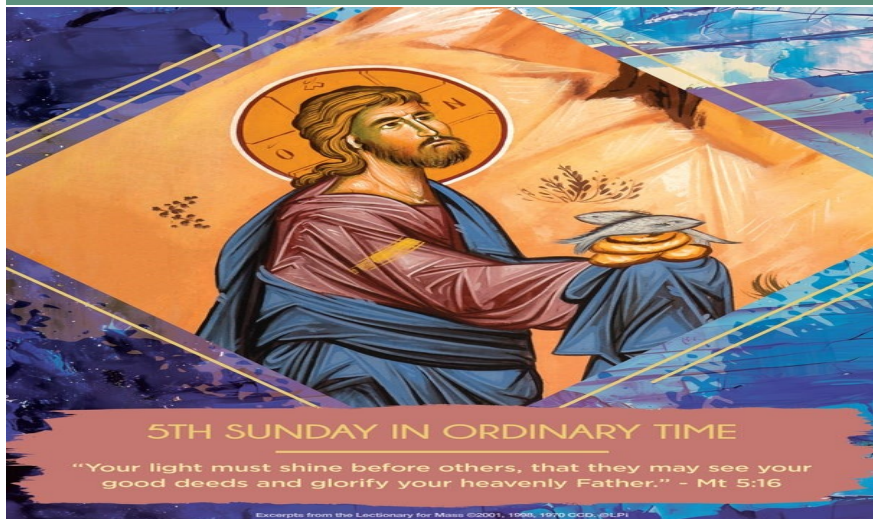


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LITURGICAL SERVICES

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM.

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

WEEKDAY MASSES:

*Monday No Mass—Exposition &
Adoration 6:00–7:00 AM.*

Tuesday–Friday

Exposition & Adoration: 6:00 AM

Mass: 6:30 AM

Saturday: 8:30 A.M.

FIRST SATURDAY MASS:

8:30 AM

Exposition until 10:00 AM.

Confession 9-10 AM.

OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA

Tuesday at 6:30 a.m.

CONFESSIONS:

Before all weekday and weekend
Masses or by appointment.

24– HOUR ADORATION:

Thursdays, 7 a.m.—Fridays, 6 a.m.

Held in the Souby Baptistery

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, 6:00 PM in the
Gallen Room (parking lot entry).

WEDDINGS:

Couples should make an appoint-
ment with the parish priest at least
six months in advance.

ANOIDTING 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** or shcsecretary@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

Thought for Today

"Each person we meet is Jesus in disguise."

Do Something Beautiful for God—Mother Teresa

MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

The second collection this weekend February 4 & 5 is for the Parish Maintenance Fund.

Thank you for your continued support of this important fund~

Diocesan Priests' Convocation

Monday, February 6th.—Thursday, February 9th.

Fr. Brett will be out these 4 days along with all the priests throughout the Houma Thibodaux Diocese. No mass will be celebrated here at Sacred Heart on those days. However, St. Stephen in Berwick has masses on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday at 12:10p.m.



We remember in prayer all the priests of our Diocese as they attend the annual Convocation.



Saint Josephine
Bakhita

Feast Day Wednesday,
February 8th.

St. Bakhita
pray for us.



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Light shines through
the darkness for the
upright.*

— Psalm 112:4



Scout Sunday

February 5th at 11:00a.m. Mass all Scouts will be in attendance. Scout Sunday is the observance of the significance of religion in Scouting.



Liturgical Ministers

February 4 & 5, 2023

Schedule

Sacristans:

Sat., 4:30P.M. — Fran Listi
Sun., 8:00A.M.— Jeannie Landry
11:00A.M.— Brenda Besse
6:00P.M. — Marcia Bergeron

Lectors:


Sat., 4:30P.M. - Jovita Compton
Sun., 8:00A.M. —Pete Boudreaux
11:00 A.M.— Gerrie Byrne
6:00P.M.—Kathy Callais

Eucharistic Ministers

Sat., 4:30P.M.— Fran Listi
Sun., 8:00A.M.— Chris Landry
11:00 A.M.— Larry Besse
6:00P.M. —Marcia Bergeron



First Saturday Mass
February 4th -8:30 A.M.
followed by Exposition,
Adoration, Confession, and
Mediation Rosary
until 10:00 A.M.



CURRENT STUDENT (PRE-K3-11TH)
RE-REGISTRATION FOR THE 2023-2024
SCHOOL YEAR BEGINS
Monday, February 6th

NEW STUDENT (PRE-K3-12TH)
REGISTRATION FOR THE 2023-2024
SCHOOL YEAR BEGINS
Monday, February 13th

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 5, 2023



MASS INTENTIONS: Sat., Weekday, Feb. 4, 8:30am: Anthony Cannata, David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, 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, Cyrus & Shirley Giroir, Earl L. & Goldie M. Mayon, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin.

Sat., Vigil, Feb. 4, 4:30pm: Patrick J. Bergeron, Vera & Charles Dupuis, 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., M/M Donald Kreider, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Frank & Corinne Mula, Marvin Compton, Seth & Jackie Sumrall, Blackie Arceneaux, 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, Pat Badeaux, Grace Napoli, Jeanne Picou, Theresa & William Maxwell, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Andrew, Bill & Eloise Gowland, Luda & Eli Fields, Vivian & Eddie Fields, John Robert "Bob" Keeling, Jr., Donald Fields, Sally Anderson, Ruby Miller, Marius Carlos, Elmo & Viola Goulas, Troy Fangue, Martin & Deshotel & Prince Families, Robert & Maridel LaBauve, Mary & Ray Martin, Smith-Theriot Families, Betty & Philip Smith, Sr., Dirk Hoffpauir, Joe & Bet Cefalu, Elfrey & Margie LeBlanc, Carroll & Zeder Kraemer, Melvin J. Pitre, Doris B. & J. Darwin Richard, Marion H. Bergeron, Marlene Gautier, David Duplantis, Nick & Katie Mancuso, Dee & Vincent Orcino, Viola Percle, Loupe/LaHoste Fam., Sidney Solar, Jr., Joe Parsiola, Agnes Robicheaux, Nick LaRocca, Judy Duval, Dot & Sonny Duval, Bill & Eloise Gowland, Rafael Basas, Dung Nguyen, Jaqueline Hebert, Warren & June Fortier, James Kullman, Sr., Ayo & Odelia Loupe, Debra Duhon, & Family, Sonia Hebert, Susan Aucoin, M/M Arthur "Mac" Rulf, Denise Bostic, Evert, Viola, Sandy Percle, Theresa Blanchard, Blanchard, Fontenot, Leggett Fam., Cay Price.

Sunday, Feb. 5, 8:00am: Rose H. Percle, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Joe & Bernice Giandelone, Claire & Sheldon Bergeron, H.V. Choo Choo Fondren, Forcheimer/Fondren Families L/D, Jason DeHart, Anatole & Ida Fangue, Roland & Virginia Fangue, Earl & Goldie Mayon, Mr. & Mrs. John Parker Conrad, Sr., DiMatteo Family, John/Josephine/Johnny DeMatteo, Jeffery DeMatteo, Richard, Sr. & Hilda Landry, Rickey Arceneaux, C.J. & Viva Solar, Blackie Arceneaux, Mark Manfre, Tracy Lajaunie, Delores Lajaunie, Biundo/Bourgeois Families, Herman Pellerin, Jr., Cay Price, Karen Ordogne, "Seeds on Good Ground," Come, Lord Jesus Members, Margaret Romaine, Charlie Roy. **11:00am:** Jim Holt, Holt/Alfred Families L/D, 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 & Richard Romaine, Nolan & Katherine Michel, Walter & Irma Michel, Nellie Blereau, Joe Giordano, 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, Marion & Oliver Bergeron, Jr., Betty Rink, David Duplantis, Mark Manfre, J.P. Morella Family L/D, Beverly Hamer, Conner & Williams Families, Sonia Hebert, Josephine & Rocco Guarisco, Sr. & Rocco Guarisco, Jr. & Fam., L/D, Betty Theriot Smith, Pat & Carmen Prestenbach, Don Domino, M/M J.A. Garcia Fam. **6:00pm:** 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, Dalia & Manuel Ramirez, Albarado Fam. L/D, C.J. & Mary Doiron, Wilbert, Nan & Tim Melancon, Conner-Melancon Fam., Michael Polito, Sliman John.

Tuesday, Feb. 7, 6:30am: David Arcemont, Boudreaux/ Sewart families, Eloise & Bill Gowland, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Rudolph Landry, Theresa & William Maxwell, George & Joyce Melancon, Nellie Blereau, Dupuis family, Mr. & Mrs. John Parker Conrad, Sr., Anthony Cannata, David Duplantis, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Larry Bergeron, Charles Gowland, Sr., J.P. Morella & Fam. L/D, Rickey Arceneaux, Mark Manfre, Jim Holt, , Rosemary Cutrera, Howard Thibodaux, Debra Duhon & Family, Flora Ann Marceaux.

Wednesday, Feb. 8, 6:30am : Mark Manfre, 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, David Loupe, Celeste Loupe, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Loulie & Lelia Boudreaux, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Charles Gowland, Sr., Gladys & Clive Cloutier, Larry Bergeron, Beverly Hamer, Nguyen Family, Dung Nguyen, Prayer Intentions of SHC Parishioners, Debra Duhon & Fam., Linda Duke, Ray LaHoste, Cay Price, Flora Ann Marceaux.

Thursday, Feb. 9, 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, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Charles Gowland, Sr., Horace Naquin, Dung Nguyen, Rosalee Loupe, Rickey Arceneaux, C.J. & Viva Solar, Blackie Arceneaux, Therol Naquin, Debra Duhon & Family, Allen & Elizabeth Ann Price, Flora Ann Marceaux.

Friday, Feb. 10, 6:30am: Holy Souls in Purgatory, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Pat DeHart, Charles Gowland, Sr., David Duplantis, Dung Nguyen Family, Mark Manfre, Santo & Stella Russo, Anthony, Vincent C. & Fannie Cannata, Ed Patterson, Patrick Bergeron, Henry Daigle, Debra Duhon & Family, Sonia Hebert, Cay Price, Adam Olivier/Mary Dupre Olivier.

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.**



STEWARDSHIP: 01/22/2022

Regular Collection: \$5,793.00
Maintenance: \$185.00

Money Counters: Team (1)

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, Kim Verrett, Rodney Frederick, Roger Liner, Donna Henry, Jane Davis, Roger Adams Jr., Gene & Edie Nezat, Ross Rock, Brittany Thomas, Dalton Dupree, Noah Fryou, Tara Trahan, Ashley Ribardi, Deanna Rome, Jimmy LeBlanc, Dale Hubert, Pat Rock, Barbara Breaux, Stacy Giroir, Eston Roger, Drew Clements, Robbie & Kacie Touns, Janet Bennett, Jean Stephens, Zweigle/Dupree Families, Gloria & Jessie Michel, Donald Loupe, Ida Mae Percle, Lelia Johnson, Nicki Plessala, Jim Miller, Jaiden, Tammy Fitch, Chad Duval, Jr., Harley Blanco, Demarius Granger, Darrel Beadle, Killian Mabe, Joan Judycki, Mary Ann Trosclair, Anna Hargrave & Family, Shannon Swiber, Holly Brasseaux, Amanda Jennings, Katy Bourgeois, Ina Clarke, William LaPoint, Marilyn Pye, Leonard & Priscilla Scully, Catherine & Elijah Landry, Robin Jeansonne, Charlie Solar, Sr., Karen Duhon, Barbara Olson, Herman Bailey, 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 Herington, Mac Percle, Yvonne Zweigle, Bryson Plaisance, Betty Ross, Larry Giroir, Nedra Giroir, Jim Davis, Rachel Adams, Ave Ross, Elijah Carter, Valerie Streety, Larry Guillory, The Fitch Family, Anna Broussard, Reberta Ford, Margie Aucoin, Gentry Garrett, Cherie Dyer, Lovenia Percle, Francis Smith, Layla Giroir, Wendy Hotard, Charles Gibson, Jr., Billy Cantrell, Patty Fontenot, Rhonda Lile, Beth Naquin, Raymond Daniels, Renee Harper, Warren Landry, Louis Tamporella, Judy Solar, Vera Judycki, Buddy Rogers, Russell Vicknair, Mable Lester, Howard Rogers, Tammy Richard, Elliot Prejean, Rip & Cheryl Verdin, Kim Hanks, Kattie Ghirardi, Lynette Breaux, Darlene Hamm, Anthony "Tony" Richard, Nanette S. Landry, Mary Lou Conrad, Barbara McCloy, Ashia Starling, Gene Arceneaux, Mary Ann Adams, Jimmy Russo, Kay Olds, Franklin Pierce, Marlene Pierce, Brent Gravois, Ava Carpenter, Ellen Rink, Richard Ford, Kelley Dalton, Theresa & Jason Babin, Jim Mestepey, Ryan, Odalys Ultra., Francis Loupe, Willie Mae Lewis, Earline & David Gastins, Elias Dupree, Peggy Perry, Keely Price, Robin Bailey Jeansomme, Steve Sealine, Shirley Verdin, Celeste Laitimen, Robbie Sword, Holly Barbier, Mary Price, Austin Courtney, Elijah Allen, Jerry Trosclair, Christian Miguez, Danny Chiasson, Howard Johnson, Gene Falcon, Zet Frederick, Kennt & Judy Hope, Russell Vicknair, Max Anderson, Steve Morell, Jeanne McCloy, Keelan Arbuckle, Myrtle Verdin, Louis Chaisson, Dr. Conrad Poe, Billy Lamar, Audie Taquino, Mary Lynne Verrett.



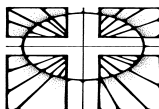
PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

U.S. Armed Forces and All who serve & protect us, Craig Bourdier, Ryan Bourdier, Andrew Bourdier, Joseph Johnson, V, Tony Malbrough, Mathew Young, Luke Zweigle, Draven Smith, Brian Hartman, Ory Arcemont, Ryan Hunter, Cameron Case, Matthew Tregle, Tanner Richards, Johnathan Villegas.



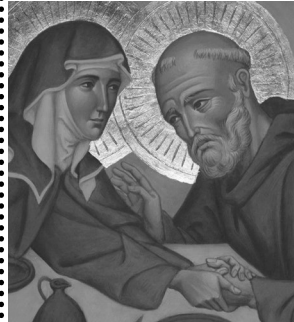
PRAYER INTENTIONS

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



ST. SCHOLASTICA

Feast Day, Friday, February 10



Scholastica was twin sibling to Saint Benedict, she consecrated her life from an early age.

Reflection: "Scholastica and Benedict gave themselves totally to God and gave top priority to deepening their friendship with him through prayer. They sacrificed some of the opportunities they would have had to be together as brother and sister in order better to fulfill their vocation to the religious life. In coming closer to Christ, however, they found they were also closer to each other. In joining a religious community, they did not forget or forsake their family but rather found more brothers and sisters. Saint Scholastica is the patron saint of cloistered nuns."

Francismedia.org



Sacred Heart Church is committed to supporting the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux and its ministries through the Annual Bishop's Appeal and supporting the key ministries that serve our parishioners directly through the appeal. We ask that you join us in prayers and generosity as we support our 9 Seminarians, our 14 retired priests, Sacred Heart Youth and Adult Formation, and Catholic Education through our Catholic

Schools Office. We encourage you to watch the



Annual Bishop's Appeal Video at home this week on our Diocese social media page and online at www.htdiocese.org/bishopsappeal. Please be on the watch for your materials and how you can learn about your prayers and gifts

help us live the Lord's mission through the Annual Bishop's Appeal. If you would like more information about the 2022 Appeal, please contact the Annual Bishop's Appeal Office at 985-850- 3136 or email lcrosby@htdiocese.org.

February 5, 2023

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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.

Gospel Acclamation

R. *Alleluia, Alleluia.*

*I am the light of the world, says the Lord; / who-
ever follows me will have the light of life..*

R. *Alleluia, Alleluia*

This Little Light of Mine

"The message in this week's readings is clear:
in order to give glory to God through our disci-
pleship, we must show the light of Christ in
our words and deeds. Not an easy thing for
inhibited adults. Often we may think of salt
and light in terms of what we do for others,
but it can be just as important not to do something,
such as getting angry with the stranger on the road, or
telling an offensive joke."



Prayer for Priests

"Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the
gift of our priests.

Through them, we experience your presence in the
sacraments. Help our priests to be strong in their
vocation. Set their souls on fire with love for your
people. Grant them the wisdom, understanding,
and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of
Jesus.

Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom.

Give them the words they need to spread the
Gospel.

Allow them to experience joy in their ministry.

Help them to become instruments of your divine
grace.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and
reigns as our Eternal Priest." *Amen.*

USCCB

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading:

Then your light shall break
forth like the dawn,
and your wound shall quick-
ly be healed. (Is 58:8)

Psalm:

The just man is a light in dark-
ness to the upright. (Ps 112)
Or Alleluia.

Second Reading:

When I came to you, brothers and sisters,
proclaiming the mystery of God,
I did not come with sublimity of words or of wisdom.
For I resolved to know nothing while I was with you
except Jesus Christ, and him crucified. (1 Cor 2:1-2)

Gospel:

"You are the light of the world.
A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden.
Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a bushel bas-
ket." (Mt 5:14-15)



GOSPEL MEDITATION

I recently decided to learn to cook. As I sit at the feet of
various YouTube cooking masters, I notice how much of
cooking is adding ingredients that don't provide any
more nourishment, like herbs and other seasonings.
But man! They make all the difference because they
make the meal delightful to eat and share.

Jesus calls his disciples "salt of the world." No one eats
just salt. So, Christians are not meant to replace or do
away with the world. They are meant to be agents of
preservation and glorification. Notice how often these
days the Church seeks to preserve what is threatened:
the goodness of marital and family love, the desires of
young people for greatness, the value of honest work,
healthy economics, and altruistic political engagement,
the dignity of the poor and vulnerable. Over and over,
we say to a world who wants to throw things out, "It's
worth saving! We'll preserve it! We'll show you it's
wonderful." If we can't engage the world like that, Je-
sus says we are the ones who get thrown out, because
salt alone is worthless.

Jesus only asks us to do for others what he does for us.
He is the "salt" of everything in our lives. Is there some-
thing in your life starting to rot a bit? Something tasting
bland and boring? Let Jesus salt it and see if you like it
better.

— Father John Muir

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