



## St. Lawrence Catholic Church

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**August 26, 2018**

### Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in you, my God. Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

### TODAYS READINGS:

**First Reading** – We will serve the Lord, for he is our God. (Joshua 24: 1-2a, 15-17, 18b)

**Second Reading** – This is a great mystery, regarding Christ and the Church. (Ephesians 5: 21-32)

**Gospel** – To whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. (John 6: 60-69)

### ADORATION:

Friday mornings 6:30-7:30 AM

*If you are in need of a priest please call:*

*Fr. Job Scaria at (318)547-6401*

*Fr. Paul Thunduparampil at (318)237-9195*



### PRAYER REQUEST:

Rose Chaplin, Becky Carswell, Cooper Fontenot, Mary Dollar, Jay Schroeder, Mamie Ezernack, Jayson Rogers, De'Neal Hotard, Vonnie Kinninson, Hubert Elee, Ron Landry, Lisa Keller, Ricky Keller, Tyler Robinson, Ginger McNeal, Mehmet Mufide, Edris Descant, Walter Smith.

### Military:

A.C. Warlick, III

### OUR DEARLY DEPARTED:

Joe Elee, Charlene Bryant,  
Lisa McNeeses' Mother, James Harper



James Harper slept in the Lord this past Thursday. Funeral arrangements are pending. Please pray for the Harper Family.

Please continue to pray for those who have no one to pray for them.

### Collection:

General \$ 2,126  
Building \$ 250  
Diocesan  
Hispanic  
Ministry \$ 121

### Second Collection:

Catholic University  
September 1 & 2

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Saturday Aug 25 Helen Hotard  
Charlotte Jackson

Sunday Aug 26 Jennifer Huey  
Janet Goss  
Kay Patterson

Saturday Sept 1 Patsy Kirkham  
Cathy Pohl

Sunday Sept 2 Michelle Conti  
Kay Patterson  
Holly Hammond

Saturday Sept 8 Charlotte Jackson  
Peggy Purcell

Sunday Sept 9 Paula Phillips  
Patty Navarro  
Daniel Navarro



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### PSR – Mark Your Calendar

Starts on Sunday, Sept. 9th



**Fr. Paul’s Silver Jubilee Celebration**

There will be a Pot Luck meal on Sept. 30<sup>th</sup> after the 10:30 Mass in the Fatima Gym in honor of Fr. Paul’s 25 years as a Priest. All parishioners are invited. The reception will be a potluck and Fatima will be providing grilled chicken. St. Lawrence parishioners are asked to provide dishes to accompany the grilled chicken, and/or desserts.

**Attention:** Small door in Garage, facing the road was left unlocked recently.

**Please be sure to lock all doors before leaving the hall.**

**Ladies Devotional Lunch**

There will be a Ladies Devotional Lunch Organizational Meeting, Saturday Sept 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:30 am in the Church Hall.

**Youth Group Meeting**

Youth Group Meeting has been postponed until after Labor Day.

**CONTACT INFORMATION:**

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 Pastor – Father Paul: 237-9195  
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 Altar Society- Julie Rogers: 318-614-4624  
 Knights of Columbus- Skip Martin:  
 318-387-2109  
 PSR -- Shanny Hart: 318-355-5772  
 Youth/RCIA-- Jennifer Patterson:  
 318-237-7069  
 Extraordinary Ministers -- Peggy Purcell:  
 318-343-6616  
 Prayer Shawl Ministry—Nancy Christian:  
 281-796-9601  
 St. Vincent DePaul-- Carol Woods:  
 393-3167  
 Singles Group – Mike Russell: 614-7441

**REGULAR EVENTS:**

Community Council: 1st Thursdays 6:30  
 Altar Society: 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesdays 10 AM (Hall)  
 Healing Service: Last Thursday 6 PM  
 Knights of Columbus: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday 6:30  
 St. Vincent DePaul: 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday, 11AM Chapel  
 Veterans’ Home Mass: 1<sup>st</sup> Friday 3 PM  
 Singles Group: 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday, after 4 PM Mass

**ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK:**

Sun	8/26	9:15a	Bible Study
		11:00a	SVdP Meeting
Mon	8/27	6:30p	Boy Scouts
Wed	8/29	9:00a	Mass
Thu	8/30	6:00p	Healing Prayer Serv.
Sat	9/01	8:00a	Meals on Wheels
		11:30a	Ladies Devo'tl Lunch
			Organizational Mtg.