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PARISH MUSICIANS

Choir Master, Dr. William Plummer Cantors, Daniel Richard / Lanie Marcantel Organist, Linda Lorenzen 5:15pm Mass Music Coordinator, Adrion Guidry

MASSES

Saturday Anticipated: 4:00pm Sunday: 7:00 am, 8:30am, 10:30am, 5:15pm Monday/Friday: 7:00am Holy Day Vigil: 5:15pm Holy Day Masses: 7:00am, 12:05pm, 5:15pm

OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 1pm - 4pm Tuesday ~ Thursday: 9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm Friday: Closed

CONFESSIONS

The Sacrament of Confession is available from 2:45pm to 3:45pm on Saturday and 1/2 hour before all Sunday & Weekday Masses.

BAPTISMS

Registration for Baptismal Class is to be made at the Parish Office, preferrable before birth of the child.

MARRIAGES

Couples are asked to make arrangements with the pastor at least six months prior to the wedding.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We ask you to introduce yourselves & to register at the Parish Office at your earliest convenience.

PARISH STAFF

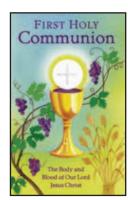
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SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER / DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

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This Sunday, we experience the outpouring of Divine Mercy as a group of twenty-four young parishioners receive the Sacrament of First Communion. We pray they will continue to desire the Eucharist each week all the days of their lives. Please keep them in your prayers.



Cadence Bruce	Parker Gauthier	Sadey Mouton	Maleia Solomon
Eli Collins	Austin Guidry	Marley Muller	Ana Spell
John Cummins	Andrew Jesclard	An Nguyen	Allison Stelly
Gabriel Deranger	Sydney Leger	Lien Nguyen	Kinsley Stelly
John Michael Emonet	Tennessee Lemelle	Nhat Nguyen	Khalyl Thibodeaux
Abigail Fusilier	Clark Minyard	Kate Reed	Ryker Zerangue

Congratulations on your First Holy Communion!

OC CORNER

The Scholastic Book Fair will run this week in the OC Media Center. This fundraiser will allow the purchase of books for the Media Center and classroom collections. On Wednesday, the book fair will stay open until 4:30 for all parents who want to shop after school with their child. Families and friends are encouraged to support the fair and encourage reading!

In the new "Life Skills" class for high school, students recently learned how to change a tire, check air pressure and oil level! What great daily life lessons!

OC is having a "Raising Cane's Night" on May 3rd from 3 pm to 8 pm ... mark your calendars!

WEEKLY PRAYER FOR PRIESTS EACH DAY

Eternal Father, we lift up to You these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them, heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You in Jesus' name we pray. Amen. Sunday: Rev. Msgr. Russell Harrington: Monday: Rev. David Hebert; Tuesday: Rev. Matthew Hebert; Wednesday: Rev. T.J. Hebert; Thursday: Rev. Gregory Heslip, LC; Friday: Rev. Matthew Higginbotham; Saturday: Rev. Stephen Irudayasamy, HGN.

HOLY FATHER'S APRIL PRAYER INTENTION

For healthcare workers. We pray for healthcare workers who serve the sick and elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by governments and local communities.

DISCERNING A VOCATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD /RELIGIOUS LIFE

The Diocese of Lafayette Office of Vocations is offering an opportunity to hear more about vocation awareness: **Quo Vadis Discernment** retreat at the Community of Jesus Crucified on June 21-23. If you or someone you know would like more information, our parish clergy or the Diocese Office of Vocations and Seminarians can help.

TRANSITIONAL DIACONATE ORDINATION

On May 21, 2022 at 10AM in The Cathedral of St. John The Evangelist, Reed Michael Bellingham, David James Furka and Michael Coleman Vidrine will be ordained as Transitional Deacons. Please pray for these men who will be entering their final year of formation in preparation for their Ordination to the Priesthood.

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be recited at 3:00PM with the conclusion of The Novena to the Divine Mercy. Please join us.

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

The second collection, after Holy Communion next weekend will be for OC tuition assistance for Queen of Angels Parishioners.

LAST PEWS IN CHURCH

Please kindly remember the last pews in the Church on all sides are for the handicapped. Please be considerate and allow those who are handicapped to sit first. Many thanks.

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION ON THE TONGUE

Reminder: Anyone who wishes to receive Holy Communion on the tongue is asked to wait until all have received and then proceed to the Celebrant(Priest) or Deacon Bill Pollingue.

HAND SANITIZING

The Medical Community has advised that the best defense against the Omicron Variant is sanitizing ones hands. Please remember to do so.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR BAPTISM

Parents of this parish who wish to have their children baptized should contact Deacon Bill Pollingue at the church office at 337-942-5628 to make an appointment.

REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR OUR LOCAL SEMINARIANS

Michael Vidrine - Melville Tré Fontenot - Ville Platte

Extra prayer cards can be found in the back of the Church

St. John Vianney, Patron of Priests, pray for us and all our priests.

VOCATION CHALICE FAMILIES FOR MAY 2022

May 1-7, 2022 --- Steve & JoAnn Guidroz May 8-17, 2022 --- Damian & Tiffany Hebert May 15-21, 2022 --- Keith & Kathy Hebert May 22-28, 2022 --- Susie Hilliard May 29-June 4, 2022 --- Brent & Kristie Hoffpauir Thank you for your commitment!



READERS

April 30	4:00 p.m.	Mike Ortego
May 1	7:00 a.m.	Stephen Woods
	8:30 a.m.	Charles Cravins
	10:30 a.m.	Josie Prudhomme
	5:15 p.m.	William Jarrell

ALTAR SOCIETY

April 30	Linda Hunt
Linens	Mary Ann Fontenot

ACTIVITIES

Sat., April 23 9:00 a.m.	First Communion practice
Sun., April 24	DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
8:30 a.m.	FIRST COMMUNION MASS
3:00 p.m.	Recitation of Divine Mercy Chaplet
	& Novena
Wed., April 274:30 p.m.	Pro Life Rosary Continues
Sat./Sun., April 30/May 1	2nd Collection for OC tuition assistance
Sun., May 1	KC Monthly Breakfast – Church Hall

PRO LIFE QUOTE

"As citizens, we should be guided more by our moral convictions than by our attachment to a political party or interest group."

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KC MONTHLY BREAKFAST

The KC's Monthly Breakfast will be next weekend after the 8:30AM Mass on Sunday.

ADORATION CHAPEL ADORERS NEEDED

The following hours of Adoration have $\underline{\mathbf{NO}}$ or just 1 adorer scheduled and we desperately need to fill or add to each of the following hours. Monday: 9AM, 10AM, 11AM and 2PM; Tuesday: 8AM, 9AM, 10AM, 12 noon and 1PM; Wednesday: 11AM and 1PM; Thursday: 10AM, 12noon, 3PM; Friday: 8AM, 11AM, 12 noon, 1PM, 2PM, 4PM; Saturday: 10AM, 11AM, 12 noon, 4PM, 5PM. If you are available for any of these times, please call Deacon Collins @ 781-7185 or Claire Robichaux @ 351-4674.

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You in my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

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MASSES

Sat., Apr. 23 4:00 p.m. Dennis (Anniversary of Death), Daniel Reed, Wilbur Reed, Jr., Priscilla Lafleur, Albert Hollier (Birthday), Richard & Rena Millspaugh, Waldene, Mark & Dirck Franchebois, Peyton Cornette, J.C. & Bernice Diesi, Eldon & Sue Cornette, Cyril Diesi, & Arthur & Celima Hollier, Philip & Isaure Boudreaux, Jane Solar, Lois C. York, Ruby Courville, Charles F. & Mercedes Going and Family, William & Dorothy Hatch and Family, Albert Speyrer & Amos Ledoux, Fr. O. Joseph Breaux, Fr. Joseph C. Deluca, Patricia Brooks Wilson, Lee M. Andrepont, Edward Lastrapes

8:30 a.m. Marie Fontenot Langlois, Special Intentions, Sarah Jarrell, Joshua Peck, Jesse & Annie Leger & Jesse, Jr., David Floyd, Delaine Donahue, Raphael Guidry And Family, Rose & Bill Long, Suzanne Hooks, Lillian & Curtis Hooks, Sr & Rae Marie Hooks, Darmas Daigle Fly., Bob Gassman & Barbara Philipps, AC Bellard

10:30 a.m. Lynwood Hebert, Janelle M. Savoie, Curtis (Black) Soileau, James Guglielmo, Lester Lalonde, Whitbury (Bee) Stelly, Estelle Roy, Clarence Lastrapes, Sr. and Jr., Sal & Betty Diesi, Adolphe Stelly, Michael Stelly, Gerrit Paul Ryder & Ryder & Quebedeaux Families, Dan Rose, Donald Brown, Michael Brown, Curtis & Geraldine Brown, Paxton & Maria Rose Mackarus, Emma Grace Miller, Cecily Soileau, Cecile & Lennie LeBlanc, Allie & Herbert Soileau, Christopher James Nepveaux, Morgan Adams, Allen Ardoin, Dwain P. Pitre, Sr., Leopold A., Patricia C. Castille, Tony Chachere, Sr., Patricia K. Chachere, Tony Chachere, Jr., Myrtle & Lloyd Smith, M/M Charles Castille, Gary G. Castille, Jeffery Spring, M/M E.W. Amy, Entire L.A. Castille Family, Calvin Mathew Kennedy, Joseph Wyble, Sister Ursula Tisdall, OSF, Connie Deville, Taylor Deville, Lisa Deville

5:15 p.m. Elsie B. Guillory and Versie B. Richard, Lynwood Hidalgo, M/M Felix Hidalgo Jr Fly, & M/M Vincent Guidry fly, John B. Mengarelli

Mon., Apr. 257:00 a.m. Morgan Adams, Marie Fontenot Langlois (Anniversary of Death), Ella Sittig & Family

Tues., Apr. 26 7:00 a.m. Louis H. Higginbotham, Lezime J. Leger, & Louise H. Leger, Lynwood Hebert (Birthday)

Sun., May 1 7:00 a.m. M/M James Hunt & M/M Leopold Thibodeaux Families, Ida Arceneaux, Theresa Gradney, Mary Hazel Carriere, Scotty Speyrer, Taylor Deville

8:30 a.m. Joshua Peck, Jesse & Annie Leger & Jesse, Jr., Willie "Bill" Simien & Mary Deville, Raphael Guidry and Family, Sarah Jarrell, Special Intentions, AC Bellard, Marie Fontenot Langlois

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5:15 p.m. John B. Mengarelli, Elsie B. Guillory and Versie

B. Richard

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