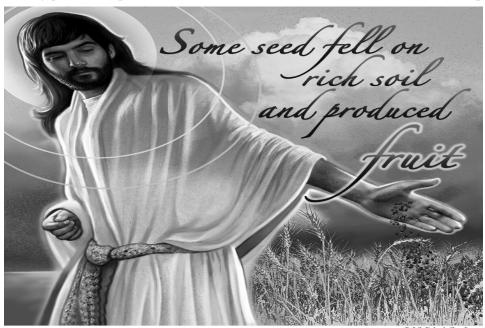
SACRED HEART BULLETIN



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 Monday through Friday

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. Weekends: 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 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-

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.

July 12, 2020 Fifteenth Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

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"Come, Lord Jesus!" A weekly journey of study of the Sunday Gospels. Interested in joining a group? Call Jeannie Landry, 518-0079 or Gail Dupuis, 385-2905.

TO REQUEST A Parish Registration Form Call the Rectory at 385-0770... or shesecretary @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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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS SCHEDULE

continues to remain the same

IN CHURCH

Mass is celebrated in church on Saturday at 4:30p.m. and Sunday at 11a.m. Everyone is required to a 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 blue cross.

OUTDOOR MASS

8:00a.m.

Sunday 8a.m. mass in the Grotto area will continue. Wearing a mask is encouraged. Keep a six foot distance between families and please bring your own chair. In case of inclement weather mass will be celebrated in church.

SUNDAY BLESSING

9:30-10:30A.M.

Fr. Henry and Fr. Toto will continue to bless you and your families as you drive up in your vehicle at the front entrance outside of church between 9:30-10:30a.m. Father looks forward to seeing you! 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.

LIVESTREAMING WILL CONTINUE

Livestreaming on Facebook will continue for the 4:30p.m. Saturday Vigil and Sunday for the 11:00a.m. mass. Facebook account: Sacred Heart of Jesus Roman Catholic Church of Morgan City

IMPORTANT: THERE IS STILL NO OBLIGATION

<u>FOR SUNDAY MASS.</u> If you are sick, immunodefficient, or care for someone who is, it is strongly encouraged that you avoid putting yourself or others

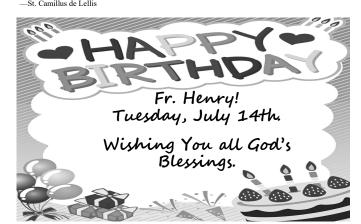
FRUIT OF THE WORD

The seed is the word of God. The agricultural metaphors in all of today's readings give richness to the message that the word of God, cultivated in our hearts, bears much fruit in our lives. Creation itself awaits the redemption of all, even as our bodies await the resurrection. Just as we will rejoice in the fulfillment of God's word, so will all of creation sing for joy in the Reign of God. The word of God is effective and holy; it brings about exactly what it says. It is not futile or empty, but rich in meaning for those who hear and are healed. Those who hear the word of God and keep it will, with all creation, bear much fruit and sing for joy.

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TOWARD HEAVEN

Think well. Speak well. Do well. These three things, through the mercy of God, will make a person go to heaven.



CONFESSION

The sacrament of reconciliation is being offered Monday through Friday 2:00-2:30pm in the Grotto area.



SACRED HEART THRIFT STORE TO REOPEN

The Thrift Store has reopened for donations and sales. Wednesday & Thursday 8:30—11:00a.m.

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS: Saturday, July 11, 4:30pm: Karen Ordogne, Larry Bergeron, M/M Walter Romero, Sr., Theodore & Pasty LaVerne, 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, Blackie Arceneaux, Joe Parsiola, Santo & Stella Rousso, Adele & Red Arceneaux, Stephen Giroir, Lester & Belle Simoneaux, George & Joyce Melancon, David 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 Fangue, 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 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. Earl L. Mayon & Goldie M. Mayon, Viola Percle, Vincent C. Cannata, Otis Rulf, M/M Ben Montet, M/M Anton Fromenthal, M/M/ Ralph Hebert, Lynn & Rita Bernucho families L/D, Ed Fontenot, Rosalee Loupe, Steven Adams, Santo & Stella Russo, Albert Jerome Bileci, Alice Shannon Guzzetta, Audrey Comeaux, Gil Blanchard, Arlene & Theresa Frost, Hilda Landry, Rosie/Agnes/Mable/ Elaine John, Joan Kristicevich.

Sunday, July 12, 8:00am: Rose H. Percle, Alvin Ackerman, Jr., Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Dannie Goulas, Joe & Bernie 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 Fangue, Roland & Virginia Fangue, 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, J.D. & Evella Martin, Jimmy Lebouef, Alice S. Guzzetta, Emile Babin & family. 11:00am: Jim Holt, Holt/Alfred Family, Mr. & Mrs. Oliver J. Bergeron Family L/D, Parker & Shirley Conrad, Hugh & Nell Egle Brown, M/M Raymond Egle, Vivian & Ferris Romaire, Sr., Luda & Eli Fields, Marian Romaire, 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, Wayne Vidos, Sam Spitale. 6:00pm: peter Nguyen Ha, 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. Streva Family L/D. Monday, July 13 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 Fangue, Johnny & Jeffrey DeMatteo, Marion

Tuesday, July 14, 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, Mark Manfre, Alice S. Guzzetta, Karen Ordogne, Fr. Joseph Henry Sebastian.

Wednesday, July 15, 6:30am: Mark Manfre, Karen Ordogne, 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, Pat Dehart, Charles Gowland, Sr., Gladys & Clive Cloutier, Larry Bergeron, Bernadine Hayes, Arden Clair Adams, Allie & Ashton Adams, IV, Johnny DiMatteo, Nguyen Family, Ed Fontenot.

Thursday, July 16, 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, Horace Naquin, Dung, Anthony Cannata, Rosalee Loupe, Ray Guarisco, Otis Rulf, Karen Ordogne, Theresa Frost.

Friday, July 17, 6:30a.m.: Holy Souls in Purgatory, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Pat DeHart, Charles Gowland, Sr., David Duplantis, Dung Nguyen Family, Nolan & Katherine Michel, Jerry Listi, Mark Manfre, Karen Ordogne, Ken, Santo & Stella Russo, Alice S. Guzzetta, Arlene Frost.

CCD RELIGIOUS EDUCATING (YOUTH GROUP)

Registration forms have been mailed for the 2020-21 religious education program. The date has not yet been set when classes will begin. We are hoping it will be in October. Our first concern is for the safety of the children. We will continue to keep you informed through the bulletin, Facebook and announcements in church. Thank you for your cooperation. Please call the rectory with any question or concerns, 985-385-0770.

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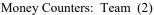
"The one who hears the Word and understand it . . . Beards fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirty fold."

The people who heard Jesus tell the parable of the sower would have understood: seeds that fall on fertile ground would have a better chance of producing than seeds that landed on a path or rocky ground. Jesus was aware that they may not have understood the deeper spiritual and philosophical meaning of the story. Recalling the words of Jeremiah [5:21] "You foolish and senseless people, who have eyes and do not see, who have ears and do not hear" and quoting Isaiah [6:9] Jesus said, "Whoever has ears ought to hear." When the others departed the disciples asked Jesus to explain to them the meaning of the story. He reveals that the seed represents the Word he has come to proclaim and live. Some will hear the Word but loose interest; some will find it challenging and abandon it; but some will hear the Word and accept it and live it regardless of the difficulties and risk. The disciples understood and produced "a hundred or sixty or thirty fold." Do we understand? How much are we producing?

STEWARDSHIP: 6/28/2020

Regular Collection: \$6228.47

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — My word will achieve the end for which it was sent (Isaiah 55:10-11).

SUNDAY OFFERING

Psalm — The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest (Psalm 65).

Second Reading — We, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan within ourselves awaiting the redemption of our bodies (Romans 8:18-23).

Gospel — Some seed fell on rich soil and produced fruit (Matthew 13:1-23 [1-9]).

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Two centuries ago, Archbishop John Carroll worried that Americans would not appreciate the linguistic veil over our worship, and asked that the liturgy in the new United States be in English, not Latin. How did our liturgy come to be in Latin in the first place? In the first century, the dominant language in the regions where the church first flourished was Greek. Today in much of the world, almost everyone speaks at least a bit of English. Recently, the European Union even considered making English its official language, a curious proposal since only two English-speaking countries are members.

Just as English is a unifying language today, it was hard to function in the ancient world without a smattering of Greek. Even the word "Eucharist" comes from the Greek for "thanksgiving." For a long time, Greek was the language of worship, even in Rome. Slowly, society in the west shifted to a bias for Latin and against Greek. Latin first appeared in public prayer at the end of the second century, in the colonial outposts of North Africa. Soon, Latin became the language of culture, and so as fixed prayer forms were written, they were transmitted in Latin. From Rome and Africa, over the next four centuries, the new liturgical language of Latin spread north to Gaul and Britain.

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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 Naguin, Nick Tullier, Deanna Rome, Jimmy LeBlanc, Rickey Arceneaux, Dale Hubert, Pat Rock, Barbara Breaux, Stacy Giroir, Eston Roger, Drew Clements, Robbie & Kacie Toups, 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, Lelia Johnson, Nicki Plessala, Jim Miller, Jill Johnson, Sylvia Carter, Jaiden, Tammy Fitch, Chad Duval, Jr., Harley Blanco, Demarius Granger, Mabel Rulf, 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, William LaPoint, Marilyn Pye, Leonard & Priscilla Scully, Catherine & Elijah Landry, Susie Sanford, Jim Dalton, Robin Jeansonne, Stephen Schaub, Charlie Solar, Sr., Karen Duhon, Barbara Olson, Herman Bailey, Rene Prado, Jahmarla Guidry, Bob Opperman, Susan Nelson, Laine Mosher, Aceson Alleman, CatherineThibodeaux, Scott Barbier, Martha Guillory, Will Lapoint, Edwin Bergeron, Jason Theriot, Anna Rogers, Evie Herrington, Mac Percle, Yvonne Sweigle, Joyce Vicknair, Melba Robin, Shonet Vedros, Bryson Plaisance, Betty Ross, Larry Giroir., Jim Davis, Paul Brown, Mike McAdams, Noel Verdin, Rachel Adams, Red Cuvillier, Ave Ross, End to the pandemic, All victims of the coronavirus and their families, Elijah Carter, Nedra Giroir, Ronald Verdin Jr., Thomas Glenn, Valerie Streety, Larry Guillory. MILITARY: U.S. Armed Forces and All who serve & protect us, Craig Bourdier, Joseph Johnson, V, Tony Malbrough, Mathew Young.

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.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

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

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