



ST. MARCELLUS CHURCH

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Sunday, June 18, 2023
Eleventh Sunday in
Ordinary Time

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: 6/11	\$	1,666.00
MAIL IN COLLECTION: 6/12-15	\$	50.00
TOTAL:	\$	1,716.00

FOOD PANTRY:	\$	50.00
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"Thank You" for your generosity & continued support

CHURCH CLEANERS-Week-6/23-Kim Hebert

TEEN LIFE MINISTRY-

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

**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY TO ALL FATHER'S,
 GRANDFATHERS AND GODFATHERS!**
 From Father James and Office Staff

SUNDAY READINGS-

June 18-Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time-
 Ex 19:2-6a / Rom 5:6-11 / Mt 9:36—10:8 (91)

June 25-Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time-
 Jer 20:10-13 / Rom 5:12-15 / Mt 10:26-33 (94)

Pastor: Rev. James Nguyen

Staff: Office Manager: Ann Boudreaux
 Receptionist/Secretary: Yvonne Hebert

Trustees: Mike Wattigny 337-577-4904
 Catherine Simmons 504-905-1726

Financial Council Chairperson: Dan Duncan: 337-364-4966

Pastoral Council Members:

Chairperson: Ashley Menard: 337-380-3239

Vice Chairperson:

Secretary: Wendy Segura: 337-367-1602

Social Justice Committee: Claire Larson: 337-277-9171

Evangelization Committee: Nancy Hebert: 337-364-4409

Religious Education Committee: Wendy Segura: 337-367-1602

Worship Committee: Versa Dore: 337-967-2401

Management & Finance Committee: Catherine Simmons:
 504-905-1726

Newest Members-Kathy Broussard & Henry Charpentier

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 *12:10 pm

***Holy Hour: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th Friday of the month at 11:00 am**

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

BAPTISMS- 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. ***If you live outside of our parish,** 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.

MASS INTENTIONS- Saturday, June 17 / No 8:30am Mass, Father James has a wedding out of town to officiate.

Saturday, June 17 / 4:00pm: Aaron J. Lavergne Jr., Mr. Laurent Boudreaux, Mr. Giro Quartana, Gerald Laviolette, Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus Council 7050, Bill Richard, Wilfred Gachassin, Harold & Tara LeBlanc, Johnny & Ethel Viator, E. J. DeRouen, Rudell Landry & Family Living & Deceased, Sederic Hebert, Brooks Hebert, Rufus Segura, Claude Hebert, Edward & Juliette Lucas, Warren Pellerin, Goldie Moore, Elizabeth Segura, Edwin & Eunice Romero & Family Living & Deceased, Nolan Broussard, For Vocations to the Priesthood & Consecrated Life, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 3:30pm) **Father Greene saying Mass**

Sunday, June 18 / 7:00am: Irvin Stevens Sr., Willie Lancon, Robert Leslie, Alfred & Mary Leslie, Doug Leslie, John Simon, Calvin Glaubrecht Family, Harold Borel, Cody David, For All Priests & Deacons Living & Deceased, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased

Sunday, June 18 / 9:00am: Wallace LeBlanc, The John Inzerella Family, Ernest Crochet Sr. Family, Deceased Fathers of Lopez & Hebert Families, Raymond J. Boudreaux, M/M Lonie Mire, M/M Mitchell Boudreaux, For All Seminarians of the Lafayette Diocese, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:30am)

Monday, June 19 / 9:00am: Paul & Linda Richard, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:30am)

Tuesday, June 20 / 12:10pm: In Thanksgiving, For Priests & Deacons Living & Deceased (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Wednesday, June 21 / 12:10pm: Homer Comeaux (A), For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Thursday, June 22 / 12:10pm: Fay Crochet Hebert & Family Living & Deceased, Taylor Evans Dixon & Family Living & Deceased, For Seminarians of the Lafayette Diocese (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Friday, June 23 / 12:10pm: For Vocations to the Priesthood & Consecrated Life (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Saturday, June 24 / 8:30am: For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:00am)

Saturday, June 24 / 4:00pm: Aaron J. Lavergne Jr., Pierre Roger Charbonnet & Family Living & Deceased, Johnny & Ethel Viator, E. J. DeRouen, Jackson & Olampe Broussard & Family Living & Deceased, Warren Sr. & Marie Hebert (WA), Warren Pellerin, Goldie Moore, Elizabeth Segura, William & Dolores Dooley, Nolan Broussard, For Vocations to the Priesthood & Consecrated Life, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary 3:30pm)

Sunday, June 25 / 7:00am: Mack & Irene Wilson Family, Jonathan Gautreau, Irvin Stevens Sr. (B), Harold Borel, Cody David, For All Priests & Deacons Living & Deceased, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased

Sunday, June 25 / 9:00am: Bernadette Faustina Hebert & Family Living & Deceased, Cynthia Ann Lanza Falterman & Family Living & Deceased, Streamline Industries: Employees, Customers & Their Families Living & Deceased, Souls in Purgatory, The John Inzerella Family, Ernest Crochet Sr. Family, Glenn Gray & Family, For All Seminarians of Lafayette Diocese, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Chaplet at 8:30am)

SECOND COLLECTION-This Weekend, June 17 & 18, there will be a second collection for the **Bishop's Services Appeal.**
SECOND COLLECTION-Next Weekend, June 24th & 25th, there will be a second collection for the **Property & Liability Insurance Fund.**

This Saturday June 17th, Father James will be out of town to officiate for a wedding. There will be no 8:30am mass this day. Father Richard Greene will say the 4pm mass this day.

Please pray for those who are in the Armed Forces:
ARMY-Braidyn Castille, Colin Boutte

Lord God, Almighty Father, creator of mankind and author of peace, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess, we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces. Give them courage, hope and strength. May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love and compassionate healing. Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light. To you be all glory, honor and praise, now and forever. Amen.

If you have a family member that is in the Armed Force and would like their name on list, please call the office.

"It is confidence which God looks for from us above all things. When we have entrusted our interests to Him alone, His justice and goodness are pledged to aid us."
Precept (M.)-Thoughts of the Curé D'Ar

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 thru 5th grade.**
There will be no Children's Church in June or July.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 7050-

The Knights would like to recognize the following:

Knight of the Month-Jimmy Pellerin
Family of the Month-Danny & Mavis Segura
Knight of the Year-Johnny Hebert
Family of the Year-Josh & Sasha Thibodeaux
...The CYLA-Catholic Youth Leadership Award for KC Council 7050 went to Braidyn Castille and Ella Hebert.

...The Knights will be offering coffee and donut holes after the 9am mass this Sunday under the canopy of Church.

...The Knights will have their Annual Awards & Meeting this Monday at 7pm at the Hall. Knights, please arrive by 6:15pm to say a Rosary, then a Covered Dish Meal provided by Knight's members will be served.





SANCTUARY LAMP-

...In Loving Memory for the Living & Deceased Members of Landry, Broussard, Yoder, Kennedy & LeBlanc Families
By Dot Landry & Edmond Broussard

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS->Elementary & High

School students: For those that did not turn in their last folder, please come to the office to turn in; put the folder or work in a plastic grocery bag and hang on the door of white office building.
>STUDENTS MUST TURN IN FOLDERS AND ALL WORK TO MOVE ON TO THE NEXT GRADE.

RELIGION TEACHER NEEDED-There is an opening for an **8th grade Religion Teacher**. If interested, please call the Office at 337-364-0818 and talk with Yvonne.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT-Friday, July 7-Adoration 8:00am until 4:00pm, followed by 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.

NEW ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED-All boys and girls who have made their First Holy Communion and would like to become an Altar Server please call Yvonne Hebert (337-519-8411) or at the office 337-364-0818 to sign up. They will be trained before they serve at mass. Need for Saturday at 4pm Mass and Sunday at 7am Mass.

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL- Check out EucharisticRevival.org to learn more about the ongoing effort to renew devotion in our country.

On **Thursday, October 5th**, from 6:00pm-9:30pm, the Diocese is planning a Eucharistic Rally at the Cajundome Convention Center. Dr. Ralph Martin will be the keynote speaker.

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.

ALTAR FLOWER FUND DONATIONS-Anyone interested in donating for the **"2023 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.

Price for the 4 Holiday Altar Flowers-\$40.00 total for all 4.

Price for the 1 Weekend Altar Artificial Flowers-\$40.00 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.

Open Altar Flower Weeks-August 6, 13, 20, September 3, October 15, 29.

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.

Please pray for those of our community who have requested our

prayers: Emma Menard, Barbara Clark, Roland Barras, Fr. Manny Fernandez, JoEllen Riggles, Dean Lancon, Brian Roy, Grant Darby, Michael Bourgeois Jr., Kyle Leleux, Michelle Dugas, Kathy Scott, Steven Marcor, Donna McDonald Snoddy, Amy K. Citrano, Dominik Citrano, Maddox Citrano, Dossie Darby, Bruce Burleigh, Dustin James Bourque, R.T. Touchet, Craig Mayard, Kim Rentrop, Freda Rentrop, Joyce Thibodeaux, Mona Doiron, Debbie Thibodeaux, Charlissee LaBauve, Allen Bourque, Judy Landry, Zenaida Retana, Charlie Thibodeaux, Natasha & Ryan Kirkeby, Ann Melancon, Kerry Hebert, Daniel Bourque, John Hebert, Yvonne Russo, Stefan Norris, Roxanne Lavergne, Julia Armentor, Hazel Delahoussaye, Kimberly Elizabeth Moreaux, Linda Yoder, Sis Lavergne, Patrick Castille, Peggy Derouen, Debra Kennedy, Quinton Sims, Pete Phar, Noah Daniels, Hayward Delcambre, Angelica Daniels, Johnny & Karen Broussard, Pam Jude, Michelle Thibodeaux Broussard, Genevieve Robichaux, Wayne Derise, Mary Dartez, Kressent Landry, Julie Bourgeois, Dayton Boutte, Catherine Landry, Elijah Landry, Jason Walker, David Seymour, Joyleen Seymour, Barbara Boudreaux, Brandon Barbin, Tina Broussard, Wilda Hite, Cassie Lannie, Marvin Rentrop, Mary Grace Rentrop, Zoda P. Bourque, Christian James, Blair & Wendy Yoder, Mark & Karen Messinger, Ken & Judy Broussard, Katie Faulk, Edwin Mayeaux, Freddie Norris, Robert R. Broussard Sr., Cody Castille, Robert LeBlanc, Geraldine LeBlanc, Lauris Land, Roy Boudreaux, Ramsey Moss, Wendell Broussard, Bonnie Hazelton, Alison & Emberia Hazelton, Canton Fabia, Sharon Broussard, Denee Vidrine, Gregory Beauboef, Selena Gautreau, Benjamin Lassalle, Kade Breaux, Stephanie Vidrine, Carolyn Deville, Earlene Guillory, Terry Broussard, Savannah Jones, Bailey Doré, Joseph Calvin Landry, Gerald Sewell, Carmen Decuir, Lois Romero, Joyce Romero, Gretchen Lavergne, Glorious Broussard, Jennifer Liner, Marcus Hebert, Hypolite Meyers, Brian Lasseigne, Nicholas Landry, Wanda Breaux, Faith Kreamer, Jermaine Boutte, Jennifer O'Neall, Randal Riggles, Rita & Steven King, Linda Dartez, Don Simon, Irene Richard, Jessica Guidry, Barbara LeBlanc, Pete Bourque, Amy Crochet, Alison Lavergne, Bella Cervantes, Georgie Pellerin, William "Kojak" Broussard, Monique Lancon, Amber Segura, 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.

June / July

***Betty Romero-June 18-25-Sunday** at 9am Mass

***Louisa Gray-June 25-July 2-Sunday** at 9am Mass

***Kathy & Ray Scott-July 2-9-Sunday** at 9am Mass

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.

***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 Caleb Henry
Seminarian Michael Johnson

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



“Riches can suffocate if they are not used in
the right way, whether they are spiritual
riches or material.”
Saint Mother Teresa

PRAYER FOR HURRICANE SEASON-June 1-November 30-O God, Master of this
passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee
obeyed your order and returned to its former quietude; You are still the Master
of land and sea. We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no
control: the Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awake from its
seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land and
spread chaos and disaster. During this hurricane season we turn to You, O
loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid
and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with the passing of time. O Virgin,
Star of the Sea, Our Beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son in our
behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated
with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your Divine Son
to reach the heavenly Jerusalem where a stormless eternity awaits us. Amen
(Composed in 1957 by The Most Reverend Maurice Schexnayder, Second Bishop of
Lafayette, following Hurricane Audrey)

9TH ANNUAL FETE-DIEU du TECHE SOUTH-Tuesday,

August 15th, Feast of the Assumption. In Honor of the 258th
Anniversary of the Arrival of the Acadians and the Catholic Faith
and the 110th Anniversary of the Consecration of the Church of the
Assumption. Eucharistic Procession along Bayou Teche **starts at**
8am with Mass at Assumption Church in Franklin, then travel
down Bayou Teche in boats to launch sites in Baldwin, Chitimacha
Reservation in Charenton, Jeanerette, then to New Iberia Park,
then walk in procession to St. Peter’s Church in New Iberia. For
more info, Contact Fr. Michael Champagne, cjc, at 337-394-6550
fetediouduteche@gmail.com, www.fetediouduteche.org

Our Annual QUO VADIS Discernment Retreat for men is
June 20-22. Men ages 15-25 are invited to the Community of
Jesus Crucified, 103 Railroad Ave. St. Martinville, LA 70582,
to reflect on God’s Will for their life through prayer, fraternity,
recreation, and talks on discernment. Spread the word and register,
call 337-261-5690 or visit
<https://www.lafayettevocations.com/retreats>

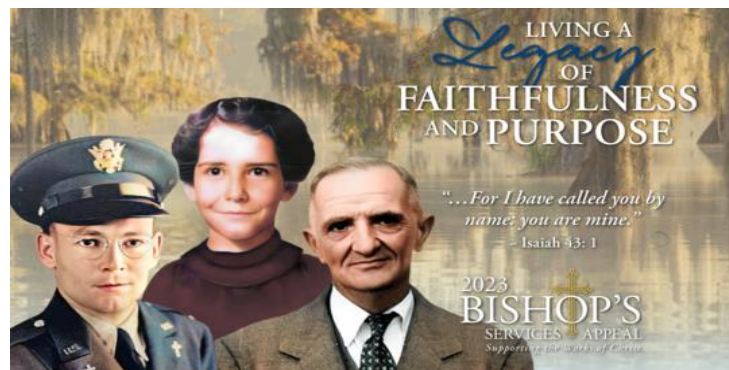
Reflection on the Gospel-The passage of Matthew’s gospel that
we hear today includes the only occasion that Matthew uses the
word apostle, meaning “sent one,” to describe the follower of
Jesus. Whereas the meaning of disciple is “learner,” here the
emphasis is on their being sent out. If fishermen (two sets of
brothers, with the family dynamics that might involve), a tax
collector, a hot-headed revolutionary Zealot, a traitor, and the rest,
could be chosen by Jesus as the first sent ones, then surely there is
hope for the church today.

-*Living Liturgy tm, Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 2023*

Prayer to St. Joseph-O St. Joseph, whose protection is so great, so
strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I place in you all my
interests and desires. O St. Joseph, assist me by your powerful
intercession and obtain for me all spiritual blessings through your
foster Son, Jesus Christ Our Lord, so that, having engaged here
below your heavenly power, I may offer you my thanksgiving and
homage. O St. Joseph, I never weary contemplating you and Jesus
asleep in your arms. I dare not approach while He reposes near
your heart. Press Him in my name and kiss His fine head for me, &
ask Him to return the kiss when I draw my dying breath. Amen

Pro-Life Quote-“Through our prayers and through the intercession
of St. Joseph, patron of fathers, may fathers come to know the
irreplaceable role they hold in the lives of their children, and the
responsibility they share in welcoming God’s gift of new life!”

Most Reverend Shelton J. Fabre, Bishop of Houma-Thibodeaux
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► 2023 BISHOP’S SERVICES APPEAL UPDATE-As of
May 31-Total Collected-\$4,532.00 Our 2023 Goal-\$8,438.00
**Your donations are important and very much needed by
parishioner participation.**

“Our humor and disposition are not so much the reflection of
the weather or the wrong side of the bed,
as they are the reflections of the state of our soul.”
Venerable Fulton Sheen

OUR LADY OF THE OAKS 2023 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 Dates-6/22-25, 7/7-9, 8/17-20, 9/7-10, 9/28-
10/1, 10/19-22, 11/6-8
Couple’s Retreat Dates-9/1-3, 10/6-8

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 marriage
recognized by the Catholic Church according to its Church law.
For cost of weekends, and to learn more, visit website
www.ceelafayette.org or Contact Paul & Carolyn Trahan at
337-254-8947 or cee.trahan@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