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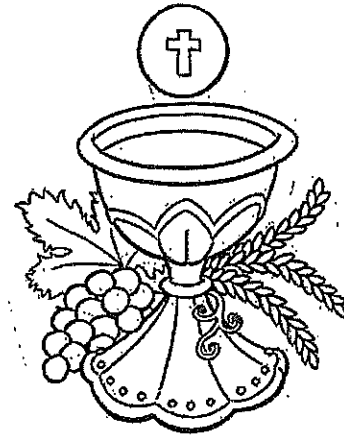
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The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

June 6, 2021



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

May 30.....\$5,663.00

Building Fund ..\$0

Festival.....\$1,000

BSA.....\$0

Second collection next weekend: BSA.



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SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Friday: 7am-7:45am

Saturday: 3pm-3:45pm

Sunday: 7am-7:45am

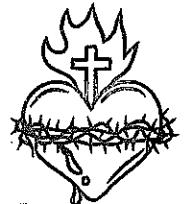
OFFICE HOURS

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.**

*June is the
Month of The
Sacred Heart of Jesus.*



Reflection for The Body and Blood of Christ

We mark this feast just once a year. But we actually celebrate this gift every time we go to Mass. Every time we receive the Eucharist, we celebrate Corpus Christi, becoming living tabernacles, human monstrances, carrying Christ into the world.

This Body was broken and bruised for us, beaten and bled for us, was stripped for us, who wept for us, who died for us, and rose for us.

We hold in our hands the One who walked on water, who calmed the storm, gave sight to the blind, raised the dead, and fed the hungry.

He gave Himself to us on the cross; and He gives us Himself again in the Eucharist, as the supreme gift to a suffering and hungry world.

"Lord, I am not worthy...speak but the word and my soul shall be healed."



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 unsullied their purple lips with Thy Precious Blood. Keep pure and unearthly their 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.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Wednesday— Continuation of our weekly Video *"I am a child of God."*

Thursday—Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 8:30am-6pm.

Next Saturday—Mass at 8am for the *Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.*

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.

Scripture Readings for the week

June 6—Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Exodus 24:3-8

Ps. 116:12-18

Hebrews 9:11-15

Mark 14:12-26

Mon. 2 Cor. 1:1-7

Mt. 5:1-12

Tues. 2 Cor. 1:18-22

Mt. 5:13-16

Wed. 2 Cor. 3:4-11

Mt. 5:17-19

Thu. 2 Cor. 3:15—4:1-6

Mt. 4:20-26

Fri. **FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART**

Hosea 11:1-9

John 19:31-37

Sat. **FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

2 Cor. 5:14-21

Luke 2:41-51

June 13—11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ezekiel 27:22-24

Ps. 92:2-16

2 Cor. 5:6-10

Mark 4:26-34

Weekly Wind Up... "I am a Child of God"

Mrs. Judy spoke about the tabernacle this week. It is located in the sanctuary of the church in which the Eucharistic (consecrated hosts) are stored. The large red light next to the tabernacle is lit to symbolize that Christ is present in the tabernacle.



Mass Intentions

June 7-13

Mon. 8am **Tues. 8am** **Wed. 8am** **Thurs 8am** **Fri. 8am** Charles Scoggins **Sat. 8am** Our Parish Family **Sat. 4pm** dec. of Mae Hanagriff, Tom Hooper/Thomas Hooper, Finley Hilliard, Kenneth/Linda Newman, 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 Domingue, Charles Manuel/dec. of Charles & Sue Manuel **Sun. 8am** Jeanette Peck, liv. & dec. of Boudreaux, Klein, and Wing families/ Healing of Jared Boudreaux, Kerry Langley, liv. & dec. of M/M Jack Jenkins, Dalton Henry, Sr. **Sun. 10am** Jeffery Shields, Charles Scoggins, Jewel Buller, Wilson Bernard/dec. of Wilson & Rose Bernard, M/M Ray Hollingsworth/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/Chris Claudel/Jackson & Therese Murray/Ross Broussard/Kelly Cloud **Sun. 5pm** Anthony & Eula Bruette/liv. & dec. of Bruette family, Glenn McDonald, Sr./Hannah Schroeder/John & Annis Lunn, Paul Venable, Mary Bunch

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 always for the sick. Remember Diane Bruette Elliott, Jean Brewington, Glenn Vidrine, Brent Borill, Eula Buller, Wava Pousson, Davis Verrett, Phoenix Cox, Rick Williams, Ella Rose McBride, Colin/Dominic/Kaleb Romito, John & Lucy LeJeune, Cameron Seal, Gail Nettles, Nora Broussard, Kevin Burliegh, Lori Ogea, Geneva Scott, Keith Hanagriff, Imari Elliott, James Peoples, Dorothy Goode, Leon Dautriel, Curtis Darbonne, Sharon Boxie, Charlotte Colosky, Calvin Broussard, Tina Aymond, Donna Onxley, Kathy Cradure, Melissa Carpenter, Eli & Jeanette Richard, Emma/Stephen/Vicki Griffin, Toni Reed, Rush brothers, Avery Spadafora, Becky Theriot, James & Joseph Richard, Debbie Lacassin, Ned Dautriel, Sifton Fuselier, Delton Matte, Susan Martarona, Wilbert Dugas, Wayne Robertson, Angela/Eric/Carys Camel, Shelly Chisholm, Marvin Kelly, Jared Boudreaux, Curtis Chiasson, Dianna Camel, Letitia Martarona Bonsall & baby, Joe Cironi, Rose Bernard, Don Strub, Rochelle Camel, Howard Sonnier, Larry Royer..

Pray for those in the military..



1st Lt. Patrick Hennigan, Christopher Hennigan, Sgt. Robert Guillory, Cpl. Joseph Malbrough, Spc. Jonathan Webb, CW-3 Greg Chance, Nicki Schultz, Jesse Dixson, SSC Chris Jordan, Kevin Wall, Sgt. Damien Stelly, Staff Sgt. Nicholas Veillon, E-9 Cpl. Aaron Lafleur, Pvt. Pat Westbrook, Sgt. Stephen Burrough, Adam Allemond, Sgt. Bryan 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.

Our deepest condolences to

Jan Hardey upon the loss of her mother, *Mrs. Jeanette Peck*. May she and all the souls departed, rest in peace.



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.

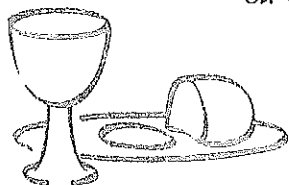
Living a Eucharistic Life

By inviting us into communion with himself, Jesus invites us into a lifetime process of maturing in our relationship with him and with others. Our task is to make sure that we begin, continue and increase this communion. Like Jesus, who gives himself to become our bread, we are called upon to give ourselves so that everyone might live more fully in relation to God and to one another. The Eucharist cannot be something we go to as spectators or do once a week and then forget about. As we celebrate it in a full, conscious and active way, we grow in our relationship with Jesus and with the Christian community.

Celebrating the Eucharist brings about changes in ourselves and then invites us to change our behavior in our household, in our school, in our work and in every other part of our life. As Christians, we not only pray the eucharist but we are called upon to live eucharistic lives. Just as Jesus took the bread, blessed and broke it to share with others, so we ask God to take us, bless us, break us and share us with others so that so that “through him, with him and in him” we may also become sources of God’s new life for the world.

“By faith you know that what seems to be bread is not bread but the body of Christ, although it tastes like bread. You also know that what seems to be wine is not wine but the blood of Christ although tastes like wine. By partaking of the body and blood of Christ, may you be made of the same body and same blood with him.”

—*St. Cyril of Jerusalem*



“Just as Christ appeared before the holy apostles in true flesh, so now he has us see him in the sacred bread. As we see bread and wine with our bodily eyes, let us see and believe firmly that it is his most holy Body and Blood, true and living.”

—*St. Francis of Assisi*

“We do not consume the eucharistic bread and wine as if it were ordinary food and drink. We have been taught that just as Jesus Christ became a human being of flesh and blood by the power of God’s word for our salvation, so also in the prayer of thanksgiving the food that our flesh and blood assimilate for their nourishment becomes the flesh and blood of Jesus.”

—*St. Justin Martyr*

We Give Ourselves as Jesus Gave Himself

“At the Last Supper Jesus gave his body and his blood in the bread and wine, to leave us the memorial of his sacrifice of infinite love. And filled with grace, the disciples had everything necessary for their journey through history, to extend to all the kingdom of God. The gift that Jesus made of himself, by his voluntary death on the cross, will be light and strength for them. And this bread of life has come down to us! The Eucharist enables us to abide in him, for it is the bond which unites us to him, it is the fulfillment of the covenant, the living sign of the love of Christ who humbled and lowered himself in order that we remain united.

“Jesus underlines that he has not come into this world to give something, but to give himself, his life, as nourishment for those who have faith in him. This our communion with the Lord obliges us, his disciples, to imitate him, making our existence, through our behavior, bread broken for others, as the teacher has broken the bread that is truly his flesh. Instead, this means for us generous conduct towards our neighbor thereby demonstrating the attitude of giving life for others. Every time that we participate in the holy Mass and are nourished by the body of Christ, the presence of Jesus and of the Holy Spirit act in us, shaping our hearts, communicating an interior disposition to us that translates into conduct according to the gospel.”

—*Pope Francis*

