



MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Obligation has been dispensed in the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux until further notice.

Saturday Vigil 5:30 PM | in church | live-streamed | In-car mass and communion for at risk parishioners

Sunday 8:00 AM | in church

Sunday 10:30 AM | in church | live-streamed | In-car mass and communion for at risk parishioners

Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | 5:30 PM | in church

*Confession: In St. Jude Chapel prior to all masses

ADORATION | Tuesday 6:00 AM - 5:00 PM in church

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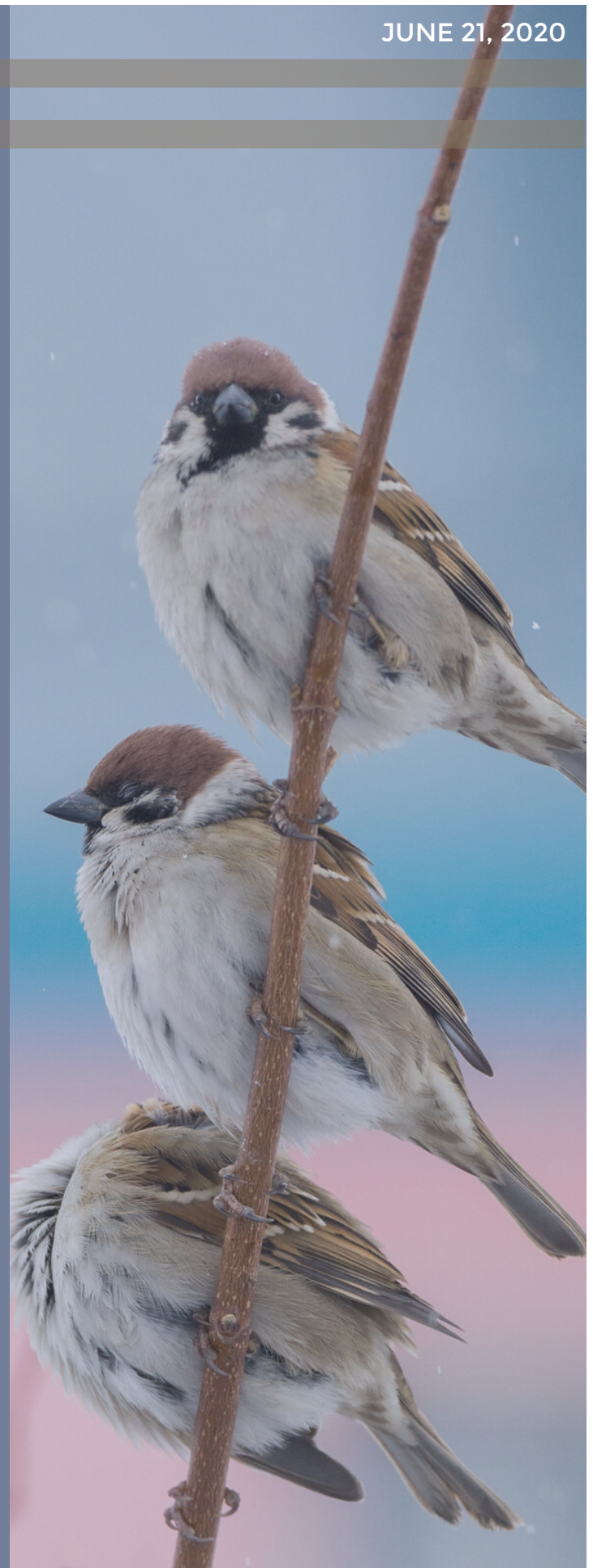
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TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

READING 1

JEREMIAH 20:10-13

Jeremiah said: "I hear the whisperings of many: 'Terror on every side! Denounce! let us denounce him!' All those who were my friends are on the watch for any misstep of mine. 'Perhaps he will be trapped; then we can prevail, and take our vengeance on him.' But the LORD is with me, like a mighty champion: my persecutors will stumble, they will not triumph. In their failure they will be put to utter shame, to lasting, unforgettable confusion. O LORD of hosts, you who test the just, who probe mind and heart, let me witness the vengeance you take on them, for to you I have entrusted my cause. Sing to the LORD, praise the LORD, for he has rescued the life of the poor from the power of the wicked!"

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35

R. Lord, in your great love, answer me.

For your sake I bear insult, and shame covers my face. I have become an outcast to my brothers, a stranger to my children, Because zeal for your house consumes me, and the insults of those who blaspheme you fall upon me.

R. Lord, in your great love, answer me.

I pray to you, O LORD, for the time of your favor, O God! In your great kindness answer me with your constant help. Answer me, O LORD, for bounteous is your kindness; in your great mercy turn toward me.

R. Lord, in your great love, answer me.

"See, you lowly ones, and be glad; you who seek God, may your hearts revive! For the LORD hears the poor, and his own who are in bonds he spurns not. Let the heavens and the earth praise him, the seas and whatever moves in them!"

R. Lord, in your great love, answer me.

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ANTIPHONS in Ordinary Time

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

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.

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

READING 2

ROMANS 5:12-15

Brothers and sisters: Through one man sin entered the world, and through sin, death, and thus death came to all men, inasmuch as all sinned—for up to the time of the law, sin was in the world, though sin is not accounted when there is no law. But death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over those who did not sin after the pattern of the trespass of Adam, who is the type of the one who was to come. But the gift is not like the transgression. For if by the transgression of the one the many died, how much more did the grace of God and the gracious gift of the one man Jesus Christ overflow for the many.

ALLELUIA

JOHN 15:26B, 27A

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

The Spirit of truth will testify to me, says the Lord; and you also will testify.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 10:26-33

Jesus said to the Twelve: "Fear no one. Nothing is concealed that will not be revealed, nor secret that will not be known. What I say to you in the darkness, speak in the light; what you hear whispered, proclaim on the housetops. And do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna. Are not two sparrows sold for a small coin? Yet not one of them falls to the ground without your Father's knowledge. Even all the hairs of your head are counted. So do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows. Everyone who acknowledges me before others I will acknowledge before my heavenly Father. But whoever denies me before others, I will deny before my heavenly Father."



WEAR A MASK



SOCIAL DISTANCING



NO PHYSICAL CONTACT

- Hand sanitizer is available. You may also bring your own sanitizers. Please clean your area before and after mass.
- Please receive Communion on your hand, holding it out flatly so that the priest can distribute without contact.
- There will be no offertory procession. Place your offerings in the designated baskets as you arrive or depart Mass. As always, you may set up recurring payments on our website holycrossmc.org or use PayPal or Venmo @holycrossmc to support the church.
- We respectfully ask that there be no congregating after Mass. Please depart immediately after Mass is concluded.

| The Mass: Liturgy of the Word |

Our meditations on the Mass continue with immersing ourselves into the Liturgy of the Word. We are invited by God into a presentation of his wonderful works on our behalf. The word of God is how we learn of how utterly dependant we are on him, and how deeply his love for us flows, spanning the centuries and millennia of our earthly lives. The culmination of such a love exists in the Word made Flesh, Christ Jesus, who died and rose to smash the chains of sin and eternal death, and to open the gates of heaven to his beloved Bride. We hear then not a dead word, but the plan of salvation from its very genesis. We see, weaving through the tapestry of the Scriptures, hints and glimmers of he who is to come, and glimpses of the heavenly realities toward which we move as Christians. The Magisterium, in her wisdom, shows such connections with her reading choices: the Old Testament reading, showing forth the necessity of the Old Covenant with Israel, is always paired with a Gospel reading that particularly emphasizes how the Old Covenant is fulfilled and transformed by Christ in the New Covenant (with rare exception). The Epistle stands as instruction for the Church as she navigates this world and strives for heaven. And every word of it, proclaimed aloud, gives us the opportunity to be immersed in Christ who is the Word of God. The Church proclaims Christ in every way, that the Word might become flesh time and again during our celebration of these mysteries.

REFLECTION

- **Where is my mind and my heart during the readings? Do I follow along, either reading or listening attentively?**
- **Do I read the Sunday readings before I go to Mass? This week, try to read the Sunday readings early, and prepare your mind to focus on them during Mass. What do you hear?**
- **What revelations of Christ do you pick up on from the Old Testament to the New?**

“Before the Savior becomes present on the altar at the Consecration as a mystical victim, he speaks to us words of eternal life, first by His prophets and apostles, then by Himself. The Epistle and Gospel come before the sacrificial action. In this arrangement is revealed the connection between the teaching of truth and the mystery of the altar, between the word of God and the divine eternal Word, who was made flesh and who under the Eucharistic veil is again present and dwells among us.”

-Nicholas Gíhr

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass: Dogmatically, Liturgically, and Aesthetically Explained, Volume 2

Jennifer Ely and Brice Higginbotham, *Liturgia*, (Unpublished).

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SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Performed 3rd Sunday of each month.

Matrimony: Couple must register and make arrangements at least 6 months prior to marriage.

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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JUNE 20

Patience LaFleur Bryant, Michael S. LaFleur, Rowena LaFleur, Harold Smith, George Williams Family, M/M Curtis Verret, Jason Hotard, Zack Turner, Sherry Williams, Joe Young, Lee J. Guarisco, M/M E.J. Lemoine Family living & Deceased, Calvin LeLeux, Huey, Landry, Betty & Merlin Broussard, Jr., Cathy Ballay, Odery Smith, Vivian Romaire, Sostenes Ruiz, III, Alice Guzzetta, Logan Sr., Irene & Gwen Fromenthal, Norbert & Elise Templet
St. Rosalie: Brandon Terry, Howard Thibodaux, Rosemary Cutrera

SUNDAY, JUNE 21

Maria Nguyen Thi Kem, Maria Nguyen Thi Hieu, Dominico Nguyen Van Hien, Dominico Nguyen Van Hien, Phero Nguyen Van Loc, Mike, Jonathan, Rudy & John Percle, Alfred/Percle Families & Judy Aucoin, Donald & Leona Smith, Smith & Wilma Alpha, Hal Thomas, Max Griffin, Gracie Andrews, Murray & Margie St. Romain, Rodney St. Romain, Pat St. Romain, Blume Roy & Thelma Roy Brassette, David Family, Marie & Paul Vella, Sr., Willie & Julie Bradberry, Justin Trimm, Jude Hebert, Ronnie Trimm, A. J. & Hilda Mayon, Joe & Shirley Baker, George & Maizie Chaisson, Carolyn Barbier, Sam Lorenzo, Barbara Greer, Blake James Melancon, Frank & Josephine Resignola, Nolan J. Rhodes, Oswald Verret, Henry Swiber, Jr., Sidney & Ella Michel, Charles Lefeune, Jr.

MONDAY, JUNE 22

Maria Nguyen Thi Kem, Maria Nguyen Thi Hieu, Dominico Nguyen Van Hien, Dominico Nguyen Van Hien, Phero Nguyen Van Loc, Catherine Brown

TUESDAY, JUNE 23

Holy Cross Parish, Norman H. Breaux, Sr. Family living and deceased, Governale & Resignola Families, Al & Shelly Adams, Martha & Wilson Adams, Allie Adams, Jr., Bobbie Rae Lewis, Jerry Fabre, David Robicheaux

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24

Maria Nguyen Thi Kem, Maria Nguyen Thi Hieu, Dominico Nguyen Van Hien, Dominico Nguyen Van Hien, Phero Nguyen Van Loc, Catherine Brown, Carlo Gagliano

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Shonet Vedros, Nelda Comeaux, Antoinette Spinella, Bernie Hunter, Jerry Acosta, Jr., Aline Bertrand, Lois & Lester Fryon, Dot Myers, Calvin Blanco, Irma Blanco, Betty Boudreaux, Todd Watson, Jr., Orelia Degraffenaried, Delannie Howard, Ruby Beadle, Leslie LaBatut, Diana Greenwood, Roger Liner, Ray LaHoste, Ethan Marcel, Richey Garrett, Becky Gaudin, Steve Johnson, Jay Morell, Evelyn B. Willis, Caroline Noble, Michael McAdams, Sr., Lawrence Pennison, Edward Cedotal, Chantel Cortez, Rick Cuvillier, Betty Guidry, Red Cuvillier, Jessica Guidry, Emmett Matassa, Yvonne Verret, Bill Darce, Nikki Fromenthal, John Thompson, Evelyn B. Willis, Gerald Barbier, and anyone affected by Covid-19 virus

PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

SYLVIA JETT

JERREL FREDERICK

MAY THEY AND ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED
ATTAIN TO THE DELIGHTS OF HEAVEN!

PARISH NEWS

Happy Father's Day!

“His father caught sight of him, and was filled with compassion. He ran to his son, embraced him and kissed him.” - Luke 15:20

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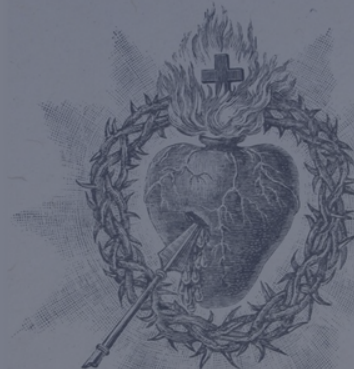


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Our Bereavement Committee is in need of volunteers:

- to lead the rosary at funerals
- to prepare or purchase food for bereaved families
- to help sanitize the church before and after funerals

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*Jesus meek and humble of heart
make my heart like unto THINE*

June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus in both veneration and gratitude for His merciful heart and His redeeming love for all. The Feast Day takes place annually 19 days after Pentecost: Friday, June 19, 2020.

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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.

Preface Dialogue

Priest: The Lord be with you.
 People: **And with your spirit.**
 Priest: Lift up your hearts.
 People: We lift them up to the Lord.
 Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
 People: **It is right and just.**

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.

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**PRAYER FOR
 VOCATIONS**
TO THE PRIESTHOOD & CONSECRATED LIFE

God 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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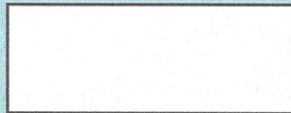
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