

# *St. Charles Borromeo Church*

*Sunday, July 18, 2021*

*Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

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***“They were like sheep without a shepherd.” (Mark 6:34)***

In today’s first reading, Jeremiah has harsh words for Judah’s kings. They were supposed to act as shepherds of their people, but instead, he charges, “You have not cared for them” (Jeremiah 23:2).

When the true and righteous Shepherd, Jesus, did appear, he did not come as an earthly king (Jeremiah 23:4-6). He did not wear royal garments or sit on an earthly throne. He was a shepherd who knew his sheep, who lived among his people and cared for them.

We can see Jesus acting as the Good Shepherd in today’s Gospel reading. When the disciples returned from their mission to the nearby towns and villages, Jesus knew just what they needed: some quiet time and a place to recharge. So he urged them to “come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest for a while” (Mark 6:31).

Yet as soon as they stepped off the boat, a vast crowd greeted them. Instead of making a quick getaway with his disciples, however, this Good Shepherd “was moved with pity for them” (Mark 6:34). He knew what they needed: a ray of hope. His life-giving words would feed their hungry hearts, and so he taught them. But he also knew that their hungry stomachs would need to be filled. So he multiplied the five loaves and two fish, giving them enough food so that all “were satisfied” (6:42).

This is what the true Shepherd does: he knows and cares for each one of us. Because he understands what it’s like to be human, he provides for all our needs, both physical and spiritual.

Look over the past week or month. How has Jesus cared for you? Think of concrete examples of ways—even minor ones—that he has provided for you, even amid your challenges and trials. Let all these memories inspire you to trust in the Good Shepherd who never, ever abandons his flock.

*“Jesus, thank you for being the Good Shepherd who cares for my every need.”*

***The Word Among Us – Daily Meditation (July 18, 2021)***

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## Mass Intentions for the Week

**Mon...., 7/19 - NO MASS**

**Tues...., 7/20 - 7:30 A.M. Mass – Feast of Saint Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr: George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce**

**Wed....., 7/21 - 7:30 A.M. Mass – Feast of Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest & Doctor of the Church:** David J. Robichaux Jr. (B); George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Special Intention; Whitney & Ora Zeringue (A)

**Thurs....., 7/22 - 7:30 A.M. Mass – Feast of Saint Mary Magdalene:** Annie Lee Knobloch (B); George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce

**Fri....., 7/23 - 7:30 A.M. Mass – Feast of Saint Bridget, Religious:** Camile & Irene B. Zeringue & Family; David "Bubby" Robichaux Jr.; George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Philip Barrios

**Sat....., 7/24 - 4:00 P.M. – Vigil Mass of The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:** Clarence Mayet; Abdon (B-7/30), Elizabeth & Gerald Portier; Chad Crochet; Alcee & Emily Zeringue & Family; Ames & Valerie Rodriguez; Augustin Cecil Zeringue; Boudreaux, Bourgeois & Dupuis Families; Carroll Acosta Sr.; Ces & Rena Zeringue; Yvonne & Charley Plaisance; Mike & Nita Zeringue; Dolores Plaisance Babin; Gene Nichols; Charles & Nell Zeringue; Clifton L. Tassin; Donatien & Kate Danos; Dorothy "Dot" Rago; Dr. Philip Bergeron; Myles Bergeron; Drew Troclair (B); Euel J. & Marguerite Zeringue; Gary Foret; Gautreaux & Richard Families; George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; Gerald "T-Shay" Foret; Gordner & Velma Foret; Hugh & Irene Rodriguez; Jared Falgout; John Bennett; Josephine & Roy Foret & Allen; Jules Quatrevingt; Leon Dufrene; Leonard Lasseigne; Leroy & Lydia Folse (WA); Louis & Inez Devillier Family; Mathilde Babin (B-7/26); Milfred, Aurelien & Marie Degruise; Nell France; Nicole Benoit (B); Ralph Melancon; Barbara Melancon; Wilson J. & Gabriella W. Melancon; Richard Babin; Richard E. LeBlanc Jr.; Ricky Zeringue; Roy Bourgeois; Sally Thibodaux; Stone Savoy; Wilbert Dufrene; Ashley Dufrene; Beth Dufrene; Susan M. Trahan; Warren LeBlanc; Willard Chauvin Sr.; William "Bill" Champagne; Billy Champagne; William "Bill" Nezzio

**Sun....., 7/25 - 7:30 A.M. – The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:** Anthony "A.J." Vesich III; Benson Plaisance Jr.; M/M Benson Sr.; Romy Morvant; Calvin Boudreaux Sr.; Dalton Arceneaux; Elizabeth, Abdon (B-7/30) & Gerald Portier; Chad Crochet; Frank & Edna Weimer; Harry Becnel; Marguerite Thibodaux; Helen Schexnaydre; Joy Lynn Naquin; Jules J. & Jeanne L. Ball; Michael Troclair; Michael Poussard; Brandon Courteaux; Jules Quatrevingt; Edward Comeaux Jr.; Linda Kliebert; M/M Jessie Pierce Sr.; M/M Roy Ledet; Milton Ledet; Olga L. Robichaux; P.J. & Joyce Zeringue; Philip & Goldie Weimer; Rosa Comeaux; Ruby & Ivy Templet & Family; Junius & Claire Hebert & Mary Ann; Verdie Knoblock; Wilbur J. Brown & Ethlyn "Toot" Brown

**Sun....., 7/25 - 10:00 A.M. – The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:** Blair Duthu; Calvin Gaudet; Christine Martin; Madison A. Lagarde; Constancio "Camoy" Izaguirre; David "Bubby" Robichaux Jr.; David "L.J." Lagarde Jr.; Dustin Sevin (B-7/26); For more Vocations to the Priesthood; Freddie Pierce; Gaudet & Theriot Families; Irvin & Marie Prejeant; George & Bernice Whitman; Jake & Mabel Matherne; Jane Bundy; Dorothy "Dot" Rago; Joseph E. Blanchard Jr.; Poor Souls in Purgatory; Joseph Lagarde Sr.; Dorothy "Dot" Lagarde; Beverly L. Breaux; Stephen Gossen; Ronny Gossen; Betty Lou Babin; Coleen Cuneo; June Lecompte; K.C.

Toups, DVM; Kerry Robichaux; Larry Clement; Mary W. & Dave J. Robichaux; Michael Lirette Sr.; Myra Blanchard; Nolan "Pip" Bourgeois; Toudell Guidry Bourgeois; Parishioners of St. Charles Borromeo; Parrish Hebert; Special Intention; Ray Weimer Jr.; Wilbur Rousselle (B)

## **DATES, TIMES, & PLACES**

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

Mon..., 7/19 – **NO MASS**  
Tues..., 7/20 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (Chapel)  
Wed..., 7/21 - **7:30 A.M.** - Mass/Novena (Chapel)  
**10:00 A.M.** – Rosary (Chapel)  
Thurs..., 7/22 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (Chapel)  
Fri..., 7/23 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (Chapel)  
Sat..., 7/24 - **3:00 – 3:45 P.M.** – Confessions (Chapel)  
**4:00 P.M.** – Vigil Mass  
Sun..., 7/25 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass  
**10:00 A.M.** – Mass

### **BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE (IN CHURCH) IN MEMORY OF: (7/16-22)**

Whitney, Ora & Jerome Zeringue (A); David "L.J." Lagarde Jr. (DA-7/17)

### **BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE (IN CHAPEL) IN MEMORY OF: (7/16-22)**

Deceased Members of KC Council #12060

### **ALTAR BREADS IN MEMORY OF: (7/16-22)**

David "Bubby" Robichaux, Jr

### **MISSALETTES IN MEMORY OF: (7/16-22)**

Joy Lynn Naquin

## **SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT (July 10-11, 2021)**

\$3,343.00	Envelopes
254.00	Loose
<u>110.00</u>	Online Giving
<b>\$3,707.00</b>	<b>Total</b>

Add'l. Maintenance Collection: \$95.00

St. Anthony: \$25.00

## **2021 ABA UP-DATE**

Our goal for 2021 is \$10,800. Thus far, we have pledged \$9,755.80. We have reached 90.33% of our goal.

### **SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE COMING WEEK:**

MONDAY (7/19):	Ex 14:5-18; Mt 12:38-42
TUESDAY (7/20):	Ex 14:21-15:1; Mt 12:4-50
WEDNESDAY (7/21):	Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Mt 13:1-9
THURSDAY (7/22):	Sg 3:1-4b; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
FRIDAY (7/23):	Ex 20:1-17; Mt 13:18-23
SATURDAY (7/24):	Ex 24:3-8; Mt 13:24-30
SAT/SUNDAY (7/24-25):	2 Kgs 4:42-44; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

### **BIBLE VERSE OF THIS WEEK:**

***“The Lord is my Shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.”*** (Psalm 23:1)

### **COMMUNITY MEALS**

As we slowly try to return to activities pre-COVID, we are hoping to schedule a Community Meal for the homebound sometime in September. The actual date will be determined later. You are asked to notify the Administration Office if you are aware of any parishioner who is homebound, or whom you feel may have a need for our community meals. Thank you.

### **SIGN-UP NOW!!**

St. Charles Borromeo Youth Formation Registration for 2021-2022 ***is opened through July 31, 2021.*** You may send your registration form by mail, bring it to the Administration Office, or place it in the Collection Box found in church.

**PLEASE NOTE:** E.D. White Students in 10<sup>th</sup> grade in the school year of 2021-2022, **MUST** register and **MUST** attend the Youth Formation Program here at St. Charles Borromeo in order to Confirm here.

**Registration Forms are available on our website ([www.stcharlesthobodaux.org](http://www.stcharlesthobodaux.org)) and in the foyer of the church.**

### **REMINDER!!.....SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING RENEWAL**

The previous three-year cycle for Safe Environment Training is coming to an end. **All who have been previously trained MUST renew their training if you wish to continue to be involved with the Youth and/or parish activities.** If you wish to become involved with the Youth in any way and this is your first time in being trained, your first step to completing your Safe Environment requirements is to complete the Volunteer Ministry Application (VMA) and

turn it in to your Church or Catholic School. Visit our online Safe Environment Training website to begin your Safe Environment Training: <https://safeandsacred-htdiocese.org>



### **DIOCESE OF HOUMA-THIBODAUx OUTREACH LINE**

In response to the *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux is offering an Outreach Line (formerly known as the Child Protection Contact Line). The Outreach Line was created to extend the diocesan commitment to support healing for all who have been hurt or sexually abused, whether recently or in the past by clergy, religious, or other employees of the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux.

The Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux Outreach Line operates from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M., Monday through Friday. A trained mental health professional is available for those who reach out. Individuals are offered additional assistance if requested. **The Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux Outreach Line** telephone number is: **(985) 873-0026 or (985) 850-3172**.

### **2021 WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS**

The Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux is inviting all couples married in the Catholic Church who are celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> (and beyond) wedding anniversary during 2021 to a Diocesan Liturgy of the Word Celebration to be held Sunday, October 24, 2021, at St. Francis de Sales Cathedral at 3:00 P.M. If you wish to participate in this program, please notify the Administration Office to register **before July 30<sup>th</sup>**.

***Our Parish Wedding Anniversary Celebration will be held on Saturday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>, at the 4:00 P.M. Mass.***

***Please Note: You do not have to attend the Diocesan Celebration to be recognized at our Parish Celebration.***

### **CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

Children's Liturgy activity sheets pertaining to the weekend's Scripture readings can be found on the church's website [www.stcharlesthobodaux.org](http://www.stcharlesthobodaux.org). Parents may print the activity pages of the Children's Worship Bulletin for children ages 3-6 and 7-12.

Also, Bible activity and color sheets will be available in the foyer of the church for the taking. Parents, please pick one up and help your child have a better understanding of the Gospel Message.

***We look forward to resuming Children's Liturgy during the 10:00 A.M. Mass this Fall!***

## **K.C. COUNCIL #12060 NEWS:**

At the recent KC Business Meeting, the following awards were presented:

- **2021 Catholic Youth Leadership Awards:**

*Caleb Sylvest, son of Paul and Cindy Sylvest.*

*Riley Landry, daughter of John and Denise Landry.*

- **2021 Knight of the Year:** *Francis Savoie*

- **2021 Family of the Year:** *Jeff and Marsha Dufrene*

***Congratulations to all!***

## **ATTENTION - FYI!**

There will be a Diocesan gathering for all Black Catholics and those who minister to, with, for, and among Black Catholics on Saturday, July 24<sup>th</sup> at the Diocesan Pastoral Center, Hwy 311, Schriever. Time of gathering will be 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

## **HURRICANE SEASON PRAYER**

Lord Jesus Christ, our God in the flesh! As You saved Your apostles from perishing in a storm by calming wind and wave on Your command, so now keep us safe and sound during hurricane season. Grant us favorable and benign weather. Protect us from the unpredictable elements of nature. Spare us from storm, flood, fire, illness, injury, disaster and sudden death. Preserve us from all evil and harm, for we, though sinful, are nonetheless the work of Your hands — and You, together with Your Father who has no beginning and Your holy, good and life-giving Spirit, are our God, in whom we live, move and have our being, now and ever, and for ages and ages. Amen.

## **SMALL SOULS OR GREAT SOULS**

*There is a difference with small souls and great souls, it is true  
But each of us has to decide which one is for you*

*Small souls like to gain the values of this earth  
While great souls don't care for this worldly values worth*

*What is it do we profit if we gain the world but lose our soul  
Cause in the end what truly counts is a great soul that is whole*

*Ordinary people with great souls have found the treasured pearl  
Cause their riches rest in the Lord and not of this earthly world*

## **QUOTE:**

***"Once we have Jesus with us, then we can give Him to others."***

*(St. Teresa of Calcutta)*