ST. JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC CHURCH

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ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Daughters
KPC Ladies Auxiliary
Ladies Altar Society
Knights of Columbus
Knights of Peter Claver
Rosary Group
Youth LifeTeen

Church Offering

January 30......\$6,424.17
Festival.....\$1,000.00
Church in Eastern and
Central Europe..\$1,238.00
2nd collection next weekend is for
The Bishop's Services Appeal.

For the Sacrament of Baptism, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick, and Communion to the Homebound, call the office for an appointment. Feb. 6, 2022

Fifth Sunday in

Ordinary time



MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 4pm Vigil Mass Sunday: 8am, 10am, 5pm

Weekday Masses:

Monday - Friday: 8am

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Friday 7am-7:45am Saturday: 3pm-3:45pm Sunday: 7am-7:45am

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9am to 12 noon.

February is the Month of the Passion of our Lord.



Feb.7-13

MASS INTENTIONS Mon. 8am Gloria Carpenter Tues. 8am Chris Claudel Wed. 8am Elvia Garcia Thurs. 8am Jackson & Therese Murray Fri. 8am Brenda Carver, Souls in Pur-Gatory/dec. of Tina Tran Sat. 4pm Curtis Walker, Nora Pickle, Kevin Burleigh/

dec. of M/M Wayne Miller, Wayne Gray, Delton Matte, Tom Hooper, Charles Scoggins, Brenda Carver, 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 Lloyd Woods, Gilberta Thibodeaux (BD-Feb. 16). George & Mary Murrell, Lillian Washington/dec. of M/M Lionel Goodwin, Chrissy Simpson/Art/Mike/Pat/ David Guthrie/dec. of M/M Roland Buller, Wilda Brown, Kerry Langley, liv. & dec. of M/M Jack Jenkins, Dalton Henry Sun. 10am Bob Hardey, John LeJeune, Emma Miller, Jake Brady, Davis Verrett, Jeanette & Elie Richard, Glenn Viator (BD)/dec. of Valda & Glenn Viator, Sr., Margaret Olivier, Justin Fore, Charles Scoggins, Jewel Buller, Wilson Bernard/dec. of Wilson & Rose Bernard, M/M Ray Hollingsworth/Snubbie Reeves/Aaron Golden/Kenzie Roden/Todd Juranka/Monica Gillard/dec. of M/M Bobby Cholley, Melanie Godeaux/dec. of Fuselier & Godeaux families, Campbell/Geheb/Fronterhouse families/Jackson & Therese Murray, Souls in Purgatory/dec. of Tina Tran Sun. 5pm Anthony & Eula Bruette/liv, & dec. of Bruette family, Xane Johnson, Larry Roya.

If anyone would like to offer Masses for various intentions or for a special occasion (anniversaries, birthdays, etc.), call the office to submit the name and book the date.

Pray for the sick. Remember Diane Elliott, Jean Brewington, Glenn Vidrine, Brent Borill, Eula Buller, Wava Pousson, Phoenix Cox, Rick Williams, Ella Rose McBride, Colin/Dominic/Kaleb Romito, Lucy LeJeune, Cameron Seal, Nora Broussard, Geneva Scott, Keith Hanagriff, James Peoples, Dorothy Goode, Leon Dautriel, Curtis Darbonne, Sharon Boxie, Charlotte Colosky, Calvin Broussard, Tina Aymond, 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, Rochelle Camel, Brionne Winey, Wayne Pickle, Tammy Bryeans, Stella Matthews, Lesley DeVille, Gail Daughterty, Grady Lacassin, Fr. Michael Schatzle, Rita Hugo, Ellen Guillory, Mary Verrette, Robert Foster, P.A. Gaines Doughty, Joe Granger, Heidi Corley, Brenda Frey, Charles McGee, Patricia Doucet, Olivia Vasilakis, Earline Hardy.

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.

Our deepest condolences to

+Lauren Chance and Melissa Belaire upon the loss of their father, Mr. Lloyd Woods;

+Jan Hardey and Janea, Jamie, & Jared upon the loss of their husband and father, (Mayor) Bob Hardey, our faithful parishioner;

+Thinh Tran upon the loss of his dad, Mr. Man Tran.

> May they and all the souls departed rest in peace.

CCD News...

CCD classes continue on Wednesdays: Grades 1 & 2-3:30-4:30pm in the church.

Grades 3 & 4-3:30-4:30pm in KC Hall.

Grades 5 & 6—4:45-5:45pm in church.

Grades 7 & 8-4:45-5:45pm in KC Hall.

Grades 9, 10, 11—6-7:30pm in church.

Thank you, from Pam Burleigh, for the prayers, cards. Masses and meals during Kevin's illness and death. You are all appreciated!!

Need help with rent and utilities, as well as with employment expenses, call Catholic Charities of Southwest Louisiana at 337-439-7436

Reflection—5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

After Jesus had taught the crowds from Peter's boat, He asked him to do two things—"Put out into deep water and lower your net" - neither of which Peter would normally do. He must have been quite impressed by this stranger's teaching to do either one. The Sea of Galilee is eight miles wide and up to one hundred fifty feet deep. During the day fishing boats stayed close to shore, for sea squalls could easily capsize these boats. Moreover, during the day the fish swam as deep as they could to avoid the bright sunlight. Knowledgeable fishermen fished at night. So Peter was faced with doing something both potentially dangerous and visibly foolish. But after hearing Jesus' teachings, he did. We may feel that sometimes God is leading us out to deep waters and making us look foolish. May his words of reassurance and comfort and the fact that He has shared his very body with us give us confidence to trust Him.

Prayer for Priests... Oh, Jesus, Eternal Father, look down with love upon Thy priests. Fill them with burning zeal for the conversion of sinners. Keep them within the shelter of Thy Sacred Heart. Keep unstained their anointed hands which daily touch Thy Sacred Body. Keep unsulled their purple lips with Thy Precious Blood. Keep pure and unearthly thier hearts sealed with the sublime marks of Thy glorious Priesthood. Let Thy holy love protect them from the world's contagion. Bless their labors with abundant fruit, and may the souls to whom they minister on earth be one day their joy and consolation in heaven. 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 healing of America.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

<u>Tuesday</u> - **Pastoral and Finance** committee meeting in the rectory at 6pm.

Wednesday—CCD classes continue.

Thursday - *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 9am-6pm in the main church. Please sign up on the weekends for an hour. *RCIA at 6:30pm.

Friday - Men's Bible Reflection at the KC Hall at 6am.

COMING UP...

February 14-18 - 40-hour Devotion
February 26 - First Penance
February 27- First Communion
Feb. 26/27 -Bethlehem Wood Carvings
March 2 - Ash Wednesday
March 6-9 - Lenten Mission with
Father Ruben Villarreall
March 15 - Confirmation at Cathedral/



Scripture Readings for the week

Feb. 6 - 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time Psalm 138:1-8 Isaiah 6:1-8 Luke 5:1-11 1 orinthians 15:1-11 Mark 6:53-56 M. 1 Kings 8:1-13 Mark 7:1-13 **T.** 1 Kings 8:22-30 W. 1 Kings 10:1-10 Mark 7:4-23 **T.** 1 Kings 11:4-13 Mark 7:24-30 F. 1 Kings 11:29-32;12:19 Mark 7:31-37 **S.** 1 Kgs. 12:26-32;13:33-34 Mk. 8:1-10 Feb. 13 - 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Jeremiah 17:5-8 Psalm 1:1-6

1 Corinthians 15:12-20

IN THE AREA...

Luke 6:17-26

Altar Society <u>Jambalaya Dinners</u> at St. Theodore Activity Center on Sunday, February 27, 9:30am-1pm. You can dine in or take out. There will be music by Danny Moore and Ross, a Cake Walk, Dancing, Sweet Shop and free door prizes. Call Linda Mathis at 855-2367 to obtain tickets. \$8 a plate.

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday—9am-6pm Saturday—3pm-3:45pm Sunday—9am-9:45am

The specific way that Jesus askes you to love Him in return is to spend one quiet hour with Him each week in the Blessed Sacrament, "Where your treasure is, there is your heart..."

"Could you not spend one hour with Me?" Mt. 6:21;26:40

Each hour you spend with Jesus will deepen His divine peace within your heart. He will give you all the graces you need to fulfill your life here on earth. Jesus is infinitely deserving of our unceasing thanksgiving and adoration for all He has done for salvation.

When you look upon the sacred host, you look upon Jesus, the Son of God.

HE IS REALLY THERE!

