



Saturday Vigil 5:30 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM | 10:30 AM | 5:30 PM

Monday through Friday | 5:30 PM

ST. ROSALIE CHAPEL (Stephensville)
Saturday 4:00 PM

CONFESSION | Prior to all masses

ADORATION | Tuesday | 6 AM - 5 PM

Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary |
Saturday | 4:55 PM

Men's Rosary | Friday | 6:45 AM

Sunday Obligation has been dispensed in the
Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux until August 14!

READING I EXODUS 16:2-4, 12-15

The whole Israelite community grumbled against Moses and Aaron. The Israelites said to them, "Would that we had died at the LORD's hand in the land of Egypt, as we sat by our fleshpots and ate our fill of bread! But you had to lead us into this desert to make the whole community die of famine!" Then the LORD said to Moses, "I will now rain down bread from heaven for you. Each day the people are to go out and gather their daily portion; thus will I test them, to see whether they follow my instructions or not. "I have heard the grumbling of the Israelites. Tell them: In the evening twilight you shall eat flesh, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread, so that you may know that I, the LORD, am your God." In the evening quail came up and covered the camp. In the morning a dew lay all about the camp, and when the dew evaporated, there on the surface of the desert were fine flakes like hoarfrost on the ground. On seeing it, the Israelites asked one another, "What is this?" for they did not know what it was. But Moses told them, "This is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat."

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54**R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.**

What we have heard and know,
and what our fathers have declared to us,
we will declare to the generation to come
the glorious deeds of the LORD and his strength
and the wonders that he wrought.

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

He commanded the skies above
and opened the doors of heaven;
he rained manna upon them for food
and gave them heavenly bread.

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

Man ate the bread of angels,
food he sent them in abundance.
And he brought them to his holy land,
to the mountains his right hand had won.

R. The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

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READING II**EPHESIANS 4:17, 20-24**

Brothers and sisters:

I declare and testify in the Lord that you must no longer live as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their minds; that is not how you learned Christ, assuming that you have heard of him and were taught in him, as truth is in Jesus, that you should put away the old self of your former way of life, corrupted through deceitful desires, and be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new self, created in God's way in righteousness and holiness of truth.

GOSPEL**JOHN 6:24-35**

When the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into boats and came to Capernaum looking for Jesus. And when they found him across the sea they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you get here?" Jesus answered them and said, "*Amen, amen, I say to you, you are looking for me not because you saw signs but because you ate the loaves and were filled. Do not work for food that perishes but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For on him the Father, God, has set his seal.*" So they said to him, "What can we do to accomplish the works of God?" Jesus answered and said to them, "*This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent.*" So they said to him, "What sign can you do, that we may see and believe in you? What can you do? Our ancestors ate manna in the desert, as it is written: He gave them bread from heaven to eat." So Jesus said to them, "*Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.*" So they said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always." Jesus said to them, "*I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst.*"

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSES

Entrance Antiphon

O, come, let us worship God and bow low before the God who made us, for he is the Lord our God.

Penitential Act

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in

accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Offertory Antiphon

The angel of the Lord will encamp around those who fear him, and he will rescue them: Taste and see that the Lord is good.

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Mystery of Faith

A - We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.
B - When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.
C - Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection, you have set us free.

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us (Repeat)
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Communion Antiphon

Behold, I am with you always, even to the end of the age, says the lord.

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EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



YOUTH FORMATION: HCYF

Youth Formation will now be referred to as HCYF which stands for Holy Cross Youth Formation. HCYF will serve as an umbrella for all things "youth" at Holy Cross. Everything from our small groups to Vacation Bible School.

HCYF PARENT NIGHT Grades 1-12

Wednesday | August 25, 2021 | 6:15 PM

For more information on the Holy Cross Youth Formation for the 2021-2022 school year, parents are asked to attend the HCYF Parent Night on August 25 6:15 PM at the Yvonne Anne Adams Life Center. Please bring Sacrament certificates to the meeting!

HCYF KICKS OFF WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8 for all grades!

PLEASE NOTE: Sacrament certificates must be filed in office for your child to attend!

SPARK Grades 1-6

Wednesdays | 5:30-6:30 PM

"Lower level" youth formation will now be referred to as "SPARK" Nights.

The name comes from the image of the Holy Spirit as tongues of fire. At their young age, we hope to spark the flames of faith in their hearts. Register using the SPARK Registration Form.



IGNITE Grades 7-12

Wednesdays | 7:00-8:30 PM

"Upper level" youth formation will be renamed "IGNITE" Nights. The name comes again from the image of the Holy Spirit as tongues of fire. The hope is that what once was a spark would catch fire and become a larger flame of faith as they grow older. Register using the IGNITE Registration Form.



HCYF REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

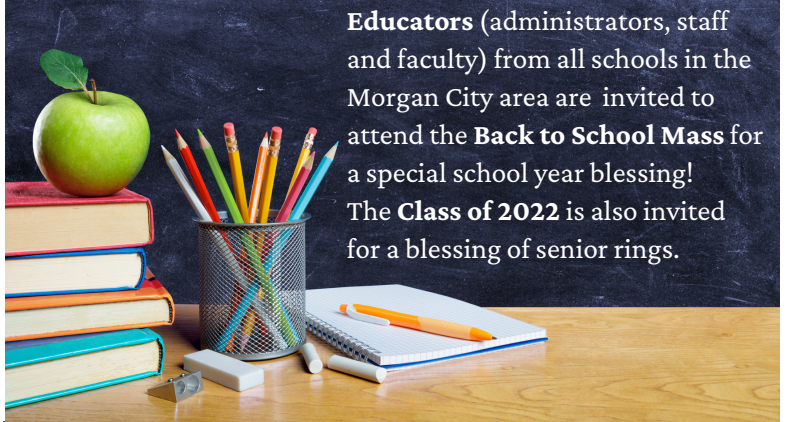
To register, fill out all sections of the form. A separate form must be filled out for each student, whether the student attends public or private school. You will need dates and places for Baptism and First Communion (if applicable) to complete the form. THERE ARE SEPARATE FORMS for SPARK (Grades 1-6) and IGNITE (Grades 7-12). Be sure to use the correct form.

**TO REGISTER:
SCAN THE QR
CODE TO GO TO
OUR WEBSITE**



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BACK TO SCHOOL MASS AUGUST 8 10:30 AM



Educators (administrators, staff and faculty) from all schools in the Morgan City area are invited to attend the **Back to School Mass** for a special school year blessing! The **Class of 2022** is also invited for a blessing of senior rings.

SUNDAY 5:30 PM MASS RESUMES AUGUST 1

On Sunday, August 1st, the Sunday evening mass at 5:30 PM returns. We are in need of volunteers for this mass. If you plan to return to the Sunday evening mass and would like to serve your parish, please call or email the parish office.

PARISH NEWS

NEW DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Beginning Monday, August 2nd, Holy Cross will celebrate daily masses Monday through Friday at 5:30 PM. Adoration will continue on Tuesdays from 6 AM - 5 PM. Is God is calling you to spend more time with Him during the week! There are now more opportunities to spend in His presence.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion will be reinstated at Masses in August.



Ava Mae Navarro
daughter of
Cameron & Kristen Navarro

Gray Andrew Verrett
son of
Drake & Symone Verrett

By God's gift,
through water and the Holy Spirit,
we are reborn to everlasting life.

The Real Presence

“The Body of Christ.” “The Blood of Christ.” We hear these words murmured gently to us as we approach the altar to receive Communion. But do we know what we receive? This is Christ: Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. On the altar, the priest spoke in persona Christi capitis, in the person of Christ the head, as he said “Take this, all of you and eat...Take this, all of you, and drink from it...This is my Body...This is my Blood...”. He held this transubstantiated bread and wine aloft, and it was no longer bread and wine. The power of the Holy Spirit, working through the hands of the priest, has changed what before was mere matter into God Himself. This is no mere symbol; this is the greatest sign and reality of our Lord. This truly is Christ. There are few words that can encompass the enormity of this truth. Perhaps that is why our lowly, human response is simply “Amen...I believe.”

REFLECTION

- DO I KNOW THE ONE WHOM I RECEIVE?
- DO I CHERISH THE PRECIOUS BODY, SAVOR THE PRECIOUS BLOOD?
- DO I TRULY BELIEVE THAT WHAT IS BEING GIVEN TO ME IS JESUS CHRIST, SO SMALL AND HUMBLE, SEEKING THE DEEPEST POSSIBLE INTIMACY IN MY HEART?
- WHEN I RECEIVE THE EUCHARIST, MAY MY HEART FOREVER SAY “MY LORD AND MY GOD!”



“The mode of Christ’s presence under the Eucharistic species is unique. It raises the Eucharist above all the sacraments as ‘the perfection of the spiritual life and the end to which all the sacraments tend.’ In the most blessed sacrament of the Eucharist “the body and blood, together with the soul and divinity, of our Lord Jesus Christ and, therefore, the whole Christ is truly, really, and substantially contained.” “This presence is called ‘real’ - by which is not intended to exclude the other types of presence as if they could not be ‘real’ too, but because it is presence in the fullest sense: that is to say, it is a substantial presence by which Christ, God and man, makes himself wholly and entirely present.”

-Catechism of the Catholic Church, §1374



In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ
I will begin this day.
I thank you, Lord, for having
preserved me during the night.
I will do my best to make all I do today
pleasing to You and
in accordance with Your will.
My dear mother Mary,
watch over me this day.
My Guardian Angel, take care of me.
St. Joseph and all you saints of God,
pray for me.
Amen

Morning Prayer

come | worship | belong

Calendar of Events



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PARISH REGISTRATION



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

TO THE PRIESTHOOD & CONSECRATED LIFE

Good and gracious God,

You call all your children
to a life of holiness
and to faithfully follow you.

You continue to provide
for the needs of the faithful
by calling men and women by name
to lead your Church.

Bless our parish, Holy Cross,
and the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux
by raising up dedicated and
generous leaders
from our families and friends
who will serve your people
as priests and in consecrated life.

Inspire us to know you better
and to hear your call.

We ask all of this through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
Amen.

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Form on our website.
Matrimony: Complete the Marriage
Registration Form on our website 10-12
months prior to marriage.



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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JULY 31

George Williams Family, M/M Curtis Verret, Jason Hotard, Joe Young, Paul & Marie Vella, Beverly Vella, Louis J. "Billy" & Pat Adams Family living & deceased, Patience LaFleur Bryant, Rowena LaFleur, Michael S. LaFleur, Rudy Mendoza, Christina Myers
St. Rosalie: Jerry Acosta, Sr., Brandon J. Terry

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1

Donald & Leona Smith, Smith & Wilma Alpha, Hal Thomas, Max Griffin, Gracie Andrews, Richard Baudoin, Marie Nguyen, Marie Thi, Dominico Hien, Dominico Nguyen, Justin Trimm, Jude Hebert, Ronnie Trimm, Christina Myers, Helen Stephens, Carolyn Barbier, Roland Falgout, Sr., R. L. & Edith LeBlanc, Barbara Greer, Roland J. Barras,

MONDAY, AUGUST 2

Boudreaux & Sewart Families, Ridley Blanchard, Stephanie Fremin, Christina Myers, Alcee & Rita Barras, Brenda Beam

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3

Holy Cross Parish, Norman H. Breaux, Sr. Family living and deceased, Governale & Resignola Families, Norman Adams, Elma Braus & Family, Beverly Vella, Christina Myers

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4

Marie Nguyen, Marie Thi, Dominico Hien, Dominico Nguyen, Catherine Brown, Edgar Barousse

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5

Howard "Mac" Stearsn

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Ashlee Jimenez, Jerry Acosta Jr., Gwen Trahan, Ronald & Debbie Leonard, Gary Vining, Jane Webster, Lucy Lacasse, Carol Bergeron, Herverd Martin, Rella Fontenot, Andrea Turner, Ferris and Margaret Romaine, Bobby Acosta, Ellen Ruiz, Gunnar Tisdale, Pearl Haase, Alanna Sloane, Myrl Barrouse, Earline Suire, Marjorie Barras, Judy Solar, Lee Anne LeBlanc, Frances Gilmore, Brian Melancon, Louis Tamporella, Jr., Hope Johnson, Ethan Marcel, Darla Marcel, Vera Judycki, Jo Ann Price, Jimmy Bailey, Jr., Russell Vicknair, Maxine Hebert, Tammy Richard, Mary Marceaux, Patrick Beadle, Elliot Prejean, Ronald Berry, and everyone affected by Covid-19.

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE (985-384-3551) OR REPLY TO THE WEEKLY EMAIL TO PLACE SOMEONE ON THE SICK LIST.

MASS VOLUNTEERS

WEEKEND OF: JULY 31 - AUGUST 1

SATURDAY 5:30 PM

Reader: Melina Michel
Greeter-Bulletins: Melina Michel
Usher: Melina Michel

SUNDAY 8:00 AM

Reader: Sophia Saleme
Greeter-Bulletins: Sophia Saleme
Usher: Thaddeus Marcell

SUNDAY 10:30 AM

Reader: Stacey Landry
Greeter-Bulletins: Shelly Morell
Usher: Randy Aulds

WEEKEND OF: AUGUST 7 & 8

SATURDAY 5:30PM Reader: Camille Izaquirre

Bulletins: Camile Izaquirre
Lead Usher: James Hale
Eucharistic Ministers: James Hale, Camille Izaquirre

SUNDAY 8:00 AM Reader: Tony Saleme

Bulletins: Ray Prestenbach
Lead Usher: Thaddeus Marcell
Eucharistic Ministers: Dan and Denise Smith

SUNDAY 10:30 AM Reader: Claire Guarisco

Bulletins: Mary Shannon
Lead Usher: David Irwin
Eucharistic Ministers: Shelley and Steve Morell

SUNDAY 5:30 PM Reader: Kellye Jo Patterson

Bulletins: Kellye Jo Patterson
Lead Usher: John Dubois
Eucharistic Ministers: John and Tessie Dubois

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