

Sacred Heart of Jesus & St. Mary Church

September 6, 2020

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Owe nothing to anyone,
except to

*Love one
another.*

Romans 13:8



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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.

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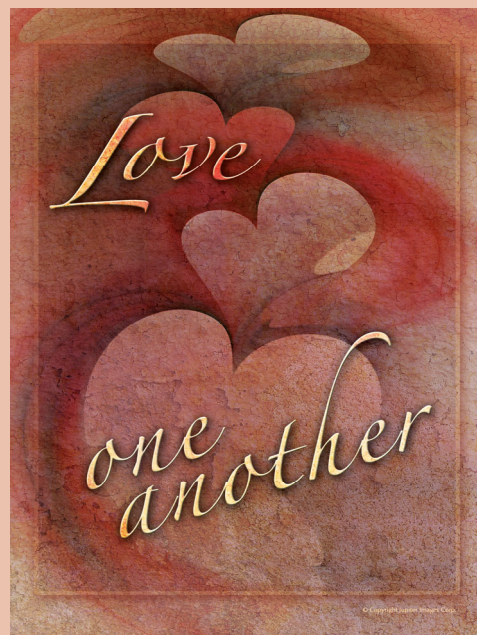
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**Baptisms/ Weddings/ Annulments/ Bulletin/ Cemetery/
Mass Intentions:** Please call Rose at (337) 585-2279 for
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MASS INTENTIONS
SEPTEMBER 6 – SEPTEMBER 13 , 2020

Tuesday, September 8, 2020, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 12:05 p.m.: Guy Whaley Family

Wednesday, September 9, 2020, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 6:00 p.m.: In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony

Thursday, September 10, 2020, St. Mary's 7:00 a.m.

Friday, September 11, 2020, Sacred Heart 7:00 a.m. Bertha Artigue Stoute, Percy Marks

Saturday, September 12, 2020, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 4:00 p.m. Michael Race, Una Mae Miller, Alvin and Robert Miller, Barbara Scruggins, and Robin Cropper

Sunday, September 13, 2020, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 7:00 a.m.: Mike and Gena Mallet and Family, Jy and Merle Lacombe

Sunday, September 13, 2020, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 9:00 a.m.: Parochial Mass for all Parishioners

Sunday, September 13, 2020, St. Mary Church, 11:00 a.m.: @ Sacred Heart

First Saturday Mass will be on Saturday, October 3, 2020 at St. Mary's Church at 9:00 a.m.

Due to the recent spike in COVID-19 the Knights of Columbus will cancel all meetings until further notice.

**Sacred Heart of Jesus
Collections**

Offertory 8/30/2020
\$3,036

**St. Mary Church
Collections**

Offertory 8/30/2020
\$547.00

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.

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A MESSAGE OF LOVE

In the final verses of today's Gospel reading Jesus says that when two or three are gathered in his name, "there am I in the midst of them" (Matthew 18:20). So we understand that fraternal correction is always undertaken with Jesus present to us. Likewise, encouraging the good in others is not only the right thing for us to do, it is a necessity. The Lord tells the prophet Ezekiel that if he "does not speak out" to dissuade a person from evil, then he too will be held responsible.

We live in a "do your own thing" age when moral objectivity is often ignored. Clearly when the message we share with others is one of love, our motives cannot ever be misinterpreted. As St. Paul writes, "Love does no evil to the neighbor; hence, love is the fulfillment of the law" (Romans 13:10).
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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Warn the wicked and try to turn them from their ways (Ezekiel 33:7-9).

Psalms — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 95).

Second Reading — Owe nothing to anyone, except mutual love (Romans 13:8-10).

Gospel — If two agree about anything for which they pray, it shall be granted to them (Matthew 18:15-20).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 5:1-8; Ps 5:5-7, 12; Lk 6:6-11, or, for Labor Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Blessings of Human Labor," nos. 907-911

Tuesday: Mt 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 [18-23]

Wednesday: 1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12, 14-17; Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24; Lk 6:27-38

Friday: 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Ps 84:3-6, 12; Lk 6:39-42

Saturday: 1 Cor 10:14-22; Ps 116:12-13, 17-18; Lk 6:43-49

Sunday: Sir 27:30 — 28:7; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Labor Day

Tuesday: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Wednesday: St. Peter Claver

Friday: Patriot Day

Saturday: The Most Holy Name of Mary;

Blessed Virgin Mary

Sunday September 6, 2020 Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule

St. Mary's Mass at 11:00 A.M. will be celebrated at Sacred Heart due to social distancing guidelines.

Confessions

Confessions will be held in St. Joseph's Hall

Tuesdays 11:00-11:45

Wednesdays 5:00-5:45

Saturdays 3:00-3:45

Masks must be worn during Confessions

ADORATION

Adoration will be canceled until further notice

NEW MAUSOLEUM

We are pleased to announce that arrangements have been completed with American Cemetery Consultants LLC to build the new Garden Mausoleum in Sacred Heart of Jesus Cemetery. The program has the full approval of his Excellency, The Most Reverend J. Dougals Deshotel, Bishop of Lafayette. Sales Representatives of American Cemetery Consultants will be contacting families in the Port Barre area over the next few weeks to answer questions about the mausoleum and determine who is interested

**Religion Classes will begin
Sunday, September 13, 2020 for grades 1st - 4th
and Sunday, September 20, 2020 for grades 5th
- 11th. Class will begin immediately
after the 9:00 a.m.**

**Mass in St. Joseph's Hall.
Classes will end at 12:00**

**Grades 1st-4th will meet every 2nd Sunday of
the month and grades 5th-11th will meet every
3rd Sunday of the month.**

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