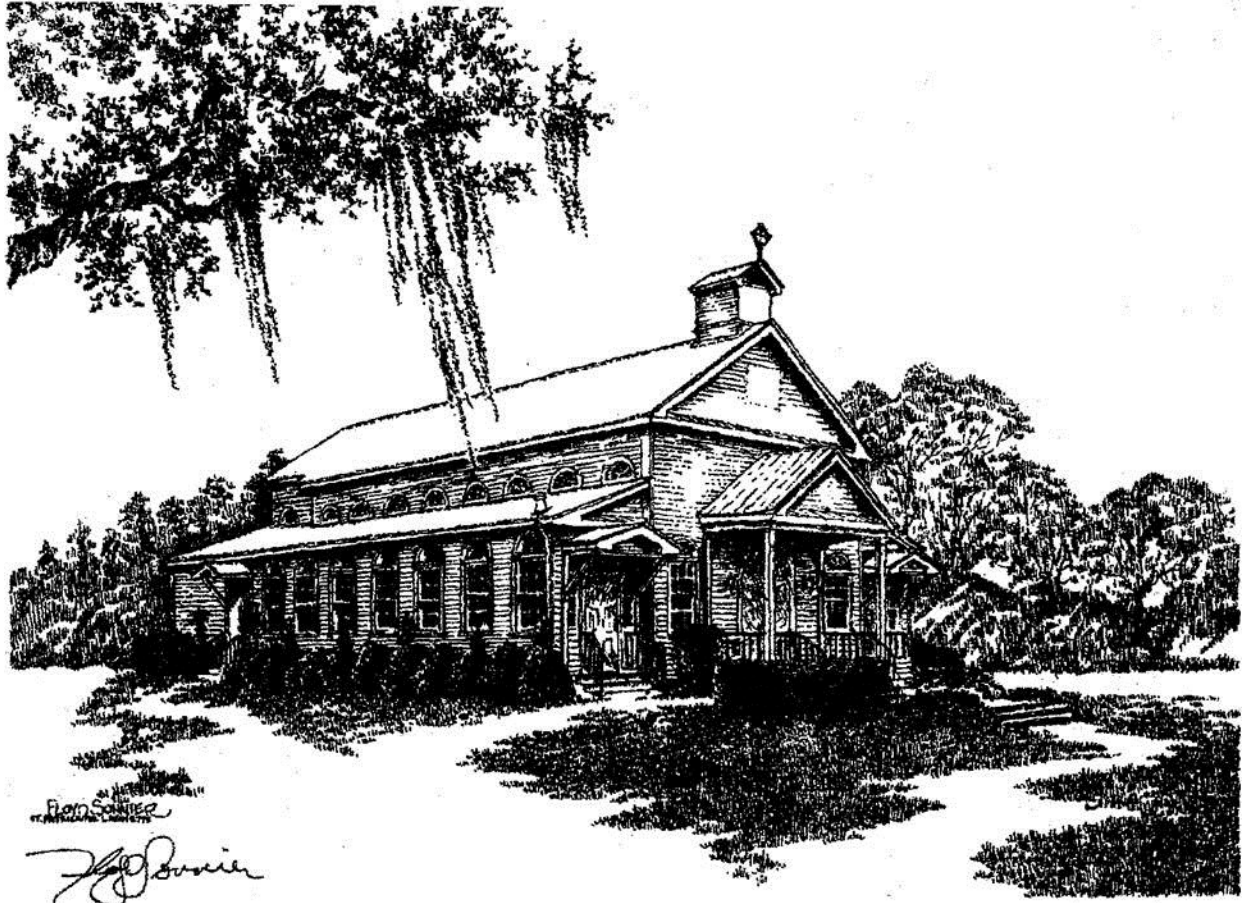


St. Patrick Catholic Church

August 4, 2013 - Eighteenth 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
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 4, 2013

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, August 3--Vigil of the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM: Cecile M. Veazey; Dr. Edward Burleigh, Jr.; Dr. Richard Bourgeois; Joseph Citizen; Mike Guilbeau; Special Intention

Sunday, August 4-- Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM: Jerry Tan (liv.); John Ray Racca, Sr.

10:00 AM: Parishioners of St. Patrick's

Monday, August 5-- The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major

7:30 AM: Bella & Gussie Hernandez; Carmen Murillo

Tuesday, August 6-- The Transfiguration of the Lord

7:30 AM: Msgr. Charles Mallet (living)



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, August 9: Gloria Boudreaux; Maggie Sonnier; Stephanie Bacque; Josssette Delahoussaye; Charlotte Privat



Next First Friday:
September 6th, 2013

Topic:
The Church's Mission in
The World

Wednesday, August 7--St Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs; St Cajetan, Priest (Msgr. Charles Mallet)

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

Thursday, August 8 -- St. Dominic, Priest

7:30 AM: Mike Guilbeau

Friday, August 9 -- St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr

7:30 AM: Dr. Charles Stewart



Altar Flowers

In Memory of:

Dr. Tommy Comeaux & Dorinne

Teach us to number our days aright,
that we may gain wisdom of heart.

—Psalm 90:12

Pizza at St. Pat's

Our St. Patrick's Youth Outreach begins again next Sunday, August 11th. from 4:00 to 6:00 at the Parish Hall. We are having a Back to School kick-off with food, door prizes and free school supplies. We invite all young people ages 10 to 16 to join us in growing closer to God and richer in what matters to our Lord! We also want to extend an invitation to our adult parishioners to join our youth ministry team. "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few." If you think God might be calling you to reach out to His children and you would like more information about our ministry and its needs, call the office. Many thanks.



Congratulations Fr. Keith as you celebrate your 32nd. Anniversary to the Priesthood! (August 7th)

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.

Acadiana Catholic

Beginning in August, only paid subscribers will continue to receive the Acadiana Catholic mailed directly to their homes. A limited number of free copies of the August issue are available near the main entrance of the Church. If you have not yet subscribed to the Acadiana Catholic, you may do so by sending a check in the amount of \$24 (good for one year, 10 issues) to: Office of Acadiana Catholic, 1408 Carmel Drive, Lafayette, LA 70501. There are subscription forms available near the magazines for your convenience. Thank you for your continued support.

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.

Annulments: What They are and How to Go about it

What the Church means by a Declaration of Nullity and how to petition for one. This workshop will be presented by Very Rev. Msgr. Robie Robichaux, JCL, VJ, on **Thursday, September 5, at 6:00 p.m.** at St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church (Jeanmard Hall), 310 West Vine Street, Eunice. For information, please contact Jackie Griffin (831-2621; jgriffin@diolaf.org).

STEWARDSHIP OF THE PAST WEEK

Our Response to God's Generosity to Us
Offertory.....\$ 3, 179.90

Thank You!

Jesus urges us to be rich in what matters to God. The psalmist warns us against hardening our hearts. Are our hearts open to what really matters?

Holy Hour for Vocations

Please join us for our monthly "Holy Hour for Vocations and the Spiritual Renewal of All Priests" on **Monday, August 5th**, from 6:00—7:00 p.m., at St. Patrick Church. Recitation of the Rosary begins at 5:30 p.m. All are welcome to attend and pray for vocations and perseverance of vocations to the priesthood and religious life, sponsored by the Serra Club of Lafayette.

Food for the Journey

The Central Region of the Diocese of Lafayette presents "Food for the Journey", a monthly lunchtime speaker series designed to help Catholics live out our faith in our daily lives. Our speaker is **Rev. Glenn Meaux**, SOLT Haiti Mission, Kobonal, Haiti. "Food for the Journey" will be held on **Tuesday, August 6**, at Hotel Acadiana, 1801 W. Pinhook Road, beginning at 12:00 noon. An optional lunch buffet is available beginning at 11:30 a.m. Cost is \$12.00 and includes meal, drink, dessert and tip. All are welcome to come "eat and be fed"- please bring a friend! Pre-registration is not required. For more information, please call Mary Bergeron (654-8682).

"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.

Infertility

An evening of information and encouragement for those touched by infertility will be held on **Tuesday, August 6**, at 6:15 p.m. in Knight Hall at Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church, 2319 Johnston Street, Lafayette. Speakers will be Angelique Ruhi-Lopez and Carmen Santamaria, authors of *The Infertility Companion for Catholics*. For information, please call 232-8945.

"Voice of the Voiceless" Golf Tournament

Father Glenn Meaux and **Cross Catholic Outreach** announce the annual "**Voice of the Voiceless**" **Golf Tournament** on **Saturday, August 24**, at Abbeville Country Club. Proceeds from this event will benefit Father Glenn's Kobonal Haiti Mission and provide food for the destitute elderly in Kobonal, Haiti. Individuals, twosomes and sponsors are being sought for the Golf Tournament. Prizes will be awarded! To register or for sponsor information, please contact Veria Samaroo, Special Events Director for Cross Catholic Outreach (800-914-2420 ext. 235; VSaroo@CrossCatholic.org).

Liturgical Roles for August 2013

Date	Saturday, August 10 4:00 p.m.	Sunday, August 11 8:30 a.m.	Sunday, August 11 10:00 a.m.
Lectors	Marguerite Montagnet	Anne Pitre	Robin Roy
Eucharistic Ministers	Peggy Spruill Candis Thompson Joy Borel	Sarah Hamsher Patsy Robicheaux Geneva Phillips	Michael Doumit Janeth Harrington Phyllis Roy
Altar Servers	Merrick Stelly	Jacob Hamsher	Brenda DeMette
Ushers	Oren Spruill; Joyce Stelly	Rachelle Trahan Keith Toups	Jenny Feehan Joyce Stelly

Readings for the Week

Monday	Nm 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-17; Mt 14:13-21
Tuesday	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:1-16-19; Lk 9:28b-36
Wednesday	Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35; Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-23; Mt 15:21-28
Thursday	Nm 20:1-13; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Mt 16:13-23
Friday	Dt 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-16, 21; Mt 16:24-28
Saturday	2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26
Sunday	Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 [1-2, 8-12]; Lk 12:32-48 [35-40]



From the Pastor's Desk

World Youth Day 2013 in Brazil has come and gone, and it seems to have been a huge success, with Pope Francis of course at the center of the festivities. We have posted on our parish website a few of the talks he gave with links to more if you would like to go beyond the news media coverage. Reactions, particularly to his free-wheeling press conference on the return trip, have been quite interesting, ranging from delight to dismay to disinterest. What I find striking is that Pope Francis is clearly calling for reform in the Church, while changing nothing of what we call 'doctrine'. His words and most powerfully his example (e.g. visiting prisons and slums) are calling everyone to examine not so much what we believe, but how we live in response to that belief.

I just want to share a brief excerpt from his words to those at the hospital he visited, which cares for those addicted to drugs and alcohol, one more example of his concern for the poor and those in need of healing

"To embrace, we all have to learn to embrace the one in need, as Saint Francis did. There are so many situations in Brazil, and throughout the world, that require attention, care and love, like the fight against chemical dependency. Often, instead, it is selfishness that prevails in our society. How many dealers of death there are that follow the logic of power and money at any cost! The scourge of drug-trafficking, that favors violence and sows the seeds of suffering and death, requires of society as a whole an act of courage. . . .

"To embrace someone is not enough, however. We must hold the hand of the one in need, of the one who has fallen into the darkness of dependency perhaps without even knowing how, and we must say to him or her: You can get up, you can stand up. It is difficult, but it is possible if you want to. Dear friends, I wish to say to each of you, but especially to all those others who have not had the courage to embark on our journey: You have to want to stand up; this is the indispensable condition! You will find an outstretched hand ready to help you, but no one is able to stand up in your place. But you are never alone! The Church and so many people are close to you. Look ahead with confidence. Yours is a long and difficult journey, but look ahead, there is a sure future, set against a different horizon with regard to the illusory enticements of the idols of this world, yet granting new momentum and strength to our daily lives (Lumen Fidei, 57). To all of you, I repeat: Do not let yourselves be robbed of hope! And not only that, but I say to us all: let us not rob others of hope, let us become bearers of hope!"

'Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me.' (Matthew 25:40)

Keith