

UPCOMING EVENTS

St. Martha and Infant Jesus

- Sept. 17 (SM) Bible Study 6:00 p.m. (PO)
- Sept. 19 (SM) Bible Study 9:30 a.m. (PO)
- Sept. 24 (SM) Bible Study 6:00 p.m. (PO)
- Sept. 26 (SM) Bible Study 9:30 a.m. (PO)
- Sept. 26 (IJ) Catholic Charismatic Renewal WB 7:30 p.m.
- Oct. 1 (SM) Justice & Life Ministry 6:30 p.m. (PH)
- Oct. 1 (SM) Bible Study 6:00 p.m. (PO)
- Oct. 2 (IJ) Golden Agers Meeting 2:00 p.m.
- Oct. 3 (SM) Bible Study 9:30 a.m. (PO)
- Oct. 3 (SM) Baptism Seminar 7:00 p.m. (PO)
- Oct. 5 (SM) Adoration 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. (Chapel)
- Oct. 6 (IJ) Rosary 9:00 a.m. (Carmel Hall)

PO = Parish Office PH = Parish Hall

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

"Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound"



Parish School of Religion has begun. It's not too late to register for Grades 1-8. Please contact the office at 366-1604.

Mrs. Louise Frederick, PSR

TRICK OR TRUNK
SAVE THE DATE!!!



TIME, TREASURE, AND TALENT NEEDED!!!

**Our annual Trick or Trunk will be
Wednesday, October 31st**

We are in need of volunteers to park your cars and give out candy, help set up and or take down, serve food and drinks.

We are accepting candy and monetary donations.

Please call the office at 366-1604 and let us know what you would like to do to help make our Trick or Trunk a fun-filled night for the children in our parish community.

MASS AND HEALING SERVICE

There will be a Mass and Healing Service with Frank Kelly on Thursday, **September 20, 2018** at 6:00 p.m. at St. Joseph Church in Gretna. Frank Kelly is the sixth of twelve children from a devout Irish Catholic family in Boston. In 1985 he miraculously survived what should have been a lethal dose of electricity. His life took a dramatic turn and he now travels throughout the country sharing his life changing experience. Frank has been blessed with many apostolic gifts including the Gift of Healing and the Gift of Knowledge, which he will share at the Healing Service. For more information on Frank visit the web: <http://betania2.org/?s=frank+kelly>, see the interview with Karen Swensen of Ch. 4 News at vimeo.com/21528232, or contact Deacon Jerry Labadot at 495-5820.

JUSTICE & LIFE NEWS

SAVE THE DATE - Wednesday October 10th at 6:30 p.m.
Please join the Justice & Life Ministry for a **Teach-In on Mass Incarceration as it relates to Catholic Social Doctrine** - Wednesday, October 10th at the St. Martha Parish Hall. The event facilitator will be Sue Weishar from the Jesuit Social Research Institute. More details will follow in subsequent communications.



PRAYER FOR PROTECTION AGAINST STORMS AND HURRICANES

Our Father in Heaven through the intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, spare us during this Hurricane season from all harm. Protect us and our homes from all disasters of nature. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Our Lady of Prompt Succor,
Hasten to Help Us**

RETREATS AND SEMINARS

Are you looking to build your faith?

Want to get away for some quiet time and reflection?

For information, contact the:
Archdiocese of New Orleans Retreat Center at (504) 887-1420

Manresa House of Retreats at 1-800-782-9431

Archdiocese Spirituality Center at (504) 861-3254

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24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

- Sat. Sept. 15 4:00** **Infant Jesus**
Ray Vegas, Evelyn, Linus, Mary & Preston Manuel, Vincent & Santa Saladino, Eugene Blanchard, Jr., James DeSalvo, Gerald & Theresa Causin, Raymond Riley, Joseph Ducote, Allain & Comeaux Families, Margaret Ann Murray
- Sat. Sept. 15 5:30** **St. Martha**
Rev. Father Joseph Co, John Bergeron, Sandrus Baudoin, Mary Martin, Joseph Vu Van Dam, Ana Nguyen Thi Man, Josef Tuan Tran, Elton Oubre, Sr., Ann Maria Nguyen Thi May, Anthony Nguyen Van Tinh, Pillitire & Blanchard Families & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Louise Frederick, Real Estate Consultant- Keller Williams, Parishioner
- Sun. Sept. 16 8:30** **St. Martha**
Parishioners
- Sun. Sept.16 10:00** **Infant Jesus**
Walter and Elaine Bartolo & Family, Cynthia Gilmore
- Sun. Sept.16 10:30** **St. Martha**
Al Delger, Roland Lucas, Jr., & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Louise Frederick, Real Estate Consultant- Keller Williams, Parishioner
- Mon. Sept.17 8:00** **Infant Jesus** LeRoy St. Romain
- Tues Sept.18 8:00** **St. Martha** Pat Bulger (birthday)
- Wed. Sept.19 8:00** **Infant Jesus** The Holy Souls in Purgatory
- Thurs Sept.20 8:00** **St. Martha** The Holy Souls in Purgatory
- Fri. Sept. 21 8:00** **St. Martha** World Peace
- Sat. Sept. 22 4:00** **Infant Jesus**
Ray Vegas, Evelyn Manuel (death anniversary), Eugene Blanchard, Jr., James DeSalvo, Rita Landry, Vincent & Santa Saladino, Allain & Comeaux Families, Margaret Ann Murray
- Sat. Sept. 22 5:30** **St. Martha**
John Bergeron, Sandrus Baudoin, Mary Martin, Joseph Tuan Tran, Frank Sanzone, Sr., Lee Sanzone Heyman, Anthony Nguyen Van Tinh, Ana Maria Nguyen Thi May, Joseph Vu Van Dam, Ana Nguyen Thi Man & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Louise Frederick, Real Estate Consultant- Keller Williams, Parishioner
- Sun. Sept. 23 8:30** **St. Martha**
Parishioners
- Sun. Sept. 23 10:00** **Infant Jesus**
Cynthia Gilmore
- Sun. Sept. 23 10:30** **St. Martha**
Victor Gonzalez, Jr. & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Louise Frederick, Real Estate Consultant- Keller Williams, Parishioner
- Mon. Sept. 24 8:00** **Infant Jesus** St. Theresa – for prayers answered
- Tues. Sept. 25 8:00** **St. Martha** Robert Aucoin, Sr. (birthday 9/26)
- Wed. Sept. 26 8:00** **Infant Jesus** For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
- Thurs. Sept. 27 8:00** **St. Martha** World Peace
- Fri. Sept. 28 8:00** **St. Martha** Our Military

DECEASED

St. Martha

In your masses and prayers, please remember **Geraldine Huff** mother of Dana Guidry,

Jack Parchman husband of Kathy Parchman

John Patrick Ronquillo brother of Ray Ronquillo and Mitzi Labadot.

Infant Jesus

Joyce Chauvin Ehrhard, sister of Joan Chauvin

Remember also those who mourn them.

POPE FRANCIS' SEPTEMBER PRAYER INTENTION

Universal – Young People in Africa

That young people in Africa may have access to education and work in their own countries.



FLOWERS

St. Martha

Week of Sept. 16 The flowers were donated by Rosalie Fisher in memory of **Victor Fisher**.

Week of Sept. 23 The flowers were donated by Thai K. Tran in memory of **Joseph Tuan Tran**.



SANCTUARY LIGHT

Infant Jesus

The Sanctuary Light will burn the week of **Sept. 16** in memory of **Audrey & Gertrude Monjure**

Sept. 23 in memory of **Audrey & Gertrude Monjure**

St. Martha

Sept. 16 in memory of **Evelyn Manuel** (death date)

VOCATION CROSS

Infant Jesus

Sept. 23 10:00 a.m. Mass **Consuela Stewart**

WEEKLY COLLECTION

| | St. Martha | Infant Jesus |
|------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Aug. 26 Weekly | \$4,466.00 | \$1,574.00 |
| Sept. 2 Weekly | \$6,068.00 | \$2,863.00 |
| Sept. 2 Building Fund | \$1,471.00 | \$ 466.00 |

Thank you for your generosity!