

Patricia LaCour

Altar Servers

Richard Guzman

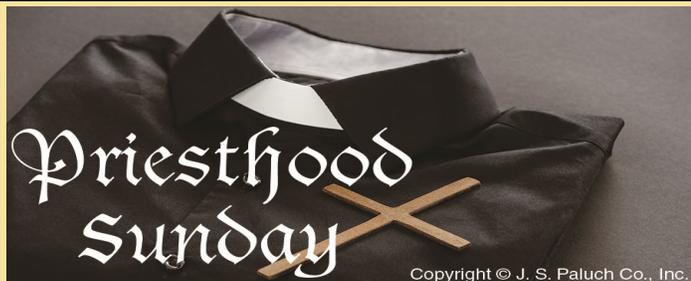
Annabelle Callicoatte
Cody Basco



Rosary Leaders

Roberta Moses — 3:30 p.m.

Mary Dupuis — 8:30 a.m.



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Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments.
Help our priests to be strong in their vocation.
Set their souls on fire with love for your people.
Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus.
Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom.
Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel.
Allow them to experience joy in their ministry.
Help them to become instruments of your divine grace.
We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest.
Amen.



The Sanctuary Lamp Burns

September 1 thru 30, 2021

In Loving Memory Of
"Aubrey Bailes"

by: Grandma & Grandpa

SAINT VINCENT de PAUL

Is there a neighbor or friend of yours who is in temporary need because of a loss of a job or an illness? Please leave a message for the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul...we want to help!
We can be reached Monday - Friday betwe

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If you are on vacation or just out of town on business and would like to find a mass near you. Go to www.MassTimes.org or call 734-794-2100.

Becoming Modern Prophets
Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 26, 2021

The scene in the first reading takes place after Moses is instructed by God to bring “seventy of the elders of Israel” to the “tent of meeting” so that God could bestow some of the spirit that he gave to Moses on those men (Numbers 11:16). Joshua is concerned about the two men, Eldad and Medad, who received some of the spirit that God gave to the seventy elders. These two men remained in the camp with the rest of the Israelites and were not present at the meeting tent with Moses and the seventy elders. Joshua does not think the two men worthy of receiving the same spirit as Moses. Thus, Moses responds to Joshua by saying, “Are you jealous for my sake? If only all the people of the LORD were prophets! If only the LORD would bestow his spirit on them!”

These words of Moses ring true in the present day. Did you know that when you were baptized that you received a prophetic office? That is right; when we are baptized we become prophets. What does this mean exactly? The Church explains our prophetic office as baptized Christians in the Dogmatic Constitution on the Church (*Lumen Gentium*) by saying, “The holy people of God shares also in Christ’s prophetic office” (*Lumen Gentium* 12). All baptized Christians receive the prophetic office through Jesus Christ, but the laity of the Church, those who are not clergy or consecrated religious, are called to live out the prophetic office particularly in the secular world of everyday life. The Church in *Lumen Gentium* says that the laity exercise their prophetic office in the world by allowing the Gospel message to “shine forth in their daily social and family life” (*Lumen Gentium* 35). The document continues by explaining, “In connection with the prophetic function is that state of life which is sanctified by a special sacrament obviously of great importance, namely, married and family life” (*Lumen Gentium* 35).

All the laity of the Church, whether single or married, are called to go out into the world as prophets and share the Good News of the Gospel through their lives. Married couples are prophets by showing the world what it means for two people to love each other and become one flesh. Parents are prophets by teaching their children about the faith and showing their children what a faithful marriage looks like.

The faithful people of God who come to Mass on Sundays are called to become modern prophets and to go out into the world to share what they have heard in the Gospel message. Hence, one of the dismissals at the end of Mass says, “Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord.” The laity is called to go out into the world and announce the Gospel of the Lord not only with their mouths but also with their actions. As a layperson, you are called to be a prophet by being a teacher of the faith in the world. This means teaching through word and example.

Pope Saint Paul VI once said, “Modern man listens more willingly to witnesses than to teachers, and if he does listen to teachers, it is because they are witnesses” (*Evangelii Nuntiandi* 41). When we exercise our prophetic office we act as teachers and witnesses of Jesus Christ. Become a modern prophet and proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ.

by: Fr. Raney Johnson



**PRO-LIFE MASS AND
BABY BOTTLES**
Pro-Life Mass is
Sunday, October 3, 2021



We hope you have remembered your baby bottles. We will be donating the money collected to Mary's House at the Pro-Life Mass on October 3rd at 9 a.m. If you have not taken one home you still have a little time. You can bring it back on Wednesday. Thank you to everyone for participating.

SPIRITUAL STUDY PROGRAM

Seven Deadly Sins—Seven Lively Virtues

By: **Bishop Robert Barron**

Sacred Heart is presenting this Spiritual Study Program starting October 3, 2021 right after the 9 a.m. mass each Sunday. It will last one hour and is a seven week program. There is a flyer in the bulletin that will answer questions. Please join us on Oct. 3rd. **Thank you, Sarah McIntyre, Coordinator**



BLESSING OF THE PETS

Sacred Heart is having the **Blessing of Animals**, on Sunday, October 3, 2021 starting at 12:00 Noon to 2 p.m. in the Church Parking

Lot. Sorry we will not be able to offer veterinary services this time. Please bring your pet so they can be blessed and receive a St. Francis Medal. Thank you!



Fr. Mark has asked us to bring back reciting the Rosary before Saturday and Sunday masses. The Pastoral Council is asking each group to take a month and schedule a rosary facilitator. Please let Libby know who is listed

for each mass so she can put it in the bulletin as a reminder. The Pastoral Council is taking the month of Sept. The groups we were thinking of is the Ladies Guild, Knights of Columbus, Finance Council, PSR kids/teachers, and Choir members. Each group is asked to pick a month. Also, it is not just for groups, any one can participate, such as, altar servers, eucharistic ministers, etc. The PSR group has chosen the month of Nov.

Sept. schedule:

Sept 25th - Roberta Moses @ 3:30 pm

Sept 26th - Mary Dupuis @ 8:30 am

DIOCESAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Jesus, High Priest and Good Shepherd, thank you for calling men and women to your service as priests and religious. May they be inspired by the lives of dedicated priests, brothers, sisters, and deacons. Give to parents the grace of generosity and trust toward you and their children so that their sons and daughters may be helped to choose their vocation in life with wisdom and freedom. Amen

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Moses said, "Would that all the people of the LORD were prophets!" (Numbers 11:25-29).

Psalm — The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart (Psalm 19).

Second Reading — Come now, you rich. The wages you withheld from the workers who harvested your fields are crying aloud (James 5:1-6).

Gospel — Whoever is not against us is for us (Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Zec 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday: Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-7; Lk 9:51-56

Wednesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51

Thursday: Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8-11; Lk 10:1-12

Friday: Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-5, 8-9; Lk 10:13-16

Saturday: Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-37; Mt 18:1-5, 10

Sunday: Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 [2-12]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Priesthood Sunday

Monday: St. Vincent de Paul

Tuesday: St. Lawrence Ruiz and Companions; St. Wenceslaus

Wednesday: Ss. Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael

Thursday: St. Jerome

Friday: St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus; First Friday

Saturday: The Holy Guardian Angels; First Saturday

MEMORARE OF SAINT JOSEPH

REMEMBER, O most illustrious Patriarch St. Joseph, on the testimony of St. Teresa, thy devoted client, never has it been heard that anyone who invoked thy protection or sought thy mediation has not obtained relief. In this confidence I come before thee, my loving protector, chaste spouse of Mary, foster-father of the Saviour of men and dispenser of the treasures of His Sacred Heart. Despise not my earnest prayer, but graciously hear and obtain my petition . . .

[\(Here we mention request\)](#)

Let us pray.

O God, Who by Thine ineffable Providence didst vouchsafe to choose St. Joseph to be the spouse of Thy most holy Mother, grant, we beseech Thee, that he whom we venerate as our protector on earth may be our intercessor in Heaven, Who livest and reignest forever and ever. Amen.

The St. Mary of the Pines Men's Club Chicken Char-broil dinners will be ready for pickup this Sunday, Sept. 26th from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. Thank you for supporting the SMOP Men's Club.



- Sep 26—SMOP Chicken Charbroil—\$8 plate-available after Mass
- Sep 30—Radiant Yoga at 12 Noon in Gabriel Hall
- Oct 02—Retreat/Workshop/Training— 9:30 am to 12 Noon for All New & Old Ministers of Word, Communion, & Altar Servers.
- Oct 03—Pro Life Mass Sun. at 9 am
- Oct 03—7 Deadly Sins & 7 Lively Virtues—Bishop Baron – Workshop (Meeting in Church after 9 am Mass)
- Oct 03—Blessing of the Pets—12 Noon to 2 pm in Parking Lot
- Oct 04—Grief Support Group Starting from 5 to 6 pm in Rectory
- Oct 07—Radiant Yoga at 12 Noon in Gabriel Hall
- Oct 14—Radiant Yoga at 12 Noon in Gabriel Hall
- Oct 31—Trunk or Treat at 10:45 am—S.H. Parking Lot



Trunk or Treat

Come celebrate Halloween with us!!



When: October 31st, 2021 at 10:45 am

Where: Parking lot of Sacred Heart of Jesus Church

Who: All children of Sacred Heart with their friends and families

We will have food, games, contests, prizes and candy of course! Remember, **No Nuts Please.**

Calling all trunks!

PSR team would like to invite all parishioners to help us create this SWEET event. We need you to hand out treats from your trunk. Children will go from car to car collecting candy while enjoying your creativity. Vehicle participation line up will begin promptly after morning Mass (around 10:15 am) and the event will run from 10:45 till noon. You do not have to decorate your vehicle to participate, however, decorate your trunk for a chance to win 'Best Decorated Trunk Award' and 'Most Creative Trunk Award'. To keep all our children safe please pass only peanut-free candy.

How do I decorate my trunk? — Anyway you like - themes such as sports, teams, travel locations, animals or general Halloween decorations. Please nothing too scary or gruesome.

Contact Aga at achandler@sacredheartshreveport.org or call the office at (318)635-2121 to sign up your car.

***Candy (remember **NO NUTS**) and/or cash donations are gladly accepted and can be dropped off at Gabriel Hall every week after Sunday Mass.

Thank You! Aga Chandler, PSR Coordinator

Holy Trinity Catholic Church Position Opening.

RCIA Catechesis Instructor: Have you considered anyone to recommend for our position opening, for RCIA and Catechesis instructor? Remember, we are seeking an experienced part-time employee to serve as Director of Religious Education. Please call the church office for more information at 318-221-5990.

Thank you, Gwen Youngblood, Business Manager

AmazonSmile Program: If you use Amazon to order items you might would like to participate in the AmazonSmile Program. Please pick up a flyer with all the information on how to participate. This program will deposit to Sacred Heart's checking account 0.5% of the purchase price of any eligible purchases. Most of the purchases are eligible, only a very few are not.

ATTENTION; ALTAR SERVERS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION AND LECTORS

A special retreat/workshop/training has been finalized. Mark your calendar for Saturday, October 2nd, from 9:30 am – 12 noon. Father Mark, Father Raney, and Deacon Clary, Mrs. Aga Chandler, and myself (Mary Nash) will host this retreat and training. Father Raney and Mrs. Chandler will do a special hands-on training for all new and experienced altar servers. Father Mark will focus on the Eucharistic Ministers so that he can sign the Diocesan form to be submitted to the Bishop for approval prior to commissioning. Deacon Clary and I (Mary Nash) will work with all Lectors.

PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND THIS SPECIAL DAY. Pizza and fellowship will be provided afterwards.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The "Little Church with the Big Heart" always applies throughout the entire year

Sept. 26— Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

In today's Gospel Jesus tells his disciples: "Anyone who gives you a drink of water because you belong to Christ will not, I assure you, go without his reward." On September 27, the Church will celebrate the feast of St. Vincent de Paul. The members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul are on the front line in laboring for the poor, they are the first to know their real needs.

Your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will help hungry children feel the arms of Jesus around them.

Good bye, summer! July and August were so hot this summer. The air conditioner bills rose higher and higher. Thank you for your donations to help with this cost! The combination of the two-month figures are: ten families were helped with utilities at a cost of \$636.82, the cost for 6,105 pounds of food was \$215.93 feeding 70 children, 67 adults, 16 senior citizens, and 16 homeless. We are so blessed to be able to help the less fortunate. **Thank you!**

We badly need empty egg cartons. Our eggs come in cases; therefore, we need the cartons to fill.

Food for the month of September is cereal.



**RADIANT YOGA
EVERY THURSDAY AT NOON
IN GABRIEL HALL.
THANK YOU!**

Lucky Calendar Numbers 2021 Winners



September 12— September 18, 2021

Date	Amt.	No.	Winner	Sold By
09/12:	\$ 50.00	# 486	Melanie C.	sold by Libby Campbell
09/13:	\$ 25.00	# 594	No Winner	(been picked 3 times)
09/14:	\$ 25.00	# 302	No Winner	(been picked 2 times)
09/15:	\$ 25.00	# 341	No Winner	
09/16:	\$ 25.00	# 775	No Winner	
09/17:	\$ 25.00	# 679	No Winner	
09/18:	\$ 35.00	# 835	No Winner	(been picked 2 times)

Congratulations to our winner this week!

Thank you to St. Mary's for allowing us to visit their Church and sell our Lucky # Calendars this past weekend. As you can see, it is possible to win more than once. It was good seeing familiar faces and catching up.



Happy Anniversaries



Tim & Elaine Smith	9/18/1982
Les & Mardie Brosset	9/23/1961
Bill & Cathy Flynn	9/26/1986
Marvin & Lorena Robison	9/26/1986



Happy Birthdays



9/01 Darius Pierre	9/17 Diana Reyes
9/02 Marie Dunn	9/20 Les Brosset
9/02 Adam Henson	9/20 Floyd Hawthorne
9/03 Candice Hanson	9/21 Geraldine Boyd
9/03 Latricia Robinson	9/21 Chris Eggl
9/07 Christy Bryant	9/21 Clary Nash
9/07 Abigail Gould	9/22 Lekisha Cason
9/10 Natividad Flores	9/22 Matthew Jones
9/10 Judy Meyers	9/22 LaByria Laneaux
9/11 Darlene Cain	9/22 Charles Lyles, Jr.
9/11 Theresa Roque	9/22 Steven Rhodes
9/12 Christy Cernigliaro	9/22 Jonathan White
9/12 Jaicee Harris	9/22 Lekisha White
9/12 Larry Njagu	9/23 Steve Morton
9/12 Patricia Terrell	9/24 Cathy Morton
9/13 Doug Long	9/25 Troy Hayes, Jr.
9/14 Mary Chauvin	9/25 Robert LaBorde
9/15 Leigh-Anne Jones	9/26 Julia Coghlan
9/15 Adam Oliver	9/27 Samantha White
9/16 Faith Jackson	9/28 Lori Broussard
9/16 Brittania Rayburn	9/28 Brittney Green
9/16 John Schaefer	9/28 Glenda Holley
9/17 Jithin Mathews	9/28 Joseph Sepulvado

Our Birthday List is generated from our Shelby Program. If you wish your name and your family's name to appear in our Birthday List and you are a parishioner of Sacred Heart. Please pick up a Census Form in the Foyer of the Church fill it out and place it in the basket at any Mass.

Weekly Collections

Weekly Collection Needed	\$ 4,772.00
Actual Weekly Collection — Sep 18 & 19, 2021 (Actual Weekly Collections Includes On-Line Giving)	\$ 2,399.00

Attendance — Sep 18 & 19, 2021 — 147

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP STARTING AT SACRED HEART

We are very pleased to announce that there will be a grief support group starting on Monday, October 4, 2021 from 5:00 pm to 6 pm in the Rectory Living Room. There are those that may still be struggling from the loss of a loved one and need a little support through their rough times. There is no timeline on grief, so if your loss is old that does not matter. Please try and come to this first meeting to voice your needs so that the group leader can get an idea of everyone's needs. Your opinion is needed and you can bring a friend along if you wish. Thank you!



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

New Requests

Gary Rost
Laura Wilson

Mark Faries
Michael Frazier
Frederick Goler
Stephanie Grimes
Jeannette Guastella
Ronald Guidry
Damien Holley
Shunterika Jamerson
Terry Jones
Pat Kane
Mark Kapera
Gloria Kerry
Doris Leone
Sarah McIntyre
Leona Mandina
Judy Maranto
Sr. Gilbert Martin, D.C.

Moore Family
Frances Munoz
Marilyn Robbins
Tammy Roscoe
Judy Rosso
Frances Rost
Mary Ruesch
James Russom
Billy Samuels
Bobby Sanders
Dess Schaefer
Lloyanda Teneyuque
Michael Thompson
Ron Witkowski

Continued Prayers

Sr. Andre' Aycocock, D.C.
Donna Ball
Glenda Basco
Bryce Britnell
Michele Brosset
Kathleen Candler
Melissa Carroll
Garland Cavanaugh
Jennifer Cernigliaro
Chauvin Family
Michael Chin
James Coghlan
Grace Collins
V.J. Conner
Fay Cunningham
Stephen Cunningham
Mary Kay Efferon

Tela Martin
Lawson Merick
Juanita Minch
Sylvia Mobley
Margaret Moore

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN:

Maj. Jennifer Herron, Stf. Sgt. Kelly Conner, Sgt. David Duncan, Corp. Adam C. Henson, Lt. Sgt. Joey Martinez, GL6 Shannon Martinski Montes, Sgt. Andrew Montes, Sgt. Terrance Laborde, Capt. Nicholas Smith, Darnell Gillie, Erik Restevio, Aaron Schmidt, and PFC Charles Gilmore, Cobey West, 2nd Lt. Adam Messinger, Pvt. 1st Class Jaxon Wright, Basic Cadet Jameson Feeney and men and women who are serving our country, here and abroad, and for their families awaiting their safe return.

Mary Powell (318-621-0022) is the contact person to add or remove someone from this prayer lists. Let her know when the name should be removed from our prayer list. Names will be removed after four (4) weeks. If you need an extension, also contact Mary Powell.