

Sacred Heart of Jesus & St. Mary Church

USING OUR TIME WISELY

A jar of honey lasts practically forever. The oldest jar of honey ever discovered was over five thousand years old. Honey is quite different from market-fresh produce, then; because most fruits and vegetables last only a few days, we treat them carefully. At this time of summer, we rush to find recipes for cherries and cucumbers so we won't waste a single one. We wouldn't feel that same urgency about honey.

In our own way, we are as delightful and fragile as ripe produce. Today's readings urge us not to spoil, but to make good use of our limited time on earth. Ecclesiastes reminds us that because God provides for us now and always, we can manage our daily affairs without anxiety. Saint Paul encourages the Colossians to keep thoughts of heaven in everything they do, and Jesus himself asks us to treasure not earthly wealth, but God alone.

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Take care to guard against all greed,
for though one may be rich,
one's life does not consist of possessions.

LUKE 12:15

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

AUGUST 4, 2019



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Mass Schedule:

Confessions are heard 30 minutes before every Mass.

	<u>Sacred Heart</u>	<u>St. Mary</u>
Tuesday	12:05 p.m.	
Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	
Thursday		7:00 a.m.
Friday	7:00 a.m.	
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	
Sunday	7:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.

Sacred Heart of Jesus

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MASS INTENTIONS
AUGUST 5, 2019—AUGUST 11, 2019

Tuesday, August 6, 2019, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 12:05 p.m.: Percy Marks, Sr.

Wednesday, August 7, 2019, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 6:00 p.m.:

Thursday, August 8, 2019, St. Mary Church, 7:00 a.m.:

Friday, August 9, 2019, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 7:00 a.m.:

Saturday, August 10, 2019, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 4:00 p.m.: Donald L. Andrus, Ray Thibodeaux, George & Wordna Viator, Placide & Emily Moran

Sunday, August 11, 2019, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 7:00 a.m.: Bill & Verna Duplechain, M/M Guy Whaley & fly, M/M Bryan Reed & fly, Living & deceased members of the Hebert & Devillier families, Herman John, Alec Hayden & Kenneth J. Olivier

Sunday, August 11, 2019, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 9:00 a.m.: Parochial Mass—for all Parishioners

Sunday, August 11, 2019, St. Mary Church, 11:00 a.m.: Jennie Castille

First Saturday Mass will be on Saturday, September 7, 2019 at Sacred Heart at 9:00 a.m.

The Knights of Columbus meet on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. The next meeting is on Tuesday, August 19, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

**Sacred Heart of Jesus
Collections**

July 28, 2019

\$2,895.00

CCD Collection

\$1,374.00

**St. Mary Church
Collections**

July 21, 2019

\$958.97

July 28, 2019

\$576.40

Mass Intention Envelopes are at the back of Church and must be received in the church office at least 2 weeks in advance of the date to be printed in the bulletin. Each intention or name is \$5.00 and should be paid at the time of recording. You may include the money in the collection but please put it in a Mass Intention Envelope and include dates & times masses are to be said as well as your name and phone number in case we need to speak to you.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Apart from the period from Thanksgiving through Christmas, the summer is a favored time for family reunions. We trace family trees and recall our origins. Worship has a family tree as well, and the way we celebrate today has been influenced by various styles and customs through the centuries. We are Western Christians of the Latin Rite. By far, we are the most numerous Western Christians, but there are other ritual families as well. The Archdiocese of Milan in Italy follows the Ambrosian Rite, Toledo in Spain preserves the Mozarabic Rite and the Arab language, and Lyons in France is home to the Gallican Rite. Other liturgical families, such as the Celtic in Ireland and the Sarum in England, faded away after the Reformation. Until recent times, members of some ancient religious orders such as Carmelites and Trappists followed a pattern of Mass that varied slightly from the plan observed in Latin Rite parishes.

Isn't the Catholic Church the same everywhere? Not at all. It never has been! The existence of so many liturgical families in the West reminds us that unity, not uniformity, is what the Church seeks to achieve among her children. We are united in faith, but wonderfully diverse in rituals, ceremonies, languages, customs, and spirituality.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Vanity of vanities! All things are vanity! (Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23).

Psalm — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 90).

Second Reading — You too will appear with Christ your life in glory (Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11).

Gospel — For though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions (Luke 12:13-21).

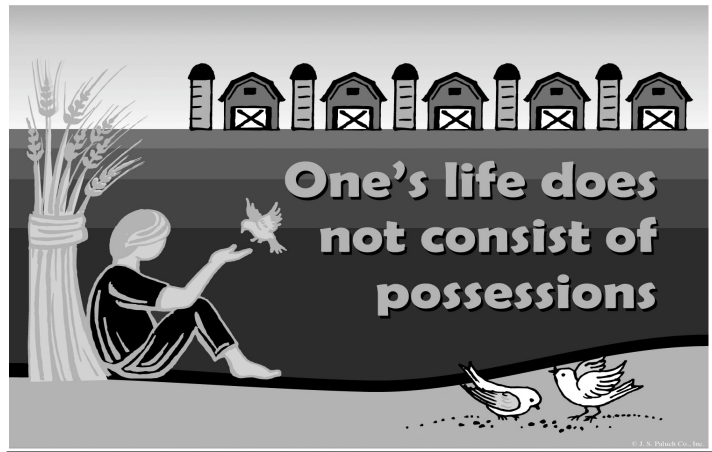
The 12:05 p.m. mass on Tuesday, August 27, 2019 has been cancelled due to a clergy meeting.

The office will be closed on Thursday, August 15, 2019 for the Holy Day of Obligation—The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Please call 337-585-2279 in case of an emergency.

The mass schedule is as follows:

08/15/19	7:00 a.m.	St. Mary's Church
08/15/19	9:00 a.m.	Sacred Heart of Jesus

The second collection at St. Mary's next Sunday will be to help with CCD 2019-2020 costs. Please be generous as always.



There will be a second collection on the weekend of Saturday, August 24th and Sunday, August 25th at Sacred Heart of Jesus to help replace the sound system in Church. Please be generous as always.

St. Mary's Ladies Altar Society will meet Sunday, August 4, 2019 after Mass.



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2019-20 CCD
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Registration forms are available at the entrance of the Churches, Church offices or you can print them from the website (www.sacredheartstmary.org) under the **Quick Links** section on the homepage. Print and mail the registration in or drop it in the collection. **Registration fees are due at the time of registration so that books can be ordered.** Registration will end on Thursday, August 29, 2019 at 12:00 p.m.

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