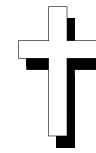


MASS INTENTIONS



The Pastor's Corner

This Wednesday is "Ash Wednesday" and marks the beginning of our annual Lenten journey. The season of Lent is a time of focusing on repentance and the forgiveness of our sins, and we are also asked to focus on three things: Prayer, Almsgiving and Fasting. As pastor, it is my mission to provide you with the tools you need for your spiritual growth in being well disposed to receive God's Grace, and this Lent our hope is to provide you with an opportunity to fully experience the Graces of Lent and its fulfillment in Easter.

This year, after consultation with the Parish Advisory Board, we have decided to adopt a community discipline for St. Landry Church. We are asking that all observe silence in the church in preparation for Mass, during Mass, and after Mass. For our visitors, signs will be posted at all entrances to the church so they will be aware of our Lenten practice. This discipline is intended to foster prayer, almsgiving and fasting. The desire is that when we come to Church each of us will prayerfully prepare for and participate in the liturgy (prayer), that in our silence we will show charity (almsgiving) towards our fellow worshippers by providing an environment of prayer for them without distraction, and that we will reinforce the good habit of awareness and reverence while in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament (fasting). More of the details will be provided in the homily this weekend. As we enter into the Lenten Season this week, let us pray that each of us will more fully focus on Jesus as the center of our lives, and thus grow closer to Him throughout the season. God Bless!

Fr. James Brady

Lenten Mission

"Suffering in the Light of St. Paul"

Presented by Father Blaine Clement, who will be introduced at mass February 23rd and 24th. The Mission will be held on Monday, February 25th and Tuesday, February 26th after the 6:30pm mass.

Pope Benedict's Intentions for February 2013

General: Migrant Families: That migrant families, especially the mothers, may be supported and accompanied in their difficulties.

Mission: Peace: That the peoples at war and in conflict may lead the way in building a peaceful future.

REMINDER FOR CHILDREN

Children, don't forget to get your bulletins from Fr. Brady after Mass.

RCIA

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults
NO CLASS THIS WEEK**

Christ in the City

"Christ in the City" provides a monthly opportunity for young adults to worship through Eucharistic Adoration. At each hour-long service, those in attendance pray in silence before the Blessed Sacrament, listen to a homily, sing and have the opportunity for confession. Afterwards there will be a time of fellowship at Corner bar.

The event is open to young adults in their 20's and 30's, married or single. For more information, find us on facebook or visit the website: <http://ChristInTheCity-Lafayette,WordPress.com>

**Center for Loss & Transition
Hospice of Acadiana Bereavement Program**

Journaling Through Grief: The workshop will be held on Thursday, February 14 from 9:00 to Noon at Hospice of Acadiana. Join Joan T. Broussard, Certified Spiritual Director, for this informative and experiential workshop.

I Don't Know What to Say. This workshop helps with understanding the grief process and provides ways to support grievers. It will be held on Thursday, March 7 from 9am-11:30am at Hospice of Acadiana.

Many people feel uncomfortable not knowing what to say and do around grieving people. Mary Lahey, LPC, LMFT and staff will be the presenters.

READINGS FOR FAITH SHARING

February 10, 2013

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Reading I **Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8**

Here I am, send!

Psalms 138 "In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord."

Reading II **1 Corinthians 15: 1-11**

I handed on to you what I received.

Gospel: Luke 5:1-11

They left everything, even their nets, and followed him.

Many times over the years we have sung "Here I Am, Lord." Today's reading from Isaiah shows us the origin of those words---they are Isaiah's response to God's call. In the Gospel, Peter and the others hear Jesus preaching and his invitation to follow him. You know how they responded. As you listen to these words of God today, listen for God's call to you. How will you respond?

Around the Diocese

Annual Day of Recollection:

St. Edmund Altar Society's Day of Recollection will be on Thursday, Feb. 14 with sign-in and coffee & donuts at 8:00am. Retreat Master is Father Chester Arceneaux. Tickets are \$10.00 which includes lunch. For more information call 232-2849.

The Highest Mystery-The Mass in Sacred Scripture and Tradition:

Our Lady Queen of Angels is sponsoring The Highest Mystery-The Mass in Sacred Scripture and Tradition by Msgr. DeRouen on Feb. 19, 26, March 5, 12 & 19 at 6:00pm.

Lenten day of Reflection for African-American Men

This event is scheduled for Saturday, February 23 at St. Anthony Catholic Church, 615 Edison St., Lafayette, from 8am to 3pm. Donation for the event is \$15.00 with breakfast and lunch provided. For more information or to register call 261-5694.

Theresians Day of Renewal

A Lenten Day of Renewal for women to be held on Saturday, February 23 from 8:30am to 2:30pm at St. Pius X Elem. School Theater. This year's retreat is entitled Faith: Seeing with New Eyes. Tickets are \$30.00, which includes breakfast and lunch. For registration and/or forms go to: www.acadianatheresians.com

Opelousas/Port Barre Men's Silent Retreat

The Spring Opelousas/Port Barre Men's Retreat, at Our Lady of the Oaks Retreat House in Grand Coteau, will be held on Thursday, February 28th through Sunday, March 3rd, Call Andrew Guidroz II for information or registration at 337-351-0732. You can also email him at andrew@thecajun.com. A deposit of \$25.00 is required to hold your room.

Dying Well—A Lenten Day of Recollection

The topic is on the Death of Christ and Christian Death and will be held on Saturday, February 23 from 9am—3pm at Our Lady of Sorrows Retreat Center in St. Martinville. Fr. Mike Champagne will give two talks in the morning followed by Mass at noon. After lunch, a panel will speak on their work in ministering to the sick and dying. Opportunity for confession and Adoration will be available. The day is **FREE** and **NO REGISTRATION** is necessary. Bring a brown bag lunch. For more information call 337-394-6550.

To the Bereavement Committee of St. Landry Church

On behalf of the Ardoin family, thank you for the sandwiches, chips and cookies you provided in the days following our grandmother, Winnie Ardoin's passing. It was all so delicious and this token of love is greatly appreciated by each of us during our time of loss. Thank you for comforting us. Your kindness, support and prayers are sincerely appreciated.

Sincerely, Kimberly A. Taylor

Thank you so much for the mass for "Mr. Johnny". Your thoughtfulness is much appreciated.

The Montgomery Family

ALTAR SOCIETY

Group I..... Lois Joubert Week of February 16, 2013

Group II Pap Roy Week of February 23, 2013

Saturday, Feb. 9 **8:00 am**

4:00 pm..... Wilfred, Annette, Richard and Marian Smith; Bessie Durio; M/M Lee Martin; Jonathan (Jon) Martin; Clara P. Elder; Margaret V. Martin; Sarah Jarrell; Linda C. Ozenne; Joyce and Baby Ortego; Scotty Speyrer; Cecile Doucet; M/M Ezra Martin & Denise Hull, Irl White, Anna Nheim Do; Ronald Lavergne

Sunday, Feb. 10 **8:00 am**

Lou and Joe Arceneaux; Eugene, Margie & Jonie Hebert and Eugenie H. Quebedeaux; Martin J. St. Amand; Youle and Therese Fontenot; Arthur & Eva Fontenot; Anton Phong and Maria Lac Pham; John & Dona Clary; Herman and Georgie Meche

10:00 am.....

Wilfred, Annette, Richard and Marian Smith; Bessie Durio; M/M Lee Martin; Jonathan (Jon) Martin; Clara P. Elder; Margaret V. Martin; Sarah Jarrell; Linda C. Ozenne; Joyce and Baby Ortego; Scotty Speyrer; Cecile Doucet; M/M Ezra Martin & Denise Hull, Irl White, Anna Nheim Do; Ronald Lavergne

5:00 p.m......

St. Landry Church Parishioners; Fields and Voitier families; Leonce Lalonde Jr.; Marie Grace Soileau; John Montgomery Jr.; Harold Savoy

Monday, Feb. 11 **12:05 pm**

Clara P. Elder

Tuesday, Feb. 12 **12:05 pm**

Clara P. Elder

Wednesday, Feb. 13 ASH WEDNESDAY **8:40 am**

Lee, Vivian (DA) and Kristie Artigue

12:05 pm.....

M/M Lee Martin; Jonathan (Jon) Martin; Clara P. Elder; Linda C. Ozenne; Cecile Doucet

5:30 pm.....

Thursday, Feb. 14 **12:05 pm**

Clara P. Elder; Ernie and Stevens (DA) McKinney; Lawrence, Lilly, Mickey and Joyce Hollier, Frank Miller and Family

Friday, Feb. 15 **12:05 pm**

Clara P. Elder; Margaret V. Martin (DA)

Saturday, Feb. 16 **8:00 am**

4:00 pm.....

Wilfred LeBlanc Sr. and Wilfred LeBlanc Jr.; Clara P. Elder; Jeanette Lalonde; Rosalie & Frank Pepitone; Hal Guillory; James E. Martin; Helen B. Richard; Michael Luke Darby; Herman and Georgie Meche

Sunday, Feb. 17 **8:00 am**

Eugene, Margie & Jonie Hebert and Eugenie H. Quebedeaux; Martin J. St. Amand; Youle & Therese Fontenot; Arthur & Eva Fontenot; Anton Phong and Maria Lac Pham; John and Dona Clary

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Confessions, Saturdays 2:30-3:30 p.m.

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., Monday through Friday

Second Offertory Collection Today

Black & Indian Missions

Second Offertory Collection

Week of February 17, 2013

Opelousas Catholic Foundation

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Your Stewardship To God

Regular Collection	\$8,382.59
Maintenance & Repair	\$2,911.26
Bishop's Services Appeal	\$10.00
Poor	\$221.00
Black & Indian Mission.....	\$7.00

TOTAL**\$11,531.85**

Thank you for your generosity!

Every Gift Comes From Above.



REMINDERS OF THE WEEK

Sunday, Feb. 10	NO CONFIRMATION CLASS
Monday & Tuesday	OFFICE CLOSED
	Lundi Gras & Mardi Gras
	Rosary @ Monument
Monday, Feb. 11	NO RCIA
Tuesday, Feb. 12	ASH WEDNESDAY
Wednesday, Feb. 13	Masses @ 12:05pm & 5:30pm
	Come Lord Jesus
	1st. Communion Class
Thursday, Feb. 14	KC Meeting
	5:15pm
	6:00pm
Friday, Feb. 15	7:00pm
Saturday, Feb. 16	5:15pm
Sunday, Feb. 17	8:00am
	Stations of the Cross
	Mass in Valentin Hall
	NO CONFIRMATION CLASS

Prayer Intentions

Ashley Allemond; Joshua Allemond; Clifford and Jane Ardoin; John Aucoin; Gervis "BB" Babin; Dennis Bahr; Anna Lee Beadle; Roberta Bernard; Carolyn M. Bertrand; Jane Bertrand, Steve & Paula Bienvenu; Sky Bihm; Logan Billeaudeau; Gerard Boudreaux; Millie Boudreaux; Leanna Briley; Wilbur Briley; Vanessa Brown; Holly Burleigh; Brandon Castille; Neilson "Shorty" Castille; Raylyn Chapman; Rodney Comeaux; Keith Daigle; Shelton Daigle; Eugene Darbonne; Lou D'Avy; Glenn Derington; Harley Doucet; Olivia Doucet; Lane W. Dugas; Richard and Nelda Dunn; Vickie Duplechain; Duane Dupre; Shirley Emonet; Tristen Estes; Bernel Fontenot; Linda & Terry Fontenot; Joseph Galthier; Ruby Gautreaux; Elsie and Craig Guillory; Ted Guillory Jr.; Wilma Guillory; Angela G. Hansen; Angela Hargroder; Benny Hargroder; Larry Hargroder; Keith Harmon; Bobby Hebert; Nelwyn & Pat Hebert; Agnes Kidder; Gerald Kidder; Janice Kidder; Trina Kirkpatrick; Michael Labbe; Grady Lacassin; Brittany LeBlanc; Olivia LeBlanc; Louise LeDoux; Mike Lewallen; Dale Martin; Malcolm "Slick" Martin; Mary Ann Davenport Martin; Mitch Mequet; Laura Miller; Brandy Monde; Julie Mouton; Virginia Naquin; Kent Peter Nejerada; Miya Norse; Lonnie and Cindy Ortego; Marty Ortego; Terri Ortego; Betty Pitre; Ricky Pousson; Merilyn Quirk; Butch Richard; Joseph James Robin; Joseph Robison; Myrtle Ryder; Lauren Sebastien; Annie Kay Segura; Katherine Smith; Carrie Soileau; Corrine Soileau; Emmadine Soileau; Lou Soileau; Timmy Soileau; Viola Stelly; Wilton Stelly; Patti Stephens; Patrick Steward Jr.; Thomas Stoute; Yola Stoute; Beverly Talbot; Collins Thibodeaux James Touchet; Lena Trahan; Fr. Nicky Trahan; Lou Vidrine; Brandy Willingham; Nicky Winder; Pat Woodson; Warren Wyble; Henry Young; Mike Young

It is Diocesan policy that to put someone on the Prayer List, you must first have his or her permission.

Pray for our Troops

Christopher Briley; Dr. John Cason; Jacob DeKerlegand; Hunter Dubuc; Brian James Dendy; Dakin Doyle; Chad Guthrie; Eric Hart; A.J. Korn; Garrett Ryan Lanclos; Andre Ledoux; Danny Pitre; Trevor Reilly; Zach Reilly; Joshua Thomasse; Hunter Zerangue
Please call the office (942-6552) to add names.
All Powerful God, we pray for your continued guidance and blessings on all who serve our country in the military.

Please Pray for Our Seminarians

Of the 39 current seminarians representing the Diocese of Lafayette, the following 4 men are from the North Region:

- 1) Matthew Barzare St. Anthony of Padua, Eunice
- 2) John Miller St. Landry, Opelousas
- 3) Ben Pitre St. Landry, Opelousas
- 4) Paul Lombas St. Anthony of Padua, Eunice

Father, in your plan for our salvation you provide shepherds for your people. Fill your Church with the spirit of courage and love. Raise up worthy ministers for your altars and eager but gentle servants of the gospel. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen

OC Corner

Registration for new students entering the 2013-2014 school year will begin on Wednesday, February 13th. Call the bookkeeper at 942-5404 ext. 101 for more information.

OC takes pride in its "Distinguished Graduate" for this school year, Mrs. Norma Lee Richard Dugal, 1947 graduate of the Academy of the Immaculate Conception (now OC). She is being honored through NCEA (National Catholic Educational Association) for her outstanding qualities and her devoted service to the Catholic Church and community.

Steubenville South!!!

An informational meeting will be held: Sunday, February 24th at 3:00pm in Valentin Hall for all High School Students and Parents interested in attending this year's Steubenville Youth Conference in Alexandria. For more information please contact Deacon Dwayne Joubert at 308-0001.

Abbey Youthfest!!

Saturday, March 9, 2013
A day long youth rally at St. Benedict's Abbey in Covington, LA
If you are currently in 8th grade through 12th and are interested in attending
Call Deacon Dwayne Joubert at 308-0001
Call today!!The deadline is quickly approaching.

Thank You

St. Landry Church is grateful for the monetary donation in memory of **Clara P. Elder.**

Holy Ghost Lenten Revival

Monday, February 18th through Wednesday, February 20th
Theme: The Kingdom, the Power and the Glory
Presenter: Deacon Larry D. Oney, Diocese of New Orleans

SANCTUARY LIGHT
CHURCH.....A Spiritual Lenten Season
CHAPEL.....For Those Away From The Sacraments

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