



# St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church St. Louis Mission Chapel

1034 Bridge Street — 1004-A St. Louis Drive

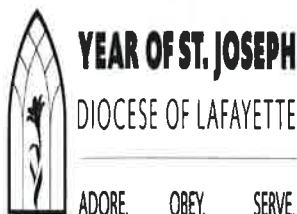
**Reverend Nicholas DuPré**

Pastor



Deacon Dennis Landry

Deacon Joseph Liuzza



## Third Sunday of Advent

**December 12 & 13, 2020**



### Parish Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday : 9:00am to 1:00pm  
Closed on Friday

### Weekday Mass Times:

Monday— No Mass in the Parish  
Tuesday—5:30pm, St. Louis  
Wednesday—12:10pm, St. Joseph  
Thursday—5:30pm, St. Louis  
Friday—6:30am, St. Joseph  
\*First Saturday—8:00am, St. Joseph

**Saturday**—4:00pm, St. Joseph  
(Anticipative of Sunday)

**Sunday**—8:00am, St. Louis  
10:00am, St. Joseph

**Confessions:** 3:20pm—3:50pm, Saturday  
7:20am—7:50am, Sunday  
9:20am -9:50am, Sunday

\*30 minutes before all Masses

### Devotional Life:

St. Theobald Adoration Chapel  
*open 24 Hours a day \*Call for code*  
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena  
*every Tuesday after Mass*  
Café 'Brose et Paulo  
*Coffee Social -1st & 3rd Sunday after 8:00am Mass*

**Baptisms:** Diocesan policy requires parents to attend a Baptismal preparation course. At least one Godparent must be Catholic ; at least 16 yrs. of age ; have received the sacrament of Baptism and Confirmation; and if married, be validly married in the Church and be able to receive Holy Communion, the other may be a Christian witness. Please contact the parish office for more details.

**Adults for Confirmation:** If you are an adult who made your First Communion but was never confirmed. A class for adults needing the Sacrament of Confirmation will be taught by Father DuPré . For more information contact the parish office.

**Marriages:** Contact the Pastor at least one year prior to the expected date to begin preparations.

**Anointing of the Sick:** An Immediate Family Member needs to call the office to arrange a visit from the Pastor to the Home or Hospital.

**Funerals:** The Funeral Director must contact the parish office on behalf of the family. Viewing / visitation of the dearly departed will no longer be allowed prior to a Funeral Mass or Memorial Mass in the Church or Chapel. The family will have to acquire the facility of the Funeral Home in charge of handling the arrangements.

**Altar Servers:** Contact Wayne Angelle for training.

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## Congratulations to the 2020 Confirmation Class II



Lydia Blanchard  
Ethan Borel  
Kaleigh Degeyter  
Lindsey Doucet

Lance Hebert  
Ryan Jean Batiste  
Elijah Mason  
Alyssa Theriot



## Parish Advent Mission



Everyone is invited to join us on Thursday, December 17<sup>th</sup> for the Parish Advent Mission entitled "The First Advent of Christ through St. Joseph's Eyes." The mission will take place at St. Louis Chapel. The evening will begin with a Mass at 5:30pm followed by the Mission talk presented by our very own Bishop of the Diocese of Lafayette, the Most Reverend J. Douglas Deshotel.



## Lessons and Carols

Please join us for Lessons and Carols on Sunday, December 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm at St. Joseph. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Advent event will feature a celebration of Scripture readings, songs and prayers showcasing the beautiful voices and talent of our youth. Let's end the Advent Season by supporting the works of our children. For more information or if you would like your child to participate, please contact Mr. Clark Schexnider at (337)326-0727.



## The Light is On For You

Diocese of Lafayette  
"The Light is on for You"

**Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**Confessions offered in parishes  
throughout the Diocese of Lafayette**

### Wednesdays in Advent

December 16<sup>th</sup> : St. Joseph - 6:30pm - 8:00pm Fr. DuPré  
December 23<sup>rd</sup> : St. Joseph - 6:30pm-8:00pm Fr. DuPré

## Advent Memorial Tree

In the Spirit of Advent, once again the Church Parish and the Village of Parks will come together to help the needy in our community with the sale of ornament bulbs for the Advent Memorial Tree. The purpose of the tree during the Advent season is to decorate and display ornament bulbs with the names and/or pictures in remembrance of our loved ones who have gone home to heaven. You may hang your bulb on a tree at either St. Joseph or St. Louis. If you would like to purchase an ornament, please visit the office or the Village Hall. The donation is \$5.00.



## Christmas Mass Intentions / Flowers

We are currently accepting Mass Intentions for Christmas and New Year's as well as donations for Christmas flowers/ decorations. When submitting the names of your loved ones, please label the envelope whether it is for **Christmas Mass Intentions**, **New Year's Mass Intentions** or for **Christmas Floral donations**. The donation is **\$5.00 per intention**. You may drop your intentions in the collection basket at Mass, utilize the Offertory drop box near the side entrance of St. Joseph or you may stop by the Office. The deadline is **Wednesday, December 16<sup>th</sup>**. For more information please call the office.

## St. Joseph / St. Louis Christmas Mass Schedule

Thursday, December 24: Christmas Vigil Mass, St. Joseph 4:00pm

Thursday, December 24 : Christmas Mass , St. Louis - 6:00pm

Friday, December 25: Christmas Day, St. Joseph - 10:00am

## Sponsor Highlights



Knights of Peter Claver

Meetings are held the first Sunday of the Month at St. Louis Church Hall



## Volunteers Needed

We are in need of volunteers to help decorate both Churches for Christmas. The scheduled time for **St. Joseph** is **Sunday**, December 20<sup>th</sup> at **11:15 am** and the scheduled time for **St. Louis** is **Sunday**, December 20<sup>th</sup> at **9:15am**. All organizations, individuals and CCD students are asked to come out and help.



## Mass Intentions

### Third Sunday of Advent



#### Community Rosary New Location

Everyone is invited to join us for the Community Rosary every Monday evening in St. Joseph Church and every Wednesday evening in the Adoration Chapel at 6:00pm The group will return to the park in the Spring.



#### Rosary Group St. Joseph Rosary Group

will meet at the home of Mrs. Rose Green on Thursday, December 17<sup>th</sup>.

#### Liturgical Lectors


12/19/20	4:00 pm	Sandra LaHaye
12/20/20	8:00am	Linda Dauphine
12/20/20	10:00am	Elizabeth Maslowski



#### Upcoming 2<sup>nd</sup> Collections

Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>: Retirement Fund for Religious  
Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>: Bishop's Services Appeal

#### Financial Support for Operations & Services

	General Offertory	Bishop's Services Appeal	Online Giving
	12/06/20	12/06/20	12/06/20
St. Joseph	\$1,805.00	\$1,089.00	\$635.00
St. Louis	\$559.00	\$265.00	***
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$2,364.00</b>	<b>\$1,354.00</b>	<b>\$635.00</b>

\*\*\*Your Investment is Appreciated\*\*\*

**Saturday, December 12, 2020,** (St. Joseph) 4:00pm  
Philip and Verler Frederick, Lloyd Guidry, Bertha Mae Willis, Roy Maraist, Melba C. Maraist, M/M Andrew Landry, The Joseph Whitney Wiltz Family, Preston and Enola Theriot, Rodney and Ray Theriot, Chayce Gobert (one year anniv.), Wilbert J and Jimmy Story, M/M John Dugas, Sr., M/M Sidney Prince, Sr., James and Leila Babin, Rogers Louviere, Lance Borel, Rita Dugas Story, Antoine "Pops" Melancon, Sr., Lena Miller, Jaime Degeyter, Barbara Guidry, Marian Comeaux, George G. Touchet Family, Aguedelo Palacio Family, Cecile Melancon, Randy Melancon, Mary Margaret Dupree, Mary Lou Lasseigne, Vernon "Bayou" Robertson, Healing Intention for Bud and Marian Roy, Healing Intention for Fr. Floyd Calais, a Special Intention for Fr. Michael DeBlanc, II., Healing Intention for Fr. Lloyd Benoit, Healing Intention for Cory Zeringue, Special Intention for Fr. Jeff DeBlanc, Amy LeBlanc, M/M Jeff DeBlanc, Roy J. Latiolais, Anthony "Tony" Mouton, Pye Theriot, Mark Duhon, Doris B. Landry, Velma Bourg, Poor Souls in Purgatory, Healing Intention for Carla Blanchard, M/M Gus Katsoulis and Tom

**Sunday, December 13, 2020,** (St. Louis) 8:00am  
Charlie Dugas, Mary Dell Berard, M/M Leon Wiltz, James Etienne (birthday), Rita Brown (30 days), Corrine Morris, Nathan O' Neil, Jr., Subrinda Lewis, M/M William Lewis, Sr., and Jerome Thomas

**Sunday, December 13, 2020,** (St. Joseph ) 10:00am  
All Parishioners of St. Joseph & St. Louis

**Monday, November 14, 2020**  
No Mass in the Parish

**Tuesday, December 15, 2020,** (St. Louis) 5:30pm  
The Wiltz Family

**Wednesday, December 16, 2020;**(St. Joseph)12:10pm  
Annabelle Rivet

**Thursday, December 17, 2020;**(St. Louis) 5:30pm  
Fr. Ferdinand Grimaud

**Friday, December 18, 2020;** (St. Joseph) 6:30am  
Rogers Louviere (3<sup>rd</sup> anniv.)

#### Sanctuary Lamp



Charlie Dugas  
Louis Degeyter  
Rogers Louviere  
Marian Comeaux

Healing Intention for Gary Paul Bienvenu, Jr.

