



June 18, 2023

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time



### Weekend Schedule

Saturday: 4:00 pm Mass

Sunday: 9:00 am Mass

### Weekday Schedule

Monday 12:05 pm

Wednesday 12:05pm

Thursday (Vespers after) 5:15 pm

Friday (at Maison Teche) 9:30am

1st Friday (at Church)- 12:05pm

Saturday after 1st Friday - 8:30am

### Confessions

30 minutes before weekend Masses

15 minutes before weekday Masses

Or by appointment

Fr. Alexander Albert - Pastor

Ursula Gouner - Secretary

Becki Landry - Director of  
Discipleship and Evangelization

### Office Hours\*

Mon, Tues, Thurs: 8:00 am-Noon

Wed: 8:00 am-Noon, 1:00-5:00 pm

\*Fr. Albert takes appointments outside  
office hours. Please call to schedule.

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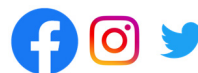
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# Spiritual Life & Worship

## Sanctuary Lights: June 18th

Church - Steve L Landry  
Chapel – Joann Lejeune, Fred Russel, Craig Myers



## Please Pray For Our Beloved Dead

## Wednesday Adoration & Benediction

We will have Exposition in the Church after the 12:05pm Mass until 6:30pm.  
Benediction will be at 6:20pm.



## Men's Rosary

A group of men pray the rosary together in the chapel every Saturday at 6am. All men are encouraged to attend!

## Pray for our Military

Brett Amedee, Barry Clements, Matthew Gottschalk, Kenneth Lancon, Bernard LeBlanc, Jacob LeJeune, Lieutenant Colonel James S. Long, II, Ross Mata, Andrew Meyer, Alden Milar, Fernand Paul Muffoletto, Blake Prados, Michael Prados, Sherel Sinitiere, II, Travis Theriot; Jennifer Thibodeaux, Reece Vice

## Fete Dieu du Teche South August 15

The annual Eucharistic Procession down Bayou Teche on August 15th will pass by our Church this year. Please mark your calendars. If you'd like to register your boat to be in the procession, please email [fetediouduteche@gmail.com](mailto:fetediouduteche@gmail.com)

## Sacraments

- **Baptisms** are celebrated as needed. Call the office to schedule a meeting with the pastor before selecting your godparents.
- **Weddings**, please contact us at least 7 months before your desired date. Visit the website [www.stjohnjeanerette.org/getting-married-at-st-john](http://www.stjohnjeanerette.org/getting-married-at-st-john) to see the process.
- **Anointing of the Sick** is given by request to those who are "in danger of death." This can be from age, injury, or illness. Please don't wait until the last minute! Call as soon as you receive a serious diagnosis. For emergencies, call the office and press '1' when prompted.

## Mass Intentions

**Mon, June 19 12:05pm:** *David/Drew Allain*

Also remember in prayer:

**Wed, June 21 12:05pm:** *Anna Joyce/Harvey Breaux*

Also remembered in prayer: Judy Lapeyrouse

**Thurs, June 22 5:15pm:** *Johnnie Leblanc*

Also remembered in prayers:

**Fri, June 23 9:30am (Maison Teche):** *Steve/Chris Gauthier*

Also remembered in prayer: Special Intention

**Sat, June 24 4:00 pm:** *Cynthia Schexnayder*

Also remembered in prayer: Junius/Lauriel Legnon; Dianne/Karey Landry, Dean Derouen, Angeline "jo" Simoneaux, M/M Bourque, Daniel Bourque, Curless Tabb, Nelson Guillotte, Richard/Laura Verret, Myrtle Prince; Special Intention (In Honor of St. Joseph); Rosalie Lejeune; Gerald/Jodie Landry; Allain/Clements Families; Helen/Michael Strozik; Burke Larroque; Joann Lejeune, Fred Russell, Craig Myers; Elsie Jumonville; Randy Alexander; Steven Blanchard, M/M Ted Moore, Cleveland, M/M Ulysse Landry, LJ, Netta, Shirley, M/M John A Switzer; Viola Burk, Adele/Eddison Pepper, Simon Becnel.

**Sun, June 25 9:00 am:** *Pro Populo (For the people of the parish)*

Also remembered in prayer: Brent Breaux, Gordon/Titus Landry, Danny Bayard; Scott Lancon, Joyce May; Leona/Ben/Ory Savoie; Glen Pirnie; Eric (Alison)/Loretta Mouret, M/M Charles Mouret (Ann), M/M Erwin Pirnie, Sr., Bub Pirnie; Walter/Mark Robin; Bertha/Marvin "Ga"/Perry Hebert, M/M Arthur Hebert, M/M Whitney Hebert; Judy Lapeyrouse; Marie D/Warren Hebert; Lydia/Leroy Gary; Douglas Robichaux Sr.; Neuville/Keith/Mark Sonnier; Carol Gravois; Dave/Irene/Richard Landry, Oden/Ester/Dora Warf; John/Carolyn/Eddie Bacon, Leslie/Carol Dow Frentz, Bacon & Dow Family; Margie Lejeune; Ronald/Irene Hebert, Hebert/Landry/Mekash/Allain Families; Rose Mary Delaune; Allain/Clements Families; Earl Sr./Earl Jr./Marie Weber; Rita/Everette Sr./Everette III Gouner.

# Formation & Education

## Pastor's Column

Thoughts and updates from Fr. Albert

## Benedict XVI and the Eucharistic Revival: Part I

Note: This is not the homily. That can be found on our website.



By: Dr. Tim O'Malley

January 5, 2023

*As part of the Eucharistic Revival, parishes around the diocese are sharing articles taken from the Eucharistic Revival Blog. This is the first in a series highlighting the Eucharistic Legacy of Pope Benedict XVI.*

### A Late Start

I was never in the same place as Benedict XVI. Not for a Mass. Not for one of his audiences. Not even while enjoying a cappuccino (or perhaps, more to the late Holy Father's tastes, a fine Bavarian beer) in Rome.

In fact, like many graduate students in Catholic theology at the time of his election, I was disappointed to hear that Benedict XVI had been chosen at all. The general impression among at least many of my professors was that Benedict XVI was some rigid, authoritarian thinker. Whatever he wrote, I presumed, had to be wrong. And therefore, I did not read his works—that is, until I was in class with the late Fr. Richard McBrien.

Perhaps not immediately known as a champion of Cardinal Ratzinger, Fr. McBrien spoke with awestruck wonder at the beauty of Benedict XVI's first encyclical, *Deus Caritas Est*. He noted the way that the now late Holy Father addressed the essential proclamation of Christianity so clearly. God is love. And that God who is love has dwelt among us, changing the very course of my personal history and all human history. The proper response to Jesus Christ is to offer a gift of myself, through love of God and neighbor.

### He Opened My Eyes

I was hooked. I began to read all of Ratzinger's work, discovering not an authoritarian scholar but a theologian who found novel ways to contemplate the mystery of love revealed in Jesus Christ. He opened my eyes to an understanding of the liturgy grounded not in human activity but God's exodus of love, one in which the human person is invited to offer a return gift of our whole selves. He showed me that a politics shorn of any source of divine transcendence will eventually become its own religion, potentially one that even leads not to freedom but totalitarianism. He made the traditional doctrines of the Creed sing anew, awakening me to a dynamic orthodoxy where faith can respond to the deepest crises elicited by modernity, including secularization, individualism, unfettered economic growth, and the harms we have unleashed upon the created order. He did this while engaging in dialogue with figures important to intellectual life in Europe—whether they were Catholic or not.

It was in Benedict XVI's *Sacramentum Caritatis* (The Sacrament of Charity) where I most clearly recognized how these themes came together. In this document, written after the synod on the Eucharist held while St. John Paul II was Pope, Benedict XVI offers a catechesis on the Eucharist around three dimensions—the Eucharist is a mystery to be believed, celebrated, and lived. Each of these dimensions, I believe, is important for the U.S. Church to remember as we undertake this Eucharistic Revival in the coming years. After all, Benedict XVI reminds us in this document that every “great reform has in some way been linked to the rediscovery of belief in the Lord's eucharistic presence among his people” (*Sacramentum Caritatis*, no. 6). In this light, the Eucharistic Revival is truly an occasion of reform in the Church, reorienting us to the personal encounter with Jesus Christ.

Taken from the Eucharistic Revival Blog: <https://www.eucharisticrevival.org/post/benedict-xvi-and-the-eucharistic-revival-part-i>





### Weekly Bible Study

We have three options for bible study every week in the Parish Hall: 6pm Monday, 6pm Tuesday or 9:30am & 1:30pm Thursday. Feel free to drop in

### Free Online Faith Formation

You can study the faith on your own at home using [Formed.org](http://Formed.org). Just click "I belong to a parish or organization" and use our zip code to register for free.



### National Eucharistic Revival!

Check out [EucharisticRevival.org](http://EucharisticRevival.org) to learn more about the ongoing effort to renew devotion in our country.



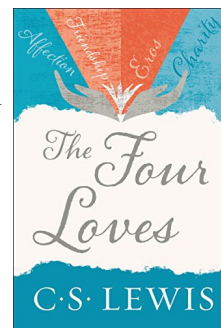
There is an app available for both iPhone and Android.

Search "Eucharistic Revival" in the app store to find it.



### Summer Book Study

Fr. Albert's book study continues this **Wednesday at 6:30pm** (immediately after Benediction in the Church). The book will be **"The Four Loves"** by C.S. Lewis, which looks at the different meanings of the word "love."



### Catechism Registration Now Open

Please go to our website to register.

### 2nd Annual Theology of the Body Summer Camp July 23-28

More details coming soon!

# Community Life

### Join the Knights!

If you would like to join the KC's please call the office. Next Meeting July 12.



### Catholic Daughters

If you would like to join the Catholic Daughters, please call the office. The next meeting is July 10

### Farewell to the Sisters!

On Sunday, June 25th after the 9am Mass we will have a farewell reception in the parish hall for Sr. Mary Magdalen and Sr. Mary Peter. They will be departing for St. Leo the Great parish in Lafayette to move into the convent there and begin the next phase of their ministry. We wish them the best in this new chapter and are deeply grateful for all they've done for our community.

Please make plans to attend this reception to express your gratitude and encouragement.

### St. Peter/St. Nicholas

## Fun & Faith CAMP with the Sisters

June 26th to June 30th

8 am to noon

Grades 3-6

St Nicholas Church, Lydia



Register by June 20th

email: [funfaithcamp@gmail.com](mailto:funfaithcamp@gmail.com)

Or call: 337-369-3816/ Or 337-551-8000

**FREE**

## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

MAY THE LORD BLESS YOU  
AND PROTECT YOU,  
MAY THE LORD SMILE ON YOU  
AND BE GRACIOUS TO YOU,  
MAY THE LORD SHOW YOU HIS FAVOR  
AND GIVE YOU HIS PEACE.

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# Outreach & Evangelization

## Food Pantry



This month, the pantry is accepting donations of Rice

## Poor Box

Poor box funds are used primarily to help elderly residents in the Jeanerette area. Thank you for your generosity!



## Summer Evangelization Walks

This summer, we are planning several days to do door-to-door evangelization. While it might seem intimidating, it really isn't as hard as you likely imagine.

We mostly just knock on the door and get to know people. We take prayer intentions and answer questions. It is not the high pressure approach you may have experienced when others have come to your door.

So, please consider pushing out of your comfort zone a little and giving this a try.

# Stewardship: *Managing God's Gifts to Us*

## If you give WEEKLY to the church

Income Level			Percentage of giving for each income level												
Weekly Income	Monthly Income	Annual Income	1%	2%	3%	4%	5%	6%	7%	8%	9%	10%	12%	15%	
\$200	\$867	\$10,400	\$2	\$4	\$6	\$8	\$10	\$12	\$14	\$16	\$18	\$20	\$24	\$30	
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\$400	\$1,733	\$20,800	\$4	\$8	\$12	\$16	\$20	\$24	\$28	\$32	\$36	\$40	\$48	\$60	
\$500	\$2,167	\$26,000	\$5	\$10	\$15	\$20	\$25	\$30	\$35	\$40	\$45	\$50	\$60	\$75	
\$600	\$2,600	\$31,200	\$6	\$12	\$18	\$24	\$30	\$36	\$42	\$48	\$54	\$60	\$72	\$90	
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\$1,800	\$7,800	\$93,600	\$18	\$36	\$54	\$72	\$90	\$108	\$126	\$144	\$162	\$180	\$216	\$270	
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## Collections: June 10/11

General Collection: \$3705.56

BSA: \$ 562.00

## Second Collections

June 18th - Summer Utilities

June 25th - Insurance Fund

## You can give online!

Visit [stjohnjeanerette.org/online-giving](http://stjohnjeanerette.org/online-giving) to sign up. You can also find information on the website about using an app to give via your smart phone.



## For Sale in Parish Office

Case of Candles—————42.00

Individual Candles—————4.00

Holy Water Bottles—————1.00

Personal Hearing Assistance Device —120.00  
(connects directly to our sound system)

## Job Openings:

Maintenance: part time care of grounds and facilities  
Cantor/Musician: Sat 4pm; Occasional sub for Sun 9am  
Call the office for more information.

