

ST. JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Wayne Fleming

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 11, 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

Sept. 4.....\$6,985.00

Festival.....\$1,000.00

Building Fund..\$ 2,768.00



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.

September is dedicated to

Our Lady

of Sorrows



Reflection for the 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Again and again today we hear examples of those who turn away from the Lord, who wander away or become lost: the Chosen People in the desert, Saul of Tarsus himself, a wayward sheep, a lost coin, the prodigal son. We see them all lost. But none are truly lost because God will always search for them, rescue them, and welcome them back into the fold. The Good Shepherd looks quite foolish pursuing a single lost sheep, not knowing what would happen, On 9/11, hundreds of first responders rushed into burning buildings to rescue those in danger. It may have looked foolish to some, putting their lives in danger. But this was their calling.



With repentant hearts, let us recall those times when we were lost and felt the embrace of God's mercy.

Prayer for our Priests

Jesus Crucified. Eternal Father, we lift up to You all the priests of the world. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness of your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

THIS SUNDAY...

St. Peter Claver Prayer Service

(St. Peter Claver is our diocesan patron Saint.)
Everyone is invited to the Daytime Prayer Service on Sunday, Sept. 11, at 2:30pm at Our Lady Queen of Heaven Church as we honor our diocesan patron.

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.

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...

Monday - Catholic Daughters meeting at 6pm in the rectory.

Tuesday - Confirmation Candidates, Sponsors, Parents meeting at 6pm in the church.

Wednesday - **CCD classes continue.**

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

Coming up...

Sept. 19 - "Vocation of the Catechist"

See opposite page for more information.

Scripture Readings for the week

Sept. 11 – 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Exodus 32:7-14 Psalm 51:3-19

1 Timothy 1:12-17 Luke 15:1-32

M. 1 Cor. 11:17-33 Luke 7:1-10

T. 1 Cor. 12:12-31 Luke 7:11-17

W. Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Number 21:4-9 John 3:13-17

T. Our Lady of Sorrows

1 Cor. 15:1-11 John 19:25-27

F. 1 Cor. 15:12-20 Luke 8:1-3

S. 1 Cor. 15:35-49 Luke 8:4-15

Sept. 18 - 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Amos 8:4-7 Psalm 113:1-8

1 Timothy 2:1-8 Luke 16:1-13



Pray for our Seminarians:

+ Nicholas Poncho + John Souder

+ Seth Rodriguez + Justin Fontenot

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 the Unborn

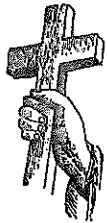
MASS INTENTIONS Sept. 12-18

Mon. 8am Dorothy Johnson **Tues.** 8am Larry Roya **Wed.** 8am Jerry Guillory
Thurs. dec. of M/M Roland Buller **Fri.** 8am Tom Hooper (BD) **Sat.** 4pm Pete Still, Shelton Johnson, Charlotte Mathis, Cathy Bergeron, Mary Verrette, 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, 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/Ray & Lynda Reed, dec. parents/family members of Reed/Landry families, Debbie Pickle, Ella Mae/Heard/Bob/Earl Bertrand, Blackie Rider/Donald Prather/Hobert Domingue/Kevin Burleigh **Sun.** 8am Lillian Washington (anniv. of death), Tom Hooper, Phillip Camel (BD), Butch/Wilda/Cade Brown, Chrissy Simpson/Art/Mike/Pat/David Guthrie/dec. of M/M Roland Buller **Sun.** 10am Mabel Richardson, Lucy & John LeJeune, Gunner Thornton, Jeanette/Elie Richard, Glenn Viator/dec. of Valda & Glenn Viator, Sr., Wilson Bernard/dec. of Wilson & Rose Bernard Melanie Godeaux/dec. of Fuselier & Godeaux families, Campbell/Geheb/Fronterhouse families/Jackson & Therese Murray, Davis Verrett **Sun.** 5pm Anthony & Eula Bruette/liv. & dec. of Bruette family, Larry Roya/dec. of Jean Brewington, Glenn McDonald, Sr./Hannah Schroeder/M/M John Lunn **Sanctuary Lights will burn this week for Charlie Onxley/M/M Arthur Boudreaux.**

Pray for the sick. Kaleb Romito, Cameron Seal, Nora Broussard, Geneva Scott, Keith Hanagriff, James Peoples, Dorothy GRemember Dyane Elliott, Jean Brewington, Glenn Vidrine, Brent Borill, Eula Buller, Wava Pousson, Phoenix Cox, Rick Williams, Ella Rose McBride, Colin/Dominic/oode, 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, Gail Daughterty, Curtis Chiasson, Brionne Winey, Stella Matthews, Lesley DeVille, Grady Lacassin, Fr. Michael Schatzle, Ellen Guillory, Robert Foster, Heidi Corley, Patricia Doucet, James Hogan, Shirley Prewitt, Dale Claudel, John Troquille, Fay Singer, James Guillory, Dax Pressley, Raleigh Vige, Jr., Odella Hardy, Earline Hardy, Sharon Howell, Shirley DaiLynn Lewis, JoAnn Racca, Jane Neisser, Buddy Glover, Walker & Weston Darnsteadt, Gail Darbonne, Herman Lee Fontenot, Jr., Mary Crader Johnson, Joyce LeJeune, Charles Rue, Tammie Doucet, Juliana Young, William "Bubba" Toups, Amy Duhon, Stephen Jordan, Jenelle Harrell, Elaine Bartel, Paula Bernard, Shirley Daigle.

**Exaltation of the Holy Cross
 Feast Day—Sept. 14**

On this day we honor the cross on which Jesus was crucified. The universal symbol of the Christian faith, the cross represents Christ's victory over death, The feast celebrates the redemptive transformation of a barbaric instrument of torture into a "tree of life" that brings hope to humankind.



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.



Our deepest condolences to Mary Jo Still & Edward Goode upon the loss of their sister, Dorothy Johnson. May she rest in peace.



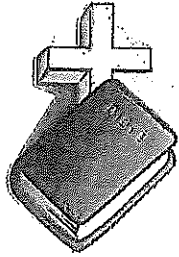
CCD News... *Youth*
CCD classes continue this Wednesday
 Grades 1 & 2—3:30-4:30pm in t church.
 Grades 3 & 4—3:30-4:30pm in KC Hall.
 Grades 5 & 6—4:45-5:45pm in church.
 Grades 7 & 8—4:45-5:45pm in KC Hall.
 Grades 9, 10, 11—6-7:30pm in KC Hall.

**Vocation of the Catechist
 At Home Religious Education Program
 Workshop for +CCD teachers +Parents
 +Catholic School teachers +Priests/Deacons
 + SJB Parishioners
 Mon., Sept. 19, 6pm-7:30pm in the church.
 Please bring your cell phone/laptop with you.**

Vocation of the Catechist

Forming those who form others

“Franciscan at Catechetical University
At Home Religious Education Program”



WORKSHOP FOR

- + CCD Teachers
- + Parents
- + Catholic School Teacher
- + Priests / Deacons
- + SJB Parishioners

Catechists play an indispensable role in the New Evangelization of our Church. We are the “Hope for the Mission of the Third Millennium. We are echoes of **HOPE**, echoes of **LOVE**, echoes of **TRUTH**, and echoes of **MERCY**.”

What an incredible gift Catechists are; and what an incredible gift YOU are!

Workshop Series begins on Monday, September 19, 2022, at St. John Bosco Church from 6:00pm - 7:30pm.

Future Workshops will be announced as each current class is completed. Certification will be given for each class completed.

We ask that you bring your cell phone or laptop with you at the meeting.

We look forward to seeing you on September 19.

God bless you.

Judy Reed / Cindy Graham
Workshop Facilitators

