La Madeleine
ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 28 APRIL 2019

WEEKENDS
Saturday: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 7:00AM
  9:00 AM
  11:00 AM
  3:00 PM (Vietnamese)
  5:30 PM

WEEKDAYS
Monday - Friday:  6:30 AM

RECONCILIATION
Saturday:  2:30 - 3:30 PM
Sunday:   4:45 - 5:15 PM
Before weekday Mass
Other times by request

BAPTISM/PREPARATION
Please call office to schedule.
Classes are held 2nd Monday
every other month

ANOINTING OF THE SICK
Please call the office to schedule

MARRIAGE
Please contact the office at least SIX
months before marriage date

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS
Please call the office after
contacting the Funeral Home

Pastor Fr. Louis J. Richard
Associate Fr. Michael Richard
Pastoral Associate Sr. Carmelita Latiolais, S.E.C.
Deacons Tam M. Tran, William Vincent, Francis Cao
Director of Parish Renewal & Evangelization John Listi
Weddings & Christian Formation Director Renella Livers
Funerals & Cemetery Manager Deacon William Vincent
Business Manager Monica DeRouen
Receptionist Marguerite Landry
Director of Music & Church Organist Tommy Guidry
Christian Service Center Marcelo & Kelli Davis
Maintenance Malcolm d’Augereau
Housekeeper Kim White
Life Teen Youth Ministers John Listi, Andrea Delhommer,
  Drew & Rachael David

ST. MARY MAGDALEN PARISH MISSION STATEMENT
We, the Catholic Community of St. Mary Magdalen
• Embrace our baptismal commitment to Christ
• Live a life of faith, service, and worship
• Seek to transform the world through prayer & evangelization

Welcome newcomers, please complete a census form located in back of church
337-893-0244 stmarymagdalenparish.org
300 Pere Megret Street P. O. Box 1507 Abbeville, LA 70511-1507

CHRISTIAN SERVICE CENTER 337-893-9756
BRIDGE OF MERCY

This Sunday we find ourselves at the last day of the Octave of Easter, which Pope St. John Paul II appointed to be “Divine Mercy Sunday.”

In Pope Francis’ Papal decree calling for the Year of Mercy in 2016, he gave a definition of mercy as “the bridge that connects God and man, opening our hearts to the hope of being loved forever despite our sinfulness.” The Lord opens our hearts to HOPE.

This is our Easter joy. Jesus has truly come to seek and save the lost, including you and me. Mercy is the way in which we experience God’s love for us. We see that He gives us even what we do not deserve, and God gives this mercy in abundance. He is indeed the “Father of Mercies.”

This mercy then, is a bridge. It is God’s constant reaching down to us in love. God has always done this: from Adam and Eve, to the Israelites in the desert, to the woman at the well and to Zacchaeus. And He still gives this mercy today. He gives us the definitive “bridge” in Jesus Christ and in His Resurrection.

So we conclude our Octave of Easter with the call to meditate on God’s Divine Mercy to us, and we respond to that call with the simple prayer: “Jesus, I trust in You!”

YOUR STEWARDSHIP TO GOD

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Holy Week Totals will be available next week.

2ND Collection 4/28 Catholic Home Mission
Thank you for your generosity!

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS #801- 96 YRS

April 29, 2019 is the 96th anniversary of St. Mary Magdalen Court #801. Monday April 29 at 6 PM members are invited to a social celebrating this organization of unity, clarity, and spirituality. The Catholic Daughters wish to honor members who have participated for 25 or more years. Contact: Ginny Aucoin 893-9779. RSVP to Pam Guidry 772-8768. Rides will be provided if needed.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP– MAY 2ND

The Grief Support Group will meet on Thursday May 2nd at 2 PM. Please join us in sharing about the challenges of Grief.

"Where there is deep grief, there was great love. Grief never ends... But it changes."

TWO DAY EQUIPPING MAY 24-25

Bart Schuchts, of the John Paul II Center in Florida, will lead this dynamic program. The Friday evening and Saturday event will equip you to live the mission of Jesus. Jesus tells us in John 14:12: “He who believes in Me will do the things that I have done...” Session at Immaculata Center. Register online jpiihealingcenter.org For information johnvlisti@gmail.com 893-0244.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS APPRECIATION ROSARY/RECEPTION APRIL 30TH 6 PM

Members and spouses of the:
  Catholic Daughters
  Altar Society
  3rd Order Carmelites
  Steps to Heaven

You are invited to a Rosary on April 30th at 6 PM in church followed by a Reception in the Ministry Building. KC Council #2281 wishes to show appreciation of these groups and members who contribute so much to life in our community. Contact Frank DeGraaw fdlsu444@aol.com
BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE
For Victims of Abuse and Violence

SANCTUARY CANDLE IN MEMORY OF
M/M Steven Trahan

PRAYERS & SYMPATHY FOR FAMILY OF
Zoie Suire Stute
The Bomb Victims in Sri Lanka

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord; and let light perpetual shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

WE PRAY FOR BLESSINGS OF HEALTH
Erika & Gloria Abshire, Louise & Carroll Baudoin, Richard & Audrey Belaire, Paul & Audrey Bergeron, Kathleen Blanco, M/M Alan Bourque, Irene, Wilda, Malise, Joey, Peggy, Adam, Marlene & Jimmy Broussard, Deanna & Shelton Charpentier, M/M Julia Covillion, Deanna & Shelton Charpentier, M/M Julia Covillion, Lorraine Danof, Liz Dardeau, Mark DeRouen, Mike deValcourt, Meezie Donahue, Lana Dore, Melba Dubois, Shirley, Mary Duhan, Maureen Duvall, Audrey Faulk, Annette, Betty & Jan Frederick, Kadyn Greene, M/M Buster Griffin, Mary Ann & Rita Guarino, Mildred Guidry, M/M Kenneth Harrington, Linda Hebert, Margaret P. Jackson, Rose Labauve, Barbara LaPointe, M/M Levan Leblanc, Jean LeBlanc, John LeJeune, Carroll Lemaire, Jim & Paul Landry, Audrey, Edith, Ray Lege, Ezryn Lofton, Flo Lormand, Jean-Paul Marceaux, Cheryl Meaux, Linda Menard, Delores Miller, Angela Mouton, Betty Mouton, M/M Pete Mouledous, Hazel Mouton, Mary Perry, Marjorie Pierce, Marie Prejean, Kay, Sandy Richard, Anna Lee Robin, M/M Dudley Romero, Dawn & DeElla Roy, Bobby Ryder, Mary Scalisi, Mike Saunier, Jackie Stelly, Arthurine Sirmon, Tookie Sonnier, Rosa Belle Stansbury, Yvonne, Jackie Stelly, Camille Vidos, Gloria Theall, Sheena Touchet, Olivia, Mary Trahan, Brenda Vidrine, Mike Veazey, Rob Wade, Patrick Weaver, Young Woods

PRAYERS

First Communion Practice Thursday May 9TH at 6PM in church. First Communion Ceremony May 11TH at 10AM

Special thanks to teachers: Patricia Delcambre, Beverly Broussard, Danielle Fontenot, Julie Broussard, Renella Livers and all who prepared these children.

A $20 ticket purchase gives you a chance to win a car, travel camper or trip and will assist us in providing the best care for our patients. Tickets will be sold at Hospice and in the parish office. Hospice 337-232-

“Jesus said to them again, ‘Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.’” (John 20:21)

Peace – the first gift of the risen Lord. Just as Jesus sent the apostles out into the world, so too, He sends us. As disciples living Stewardship for Jesus, we are called to be grateful and generous.

Look for opportunities to share the Peace of Jesus, every day - at home, at work, at the ballpark etc. In giving, we receive the peace of Jesus Christ.

ST LANDRY BAPTIST CHURCH FIRES

Three Baptist churches in St. Landry were burned recently. Fr. Louie sent a donation from the St. Mary Magdalen community to each church.

- St. Mary Baptist Church 103 Saquette Rd; Port Barre, LA 70577
- Greater Union Baptist Church 923 Foster St, Opelousas, LA 70570
- Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, 3989 LA-182, Opelousas, LA 70570

If you wish to contribute, either send to the churches directly, or give to St. Mary Magdalen and indicate Baptist Church Fires and the contribution will be forwarded to the churches.

GRATEFUL STEWARDSHIP
JOR L 11-17 DENTAL/MEDICAL CLINICS
Acadiana volunteers will conduct 4 day medical/dental clinics in Honduras. Fr. Louie Richard (337) 893-0244 louisjrichard@gmail.com Honduras Medical/Dental Clinics P.O. Box 1507, Abbeville, LA 0511

PUERTO RICO MISSION JULY 15-20
John Listi is leading a group on the mission to Puerto Rico July 15-20. Contact John at St. Mary Magdalen 893-0244 or johnvlisti@gmail.com.

RICE BOWLS
There are boxes at the doors of church for the return of the Rice Bowls. Thank you for participating in the Catholic Relief Services Lenten Program.

LOURDES PRESENTS JOHN O'LEYAR
John O'Leary, author of On Fire will speak on May 15, 2019 at 7 p.m. at Le Pavillon Ballroom. Proceeds from ticket sales go to operations of the St. Bernadette Community Healthcare Clinic, and other outreach programs of Our Lady of Lourdes. Tickets $30 www.LourdesFoundation.com. Call 337-470-4610 for more information.

FAMILY FUN DAY IN ERA TH
Our Lady of Lourdes is having a Family Fun Day on May 11, 2019 in downtown Erath.
For information call Darryl 517-3011 or Our Lady of Lourdes 937-6888.

MARRIAGE/FAMILY/PRO LIFE OFFICE
Annual Mothers’ Day of Reflection will be held on Wednesday, May 8, 2019 9-2 at Immaculata, 1408 Carmel Drive. Director: Kitty Cleveland www.diolaf.org/marriage $25 lunch/materials.

Divorce Recovery Program
*St. Joseph Church in Rayne - Mary Terro at 337-224-1898 or mtvip40@yahoo.com
*St. Pius X - 337-769-3885
*Our Lady of Fatima - Greg Broussard at gregbroussard@gmail.com, 337-412-0349

CALLING ALL NEWLYWEDS!
You are invited: June 9, 2019 from 2-4 pm at Holy Cross Church, 415 Robley Dr, Lafayette.
Catholic Engaged Encounter is hosting “Walking Together”, for couples married 5 years or less.
Lunch will be served, Childcare will be provided, and a date night prize will be awarded, all for Free.

PARKING AT ST MARY MAGDALEN
There is room in front of the church for three rows of parking. Please do not park in the OUTSIDE row when there is space in the inside row; making it difficult for others to park in inner rows.
There are 6 handicap parking spaces behind the rectory as well as a lift at the side door for parishioners who need the assistance.
“SPREAD THE LOVE”

The CSC is partnering with Courtesy Ford for a “Spread the Love” peanut butter drive to help feed local kids during the summer. Bring Peanut Butter to:

- Courtesy Ford
  1201 US-167
- Christian Service Ctr
  701 Chevis St
- St. Mary Magdalen

Thank you to all of you who have dropped off donations for the Christian Service Center and at St. Mary Magdalen!

The CSC serves over 150 families weekly who need support. Thank you for your generosity!

CHRISTIAN SERVICE CENTER

APRIL/MAY DATES

- Life Teen High School 5:30PM APRIL 28
- Edge– 6-8 Grades 5:30PM MAY 5
- Family Faith Sunday 9:30 AM MAY 19
- Women’s Prayer Group 6:00PM May 8TH
- Couples’ Prayer Group 6:30PM TBA
- Men's Prayer Group 7PM May 6TH
- Carmelite 3RD Order 4PM May 16
- Men of Mary Rosary Wednesdays 6:30AM
- Exposition Thursdays 7AM-10PM
- Knights of Columbus 6:00 May 8TH
- Catholic Daughters 6:30 May 9TH

TV MASS FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Anyone who cannot get out to church can to tune in Mass on TV or watch online anytime

www.stmarych.com/live
catholictv.org/masses/catholictv-mass
heartofthenation.org

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VC– CARMEL MAY FEST 3-4

PRIZE MONEY FOR RAFFLE DONATED BY:

- ABBEVILLE BUILDING & LOAN
- BANK OF ABBEVILLE
- BANK OF ERAITH
- COURTESY FORD SOUTH
- GULF COAST BANK
- RAY CHEVROLET

LIVE MUSIC

FRIDAY

7-11 PM

LAFAYETTE'S BAYOU BOYS

SATURDAY

12-2 DJ
2-5 PM - ALLIGATOR BLUE
5-7 PM DJ
7-11 PM - SIDE SHOW

FRIDAY

MAY 3

BOILED CRAWFISH
PAINT THE CAR
FUN JUMPS

OPENING CEREMONIES
5:30 PM

FOOD & GAMES
6:00 - 11:00 PM

CAKE BINGO
7:30 - 9:30 PM

MUSIC
7:00 - 11:00 PM

SATURDAY

MAY 4

RAFFLE DRAWING:
10:00 PM SATURDAY

GRAND PRIZE: $5,500.00
SECOND PRIZE: $1,500.00
THIRD PRIZE: $500.00

DUNKING BOOTH
PICOLE BALL
PAINT THE CAR

PICOLLE BALL
10:00 AM - TILL

FOOD & GAMES
NOON - 11:00 PM

CAKE BINGO
11:30 AM - 9:30 PM

VENDOR MARKET
NOON - 6:00 PM

MUSIC
2:00 - 11:00 PM
MASS INTENTIONS for the week of April 29th—May 5th

6:30AM Rev Kevin Bordelon; Victims of Sexual Assault; Leah Broussard; Prayer Blanket Intentions; Marcia Hollier; Vincent Khuyen; Randy & Cindy Morgan; Or phaned Souls; Francis Xavier Nguyen; Phuc Thanh; Dominico Tran Van Giac; Dominico Tran Van Hoc; Giuse Nguyen The Kha; Matthias Ta Nguyen; Maria Nguyen T. Quet; Giao Baotista Pham V Sac; Maria Nguyen T. Nhi; Maria Nguyen T. Huong; Maria Cay Thi Do

6:30AM Rev Marshall Boulet; Judith Ognibene; Randy & Cindy Morgan; Francis Xavier Nguyen Phuc Thanh; Dominico Tran Van Giac; Dominico Tran Van Hoc; Giuse Nguyen The Kha; Matthias Ta Nguyen; Maria Nguyen T. Quet; Giao Baotista Pham V Sac; Maria Nguyen T. Nhi; Maria Nguyen T. Huong; Maria Cay Thi Do

WEDNESDAY St. Joseph Acts 5:17-26, Jn 3:16-21
6:30AM Pope Francis; Special Intentions; Randy & Cindy Morgan; Peter Nguyen Van Chuc; Marcia Hollier; Joyce Lou Toucheat Baudoin; Judith Ognibene; Mary LaCour; Rayden Vice; Francis Xavier Nguyen Phuc Thanh; Dominico Tran Van Giac; Dominico Tran Van Hoc; Giuse Nguyen The Kha; Maria Nguyen T. Quet; Matthias Ta Nguyen; Giao Baotista Pham V Sac; Maria Nguyen T. Nhi; Maria Nguyen T. Huong; Maria Cay Thi Do; Roland, Maxine & Marshall LeBlanc; Prayer Blanket Intentions; Jackie Taylor; John Vidos

THURSDAY St. Athanasius Acts 5:27-33, Jn 3:31-36
6:30AM Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI; Randy & Cindy Morgan; Thomas Cormier; Joan Denise Cormier; Brett Joseph Broussard; Steven Paul Broussard; Steve Frederick; M/M S. J. Premeaux; Francis Xavier Nguyen Phuc Thanh; Maria Nhi Nguyen; Dominic Tran Van Giac; Dominic Tran Van Hoc; Giuse Nguyen The Kha; Maria Nguyen T. Quet; Giao Baotista Pham V Sac; Matthias Ta Nguyen; Maria Nguyen T. Nhi; Maria Nguyen T. Huong; Maria Cay Thi Do

FRIDAY St. Philip & James 1 Cor 15:1-8, Jn 14:6-14
6:30AM Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel; Eldes Toucheat (b-day); Dudley L. & Lillian P. Broussard; Vivian Russo; Jane Bohrer; Gladys Trahan; Brian Theunissen; Henry “Potsy” Langlinais (ann); M/M Pirmin Theunissen; M/M Ray Conner, Sr; Todd LaPorte; Randy & Cindy Morgan; Nghiem Nguyen Phanxico Xavier; Maria Mai Tran; Maria Nhi Nguyen; Maria Nguyen T. Quet; Maria Nhan Nguyen; Giao Baotixta Pham V. Sac; Peter Nguyen Can Chu; Francis Xavier Nguyen Phuc Thanh; Dominico Tran Van Giac; Dominic Tran Van Hoc; Giuse Nguyen The Kha; Maria Nguyen T. Quet; Giao Baotista Pham V Sac; Maria Nguyen T. Nhi; Maria Nguyen T. Huong; Maria Cay Thi Do

4:00 PM Bishop Emeritus Michael Jarrell; Sidney W. Connor; Carbett Duhan; Sr; M/M Eddi Hardy & Family; Antonia “Anne” C. Sonnier; Jules & Annie Mae De traz; Inez Faulk; Francis LeBlanc; Marion & Lunia Greene; Judith Ognibene; Vincent Khuyen; Randy & Cindy Morgan; Matthew Tran Ta Nguyen; Dominico Tran Van Giac; Dominico Tran Van Hoc; Giuse Nguyen The Kha; Maria Nguyen T. Quet; Giao Baotista Pham V Sac; Maria Nguyen T. Nhi; Maria Nguyen T. Huong; Maria Cay Thi Do; Francis Xavier Nguyen Phuc Thanh; Maria Mai Tran; Maria Nhi Nguyen; Whitney & Rita Bonin; Othon & Alma Trahan; Eldes J. Touchet; Maria Nguyen Thi; Maria Nhan Nguyen; M/M Sam Guarino & Family; Tony & Enid Guarino; Josephine Guarino; Nicole Leblanc; M/M John Vidos; Randy & Leonard Sellers & Wayne; Roger Sellers; Barbara & Daniel Jude Broussard; John Vidos; Mary & James E. Trahan (deceased)

7:00 AM Rev Millard Boyer; Kathryn Hatch; The Ivy Redmond Family; Matthias Ta Nguyen; Joyce Lou Toucheat Baudoin; Joyce Russo; George, Grace & P.J. Veazey; Theodule & Joyce Noel; Chester & Joyce Thibodeaux & Helen Wylie;

9:00 AM Dominic Minh Truong; Roland, Maxine & Marshall LeBlanc; Judith Ognibene; Maria Thi Than; Randy & Cindy Morgan; Maria Mai Tran; Maria Nhan Nguyen; Dominico Tran Van Giac; Dominic Tran Van Hoc; Giuse Nguyen The Kha; Maria Nguyen T. Quet; Giao Baotista Pham V Sac; Maria Nguyen T. Nhi; Maria Nguyen T. Huong; Maria Cay Thi Do; Francis Xavier Nguyen Phuc Thanh

11:00 AM For the parishioners

3:00 PM Thank God, Virgin Mary & Joseph; Continued Blessings for my family; Orphaned Souls

5:30 PM Jim Bouse; Scroggin-Greco Families

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