

MASS OFFERTORIES

Saturday, October 13th

4:00pm: Mass for the Parishioners

Sunday, October 14th

7:00am: Louis & Helen Zaunbrecher; Rosaire & Cheryl Veilleux, Bruce Piserell

9:30am: Robert & Lucille Hartwell, Hartwell & Scott Family; Clifford & Katin Broussard, Broussard & Primeaux Family; Idell & J B Courville, Norman & Tammy Courville; Harold & Sylvia Hartwell; Bennie Louis Buller; Isaac & Steven Leger

Monday, October 15th

7:30am: Gaston Dubrock, Sr. (birthday)

Tuesday, October 16th

7:30am: Bennie Louis Buller

Wednesday, October 17th

7:30am: Isaac & Steven Leger

Thursday, October 18th

7:30am:

Friday, October 19th

7:30am: Idell & J B Courville, Norman & Tammy Courville; A.D. Harrington (birthday & 7th anniversary)

Saturday, October 20th

4:00pm: Ruthvan (Rudy) Guillory; Howard Andrus; Michael Arrant, Arrant, Racca, LeBouef, & Giles Families, Louanna (Pelet) Guidry; Robert Mhire; Terry & Beverly Gahn, Theriot & Gahn Families; Vergie (9th anniversary) & Ernest Goodly

Sunday, October 21st

7:00am: Mass for the Parishioners

9:30am: Robert & Lucille Hartwell, Hartwell & Scott Family; Idell & J B Courville, Norman & Tammy Courville; Isaac & Steven Leger

Monday: Galatians 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1/Psalms 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7 [cf. 2]/Luke 11:29-32

Tuesday: Galatians 5:1-6/Psalms 119:41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 48 [41a]/Luke 11:37-41

Wednesday: Galatians 5:18-25/Psalms 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [cf. John 8:12]/Luke 11:42-46

Thursday: 2 Timothy 4:10-17b/Psalms 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Luke 10:1-9

Friday: Ephesians 1:11-14/Psalms 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13 [12]/Luke 12:1-7

Saturday: Ephesians 1:15-23/Psalms 8:2-3ab, 4-5, 6-7 [7]/Luke 12:8-12

The Vocation Cross

Our vocation cross will be taken by Wayne Primeaux this week. Let us pray with him for seminarians and an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Vocation View

Twenty eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 14, 2018

If we really believe in something, it does not seem to be a sacrifice to give up everything else to pursue that new dream. Jesus asks the same as any great leader...total dedication; but He promises rewards no one else can promise. "You will have treasure in Heaven, then come, follow Me." Come, follow the call of Christ as a priest, sister, brother or deacon. If you think God is calling you to one of these, call Fr. Jeffrey Starkovich, Vocation Director, Diocese of Lake Charles, 337-436-7223 or email vocations@lcdioocese.org.

28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

If you would like to be added to either list or know of someone who needs to be added, please email Becky Schultz at sjv.beckyschultz@gmail.com (E-mail is best because it is in writing and has a date and a time attached to it, but if that would cause a hardship, you can call or text Becky at 337-802-4951.) Names received before noon on Tuesday will appear in that week's bulletin. Names will remain on the list for 2 weeks and then be removed. If after the 2 weeks, you still need prayer, by all means, please send another message and we'll keep praying!

Our Sick: Julian Arrant, Margaret Arrant, Sue Derouen, Terry Guidry, Emerson Irvin, Lawrence Primeaux, Don Racca, Bridgette Sonnier, R.L. Webb

Our Recovering:

Our Homebound and Shut Ins: Jeanette Andrus, Julian Arrant, Floyd Baccigalopi, Joyce Conner, Fred Conner, Lillian Conner, Marie Guidry, James Keith Leger, Benny Lognion, Agnes Louviere, Leslie Hartwell, Juanita Nunez, Wyetta Nunez, Diane Thibeaux

Our Nursing Home and Assisted Living Residents: Leo Guidry, Bueleh Louviere, Rita Nunez, Ethel Racca, John & Kenora Theriot

Our Military: Brennan Arabie, Wesley Dugas, Trey Jarrell, Casey Laurents, Gavin Leger, Jeremy Weisert

OFFERTORY GIFTS – Week Ending 10/7/18

Regular Collection	\$ 4149.00
Youth Group	\$ 495.00
Total	\$ 4644.00

Next Second Collection:

October 20-21, 2018- Mission Sunday



We accept:

DIOCESAN NEWS

Monday, October 15th- Friday, October 19th

Proclaim Week

The Cowboy Catholics will present the first ever Proclaim Week, with students, parishioners of Our Lady of Good Counsel, people of the Diocese of Lake Charles, and other community leaders proclaiming the Sacred Scriptures in the Quad of McNeese State University from 8 a.m. on Monday, October 15 and concluding with Mass on campus at noon on Friday, October 19.

Bishop Glen John Provost will begin and others will work their way through the entire Bible.

There is a plenary indulgence under the normal conditions offered to those who participate in Proclaim Week by reading for 20 minutes or listening. The event is open to the entire community and all members of the Diocese of Lake Charles. For more information call 337-477-1434.

Wednesday, November 7th - Thursday, November 8th

Immaculée Ilibagiza to speak at OLQH

Immaculée Ilibagiza (author of Left to Tell) will share her inspirational testimony of faith, hope, and forgiveness on Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 7-8, in Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church, 3939 Lake Street.

The Wednesday presentation will begin at 6:30 p.m. (doors will open at 6 p.m.) while the Thursday presentation starts at 10:30 .m. (doors open at 10 a.m.).

Immaculée Ilibagiza is a survivor of the 1994 Rwandan genocide that took the lives of nearly one million Tutsis. Men, women and children, including her entire family except for one of her brothers, were massacred at the hands of Hutu marauders. Immaculée found shelter at a pastor's home, where she and seven other women hid from the deadly rebel mob in a 3-by-4-foot bathroom for 91 days. During those 91 days of unimaginable suffering, Immaculée found her faith, taught herself English, and most incredibly, committed herself to a life of peace, hope and forgiveness, even for those who had murdered her family. Immaculée has gone on to work at the United Nations, has received five honorary doctoral degrees, has written seven books about her faith and her life journey, and is the recipient of the Mahatma Gandhi International Award for Reconciliation and Peace. The events are free and open to the public and "love offerings" will be accepted. For more information call Felicia at 337-477-1236.

PARISH NEWS

Thursday, October 25th

11:00am -1:00pm: St John Vianney Community Senior Social
Please join us at The Bell City Knights of Columbus Hall for coffee, lunch, and bingo!

Congratulations

Holly Lawrence and Lancey Richard were joined in the sacrament of marriage last weekend! We offer our congratulations and our prayers for them as they become family. "Be devoted to one another in love. Honor one another above yourselves." Romans 12:10

BAZAAR UPDATE



Sunday, October 28th

St. John Vianney Annual Bazaar

Please make plans to attend and if you haven't already started praying for favorable weather, now would be a great time! Please make note of the following:

Auction Items for both silent & live auctions were due to be turned in by Friday, October 12th. (If you still have items or if you have any questions, please call Sarah Leonards at 337-884-5891.)

We still need:

Bingo Prizes
12 packs of Coke, Diet Coke, Dr. Pepper, and Sprite only

Raffle Tickets are currently being sold after each weekend mass; if your family hasn't bought a book yet, please consider it!

This weekend, October 13th-14th and next, October 20th-21st, we will be selling our advanced Food Tickets after mass. We Have Pork Dinners, Chicken Dinners, Hamburgers and French Fries.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Wednesday, October 31st

4:00pm: All Hallow's Eve Parish Celebration

We will begin with a vigil Mass for All Saints Day at 4 pm and follow with a special evening for the children and all who accompany them. (Pending)

Thursday, November 1st

9:00am and 10:00am: Blessing of the Cemeteries

November 5th - 8th

40 Hours of Devotion

Sign-up sheets will soon be available in the back of the church.

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

I oftentimes say in prayer, "Grant me the wisdom to see Your will for my life and the courage to follow that will." It is a request for true discernment to see that God's will is always more important and fruitful than my own will. It is easy to fall into the trap of thinking happiness and fulfillment lie in doing what I want to do and following my own wants and desires. Our entire secular culture is filled with that message. However, that road has led too many to a place of emptiness and regret. I must pray to keep in the forefront of my mind that God created me on purpose and for a purpose. Being wise enough to see that purpose is the key to true satisfaction in this world.

Giving of our gifts and talents in only ways we want to means that we become deaf and blind to the numerous times Jesus Christ calls us to give. We also easily avoid any form of real sacrifice, which often leads us to give only from our excess. Wisdom allows us to see where we are being called, even if we are unsure what increase will result from our investment. Our trust is no longer in the gift given but instead in the One who is calling us to give. When our lives of generosity and compassion are ordered in this way, it is hard for anything to steal our joy away. Our purpose is found, our aim is true, and our desire is fulfilled.

--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

