

SACRED HEART BULLETIN



*If you pull
up the
weeds*

*you might
uproot the
wheat along
with them*

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SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

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**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.

**“Come, Lord Jesus!”**
A weekly journey to
study and meditate on
the Sunday Gospels.
Interested in joining a
group? Call Jeannie
Landry, 385-6639 or Gail
Dupuis, 385-2095.

LITURGICAL SERVICES

SUNDAY MASSES: Saturday Vigil:
4:30 PM. Sunday: 8:00 AM, 11:00
AM & 6:00 PM .Spanish Mass: 3:00
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, 7 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.

Charter for the Protection of Children & Young People

1.985.873.0026

Outreach line for victims of sexual abuse by church workers.

PLEASE SILENCE CELL PHONES DURING SERVICE.

THE MERCY, POWER, AND LOVE OF GOD

The first reading today, from the book of Wisdom, makes its point over and over, at least five times in five verses! God is mighty, but lenient to all. God's power is shown in kindness and clemency, not in harshness and condemnation, and those who govern God's people must govern in the same way, with kindness. This loving kindness and gentleness is not contrary to God's might, but is a direct result of God's primacy over all. Who are we, then, to judge what is in the hearts of our fellow Christians and all people, when God commands justice with love and clemency?

Likewise, the Holy Spirit makes up for our ignorance of what we need, speaking in a language we do not yet understand. But God knows our needs before we do, understands the intercessions of the Spirit, and helps us in our weakness. This is our hope: God's mercy, power, and love.

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FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR

this weekend have been donated to Sacred Heart in memory of Mrs. Nellie Blereau on the Anniversary of her death, by her husband, Dr. Bob Blereau and Family



Prayer for the Hurricane Season

Lord, through the prayers of this faithful community and the intercession of Our Lady Star of the Sea, protect the lives and property of your people from the devastation of hurricanes and storms this hurricane season. We pray to the Lord.

On the occasion of the 40th Anniversary of our diocese, Service Awards were given to those in each parish for their service to their communities. See below our 2017 Honorees: Mrs. Carol Ackerman and Mr. T.R. Naquin. Centered in the picture are Bishop Fabre and Rev. Freddie Decal.



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

For centuries, the only Eucharistic Prayer we heard as Western Catholics was the old Roman Canon, usually recited in a low voice by the priest, in Latin. By the 1940s, many Catholics were learning to follow along with the actions of the priest by means of a bilingual missal, with Latin on one side and English on the other. Drawings of the priest's position at the altar, moving from one side to the other, or bowing or standing with uplifted hands at the center, helped the readers stay on track.

The Roman Canon is a long prayer, and since it was done every day for every occasion, priests had a way of galloping through it. Even though long, its structure is fairly simple, with the consecration and sacrifice clearly marked out. Sadly, this surviving prayer had triumphed over many treasures of our tradition that emphasized other dimensions of Eucharist.

The *Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy* in 1963 did not call directly for new Eucharistic Prayers, but that direction was inevitable. Discussion began almost immediately, and by 1967 the Vatican approved three new Eucharistic Prayers. In 1974, the Congregation for Worship unveiled the experiment of two Eucharistic Prayers for Masses of Reconciliation, and three for Masses with Children. At last, a period of creativity and enrichment had begun.

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THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 23, 2017

MASS INTENTIONS: Saturday, July 22, 4:30pm: Joe Parsiola, Arcemont/Landry Families, David Arcemont, Genevieve Theriot, Santo & Stella Rouso, Adele Arceneaux, Sylvia Polaski, Adele Webb, 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, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Pat Badeaux, Mildred & Edward Thornton, Charlie & Joyce Cloutier & Jack, C.J. & Mary Doiron, Grace Napoli, Walter & Marilyn Romero, Jeanne Picou, Rosalie Blum, Theresa & William Maxwell, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Andrew, Bill & Eloise Gowland, Vera Dupuis, Vivian & Eddie Fields, Jr., Donald Fields, Anthony Governale, Sr., John & Stella Mula, Elmo & Viola Goulas, Troy Fangué, 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, Corinne & Frank Mula, Joe & Bet Cefalu, Elfrey LeBlanc, Curtis Mire, C.C. & Barbara Clark, Audrey Kreamer, Ernest & Helen Autin, LT & Yvonne Ozio, Bernie Marino, Melvin J. Pitre, Doris B. & J. Darwin Richard, Shirley & Cy Giroir, Mercedes Verret, Jim Holt, Celeste Loupe, William KleinWillie Mae Burleigh, Margaret Achee, Parker Conrad . **Sunday, July 23 , 8:00am:** Vivian & Eddie Fields, Marius Carlos, Donald Fields, David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Dannie Goulas, Joe & Bernie Gandelone, Helen Laughlin, Janet Trahan, David & Jane Webster for Healing, Mim & Merlin Price, Sr., E. J. Daigle, James Andrew Estay, Claire & Sheldon Bergeron, H.V. Choo Choo Fondren, Forcheimer/Fondren Families L/D, Bert & Audrey Chauvin, Stella & Santo Rouso, Jason DeHart, Clarence & Odette Naquin, Anatole & Ida Fangué, Roland & Virginia Fangué, Earl & Goldie Mayon, Shannon & DeRouen Families L/D, D.J. Fanguy, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Johnny DeMatteo, R. J. Frost, J.L. Roy, Clarence Christenson, Parker Conrad, R.J. Frost. **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, Charles & Esther Marino, Genevieve Theriot, Pat Duplantis, Adam E. & Dorothy Conner, Fred & Edna Williams, M/M Raymond Egle, Bill & Eloise Gowland, Nicole Rock, Helen Billiot, Jessie F. Hansen, Leif G. Hansen, Hogan/Landry Families, Mac, Mary & Stephen McCleary, Dehart/Duhon Families L&D, Dr. C.R. Brownell, Leonard & Florence Bernucho, Charles Moreau, Ozio/LeDoux Families, Oliver Bergeron, Jr., Barbara Kreider, Betty Rink, Warren Fortier, Leona Accardo, J.A. & Sue A. Garcia. **6:00pm:** Two Peter/Two Joseph/Two Maria Vu, Genevieve Theriot, Janet/Beverly/Charles Fernandez, Leonard & Enola Klutts, Barbara Miller, Yvonne Fernandez, Carl J. & Glenda W. Strevia Family LD., Bob & Wanda McClelland & Andrew. **Mon. July 24, 6:30am:** Thanksgiving-C. Roy, Joe Parsiola, Anthony Cannata, David Arcemont, Joyce Melancon, Joe Giordano, Enola Acord, Genevieve Theriot, Eloise & Bill Gowland, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Theresa & William Maxwell, M/M Eddie Landry, Nellie Blereau, Eugene Fields, Joe & Bet Cefalu, Roland & Jenna Fangué, Strevia Family L/D, Edward & Meriam Dupont, Bert & Audrey Chauvin, Grace Napoli, Bernie Marino, Philip Smith, Parker Conrad. **Tues., July 25, 6:30am:** Thanksgiving-C. Roy, David Arcemont, Joyce Melancon, Boudreaux/Sewart Families, Eloise & Bill Gowland, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Theresa & William Maxwell, George Melancon, Nellie Blereau, Dupuis Family, Elaine Naquin, Warren Fortier, Earl L. & Goldie Mayon, Robert & Maridel LaBauve, Lucille Giordano, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Bernie Marino, Alice Shannon, Parker Conrad. **Wed., July 26, 6:30am :** Thanksgiving-C. Roy, David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Roy & Dee Simoneaux, Earl Laughlin Sr., Emory & 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, Stella & Santo Rouso, Earl & Goldie Mayon, Celeste Loupe, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Loulie & Lelia Boudreaux, Johnny DeMateo, Mary McCleary, Parker Conrad. **Thurs., July 27, 6:30am:** Thanksgiving-C. Roy, David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Bessie Roy, Eugene Fields, Merlin Price, Sr., Celeste Loupe, David Loupe, Cy & Shirley Giroir. Nellie Blereau, Manfre Family, Teresa & William Maxwell, John & Stella Mula, Randolph & Pauline Landry, Bet & Joe Cefalu, Santo & Stella Rouso, Adam & Dorothy Conner, Fred & Edna Williams, Tom & Alice Shannon, David Duplantis, Joe Parsiola, Phillip Smith, Sr., Parker Conrad. **Fri., July 28, 6:30am:** Carol & Ena Prestenbach, Nellie Blereau, Mrs. Horace Naquin, Sr., Special Intentions-Robert & Pat Becnel, Parker Conrad.

WEEKEND OF JULY 23, 2017				SACRED HEART SCHEDULED MINISTERS				
<u>Mass Time</u>	<u>Presider</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Extraord. Minister</u>	<u>Cup Minister</u>	<u>Song Leader</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Sacristan</u>
4:30 PM	Fr. Freddie	Mc Closkey	Poe	Dn. Jennings Thibodeaux	Conner		Sanders	Bourdier
8:00 AM	Fr. Freddie	Gowland	Bourgeois	Dn. Jennings Dupuis	Pennison		Hebert Roy	Duke
11:00 AM	Fr. Freddie	Russo	Myers	Dn. Jennings Powell	Kreider		Conner, Williams LaHoste	Johnson
6:00 PM	Fr. Freddie		Eues	Dn. Jennings Williams	LeBlanc		Bergeron	Eues

STEWARDSHIP July 9, 2017

Envelopes: \$5778.00 **SUNDAY OFFERING**

Loose: \$ 569.25

Total: \$6347.25



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WEEKEND READINGS

First Reading — You taught your people that those who are just must likewise be kind (Wisdom 12:13, 16-19).

Psalm — Lord, you are good and forgiving (Psalm 86).

Second Reading — The Spirit comes to aid us in our weakness (Romans 8:26-27).

Gospel — Jesus proposes parables to the crowds, teaching them of the reign of God (Matthew 13:24-43 [24-30]).



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PRAY FOR THE SUCCESS

OF THE

DIOCESAN STRATEGIC PLAN

**PARTNERS IN
HOPE**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15:1bc-6; Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28

Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-28; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Thursday: Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b; Dn 3:52-56; Mt 13:10-17

Friday: Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 13:18-23

Saturday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 34:2-11; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

PRAY FOR... PEACE, Protection from floods & storms, Pope Francis, Christian refugees & Martyrs, Mark Manfre, Harold Ross, Huan Tran, Mary Ann Crocker, Kathleen W. Hodges, Janet Duval, Ruth Hebert, Dennis Taylor, Mary J. Siracusa, Luke Aucoin, Geniese LaHoste, Lisah Gagneaux, Judy Gagneaux, Brenda Stansbury, Martha Lawson, Calvin Alfred, Kathryn Stadalis, Carolyn Leonard, Fedria Granger, Anthony Billiot, Melissa Michel, Donald Loupe, Lyla Boudreaux, Max Anderson, Sterling Nixon, Pat Roland, Mary Besse, Carol Bergeron, Bennett Breaux, Jim Dalton, Rexall Howard, Stephen Giroir, Keith & Karen Tisdale, Ana Rogers, Teresa Norman, Beulah Deshotel, John Pitre, Richard Brasseaux, Mona Thibodeaux, Hilda Landry, T. J. & David Broussard, Joe Kent, Ron Barrett, Jeannette Beadle, Denise Langston, Tyson Dubar, Evelyn Morrison, Kim Crouch, Scott Barbier, James A. Estay, Nuna Paray, Angie Miller, Debby Romero, Faye & Emile Solar, Evelyn & Melvin Duval, Mary A. Trosclair, Bridget Thibodeaux, Dr. C.G. Whitley, R.J. Hebert, Jessica Wuellner, Kim Verrett, Terry Jenkins, Jane Webster, Rodney Frederick, Susan & Logan Fromenthal, Betty Smith, Pamela Pellerin, Larry Ledet, Ian Davis, Rodney Stansbury, Gary Naquin, Billie McHugh, L.J. Vicknair, Sharon Bergeron, Lana Domino, James Bonner, Charles Lott, Katy Taylor, Diana Williams, Madisyn Duet, Henry Daigle, Roger Liner, Donna Henry, Cheryl Doiron, Sally Anderson, Pansy Landry, Solly Robisheaux, Francisco Sierra, Mike Watson, Rosa Santos. Jane Davis, Deanna Guidry, Joseph O'Shea, Ann Rucker, Bob Keeling, Carolyn Watson, Louis Wilson, Roger Adams Jr., Bobby Daigle, Marlene Gautier, Colleen Stephens, Betty Rulf, Kelly Tyner, John Roe, Jr., Michael Roe, Jeannie Burnes, Mary Crochet, Gene & Edie Nezat, Ross Rock, James Rink, Paul Conner, Trisha Tipton, Ann Allemand, Rip Verdin, Sr., Brittany Thomas, Patsy Conner, Lanie White, Janice Jones, Finley & Gunner Tisdale, Dalton Dupree, Noah Fryou, Jorge Suarez, Tara Trahan, Cheryl Verdin, Amanda Boggs, Ashley Ribardi, Virginia Naquin, Nick Tullier, Deanna Rome, Jimmy Diaz, Mona Kullman, Jimmy LeBlanc, Rickey Arceneaux, Tammy Bergeron, Gerald Clements, Charlie Roy, Chad Pickens, Bea Albarado, Chase Vining, Annabelle Trosclair, Dale Hubert, Sarah McGloghlon, Barbara Breaux, Pat Rock, Floyd & Marta Mier, George Hale, Guy Gilmore, Jr., John Russo. **MILITARY:** United States Armed Forces at home & abroad, All who serve and protect us, Craig



TRAVELING CHALICE

The Traveling Chalice will be presented to James & Elaine Williams, 8 a.m. Mass, Sunday, July 23rd.