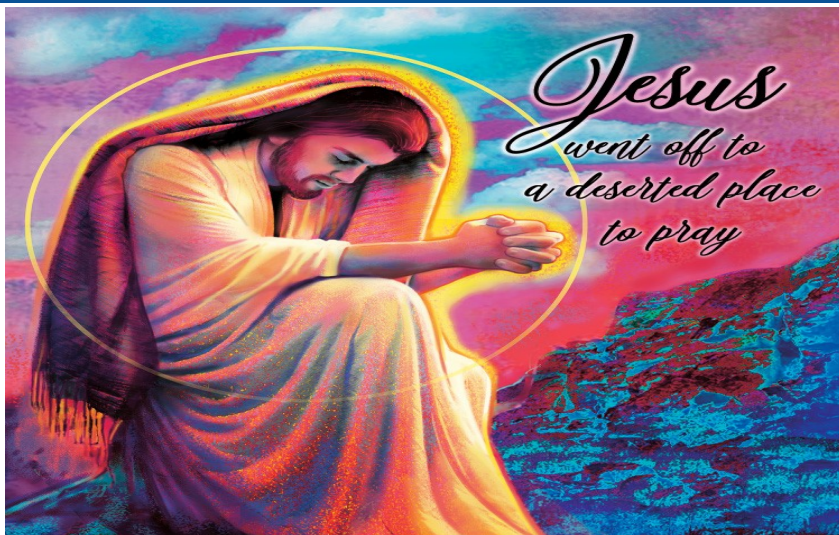


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February 7, 2021

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
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LITURGICAL SERVICES

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM.

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 11:00 AM & 6:00 PM.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Weekday Mass: 6:30 AM

FIRST SATURDAY MASS:

8:30 AM

Exposition until 10:00 AM

OUR MOTHER OF

PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA

Tuesday at 6:30 a.m.

CONFESSIONS:

Weekdays before or after Mass

CONFESSIONS & ROSARY:

Saturday, 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, 7:30 a.m.

24-HOUR ADORATION:

Thursdays, 7 a.m.—Fridays, 6 a.m.

Sign-up sheets in Souby Baptistery. Can't be a regular? Substitute sign-up sheets in rear of church.

BAPTISMS:

Second & fourth Sunday of each month, 10:00 AM. BOTH parents AND Godparents MUST attend a baptism seminar held first Tuesday of each month, 6:00PM in the Gallen Room (parking lot entry).

WEDDINGS:

Couples should make an appointment with the parish priest at least six months in advance.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Call the rectory anytime at 385-0770.

COMMUNION IN THE HOME/

HOME VISITS:

Call 385-0770. Monday—Friday, 8:30 A.M. until 3:30 P.M.

HOSPITAL VISITS:

If you or someone you know would like to be visited in the hospital, you must call the rectory at 385-0770.

To request a Parish Registration Form, call the Rectory at [385-0770](tel:385-0770) or shsecretary@htdiocese.org
You can also visit the rectory between 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 pm., Monday through Friday.

Charter for the Protection of Children & Young People

Reporting Numbers: To report suspected abuse of a minor, call the LA Department of Children & Family Services (24/7) 1(855) 452-5437. **Outreach line for victims of sexual abuse by church workers.** If you suspect child abuse by clergy, church officials, church employees or volunteers, please also contact the Victims' Assistance Coordinator (985) 850-3172 and Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux Outreach Line (985) 873-0026.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
MASS SCHEDULE

IN CHURCH: Mass is celebrated in church on Saturday at 4:30p.m. and Sunday at 11a.m. & 6:00p.m. ****Everyone is required to wear a mask, in addition to keeping a six foot distance between families.*** Families may sit together. ****Please sit in the pew marked with the white cross.***

OUTDOOR MASS: Sunday, 8:00a.m. mass in the Grotto area will continue. Please bring your own chair. (wearing a mask is required). In case of inclement weather or extreme cold mass will be celebrated in church.

SUNDAY DRIVE THROUGH BLESSING: 9:30-10:00a.m. Anyone wishing to drop off their weekend donation will have the opportunity to do so at that time. Thank you for your continued support of Sacred Heart.

Viewing Masses on Facebook: Facebook will continue to post the 4:30p.m. Saturday Vigil, Sunday 8:00a.m. & 11:00a.m. masses. **Facebook account:** Sacred Heart of Jesus Roman Catholic Church of Morgan City.

IMPORTANT: THERE IS STILL NO OBLIGATION FOR SUNDAY MASS. If you are sick, immunodeficient, or care for someone who is, it is strongly encouraged that you avoid putting yourself or others at risk.

***NOTE: CONFESSION IS HELD 30 MINUTES BEFORE ALL WEEKEND MASSES OR BY APPOINTMENT.**

We continue to encourage you to observe the guidelines for Covid-19-wearing of face mask, physical distancing, and proper hygiene. Please use hand sanitizer when you enter and exit the church. We assure you that our church is safe. The church is sanitized after each mass. We welcome all volunteers who would like to stay a few minutes after mass to help sanitize our church. *Thank you!*

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 7, 2021

*(THE LORD) TELLS THE NUMBER OF THE
STARS AND CALLS EACH BY NAME.*

— Psalm 147:4

ST. SCHOLASTICA VIRGIN

Feast Day, Wednesday, February 10

"Was the twin sister of St. Benedict, the Patriarch of Western monasticism. She was born in Umbria, Italy, about 480. Under Benedict's direction, Scholastica founded a community of nuns near the great Benedictine monastery Monte Cassino. Inspired by Benedict's teaching, his sister devoted her whole life to seeking and serving God. She died in 547 and tradition holds that at her death her soul ascended to heaven in the form of a dove."



Lectors Schedule

February 6 & 7

4:30P.M. - Sundra Deshotel

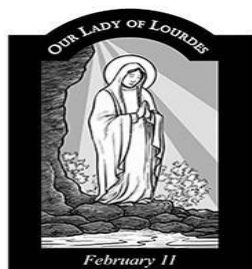
8:00A.M. - Carl Kraemer

11:00A.M. - Pete Boudreaux

6:00P.M. - Cathy Siracusa

MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

The second collection this weekend is for the parish maintenance fund. **Thank you** for your support of this important fund~



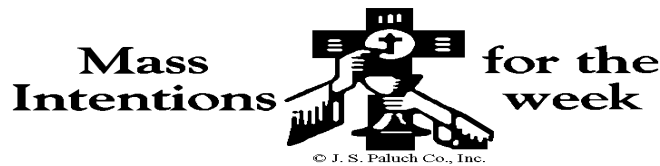
Feast of Our Lady of
Lourdes

A rosary will be prayed this
Thursday, February 11th at
2:00p.m. in the Grotto area.

HINDSIGHT

*God's presence is not discerned at the time when it
is upon us, but afterwards, when we look back.*

—John Henry Newman



MASS INTENTIONS: First Saturday, Feb. 6, 8:30a.m.: Karen Ordogne. **Saturday, Feb. 6, 4:30pm:** Karen Ordogne, Larry Bergeron, Anthony Governale, Sr., M/M Walter Romero, Sr., Theodore & Pasty LaVerne, Kelley & Alan Thomas Family, Maggie & Raymond Keller & Fam., Elaine & Kenny Blaire & Fam., Charles Gowland, Sr., Bernadine M. Hayes, M/M Donald Kreider, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Frank & Corinne Mula, Marvin Compton, Seth & Jackie Sumrall, C.J. & Mary Doiron, Blackie Arceneaux, Joe Parsiola, Santo & Stella Rousso, Adele & Red Arceneaux, Stephen Giroir, Lester & Belle Simoneaux, George & Joyce Melancon, David Arcemont, Arcemont/Landry Family, Anthony Cannata, Vincent & Fannie Cannata, Earl L. & Goldie Mayon, Fr. John Gallen, Pat Badeaux, Grace Napoli, Jeanne Picou, Theresa & William Maxwell, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Andrew, Bill & Eloise Gowland, Vera & Boo Dupuis, Luda & Eli Fields, Vivian & Eddie Fields, Jr., Donald Fields, Sally Anderson, Ruby Miller, Marius Carlos, Anthony Governale, Sr., Elmo & Viola Goulas, Troy Fangué, Alfred/Holt Families, Martin & Deshotel & Prince Families, Robert & Maridel LaBauve, Mary & Ray Martin, Smith-Theriot Families, Philip Smith, Sr., Dirk Hoffpauir, Barbara Kreider, Joe & Bet Cefalu, Elfrey & Margie LeBlanc, Carroll & Zeder Kraemer, Bernie Marino, Melvin J. Pitre, Doris B. & J. Darwin Richard, Rosalie & Milford Blum, Fran & Butch Blum, Marion H. Bergeron, Johnny DeMatteo, Marlene Gautier, David Duplantis, Nick & Katie Mancuso, Dee & Vincent Orcino, Larry Bergeron, Genevieve Boudreaux, Warren Fortier, John Siracusa, Jerry Listi, Viola Percle, Otis Rulf, Albert Jerome Bileci, Ed Fontenot, Rosalee Loupe, Steven Adams, Santo & Stella Russo, Alice Shannon Guzzetta, Ed Patterson, Garnette Listi, Sidney Solar, Jr., Lorraine Terrebonne, Dora Guillot, Blanchard & Fontenot Families, Sliman Jones, Rosie/Agnes/Mable/ Elaine John.

Sunday, Feb. 7, 8:00am: David Loupe, Rose H. Percle, Alvin Ackerman, Jr., Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Dannie Goulas, Joe & Bernice Giandelone, David & Jane Webster for Healing, Mim & Merlin Price, Sr., Claire & Sheldon Bergeron, H.V. Choo Choo Fondren, Forcheimer/Fondren Families L/D, Jason DeHart, Anatole & Ida Fangué, Roland & Virginia Fangué, Earl & Goldie Mayon, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Mr. & Mrs. John Parker Conrad, Sr., Ed Fontenot, DiMatteo Family, John/Josephine/Johnny DeMatteo, Jeffery DeMatteo, Richard, Sr. & Hilda Landry, Jimmy LeBouef, Rickey Arceneaux, Stephen Schaub, Mark Manfre, Larry Pennison, "Seeds on Good Ground" Come, Lord Jesus members, Mary Bush. **11:00am:** Jim Holt, Holt/Alfred Families, Mr. & Mrs. Oliver J. Bergeron Family L/D, Parker & Shirley Conrad, Hugh & Nell Egle Brown, M/M Raymond Egle, Vivian & Ferris Romaine, Sr., Luda & Eli Fields, Marian Romaine, Nolan & Katherine Michel, Walter & Irma Michel, Nellie Blereau, Joe Giordano, Genevieve Theriot, Adam E. & Dorothy Conner, Fred & Edna Williams, Bill & Eloise Gowland, Charles Gowland, Sr., Hogan/Landry Families, Mac, Mary & Stephen McCleary, Dehart/Duhon Families L&D, Dr. C.R. Brownell, Lorraine B. Moreau, Leonard & Florence Bernucho, Charles Moreau, Ozio/LeDoux Families, Marion & Oliver Bergeron, Jr., Barbara Kreider, Betty Rink, Pat DeHart, David Duplantis, Mark Manfre, Ricky David Daigle, Placide Daigle, Kathleen Landry, Dorothy Conner, J.P. Morella Family L/D. **6:00pm:** All Abandoned Souls, Karen Ordogne, Charles Gowland, Sr., Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Marion Bergeron, Genevieve Theriot, Janet/Beverly/Charles Fernandez, Leonard & Enola Klutts, Barbara Miller, Yvonne Fernandez, George Fernandez, Carl J. & Glenda W. Strevia Family L/D., Margie LeBlanc.

Monday, Feb. 8, 6:30am: Marvin Compton, Joe Parsiola, Anthony Cannata, David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Joe Giordano, Genevieve Theriot, Eloise & Bill Gowland, Charles Gowland, Sr., John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Theresa & William Maxwell, M/M Eddie Landry, Nellie Blereau, Eugene Fields, Joe & Bet Cefalu, Roland & Jenna Fangué, Johnny & Jeffrey DeMatteo, Marion Bergeron, Cyrus & Shirley Giroir, Earl L. & Goldie M. Mayon, Rosalie, Milford, Butch & Fran Blum, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Larry Bergeron, Otis Rulf, Rickey Arceneaux, Ed Paterson, Rosemary Cutrera, Howard Thibodaux, Larry Pennison, P.U. & Rosalie Melancon, Margie LeBlanc.

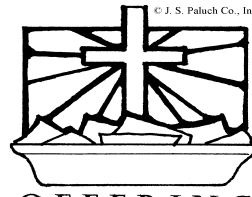
Tuesday, Feb. 9, 6:30am: Ted McManus, David Arcemont, Boudreaux/ Sewart families, Eloise & Bill Gowland, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Rudolph Landry, Theresa & William Maxwell, George & Joyce Melancon, Nellie Blereau, Dupuis family, Elaine Naquin, Robert & Maridel LaBauve, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Bernie Marino, Alice Shannon, Mr. & Mrs. John Parker Conrad, Sr., Marvin Compton, Jeffrey DiMatteo, Anthony Cannata, Grace Napoli, David Duplantis, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Larry Bergeron, Charles Gowland, Sr., Jerry Listi, J.P. Morella & Fam. L/D, Cyrus Giroir, Johnny DiMatteo, Larry Pennison, Mark Manfre, Lorraine Terrebonne, Grace Napoli.

Wednesday, Feb. 10, 6:30am : Mark Manfre, Marvin Compton, David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Roy & Dee Simoneaux, Emery & Mary Besse, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Skeezi & Flora Bergeron, Bertin/Dupuis Families, Manfre/Grizzaffi Families, David Duplantis, Gerald Blanchard, Bet & Joseph Cefalu, Sr., Robert LaBauve, Nellie Blereau, Jason DeHart, Elaine Naquin, C. C. & Barbara Clark, Earl & Goldie Mayon, Nolan & Katherine Michel, Celeste Loupe, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Loulie & Lelia Boudreaux, Johnny DiMatteo, Gerald Blanchard, Rosalie, Milford, Butch & Fran Blum, Jeffery DiMatteo, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Pat Dehart, Charles Gowland, Sr., Gladys & Clive Cloutier, Larry Bergeron, Bernadine Hayes, Rickey Arceneaux, Nguyen Family, Larry Pennison, Adam Olivier & Mary Dupre Olivier.

Thursday, Feb. 11, 6:30a.m.: David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Bessie Roy, Nellie Blereau, Manfre Family, Teresa & William Maxwell, John & Stella Mula, Randolph & Pauline Landry, Bet & Joe Cefalu, Santo & Stella Rousso, Adam & Dorothy Conner, Fred & Edna Williams, Joe Parsiola, Marvin Compton, Jeffery DiMatteo, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Charles Gowland, Sr., Horace Naquin, Dung Nguyen, Rosalee Loupe, Otis Rulf, Garnette Listi, Larry Pennison, David Guarisco.

Friday, Feb. 12, 8:00a.m.: Holy Souls in Purgatory, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Pat DeHart, Charles Gowland, Sr., David Duplantis, Dung Nguyen Family, Jerry Listi, Garnette Listi, Mark Manfre, Santo & Stella Russo, Alice S. Guzzetta, Anthony, Vincent C. & Fannie Cannata, Rickey Arceneaux, Ed Patterson, Karen Ordogne, David Wooters, Sr., Larry Pennison.

Angel of God
my guardian dear to whom His love
commits me here ever this day be at my
side to light and guard to rule and
guide. **Amen.**



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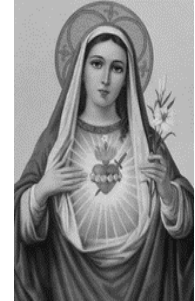
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PRAY FOR... PEACE, Protection from floods & storms, Harold Ross, Huan Tran, Mary Ann Crocker, Kathryn Stadalis, Carol Bergeron, Rexall Howard, Stephen Giroir, Ana Rogers, Beulah Deshotel, Mona Thibodeaux, Hilda Landry, Dot Whitley, R.J. Hebert, Kim Verrett, Jane Webster, Rodney Frederick, Betty Smith, Henry Daigle, Roger Liner, Donna Henry, Jane Davis, Deanna Guidry, Bob Keeling, Louis Wilson, Roger Adams Jr., Gene & Edie Nezat, Ross Rock, Brittany Thomas, Dalton Dupree, Noah Fryou, Tara Trahan, Ashley Ribardi, Virginia Naquin, Nick Tullier, Deanna Rome, Jimmy LeBlanc, Dale Hubert, Pat Rock, Barbara Breaux, Stacy Giroir, Eston Roger, Drew Clements, Robbie & Kacie Touns, Janet Bennett, Dallas Theriot, Theresa & Tim Theriot, Jean Stephens, Zweigle/Dupree Families, Gloria & Jessie Michel, Edd Thornton, Donald Loupe, Ida Mae Percle, Lelia Johnson, Nicki Plessala, Jim Miller, Sylvia Carter, Jaiden, Tammy Fitch, Chad Duval, Jr., Harley Blanco, Demarius Granger, Mabel Rulf, R.J. Percle, Darrel Beadle, Killian Mabe, Joan Judycki, Mary Ann Trosclair, Anna Hargrave & Family, Ethan LeBouef, Shannon Swiber, Holly Brasseaux, Amanda Jennings, Katy Bourgeois, Ina Clarke, William LaPoint, Marilyn Pye, Leonard & Priscilla Scully, Catherine & Elijah Landry, Jim Dalton, Robin Jeansonne, Charlie Solar, Sr., Karen Duhon, Barbara Olson, Herman Bailey, Rene Prado, Jahmarla Guidry, Bob Opperman, Susan Nelson, Laine Mosher, Aceson Alleman, Catherine Thibodeaux, Scott Barbier, Martha Guillory, Will Lapoint, Edwin Bergeron, Jason Theriot, Anna Rogers, Evie Herrington, Mac Percle, Yvonne Sweigle, Joyce Vicknair, Melba Robin, Bryson Plaisance, Betty Ross, Larry Giroir., Jim Davis, Rachel Adams, Red Cuvillier, Ave Ross, End to the pandemic, All victims of the coronavirus and their families, Elijah Carter, Nedra Giroir, Thomas Glenn, Valerie Streety, Larry Guillory, Allen Bourdier, John Giordano, Cox, Nettie Acosta, Mary Ellen Ruiz Stegall, Nick LaRocca, The Fitch Family, Rachal Basas, Don Domino, Anna Broussard, Cassandar Alverd, Peggy Bourque, Reberta Ford, Jim Mestepey, Margie Aucoin, Gentry Garrett, Cherie Dyer, Lovenia Percle, Dalia Ramirez, Linda Cortez, Francis Smith, Elizabeth Smith, Layla Giroir, Wendy Hotard, Charles Gibson, Jr., Billy Cantrell, Patty Fontenot, Melissa Michel.

First Saturday

8:30a.m. mass will be celebrated this Saturday, February 6th followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:00a.m.



YOUTH FORMATION

Wednesday, February 10th classes will be held for all grades 1-11

5:45-7:15p.m.



Youth Formation 2nd graders will celebrate the Sacrament of First Reconciliation on Wednesday, February 10, 2021.

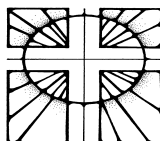


PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

U.S. Armed Forces and All who serve & protect us, Craig Bourdier, Joseph Johnson, V, Tony Malbrough, Mathew Young, Luke Zweigle, Draven Smith, Brian Hartman.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please send your prayer intentions to shsecretary@htdiocese.org or call the rectory 385-0770 and we will include them in our daily prayers.



Sacred Heart Thrift Store
OPEN ONLY on Wednesday
8:30-11:00a.m.
for drop off and Shopping.

February 7, 2021

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Psalm 95(94):6-7

Entrance Chant:

O come, let us worship God and bow low
before the God who made us, for he is the Lord
our God.

TIRELESS DISCIPLESHIP

The stories we've been hearing these weeks come from the very first chapter of Mark, and they show us the public ministry of Jesus in its infancy. Today's account shows some of the strain or adjustment of his new life of preaching the reign of God, healing the sick, and casting out demons. Notice that after sunset, when darkness ended the work-day, people brought the sick and possessed to Jesus. The following day he rose before dawn to get away by himself to pray, but to no avail. Simon Peter and the others don't just look for him, they pursue him, filled with the fervor that his ministry has incited. With the self-sacrificing example he gave until the end of his earthly life, he tells his followers that this is his whole purpose. Through Mark, he is also telling the early church, and he is telling us, that this is our purpose, our vocation: to be tireless in our pursuit of proclaiming the Good News, and in bringing the healing, reconciling touch of Christ to the world.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Job experienced months of misery and troubled nights (Job 7:1-4, 6-7).

Psalm — Praise the Lord, who heals the brokenhearted (Psalm 147).



Second Reading — I have become all things to all, to save at least some (1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23).

Gospel — Jesus cured many who were sick with various diseases (Mark 1:29-39).

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

We're reading St. Paul's letter to the Corinthians these days. What was Corinth like? It had a beautiful setting on an isthmus, about fifty miles from Athens. The location makes for very easy exchange by sea routes between Greece and Italy, a factor in its economic success even today. In Paul's day it was a cosmopolitan and wealthy city with inhabitants drawn from all over the world, including a sizeable Jewish community. When Paul arrived about the year 50, the city was only about a century old, but already five times the size of Athens. Paul lived in Corinth for a year and a half, and a few years later came back for three months. The community of Christians there struggled against the influence of a very secular and self-indulgent society that was blind to the plight of the poor. Pagan attitudes afflicted the community, which had a way of breaking Paul's heart; he wrote to them sometimes "with many tears" (2 Corinthians 2:4).

Today, Corinth is a small industrial city. Its historic core has been destroyed by a series of earthquakes over the centuries, and what little remained was totally obliterated in a war with Turkey in the 1820s. There's a core city with glamorous shops to catch the tourists, but it is mainly a cargo port, with piles of marble, tiles, and minerals everywhere, a huge oil refinery nearby, a busy canal, a modern fast rail line to Athens, and a meeting point of major highways. Today, the remains of the Temple of Apollo and the marketplace are more ruined than most such sites. The glory of the city Paul knew well has faded, but the relevance of his words shines through the centuries.

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