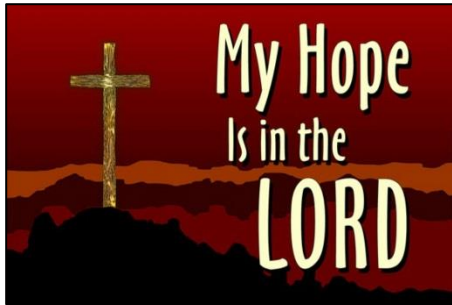


St. Charles Borromeo Church

Sunday, November 8, 2020

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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“We do not want you to be unaware . . . about those who have fallen asleep.”

(1 Thessalonians 4:13)

We all struggle at times with doubts about our faith, and the Thessalonians were no exception. Some of their loved ones had died before Jesus’ Second Coming—an event they thought would happen in their lifetime. Now what, they wondered? How could the dead participate in

Jesus’ triumphant return?

Paul reassures them: they haven’t lost their loved ones forever, so they don’t have to grieve like those who have no hope (1 Thessalonians 4:13). When Jesus returns, he will raise those who have already died along with those who are still alive.

For us too, the seeming finality of death can lead us to doubt the truths of the resurrection. Even if we believe that Jesus was raised from the dead, we might wonder what’s in store for us after we die. Can God really give us and our loved ones glorified bodies that are never subject to sickness, decay, or death (1 Corinthians 15:52-53)? Yes, he can, but we won’t know what this looks like until we ourselves pass through death to life everlasting.

That’s where faith comes in. Paul was asking the Thessalonians, as he is asking us, to believe that Jesus’ resurrection really does have consequences for us. Christ is “the first fruits,” the first to be raised; “then, at his coming, those who belong to Christ” (1 Corinthians 15:23). We don’t know the details, the “how” or the “when.” But as we put our faith in Jesus and what he has done for us, he will move us from doubt to hope.

Paul consoles the Thessalonians with these words: “We shall always be with the Lord” (4:17). So will you. You don’t have to give in to doubt, which can lead to worry and fear. God is with you now, and he will be with you in the future—whatever that future holds.

“Jesus, I believe you are with me, both now and forever.”

The Word Among Us – Daily Meditation (November 8, 2020)

Mass Intentions for the Week

Mon....., 11/9 - 7:30 A.M. Mass – Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Tues...., 11/10 - 7:30 A.M. Mass – Feast of Saint Leo the Great, Pope & Doctor of the Church: Felicie B. Cancienne (DA); George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Rev. Mssgr. John Adams (A)

Wed...., 11/11 – 7:30 A.M. Mass – Feast of Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop: George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Special Intention; Verdie Knoblock

Thurs...., 11/12 – 7:30 A.M. Mass – Feast of Sant Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr: George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Kenneth Thibodaux; Mary Frances Bourgeois; Rev. Msgr. Jerome Roppolo (B)

Fri....., 11/13 – 7:30 A.M. – Mass – Feast of Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin: Philip Barrios; Marguerite Zeringue; Alcest Champagne (DA); David "Bubby" Robichaux Jr.; George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Michael Trosclair (DA)

Sat...., 11/14 – 4:00 P.M. – Vigil Mass of the Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time: Francis Johnston; Alcee & Emily Zeringue & Family; Ames & Valerie Rodriguez; Boudreaux, Bourgeois, & Dupuis Families; Carroll Acosta Sr.; Ces & Rena Zeringue; Yvonne & Charley Plaisance; Gene Nichols; Mike & Nita Zeringue; Dolores Plaisance Babin; Charles (B) & Nell Zeringue; David "Bubby" Robichaux Jr.; Donatien & Kate Danos; Elvina Darby & Rose; Esther Ledet; Euclide & Clara Danos; Gautreaux & Richard Families; George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Gerald "T-Shay" Foret; Gorner & Velma Foret; Gibson Legendre Sr.; Gilbert "Chief" Knoblock; Tammy Knoblock Touns; Harold Rodrigue (DA); Hugh & Irene Rodriguez; Jake & Mabel Matherne; Jared Falgout; John Michael Bennett; Josephine & Roy Foret & Allen; Jules Quatrevingt (B-11/18); June Waguespack; Junious & Nita Lirette; Robert (B-11/15) & Junious Lirette; Nita L. Crochet; Jane L. Wilcox; Lydia F. Folse; Maggie Blanchard (B); Marguerite & Euel J. Zeringue; Mike Arabie; Ms. Violet D'Angelo; Ouida Doucet (B-11/12); Philip Ledet III; Richard LeBlanc; Ronnie Sampey; Roy Bourgeois; Ruth, Charlie & Gerald Brown; Sally Thibodaux; Stone Savoy; Wilbert Dufrene; Ashley Dufrene; Beth Dufrene; Warren LeBlanc; Willard Chauvin Sr.; William "Bill" Champagne; Billy Champagne; William "Bill" Nezzio

Sun....., 11/15 – 7:30 A.M. – Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time: Anthony "A.J." Vesich III; Benson Plaisance Jr.; M/M Benson Plaisance Sr.; Clarence, Wayne (B) & Sandy Foret; Frank & Edna Weimer; Fred & Ruby Hebert; Freddie Pierce; Helen Schexnaydre; Jim & Velma Richard; Nookie & Theresa Diaz; Joy Lynn Naquin; Jules J. & Jeanne L. Ball; Michael Trosclair; Michael Poussard; Brandon Courteaux; Jules Quatrevingt (B-11/18); Edward Comeaux Jr.; Linda Kliebert; Louis & Inez Devillier; Patricia & Cherry Devillier; M/M Claude J. Ledet Jr.; Marguerite Thibodaux; Harry Becnel; Mary W. & Dave J. Robichaux; Hazel & Chester Boudreaux Sr.; Chester Boudreaux Jr.; Milton Ledet; Annie & Jessie Pierce; Roy & Octavia Ledet; Olga Robichaux; Oscar & Lilie Prejean; Betty & Curtis Morvant & C.J.; P.J. Zeringue; Joyce Zeringue; Philip & Goldie Weimer; Robert Matherne (B); Romy Morvant; Verdie Knoblock; Wilbur J. Brown; Ethlyn "Toot" Brown

Sun....., 11/15 - 10:00 A.M. – *Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time:* Eddie Thibodaux & Allison; Barbara Melancon; Charles Mallett; Christine Martin; Madison A. Lagarde; Constancio "Camoy" Izaguirre; David "Bubby" Robichaux Jr.; David "L.J." Lagarde Jr.; Gaudet & Theriot Families; Gertrude Rodriguez; Hebert & Voiron Families; Irma Simon; Irvin & Marie Prejeant; George & Bernice Whitman; Joseph Lagarde Sr.; Dorothy (Dot) Lagarde; Beverly L. Breaux; Stephen Gossen; Ronny Gossen; Betty Lou Babin; Coleen Cuneo; Julie Blanchard (B); K.C. Touns, DVM; Kelly Chiasson; Kerry Robichaux; Michael Lirette Sr.; Myra Blanchard; Nolan "Pip" Bourgeois; Toudell Guidry Bourgeois; Pearl Richard McDonald; Poor Souls in Purgatory; Joseph E. Blanchard Jr.; Ray Weimer Jr.; Rita Turner; Susan Talbot

PLEASE NOTE:



- **WEDNESDAY ROSARY** - The Rosary is once again prayed every Wednesday in the Chapel. Everyone is invited to come.

- **OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA** – Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena is prayed and live-streamed following each Wednesday 7:30 A.M. Mass.

- **2021 MASS BOOK OPEN** - The 2021 Mass Book is open to receive Mass Intentions for your loved ones (living or deceased). 2021 Mass forms are available on our website, at the Administration Office, and in the foyer of the church. You may mail them, bring them to the Administration Office, or drop them in the Offertory Box in Church.

- **MASSES AT ST. CHARLES BORROMEO** - You are invited to join us for the celebration of Mass Tuesday – Friday at 7:30 A.M. in the Chapel. The guidelines for the weekend Masses also apply to the weekday Masses. Weekday Masses will continue to be live-streamed on Facebook. Weekend Masses also continue to be live-streamed on Facebook at 10:00 A.M. ***The dispensation of the Sunday Obligation to attend Mass continues to be in effect until further notice.***

DATES, TIMES & PLACES

❖ 24/7 – Perpetual Adoration (*Chapel*)

Mon..., 11/9 - **NO MASS**

6:00 P.M. – Youth Formation Class 1st-5th Grades (*MFLC*)

Tues..., 11/10 - **7:30 A.M.** - Mass (*Chapel*)

Wed..., 11/11 - **7:30 A.M.** - Mass/Novena (*Chapel*)

10:00 A.M. – Rosary (*Chapel*)

Thurs..., 11/12 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (*Chapel*)

Fri..., 11/13 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (*Chapel*)

Sat/Sun..., 11/14-15 – Bayou Catholic Collection & Mission Appeal Collection

Sat..., 11/14 - **3:00 – 3:45 P.M.** – Confessions (*Chapel*)

4:00 P.M. – Vigil Mass

Sun..., 11/15 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass

10:00 A.M. – Mass

10:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. – Large Group Gathering 9th-11th Grades (*MFLC*)

BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE (IN CHURCH) IN MEMORY OF: (11/6-11/12)

Mildred T. Bourgeois (B-11/8)

BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE (IN CHAPEL) IN MEMORY OF: (11/6-11/12)

Deceased Members of KC Council #12060

MISSALETTES IN MEMORY OF: (11/6-11/12)

Joy Lynn Naquin

PLEASE NOTE

SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT

Due to early printing of the bulletin, the Sacrificial Giving Report for the weekend of November 1st & November 8th will be posted at a later date.



***Bayou Catholic* Collection (November 14-15, 2020)**

A special collection will be held in all churches of the diocese the weekend of November 14-15th for the *Bayou Catholic Magazine*.

The *Bayou Catholic* is the official magazine for the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux. Your donation helps spread the Good News! Thank you for your support. You may bring/mail your donation to the Administration Office or drop it in the Offertory Box in Church.



MISSION APPEAL COLLECTION – NOVEMBER 14-15

Father Suvi will be here the weekend of November 14-15 to make an appeal for the Diocese of Vijayapuram in India. Most of the people there were recently affected by floods and landslides.

Many lost their homes and belongings. Eighty percent of the people are very poor and faced with much suffering. Your generous donation is appreciated. You may bring/mail your donation to the Administration Office or drop it in the Offertory Box in Church.



CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to our Parish Wedding Anniversary couples:
Joe & Erline Toups (78 years); Melvin & Helen Morvant (60 years); Phil & Lisa Whitman (40 years); Greg & Michelle Parr (25 years).

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

MONDAY (11/9):	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
TUESDAY (11/10):	Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Lk 17:7-10
WEDNESDAY (11/11):	Ti 3:1-7; Lk 17:11-19
THURSDAY (11/12):	Phlm 7-20; Lk 17:20-25
FRIDAY (11/13):	2 Jn 4-9; Lk 17:26-37
SATURDAY (11/14):	3 Jn 5-8; Lk 18:1-8
SAT/SUNDAY (11/14-15):	Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; 1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-30



BIBLE VERSE OF THIS WEEK:

“Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour.”

(Matthew 25:13)



THANK YOU!

We would like to thank Jeff Dufrene for donating the materials needed for the Hand Sanitizer Stands, and Jerry Guillot, Randal Hebert, and Francis Savoie for crafting them. Thanks again to all for sharing your gifts and talents with the Church.



LADIES ALTAR SOCIETY DUES

Members are reminded that now is the time to pay your 2021 dues (\$10.00). You may do this either by paying the treasurer (Katina Navarre), placing it in an identifiable envelope in the Offertory Box in church, or mailing it to the Administration Office. Members over 80 years of age are not required to pay dues. All ladies, young and old, are invited to join the Society at any time.



OUT WITH THE OLD - IN WITH THE NEW!!!

Go check out our newly designed website, www.stcharlesthibodaux.org
On the website, you can access our church bulletins, calendars, ministry schedules, Church news and information, all Youth Formation News, Children’s Liturgy Activities, Parish Organizations, Online Giving, as well as daily Mass Intentions, Readings and Reflections.

Hurricane Season Prayer



Loving God, maker of heaven and earth, protect us in your love and mercy. Send the Spirit of Jesus to be with us, to still our fears and give us confidence. In the stormy waters, Jesus reassured His disciples by His presence, calmed the storm, and strengthened their faith. Guard us from harm during this storm and renew our faith to serve You faithfully. Give us the courage to face all difficulties and the wisdom to see the ways Your Spirit binds us together in mutual assistance. Amen!

Protection Prayer



*May the light of God surround you....
May the love of God enfold you.....
May the power of God protect you...
May God place His Healing Hands
upon you and heal you quickly.....
May the presence of God watch over you...
Wherever you are God is. Amen!*

QUOTE:

“Everything will work out in the end. You don’t need to know how. You just need to trust God and know that it will.”

