

MOTHER CHURCH OF THE ACADIANS



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Office Hours
Monday - Thursday: 8 am - 4 pm
Closed Fridays and Holidays

New Parishioners: Welcome! Please call or come by the Parish Office for registration.

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Saturday (Anticipated): 4:00 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:00 am (Solemn)
12:00 pm Traditional Latin Mass
Tuesday: 6:30 am
8:00 am Traditional Latin Mass
Wednesday: 6:30 am
Thursday: 6:30 am
Friday: 6:30 am
8:00 am Traditional Latin Mass
Saturday: 8:00 am (Grotto)

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: 3-3:45 pm
30 min. before all other Masses or by request

Sacrament of Baptism, Anointing of the Sick and Funeral Arrangements

Please see website or contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples must contact Pastor at least six months prior.

Parish Staff

Rev. Fr. Jason Vidrine *Curé*
Deacon Adam Conque
Deacon Joshua LeBlanc
Mrs. Tammy LeBlanc *Pastoral Assistant*
Ms. Dianne Douet *Parish Bookkeeper/Cemetery*
Ms. Tilly Duplechin *Director of Religious Education*
Mr. Patrick Melancon *Director of Sacred Music*
Mr. Ed Horn *Carpenter/Technician*
Mr. Macy Broussard *Parish Maintenance*

CCD Program

September-April
Grades 1-8 At home/Monthly meeting

First Holy Communion (Grade 2) and

Confirmation Prep
(Grades 9-11)
twice per month

January 15, 2023

www.saintmartindetours.org

Pastor's Corner



~ From the Pastor ~

"My heart's desire and prayer to God for them is that they may be saved." Romans 10:1

Mes chers amis,

Now that the Christmas season has concluded, we have returned to the Church's Liturgical season called *Tempus per Annum*, literally, the *Time through the Year* (and also called Ordinary Time). During this season, we do not celebrate any particular event in the life of Our Lord Jesus (such as we do at Christmas, Easter, etc.). Rather, we accompany Him through the unfolding of His life and public ministry as He preaches, teaches, heals, and forgives sins.

On this Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, we hear one of the titles of the Lord, which the Holy Spirit helped St. John the Baptist to understand: **the Lamb of God**. St. John the Baptist is given the tremendous privilege of pointing Him out. The title Lamb of God is evocative of the ancient Biblical image of the lamb who is sacrificed to take away sin. The Lord put it at the center of the annual celebration of Passover by His people Israel (Exodus 12). The Prophet Isaiah also foretold that the Suffering Servant who would take away the sins of many would be led to the slaughter silent as a lamb (Isaiah 53). How many lambs were sacrificed throughout the thousands of years of salvation history in Israel's worship? And so, as the people hear the words of St. John the Baptist, it seems that they should have been able to make the connection to Jesus, the Son of God, as the Lamb of God.

The Church has understood that connection from the beginning. And in her Sacred Liturgy, she has called out directly to the Lamb of God, begging for His mercy and His peace, as He is made sacramentally present on the holy altar. And like the people on the shore of the Jordan, Catholics throughout the world are re-presented with the Lamb of God at every Mass as the Priest, like St. John the Baptist, says: "Behold the Lamb of God, behold Him who takes away the sins of the world."

As we hear those words and speak or chant them ourselves, may we realize the tremendous grace of joining on earth the worship of the Lamb of God in Heaven (Rev 5:6) and allow our lives to proclaim like the angels and Saints in Heaven: *"Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!"* (Rev 5:9).

Dans le Sacré Cœur du Christ,
Fr. Vidrine



Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI
1927-2022

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

TUESDAY 1/17/23

6:30AM Garrett Matthew Tabor, Lilly Belle & Deblanc (Lilly Belle BD 1/16); Gercie & Oswald Fauchaux

8:00AM Ken Smith; Mary Ann Armbruster; George & Lydia Armbruster, Jr.

WEDNESDAY 1/18/23

6:30AM M/M Perry Derouen & Family; Gercie & Oswald Fauchaux

THURSDAY 1/19/23

6:30AM Rev. P. Austin Leger; James Akers & P.G.; Angela Viator; Gercie & Oswald Fauchaux

FRIDAY 1/20/23

6:30AM Harvey & Josh Pelafigue (Josh BD); Gercie & Oswald Fauchaux

8:00AM Ruby Armbruster Legner; George Armbruster, IV; Extra Gyles

SATURDAY 1/21/23

8:00AM Ethel G. Oubre & Mark

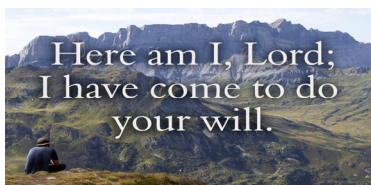
4:00PM M/M Jack Trail, Sr.; Alita Sieber (BD 1/5); Paul Duhon (BD 1/7); James "Jim" Douet, Jr.; Bryan James Poirier; Dennis, Lucette & Walter Hulin; Leona & Dudley David, Sr. & David; George Resweber; Beranger D. Theriot; Kenneth Thibodeaux; Juanita & Gerard Durand (Gerard DA); Romero & Dwyer Families; Glen martin; Dominic Broussard & Gaylon Champagne; M/M Desire Delahoussaye & Betty; Yvonne Bulliard; Georgean A. Babin; M/M Lucier Angelle & Family; Gercie & Oswald Fauchaux; Ramsey, Luna & Charlie Theriot, Sr.; Marie, Ellen & Wilfred Champagne; Carroll, Sr., Bib & Carolyn C. Fuselier; Mac & Evelyn Champagne & Carolyn (Mac's BD & WA)

SUNDAY 1/22/23

8:00AM Alta & Mitchell Broussard; Priscilla Hulin; Garrett Matthew Tabor, Lilly Belle & Deblanc; Lezima & Andrew Daspit; Scott Boggs; Rivers J. & Janice T. Albert; Donna & Gerald Hulin; Stanley & Della Melancon; Special Intention; A.J. "Bon" & Leona Champagne; Gercie & Oswald Fauchaux

10:00AM Kim Dugas & Dale Dugas; M/M Willis Dugas, Sr. & Glenn; Wayne Bienvenu & Suzette Bienvenu Judice; Donald, John & Ida Clausen; Leila, James & Millicent Babin; Shirley Romero & Yvette Romero Cartwright; Edna, Elmore & Rivers Albert; Jess & Helen Weimer, Gil & Elizabeth; Genevieve "Jenny" Theriot & Ben; Harvey & Josh Pelafigue; Thomas K. "Dickie" Bulliard; Sidney & Edmonia Guidry Latiolais; Windy & Johnnie Wyatt & Teddy; Myrtle & Preston Champagne (Myrtle BD 1/17); Special Intention; Frank Latiolais & M/M Murphy Latiolais; Pim & Pecko Eastin, Bryson; Hazel Robertson; Cliff Durand; Ramon & Joyce Fuselier

12:00PM M/M Dallas Prejean, Jr. & Children; Flo Roy Alexander



2nd Sunday In Ordinary Time



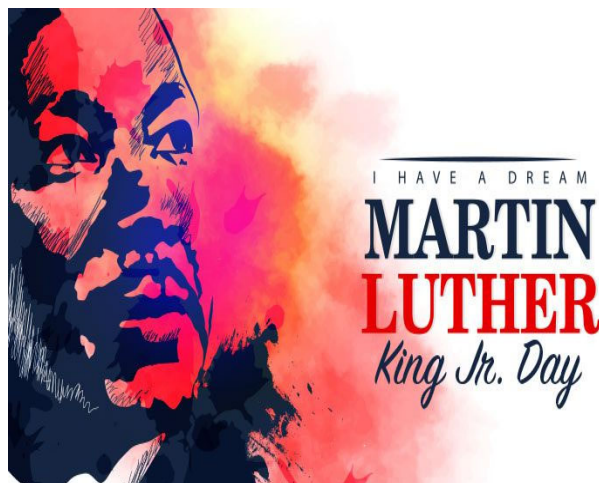
2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world."

John 1:29

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St. John the Baptist, 1857, by Philippe de Champaigne

January 16, 2023



ADORATION

Eucharistic



Adoration

"Can you spend one hour
with HIM"

Sunday: 2:00 AM

Monday: 1:00AM

Thursday: 3:00PM

Friday: 7:00PM; 9:00PM; 10:00PM

Saturday: 1:00AM; 2:00AM;

11:00AM; 2:00PM

Community of Jesus Crucified

JUBILEE OF THE WORD



MARATHON

The Holy Bible will be read cover to cover publicly in the

Square of St. Martinville

Beginning

Wednesday, January 18th at 12:30pm

and Ending

Word of God Sunday, January 22nd at 4:30pm

A 100-Hour Marathon with over 300 Assigned Readers!

Come Marinate in the Word!

For More Information or to Sign Up as a Reader Call

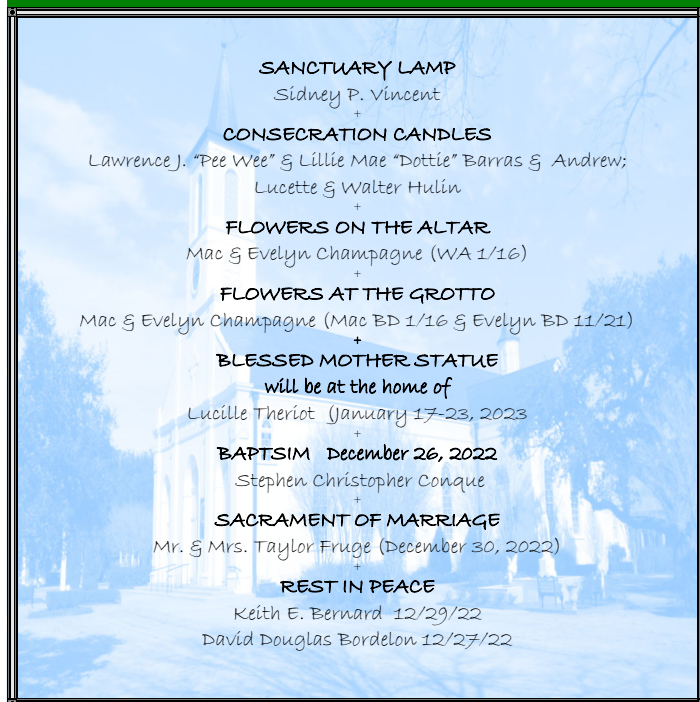
St. Martin de Tours Church

(337) 394-6021

or email

fetiedieuduteche@gmail.com

GENERAL INFORMATION



Church Envelopes

Dear Parishioners:

Due to the rising cost of paper our former envelope company **FJ Remey** (in business since 1921), who produced our monthly envelopes have sold our account to **Church Budget**. We have been in contact with Church Budget concerning missing envelopes, and they promise to resolve this matter quickly. Thank you for your patience.



Marriage Anniversary Mass

Are you celebrating 25, 40, 50, 60, or more years of marriage? If so, register to participate in the Diocesan Marriage Anniversary Mass! The annual Diocesan Marriage Anniversary Mass will be held on Sunday, February 5, 2023 at 2:00pm, at St. Pius X Catholic Church in Lafayette. Couples celebrating will have reserved seating. This annual event is sponsored by the Office of Marriage & Family Life. Register no later than January 25, 2023, by visiting <https://diolaf.org/marriage-anniversary-mass-information>

Save These Dates

Jan. 16	Martin Luther King Day
Jan. 18-22	Bible Marathon
Jan. 21	Wedding 6:00 PM: Theriot/Bienvenu
Feb. 3	Wedding 6:30 PM: Trahan/Couvillion
Feb. 14	Valentines Day
Feb. 21	Mardi Gras
Feb. 22	Ash Wednesday Mass Times 6:30AM & 6:00PM Solemn High Mass (TLM)
Feb. 26	First Sunday of Lent
March 17	St. Patrick's Day
March 26	Daylight Savings Time
April 2	Palm Sunday 8AM; 10 AM (Solemn Mass with Procession 12 Noon Solemn High Mass (TLM))
April 6	Holy Thursday 6:30 PM
April 7	Good Friday 3:00 PM
April 8	Easter Vigil 8:00 PM
April 9	Easter Sunday 8AM, 10AM & 12 Noon Solemn High Mass (TLM)
April 22	Wedding 6:00 PM: Bourgeois/ Tyler
April 29	Wedding 6:00 PM: Trahan/Escoto
May 6	First Communion
May 13	Wedding 6:00 PM: Germany/Vines
May 14	Mother's Day
May 28	Pentecost Sunday
May 29	Memorial Day
June 2	Wedding 6:00 PM: LaMotte/Ferguson
June 9	Wedding 7:00 PM: Lancon/Voorhies
July 4	Independence Day
Aug. 14	Vigil 6:00 PM
Aug. 15	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 6:30 AM & 6:00 PM Solemn High Mass (TLM)
Sept. 4	Labor Day
Oct. 14	Wedding 6:00 PM Chicola/Poirier
Oct. 28	Wedding: 6:00 PM Waguespack/Landry
Oct. 31	6:00 PM Vigil
Nov. 1	All Saints Day 6:30 AM & 6:00 PM Solemn High Mass (TLM)
Nov. 2	All Souls Day 6:30 AM
Nov. 23	Thanksgiving 8:30 AM
Dec. 7	Immaculate Conception 6:00 PM Vigil
Dec. 8	6:30 AM & 6:00PM Solemn High Mass (TLM)
Dec. 24	5:00 PM Vigil 12 Midnight- Solemn High Mass (TLM)
Dec. 25	8:00 AM & 10:00 AM & 12 Noon

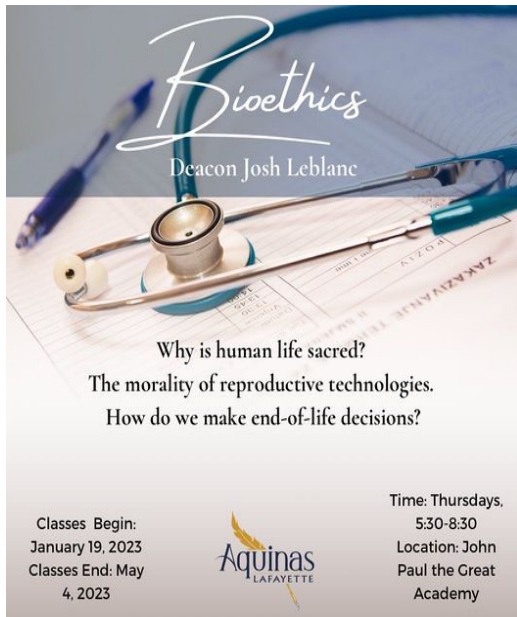
CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS



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The annual membership dues can be forwarded to:

Margaret DeBlanc, 2202 Mary Margaret Drive, St. Martinville, LA 70582. For more information call 394-5331.
Dues are \$30.

Diocese of Lafayette



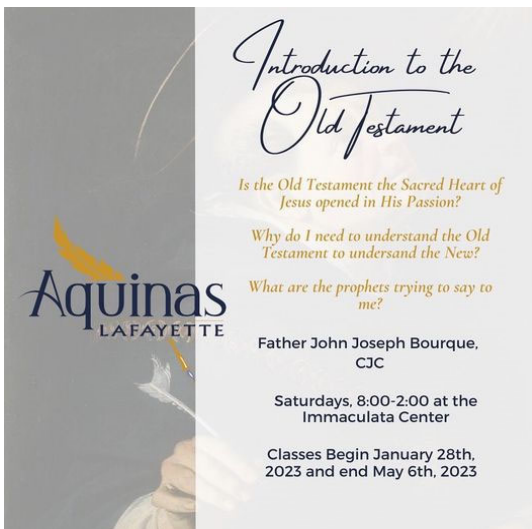
Bioethics
Deacon Josh Leblanc

Why is human life sacred?
The morality of reproductive technologies.
How do we make end-of-life decisions?

Classes Begin:
January 19, 2023
Classes End: May
4, 2023

Time: Thursdays,
5:30-8:30
Location: John
Paul the Great
Academy

Aquinas
LAFAYETTE



*Introduction to the
Old Testament*

Is the Old Testament the Sacred Heart of
Jesus opened in His Passion?

Why do I need to understand the Old
Testament to understand the New?

What are the prophets trying to say to
me?

Aquinas
LAFAYETTE

Father John Joseph Bourque,
CJC

Saturdays, 8:00-2:00 at the
Immaculata Center

Classes Begin January 28th,
2023 and end May 6th, 2023

PARISH OFFICE

CHURCH OFFICE
CLOSED



The Church Parish will be closed on Monday,
January 16, 2023 for the Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday.
The Parish Office will re-open on
Tuesday, January 17, 2023.

St. Michael Cemetery

CEMETERY/MAUSOLEUM POLICY

TO HELP KEEP OUR CEMETERY AND MAUSOLEUMS
CLEAN, TIDY AND SAFE FOR ALL WHO VISIT.

BE ADVISED THAT THE FOLLOWING
POLICIES WILL BE ENFORCED.

MAUSOLEUM UPKEEP POLICY

ALL OBJECTS/ ITEM LEFT AT FLOOR LEVEL ON ANY
MAUSOLEUM WALK WILL BE REMOVED AND
DISPOSED OF ON A REGULAR BASIS.
THIS INCLUDES OBJECTS/ITEMS ATTACHED TO THE
MARBLE STRIP BELOW THE DOORS AT GROUND
LEVEL. FAMILIES DESIRING TO ADORN THEIR DOOR
SHOULD BE AWARE THAT ONLY THE DOOR IS
AVAILABLE FOR SUCH ATTACHEMENTS/
ADORNMENT.

CEMETERY UPKEEP POLICY

ANY BREAKABLE OBJECTS/ITEMS LEFT
AT TOMBS IN ST. MICHAEL CEMETERY WILL BE
REMOVED AND DISPOSED OF
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TO TAKE DOWN
ALL THE
CHRISTMAS
DECORATIONS.
WE
APPRECIATE
YOU!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Scripture Readings
For the Week of January 15, 2023

Sunday	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 49:3, 5-6; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10; 1 Cor 1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34
Monday	Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday	Memorial of Saint Anthony, Abbott Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 & 10c; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday	Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110: 1, 2, 3, 4; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday	Heb 7:25-28; Ps 8:6; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17; Mk 3:7-12
Friday	Heb 8:6-13; Ps 85:8 & 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mk 3:13-19
Saturday	Memorial of Saint Agnes, Virgin and Martyr Heb 9:2-3, 11-14; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 3:20-21
Sunday	Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 8:23—9:3; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23

Stewardship of Treasure

Many Thanks for Your Continued Generosity!

General Offering 1/8/23	\$ 5,711.00
Weekly budget 2021/2022	\$ 9,000.00
Difference	\$ -3,289.00
Offerings 1/25/22	\$ 14,763.00
Church Trust Fund 1/25/22	\$ 4,214.00
Offerings 1/1/23	\$ 8,907.00
Building Fund 1/1/23	\$ 1109.00
2nd Collection THIS weekend	REDUCTION OF CHURCH DEBT
2nd Collection NEXT weekend	CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA

2ND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND



PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Come Lord Jesus:

A small faith filled community for the purpose of deeper reflection of the Sunday readings proclaimed at Mass. Meets every Wednesday evening at 4:30PM in the cafeteria. Contact, Brook Dauphine at 342-0040.

Men's Cursillo Ultreya: Meets every Tuesday evening at 7:00PM in the Parish Hall. Everyone who has made or is interested in making a Cursillo is welcomed. For more information contact: Kevin Theriot at 337-380-1298.

Knights of Columbus:

A Catholic fraternal organization dedicated to promoting and conducting educational, charitable, religious and social welfare works. Monthly meeting held every 3rd Wednesday at 7:00PM in the Parish Hall; Rosary starts at 6:30 PM. Contact Jared Normand: 337-945-2906

St. Martha's Guild:

A group of volunteers that help provide a meal before or after a funeral. Contact Marlene Castille at 394-9551.

Catholic Daughters:

Meeting 1st Thursday of every month at 6:00PM in the Parish Hall. Ladies 18 or older, please join us to learn more about Catholic Daughters of America. Contact: Christine Gaspard at 967-1592.

That Man Is You:

Attention Men of St. Martin de Tours, Do you seek to be the best man you can be? Come join with other men of the parish every Tuesday morning at 5:30AM in the Parish Hall. Contact Brody Hulin at 337-298-4100.

Online Giving

Using the Abundant mobile app in ACS for eGiving is easy and convenient for parishioners as well as visitors. After downloading the Abundant app. parishioners will be able to give one-time gifts or set up recurring donations, pay for cemetery dues, and even view their eGiving history. For those who prefer not to donate from their mobile device, using online giving provides the same benefits as mobile giving, allowing your congregation to choose the best option that fits their busy lifestyle. To enroll in online giving: Visit www.saintmartindetours.org

Catholic School

St. Edward School - educating students in PK3 - 3rd grades
Founded in 1918 by St. Katharine Drexel

NEW Online Application Process

Wednesday, January 26, 2023

All families interested in enrolling for the 2023-24 school year, **MUST** fill out an application online.

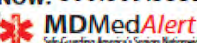
***To Apply:**

1. Go to SESPANDAS.com
2. Complete the Registration Application located under the Admissions Tab.

*Submitting an application does not guarantee enrollment.

NEED MORE INFORMATION?
 Information Packets may be picked up at St. Edward School, 175 Porter St., New Iberia from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.
 Contact Lisa Dronet, Registrar at ldronet@sespandas.com.
 Or call the school at 337-369-6764 if you have any questions.

SES does not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, sex or national origin in its admissions policies or educational programs.

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