



# SAINT JOSEPH

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## NOVEMBER 18, 2018 - THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### PARISH MINISTERS

Rev. William Schambough .....*Pastor*  
 Deacon Keith Duhon .....*Deacon*  
 Chenell Privat .....*Secretary to the Pastor*  
 Sandra Smith .....*Bookkeeper*  
 Eva Green .....*Coordinator of 1st-11th Grade Religion*  
 Celeste Fortier .....*Safe Environment Coordinator*  
 John Buroker .....*Choir Director*

### SACRAMENTS

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturday from 3:00–3:55 pm, 20 minutes before daily Mass and by appointment, (please call the office).

**BAPTISM:** Preparation for the sacrament is provided to parents held in the evenings. (See bulletin for time and place.) Parents are encouraged to attend during pregnancy, to avoid undue delays.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** For Anointing, death, or in case of an emergency please call the parish office.

**MARRIAGE:** Couples planning marriage are asked to contact the pastor or deacon at least six months before.

### CELEBRATING THE EUCHARIST

Saturday:.....4:00 p.m.  
 Sunday: .....8:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.  
 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday:.... 6:30 a.m.  
 Thursday:.....6:00 p.m.  
 Holy Days:..... 6:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

### WELCOME, VISITORS.

We extend a warm welcome to the individuals and families who are celebrating with us today. We invite you to become registered with our Parish Family by completing our Parish Census Form, and returning it to the office on 208 E. Edith.

### PASTORAL COUNCIL

Pam Begnaud                    Trista Littell  
 Bob Cole                        Nicole Hebert  
 Dan Guidry  
 Steve LeMaire

### PARISH TRUSTEES

Linda Desormeaux  
 Robert Landry



**33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

As we edge closer to the closing of the liturgical year, the Church selects readings that remind us of the final close: the second coming of Christ. It's easy, perhaps, to forget that this is a dogma of our Catholic faith. We see this dramatic end times language in today's Gospel. "The sun will be darkened ... and the stars will be falling from the sky."

As Christians and as human beings, we know all things will come to an end. "But of that day or hour, no one knows." The "end of the world" and end of time at Jesus' coming is in a future unknown. But God has given us beautiful reminders of this truth. We see the signs and symbols of ending all around us -- nightfall at the end of each day; the life cycle of crops coming alive, bearing fruit, and being harvested; our own death. That, too, will come at an unknown day and hour. But that is the way of things. Even as God created in Genesis, He gave us a sense of time -- the sun rising and setting, a beginning and an end -- to mark our days.

So how do we welcome these built-in forms of measurement? Do we take time to quietly recollect at the end of each day? Do we see every morning as a fresh start for mercies new? Do we observe the seasons and reflect on what they might be speaking to us of God and His glory? "Heaven and earth will pass away, but my works will not pass away." The little beginnings and little ends are opportunities to renew our faith in Jesus, if only we have the eyes to see!



**Please Pray For The Sick**

- Gracie Broussard Meyer Moore Wilmer Landry
- Lucy Broussard Chase Conway Stoute Trisha Doucet
- Norval Knapp Brennen Albert Dina Broussard
- Susan Vincent Gunner Breaux Hunter Henry
- Joyce Comeaux James Benoit Joe Daigle
- Diane Johnson Dolores Benoit Kathryn Trahan
- Bobby Trahan Charlie Harrington Kathleen Blanco
- Betty Thibodeaux Rudolph Fabre Kim Vincent
- Luby Landry Lilly Mae Romero Enola G. Bernard
- Mary Belle Broussard Judy Touchet Karen Hebert
- Bernice Breaux Mary Trahan Raywood Decou

**Our Gift Back to God**

Offertory *(Due to early printing, not available)* .\$.

Weekly Goal . . . . . \$12,000.00

**Thank You!**

**This Weekend's Second Collection**

Camp for Human Development

The readings today speak of the end of the world and the coming of the Kingdom. The bishops' pastoral on stewardship says clearly that "that 'life to come' is in continuity with this present life through the human goods, the worthy human purposes, which people foster now." May our good stewardship cause us to be numbered among the chosen on the last day!

"Amen, I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all these things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. But of that day or hour, no one knows, neither the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father." - Mk 13:30-32

**Mass Intention**

**Weekend of November 17th & 18th, 2018**  
**Sat. 4 p.m., Sun. 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. for the intentions listed,**  
**Sun. 10:30 a.m. for our parish (Pro Populo)**

Annie Sonnier (Birthday), Willis Morvant, Zachary Tucker, Grace B. Credeur, Mary P. Meche, Norris & Leline Gerard & Family, Pierre Long Hebert, Mary Wallace, M/M Alton Broussard, Huey Theriot, Preston Venable, Frank Richard, Ryan Viator, Bradley J. Demette, Charlotte Hay (Living), Zachary Esters, Eugene Broussard, Lewis & Maude Picard, Leonie V. Broussard (Birthday), Jacob Theriot, James Richard (1st Anniv.), Drew Eschete, Wilda & Louis Theo Bares

**Weekday Masses**

- Monday 19 Percy & Ophelia Rabalais
- Tuesday 20 Ryan Clay Hidalgo (Birthday), C. J. Miller (Birthday-Living)
- Wednesday 21 Harris Zeringue (Birthday), Mary Wallace, Mike Zeringue (Birthday-Living)
- Thursday 22 Yenes & Elwood Baudoin, Gayle J. Stoute, Loyd Denais, Clifford J. Viator & Family, Lawrence Benoit, Sr., Pierre, Long Hebert, Jeffrey & Nola Broussard, Dudley & Amie Denais, Emily Kay Benoit, Beverly C. & Mildred B. Picard, Patricia Taylor Smith, Bryan Gomez, Erwin & Winnie Bixenman, Lane Everette Begnaud, George & Beatrice Stelly Stout, In Thanksgiving, Ryan Viator
- Friday 23 St. Joseph Community

**Sanctuary Candle**

Gayle J. Stoute

**Food For The Poor** Rev. Patrick Murphy, S.J. will speak at all Masses this weekend about a ministry providing direct relief to the poor throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. Fr. Murphy will share personal witness about Food For The Poor's mission to care for the destitute as a means of living out the Gospel mandate to love one another.

**Thanksgiving Day Mass** will be celebrated at 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, **November 22nd!** The parish office will be closed. Have a safe and Happy Thanksgiving!



**The Giving Tree** will be set up in the gathering area of Church the weekend of **November 24th & 25th.** We ask that parishioners take one Angel per family at this time. The angels on the tree are for local families that are in need, our homebound parishioners, and for those in care giving facilities. Gifts must be returned to the gathering area under the tree no later than Monday, **December 10th** in order to have gifts separated and delivered on time. Please be sure Angel is attached to outside of the gift. Thank you!

**Supper and Substance** An evening for married couples of our parish Saturday, **December 1st!** Please join us for good food and an evening out with your fellow parishioners. All generations will be there. Supper and Substance dinners are a wonderful way to meet other couples from our parish community, share a fun evening with your spouse, and enrich your marriage by listening to our speaker's testimony on their faith journey together. Please call the parish office at 856-5997 to register for this event.

#### Events This Week

**Mon. (19th):** No CCD  
**Tues. (20th):** Rosary Making Ministry  
 1-2:00 p.m. (Church)  
 Choir Practice 6:30  
 p.m. (Church)  
**Wed. (21st):** No CCD  
**Thurs. (22nd):** "Thanksgiving Day"  
 Mass 8:00 a.m.  
 Parish Office Closed  
**Fri. (23rd):** Parish Office Closed  
**Sat. (24th):** No Events Scheduled  
**Sun. (25th):** 6th, 7th & 8th Grade CCD

**Coming this Advent "FORMED"** A revolutionary online platform that provides access to the best Catholic audio talks, movies, ebooks, and video-based studies from trusted providers like Augustine Institute, Ignatius Press, Catholic Answers, Sophia Institute Press, St. Paul Center, and more! FORMED presents a tremendous opportunity to help the overwhelming majority of Catholics change the way they consume media and develop a daily habit of faith formation and prayer. More information coming soon!

**The Next Baptism Seminar** will be held on Thursday, **January 10th, 2019** at 6:30 p.m. in Church. Parents are encouraged to attend during pregnancy!

**Bulletin Deadlines** With the upcoming Christmas Holiday approaching, the bulletin goes to printing earlier than usual during this time. Please send in Mass requests or bulletin announcements as soon as possible. Thank you!



**Ten Tickets for "Tolton From Slave to Priest"** have been purchased by St. Joseph Church. These tickets are free to anyone interested in attending this performance on Thursday, **December 6th** or Friday, **December 7th** at St. Pius X at 7:00 p.m. Please call the Rectory to inquire about the tickets. (See next page for complete details on this performance).

**Holy Land Pilgrimage** Fr. Aaron Melancon will be leading a Holy Land Pilgrimage November 18th-28th, 2020. An orientation meeting will be held on Thursday, **December 13th** at 7:00 p.m. at St. Theresa Parish Life Center in Duson. Please RSVP for this meeting by calling 291-1933 or [info@holyltravels.org](mailto:info@holyltravels.org).

**Word of Life** "Our love for our children has nothing to do with their abilities. We love them simply because of who they are, and understanding this teaches us how to truly love everyone." *For all of us gathered in prayer: May God grant us the wisdom and courage to lovingly protect his gift of life.*

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Rv 2:17]/Lk 18:35-43  
 Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 [Rv 3:21]/Lk 19:1-10  
 Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 [1b]/Lk 19:11-28  
 Thursday: Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [Rv 5:10]/Lk 19:41-44  
 Friday: Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131 [103a]/Lk 19:45-48  
 Saturday: Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 [1b]/Lk 20:27-40

#### Next Sunday's Readings

Daniel 7:13-14  
 Psalm 93:1, 1-2, 5  
 Revelation 1:5-8  
 John 18:33b-37



**Broussard Community Fair** on the campus of St. Cecilia School & Sacred Heart (200 W. Main Street, Broussard) on **November 17th & 18th**. Visit [BroussardCommunityFair@facebook.com](mailto:BroussardCommunityFair@facebook.com) for more information.

**Day of Recollections for Vocations** Our Lady of Sorrows Retreat Center, 103 Railroad Ave., St. Martinville from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, **November 24th**. No cost and no registration required. Call Fr. Champagne at 394-6550 for more information.

**Please Pray for Seminarians**

**November**

- Rev. Kevin Bordelon, Director of Seminarians
- Rev. Patrick Broussard, Director of Vocations
- Seminary Faculty, Parents and Benefactors of Seminarians
- Luke Johnson
- Andrew Killeen
- Luke Kirk
- Hayden Lacour
- Joshua LaFleur
- Alex Lancon
- Cole Laurents
- Cade LeBlanc
- Jacob LeBlanc
- Bret Lee
- Calvin LeMaire
- Seth Lemaire
- Joseph Marcantel
- Riley Maturin
- Stephen Melancon
- Scott Mitchell
- Matthew Molbert
- Chad Peltier
- Connor Poirrier
- Seth Ransonet
- Michael Vidrine
- Nicholas Ware
- Cole Zaubrecher
- Dylan Allen
- Reed Bellingham
- Rev. Mr. Donald Bernard
- Br. John Joseph Bourque, CJC

*"A priest is not a priest for himself, he is a priest for you." - Cure of Ars*

**Please Pray for Our Priest:**  
Rev. Brian Harrington  
Rev. Msgr. Russell J. Harrington  
Rev. David Hebert  
Rev. Matthew Hebert  
Rev. T. J. Hebert  
Rev. Gregory Heslip, LC  
Rev. Matthew Higginbotham

**The Real Sister Act** Coming for the first time to Lafayette for *one night only*, the Daughters of St. Paul Choir will be performing **Glorious Night Christmas Concert!** The Sisters have been singing in Christmas Concerts for over 20 years to sold-out crowds, so you won't want to miss this local performance - be sure to mark your calendar and get your tickets now! This concert will take place on Wednesday, **December 5th** at 7:00 p.m. at Angelle Hall, 601 E. St. Mary Boulevard on the campus of the University of Louisiana at Lafayette. Go online for sponsorships or tickets at: [Pauline.org/LAFconcert](http://Pauline.org/LAFconcert) or call 504-887-7631.

**Tolton From Slave to Priest**

Tolton tells the incredible true story of Father Augustus Tolton, the first African American Catholic Priest. Born into slavery near the beginning of the Civil War and rejected by every seminary in the United States, Fr. Tolton is remarkable not only for his courage and perseverance, but for his humility and intense love for souls. Actor Andrae Goodnight brings this extraordinary priest to life in a stirring one-man live drama. Through the performance, audiences enter into Fr. Tolton's world and experience his message of reconciliation and hope, as poignant and relevant today as it was during his lifetime. It will be held **December 6th & 7th** at St. Pius Elementary School Auditorium, Lafayette. Showing begins at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$25.00.

*Thought of the Week* There is no one who is insignificant in the purpose of God..

**Liturgical Ministers November 22nd, 24th & 25th, 2018**  
**Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, & Servers**

We ask all ministers to please be there **15 minutes before Mass**. Sacristans, please be there 30 to 45 minutes before Mass. Please call for a replacement if unable to make your scheduled time.

**Thursday, November 22nd, 8:00 a.m. (Thanksgiving Day)**

**Sacristan:** Margaret Siffert  
**Lectors:** Lisa McCowen, Joyce Broussard  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Keith Duhon, Dale Kelly, Jake Duplechin  
**Altar Servers:** Gavin Duplechin, Jared Duplechin

**Saturday, November 24th, 4:00 p.m.**

**Sacristan:** Cyndi Miller  
**Lectors:** Cyndi Miller, Wally Broussard  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Eadie Slimbach, Sylvia Broussard, Michelle Bayard  
**Altar Servers:** Mollie Boudreaux, Ali Boudreaux

**Sunday, November 25th, 8:00 a.m.**

**Sacristan:** Robert & Angie Landry  
**Lectors:** Ali Picard, Joyce Broussard  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Liz Curnutt, Robert Landry, Angie Landry, Stacey Picard, Gwen Miller, Janice Bourque, Mary Adams  
**Altar Servers:** Parker Broussard, Luke Blanchard, Logan Broussard

**Sunday, November 25th, 10:30 a.m.**

**Sacristan:** Leslie Breaux  
**Lectors:** Cindy Fontenot, Leslie Breaux  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Keith Duhon, Cindy LeBlanc, Gerard Labat, Krissy Smith, Joan Morvant, Lisa LeBlanc, Suzie Trappey  
**Altar Servers:** Jaylon Etienne, Javon Etienne, Jayden Etienne

**Sunday, November 25th, 5:00 p.m.**

**Sacristan:** Margaret Siffert  
**Lectors:** James Blanchard, Emilie Boudreaux  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Deacon Keith Duhon, Toni Hebert, Angelle Blanchard, Margaret Siffert, Ruby Boudreaux, Darlene Russell, Natalie Russell  
**Altar Servers:** Tyler Boudreaux, Alyssa Blanchard

