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*January 29, 2023*



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GREAT IN HEAVEN

*Matthew 5:12*

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**SACRAMENTS OF EUCHARIST:**

**Saturday Vigil:** 4:00pm  
**Sunday Masses:** 7:30am and 10:00am

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**

**Saturdays - 3:30pm—4:15pm**  
**Before weekday Masses and other times by Appointment**

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:**

**7 days a week—24 hours a day**

**RELIGIOUS ED. OFFICE: 985-252-6633**

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Celebrated every month. Parents must first register with the Parish Office to enroll in the Baptism Preparation Program. Preparation should begin in the first trimester of pregnancy.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Please contact the Pastor at least six months before desired date.

**CHRISTIAN BURIAL:** The Parish Office must be notified before any arrangements are made with the funeral home.

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## Parish Activities

**Sunday, January 29**

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Mass — 7:30am and 10:00am**

**10:00am—1:00pm—Confirmation Session begins with 10:00am Mass followed by lunch. Session will end about 1:00pm.**

**Monday, January 30**

**7:30am—Mass**

**8:15am—Foundation for Praying Priest  
Scriptural Rosary**

**Tuesday, January 31**

**9:00am—Mass**

**10:00am & 7:00pm—Pillar II**

**Wednesday, Feb 1—Office Closed**

**7:30am—Mass**

**Thursday, Feb 2**

**12:00noon—Mass—Blessing of Candles**

**6:30pm—KC Meeting**

**Friday, February 3**

**7:30am—Mass—Feast of St. Blaise—Blessing of  
Throats**

**8:15am—Rosary of Reparation**

**Saturday, February 4**

**7:30am—First Saturday Mass and Anointing of the  
Sick—Blessing of Throats**

**4:00pm—Saturday Vigil**

**Sunday, February 5**

**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Mass—7:30am & 10:00am**

**2nd Collection—Black & Indian Mission**

**5:00pm—Praise & Worship**

Monday	Hebrews 11:32-40; Mark 5:1-20
Tuesday	Hebrews 12:1-4; Mark 5:21-43
Wednesday	Hebrews 12:4-7, 11-15; Mark 6:1-6
Thursday	Malachi 3:1-4; Hebrews 2:14-18 Luke 2:22-40
Friday	Hebrews 13:1-8; Mark 6:14-29
Saturday	Hebrews 13:15-17, 20-21; Mark 6:30-34
Sunday	Isaiah 58:7-10 1 Corinthians 2:1-5 Matthew 5:13-16

## SANCTUARY LIGHT

The Sanctuary Light will be burning the week of January 29-February 4 in memory of Deceased Family Members of Thomas & Susan Hue.

**TRAVELING CHALICE**—Donald & Carolyn Hebert will receive the Traveling Chalice the weekend of January 28/29 to pray for vocations to the Priesthood, Religious Life and Professional Lay Ministry. Call Floyd Gros at 985-252-6506 to reserve your week.

**ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN TO BENEFIT WOMAN'S NEW LIFE CENTER—DEADLINE TO RETURN BABY BOTTLE IS TUESDAY, JANUARY 31.**

**BLESSING OF CANDLES**—The Blessing of Candles will be at the 12:00noon Mass on Thursday, February 2. Candles are available at the Parish Office if you would like to have them blessed at the Mass.

**FEAST OF ST. BLAISE**—The Feast of St. Blaise is Friday, February 3. Fr. Al will bless throats after the 7:30am Mass on Friday and at the First Saturday Mass on Saturday, February 4 at 7:30am.

**2022 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS ARE READY**—Call the Parish Office if you need your contribution statement. Statements can be mailed, emailed, faxed or picked up at the Parish Office. Online givers can print statements from the Online Giving website if you wish to do so. Call the office if you need assistance.

**COME ALIVE NIGHT—ALL STUDENTS IN GRADES 7<sup>TH</sup> — 12<sup>TH</sup> ARE INVITED TO JOIN US!**—Join us on Wednesday, February 1 at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall Meeting Room! Bring a Bible and a friend.

**BLOOD DRIVE**—Our Lady of the Lake will be at St. Joseph the Worker in front of the Parish Hall on **Sunday, February 12 from 8:00am—12:30pm.** Please consider donating blood if you are able.



## FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

January 22, 2023

### Offertory

Identified Givers (104)	\$ 3,005.00
Unidentified Giver	881.76
Online Giving (103)	3,495.00
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$ 7,381.76</b>

### Church in Latin America

Identified Givers (55)	\$ 597.00
Unidentified Giver	337.75
Online Giving (10)	190.00
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$ 1,124.75</b>

### Building Fund

Identified Givers (12)	\$ 315.00
Online Giving (18)	757.00
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$ 1,072.00</b>

**FIRST SATURDAY MASS AND ANOINTING OF THE SICK ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3 AT 7:30AM.**

**\*\*\*ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK\*\*\***



**JOIN US FOR PRAISE AND WORSHIP ON FEBRUARY 5**—All are invited to join the 'Servants of Christ' for the Praise and Worship of our Lord. We begin with the rosary at 5:00pm in the church followed by Praise and Worship. Please enter the church through the side door on the bayou side.



## PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

### CONFIRMATION INFORMATION

#### Confirmation Candidates and Sponsors!!!

**ATTENTION:** There has been a change in your meeting date. The new date is Sunday, February 12. Candidates and Sponsors will attend the 10:00am Mass on Sunday, February 12, and will be presented to the congregation for commitment and prayers. Students and sponsors will remain in Church for sacramental reflection until about 12:30pm. Thanks for your cooperation and understanding!

**Session 4:** Sunday, January 29<sup>th</sup> at St. Joseph the Worker—We will begin with Mass at 10:00am followed by lunch in the Parish Hall. Megan Landry, former FO-CUS Missionary will be the guest speaker. The session will end at about 1:00pm.

**Session 5:** Sunday February 26<sup>th</sup> at St. Joseph the Worker

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**CONFIRMATION—FRIDAY, APRIL 28 AT 7:00PM**  
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### PSR REGISTRATION OPENS FEBRUARY 1, 2023

- ♦ Registration for in-person or homeschool begins February 1, 2023.
- ♦ Anyone who wishes to register after 2/28 will depend on space available and will also have a \$20 late registration fee.
- ♦ Homeschool charge is \$25—Can be dropped off at the Parish Office.
- ♦ Students entering Kindergarten in 2023 should register now for the Kindergarten level.
- ♦ All other students should register now for the grade they will be in the fall of 2023 (ex. If your child is currently in 1st grade, register them as 2nd grade religion).

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**IF YOU ARE NOT A REGISTERED PARISHIONER  
OF ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER**

- ♦ All out-of-parish children must have written permission from your Parish Priest to attend PSR at St. Joseph the Worker.
- ♦ Any child registering from out-of-parish will be charged a fee of \$40 for our program fees.
- ♦ (1 child-\$40, 2 children-\$70, 3 children-\$100)  
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- ♦ If this is your first time attending PSR with us, we need a copy of your baptismal certificate and a completed new student registration form. Do not put a new student on returning student registration form.
- ♦ Per Diocesan Regulations, we need a certain number of volunteers per child. More volunteers are always welcomed and needed. **Please contact Megan or Paula at 985-252-6633 if you would like to join our team.**



#### Monday—January 30

7:30am—Brent Cox, Jr. and Brent Cox, Sr.

#### Tuesday, January 31

9:00am—Souls In Purgatory

#### Wednesday, February 1

7:30am—Parishioners

#### Thursday, February 2

12:00noon—Charley LeBlanc

#### Friday—February 3

7:30am—Earnie Theriot and Algier Theriot

#### Saturday, February 4

7:30am—Parishioners

4:00pm—Thelma Templet & Family, Elise & Leonie Theriot, Jr., Laury & Stella Landry, Percy & Pearl Fournurette & Family, Donny O'Neal, Calvin Leonard, Jr., Leonard Breaux, Jerome "Juby" Acosta, Amelie Daigle, Janet Landry and Floyd Daigle

#### Sunday, February 5

7:30am—Parishioners

10:00am—Dr. Jerome Peltier & Family, April & Joyce Breaux, Brent Cox, Jr., Al Cedotal, Robert Pipsair, Jr. & Jean & Noe "Blackie" Fruge

**FAIR MEETING—** It is time for us to begin preparing for the 2023 Fair. A Fair Meeting will be held on **Thursday, February 16 at 6:30pm in the Hall Meeting Room.** All chairpersons and anyone who would like to help is encouraged to attend. Many volunteers are needed to make the fair a success. Please begin thinking about where you would like to volunteer for the fair.

**ST. JULES/ST. ELIZABETH PRESENTS SUPPER AND SUBSTANCE—**Join us on **Saturday, February 11 at 5:30pm at St. Elizabeth Community Center in Paincourtville** for a special evening designed for married couples to be enriched and strengthened in their vocation of marriage. This is a wonderful opportunity for spouses to meet with other couples in our surrounding parishes, enjoy a delicious dinner together, and listen to an inspiring presentation by Susan & Merlin Hymel. RSVP and Payment due by 2/3/23. Call or email Annette Oswald at 985-513-1026—annetteoswald@aol.com if you have any questions. Child care is provided. Flyers and registration forms can be found in the vestibule of the church.

**VALENTINE DINNER, DANCE AND AUCTION—PIERRE PART BELLE RIVER MUSEUM FUND RAISER—**Grab your sweetheart or a friend and come out and celebrate a fabulous evening of dinner, dance and auction and support the Pierre Part Belle River Museum.

**Saturday, Feb. 11, 2023 — 6:00pm—11:00pm**  
**St. Joseph the Worker Church Hall**

**\$50 per person includes meal, music, and auction!!!**  
Come out and enjoy a night of fun while supporting the Pierre Part Belle River Museum! For tickets call: Dennis Landry-985-252-8700, Nancy Rousseau -985-313-6096, or Celeste Gros-225-405-5399. Each ticket will include a one year membership into the organization.



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