

TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 9, 2024



St. Mary Mother of the Church
419 Doucet Road, Lafayette, Louisiana 70503
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Pastor	Reverend Cedric Sonnier	Baptism	Expectant parents should register for Baptism Class four to six months before the child's birth. Baptismal classes are held once every month. The deacon celebrates baptisms once per month on Saturday at 10:00 AM.
Deacons	Deacon Michael Crain & Deacon Michael Thompson		
Phone	337-981-3379		
Office Hours	Monday-Thursday: 9:00 AM-12:00 PM, 1:00-4:00 PM Friday: 9:00 AM-12:00 PM		
Masses	Monday-Friday: 7:00 AM in Church & Livestreamed 1 st Fri & 1 st Sat Masses with devotions: 7:00 AM Saturday: 4:30 PM in Church & Livestreamed Sunday: 8:00 & 10:30 AM & 5:00 PM in Church	Marriages	Anyone interested in getting married at St. Mary Church should contact the church 6-12 months prior to any marriage planning. For further information, see our Website Video.
Reconciliation	Saturday: 3:00-4:00 PM Sunday: 9:45 — 10:15 AM, 4:30 — 4:50 PM Monday - Friday: 6:35 - 6:55 AM	Funerals	To arrange a funeral at St. Mary Church, please call the Parish Office.

THIS WEEK

Morning Prayers Monday thru Friday 6:25 – 6:45 AM

Reconciliation Monday thru Friday 6:35 – 6:55 AM

Sun June 9 8:00 AM; 10:30 AM & 5:00 PM Masses
 Tue June 11 4:00 PM Children's Bells (Church)
 5:00 PM Bells of St. Mary (Church)
 Sat June 15 3:00 PM Confessions
 4:30 PM Mass
 Sun June 16 8:00 AM; 10:30 AM & 5:00 PM Masses
 Happy Father's Day



MASS INTENTIONS

Mon June 10 7:00 AM

J. David Duplantis; Nelton & Anna Chautin Andrepont;
 Marjorie Boudreaux

Tue June 11 7:00 AM

J. David Duplantis; Arthur J. Mire Family; Marjorie Boudreaux

Wed June 12 7:00 AM

Fr. Cedric Sonnier (living); J. David Duplantis; Charles Doize;
 Marjorie Boudreaux

Thu June 13 7:00 AM

Deacon Michael Crain (living); Marjorie Boudreaux;
 J. David Duplantis; Ruth Robin; Jeannine Sibille

Fri June 14 7:00 AM

J. David Duplantis; Marjorie Boudreaux

Sat June 15 4:30 PM

Lauren Paige Johnston; Genevieve Meaux; George Latiolais;
 Eddie & Johanne Moody; Rayford LeBlanc; John Meche;
 Bill Stonecipher; Andre Holloway; Adeline Cary Duhon;
 Douglas Duhon; Henry Cary; Sylvia & Choppy Smith;
 JonTerez Broussard; Thomas Foard; J. David Duplantis;
 Tim Rushing; Betty Venable (living); Della Savoy;
 Marjorie Boudreaux

Sun June 16 8:00 AM

Chris Cashen; James Crain; Elridge Ardoin; Dewey Cormier;
 Orville Ardoin; Brice Ardoin; Jim Gesser Family (living);
 John Hesterly; Thomas Higginbotham; Gerald Richard;
 Diana Gesser; Dr. Dean Keeley; Theresa Rose Kraus;
 Ruby & Pershing Cashen; Rena & Andrew Broussard;
 Arthur McLaughlin; Dr. John Bernard; Greg Moroux;
 Catherine Olivier; Jerry Roberts; John Kenney

Sun June 16 10:30 AM

Ruth Robin; Nolan "Peanut" Sharon; Tim McCoy Family (living);
 Doretha Spearman; Harley McElroy; Betty Venable (living);
 Sally Ann Locus; M/M Herman Gesser Sr.; Marlene Doize;
 Jeannine Sibille; Tim Rushing; Greg Long; Earl Downs;
 J. David Duplantis; Marie A. Garrett; Ray Bergeron

Sun June 16 5:00 PM St. Mary Parishioners

SICK IN THE PARISH

Please pray for: Thad Doucet; Cile Martin; Larry Diaz;
 Mel Caldwell; Glenda Huval; Douglas Cochrane; Pat Sibille;
 Gertrude LeBlanc; Carolyn & Keath Perron; Kasey Belgum;
 Mary Pat Keeley; Audrey Thibodeaux; Judy Johnson;
 Krieg Sibille; Yvonne Bienvenu; Susan Schwing; Phil Mayers;
 Nathaniel Gabish; Jessica Farrington; Craig & Susan Andrew;
 Eleanor Hebert; Arlene Koffskey; Michael Viator;
 Mary Margaret Camalo; Anne Bourgeois; Ashley Blanchard;
 Emile Concienne; Kayla Matte; Emily Duhon.

OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY APRIL	\$ 114,674.50
Capital Improvement	\$ 11,085.00
St. Mary Charities	\$ 2,151.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$ 1,400.50
BSA	\$ 1,775.00
TOTAL APRIL	\$ 135,086.00

JUNE 10-16

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

ST. MARY PARISHIONERS

Mon June 10	Madison Hebert	Harrison Malespin
Evan Anderson	Louis Rolfes	Hunter Malespin
Korri Andrew	Soleil Roma	Jeannie Patton
Ronald Baillargeon	James Vining	Maritess Reaux
Paolo Garcia	Thu June 13	Jayne Soileau
Carrol Sonnier, Jr.	Eli Arabie	Julie Sonnier
Eric Vanbergen	Allison Bolivar	Sat June 15
Tue June 11	Anne Hebert	Mattieu Andrus
Rinea Blanchard	Nathaniel Hill	Leo Breaux
John Corry	Thomas Hill	Najwa Dibbs
Edith Guillory	Oliver Nichols	Scott Higgins
Jean-Luc Hebert	Kathie Roza	Charles Hill, IV
Michael Humphreys	Rick Savoy	Michelle Killeen
Elias Kreamer	Ling Zhang	Dr Christopher LaGraise
Caroline Mader	Fri June 14	Emile Lege
LJ Norwood	Zephyr Acomb	James McCoy
Reese Savant	Bennett Bernard, III	Charles Minvielle
Christy Sheets	Simonne Broussard	Anderson Mitchell
Madeline Smith	Jacqueline Cashen	Ann Quirk
Wed June 12	Indah Cline	Dommy Stuart
Juliette Angelle	Claire Cotter	Sun June 16
Marilyn Capretz	Kyleigh Duthu	Joseph Domengeaux
Leo Doise	Kent Finley	Kyle Gannon
Miriam Ellis	Merritt Hesterly	Joel Gooch
Adler Grant	Lucille Jeffery	Everett Greenwood
Sienna Hamon	Carter LeBas	

GOD'S HOUSEKEEPERS

Purificator for June: Ashley Faulk
 June 13-14 Susan James & volunteer needed
 June 20-21 Patti Bienvenu & Gayle LeDoux

LITURGY

FLOWER MEMORIALS

Flower memorials on the Altar may be offered for departed loved ones. A donation of \$200.00 - \$250.00 is the suggested offering to cover the expense of the arrangements. Flower memorials are not accepted during Advent or Lent. Please contact the office to request your memorial.

ROSARY AND NOVENA

The rosary is recited at St. Mary every **Friday before the 7 AM Mass**. Novena to the Blessed Virgin Mary is recited every **Thursday after the 7 AM Mass**.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Summer Seminarian - we welcome **Seth Dupre** to our parish this summer for the months of June and July. Seth is currently at school at Notre Dame Seminary in New Orleans. He is from St. Anne Church in Youngsville. Seth will serve our Masses, go with our youth to Cove Crest and assist with Vacation Bible School to name a few things. We pray for Seth and all Seminarists as they strive to follow God's call.

ST. MARY ELC 2024-2025

JOB OPENINGS

St. Mary Early Learning Center is now accepting applications. Open positions are for 2year old teachers and assistants for the 2024-2025 school year.

Interested applicants are asked to submit a resumé to Ms. Dina Castille, Principal at dicastille@diolaf.org.

LIFE TEEN & EDGE FUNDRAISER

Life Teen and Edge youth groups will be attending summer camps this year. Thanks to your generosity in years past, St. Mary Parishioners have been very generous in helping send many of our youth to camp. We ask for you to pray for our teens and prayerfully consider supporting our fundraiser once again.

It's not too late to contribute to this year's fundraiser. Thank you for supporting St. Mary Mother of the Church youth ministry.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL July 8-12



This year's theme is **Scuba**. Take kids deep into an amazing undersea adventure where they'll experience the ever-flowing, never-ending love of God. At Scuba VBS, kids will be immersed in the Word and discover what living water is really all about!

Online Registration Has Begun

VBS is open to children entering 1st grade through 4th grade.

RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) program, is for adults who were never baptized, those baptized in other faith communities, or adult Catholics who were never confirmed. Sessions for the 2024-2025 year begins Sunday, September 8 and continues on Sundays until the conclusion of the Easter season. If you or someone you know is curious about our Catholic Faith, please email Melanie Fowler at: mfowler.rcia@gmail.com or call Denise at 337-703-3045.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

HANDBELL CLASSES

All children entering the 3rd grade this coming year, or older, are welcomed to learn how to ring handbells this summer at St. Mary. Half hour class begins at 4:00 PM, in Church. **Class dates are June 11, 18, 25, July 9, 16, 23, 30 and August 1.** The children will ring at the 10:30 AM Sunday Mass, August 4. Contact Deborah Duhon to sign up for these free classes by calling 337- 981-3379 ext. 250 or email: deb58@cox.net.

QUO VADIS

Quo Vadis is a discernment retreat for men, June 18-20. Young men who are entering their sophomore year of schooling through college-aged men are invited to the Community of Jesus Crucified to reflect on God's Will for their Life. For more information or to register, call 337-261-5690, or visit lafayettevocations.com.

HELP NEEDED

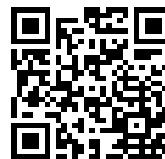
SATURDAY & SUNDAY REFRESHMENTS

We are looking for more cookie servers, especially for Saturday 4:30 PM and Sunday 8:00 AM Masses. It's a great way to exercise the ministry of hospitality or introduce little ones to the practice of service. Please call the Church Office during regular business hours at 337-981-3379 or email stmaryparishoutreach@gmail.com to sign-up.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Volunteers needed for Disaster Response Team following the major storms on May 13, 16, 17. The storms, themselves, may have only lasted 20 minutes each; but without your help, recovery and rebuilding could last upwards of 20 months. Join us in our efforts to love and support our neighbors most in need.

Scan the QR code to sign up! Please reach out to Sarah Baquet at 337-235-4972 ext. 1222 or email sarahb@catholiccharitiesacadiana.org for more information.



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 quietude. 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, and 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 heavenly Jerusalem where a stormless eternity awaits us. Amen.

+Maurice Schexnayder