

ST. JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Barbara Hogan, CCD

Judy Reed, CCD

Bruce Pickett, Maintenance

Kevin Moore, Maintenance

Trustees: Harold Taylor

Wayne Fleming

Third Sunday of Easter

May 1, 2022



MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 4pm Vigil Mass

Sunday: 8am, 10am, 5pm

Weekday Masses:

Monday - Friday: 8am

ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Daughters

KPC Ladies Auxiliary

Ladies Altar Society

Knights of Columbus

Knights of Peter Claver

Rosary Group

Youth Life Teen

Church Offering

April 24.....\$5,590.00

Festival.....\$1,000.00

Building Fund..\$1,000.00

Catholic Home Missions..\$ 305.00

2nd collection next weekend:



SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Friday 7am-7:45am

Saturday: 3pm-3:45pm

Sunday: 7am-7:45am

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday

9am to 12 noon.

**For the Sacrament of Baptism,
Marriage, Anointing of the Sick, and
Communion to the Homebound,
call the office for an appointment.**

*May is dedicated to the
Blessed Virgin Mary,
Mother of God.*



MASS INTENTIONS

May 2-8

Mon. 8am Justin Fore **Tues.** 8am Una Johnson **Wed.** 8am Thomas Hooper

Thurs. 8am Brenda Frey **Fri.** 8am Tom Hooper **Sat.** 8am Gloria Carpenter

Sat. 4pm Mike Chiasson, Jack Picard/dec. of Jack & Patty, Clarence Neisser,

Brenda Carver/dec. of Carver & Baronet families, Mary Verrette, Paul Culpepper. Bob Hardey, Kevin Burleigh, Charles Manuel/liv. & dec. of Charles & Sue Manuel, Finley Hilliard, Nolan Fontenot, Charlie Onxley/M/M Arthur Boudreaux/M/M Aubrey Boudreaux, Gene Rybicki/dec. of M/M Gene Rybicki, Dalton Henry, Sr., Tammy Lemaire/liv. & dec. of Bartel and Guidry families, Howard Landry/dec. parents/ family members of Reed/Landry families, Debbie Pickle, Ella Mae/Heard/Bob/Earl Bertrand, Blackie Rider/Donald Prather/Hobert/Todd/Carl Domingue

Sun. 8am dec. mothers of Tom & Alice Hooper. Kevin Burleigh, Chrissy Simpson/Art/Mike/Pat/David Guthrie/dec. of M/M Roland Buller, Wilda Brown, Kerry Langley, Dalton Henry

Sun. 10am Mabel Richardson, Jake Brady, Lucy & John LeJeune, Jordan Buller, Gunner Thornton, Jerry Guillory, Davis Verrett, Jeanette & Elie Richard, Glenn Viator/dec. of Valda & Glenn Viator, Sr., Margaret Olivier, Jewel Buller, Wilson Bernard/dec. of Wilson & Rose Bernard, M/M Ray Hollingsworth/Snubie Reeves/Aaron Golden/Kenzie Roden/Todd Juranka/Monica Gillard/Boyce Hollingsworth/dec. of M/M Bobby Cholley, Melanie Godeaux/dec. of Fuselier & Godeaux families, Campbell/Geheb/Fronterhouse families/Jackson & Therese Murray

Sun. 5pm Anthony & Eula Bruette/liv. & dec. of Bruette family, Larry Roya/dec. of Jean Brewington, Bob Hardey, Glenn McDonald, Sr./Hannah Schroeder/M/M John Lunn

Sanctuary lights will burn this week for Charlie Onxley and M/M Arthur Boudreaux.



Pray for the sick. Remember Dyane Elliott, Jean Brewington, Glenn Vidrine, Brent Borill, Eula Buller, Wava Pousson, Phoenix Cox, Rick Williams, Ella Rose McBride, Colin/Dominic/Kaleb Romito, Cameron Seal, Nora Broussard, Geneva Scott, Keith Hanagriff, James Peoples, Dorothy Goode, Leon Dautriel, Curtis Darbonne, Sharon Boxie, Charlotte Colosky, Calvin Broussard, Donna Onxley, Kathy Cradure, Melissa Carpenter, Emma/Stephen/Vicki/Tom Griffin, Toni Reed, Rush brothers, Avery Spadafora, Becky Theriot, James & Joseph Richard, Debbie Lacassin, Ned Dautriel, Silton Fuselier, Susan Martarona, Pat & Wayne Robertson/Robertson family, Carys Camel, Curtis Chiasson, Brionne Winey, Stella Matthews, Lesley DeVille, Gail Daughterty, Grady Lacassin, Fr. Michael Schatzle, Ellen Guillory, Robert Foster, P.A. Gaines Doughty, Heidi Corley, Patricia Doucet, Olivia Vasilakis, James Hogan, Shirley Prewitt, Dale Claudel, John Troquille, Fay Singer, Cathy Bergeron, James Guillory, Dax Pressley, Macie Holden, Raleigh Vige, Jr., Edward Reed, Odelia Ann Hardy, Earline Hardy, Sharon Howell, Shirley Daigle, Lynn Lewis, JoAnn Racca.

Prayer of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though You were already there, I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You. Permit not that I should ever be separated from You. Amen.

Let us pray for the diaconate ordination of Josh Page who will be ordained on June 4, 2022, at the Cathedral.

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PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Lord, Jesus, once You called the first disciples in order to make them fishers of men. Continue to resound today your sweet invitation: "Come and follow Me." Mary, Mother of the Church, model of Vocations, help us say "yes" to the Lord who calls us to collaborate in the divine design of salvation. Amen.

Prayer for our Heroes...

All powerful God, we pray for your continued guidance and blessings on all who serve and have served our country in the military. God, hold our troops in yr loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Amen.



We are a Risen Jesus people. Alleluia!

Third Sunday of Easter

In today's Gospel the risen Lord appears to the disciples at the Sea of Tiberias. He had already appeared to them in the upper room in Jerusalem—twice—but they still did not recognize Him until He led them to catch a miraculous number of fish. We too may not recognize the Risen Lord in our lives, yet we know He is present as we gather together in the Eucharist itself, in those we love, in the stranger in need.

And while we rejoice in Jesus' victory over death and his promise of eternal life, we are aware of the sadness and suffering that yet pervades our lives here on earth. So let us pray for God's grace in recognizing the Risen Lord in our lives and those in need.

Prayer of St. Therese of the Child Jesus for Priests

O Jesus, I pray for your faithful and fervent priests; for your unfaithful and tepid priests; for your priests laboring at home or abroad; for your tempted priests; for your young priests; for your lonely and desolate priests; for your dying priests; for the souls of your priests in purgatory.

But above all, I recommend to You the priests dearest to me; the priest who baptized me; the priests who absolved my sins; the priests at whose Masses I assisted and who gave me your Body and Blood; the priests who taught and instructed me.

Oh Jesus, keep them close to your heart, and bless them abundantly in time and in eternity. Amen.

Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in the day of battle; be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell, Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Pray for Ukraine

Continue to pray for peace in Ukraine. Pray for an end to this war—that those who are responsible for the destruction of lives and dwellings may find the Lord and begin to foster peace.

Bon Voyage, Father Jenesh. Father is leaving this week to vacation in Europe until May 27. Please pray for safe travels and to return refreshed and renewed.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Tuesday - *Teen Acts Formation in church.
*KC meeting at 6pm.

Thursday - **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** from 9am-6pm. Please sign up for an hour each weekend.

Next Saturday - *First Saturday Mass 8am.
***Baptism class** for parents and godparents at 10am in the church. Call the office to register.

Next Sunday - **Crowning of Mary** at the 10am Mass. Children interested in participating, please meet in the front entrance of the church at 9:45. You may bring a flower for Mary if you wish.



Scripture Readings for the week

May 1 - Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 5:27-41 Psalm 30:2-13
Revelation 5:11- John 21:1-19

M. St. Anthanasia, Bishop & Doctor

Acts 6:8-15 John 6:22-29

T. Saints Philip & James, Apostles

1 Cor. 15:1-8 John 14:6-14

W. Acts 8:1-8

John 6:35-40

T. Acts 8:26-40

John 6:44-51

F. Acts 9:1-20

John 6:52-59

S. Acts 9:31-42

John 6:60-69

MAY 8 - Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 13:14-52 Psalm 100:1-5

Rev. 7:9-17 John 10:27-30

Our deepest condolences to

...the family of Mrs. Ina Johnson, our faithful pioneer parishioner.



...to Dolores Gary upon the loss of her sister, Mrs. Mabel Richardson.

May they and all the souls departed rest in peace.

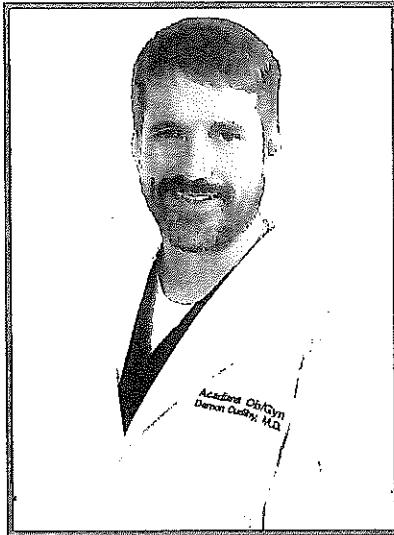
May - Month of Mary.. May is traditionally dedicated in a special way to honor and seek the intercession of Mary as the Mother of God and Mother of the Church. During this month Christians, both in church and privacy of the home, offer up to Mary from their hearts an especially fervent and loving homage of prayer and veneration.



~A Catholic Gynecologist explains Contraception and IVF~

Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church in Lake Charles.

Tuesday, May 10, 2022 @ 6:30—8:00 pm



ALL ARE INVITED, though...

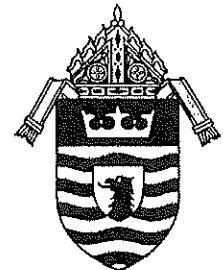
Especially interested may be:

- * Engaged and Married Couples
- * Medical Professionals
- * Health Care Students
- * Families
- * Health-Minded Individuals
- * Catholics Interested in Learning Their Faith

Dr. Damon Cudihy, MD, of Acadiana Ob/Gyn in Lafayette, Louisiana, will offer an evening talk for the LIFE Series with time for questions and answers about women's health and the immeasurable worth of each human person. Dr. Cudihy studied medicine at the University of Florida. During his second year of medical school, he was awarded a Health Professions Scholarship and commission in the U.S. Army's Medical Services Corps. In part, he fulfilled his military service obligation as a Field Surgeon during which he volunteered for an overseas deployment in July of 2006. In Iraq, Dr. (Captain) Cudihy served as Battalion Surgeon where his duties included providing medical care to hundreds of Iraqi civilians during various medical missions.

Before moving to Lafayette, Dr. Cudihy worked as a staff Obstetrician and Gynecologist at Holy Spirit Hospital's Center for Women's Health in Camp Hill, Pennsylvania for 4 years. In addition to the pathology and treatment of preeclampsia, his interests include treatment of infertility, endometriosis, and the advancement of minimally invasive surgery. He is also a local advocate for women's health having been extensively quoted in the local press on issues ranging from prenatal screening tests to fertility awareness and family planning.

LIFE SERIES



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