

# SACRED HEART BULLETIN



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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 only  
Monday through Friday

**OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA,** Tuesday at 6:30 AM

**FIRST SATURDAY MASS:** 8:30 AM  
Exposition until 10:00 AM

**CONFESSIONS:** Weekdays before or after Mass and Saturday Confessions 4:00 – 4:15 p.m.

## 24- HOUR ADORATION:

Thursdays, 7 a.m.—Fridays, 6 a.m.  
Sign-up sheets in Souby Baptistry.  
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 Wednesday of each month, 6:00 PM 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.

March 31, 2019  
4th Sunday of Lent  
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Sacred Heart Church in Morgan City

**“Come, Lord Jesus!”**  
A weekly journey of study of the Sunday Gospels. Interested in joining a group? Call Jeannie Landry, 385-6639 or Gail Dupuis, 385-2905.

**TO REQUEST A Parish Registration Form Call the Rectory at 385-0770... or shcsecretary@htdiocese.org... or 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.

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**Help Jesus in Disguise**

CRS collection will be taken up as the second collection on the weekend of March 30/31, 2019.

**CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICE  
COLLECTION**

**MAINTENANCE COLLECTION**

The parish maintenance collection will be taken up next weekend at all Masses as the second collection. Thank you for your continued support of this important fund.

**LIGHT IS ON**

**Confessions for the Lenten season will be heard on Wednesday, April 10th, 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm.**

**First Saturday Mass**

First Saturday Mass (which is also the Mass for those who wish to attend Mass daily during Lent) will be celebrated at 8:30 a.m., April 6th, followed by Exposition until 10 a.m.  
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**First Communion Workshop**

The workshop for all First Communion students will take place on Saturday, April 6th, 9:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. Students are to report to their classroom to begin the workshop.  
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**Confirmation Retreat**

The mandatory retreat for those to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation will be held in St. Joseph Hall, Saturday, April 6th, 9 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.  
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**FIRST COMMUNION**

The celebration of the reception of First Communion will take place at the 4:30 p.m. Vigil Mass, Saturday, April 6th. All students are asked to report to the classroom to line up for the procession into church.

**ADORERS ARE NEEDED!**

We are in desperate need of people to sign up as **regular adorers** for our Thursday 7:00 AM to Friday 6:00 AM Sacred Heart Adoration Ministry, held in the Baptistry weekly. It is important to have at least two people signed up for each hour. Currently, we have four time slots that have only one regular adorer. These times are: on Thursday, 7-8 AM and 9-10 AM, and on Friday, 1-2 AM and 3-4 AM. Please consider signing up as a Regular Adorer at one of these times, or any other time you feel your schedule will allow. There is a new Adorers sign-up sheet in the baptistry for your convenience in joining as a regular member.

There are 168 hours in a week, please consider spending one of those hours with Our Lord in adoration.

**CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING... Call to Family, Community and Participation**

Human beings are social by nature. We, like the early disciples, are called to come together as a community whether that community is our classroom, workplace or family. The Word of God invites us to apply this not only to interpersonal relationships, but to relationships between communities of people—people who are different than ourselves. It is not easy. However, it is possible with the grace of God. God passionately desires it. God passionately calls us to keep working to heal relationships.

**MASS INTENTIONS: Saturday, Mar. 30, 4:30pm:** Charles Gowland, Sr., Bernadine M. Hayes, M/M Donald Kreider, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Frank & Corinne Mula, Marvin Compton, Jackie Sumrall, C.J. & Mary Doiron, David Aucoin, Jr., Blackie Arceneaux, Joe Parsiola, Arcemont/Landry Families, David Arcemont, Genevieve Theriot, Santo & Stella Rousso, Adele & Red Arceneaux, Sylvia Polaski, Stephen Giroir, Emory & Mary Besse, Leif Hansen, Addie Dupont, Lester & Belle Simoneaux, George & Joyce Melancon, Anthony Cannata, Vincent & Fannie Cannata, Earl L. & Goldie Mayon, Fr. John Gallen, Pat Badeaux, Grace Napoli, Walter & Marilyn Romero, Jeanne Picou, Theresa & William Maxwell, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Andrew, Bill & Eloise Gowland, Vera & Boo Dupuis, Vivian & Eddie Fields, Jr., Donald Fields, Sally Anderson, Ruby Miller, Marius Carlos, Anthony Governale, Sr., John & Stella Mula, Elmo & Viola Goulas, Troy Fangue, Jonathan Percele, Alfred/Holt Families, Darce/Sons 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 LeBlanc, Curtis Mire, C.C. & Barbara Clark, Audrey Kreamer, Carroll & Zeder Kraemer, Bernie Marino, Melvin J. Pitre, Doris B. & J. Darwin Richard, Shirley & Cy Giroir, Jim Holt, Solly & June Robisheaux, Sr., Rosalie & Milford Blum, Fran & Butch Blum, Marion H. Bergeron, Johnny DeMatteo, Marlene Gautier, David Duplantis. **Sunday, Mar. 31, 8:00am:** Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Hugh & Nell E. Brown, David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Dannie Goulas, Joe & Bernie Gandelone, David & Jane Webster for Healing, Mim & Merlin Price, Sr., Claire & Sheldon Bergeron, H.V. Choo Choo Fondren, Forcheimer/Fondren Families L/D, Stella & Santo Rousso, Jason DeHart, Clarence & Odette Naquin, Anatole & Ida Fangue, Roland & Virginia Fangue, Earl & Goldie Mayon, Shannon & DeRouen Families L/D, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Johnny DiMatteo, Jeffrey DiMatteo, Mr. & Mrs. John Parker Conrad, Sr., Robert LaBauve, Bernie Marino, R.J. Frost, M/M Bernie Alfred, Blackie Arceneaux, Carroll Kraemer, David. **11:00am:** Parker & Shirley Conrad, Vivian & Ferris Romaine, Sr., Luda & Eli Fields, Marian Romaine, Nolan & Katherine Michel, Walter & Irma Michel, Nellie Blereau, Grace Napoli, Janet Trahan, Joe Giordano, Jim Holt, Calvin Alfred, Sr., Charles & Esther Marino, Genevieve Theriot, Adam E. & Dorothy Conner, Fred & Edna Williams, M/M Raymond Egle, Bill & Eloise Gowland, 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, Warren Fortier, Pat DeHart, Charles Gowland, Sr., A.J. Lajaunie. **6:00pm:** Peter Nguyen Hai, 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 LD. **Monday, Apr. 1, 6:30am:** Marvin Compton, Joe Parsiola, Anthony Cannata, David Arcemont, Joyce Melancon, Joe Giordano, Genevieve Theriot, Eloise & Bill Gowland, Charles Gowland, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Theresa & William Maxwell, M/M Eddie Landry, Nellie Blereau, Eugene Fields, Joe & Bet Cefalu, Roland & Jenna Fangue, Johnny & Jeffrey DeMatteo, Marion Bergeron, Cyrus & Shirley Giroir, Earl & Goldie Mayon, Rosalie, Milford, Butch & Fran Blum, Cyrus & Shirley Giroir, Santo & Stella Rousso, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Luke & Mary Spinella, Charles Gowland, Sr. Roy/Wise/Giordano Families, Bernie Marino, Nolan & Katherine Michel, Dale. **12:10 Noon:** M/M Jack Rousso. **Tuesday, Apr. 2, 6:30am:** Ted McManus, David Arcemont, Boudreaux/Sewart Families, Eloise & Bill Gowland, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Theresa & William Maxwell, George 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. **12:10 Noon:** Pat DeHart. **Wednesday, Apr. 3, 6:30am:** Marvin Compton, David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Roy & Dee Simoneaux, Emery & Mary Besse, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Skeezix & 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, 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, Grace Napoli. **12:10 Noon:** Judy Landry, Mark Manfre, Josephine Resignola. **Thursday, Apr. 4, 6:30am:** 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, Jeffrey DiMatteo, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Earl & Goldie Mayon, Richard W. Garrett. **12:10 Noon:** Charles Gowland, Sr. **Friday, Apr. 5, 6:30 am:** Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Pat Dehart, Larry Bergeron, Josephine Resignola. **12:10 pm:** David Duplantis.

**March 30, 2019, Saturday****4:30 P.M.****Presider:** Fr. Freddie**Lector:** K. Callais**Euch. Min.:** Ramirez**Cup Mins:** Deacon/Sr. T. Siracusa**Song Leader:** Kenney**Altar Servers:** V. Kenney**Usher:** Giroir**Sacristan:** Domma**March 31, 2019, Sunday****8:00 A.M.****Presider:** Fr. Toto**Lector:** Matherne**Euch. Min.:** J. Landry**Cup Mins:** Deacon/S. Dupuis**Song Leader:** Bourgeois**Altar Servers:** Beals**Usher:** Hebert/Roy**Sacristan:** J. Landry**March 31, 2019, Sunday****11:00 A.M.****Presider:** Fr. Toto**Lector:** Boudreaux**Euch. Min.:** Marino**Cup Mins:** Deacon/H. Bailey**Song Leader:** Castaneda**Altar Servers:** Cepeda/Mendez**Usher:** Conner/Williams/LaHoste**Sacristan:** Marino**March 31, 2019, Sunday****6:00 P.M.****Presider:** Fr. Freddie**Lector:** Williams**Euch. Min.:** Eues**Cup Mins:** Deacon**Song Leader:** LeBlanc**Altar Servers:** Harrison**Usher:****Sacristan:** Eues**ATTENTION** vocalists, cantors, choir members, from every parish in the diocese, the Office of Worship invites you to participate in a diocesan choir for the Chrim Mass and Priesthood Ordination.

The Chrim Mass is on Holy Thursday morning, April 18, 2019 at 10:30 a.m. at St. Francis de Sales Cathedral in Houma.

Priesthood Ordination is on Saturday, June 1, 2019 at 10:00 a.m., St. Francis de Sales.

Rehearsals for Chrim Mass are Thursdays, Apr. 4 & 11 6:30 pm.

Rehearsals for Ordination are Fridays, May 24 & 31, 6:30 p.m.

**All rehearsals at St. Francis. Must make all rehearsals to participate.**

**STEWARDSHIP:** March 18, 2019

**Regular Collection:** \$6229.15  
**Maintenance:** \$1020.00

SUNDAY OFFERING



**Money Counters:** Team 1- JD (3/25/19)

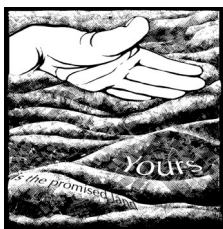
## WEEKEND READINGS

**First Reading** — The Israelites ate of the yield of the land of Canaan (Joshua 5:9a, 10-12) or *1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a*.

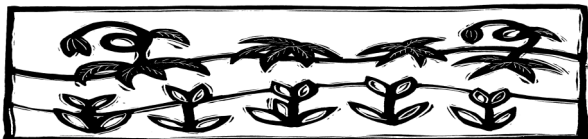
**Psalm** — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34) or *Psalm 23*.

**Second Reading** — Whoever is in Christ is a new creation (2 Corinthians 5:17-21) or *Ephesians 5:8-14*.

**Gospel** — This man welcomes sinners and eats with them (Luke 15:1-3, 11-32) or *John 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38]*.



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## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

This Sunday, “Laetare Sunday,” breaks the somberness of Lent for a little rejoicing, and the readings all summon us to an awareness of reconciliation. One of the best-loved stories of our tradition is today’s Gospel story of the runaway son and the prodigal father. Prodigal, of course, is an adjective meaning “spendthrift or extravagant to a degree bordering on recklessness,” and although the boy maxes out the credit cards, it is really the father who is prodigal with forgiveness.

Part of the excitement of this Laetare Sunday is rooted in the ancient catechumenate. Long ago, midway through Lent, the “elect” were focusing more and more on the gift of reconciliation accomplished for them by Christ and about to be realized in the Easter sacraments they were preparing to celebrate. In some places, the elect were even bedecked with roses on this day. A person bedecked with roses sticks out in a crowd; a person formed by the Eucharist and committed to living a life of reconciliation does, too. That’s you!

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**PRAY FOR... PEACE,** Protection from floods & storms, Pope Francis, Christian refugees & Martyrs, 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, Patsy Conner, Dalton Dupree, Noah Fryou, Tara Trahan, Ashley Ribardi, Virginia Naquin, Nick Tullier, Deanna Rome, Jimmy LeBlanc, Rickey Arce-neaux, Dale Hubert, Pat Rock, John Russo, Barbara Breaux, Stacy Giroir, Eston Roger, Drew Clements, Robbie & Kacie Touns, Janet Bennett, Sylvia M. Jett, Dallas Theriot, Theresa & Tim Theriot, Jean Stephens, Zweigle/ Dupree Families, Gloria & Jessie Michel, Edd Thornton, Donald Loupe, Ida Mae Percle, Allie LeBlanc, Lelia Johnson, Nicki Plessala, Jim Miller, Jill Johnson, John & Sylvia Carter, Jaiden, Marlee & Bentley Sinitiere, Laurie T., Tammy Fitch, Chad Duval, Jr., Harley Blanco, Demarius Granger, Mabel Rulf, Mary Geoffrey, R.J. Percle, Darrel Beadle, Killian Mabe, Norma Ramirez, Joan Judycki, Mary Ann Trosclaire, Anna Hargrave & Family, Ethan LeBouef, Shannon Swiber, Holly Brasseaux, Amanda Jennings, Katy Bourgeois, Ina Clarke, Teddy Laverne, Diane Bonnafee, William LaPoint, L.J. Vicknair, Marilyn Pye, Leonard & Priscilla Scully, Catherine & Elijah Landry, Christine Provost, Susie Sanford, Jim Dalton, Robin Jeansonne, Dely Fry.

**MILITARY:** U.S. Armed Forces and All who serve & protect us, Craig Bourdier, Joseph Johnson, V, Tony Malbrough.

