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The Worker

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JULY 23, 2023



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SACRAMENTS OF EUCHARIST:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30pm
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, July 23

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30am—Mass

10:00am—Children's Mass

Monday, July 24

7:30am—Mass

8:15am—Foundation for Praying Priest
Scriptural Rosary

Tuesday, July 25

9:00am—Mass

10:00am and 7:00pm—Apologetics Bible Study

6:00pm—Come Alive Night—Lit 3:16

Wednesday, July 26—Office Closed

6:30pm—Lector/Commentator Training

Thursday, July 27

12:00noon—Mass

6:30pm—Lector/Commentator Training

Friday, July 28

7:30am—Mass

8:15am—Rosary for Reparation

Saturday, July 29

4:30pm—Saturday Vigil

Sunday, July 30

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass—7:30am and 10:00am

Monday	Exodus 14:5-18; Matthew 12:38-42
Tuesday	2 Corinthians 4:7-15; Matthew 20:20-28
Wednesday	Exodus 16:1-5,9-15; Matthew 13:1-9
Thursday	Exodus 19:1-2,9-11,16-20b Matthew 13:10-17
Friday	Exodus 20:1-17; Matthew 13:18-23
Saturday	Exodus 24:3-8; John 11:19-27
Sunday	1 Kings 3:5,7-12; Romans 8:28-30 Matthew 13:44-52

SANCTUARY LIGHT

The Sanctuary Light will be burning the week of July 23-29 in memory of Clifford & Luciella Gautreaux, Ronald Gautreaux, Reuben & Peggy Sedotal and Frank & Elaine Tramonte by Family; Milton & Edith Boudreaux by Family; Dustin "Coconut" Coupel by Family; Luke, Charles, Donald, Laura & Lazzin Mabile and Glen and Albert Aucoin, Jr. by Ann Landry.



St. Joseph the Worker would like to extend our heartfelt sympathy to the family and friends of Shirley Landry. May she enjoy everlasting life as she is welcomed into the open arms of our Lord. Please keep this family in your prayers.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

July 16, 2023

Offertory

Identified Givers (97)	\$ 2,800.00
Unidentified Giver	898.00
Online Giving (106)	4,208.00
Total Collection	\$ 7,906.00

Cemetery Drainage

Identified Givers (88)	\$ 1,733.00
Unidentified Giver	469.00
Online Giving (16)	390.00
Total Collection	\$ 2,592.00

Building Fund

Identified Givers (21)	\$ 377.00
Online Giving (20)	1,115.00
Total Collection	\$ 1,492.00

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE KC CALENDAR WINNERS FOR JUNE & JULY—Debbie Lilly, Mr. Michael Wall, Lenny Tramonte, Karen Daigle, Alicia Aucoin, Mr. & Mrs. Ben Cox, Dino Tramonte, Mr. & Mrs. Michel Wall and Brett Theriot.

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TRAVELING CHALICE— Dana Brouillette will receive the Traveling Chalice the weekend of July 22/23 to pray for vocations to the Priesthood, Religious Life and Professional Lay Ministry. Call Floyd Gros at 985-252-6506 to reserve your week.

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Retreat

Where: Our Lady of Hope Retreat Center
Osyka, Mississippi

When: Tuesday, August 15

Registration Cost: \$100

To register: www.OurLadyofHopeMS.com

Flyers can be found in the church vestibule

We have chartered a bus for the trip

Bus Cost: \$60 per person

(Deadline to pay for bus is Friday, July 28)

Call Anna Mabile - 985-513-1810 to sign up for the bus or for more information.

LECTOR/COMMENTATOR TRAINING —Fr. Al will have an installation for all Lectors and Commentators at all Masses this weekend. A training will be held on Wednesday, July 26 at 6:30pm and Thursday, July 27 at 6:30pm in the Church. You do not have to attend both. Choose the day that is most convenient.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Reminder - Homeschool Study Guides are due back July 31.

Save the Date- PSR 2024- June 10 - 21, 2024



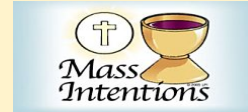
Save The Date! - Our Back To School Bash is back!! All students and their families are invited to join us for Mass at 5:00pm on Sunday, August 6, 2023 followed by food, fun, and Kona-Ice in the Hall. Bring your backpacks for a **Special Blessing!!** We hope you can join us!! Please call the Parish Office if you plan to attend.

RETREAT WITH IMMACULEE—October 27 and 28—St. Joseph the Worker Catholic Church, Pierre Part, LA—Immaculee ILibagiza, a Rwandan genocide survivor and New York Times best-selling author of Left To Tell: Discovering God Amidst the Rwandan Genocide, will host a two-day retreat at St. Joseph the Worker Church in Pierre Part. (Friday 5:00pm to 9:00pm, Saturday 9:00am to 1:00pm). This retreat includes Immaculee's witness of the power of prayer, miracles of the Rosary, and inspirational music. No one will leave this retreat the same as when they came! You can register online by going to immaculee.com and scrolling to NEXT RETREAT. Tap on Pierre Part Retreat. Cost: For one person \$57. For one with a guest \$76 (\$38 per person!). Team up with a partner when purchasing your ticket!!! **Flyers with more information can be found next to the bulletins. For more information contact Anna Mabile (985-513-1810).**

HURRICANE PRAYER INTERCESSION OF OUR LADY OF PROMPT SUCCOR

Our Father in Heaven through the Intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, spare us during this Hurricane Season from all harm. Protect us and our Homes from all disasters of nature. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

A VOCATION VIEW— Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—If God is calling you to full service in the Church, do not be afraid. Jesus promised He would be with us always. If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, call or email Rev. Joshua Johnson at (225) 336-8778, jjohnson@diobr.org.



Monday, July 24

7:30am—Reuben & Peggy Sedotal, Raymond & Lucy Sedotal and Alvin & Anna Rousseau

Tuesday, July 25

9:00am—Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, July 27

12:00noon—Henry Marks

Friday, July 28

7:30am—Frances & Clanise Hebert and Anne & Sammy Landry, Sr.

Saturday, July 29

4:30pm—Calvin Leonard, Jr., Dalton Landry, Nellie Aucoin, Robert Pipsair, Jr., Milton & Edith Boudreaux, Jerome "Juby" Acosta, Henry Marks, Leo Gros, Beulah LaJaunie, Nolan Mabile and Henry Aucoin

Sunday, July 30

7:30am—Parishioners

10:00am— Dr. Jerome Peltier & Family, Dorraine Landry Breaux, Joshua H. Breaux, Jean & Noe "Blackie" Fruge, Leo Gros and Lois Landry

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED—Children or Adults Welcomed—We are in need of Altar Servers.

If your child is at least 10 years old or entering the 4th grade, they are eligible to be an Altar Server. Adults are also welcomed to be Altar Servers. As Catholic Christians, service is something we are all called to do. The ministry of Altar Server is an excellent way to live out our baptism call of service. **Parents, please talk to your child/children and encourage them to join this rewarding ministry.** Anyone interested in becoming an Altar Server can call the Parish Office at 252-6008. A training will be held.



Elizabeth Mabile, Buck McCarthy, Dolly and Grady Gaspard, Doris Friloux, Horace Gaspard, Bowen Castro, J. C. Petite, Brenda Templet, D. J. Berthelot, Jaxon Blanchard, Chasely Diez, James Breaux, Raymond Russo, Sandy George, Emelda Landry, Faye Ruiz, Leanna St.Germain, Delta Chaney, Robert Theriot, Gloria Alleman, Kirk Chedotal, Audrey Sparks, Angela Bourg, Dorothy Gaudet Johnson, Samantha Blanchard, Colton Johnson, Jenny Templet, Hepburn Cavalier, Helman Ackman, Allie "Babe" Theriot, Bonnie Morales Knobles, Wilma Blanchard, Inez Leonard, Lennis Blanchard, Jr., Leona Aucoin, Tammy Richard, Earl Landry, Brenda McCarthy, Bonnie Landry, Audrey Domingue, Susan Credeur, Clyde Thibodeaux, Betty Mabile, Shell Crochet, Valeri Bergeron, Pat M. Landry, Violet Aucoin, Herbert Coupel, Mattie Pintado, Bessie Leonard, Beverly Domingue, Myles Matherne, Bertha Verrett, Bonnie Mabile, Patrick Courville, Linda McCarthy, Byron Blanchard, Ronald Hebert, Elson Templet, Charles Templet, Sr., Gisele Huckaby, Zeke Sanchez, Jack Smith, Kim Mabile, Marsha Duet, Benson Templet and the sick of our parish not mentioned. If prayer is needed for someone, please call the Parish Office at 252-6008.



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