

## *Congratulations*

Congratulations to Deacon Larry Murphy on his 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as a Deacon and thank you for your service to St. Martha Parish.

### ANGEL TREE GIFTS

All angel tree gifts are **due Sunday, December 9<sup>th</sup>**. Catholic Charities can only make one pick up for the gifts. Please bring your gift and **use your angel as your name tag** on the gift and bring to the church or parish office as soon as possible.

Thank you and Merry Christmas!

### PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

#### Celebration of First Reconciliation

Congratulations to our Second Grade students who have received the Sacrament of First Reconciliation on November, 29<sup>th</sup>, at St. Martha Church.

AVAH ANGELIQUE ROUSSELL  
AUBREY GRACE FALGOUT  
CARSON EVE PFISTER  
GAVIN ATTICUS ESCHETE  
MEEAH MICHELE GUILLOT  
NATHAN JOSEPH LANDRY  
PHOEBE TU-AN NGUYEN  
RYEN JULIA REYNOLDS  
TYLER MINH-DUC PHAM

### PSR NATIVITY PLAY



To celebrate this Christmas Season - Our First, Second & Third grade students will perform in our annual Nativity Play on **Tuesday, Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm** in the Parish Hall. All parents are invited to attend. A second performance of the Nativity Play will be held in the Parish Hall for the **St Martha Christmas Celebration on Saturday, Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>** immediately following 5:30 pm Mass. Please plan to attend!!

### SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

All students preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation in St. Martha Parish must **register with the Parish office by December 31st.**

## CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION



Mark your calendars and come enjoy some holiday cheer with the Saint Martha Community for our Christmas Celebration. **Saturday December 15<sup>th</sup>**. The fun begins at 6:45 with a Nativity play! Entertainment includes: Candy Cane story land, reindeer games, cookie decorating, the Elf selfie Christmas picture booth, and Christmas caroling. Bring your family or group of friends and sign up to lead your favorite carols. Complimentary refreshments, appetizers, popcorn, and hot chocolate.

### DYNAMIC CATHOLIC "BEST ADVENT EVER"

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### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### *St. Martha and Infant Jesus*

Dec. 9 (SM & IJ) Angel Tree Gifts Due  
Dec. 10 (SM) Bible Study 6:00 (PO)  
Dec. 11 (SM) PSR Nativity Play 6:30 p.m. (PH)  
Dec. 12 (SM) Bible Study 9:00 a.m. (PO)  
Dec. 12 (IJ) Cath. Charismatic Renewal WB 7:30 p.m.  
Dec. 15 (SM) Christmas Celebration 6:30 p.m. (PH)  
Dec. 24 (SM & IJ) Office Closed  
Dec. 25 (SM & IJ) Office Closed

PO = Parish Office PH = Parish Hall

### SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

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**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Advent**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sat. Dec. 8 4:00** **Infant Jesus**  
Ray Vegas, Evelyn Manuel, Eugene Blanchard, Jr., Gerald & Theresa Causin, Vincent & Santa Saladino, Allain & Comeaux Families, deceased members and spouses of the Widows/Widowers Group, Margaret Ann Murray, Frank Salvador Romano, Sr., In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Sat. Dec 8 5:30** **St. Martha**  
Mary Martin, Sandrus Baudoin, Joseph Tuan Tran, Robert Aucoin, Sr. (death anniversary), John Ronquillo, Elton Oubre, Sr., Mary Lou Havens, Sonny Easley, & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Dufrene Surveying & Engineering, Wilton J. Dufrene, PLS, parishioner

**Sun. Dec. 9 8:30** **St. Martha**  
Mary Martin, Wayne Baudy, Sr., Marie Longo, & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Dufrene Surveying & Engineering, Wilton J. Dufrene, PLS, parishioner

**Sun. Dec. 9 10:00** **Infant Jesus**  
Marie Hernandez, deceased members and spouses of the Widows/Widowers Group, Cynthia Gilmore, In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Sun. Dec. 9 10:30** **St. Martha** Parishioners

**Mon. Dec. 10 8:00** **Infant Jesus** Kemp Hall, Sr., Darrel Hall, Sr., In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Tues. Dec. 11 8:00** **St. Martha** Gertrude Tablan (birthday) Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Wed. Dec. 12 8:00** **Infant Jesus** In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Thurs. Dec. 13 8:00** **St. Martha** James Reed, Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Fri. Dec. 14 8:00** **St. Martha** Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Sat. Dec. 15 4:00** **Infant Jesus** Ray Vegas, Evelyn Manuel, Vincent & Santa Saladino, Kent Matulich, Eugene Blanchard, Jr., Rita Landry, Allain & Comeaux Families, Margaret Ann Murray, Frank Salvador Romano, Sr., In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Sat. Dec. 15 5:30** **St. Martha** Mary Martin, Sandrus Baudoin, Joseph Tuan Tran, John Ronquillo, John Bergeron, Sonny Easley, Joan Tuminello & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Dufrene Surveying & Engineering, Wilton J. Dufrene, PLS, parishioner

**Sun. Dec. 16 8:30** **St. Martha** Mary Martin, Marjorie Ronquillo, Wayne Baudy, Sr., Marie Longo, & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Dufrene Surveying & Engineering, Wilton J. Dufrene, PLS, parishioner

**Sun. Dec. 16 10:00** **Infant Jesus** Anthony "Mac" Palisi (death anniversary), Cynthia Gilmore, In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Sun. Dec. 16 10:30** **St. Martha** Parishioners

**Mon. Dec. 17 8:00** **Infant Jesus**  
Anthony "Mac" Palisi, Sr., George Matherne, In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Tues. Dec. 18 8:00** **St. Martha** John Ronquillo, Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Wed. Dec. 19 8:00** **Infant Jesus** In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Thurs. Dec. 20 8:00** **St. Martha** John Ronquillo, Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**Fri. Dec. 21 8:00** **St. Martha**  
Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

**CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE**



**Christmas Vigil (Monday)**  
**Infant Jesus 4:00 p.m.**  
**St. Martha 4:00 & 6:00 p.m.**

**Christmas Day (Tuesday)**  
**Infant Jesus 10:00 a.m.**  
**St. Martha 10:30 a.m.**

**NOVEMBER BAPTISMS**



**Jack Louis Richard**, son of Kyle and Jennifer Richard

**FLOWERS**

**St. Martha**

**Week of Dec. 9** Flowers were donated by Thai K. Tran in memory of **Joseph Tuan Tran**.

**Week of Dec. 9** Flowers were donated by Helen Murphy in memory of **John Murphy's** birthday.

**SANCTUARY LIGHT**

**Infant Jesus**

The Sanctuary Light will burn the week of **Dec. 9** in memory of **Audrey & Gertrude Monjure**  
**Dec. 16** in memory of **Allain & Comeaux Families**

**St. Martha**

**Dec. 16** in memory of **Blanchard & Pillitire Families**

**VOCATION CROSS**

**Infant Jesus**

**Dec. 8 4:00 p.m.** Mass **Waver & Jerome St. Romain**  
**Dec. 16 10:00 a.m.** Mass **Jeannette Clark**

**WEEKLY COLLECTION**

	<b>St. Martha</b>	<b>Infant Jesus</b>
<b>Nov. 18 Weekly</b>	\$4,775.00	\$ 999.00
<b>Nov. 25 Weekly</b>	\$5,376.00	\$1,242.00

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