

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 10, 2021



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:30 PM

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

Monday through Friday | 5:30 PM

CONFESSION | Prior to all masses

ADORATION | Tuesday 6 AM - 5 PM

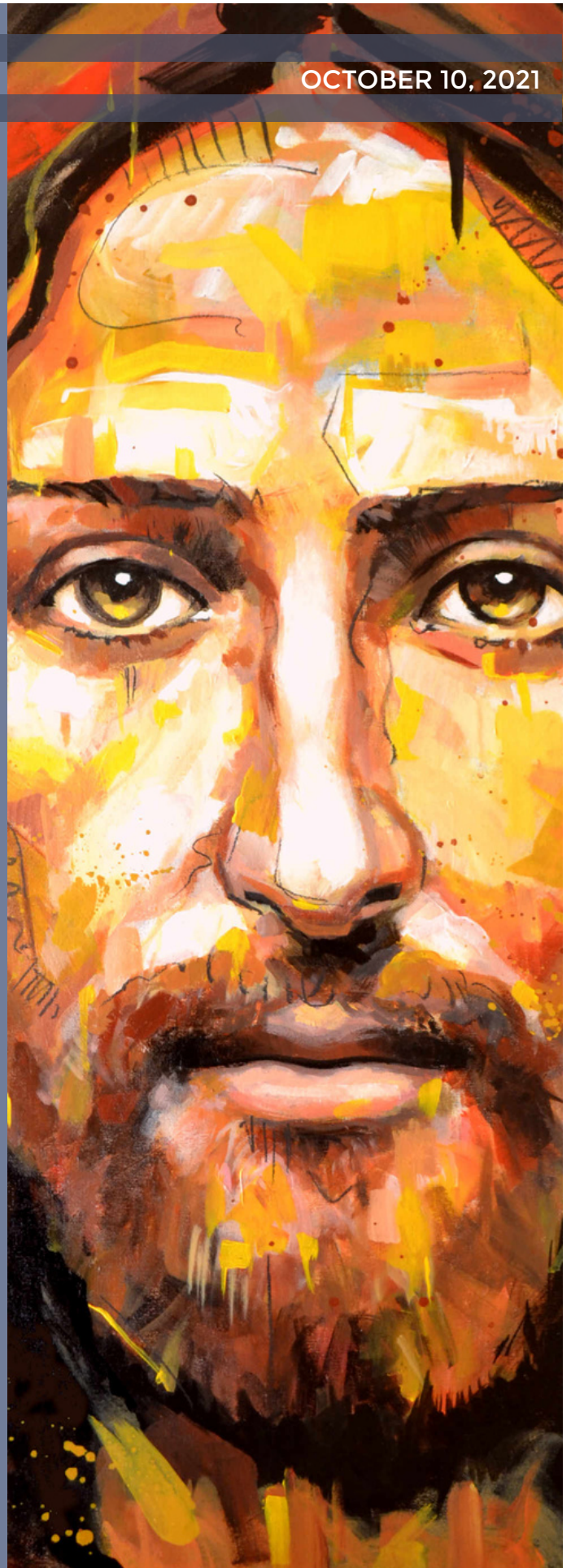
ST. ROSALIE CHAPEL (Stephensville)

Saturday 4:00 PM

Confession prior to mass.

Divine Mercy & Rosary | Saturday | 4:55 PM

Men's Rosary | Friday | 6:45 AM



READING I

WISDOM 7:7-11

I prayed, and prudence was given me; I pleaded, and the spirit of wisdom came to me. I preferred her to scepter and throne, and deemed riches nothing in comparison with her, nor did I liken any priceless gem to her; because all gold, in view of her, is a little sand, and before her, silver is to be accounted mire. Beyond health and comeliness I loved her, and I chose to have her rather than the light, because the splendor of her never yields to sleep. Yet all good things together came to me in her company, and countless riches at her hands.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17

R. Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

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

Return, O LORD! How long?

Have pity on your servants!

R. Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Fill us at daybreak with your kindness,
that we may shout for joy and gladness all our days. Make us glad, for the days when you afflicted us, for the years when we saw evil.

R. Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Let your work be seen by your servants
and your glory by their children;
and may the gracious care of the LORD our God be ours; prosper the work of our hands for us!

Prosper the work of our hands!

R. Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

READING II HEBREWS 4:12-13

Brothers and sisters:

Indeed the word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edged sword, penetrating even between soul and spirit, joints and marrow, and able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart. No creature is concealed from him, but everything is naked and exposed to the eyes of him to whom we must render an account.

GOSPEL

MARK 10:17-30

As Jesus was setting out on a journey, a man ran up, knelt down before him, and asked him, "Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?"

Jesus answered him,

"Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: You shall not kill; you shall not commit adultery; you shall not steal; you shall not bear false witness; you shall not defraud; honor your father and your mother."

He replied and said to him,

"Teacher, all of these I have observed from my youth." Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said to him, *"You are lacking in one thing. Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me."*

At that statement his face fell,

and he went away sad, for he had many possessions.

Jesus looked around and said to his disciples,

"How hard it is for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!"

The disciples were amazed at his words.

So Jesus again said to them in reply,

"Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for one who is rich to enter the kingdom of God."

They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?"

Jesus looked at them and said,

"For human beings it is impossible, but not for God."

All things are possible for God."

Peter began to say to him,

"We have given up everything and followed you."

Jesus said,

"Amen, I say to you, there is no one who has given up house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or lands for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not receive a hundred times more now in this present age: houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions, and eternal life in the age to come."

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSES

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.

Invitation to Prayer

May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.

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.

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.

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RESPECT LIFE MONTH

As Catholics, we are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning of life to its end, and at every point in between. During October, the Church in the United States celebrates Respect Life Month, a time in which we're invited to reflect more deeply on the dignity of every human life.

St. Mary's Nativity Church

3500 Highway 1
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985-537-3204

Date: September 28, 2021

Rev. Mike Tran
2100 Cedar St. Unit 3
Morgan City, LA. 70380

My dear sisters and brothers in Christ,

We the church family of St. Mary's Nativity would like to share our deep appreciation and gratitude for your kindness and generosity during our time of need following Hurricane Ida. Raceland and the other local communities greatly benefited from the supplies and are able to continue the process of recovering after the storm.

Your presence was a God send to us spiritually, emotionally and physically because we were exhausted. Your presence gave us the "up-lift" that we needed; it was putting our faith into action. It really was what Pope Francis has called us to do: "shepherds living with the smell of the sheep." Thank you for being our shepherd, caring for and protecting us in our time of need.

Humbly grateful with a heart full of joy.

Fr. Clyde Mahler, Pastor
St. Mary's Nativity Catholic Church
Raceland, LA. Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux

In response to the *Charter for the Protection of Children & Young People* from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux has made the following provision for anyone who has been hurt or sexually abused by anyone who works for the church. The Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux has set up an Outreach Line for all victims/survivors of sexual abuse.

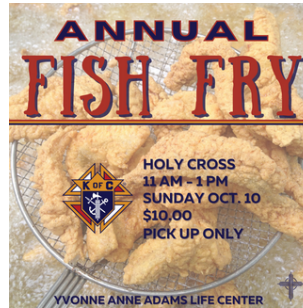
In continuing our commitment to support and healing, we invite and encourage people who have been hurt or sexually abused recently or in the past by clergy, religious, or other employees of the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux to call our outreach line. The Outreach Line operates from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM Monday through Friday. A trained mental health professional responds to the line.

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CHARTER FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE



PARISH NEWS



KC FISH FRY SUNDAY OCT 10!
Meal: fried fish, white beans, cole slaw, and bread.
\$10.00 Donation.
Take out only, drive up in front of Life Center.

HOLY ROSARY

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17 2 PM



BRING A CHAIR AND YOUR ROSARY AND PRAY WITH US!

Mary's Garden

come | worship | belong

As we move forward into a new phase of Hurricane Ida disaster recovery, we find ourselves in need of specialized volunteer help.

DO YOU HAVE EXPERIENCE WITH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

- Military operations or other private logistical operations
- Medical experience as a doctor or nurse
- Architecture or contracting experience
- Logistics and delivery experience
- Culinary or food service experience
- Carpentry, plumbing, or roofing experience
- Legal experience
- Insurance or adjusting expertise
- History in working with FEMA
- Social work or case management experience

If so, we would like to ask your assistance in coordination and/or consulting as we work to rebuild the people of our Diocese.

To sign up, fill out the online form at catholiccharitiesht.org/idahelp

If you have specific questions or want more information, contact **Lee Shaffer at 985-850-3169**



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Sacramentality: People Part II: The Body

The way we feel about the human body has always seemed to be in a tug-of-war: some believe the body to be a useless shell waiting to be shed; some see it as a vehicle of work and no more; some see it as an object of lust, or even sometimes as the most important part of the human person. The body is for us many things, and is in-and-of itself important sacramentally, and important for our salvation: for it is by our bodies that we are able to give thanks and praise to God. God created man and woman as physical beings, and we know that God does not do anything without purpose. Our bodies, and the senses that come with our bodies, help us to experience the world God created for us: we see the beauty of a sunrise, we smell freshly baked bread, we touch the soft fabric of our own clothing. And since we are such physical beings, we worship with our bodies in a way no other creature can. We stand to show honor to God; we kneel to show our humility; we sing to praise him, and we taste his Body and his Blood in Holy Communion. Our bodies are significant to our worship, and also signs which point to sacred realities: "Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you...for the temple of God, which you are, is holy" (1 Corinthians 3:16,17).



"The human body includes right from the beginning...the capacity of expressing love, that love in which the person becomes a gift - and by means of this gift - fulfills the meaning of his being and existence."

-Saint John Paul II,

Theology of the Body Talks,
January 16, 1980

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

Reflection

- **How do I use my body to praise the Lord?**
- **Am I respecting the gift of my body, or am I mistreating it with drugs, alcohol, or other destructive habits?**
- **This week at Mass, can I use the gift of my body to its fullest potential, being respectful and modest with my own body and towards the bodies and minds of others?**

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CALENDAR

(Check public calendar on website for updates.)

SUN | OCTOBER 10

- 8 AM Mass - FMT
- 10:30 AM Mass - FMT
- KC FISH FRY 11 AM - 1 PM
- 5:30 PM Mass - FMT

MON | OCTOBER 11

- 5:30 PM Daily Mass - FMT

TUES | OCTOBER 12

- 6AM-5PM Adoration
- 9:10 AM CCHS Mass - FMT
- 5:30 PM Daily Mass - FMT

WED | OCTOBER 13

- Flocknote Weekly Email
- 8:00 AM CCES Mass - FBL
- 5:30 PM Daily Mass - FBL
- 5:30 Spark Grades 1-3
- 7:00 PM Ignite Grade 11

THURS | OCTOBER 14

- 5:30 PM Daily Mass - FMT

FRI | OCTOBER 15

- 6:45 AM Men's Rosary
- 5:30 PM Daily Mass - FBL

SAT | OCTOBER 16

- 4 PM St. Rosalie Mass - FMT
- 4:55 PM Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 5:30 PM Vigil Mass - FMT

SUN | OCTOBER 17

- 8 AM Mass - FBL
- 10:30 AM Mass - FBL
- 2:00 PM Rosary in Mary's Garden - All are welcome!
- 5:30 PM Mass - FBL

CENTRAL CATHOLIC FALL FEST

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23RD
10AM-2PM



OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY!

Food, Fun, Games and much more!

\$10 Bracelet for school-age children 3 and older



*Angel of God,
my guardian dear,
To whom God's
love commits me
here,
Ever this day,
be at my side,
To light and guard,
Rule and guide.
Amen.*



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.

Calendar of Events



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PARISH REGISTRATION



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9

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, Verlie Loupe, Ferris Romaine, Peter & Antoinette Spinella, Susie Spinella Holloway, Huey Landry, Ward Mensman, Sr. St. Rosalie: Jerry Acosta, Sr., Brandon J. Terry

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10

Donald & Leona Smith, Smith & Wilma Alpha, Hal Thomas, Max Griffin, Gracie Andrews, Richard Baudoin, Marie Nguyen, Marie Thi, Dominico Hien, Dominico Nguyen, Christina Myers, , Carolyn Barbier, Verlie Loupe, Nicholas LaRocca, Roland J. Barras, Barbara Greer, R. L. & Edith LeBlanc, Catherine Brown

MONDAY, OCTOBER 11

Gert Maraist, David Price, Malisa Mayon, Ted Hess

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12

Holy Cross Parish, Norman H. Breaux, Sr. Family living and deceased, Governale & Resignola Families, Grant Dozar Family, Terry Romaine, Luella Smith, Cathy Ballay

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13

Marie Nguyen, Marie Thi, Dominico Hien, Dominico Nguyen, Bonita Cabell, Catherine Brown

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14

Holy Cross Parish

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15

E. J. Pacetti

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, Margaret Romaine, Bobby Acosta, 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, Deanna Sampey, Russell Vicknair, Ruby Beadle, Doris Chaisson, Elvira Theresa Soto Contreras, Jackie Hebert, Darlene Broussard, Chad Comeaux, Shelly Johnson, Claude Siegen, Lois & Lester Fryou, Christi Comeaux, Susan Aucoin, 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: OCTOBER 9 & 10

SATURDAY 5:30PM Reader: Andrea Ziegenbusch

Bulletins: Jolene Holt

Lead Usher: Paul Vella

Eucharistic Ministers: Andrea Ziegenbusch, Paul Vella

SUNDAY 8:00 AM Reader: Kendra Thomas

Bulletins: Jennifer Young

Lead Usher: Jay Prestenbach

Eucharistic Ministers: Rosie Brown, Lea Hebert

SUNDAY 10:30 AM Reader: Carrie Stansbury

Bulletins: Lynette Aulds

Lead Usher: Randy Aulds

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Alice Fuhrer, Melina Michel

SUNDAY 5:30 PM Reader: Catherine Nini

Bulletins: Catherine Nini

Lead Usher: Mark Nini

Eucharistic Ministers: Catherine and Mark Nini

WEEKEND OF: OCTOBER 16 & 17

SATURDAY 5:30PM Reader: Lori Jo Case

Bulletins: Selena Shannon

Lead Usher: Casey Shannon

Eucharistic Ministers: Linda Arceneaux, Paul Vella

SUNDAY 8:00 AM Reader: Marie Minton

Bulletins: Marie Minton

Lead Usher: Ray Prestenbach

Eucharistic Ministers: Dee Hymel and Denise Smith

SUNDAY 10:30 AM Reader: Chelle Saleme

Bulletins: Shelley Morell

Lead Usher: David Irwin

Eucharistic Ministers: David and Heather Irwin

SUNDAY 5:30 PM Reader: Kellye Jo Patterson

Bulletins: Kellye Jo Patterson

Lead Usher: John Dubois

Eucharistic Ministers: John and Tessie Dubois

WEEKLY COLLECTION

OCTOBER 2-3

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