

St. Gertrude the Great Catholic Church

Rev. John M. Ryan, Pastor

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Whoever loves me
will keep my word,
and my Father
will love them,
and we will come
to them and make our
dwelling with them.

John 14:23



May 26, 2019

Sixth Sunday of Easter - "C"
Journey Song Book: 935
Missalette: 26
Communion Chant: Pg. 90

Sanctuary Lamp May 27th - June 2nd, 2019
For the repose of the souls of:
Church: Paul Candies, Sr.
Chapel: All Deceased Priests of St. Gertrude



Church Care: June
Julie Breaux and Elaine Deroche

Church Support

May 18th & 19th, 2019 - \$2,183.00

Thank you for supporting your church!



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Monday - 9 AM to 1 PM
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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM
Sunday: 9:30 AM & 6 PM Mass

DAILY MASSES & DEVOTION

8:00 AM - Chapel: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:45 - 4:15 PM, Sunday: 8:45-9:15 AM
or by appointment

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Vigil: 7:00 PM, Holy Day: 9:00 AM

Ascension: Wed. May 29th, 7 PM, Thursday, May 30th, 9 AM
Both Masses will be in the Church.

BAPTISM

All first time parents and godparents must attend a Baptism seminar prior to the birth of their child. Only Confirmed practicing Catholics in good standing with the Church may be godparents. Please call the parish to make arrangements for the Baptism. Baptisms are by appointment.

WEDDINGS

Before making any arrangements, please contact the parish priest at least six (6) months before the proposed wedding date to begin the required preparation process.

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Please notify Fr. Ryan when a family member is ill at home or in the hospital.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Fr. Ryan should be notified as soon as possible when someone in the family passes away, preferably before contacting the funeral home.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, May 27th

No morning mass – **Memorial Day (Maria not in office)**

Tuesday, May 28th

8:00 AM: Randy Carlos

Wednesday, May 29th

8:00 AM: Paul Candies, Sr.

7PM Ascension Vigil: Holy Day of Obligation (Church)

Thursday, May 30th

9:00 AM: Connelly Rhodes-**Holy Day of Obligation (Church)**

Friday, May 31st

8:00 AM: Lucky Loupe

Saturday, June 1st

4:30 PM: Margarite Vicknair, Vern Cornwell, Murphy Comardelle, Sr., Mr. & Mrs. Willie Comardelle, Harry & Doris Laurent, Theresa Knuppel Comardelle, Jeannette Deroche Champagne

Sunday, June 2nd

9:30 AM: Albert & Brent Blank, Chad William Siegle, Waitus W. Denham, Sr., Leonce "Tut" Clement, Ferdudcy & Rita Bergeron, Cleophus, Rose, Donald, Donlee & Lucy Gautreaux, Edward, Leon, Torey & Edward Buras, III, Robin Whalen, Leon Bertucci, Clayton Autin, Jr., Dawson, Tyler & Aiden Neff, Joe, Mildred & Karen Fambrough, Nolan "Snookie" Frickey, Sr., Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Frickey, Mr. & Mrs. Willie Comardelle, Paul Candies, Sr., Edward "Toe Joe" & Rosemary Fonseca, Eugene Cunningham, Mr. & Mrs. Whitney Naquin, Mr. & Mrs. W.E. Dufrene, Mr. & Mrs. Caliste Naquin, Mr. & Mrs. Donald Morgan, Cyndi Naquin, Adler Tregle, Sr., Chad & Horace Smith, Alan Matherne, Johnny & Phillip Schaubut

6:00 PM: For all deceased parishioners of St. Gertrude

Ministry Schedule for Ascension of our Lord

May 29th

7:00 PM Lector: Sheena Candies

Ministers: Melanie Triche, Christine Soto-Dufrene & Christopher Pickett

May 30th

9:00 AM Lector: Anita Matherne

Ministers: Terry Matherne, Patsye Lunk & Gerald Dufrene

Your prayers are asked for the following individuals who are facing illness or life challenges.



Edward Acunzo, Melissa Adams, Brooklyn Ainsworth, Donald Arnold, Charlie Augustine, Nathan Aupied, Karen Alexander Bass, Stephanie Branson, Alan Brunet, Rory Carlos, John Champion, Kent Chauvin, Michael Cortez, Darren Christian, Dee Cortez, Horace Dempster, Marc Denham, Clarabell Dufrene, Erica Easley, Keith Fambrough, Eric Folse, Carl Frieze, Ronnie Gautreaux, Erin Granier, Jill Granier, Zack Gras, Ricky Gravois, Azalie Guillot, Raymond Hood, Adrain Hotard, Wilton "Bud" Hue, Jr., George Landeche, Joel Leger, Jake Lemmon, Rosalind Lewis, Theresa Lewis, Barbara Loggins, Timmy Maloz, Dwain McCain, Cole Martin, Lilly Murdock, Kaylene Murphy, Laurie Nettles, Mike O' Daniels, Jeff Penton, Christina Perilloux, Bobbie Picou, Rhylee Pizani, Bert Plaisance, Martha Plaisance, Michael Plaisance, Aaron Robichaux, Donald Rome, Ronnette Rome, Nicholas Rose, Kathy R. Savoie, Brenda Schmill Savoie, Jack Smith, Jean Sliwinski, Randy Thibodeaux, Gale Touchard, Adler "PeeWee" Tregle, Jr., Nicole Veillon, Lynelle Whipple, Donnie White, Timmy Zeringue

Names will remain on the prayer list for 3 months.

Please call the rectory to add or update your family member's names.

2019-2020

Religious Education Registration

The registration for the 2019-2020 school year has opened. Completed forms along with your payment may be placed in an envelope and dropped into the weekly collection. New student applications can be picked up at the rectory or on the table in the back of the church.

Ministry Schedule

Ministry	Saturday - 4:30 PM June 1st	Sunday - 9:30 AM June 2nd	Sunday - 6:00 PM June 2nd
Lector	Anita Matherne	Donna Hinrichs	Angelina Sander
Eucharistic Ministers	Terry Matherne Ashley Dauphin Sherry Folse	<i>Patsye Lunk</i> Vickie Hinrichs Patrick Hinrichs	Brett Hue Jamie Hue Volunteer
Hospitality	Christopher Pickett Volunteers	Zack Zeringue Volunteers	Volunteers

Sunday, May 26th Weekly Bingo



Join us for our Sunday Bingo this Sunday, May 26th, at 2 PM. If you would like to volunteer at Bingo, or donate baked items, please contact the church office. Doors will open at 1 PM. Thank you for supporting St. Gertrude!

Sunday, June 2nd Donut Sunday

Please join us for our monthly coffee and donuts next Sunday, June 2nd, directly following the 9:30 AM Mass. Stop by for a hot cup of coffee and a tasty donut!

Saturday/Sunday, June 1st & 2nd Second Collection for Maintenance



Next weekend, there will be a second collection for the Maintenance of our parish. Please give as generously as you are able.

Wednesday, June 5th Ladies Altar Society

The Ladies Altar Society will meet next Wednesday, June 5th, at 6 PM, in the Fr. Mac Center for their monthly meeting and pot-luck dinner.

Wednesday, June 5th Catfish Festival Meeting

There will be a General Catfish Festival Meeting next Wednesday, June 5th, at 7 PM, and every Wednesday thereafter until the weekend of our festival.

The Ascension of the Lord

The Ascension of the Lord feast day is a Holy Day of Obligation. Fr. Ryan will celebrate two Masses for this feast day. The Vigil Mass will be celebrated in the on Wednesday, May 29th, and Thursday, May 30th, at 9 AM. Both Masses will be in Church.

St. Vincent de Paul

In the Gospel today, Jesus says to us: "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you."



In the month of May, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul brought the love and care of Jesus to the poor by assisting four families with food. Thank You!

Bulletin Deadline:

Information to be placed in the Parish weekly bulletin must be received in writing in the Rectory no later than 2 PM, Thursday of the prior week.

Visit our website at: <http://stgertrudedesallemands.org>

Find us on Facebook at: [stgertrudethegreatda](https://www.facebook.com/stgertrudethegreatda)



Father's Day Mass & Flower Intentions

We will begin collecting money for mass intentions and flowers for Father's Day this weekend. Envelopes have been placed at all doors of the church for your convenience. You may drop your envelope off at the church office or place them into the weekend collection.

Please do not forget to write your loved ones names on your envelope! Thank you.

FESTIVAL NEEDS!!!

Our 2019 Catfish Festival is just around the corner! For those of you who are not able to work our festival, here are a few ways in which you can contribute.

Fr. Ryan is asking for fish donations. If you are able to donate catfish for our upcoming festival, please contact Fr. Ryan!

- ◆ **Our Hamburger Booth is in need of donations of gallon containers of mayonnaise.** *No donation is too small! If you would like to lend a hand in constructing these delicious hamburgers, please contact the rectory.*
- ◆ **Our Country Store** is in need of items new and old! It's time to clean up and bring us your extras! **We welcome donations of any HOMEMADE items if you would like to share and display your talents.** You may drop off your donations at the rectory Tuesday thru Thursday, 9 AM to 3 PM. Thank you.
- ◆ **Our Sweet Booth is in need of several baking items:** flour, sugar, cake mixes, specialty icings (strawberry, lemon, and cream cheese) peanut butter, cocoa, disposable aluminum baking pans and volunteers to help in the booth! We are also in need of bakers to help bake these items! Please call **Liz Denham at 758-7893 or Berdie Mahan at 758-7782** Your donations are greatly appreciated!
- ◆ **Our Snowball Booth is in need of sugar and plastic one gallon containers!** If you would like to donate these items, please contact the rectory!
- ◆ **Our Nickel Booth is in need of your old glassware:** mugs, glasses, etc. Don't throw them away- donate them to our booth! Please call **Gerald and Opal Dufrene at (985) 758-7331.** Any donations are greatly appreciated.
- ◆ **Our Plant Booth is in need of donations of:** plant cuttings, plants, soil and anything related to gardening and/or house plants.

If you would like to make a monetary contribution for a designated item, that it also appreciated.

ANY DONATION CAN BE BROUGHT TO THE RECTORY FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE.



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