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Wayne Fleming

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 17, 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 LifeTeen

Church Offering

July 10.....\$7,227.00

BSA.....\$1,637.00

Festival.....\$1,000.00

Thank you all for your continued contributions—whether large or small, you are appreciated!



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.

July is dedicated to
the Precious Blood
of Christ



16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

In the era before inns or restaurants, travelers had to rely on the hospitality of strangers when they journeyed far from home. And they were always met with food and rest wherever they went.

And we see Martha and Mary trying to show hospitality when welcoming Jesus in their home. Martha was attentive to providing food and drink to Jesus, and Mary was attentive to Jesus' mission, which is "the better part" (Luke 10:42). Today, we are offered the better part, invited to listen to the Lord as we share in the meal He Himself provides.

Interestingly, it is in John's Gospel that Mary is identified as the woman who anointed Jesus' feet with oil just before He enters Jerusalem. Mary demonstrates both a contemplative and an active response to the presence of Jesus. We are encouraged to do both as well: listen to and worship the Lord, but also see the Lord in those in need and reach out and serve Him in them.

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus, through the intercession of St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, imbue all priests with His grace, strengthen their hearts, and renew in them in their vocation to image Christ, Head and Shepherd, Servant and Spouse. Amen.

Our deepest condolences to
Rose Luttrell upon the loss of
her sister, *Charlotte Mathis*.
May she rest in peace.



Annual Veritas Conference - Sept. 17

This is a chance for spiritual renewal, inspiration, and growth in understanding of the Catholic Faith. Register online at <http://www.lcdiocese.org/resources/event-registration>. For more information, check out the diocese Facebook page (Roman Catholic Diocese of Lake Charles) or call the diocese at 337-439-7400.

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.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

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



Coming up...

Aug. 24 - CCD classes begin at the 6pm Mass, with the Commissioning of the CCD teachers.

Sept. 15-18— Men's Silent Retreat at Grand Coteau. Call Al Gary at 337-304-2218.

CCD REGISTRATION HAS BEGUN.

Scripture Readings for the week

July 17 – 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

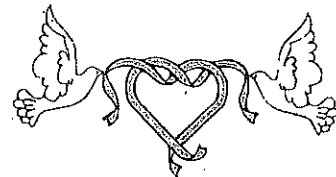
Genesis 18:1-10 Psalm 15:2-5
Colossians 1:24-28 Luke 10:38-42
M. Micah 6:1-8 Matt. 12:38-42
T. Micah 7:14-20 Matt. 12:46-50
W. Jeremiah 1:1-10 Matt. 13:1-9
T. Jeremiah 2:1-13 Matt. 13:10-17

F. Mary Magdalene (Feast)

Song of Songs 3:1-4 Jn. 20:1-18
S. Jeremiah 7:1-11 Matt. 13:24-30

July 24 - 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 18:20-32 Psalm 138:1-8
Colossians 2:12-14 Luke 11:1-13



Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary
to Hillery and Susie Langley. May the Lord bless you with many more years together.

Prayer for Hurricane Season.


O God, our Father in heaven, through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed your order and returned to its former calmness. You are still the Master of land and sea. During this hurricane season, we turn to You, O loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies and protect us from future storms. Amen.

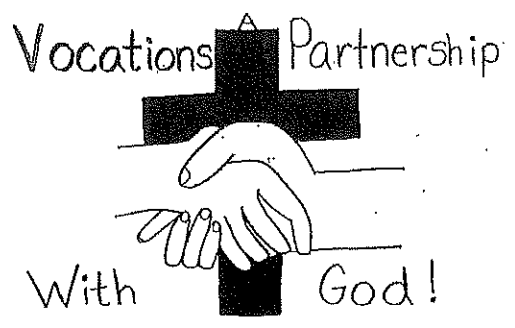
MASS INTENTIONS **Mon.** 8am Chris Claudel **Tues.** 8am PA Doughty **Wed.** 8am Jerry Guillory
 July 18-24 **Thurs.** 8am Ruby Martarona (BD) **Fri.** 8am Dianne Campbell, Carol Nunez
Sat. 4pm Charlotte Mathis, Cathy Bergeron, Ray & Lynda Reed, Carol Nunez,
 Randall Dickerson, M/M Ray Hollingsworth/Snubbie Reeves/Boyce Hollingsworth/Todd Juranka/Aaron
 Golden/Kenzie Roden/Monica Gillard/Pat Gillard, dec. of Glenda Anderson/special intentions of Glenda
 Anderson, Brenda Carver, Charles Manuel/liv. & dec. of Charles & Sue Manuel, Nolan Fontenot, Char-
 lie 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. par-
 ents/family members of Reed/Landry families, Debbie Pickle, Ella Mae/Heard/Bob/Earl Bertrand,
 Blackie Rider/Donald Prather/Hobert/Todd/Carl Domingue, Vincent Martarona (BD), Eric Camel (BD)
Sun. 8am Mary Verette, Charles White, Chrissy Simpson/Art/Mike/Pat/David Guthrie/dec. of M/M Ro-
 land Buller, **Sun.** 10am Mabel Richardson, Lucy & John LeJeune, Jordan Buller, Gunner Thornton,
 Jerry Guillory, Davis Verrett, Jeanette & Elie Richard, Glenn Viator/dec. of Valda & Glenn Viator, Sr.,
 Margaret Olivier, Wilson Bernard/dec. of Wilson & Rose Bernard Melanie Godeaux/dec. of Fuselier &
 Godeaux families, Campbell/Geheb/Fronterhouse families/Jackson & Therese Murray **Sun.** 5pm An-
 thony & Eula Bruette/liv. & dec. of Bruette family, Larry Roya/dec. of Jean Brewington, Bob Hardey,
 Glenn McDonald, Sr./Hannah Schroeder/M/M John Lunn, Kevin Burleigh

Sanctuary Lights will burn this week for the deceased of the Ladies Altar Society.



Pray for the sick. Remember Dyane Elliott, Jean Brew-
 ington, 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 Dar-
 bonne, Sharon Boxie, Charlotte Colosky, Calvin Brou-
 sard, Donna Onxley, Kathy Cradure, Melissa Carpenter,
 Emma/Stephen/Vicki/Tom Griffin, Toni Reed, Rush
 brothers, Avery Spadafora, Becky Theriot, James & Jo-
 seph Richard, Debbie Lacassin, Ned Dautriel, Silton
 Fuselier, Susan Martarona, Pat & Wayne Robertson/
 Robertson family, Carys Camel, Gail Daughterty Curtis
 Chiasson, Brionne Winey, Stella Matthews, Lesley De-
 Ville, Grady Lacassin, Fr. Michael Schatzle, Ellen
 Guillory, Robert Foster, Heidi Corley, Patricia Doucet,
 Olivia Vasilakis, James Hogan, Shirley Prewitt, Dale
 Claudel, John Troquille, Fay Singer, James Guillory,
 Dax Pressley, Raleigh Vige, Jr., Odelia Ann Hardy,
 Earline Hardy, Sharon Howell, Shirley Daigle, Lynn
 Lewis, JoAnn Racca, Jane Neisser, Buddy Glover,
 Walker & Weston Darnsteadt, Gail Darbonne, Herman
 Lee Fontenot, Jr., Mary Crader Johnson, Joyce Le-
 Jeune, Charles Rue, Tammie Doucet, Juliana Young.

Pray for those in the military...
 Specialist Cade Camel, PFC Kelly "KC"
 Caraway, Jr., Specialist Caraway, Captain 
 Patrick Hennigan, Sgt. Robert Guillory, Cpl. Jo-
 seph Malbrough, Spc. Jonathan Webb, CW-3
 Greg Chance, Jesse Dixon, SSC Chris Jordan,
 Kevin Wall, Sgt. Damien Stelly, Staff Sgt. Nicholas
 Veillon, E-9 Cpl. Aaron Lafleur, Pvt. Pat West-
 brook, Adam Allemond, Sgt. Belinda Wix, ryan
 Garcia, Andrew Kowelewski, Gavin Leger, Jamie
 Clausen, Kevin Lavine, II, SPC Kevin Henry, Msgt.
 Karl Goke, Nick Broussard, Shane Fontenot, Staff
 Sgt. Tammy Schreve, Pct. Branden Guillory, Capt.
 Scott LeJeune.



SAFE ENVIRONMENT CERTIFICATION
 has begun. Please renew your certification for safe
 environment for the protection of children and
 youth. This is mandatory for parish staff, CCD teach-
 ers, and anyone involved in programs. If you forgot
 your password, follow the directions on the website.
 Do not re-register because you will create another
 account which will require another background
 check. If you need help, contact Barbara Hogan
 (337) 884-7073.

We welcome into our Faith Community
 through the Sacrament of Baptism
Jade Joliette Bahnsen
 daughter of Joshia & Sammie Bahnsen

From Fr. Jace's homily

8 Gifts that do not cost a cent:

–the gift of listening

–but you must *really* listen—no interrupting—no daydreaming—no planning your response

–*just listening*

–the gift of affection

–be generous with appropriate hugs, kisses, pats on the back, and holding hands

–let these small actions demonstrate the love you have for family and friends

–the gift of laughter

–clip cartoons—share articles and funny stories

–your gift will say, *I love to laugh with you*

–the gift of a written note

–it can be a simple, *Thanks for the help* note or letter

–a brief handwritten note may be remembered for a lifetime, and may even change a life

–the gift of a compliment

–a simple and sincere, *You look good in red* or *You did a super job* or *That was a wonderful meal* can make someone's day

–the gift of a favor

–every day, go out of your way to do something kind for another person

–the gift of solitude

–there are times when we want nothing better than to be left alone

–be sensitive to those times and give the gift of solitude to others

–the gift of a cheerful disposition

–the easiest way to feel good is to extend a kind word to someone

–it's not that hard to say *Hello* or *thank you*