



# SAINT JOSEPH

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## OCTOBER 28, 2018 - THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### PARISH MINISTERS

Rev. William Schambough .....*Pastor*  
Deacon Keith Duhon .....*Deacon*  
Chenell Privat .....*Secretary to the Pastor*  
Sandra Smith .....*Bookkeeper*  
Eva Green .....*Coordinator of 1st-11th Grade Religion*  
Celeste Fortier.....*Safe Environment Coordinator*  
John Buroker .....*Choir Director*

### SACRAMENTS

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturday from 3:00–3:55 pm, 20 minutes before daily Mass and by appointment, (please call the office).

**BAPTISM:** Preparation for the sacrament is provided to parents held in the evenings. (See bulletin for time and place.) Parents are encouraged to attend during pregnancy, to avoid undue delays.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** For Anointing, death, or in case of an emergency please call the parish office.

**MARRIAGE:** Couples planning marriage are asked to contact the pastor or deacon at least six months before.

### CELEBRATING THE EUCHARIST

Saturday:.....4:00 p.m.  
Sunday: .....8:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.  
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday:.... 6:30 a.m.  
Thursday:.....6:00 p.m.  
Holy Days:..... 6:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

### WELCOME, VISITORS.

We extend a warm welcome to the individuals and families who are celebrating with us today. We invite you to become registered with our Parish Family by completing our Parish Census Form, and returning it to the office on 208 E. Edith.

### PASTORAL COUNCIL

Pam Begnaud                    Trista Littell  
Bob Cole                        Nicole Hebert  
Dan Guidry  
Steve LeMaire

### PARISH TRUSTEES

Linda Desormeaux  
Robert Landry



**30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"Son of David, have pity on me!" Has the cry of Bartimaeus ever escaped your lips? Today's Gospel tells the story of a blind man with a difficult lot in life. He made a living by begging coins off passing travelers. When word reaches him that Jesus will be passing by, this is when he begins to shout for mercy. Jesus hears Bartimaeus' cry and beckons him forward.

"What do you want me to do for you?" Last week, Jesus asked a similar question to James and John. Their response was a clutch for fame. Bartimaeus' response is much humbler. "Lord, I want to see." How strange this interaction must have seemed to the onlookers. The man is blind! Of course he wants to see! But Jesus is always teaching us. By asking us what we want, Jesus reveals the dispositions of our hearts. God already knows them, but do we? By asking James and John to name their ambition, their selfishness is exposed to them and to the other disciples. By asking Bartimaeus to name his longing, his faith is exposed to the entire crowd. Jesus invites participation in our own redemption. He doesn't save us without us!

Take some time in silent prayer today. Place yourself in this story of Bartimaeus. Imagine yourself there on the dusty, crowded roadside. Jesus is calling you! When you stand before him, his focus is on you and you alone. "What do you want me to do for you?" he asks. Search your heart. How would you respond? What part of your heart is Jesus asking you to expose? He has come to heal and to restore. May we, too, be sent! "Go ... your faith has saved you."

***Please Pray For The Sick***

- Gracie Broussard Meyer Moore Wilmer Landry
- Lucy Broussard Chase Conway Stoute Trisha Doucet
- Norval Knapp Brennen Albert Dina Broussard
- Susan Vincent Gunner Breaux Hunter Henry
- Joyce Comeaux James Benoit Joe Daigle
- Diane Johnson Dolores Benoit Kathryn Trahan
- Bobby Trahan Charlie Harrington Kathleen Blanco
- Betty Thibodeaux Rudolph Fabre Kim Vincent
- Luby Landry Lilly Mae Romero Enola G. Bernard
- Mary Belle Broussard Judy Touchet Karen Hebert
- Bernice Breaux Mary Trahan Raywood Decou
- Russell Pierce

**Our Gift Back to God**

Offertory .....	\$11,098.75
Mailed/Dropped in Office .....	+ 930.00
Total (October 21st)	\$12,028.75
Weekly Goal .....	\$12,000.00
Plus/Minus our Goal .....	\$ + 28.75
World Mission Sunday .....	\$ 1,810.00

**Thank You!**

**Next Weekend's Second Collection**  
 Building & Maintenance Fund

Today's Psalm says, "The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy." Good stewards demonstrate by their living and giving that they understand God as the Source of all they are and have.

Jesus said to him in reply, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way. - Mk 10:51-52

***Mass Intention***

**Weekend of October 27th & 28th, 2018**  
 Sat. 4 p.m., Sun. 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. for the intentions listed,  
 Sun. 10:30 a.m. for our parish (Pro Populo)

Tommy & Dot Collins (His Birthday), Ryan Viator, Zachary Esters, Preston Venable, Will Venice Christian (Birthday), Drew Eschete, Mary P. Meche, Sostane & Stanley Broussard & Family (Stanley's Birthday), Matthew Andrus, John Ivy & Hazel Broussard & Family (Her Birthday), Jacob Theriot, Wilda & Louis Theo Bares, Willis Morvant, Frank Richard, Barbara Breaux, Pierre Long Hebert, Lewis & Maude Picard, John Chaisson, Hilda Rubin, Marciel & Agnes Rubin & Family, Korlyn Chaisson, Kalaya St. Julien

***Weekday Masses***

- Monday 29 Sick of the Parish
- Tuesday 30 First Responders & Those Serving in our Armed Forces
- Wednesday 31 Vocations to the Priesthood

**Thursday, November 1st (All Saints Day)**

Yenes & Elwood Baudoin (Elwood Birthday), Living & Deceased members of the Curtis J. Decou Family, Clifford "Bud" Broussard & Family, Loyd Denais, Flossie Landry, Willis & Geri Morvant, Huey Theriot, Lawrence Benoit, Sr., Emily Kay Benoit, Erwin & Winnie Bixenman, Ernest & Laura Hebert, Dudley & Amie Denais, Mary P. Meche, Ray Simon, Clifford J. Viator & Family, Ryan Viator, Mabry, Tina Simon & Children, M/M Claude Landry, Joe Gallet, Roland Louviere, Helaire & Matilda T. Decou & Family, Eura V. Simon, Clifton & Lorena Broussard & Family, Edwin & Editha H. Simon, Sostane & Stanley Broussard & Family, Howard Broussard, Wilda & Louis Theo Bares, Beverly C. & Mildred B. Picard, John Ivy & Hazel Broussard & Family, Tommy & Dot Collins, Preston Hebert, Jr. (Anniv.), Evelyn B. Landry, Shannon Broussard Campbell, Tanya Wilson, Allen Gerard & Family, Douglas & Lula Lantier Duhon, Sr., Zachary Tucker, Pam McDonald, M/M Leody Boudreaux, Etienne & Leona Clark, Sabel Trahan, Katherine M. Fontenot

- Friday 2 Louis Guidry, Dalfred John Guidry, Edvard & Lydia Hebert & Family, Allen Anslem, M/M Claude Landry, M/M Surville Girard, Emily Kay Benoit, Flossie Landry, Frank & Viola Martin, Joe Gallet, Azamia & Sarah Hanks, Pierre Long Hebert

**Sanctuary Candle**

Mildred B. Picard (Birthday)



**All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation)** Masses will be celebrated on Thursday, **November 1st** at 6:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Parish Office Closed!

**First Saturday Adoration** Join us for the Rosary beginning at 8:00 a.m. followed by the Mass at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, **November 3rd**.

**Blessing of the Cemeteries** Our annual blessing of the Cemeteries will be held on Sunday, **November 4th**. Blessings will be at the following times:

*St. Joseph Cemetery.....11:45 a.m.*  
*Benoit Cemetery .....12:30 p.m.*  
*Picard Cemetery .....12:45 p.m.*  
*Baudoin Cemetery.....1:15 p.m.*  
*Broussard-Vincent.....1:40 p.m.*  
*Broussard-Robley Dr.....2:05 p.m.*

**The Next Baptism Seminar** will be held on Thursday, **November 8th**, at 6:30 p.m. in Church. Parents are encouraged to attend during pregnancy in order to avoid any delays.

**The Pro-Life Rosary Group** invites everyone to join them in praying the rosary following the 6:00 p.m. Mass on Thursday, **November 8th**.

**Mass For The Homebound** Every Sunday St. Mary Parish in Lafayette is "streaming" their Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass. The homebound, as well as residents in assisted living facilities and nursing homes can watch the Mass "live" at 8:00 a.m. on Sundays or watch the video recording of the Mass any time on Sunday or during the rest of the week. Go to [www.stmarych.com/live](http://www.stmarych.com/live). Please help pass the word to those who might benefit by this ministry.

**Centennial News: A Diocese of All Saints - The Churches of the Diocese of Lafayette are under the patronage of a wide array of Saints. The Blessed Mother is the most popular patron of Acadiana Churches with 34 Churches under her patronage through a variety of titles. St. Joseph has 14 Churches under his patronage. Other patrons span the centuries from St. Peter to St. Pius X, and from St. Mary Magdalen to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Only 8 Church parishes do not evoke a Saint in their patronage. Five of those belong to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, while Holy Ghost, Holy Trinity, and Holy Cross round out the eight.**

**Statement of Assets, Liabilities and Fund Balance**

6/30/2018

Cash	\$ 981,758
Committed Reserved	303,419
Mausoleum Inventory	357,650
Prepays	20,850
Building, Contents and Land	<u>3,381,360</u>
Total Assets	\$ 5,045,037
Operating Expenses Payable	\$ 21,871
Organization Funds Payable	8,992
Unreserved Fund Balance	<u>5,014,174</u>
Total Liabilities & Fund Balance	\$ 5,045,037

**Statement of Revenue and Expenses  
For the 12 months ended June 30, 2018**

12 Months

Revenues	\$ 927,194
Expenses	<u>514,479</u>
Net Revenues over Expenses	\$ 412,715 *

\*NOTE: This amount includes our share of the Centennial Rebate of \$63,420.

**Events This Week**

- Mon. (29th):** 3rd, 4th & 5th CCD
- Tues. (30th):** Rosary Making Ministry  
1-2:00 p.m. (Church)  
Choir Practice 6:30 p.m. (Church)
- Wed. (31st):** No CCD for 1st & 2nd
- Thurs. (1st): All Saints Day**  
Masses 6:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.
- Fri. (2nd):** Parish Office Closed
- Sat. (3rd):** First Saturday Adoration  
Rosary 8:0 a.m.  
Mass 8:30 a.m.
- Sun. (4th): Blessing of Cemeteries**  
6th, 7th & 8th Grade CCD

**Food For The Poor** Please join us the weekend of **November 17th** to hear Rev. Patrick Murphy, S.J. speak at all Masses about a ministry providing direct relief to the poor throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. Fr. Murphy will share personal witness about Food For The Poor's mission to care for the destitute as a means of living out the Gospel mandate to love one another.



**Word of Life** "To the survivors of abuse and the families who have lost a loved one to abuse, I am sorry. You are no longer alone." Cardinal Daniel N. DiNardo of Galveston-Houston, President of USCCB *For the U.S. Catholic bishops: May the Lord grant them strength to be holy shepherds in protecting and leading their sheep.*

**All Souls Day Requiem Mass** in honor of the faithful departed on Friday, **November 2nd** at St. John The Evangelist, 515 Cathedral Street. The Rosary will begin at 5:00 p.m. with the Holy Mass at 5:30 p.m.

**Blessing of the Woodlawn Cemetery** will be Sunday **October 28th** at 2:00 p.m.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Monday: Eph 4:32--5:8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [cf. Eph 5:1]/Lk 13:10-17
- Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-32/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [1a]/Lk 13:18-21
- Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14/Lk 13:22-30
- Thursday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 6]/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
- Friday: Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1 or 4ab]/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40
- Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26/Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef/Lk 14:1, 7-11

**Next Sunday's Readings**

- Deuteronomy 6:2-6
- Psalm 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51
- Hebrews 7:23-28
- Mark 12:28b-34

**“Rejoice and Be Glad”** “Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your lives.” These words are used at Mass to send us back out into the world, to glorify the Lord. But how do we do that? How can our little lives add anything to the splendor and majesty of God? Join us on five consecutive Tuesdays to explore Pope Francis’ Apostolic Exhortation “Rejoice and Be Glad: On the Call to Holiness in Today’s World”. In five chapters, the Holy Father explores ways in which the Lord calls us all to holiness, “each in his or her own way”. Sessions will begin at 6:00 p.m., and last about an hour. Each session will focus on one of the five chapters of the document. No registration is required. Presenter: Fr. M. Keith LaBove. It will be held at St. Patrick Church, 406 E. Pinhook on Tuesdays **October 30th and November 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th.**

**Wondering about Seminary Life? Come and See!** Are you a young man, 16 or over, who is wondering about your future path? Consider attending the upcoming Come and See Vocations Retreat to witness for yourself seminary life. You will have a chance to talk with, attend Mass and pray with the seminarians, and discern God’s call for your own life. Join us for the Come and See Retreat at St. Joseph Seminary in St. Benedict, Louisiana, **November 2nd-4th.** The weekend is free of charge and transportation is provided from Lafayette. To register, contact Fr. Patrick Broussard, Director of Vocations, 261-5690 or visit [Lafayettevocations.org](http://Lafayettevocations.org).

*“A priest is not a priest for himself, he is a priest for you.” - Cure’ of Ars*

**Please Pray for Our Priest:**

- Rev. Peter Emusa
- Rev. Cyprian Eze
- Rev. Richard Fabre
- Rev. James Fallon, SSJ
- Pope Francis
- Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI
- Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel

**Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church** would like to extend an invitation to youth to attend an upcoming Career Connections event entitled, “Uniting Preparation with Opportunity”. The event will take place in the Gym, 818 12th Street on Saturday, **November 3rd** from 9:00 a.m. till 11:00 a.m. The event is free and open to youth ages 10-23 years. Light refreshments will be served. Please call Immaculate Heart of Mary for more information.



**Painting with Prayer** Father Bill Melancon will offer Painting with Prayer on Saturday, **November 10th**, at Our Lady of Perpetual Help (1303 St. Jude Ave., New Iberia) in the Parish Life Center from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. The cost of \$25.00 includes all supplies. Please call the parish office to register in you plan to attend at 365-5481.

**Annual Veterans Day Program** Monday, **November 12th** at 9:00 a.m. Fountain Memorial Funeral Home, 1010 Pandora Street in Lafayette. The service will be in the Veteran’s Section of the cemetery. Lawn chairs are welcomed. Service lasts approximately one hour. Reception in funeral home following service.

*Thought of the Week* A creative man in motivated by the desire to achieve, not by the desire to beat others.

**Liturgical Ministers November 1st, 3rd & 4th, 2018  
Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, & Servers**

We ask all ministers to please be there **15 minutes before Mass.** Sacristans, please be there 30 to 45 minutes before Mass. Please call for a replacement if unable to make your scheduled time.

**Thursday, November 1st, 6:00 p.m. (All Saints)**

- Sacristan:** Leslie Breaux
- Lectors:** Leslie Breaux, Shannon Phillips
- Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Keith Duhon, John Landry, Paula Landry, Emily Landry, Ryan Ward, Ronnie Begnaud, Felix Begnaud
- Altar Servers:** Elizabeth Roy, Graham Snodgrass

**Saturday, November 3rd, 4:00 p.m.**

- Sacristan:** Cyndi Miller
- Lectors:** Cyndi Miller, Wally Broussard
- Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Keith Duhon, Angelique Latiolais, Sylvia Broussard
- Altar Servers:** Mollie Boudreaux, Ali Boudreaux

**Sunday, November 4th, 8:00 a.m.**

- Sacristan:** Morgan & Curlis Savoy
- Lectors:** Toddy Guidry, Trish Marullo
- Eucharistic Ministers:** Ruthie Denais, Curlis Savoy, Morgan Savoy, Becky Prejean, Mary Adams, Donna Pitre, Deidre Toups
- Altar Servers:** Emma Begnaud, Karly Segura

**Sunday, November 4th, 10:30 a.m.**

- Sacristan:** Leslie Breaux
- Lectors:** Cindy Fontenot, Randy Blanchard
- Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Keith Duhon, Leslie Breaux, Suzie Trappey, Gerard Labat, Joan Morvant, Jake Duplechin, Earline Blanchard
- Altar Servers:** Gavin Duplechin, Jarret Duplechin

**Sunday, November 4th, 5:00 p.m.**

- Sacristan:** Steve & Sharon Moore
- Lectors:** Steve Moore, Sharon Moore
- Eucharistic Ministers:** Ouida Roy, Cally Lege, Cherie Bailey, Macy Toups, Jerry Besson, Kristie Besson, Payton Lege
- Altar Servers:** Noah Poff, Cooper Poff

