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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– Friday

Eucharistic Adoration: 6:00 AM

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:

Before all weekday and weekend
Masses or by appointment.

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 appoint-
ment 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** 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.

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TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
MASS SCHEDULE

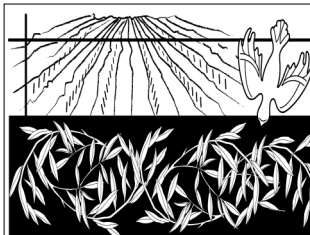
IN CHURCH: Mass is celebrated in church on Saturday at 4:30p.m. and Sunday at 8a.m., 11a.m. & 6:00p.m.
***WEARING A FACE MASK IS REQUIRED!** We also encourage social distancing. We assure you that our church is safe. We have reserved 2 pews in the back for those who feel they are vulnerable.

IMPORTANT: Bishop Shelton Fabre has reinstated the Obligation to participate in Mass on Sundays and other Holy Days of Obligation.

Thought for Today

Joy is very infectious. We will never know just how much good a simple smile can do. Be faithful in little things. Smile at the people who cross your path. You have a beautiful smile. Don't waste it. Live beautifully. Smile at life. Smile everywhere you go. Smile at everyone you meet.

Do Something Beautiful for God— Mother Teresa



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The fruit of righteousness is sown in peace for those who cultivate peace.

— James 3:18

Liturgical Ministers



September 18 & 19

Sacristan:

Sat., 4:30P.M. — Lauren Arcemont
Sun., 8:00P.M. — Gail Dupuis
11:00P.M. — Susie Myers
6:00P.M. — Rebecca Pye

Lectors:

Sat., 4:30P.M. - Chris Hunter
Sun., 8:00A.M. - Pete Boudreaux
11:00A.M. - Dean Listi
6:00P.M. — Courtney Matherne

Extraordinary Bread:

Sat., 4:30P.M. — Chris Landry
Sun., 8:00A.M. — Gail Dupuis
11:00A.M. — Susie Myers
6:00P.M. — Marcia Bergeron

St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist Feast Day, Tuesday, September 21

No one was more shunned by the Jews than a publican, who was a Jew working for the Roman enemy by robbing his own people and making a large personal profit. Publicans were not allowed to trade, eat, or even pray with other Jews. One day, while seated at his table of books and money, Jesus looked at Matthew and said two words: "Follow me." This was all that was needed to make Matthew rise, leaving his pieces of silver to follow Christ. His original name, "Levi," in Hebrew signifies "Adhesion" while his new name in Christ, Matthew, means "Gift of God." The only other outstanding mention of Matthew in the Gospels is the dinner party for Christ and His companions to which he invited his fellow tax-collectors. The Jews were surprised to see Jesus with a publican, but Jesus explained that he had come "not to call the just, but sinners."



ROSARY



The rosary is prayed everyday at 4pm in Church. The prayer intention of this rosary is for an end to the Covid-19 Pandemic.

Please consider joining in this important prayer for our world.



**First day of Autumn
Wednesday,
September 22**

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 19, 2021



MASS INTENTIONS: Saturday, Sept. 18, 4:30pm: Patrick J. Bergeron, 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 Rouso, 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, Elfre & 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, Alice Shannon Guzzetta, Ed Patterson, Sidney Solar, Jr., Lorraine Terrebonne, Agnes Robicheaux, A. Charles & Elnora C. Bucci, Nick LaRocca, Thanksgiving, Ridley Blanchard, Bob Keeling, Annie & Alvin Stansbury, Helen Anne Laughlin, Rella Mae Fontenot, Virgil Skinner, Wade Vidos, David Price, Rafael Basas.

Sunday, Sept. 19, 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 LeBoeuf, Rickey Arceneaux, C.J. & Viva Solar, Blackie Arceneaux, Stephen Schaub, Mark Manfre, Larry Pennison, Charlie Roy, Tracy Lajaunie, Souls in Purgatory, Thanksgiving, Carroll "Bobby" Bertaut, III, Greg Howell, **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, 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, J.P. Morella Family L/D., Beverley Hamer, Conner & Williams Families, Sonia Hebert, Nick LaRocca, Hope Johnson & Fam. (Healing), Josephine & Rocco Guarisco, Sr. & Rocco Guarisco, Jr., Dalia Ramirez **6:00pm:** Two Peter, Two Joseph & Two Maria Vu, 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., People in Nursing Homes.

Monday, Sept. 20, 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 Patterson, Rosemary Cutrera, Howard Thibodaux, Larry Pennison, Thanksgiving.

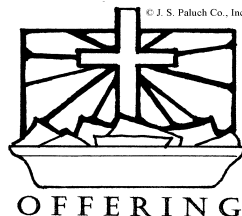
Tuesday, Sept. 21, 6:30am: Ted McManus, David Arcemont, Boudreaux/ Sewart families, Eloise & Bill Gowland, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Rudolph Landry, Theresa & William Maxwell, George & Joyce Melancon, Nellie Blereau, Dupuis family, Elaine Naquin, Robert & Maridel LaBauve, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Bernie 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., J.P. Morella & Fam. L/D, Cyrus Giroir, Johnny DiMatteo, Rickey Arceneaux, Larry Pennison, Mark Manfre, Jim Holt, Jerry Listi, Thanksgiving, Terry Blanchard, Carroll "Bobby" Bertaut, Earl F. Laughlin, Sr..

Wednesday, Sept. 22, 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, Thanksgiving, Charlotte Acosta.

Thursday, Sept. 23, 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 Rouso, 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, Rickey Arceneaux, C.J. & Viva Solar, Blackie Arceneaux, Garnette Listi, Thanksgiving, Alcide "Red" Arceneaux, David Price.

Friday, Sept. 24, 6:30am: 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, Charlie Roy, Lorraine Terrebonne, Patrick Bergeron, Thanksgiving, Peace & Healing, Carroll "Bobby" Bertaut, Santo Russo.

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:
09/5/2021
Regular Collection:
\$7,682.00
Maintenance: \$4,163.00

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 Whit-
ley, 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 Ad-
ams Jr., Gene & Edie Nezat, Ross Rock, Brittany Thomas, Dal-
ton Dupree, Noah Fryou, Tara Trahan, Ashley Ribardi, Virginia
Naquin, Nick Tullier, Deanna Rome, Jimmy LeBlanc, Dale Hu-
bert, 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, Jaid-
en, Tammy Fitch, Chad Duval, Jr., Harley Blanco, Demarius
Granger, 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, Robin
Jeanonne, 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, Ed-
win Bergeron, Jason Theriot, Anna Rogers, Evie Herrington,
Mac Percle, Yvonne Sweigle, 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, Va-
lerie Streety, Larry Guillory, Allen Bourdier, John Giordano,
Cox, Nettie Acosta, The Fitch Family, Rachal Basas, Don Dom-
ino, Anna Broussard, Cassandar Alverd, Peggy Bourque,
Reberta Ford, Jim Mestepey, Margie Aucoin, Gentry Garrett,
Cherie Dyer, Lovenia Percle, Linda Cortez, Francis Smith, Eliz-
abeth Smith, Layla Giroir, Wendy Hotard, Charles Gibson, Jr.,
Billy Cantrell, Patty Fontenot, Melissa Michel, Rhonda Lile,
Dovan Babin, David Duhon, Ellen Ruiz, Ceolia Badeaux, Beth
Naquin, Raymond Daniels, Renee Harper, Warren Landry, Lou-
is Tamporella, Judy Solar, Vera Judycki, Buddy Rogers, Russell
Vicknair, Hope Johnson, Mable Lester, Howard Rogers, Tammy
Richard, Elliot Prejean, Ricky Tamartniere, Gerard, Raven, &
Renee Mayon, Rip & Cheryl Verdin, Kim Hanks, Kattie Ghir-
ardi.



Youth Formation Night
Wednesday,
September 22

5:45-7:15p.m.

ACTIVITY NIGHT & THE CELEBRATION
OF MASS

Any questions please call the rectory
(385-0770).

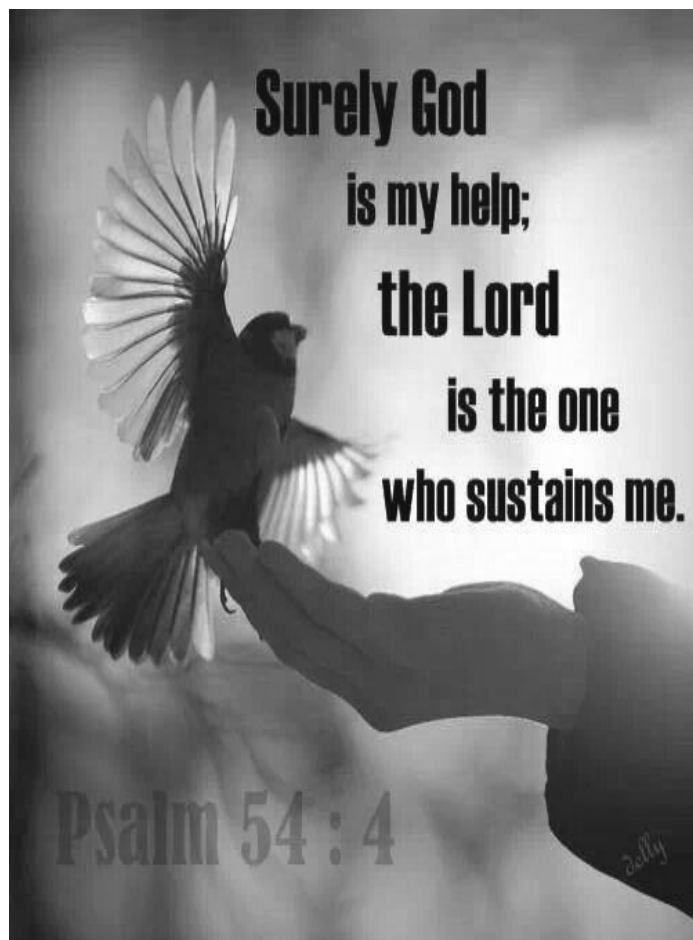
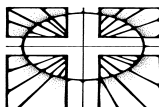


PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

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, Ory Arcemont, Ryan
Hunter, Cameron Case, Matthew Tregle.

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.



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Entrance Chant:

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.

Gospel Acclamation

R. Alleluia, alleluia

God has called us through the Gospel/ to possess the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

R. Alleluia, alleluia

HOW DO WE TREAT THE MESSENGER?

Let's not be too hasty in defining who is "the wicked one" and who (namely us) is just! We are very quick to label others as evil, because we tend to label ourselves as good guys. We don't like it when we are brought up short by a prophetic voice that brings us some bad news about our own behavior. We don't like to be reproached for transgressions of the law or charged with violations of our training.

We may condemn and abuse those who bring us up against these truths about ourselves when, if we were really good, we would thank them for helping to keep us on the right path. This is the way they treated the prophets and the way they treated Jesus. Is this also the way we treat those whose message we don't like?

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**DIOCESAN SERVICE LEADERSHIP AWARD FOR
SACRED HEART PARISH**



ADULTS: SUSIE D. MYERS AND LARRY BESSE

YOUTH: GRACE TOUPS AND JACKSON KENNEY

***WE CONGRATULATE YOU AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR
SERVICE IN OUR PARISH!***

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The wicked say: With revilement and torture let us put the just one to the test

(Wisdom 2:12, 17-20).

Psalm — The Lord upholds my life (Psalm 54).

Second Reading — The wisdom from above is full of mercy and good fruits (James 3:16 — 4:3).

Gospel — Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me (Mark 9:30-37).

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

How long have there been parochial schools in the United States? Longer than you may imagine. The Jesuit fathers opened Saint Mary School in Philadelphia in 1782 in the first light of independence. Catholic and Protestant squabbles about the nature of education forced the Fathers to make this risky and innovative venture in the heart of the city. The school was closed by a devastating fire in 1902, but reopened in 1968 as St. Mary Interparochial School, the first example of a shared parochial school. It is also the only Catholic school within the confines of a national park. This is the "Mother School" of this uniquely American institution. Many parochial schools, especially in "national parishes," were established to preserve the culture and language of the "old country," and also to protect young people from prejudice.

In other countries, Ireland for one, the Church is authorized to run national schools, sometimes under the sponsorship of a parish. In still other places, such as Quebec, publicly-funded "separate schools" were administered by the Church. Wherever the state funds Catholic schools, normally enrollment is guaranteed to all applicants. The Quebec system was dismantled in 1998 when the state decided to reorganize schools along linguistic lines rather than religious affiliation. Parochial schools require considerable sacrifice, but they endure as a distinctive treasure of the Church in the United States.

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Gina Dupuis