



HOLY FAMILY

Catholic Church ♦ Franklinton, LA

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

June 23, 2019

"Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him." ~ John 6:56

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Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am, 11 am,
3 pm (en español)

Weekday Masses

no Mass on Monday
Tuesday, Wednesday: 5 pm
Thursday, Friday: 9 am

Confessions

Saturday 3:30 - 4:15 pm
and by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday of every month
9:30 am - 4:30 pm (Benediction)

Marriages

Contact Fr Kyle at least six months prior to anticipated date.

Baptisms

Contact Fr Kyle when you are ready to have your child baptized.

Charitable Outreach

Friends of St Francis
985-201-5882 *note new number

Religious Education

Renée Herbert: 985-630-1121

Youth Ministry

Eddie Boudreaux: 985-630-9997

Bulletin Deadline

Tuesday, noon.

From Our Pastor:

REFLECTIONS ON POPE BENEDICT XVI'S *VERBUM DOMINI*: RECAPITULATION

I left you last week with a somewhat confusing quote from Pope Benedict: "The Son of Man recapitulates in himself earth and heaven, creation and the creator, flesh and Spirit. He is the center of the cosmos and history, for in him converge without confusion the author and his work," (VD, 13).

"Recapitulate" and its other forms isn't a word we use in regular, everyday language. It felt right that I should explain it.

Merriam-Webster defines recapitulation as "a concise summary." It means to return to something, review it, repeat it in more direct fashion. It has a deeper meaning in theology which stems from Ephesians 1:9-10: "He has made known to us the mystery of his will in accord with his favor that he set forth in him as a plan for the fullness of time, to sum up all things in Christ, in heaven and on earth." St Paul tells us that *all things are summed up in Christ*.

St Irenaeus, an early Church Father, takes this and opens it up. *All things* is the key. It includes humans who experienced something new in the Incarnation. The King of Heaven became the King of Earth. "The coming together of all being in Christ, the centre of time and space, gradually takes place in history, as the obstacles, the resistance of sin and the Evil One, are overcome."¹ It's difficult to understand, so St Irenaeus uses the example St Paul uses in Romans 5:12-21, where he describes Jesus as the New Adam. Adam's sin was disobedience, and from it, all the world experienced corruption and death. "Christ is the new Adam, that is, the Firstborn of faithful humanity, who lovingly and obediently welcomes the plan of redemption which God designed as the soul and goal of history. Christ must cancel the work of devastation, the horrible idolatries, violence and every sin that rebellious Adam sowed in the age-old history of humanity and in the created realm... In himself he 'recapitulates' Adam, in whom all humanity can see itself, transforms him into a child of God and restores him to full communion with the Father."²

Jesus' obedience to the Father undoes death for man, turning it from condemnation into exaltation. The temptation of Christ and his resistance undoes our failure and gives us strength to conform ourselves to the new Adam, Christ. Each moment of his life opened up new avenues of grace for us, which



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before were dammed up by sin. "Therefore, the full realization of the Creator's original plan emerges: that of a creation in which God and man, man and woman, humanity and nature are in harmony, in dialogue, and in communion. This plan, upset by sin, is restored in the most marvelous way by Christ, who mysteriously but effectively carries it out in the present reality, waiting to bring it to fulfillment."³

F. Kyle

¹ Pope St John Paul II, *General Audience, February 14, 2001, 2.*

² *Ibid, 3.*

³ *Ibid, 4.*

A very special "Thank You"

Dennis and I would like to thank all of the members of Holy Family Catholic Church who made the memorial Mass for my sister, Bonnie Evans, so very special to us and our family.

It was quite obvious to us that a lot of time and planning were put into the service and wonderful luncheon. I know that the women of the church must have spent quite a number of hours in preparing all of the delicious food and wonderful desserts.

Please accept our sincere thanks and appreciation for all that was done for Bonnie and her family.

Sincerely,

Jane and Dennis DeWolf

PRAYER INTENTION:

Our CYO teens are in Alexandria *right now*, attending the Steubenville Youth Conference! Thanks to all whose generous donations and support of their raffle have helped to make this experience possible. All parishioners are asked to pray for our kids, that this encounter with Jesus will be transformative in their relationship with Him and that this will overflow into all areas of their lives.

Learn about and experience devotion to the Precious Blood of Jesus

Make a one-day pilgrimage to the campus of St Helena Church (Amite) on July 10. The event is free of charge. It runs from 9 am-3:30 pm; you may bring your lunch or purchase it from an on-site caterer. Please register by Mon 7/8. Call Sandy, 985-630-2988. See flyers on our bookshelf to learn more.

VBS Thank You's!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2019 WAS A ROARING SUCCESS!

Thanks to all who made it possible for our little ones to experience God's love in such a fun way, including all who donated food and other supplies. Special thanks to:

Adult helpers: Tamara Augustine, Phyllis Buras, Shelley Becnel, Anne Marie Bettencourt, Wendy Green, James Herbert, Kathy Martinez, Randy and Megan Mays, Belinda Mick, Martha Morales, Marie Oswald, Michele Plaisance, Nicole Seal, Erin Sylvest, Brande Trenum, and Hope Westmoreland

Young-Church helpers: Mike Taylor, Sarah Smith, Bailey Sinclair, Jacob Simms, Shae Shakya, Sammy Seal, Landon Ragas, Nicholas Ordoyno, Santiago Morales, Nino Martin, Julianne Kennedy, Brayden Herbert, Hannah Forbes, Riley Ehret, Ethan Casey, Sara Bradford, Adriana Bolotte, Gavin Bernard, Austin Baham, and Cade Aucoin



Say "cheese!" But first...

In response to numerous requests over the past few years, a new church directory is now in the planning stages. Though our actual photo shoots will happen in September, for the project to proceed smoothly, *and so the results will be excellent*, we're asking for your help ahead of time.

Our parish register is in *serious* need of an update. Please call the office when you have a few free moments and help us get the prep work done up front. We need family members' names, address, phone number(s), email. *Even if you're pretty sure your information hasn't changed for years, please call to verify that we have it right!* Shouldn't take more than a couple minutes. Thanks so much!



There is nothing
so great as
the Eucharist.



If God had something
more precious,
he would have given it to us.

~ St John Vianney

Retrouvaille weekend for troubled marriages

Retrouvaille ["Rediscovery"] is a program designed to provide help and support to married couples who are undergoing difficulties in their relationship. It has proven helpful for couples who are troubled and stressed, or whose relationship has grown cold and distant. The next Retrouvaille Weekend will be June 28-30, 2019, in Bay St. Louis. For registration or additional information, email retrouvailenola@gmail.com, or visit their website: <https://www.helpourmarriage.org>.

"Amazed and Astonished" — a day of refreshment for women: River Ridge, June 29

The Catholic Charismatic Renewal of New Orleans invites women of all ages to a Day of Refreshment, 10 am -3 pm, at St Matthew Catholic Church in River Ridge. Speaker lineup includes Andi Oney, Terri Canale, and other members of their women's retreat team. The cost is \$30 and includes lunch. Register before June 26 by calling 504-828-1365 or by visiting www.ccrno.org.

Attention, Catholic men: where is God in your life?

St Ann Church (Metairie) is the setting for a special event for Catholic men and their sons on Saturday, June 29. Beginning with 7:30 am Mass, you'll hear inspirational speakers including Danny Abramowicz, Sean Schaff, and others. Confessions will be available, and the day will end with Eucharistic Adoration. St Ann's is located at 3600 Transcontinental Dr, Metairie. Sponsored by their KC Council, this event is free of charge.

Men's retreat: Ponchatoula, July 19-21

Men, get off the roller coaster of daily life and attend a retreat at Rosaryville. A retreat can have a profound effect on a man's life. This retreat starts at 5 pm Friday and ends with a 5:30 pm Mass on Sunday. Pray about this invitation; something special awaits you! Got questions? Call John Fisk, 504-427-6601.

Married couples retreat, July 19-21, St Joseph Abbey

Would you like to break away with your spouse and spend quality time nurturing your marriage? Join us on a married couples retreat at the Christian Life Retreat Center at St Joseph Abbey in Covington. A married couples retreat is a falling together into the arms of our Lord; a time dedicated to giving a husband and wife a chance to find rest, strength, and enrichment. A commitment to attend a yearly retreat as a couple blesses and deepens your love for God and each other. To register, visit FaithandMarriage.org, or call Jason, 504-830-3716. (Donation requested but not required.)

all are welcome to join in praying the Rosary in the church, every Friday, 8:30 am

Mass Intentions

- 6/22 5 pm †Johnny Glancey
†Shirley LeBlanc
†Wayne Smith
- 6/23 8:30 am Holy Family Teens at
Steubenville Conference
- 6/23 11 am †Ronald Brouillette
†Jerry Cancienne
†Jimmy Richoux
†Torry Richoux
- 6/23 3 pm Aidan Ibarra
- 6/25 5 pm Aidan Ibarra
- 6/26 5 pm †Bonnie Evans
- 6/27 9 am †Larry Denmark and
†Joseph Corrao
- 6/28 9 am †Brandi Sander

Please pray for:

Marybeth Armstrong, Lauren Authement, Dot Baldassaro, Leo Baracco, Alanna Bernard, Wanda Boquet, Vincent Brouillette, Beverly Creel, Leon Curry, Paula Davis, Briley Davis, Richard Dennison, Myra Favre, Keith Giles, Diane Gill, DJ Hamilton, Winston Henderson, Wilson and Grace LaGraize, Scott Lee, Henry and Tina Lirette, Jean Lugo, Robbie Magee, Manny Malone, Kalob Morel, Linda O'Brien, Linette Pourciau, Luz Ramirez, Wendy Roark, Diana Tanner, Nick Tullier

Names stay on the list for three months. To add someone to the list, call 839-4040, or email holyfamilychurchfranklinton@yahoo.com.

Help Center food drive continues



Together, we've helped the Help Center of Churches Food Bank feed so many families in need! Please keep helping to feed the hungry—bring peanut butter and tuna each week, or place a monetary donation in our collection. Checks must be written to *HCOC* or *Help Center*; please enclose a cash gift in a marked envelope. *Thanks!*

Recognize in this bread
what hung on the cross;
and in this chalice
what flowed from His side.

St Augustine
Priest, Bishop, and
Doctor of the Church

The Sanctuary Light
will burn June 23-29
in memory of
Brandi Sander
by request of
Jan and René LaBorde



This week's Scripture readings

<u>Mon 6/24</u> <i>Nativity of John the Baptist</i>	Isaiah 49:1-6 Psalm 139:1-3, 13-15 Acts 13:22-26 Luke 1:57-66, 80
<u>Tues 6/25</u> <i>Ordinary Time weekday</i>	Genesis 13:2, 5-18 Psalm 15:2-5 Matthew 7:6, 12-14
<u>Wed 6/26</u> <i>Ordinary Time weekday</i>	Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18 Psalm 105:1-9 Matthew 7:15-20
<u>Thurs 6/27</u> <i>Cyril of Alexandria Bishop, Doctor of the Church</i>	Genesis 16:1-12, 15-16 Psalm 106:1-5 Matthew 7:21-29
<u>Fri 6/28</u> <i>Sacred Heart of Jesus</i>	Ezekiel 34:11-16 Psalm 23:1-6 Luke 15:3-7
<u>Sat 6/29</u> <i>Peter and Paul Apostles</i>	Acts 12:1-11 Psalm 34:2-9 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18 Matthew 16:13-19
<u>Sun 6/30</u> <i>Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	1 Kings 19:16, 19-21 Psalm 16:1-11 Galatians 5:1, 13-18 Luke 9:51-62

Upcoming events

- 6/26 Book Club (*consult your group leader for time and place*)
- 6/28 Rosary 8:30 am
- 6/29 Supper & Substance 6:30 pm, Folsom
- 6/30 Parish Breakfast 9:30 am
- 6/30 Comida después de la Misa en español
- 7/5 Rosary 8:30 am
- 7/5 Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 am-4:30 pm
(closes with Benediction, 4:30 pm)
- 7/6 Confessions 3:30-4:15 pm
- 7/6 Film With the Family 6:30 pm
- 7/7 Rosary at the Prayer Garden 9:45 am
- 7/9 Altar & Rosary Society 10 am
- 7/11 Friends of St Francis 9:30 am
- 7/11 Knights of Columbus 7 pm
- 7/12 Rosary 8:30 am
- 7/13 Confessions 3:30-4:15 pm

Current monthly calendars are always downloadable on our website: www.holyfamilyfranklinton.org/bulletins, where they're dated the 1st of the month. You will find printed copies on the shelf in the back of the church and on the table in the office hallway.

Next week's second collection: FRIENDS OF ST FRANCIS

Donations to our Friends of St Francis provide the resources for our parish family's charitable outreach to respond to requests from our nearby neighbors for financial assistance with utilities, medications, and other living expenses. Envelopes are near the church entrance. Thanks in advance for your kindness.

Stewardship Report

regular collection \$2,298.00
building fund \$ 185.00

Thank you for your generosity.