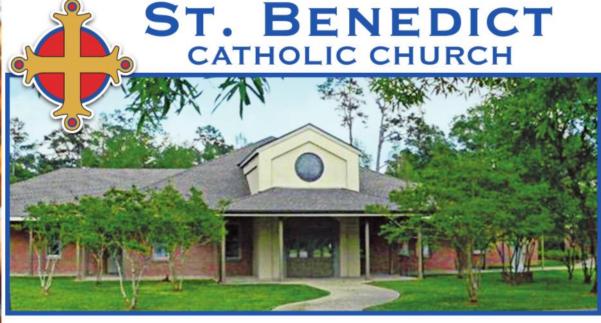
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MISSION STATEMENT

Guided by the Gospel, strengthened by the Eucharist, and inspired by Benedictine values, the mission of St. Benedict Catholic Church is to be a vibrant family of believers, worshipping God with joy, excitement, and reverence. Forming the Body of Christ and acting upon our faith in Jesus, we strive to spread the Good News by engaging in ministries of hospitality, hope, education, spirituality, and social justice to each other and those beyond our community.

MASS SCHEDULE

 Saturday Vigil
 5:30 pm

 Sunday
 8:00 & 10:30 am

 Tuesday-Friday
 8:00 am

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 5:00-6:00 pm **Saturday** 4:00-5:00 pm

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Fridays 8:30-9:30 am **First Friday** 7:00-8:00 pm

ROSARY FOR PEACE

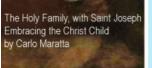
Third Thursday 7:00 pm

MARRIAGE Please contact the church office at least six (6) months prior to the desired date of the wedding.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK Any Catholic who is in danger due to age or health, or undergoing medical procedures and feels the need for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please contact Father Charles. It is the parish's custom to do anointings during the daily Mass, but they can also be administered privately. For emergencies, call the parish office 892-5202 and follow the prompt for emergencies.

BAPTISM Please email Deacon Danny

dmusso@arch-no.org or contact the office to begin preparations. Seminars are held on the last Monday of the month, 7:00 p.m.



June 20, 2021



Father Charles's Corner...

Our readings this weekend remind us that God always has our best interests in mind. No matter what is going on in our lives, God is with us.

In our Gospel, Jesus and His disciples are traveling in a boat when heavy winds and violent waves begin to overwhelm the boat. Jesus was there sleeping in the boat in the midst of this horrific storm.

The disciples woke Jesus and questioned Him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" Jesus calms the wind and the waves, and then asks them in return, "Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?"

Think back to a time that you endured great suffering, a hard trial or felt overwhelmed with life. How did you respond?

In moments of trial, we often live our days in a panic. We see the water coming into our boat and we do all that we can in our power to stay afloat. We are frantic, so we fail to stop and recognize that our Savior is in the same boat with us. Although it might feel like He is sleeping and His presence is lacking, He is right there suffering with us.

God won't allow anything that we cannot handle. In a moment of suffering, we might feel trapped. Yet, He sees the moment of peace and still waters. During trials, cling to Jesus. Know that there is an end, and whether we see the end in this life or the next, God allows it all for our salvation.

Today, let us thank God for His Fatherly presence in our lives, and ask for the eyes of faith to see that He is right here with us always. Let us also give thanks for our fathers and lift them up in prayer so that they may always imitate the love of our Father in heaven!

All my love,

Fr. Chaler, O.S.B.



Tuesday, June 22 +Thomas Marella

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Thursday, June 24 + Harold Rome, Sr.

Friday, June 25 Maria Mondello

Saturday, June 26 5:30 p.m.

+Louis & Ann Lavedan, +Robert Martin, +Joyce Luke, +Claudette Arcement

> Sunday, June 27 8:00 a.m. Parishioners of Saint Benedict 10:30 a.m.

+Louis & Ann Lavedan, +Linda Carrodus, +Bryan Fassen, +Jimmy Bethancourt, +Lillie Nae Gassen, +Marcel Gassen, +Phillip E. Lee, Jr., +Bernard Saladino, +Barbara Seither, +Florence Schoemann, +Danny O'Sullivan, +Charles Tranchant



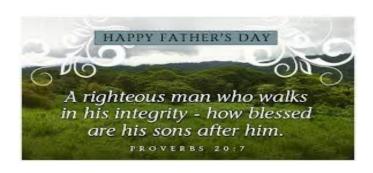
Prayer List



Deacon Nelvin Luke, Sandy Rauber, Jim Seward, Anthony Sorrentino, Dee Sylvia, Earline Todd, Hunter Wagner, Julie Wagner, Tina Zocco, Clara Armstrong, Dr. Jerry Casey, Lisa Valley, Scott Lee, Carol Everhardt, Bennett Miller, Joanne Leber, Anna Isone, Gerardo Antonucci, Presley Patrick, Kaiden Lessard, Jennifer Bradley, Derek Feske, Fred and Lynne Guillot, Art Blanchat, Ryan Ware, Lois Seals, Billie Chiasson, Timothy Rollman, Vivian LeBlanc, Michael Duran, Donna McFatter, Angela Brady

The prayer list is for our parishioners who are homebound or sick. All others can be entered into the general prayer book in the church. Please call the church office to add a parishioner's name to the prayer list. All names will stay on the list for 30 days at a time.





Happening this Week

Wednesday, June 23

Lunch Ministry 8:45 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation available, 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Saturday, June 26

Sacrament of Reconciliation available, 4:00 to 5 p.m. Blessing of Prayer Blankets during Mass

Sunday, June 27

Blessing of Prayer Blankets during all Masses



PRAYER FOR HURRICANE SEASON

O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed your order and returned to its former guietude; you are still the Master of land and sea. We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control. The Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awake from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land and spread chaos and disaster. During this hurricane season, we turn to You, O loving Father, Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with the passing of time. O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our Beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son in our behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your Divine Son to reach the heavenly Jerusalem where a storm-less eternity awaits us. Amen

LUNCH MINISTRY ANNUAL PASTA SALAD

The Lunch Ministry will be preparing a pasta salad with fresh vegetables and fruit on Wednesday, June 30th. Please bring any extra vegetables or fruit that you can spare to the Catechetical Center by Tuesday, June 29th. Thank you for your generosity.



STEWARDSHIP - June 6th

Weekly Collection:	\$7,203
E-Giving Online:	\$1,720
Building Fund:	\$2,340
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Mass Attendance:	412
Building Fund on Deposit:	\$334,846

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