

# ST. JULES CATHOLIC CHURCH



## MASS SCHEDULE

**SUNDAY:** 8 & 10 am; *Spanish* 11:30am; *Vietnamese* 2 pm

**SATURDAY:** 4 pm (Anticipated)

**WEEKDAYS:** Monday, Tuesday, Friday 12 noon; Wednesday 8 am

**Confession:** Saturday 3:15 – 3:45 pm; Sundays 15 mins before mass, 11:50 am before weekday Masses; or by appointment

**Rosaries:** 11:30 am before weekday Masses; 6:30 pm Monday; Patriotic Rosary 6:30 pm Wednesday

**First Friday Adoration** (bilingual) Immediately after noon mass until 6 pm; Benediction following.

**OFFICE HOURS:** Mon-Fri 9:30 am to 12:30 pm

## ORGANIZATIONS AND MINISTRIES

Adult Education	Barney Lejeune	337-501-3492
Angels of Service	Barbara Satchez	337-298-4749
Altar Servers/Acolytes	Aren Chaisson	337-962-6284
Annual Retreat (GC)	Allen Begnaud	337-230-9984
Choir	Angie Sanford	337-852-5600
Catholic Daughters	Gerry Sonnier	337-780-1085
Catechism (CCD) / Bulletin	Corine Porche	337-296-7994
Catechism (CCD/Hispan)	Luisa Blanco	337-852-7241
Come Lord Jesus (Tue 2:30)	Phyllis Boudreaux	337-781-7576
Come Lord Jesus (Wed 5:30)	Christy Perret	337-593-0669
Eucharistic Ministers	Barbara Satchez	337-298-4749
Homebound Eucharistic Ministry	Ken/Sally Wade	337-984-7563
Immaculata Prayer Group	Dottie Bollich	337-257-8699
Knights of Columbus	Earl Trahan	337-981-1517
Lectors	Barbara Satchez	337-298-4749
Men's Cursillo	Randall	337-349-2516
St. Jules Faith Divers	Eric Greenwood	337-319-8068
Theresians	Jalyne Dupre	337-852-7390
Ushers	Ken Judice	337-257-4317

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	MASS INTENTIONS	THIS WEEK AT ST. JULES	PRAY FOR PRIESTS PRAY FOR SEMINARIANS
<b>Saturday 12/26/20</b> <i>St. Stephen; First Day of Kwanzaa</i>	Joseph & Dolores Coleman, Mark Corner, Paul Domingue, Rabalais Family, David Moorehouse, Sidney Stoute, Kenneth & Missy Hix, Vivian Lou Melancon, Phanxico Xavie Nam Nguyen & Maria Nam Dinh, Angelle Richard, Andrea Beth Lejeune, D. J. "Red" Lilly, Kenneth Langlinais, Joe Pelafique, Jack Patin, Stephanie Demirsu, Perla C. Castor, Felipa Diaz	■ <b>Anticipated Mass at 4 pm</b> ■ OA 10-11 am	Rev. Charles Langlois Tre Fontenet
<b>Sunday 12/27/20</b> <i>The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary &amp; Joseph</i>	Louella & Carl Gumpert, John Gumpert, David Moorehouse, John "JR" & Annette Mhire, Phanxico Xavie Nam Nguyen & Maria Nam Dinh, Anna Chau, John Truong, Maria Tin Nguyen, Joseph Cong Nguyen, Jeanette Cummings, Joseph Tuyen, Leslie LaFleur	■ <b>Mass 8 and 10 am; Spanish 11:30 am; Vietnamese 2 pm</b> ■ St. Francis Men's Group 12:30-1:30 pm ■ OA 4:30-5:30 pm ■ Alanon 6-7 pm	Rev. Msgr. H. A. Larroque Andrew Furka
<b>Monday 12/28/20</b> <i>The Holy Innocents</i>	David Moorehouse, Phanxico Xavie Nam Nguyen & Maria Nam Dinh, Keith Hebert	■ Mass 12 Noon ■ Therisians Hopeful Hearts 12:30-3 pm	Rev. Korey LaVergne David Furka
<b>Tuesday 12/29/20</b> <i>St. Thomas Becket</i>	David Moorehouse, Phanxico Xavie Nam Nguyen & Maria Nam Dinh	■ Mass 12 noon ■ CLJ 2-4 pm ■ OA 6-7 pm	Rev. Bernard Lebiez Jace Gyles
<b>Wednesday 12/30/20</b> <i>6th Day within the Octave of the Nativity</i>	David Moorehouse, Matt Allemand	■ Mass 8 am ■ Men's Ultreya 6:30-8 pm ■ CLJ 5:30-7pm ■ Immaculata Prayer Group 7-10 pm	Rev. Clyde LeBlanc James Hamilton
<b>Thursday 12/31/20</b> <i>St. Sylvester; New Year's Eve</i>	David Moorehouse	■ New Year's Eve Mass 4 pm	Rev. Steve LeBlanc Evan Hebert
<b>Friday 1/1/21</b> <i>Octave of Nativity of the Lord; Mary Mother of God</i>	David Moorehouse, Kim Cathey, John Aubrey Mire, Errol C. Benoit	■ New Year's Mass 9 am ■ Alanon 6-7 pm	Pope Francis Rev. Patrick Broussard

#### TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Those who honor their parents will be greatly blessed and will atone for sins (Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14) or Genesis 15:1-6; 21:1-3.

Psalms — Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways (Psalm 128) or Psalm 105.

Second Reading — Be thankful; do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus (Colossians 3:12-21 [12-17]) or Hebrews 11:8, 11-12, 17-19.

Gospel — The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom (Luke 2:22-40 [22, 39-40]).

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Jn 1:5 — 2:2; Ps 124:2-5, 7b-8; Mt 13-18

Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-3, 5b-6; Lk 2:22-35

Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-10; Lk 2:36-40

Thursday: 1 Jn 2:18-21; Ps 96:1-2, 11-13; Jn 1:1-18

Friday: Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21

Saturday: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28

Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12



#### The Sanctuary Lamp (Burns in Memory of)

Theresa & Agnus Broussard Jr., Russell Dailey, Goldie Rome, Cullen Rome, Doug & Herb Guillory, Isaac Guidry, Marian Hains, Harry & Dot Chauvin, A. J. Antoine, Harrison Camel, Raymond Navarre, Jack Patin, Frank Prejean, Nettie & Gervais Thibodeaux

**Pastor:** Rev. Fr. Dan Edwards  
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 Emeritus Reggie Bollich  
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 337-296-7994 or  
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**Cantor & Organist:**  
 Angela & Brian Sanford  
**Secretary:** Gerry Porche



#### WE ARE GOD'S HOLY FAMILY

The scriptures of Israel are filled with many stories of barren couples who were miraculously granted the gift of children by God. Surely the best known among these is the first reading from today, from which Luke took inspiration when he recounted the miraculous birth of John the Baptist to Zechariah and Elizabeth, and the more miraculous birth of Jesus to Mary and Joseph. In each instance, we are given examples or role models of those who trusted in God. More than examples of those who trust, they are models of self-surrender. They abandoned their own presuppositions and prejudices about the workings of the world and turned their lives over to belief in a God who can make life grow where none ought to; a God who can turn death around into a new and unimagined life; a God who can, today, take a tiny child of humble parents in an insignificant town and make him into a light for all the world. This is what we, as God's holy family, are called to do each day: to trust not in ourselves and the way we think things should be, but to open ourselves and surrender ourselves in faith to a God of endless promise.

#### Pray for the Sick

Please pray for Fr. Dan Edwards, for his continued health and well being. Please pray for Deacon Barney Lejeune, Tessie Shows, David Dwight Benoit, Jalyne Dupre, Buttons Adamson, Gregory Baffes, Marty Bellot, Ella Grace Revere, Sheree' Domingue, Brady Sturn, Mary Domingue, John Allen Roger, Milton Guilbeau, Kane Marceaux, Anita Mullins, Bob Andrews, Jessie Duhon, Ed Brenke, Annette Coleman, Sara Bryan, Ken Wade, Rosalie Ardoin, Love Langlinais, Angie Theriot, Ella Gary, Elia Prejean, Robert Carroll, Gabe Michot, Carol Thornton, Will Carrier, Eldine LeBlanc, Rusty Durocher, Aren Chaisson, Ed Bourdeaux, Mary Ida Simoneaux, Charles Faul, Matthew Faul, Michelle Richard, Katherine Carriere, Ross Coleman Jr., David Allen, Mary Venable & Ian Taylor, Deedee Luke, Dina Cullota, Brent Mhire, Natalie Miguez, Terry Fitzgerald, Annie Taylor, John Richard, Rene & Lucy Hanks, George & Martha Latolais, Deborah Chaisson, Lora Morrow, Paul Joseph Hammes, Ed Gaudin Sr., Susan Merritt, Dianne Langlinais, Gene Begnaud, Paula Lejeune and Rita Credes. To add to list, call 234-2727.

**AROUND THE PARISH**

**\*\*Please silence your cell phones\*\***



*St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray. And do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, through the Precious Blood of Jesus,*

*unleash the power of God to cast into hell forever Satan and all the other evil spirits who prowl throughout the world, seeking the ruins of souls. Amen*

**BAPTIZING YOUR CHILD**

If you or someone you know is interested in baptizing a child, classes are held every first Thursday at 6:30 in the parish office. For more information or to register for the class please contact Deacon Barney at 337-501-3492. Baptism classes for Hispanics are held every first Tuesday. If interested contact Luisa Blanco 337-852-7241.

*Packets for CCD (religious education) are available online for registration for your kids. They can also be picked up at each entrance of the church and the church office. If your child will be making First Communion or Confirmation, you must include a copy of their Baptismal certificate. Classes will begin January 4, 2021, 6-7:30 pm. Classes will be held every Monday night with the exception of holidays from school. A calendar of classes scheduled will be attached to each packet. If anyone is interested in teaching CCD, please contact Corine Porche at 296-7994.*



St. Thomas More Catholic High School 2021-2022 application is available online January 15 - 22 for priority status. Required documents are accepted January 19 - 22 | 8 a.m. - 3 p.m., & January 20 | 5 - 6:30 p.m. For more information contact Robyn

Alfonso, robyn.alfonso@stmcougars.net, or at 988-7779. For a virtual tour of our campus, visit [stmcougars.net/admissions](http://stmcougars.net/admissions).

REMEMBER SOCIAL DISTANCING AND WEAR YOUR MASK!  
HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL AND A SAFE ONE TO ALL!!

**WE RETURN TO GOD...FROM WHAT HE HAS GIVEN US! THANKS!**

**12/20/20**

Weekly Offertory	\$17,405.63
Poor Fund	\$307.14
Bldg Fund	\$25.00
Bishop's Service	\$1,845.20
Masses/Hall	\$185.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$19,767.97</b>

**COME LORD JESUS! WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY**

**Give the leader a call to join!**

**Leader: Christy Perret**

**Day & Time:** Wednesday, 5:30-6:30PM **Location:** Church Hall  
**Phone:** 337/593-0669 **Email:** christy143@lusfiber.net

**Leader: Phyllis Boudreaux**

**Day & Time:** Tuesday, 2:30-4 PM **Location:** Church Hall  
**Phone:** 337/781-7576 **Email:** phyllisrb@lusfiber.net

**THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH**

**Reading 1—SJR 3:2-6, 12-14**

God sets a father in honor over his children; a mother's authority he confirms over her sons. Whoever honors his father atones for sins, and preserves himself from them. When he prays, he is heard; he stores up riches who reveres his mother. Whoever honors his father is gladdened by children, and, when he prays, is heard. Whoever reveres his father will live a long life; he who obeys his father brings comfort to his mother. My son, take care of your father when he is old; grieve him not as long as he lives. Even if his mind fail, be considerate of him; revile him not all the days of his life; kindness to a father will not be forgotten, firmly planted against the debt of your sins—a house raised in justice to you.

**Reading 2—COL 3:12-21**

Brothers and sisters: Put on, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, heartfelt compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience, bearing with one another and forgiving one another, if one has a grievance against another; as the Lord has forgiven you, so must you also do. And over all these put on love, that is, the bond of perfection. And let the peace of Christ control your hearts, the peace into which you were also called in one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, as in all wisdom you teach and admonish one another, singing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, in word or in deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. Wives, be subordinate to your husbands, as is proper in the Lord. Husbands, love your wives, and avoid any bitterness toward them. Children, obey your parents in everything, for this is pleasing to the Lord. Fathers, do not provoke your children, so they may not become discouraged.

**Responsorial Psalm—PS 128:1-2, 3, 4-5.**

**R. Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.**

Blessed is everyone who fears the LORD, who walks in his ways! For you shall eat the fruit of your handiwork; blessed shall you be, and favored. **R**

Your wife shall be like a fruitful vine in the recesses of your home; your children like olive plants around your table. **R**

Behold, thus is the man blessed who fears the LORD. The LORD bless you from Zion: may you see the prosperity of Jerusalem all the days of your life. **R**

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.** Let the peace of Christ control your hearts; let the word of Christ dwell in you richly. **R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

**Gospel—Lk 2:22, 39-40**

When the days were completed for their purification according to the law of Moses, they took him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord. When they had fulfilled all the prescriptions of the law of the Lord, they returned to Galilee, to their own town of Nazareth. The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom; and the favor of God was upon him.

**QUANTITY: 650**