

Sunday, May 19, 2024 PENTECOST SUNDAY

GOD BLESS AMERICA

WELCOME: To all Visitors and New-comers! If you are interested in becoming a member of our church family, please call the office at (337) 364-0818 or fill out a Census Form found on the table in the entrance of Church and mail to the office.

BAPTISM: Please contact the office or Rev. James Nguyen.

MARRIAGE: Couples planning marriage should contact the office at least 6 months before the proposed date of weddings.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: Confessions are heard from 30 minutes until 10 minutes before weekend Masses, and from 11:30am until 12:00pm noon on weekday Masses, and by appointment.

**MASS INTENTIONS & BULLETIN INFORMATION

DEADLINE: Wednesday before 4:00 pm. All Mass intentions & Bulletin information turned in after Wednesday will be published in next weekend's bulletin.

LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTION & MAIL IN COLLECTION

CHURCH SUPPORT & MAINTENANCE: 5/12	\$ 1,617.15
MAIL IN COLLECTION: 5/13-16	\$ 4,000.00
TOTAL:	\$ <u>5,617.15</u>
Aid to Church in Eastern Europe:	\$ 479.00
CATHOLIC MISSION APPEAL:	\$ 20.00
FOOD PANTRY:	\$ 20.00
DONATION:	\$ 30.00

"Thank You" for your generosity & continued support

CHURCH CLEANERS-Week-5/25-Group 3-Yvonne Hebert

ALTAR FLOWERS-...In Memory of
Dorthy Prince Trautman (Death Anniversary-May 22)
Alfred Trautman Sr. (Birthday-May 23)
By Barbara Arton

SUNDAY READINGS-

May 12-The Ascension of the Lord-

Acts 1:1-11 / Eph 1:17-23 / Mk 16:15-20 (58)

May 19-Pentecost Sunday-

Acts 2:1-11 / Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 / Jn 20:19-23 (63)

ST. MARCELLUS CHURCH

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Regional Pastoral Council: Open for Volunteer-Call the office to apply

Religious Education Office Phone: 337-364-9419

Coordinator-Religious Education: Yvonne Hebert 337-519-8411

Assistant Coordinator: Wendy Segura: 337-367-1602

St. Marcellus Business Working Hours:

Monday-Thursday 8:30 am - 4:00 pm Lunch 11:30 am - 1:00 pm Friday 8:30 am - 11:30 am

CELEBRATING THE EUCHARIST

Saturday: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am & 9:00 am

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday: 12:10 pm
*First Friday of Month: Mass at 4:30pm
*First Friday Adoration: 8:00am-4:00pm-Devotions

Friday: 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th Friday of Month *<u>12:10 pm</u>

*Holy Hour: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & 2nd, 3rd,

4th & 5th Friday of the month at 11:00 am

<u>First Saturday of Month: 9:00am Mass (Rosary at 8:15am</u> followed by Devotions) Children of Mary members please arrive at church by 8:00am for Rosary

<u>BAPTISMS-</u> If you are not a registered member for our parish, there are registration census forms on the table in the entrance of Church that needs to be filled out before you can have your child baptized here. Either mail the form to the Church or put in an envelope marked "Census" and put in the collection. <u>*If you live outside of our parish</u>, you will have to contact your local church parish to get a letter stating they give permission for our Church to baptize your child here.

MA\$\$ INTENTION\$ - \$aturday, May 18 / 8:30am: For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:00am)

Saturday, May 18 / 4:00pms Gerald Laviolette, Angela Russo Harrington & Family Living & Deceased, Craig Mayard, Warren Pellerin (B), Goldie Moore, Elizabeth Segura, Paul & Linda Richard, Johnny & Ethel (B) Viator, Brooks Hebert, Sederic Hebert, E. J. DeRouen, Samantha Michelle Spoon & Family Living & Deceased, Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus Council 7050, For Vocations to the Priesthood & Consecrated Life, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 3:30pm)

Sunday, May 19 / 7:00am: Cody David, Robert Leslie, Royal & Agnes Linnartz, LeeRoy O'Quinn, John Simon, Mary D. Robertson, Pete Bourque & Family Living & Deceased, Howard & Nickie Castille & Family Living & Deceased, For All Priests & Deacons Living & Deceased, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased

Sunday, May 19 / 9:00ams Shirley (1st A) & Roland DeRouen & Family, M/M John Inzerella Family, M/M Ernest Crochet & Family, Lester & Cynthia (6th A) Lopez, Sarah Marie Ray and Family Living & Deceased, Ethel Viator (B), Kay Bonin Dooley (B), For All Seminarians of the Lafayette Diocese, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:30am)

Monday, May 20 / 9:00ams Jack Phillips Ferrell & Family Living & Deceased, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:30am)

Tuesday, May 21 / 12:10pms: Jacques Henri Hebert & Family Living & Deceased, For Priests & Deacons Living & Deceased (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Wednesday, May 22 / 12:10pms St. Rita, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Thursday, May 23 / 12:10pm: For All Seminarians of the Lafayette Diocese (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Friday, May 24 / 12:10pms For Vocations to the Priesthood & Consecretated Life (Holy Hour at 11:00)

Saturday, May 25 / 8:30ams For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:00am)

Saturday, May 25 / 4:00pm: Mack & Irene Wilson & Family, Jonathan Gautreau, Robert James Arnold & Family Living & Deceased, Streamline Industries: Employees, Customers & Their Families Living & Deceased, Souls in Purgatory, Johnny & Ethel Viator, Deceased Family Members of Joy & Danny Babineaux, William & Dolores Dooley, For Vocations to the Priesthood & Consecrated Life, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 3:30pm)

Sunday, May 26 / 7:00am: Mary D. Robertson, Pete Bourque & Family Living & Deceased, Howard & Nickie Castille & Family Living & Deceased, Blayn Stevens, For All Priests & Deacons Living & Deceased, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased **Sunday, May 26 / 9:00am:** Shirley & Roland DeRouen & Family, M/M John Inzerella Family, M/M Ernest Crochet & Family, Rayward Segura, Noah & Lula Comeaux, For All Seminarians of Lafayette Diocese, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Chaplet at

SECOND COLLECTION-This Weekend, May 18 & 19, there will be a second collection for the BISHOP'S SERVICES APPEAL

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TEEN LIFE MINISTRY-

8:30am)

Ashley Menard-Leader-337-380-3239 & Angela Meyer

OFFICE CLOSED-The Office will be closed <u>next Monday</u>, <u>May 27th</u> in observance of the <u>Memorial Day Holiday</u>.

Happy Memorial Day! Remembering and Honoring All Who Served!



To students: I pray that all those young people who have graduated, do not carry just a piece of paper with them but that they carry with them love, peace, and joy. That they become the sunshine of God's love to our people, the hope of eternal happiness, and the burning flame of love wherever they go. That they become carriers of God's love. That they be able to give what they have received. For they have received not to keep but to share.

Saint Mother Teresa

PASTORAL COUNCIL-The Pastoral Council will have 2 Vacant Seats to start in June. If anyone would like to Volunteer or have questions, please contact one of the Present Pastoral Council Members or Trustees, their names and phone numbers can be found on the front page of the Bulletin.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 7050-

The Knights would like to recognize the following:

Knight of the Month-Larry Chevalon
Family of the Month-Clint & Darla Comeaux

...This Sunday after the 9am Mass, the Knights will be offering donut holes and coffee under the canopy of Church.

...This Monday, May 20th, there will be a Knights Meeting at 7pm at the Hall. Knight's, please arrive by 6:15pm to say a Rosary, then a meal will be served.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL GRADUATES OF HIGH SCHOOL, TECHNICAL SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES! From Father James and Office Staff

<u>Divine Mercy Ministry for the Sick and Dying-</u> We, here at St. Marcellus, have a ministry of prayer for the sick, the homebound and the dying. We will pray with you at your home as often as you like. For more information, call Kathy Scott at (337) 365-5095.





SANCTUARY LAMP-...In Loving Memory of Craig Mayard, Warren Pellerin, Goldie Moore, Elizabeth Segura, Paul & Linda Richard by Dina Mayard



Pentecost Sunday

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS- *>For Elementary, High School & Homeschooled students, Parents please remember to turn in your child's last lesson folder at the White Office Building. You can put the folder in a plastic bag and hang the bag on the White Office Building Door. I need these back to have students able to pass to the next grade. Thank You.

*After the 10th grade students get Confirmed this session 2023-2024, these students will come back for Morality class next session 2024-2025. Then the 9th & 10th grade students who get confirmed in 2024-2025 will come back for Sacraments and or Morality Classes 2025-2026 sessions. When Confirmation gets to 8th Grade the students will come back after each year for Sacraments then Morality Classes.

WE ARE IN NEED OF MORE ALTAR SERVERS-

All boys and girls who have made their First Holy Communion-2nd grade on up, and would like to become an Altar Server please call Yvonne Hebert, cell number 337-519-8411 or at the Office at 337-364-0818.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION of the BLESSED

SACRAMENT-Friday, June 7-Adoration 8:00am-4pm, then
Devotions, Mass at 4:30pm. Please consider spending one hour
with the Blessed Sacrament. The sign-up sheet can be found on
table in the entrance of the Church.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH will be on each Sunday at the 9am Mass. Father will call up the children before the readings and say a prayer then they will go in the Sacristy with the Teacher to learn a lesson on the Sunday gospel. For children ages 4 to 5th grade. >Last Children's Church before the summer is May 26th.

Please pray for those who are in the Armed Forces:
US ARMY Firefighter-PFC-Braidyn Castille
US ARMY Tank Operator-Colin Boutte
National Guard/Army-Blackhawk Helicopter Pilot-Don L.
Romero II

AIR FORCE SPECIALIST GERMANY-Nicholas Barras

ALTAR FLOWER FUND DONATIONS-Anyone interested in donating for the "2024 Flowers", please contact Millie Comeaux at 337-519-2555 or mail your list to Millie Comeaux, 1901 Langston Road, New Iberia, LA 70560. Make checks out to Millie Comeaux. *Open Dates-August 18, September 22 Price for the 4 Holiday Altar Flowers-*\$50.00 total for all 4. Price for the 1 Weekend Altar Artificial Flowers-*\$20.00 for artificial flower arrangement.

Price for 1 Weekend Altar Real Flowers-\$65.00 for real flower arrangement. Please contact Millie if you want the Real Flower arrangement for a specific weekend so she can place order.

Please pray for those of our community who have requested our prayers: Bailey Doré, Susan Dauterive, Wilmer Sanford, Christine Bodin, Jo Lynn LeBlanc, Kerry Leleux, Mark Rouly, Rodney Leleux, William Guidry, Reagan Macicek, Michael Bourgeois Sr., Linda Escagne, Barbara Clark, Ken & Judy Broussard, Myra Derouen Boutte, Kathy Frusha Fuqua, Fisher Melder, Wilda Hite, Loretta & Oswald Decuir, Dot Boudreaux, Barbara D. Alleman, Phyllis Aucoin, Louis Boudreaux Jr. & Sr., Fr. Manny Fernandez, Dean Lancon, Grant Darby, Michael Bourgeois Jr., Michelle Dugas, Kathy Scott, Steven Marcor, Amy K. Citrano, Dominik Citrano, Maddox Citrano, Dossie Darby, R.T. Touchet, Kim Rentrop, Freda Rentrop, Joyce Thibodeaux, Mona Doiron, Debbie Thibodeaux, Charlisse LaBauve, Judy Landry, Zenaida Retana, Charlie Thibodeaux, Natasha & Ryan Kirkeby, Kerry Hebert, Daniel Bourque, John Hebert, Stefan Norris, Roxanne Lavergne, Julia Armentor, Hazel Delahoussaye, Kimberly Elizabeth Moreaux, Linda Yoder, Patrick Castille, Peggy Derouen, Debra Kennedy, Quinton Sims, Noah Daniels, Hayward Delcambre, Angelica Daniels, Johnny & Karen Broussard, Pam Jude, Michelle Thibodeaux Broussard, Wayne Derise, Mary Dartez, Kressent Landry, Dayton Boutte, Catherine Landry, Elijah Landry, Jason Walker, David Seymour, Joyleen Seymour, Barbara Boudreaux, Brandon Barbin, Cassie Lannie, Marvin Rentrop, Mary Grace Rentrop, Zoda P. Bourque, Christian James, Blair & Wendy Yoder, Mark & Karen Messinger, Katie Faulk, Edwin Mayeaux, Freddie Norris, Cody Castille, Robert LeBlanc, Geraldine LeBlanc, Lauris Land, Roy Boudreaux, Ramsey Moss, Kade Breaux, Savannah Jones, Joseph Calvin Landry, Gerald Sewell, Carmen Decuir, Lois Romero, Joyce Romero, Gretchen Lavergne, Glorious Broussard, Marcus Hebert, Hypolite Meyers, Nicholas Landry, Wanda Breaux, Faith Kreamer, Jermaine Boutte, Jennifer O'Neall, Randal Riggle, Rita & Steven King, Don Simon, Jessica Guidry, Barbara LeBlanc, Amy Crochet, Alison Laverane, Bella Cervantes, Georgie Pellerin, William "Kojak" Broussard, Monique Lancon, Michael Norris, Denise David, Jessica LeJeune, Ann LaPointe, Payton Suire, Brian Delcambre, Steven Lavergne, & sick members of our church parish family, the homebound, those with a dependency, those recovering from injuries & those admitted into hospitals & nursing homes.

VOCATION CHALICE Each week at Mass, a family or individual is to receive the Chalice to pray for vocations. Please pick up the Chalice in the Sacristy in back of the Altar. Thank you & God Bless. May / June
*Betty Romero-May 19-26-Sunday at 9am Mass
*Angela & Caroline Meyer-May 26-June 1-Sunday at 9am Mass
*Dot Landry-June 1-8-Saturday at 4pm Mass

COME, LORD JESUS! GROUP-The following Come, Lord Jesus group in our parish is: Dan & Louise Duncan-Avery Island, 337-364-4966, meet on Wednesdays at 4:00pm. If you are interested in joining the group, please call. The group goes over Sunday Gospel, explaining God's word & prayer time.

ST. MARCELLUS FOOD BASKETS-Food Baskets are prepared to help those who are in need. Please help us stock our pantry with non-perishable items. You can deposit your items in the corner of the front foyer of Church. Monetary donations will also be accepted, please enclose it in an envelope marked Food Pantry & drop it in the collection basket. Thank you for your

continued support to this ministry.

2024 MASS INTENTIONS—Please put your list of intentions & \$5.00 per intention in a sealed envelope. >Indicate your name, address, phone number & the amount of money submitted. Put your envelope marked **Masses** in the collection basket or mail your envelope to the Office. MASS INTENTIONS Will Not Be Accepted Over the Phone. Forms can be found in the folder on the table at the entrance of Church.

Examples are for one intention: John Smith, or Mr. & Mrs. John Smith, or husband and wife-John and Sue Smith, or the John Smith Family. One intention is not John, June, Brock & Sam Smith. One intention is not John Smith, Don Boulder & Amy Charles. One intention is not Mr. & Mrs. John Smith & Mark.

Please pray for the perseverance of **Seminarian Cameron Garv** Seminarian Erik Quebedeaux

God our Father, thank you for calling these seminarians to prepare for the priesthood. Grant them the grace to grow closer to You through daily prayer. Amen.

Lafayette Vocations-www.facebook.com/lafayettelavocations and website www.lafayettevocations.org



"My Jesus, do with me as you wish, as long as vou wish." Saint Mother Teresa

BISHOP'S SERVICES APPEAL-As of March 31st-Total Collected-\$4,742.00 Goal-\$8,213.00 Raised 58% of goal

HEALING SERVICE-Please join Fr. Manny Fernandez for a Healing Service here at Sacred Heart Church in New Iberia *Wednesday, May 22, at 1:30pm in Church. Rosary at 1pm. For more info call Faye Boutte at 337-944-6138.

10th National Eucharistic Congress Pilgrimage will make 3 stops in the Diocese of Lafayette on Wednesday, June 5th 1. 830am-1030am-Our Lady of Wisdom Church 501 E. St. Mary Blvd. in Lafayette, 2. 2pm-4pm Holy Cross Church, 415 Robley Dr. Lafayette, and 3. 5pm-7pm Catholic High School Gym 1301 De Lasalle Dr. New Iberia.

OUR LADY OF THE OAKS 2024 RETREAT DATES-

Grand Coteau, LA- For list of dates or to register or info about retreats, www.ourladyoftheoaks.com, or call 337-662-5410 Women's Retreat-May 23-26, May 30-June 2, June 20-23, June 28-30, August 15-18, August 23-25, plus more Couple's Retreat-Sept. 6-8, Oct. 11-13

Fete-Dieu du Mississippi 2024-Wednesday, August 14 & Thursday, August 15 Travel from Baton Rouge to New Orleans on the Mighty River. Check the website at www.fetedieuduteche.org See Insert

BLUE CEMETERY GARBAGE

CAN-When you are replacing flowers and picking up around your cemetery plot, please put the old flowers and garbage in the Blue Garbage Can marked Cemetery and put the items in the garbage bag. The garbage can is located by the Cross walkway in the Cemetery. Thank You.



"Here is a rule for everyday life: Do not do anything which you cannot offer to God." On Dancing (C.).-Thoughts of the Curé D'Ars

Reflection on the Gospel-The risen Christ breathes on the disciples on Easter evening, saying, "Receive the holy Spirit." He revivifies them, just as the Creator brought to life the first human being by blowing the breath of life into the nostrils (Gen 2:7). Jesus passes through locked doors and empowers the disciples with the Spirit to continue his mission of unlocking hearts bound in fear. Forgiveness does not erase or make light of the wounds that have been inflicted, but it surrounds the woundedness with a power that moves toward healing and peace.

-Living Liturgy tm, Pentecost Sunday 2024

"You were made for perfect happiness. That is your purpose. No wonder everything short of God disappoints you."

Venerable Fulton Sheen

EXERCISE CLASS-There are exercise classes for Seniors on Monday, Wednesday & Friday from 8:45am to 9:45am at the Hall. If interested to participate for classes please arrive at the Hall on these days to sign up. These classes are free of charge. For more information call Loney Leeson at 337-364-8888.

Pro-Life Quote-"Without a foundational, practical formation, it is difficult for our consciences to guide us well in concrete situations. As Catholics, we have the immense gift of the teaching authority of the Catholic Church and can turn to it for help forming our consciences. For example, learning about Christian moral principles, reading the Catechism of the Catholic Church, or researching what the Church says about a challenging teaching will help us grow in knowledge of the truth." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "Understanding Conscience" Copyright © 2024, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington, DC. All rights reserved.

QUO VADIS-A discernment Retreat for Men-June 18-20. Young men who are entering their sophomore year of schooling through college-aged men are invited to the Community of Jesus Crucified 103 Railroad Ave. St. Martinville to reflect on God's Will for their life. Register call 337-261-5690 or lafayettevocations.com/retreats

Am I Not Your Mother Signs-Dr. Tyler Hebert will be selling these plastic yard signs to anyone interested in making a purchase. The cost is \$15.00. You can text his cell phone with the number of signs you desire at (337-339-3274) or come by the office to make your purchase. There is also a sign-up form for you to place your order on the table by the Sign. You can put your cash money in an envelope and drop by the office and see Yvonne or put in collection in an envelope your cash money marked "Sign", with your Name and Phone number.

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD-The Diocese of Lafayette announces and invites you to the Ordination to the Holy Priesthood of Rev. Mr. John Karol Dugas on Saturday, June 8th at 10am at St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church in Abbeville. He will be ordained by Bishop Douglas Deshotel. His first mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Loreauville on Saturday, June 9th at 10:30am.

ENGAGED COUPLES- Attend a Catholic Engaged Encounter Weekend. The weekend is open to any engaged couple wanting to prepare for a deeper more meaningful life together in a Sacramental Marriage recognized by the Catholic Church according to its Church law. Upcoming weekend: Sept. 13-15. For cost of weekends, and to learn more, visit website www.ceelafayette.org or Contact Mike & Phyllis Totaro at 337-962-5798 or reginfo.ceelaf@gmail.com

RETROUVAILLE—is a ministry for troubled marriages. This program has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. The weekend provides safe setting encouraging couples to learn communication in marriage in a respectful manner. Visit www.helpourmarriage.com for more information & to register. Call 985-232-5963 / email retrovibrcomcoor@gmail.com