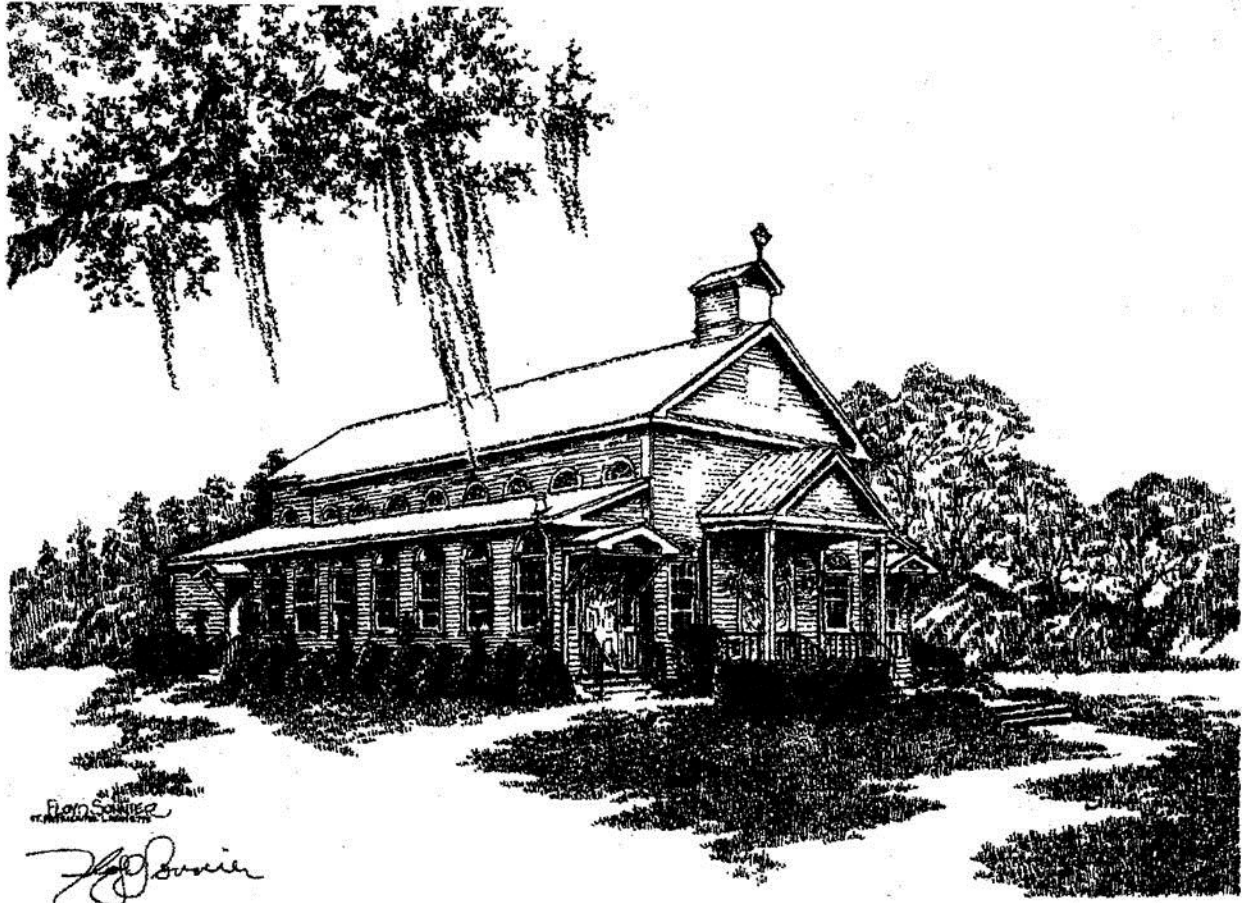


St. Patrick Catholic Church

July 21, 2013 - Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



L'Église St. Patrick

Office Hours

Monday – Thursday: 8:30 am – 3:00 pm; Friday 8:30 am – 12 noon

Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday: 4:00 pm – Sunday: 8:30 & 10:00 am

Monday through Friday: 7:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 – 3:30 pm and Weekdays: 7:15 am

Baptisms

Parents are encouraged to call the Church during pregnancy to avoid delays of the sacrament

Weddings

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance to allow time for preparation



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Welcome to St. Patrick Church
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 21, 2013

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, July 20--Vigil of the Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM: Cecile M. Veazey; David Dias; Robert & Hazel Chiasson; Gustavo & Herselle Medina; Gussie & Valsin Benoit; Godie Racca; Dr. Edward Burleigh, Jr.; Dr. Richard Bourgeois; Joseph Citizen; Rudy Borel; Mike Guilbeau

Sunday, July 21-- Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM: Virginia Arceneaux; Junius Ledet
10:00 AM: Parishioners of St. Patrick's

Monday, July 22-- St. Mary Magdalene

7:30 AM: Bella & Gussie Hernandez

Tuesday, July 23-- St. Bridget, Religious

7:30 AM: David Womack; Beth Dupuy; Julie Abendroth

It is [Christ] whom we proclaim,
admonishing everyone and teaching everyone
with all wisdom,
that we may present everyone perfect in Christ.
—*Colossians 1:28b*

Non-Liturgical Devotions

Daily Rosary: Monday - Friday 6:55 a.m.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena: Tuesday 7:15 a.m.

Rosary for Priests: Wednesday 7:00 a.m.

Chaplet of Divine Mercy: Thursday 7:15 a.m.

Pro-Life Rosary: First Friday of the month 7 a.m.

Shamrocks—Friday, July 19: Dee Boudreaux; Anne Meketon; Betty Fournet; Charlotte Privat



Next First Friday:

August 2nd, 2013

Topic:

Baptismal and Ministerial
Priesthood

Wednesday, July 24-- St. Sharbel Makhluif, Priest
(Msgr. Charles Mallet)

7:30 AM: Dr. Tommy Comeaux & Dorinne;
Col. Clark Comeaux & Catherine (living);
Col. Kimberly Fedele (living)

Thursday, July 25--St. James, Apostle

7:30 AM: Mike Guilbeau

Friday, July 26-- Sts. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:30 AM: Dr. Charles Stewart

Altar Flowers

In Memory of:

Monty & O.P. Montagné



Prayer for Hurricane Season

O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed your order and returned to its former quietude. You are still the Master of land and sea. We live the shadow of a danger over which we have no control: the gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awake from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land and spread chaos and disaster. During this hurricane season we turn to you, loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with the passing of time. O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our Beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with you Son in our behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your divine Son to reach heavenly Jerusalem where a stormless eternity awaits us. Amen.

Bishop Maurice Shexnayder

First Fridays—A Year of Faith

Mark your calendars now, and join us for our First Fridays for a Year of Faith. The next gathering is on **Friday, August 2nd, at 6 pm**. Fr. Keith will lead us in a Holy Hour of Adoration, which will include silent prayer, readings, and homily. The topic for this month will be *“Baptismal & Ministerial Priesthood”*. Flyers on the entire series are still available at the entrance of the Church.

Engaged Couples

Upcoming weekend dates for a Catholic Engaged Encounter Weekend in preparation of marriage are: Lake Charles: July 19-21; October 18-20; & February 7-9. Please call Paul & Carolyn Trahan at 337-898-9257. Upcoming weekends for Lafayette are September 6-8, November 22-24 & January 10-12. For information and to learn more visit the website at www.lafayettecece.org or call Shawn & Liz Gautreau at 337-303-5121. Or find us on Facebook at Lafayette Catholic Engaged Encounter.

The Great Adventure Bible Study

This coming fall, Holy Cross Catholic Church will be offering three different studies from the Great Adventure Bible Study.

Beginning **August 13, on Tuesdays, 9-11:00 a.m.**, a study on the **Book of Acts** (20 weeks).

Beginning **August 14, on Wednesdays, 9—11:00 a.m.** a Study on the **Letter of James** (11 weeks).

Beginning **September 4, on Wednesdays, 6:30—8:30 p.m.** a study of the **Book of Acts** (20 weeks).

Beginning **September 5, Thursdays 6-8:00p.m.**, a study on the **Gospel of Matthew** (24 weeks).

There will also be a 10 week session study on

Fr. Robert Barron’s Catholicism, Thursdays, 9-11a.m. consisting of 10 DVD’s 55 minutes long with a discussion to follow.

Please call the Holy Cross office at 337-984-9636 or Adult Faith Formation 337-654-9671 to register for the sessions.

“Gently Worn” School Uniforms Needed

“School Uniform Outreach” will continue to collect and process used uniforms. Various agencies will distribute the uniforms to the needy children in the Lafayette Parish Schools. Please bring your children’s outgrown uniforms to church ASAP. **Uniforms are being processed for the 2013-14 school year.** The need is great! **Sizes 4-20 and all adult sizes are needed.** Shirts: red, white and navy blue, black and green. Pants/Shorts: navy blue, black and khaki-traditional style.

en’s books; infant and children’s toys (in working condition). The kindness of your donations help this ministry. Thank you!

For more information, call (337) 291-1933

Registration

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Students from St. Patrick’s who would like to attend CCD Program—all grades, First Communion and Confirmation, need to register at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, 818 12th. St., Lafayette. Registration begins **July 22nd. until August 11, 2012**; in the Immaculate Heart Cafeteria: Mondays, Tuesdays, & Thursdays, 8:30 a.m.—12 noon and 1 — 4:00 p.m. Wednesdays: 8:30—12 noon. No registrations on Fridays. There will be one Sunday registration, August 11th. at 8:30 am to 12 noon in IMH School Cafeteria, and it is the last day of registration. Students will be accepted on a first come first serve basis. All new students must have their baptismal record on the day of registration. For additional information please call: 235-6323.

“Faith of our Fathers” – Session 5 – July 29, 30, 31 (6:30-8:00 p.m.) at St. Elizabeth Seton, Lafayette

Please join the Central Region in celebrating the “Year of Faith” with **“Faith of our Fathers”**, a series three-night sessions featuring Priests of the Central Region as speakers each night. Our next session will be held on **July 29, 30, 31** from 6:30-8:00 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church, 610 Raintree Trail, Lafayette. Our speakers are **Rev. Harold Trahan (Monday, July 29); Rev. Thomas Voorhies (Tuesday, July 30); and Rev. Gary Schexnayder (Wednesday, July 31)**. Each night will begin with an Opening Prayer led by **Very Rev. Thomas James, SVD, VE**, Episcopal Vicar for the Central Region. Please join us as **“our Fathers”** share their witness of faith with us – all are welcome!!! Pre-registration is not required, and there is no fee to attend. For more information on **“Faith of our Fathers”**, please contact Mary Bergeron (654-8682).

Pastoral Care Volunteers — UHC

Pastoral Care Volunteers are needed at **University Hospital and Clinics** (formerly “UMC”). If you are a Eucharistic Minister or if you would like to volunteer to help visit patients, please contact Father Richard Kalinowski, SVD, in the Pastoral office (261-6454). Please leave a message with your name and telephone number clearly stated and Father Richard will contact you.

Meetings

Al-Anon meetings are held weekly on Tuesday at 10:00 a.m., and Thursday at 10:30 a.m., at St. Patrick’s Parish Hall. Meetings are open to anyone wishing to attend. Alcoholics Anonymous meets there at 7 a.m. on Monday through Friday (open), and at 8 am on Saturday (closed).

STEWARDSHIP OF THE PAST WEEK

Our Response to God’s Generosity to Us
Offertory.....\$ 4,290.54

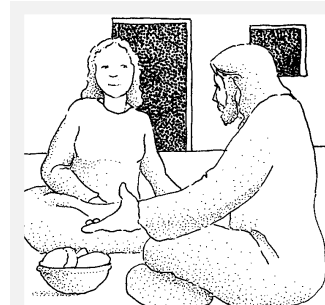
Thank You!

Liturgical Roles for July 2013

Date	Saturday, July 27 4:00 p.m.	Sunday, July 28 8:30 a.m.	Sunday, July 28 10:00 a.m.
Lectors	Harold Guilbeau	Gerrie McGovern	Phyllis Roy
Eucharistic Ministers	Peggy Spruill Candis Thompson Joy Borel	Suzanne Lavergne Maggie Sonnier Sarah Hamsher	Jerry Boudreaux Dee Boudreaux Janeth Harrington
Altar Servers	Merrick Stelly	Jacob Hamsher	Andre Arceneaux
Ushers	Oren Spruill Joyce Stelly	Fred Vallot Ann Pitre	Jenny Feehan Lionel Jeanmard

Readings for the Week

Monday	Ex 14:15-18; Ps 63:2-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Tuesday	Ex 14:21 — 15:1; Ex 15:8-10, 12, 17; Mt 12:46-50
Wednesday	Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-28; Mt 13:1-9
Thursday	2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28
Friday	Ex 20: 1-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 13:18-23
Saturday	Ex 24:3-8; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Mt 13:24-30
Sunday	Gn 18:20-32; Ps 138:1-3, 6-8; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13



Mary sat listening to him speak.

From the Pastor's Desk

Maybe I'm in a rut, but for the third consecutive Sunday, I'd like to share with you a couple of quotes from Pope Francis. The first quote below is from a Mass with seminarians, where the Pope spoke of three elements of mission. Two are joy, and being sent. The other element he mentions is nothing less than the Cross, about which he says:

"The second reference point of mission is the Cross of Christ. Saint Paul, writing to the Galatians, says: "Far be it from me to glory except in the Cross of our Lord Jesus Christ" (6:14). And he speaks of the "marks of Jesus", that is, the wounds of the crucified Lord, as a countersign, as the distinctive mark of his life as an Apostle of the Gospel. In his ministry Paul experienced suffering, weakness and defeat, but also joy and consolation. This is the Paschal mystery of Jesus: the mystery of death and resurrection. And it was precisely by letting himself be conformed to the death of Jesus that Saint Paul became a sharer in his resurrection, in his victory. In the hour of darkness, in the hour of trial, the dawn of light and salvation is already present and operative. The Paschal mystery is the beating heart of the Church's mission! And if we remain within this mystery, we are sheltered both from a worldly and triumphalistic view of mission and from the discouragement that can result from trials and failures. Pastoral fruitfulness, the fruitfulness of the Gospel proclamation is measured neither by success nor by failure according to the criteria of human evaluation, but by becoming conformed to the logic of the Cross of Jesus, which is the logic of stepping outside oneself and spending oneself, the logic of love. It is the Cross – always the Cross that is present with Christ, because at times we are offered the Cross without Christ: this has not purpose! – it is the Cross, and always the Cross with Christ, which guarantees the fruitfulness of our mission. And it is from the Cross, the supreme act of mercy and love, that we are reborn as a "new creation" (Gal 6:15)."

The second quote is a message to Catholics of Britain & Ireland on their Day for Life, which speaks of "masterpieces of creation":

"Calling to mind the teaching of Saint Irenaeus that the glory of God is seen in a living human being, the Holy Father encourages all of you to let the light of that glory shine so brightly that everyone may come to recognise the inestimable value of all human life. Even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the old, the unborn and the poor, are masterpieces of God's creation, made in his own image, destined to live forever, and deserving of the utmost reverence and respect. His Holiness prays that the Day for Life will help to ensure that human life always receives the protection that is its due, so that 'everything that breathes may praise the Lord'".

M. Keith

