

Nativity of Our Lady Catholic Church

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MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am

Weekdays:

5:30 pm (Tuesday and Thursday)

9:00 am (Wednesday) 6:30 am (Friday)

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday: 9:00 am — 5:00 pm

Tuesday: 9:00 am — 5:00 pm

Wednesday: 9:30 am — 5:00 pm

Thursday: 9:00 am — 5:00 pm

Friday: 9:00 am — 12:00 pm

(Closed daily from 12:00 pm — 1:00 pm for Lunch)

PASTOR:

Rev. Msgr. J. Robert Romero

SACRAMENTAL MINISTER:

Fr. Ed Degeyer

DEACON:

Deacon Stephen VanCleve

BOOKKEEPER:

Linda L. Viator

SECRETARY:

Polly Camacho

DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Brenda Romero – 365-3759

PASTORAL COUNCIL

PRESIDENT: *Barbara Breaux*

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 3:00 pm — 3:45 pm and
30 minutes before weekday Masses

ROSARY:

Wednesday: 8:20 am (*Pro-Life*)

Thursday: 5:00 pm

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

DO NOT
REJOICE
BECAUSE THE
SPIRITS ARE
SUBJECT
TO YOU,
BUT REJOICE
BECAUSE
YOUR NAMES
ARE WRITTEN
IN HEAVEN.

LUKE 10:20

July 7, 2019



**Msgr. J. Robert Romero Pastor of
Nativity of Our Lady, New Iberia**

To my surprise Bishop Deshotel asked me to be the Pastor of Nativity of Our Lady in New Iberia. Bishop Deshotel has made the appointment effective July 1, 2019. I regret I am not going to be on site until July 12th, in time for the weekend of July 13 and 14, 2019. I had vacation-planned beginning on June 25, 2019. I am grateful to Father Gene Tremie and Father Ed Degeyter, helping with masses and confessions in my absence.

A little about myself: I am a native of Abbeville, Louisiana. I am the eldest of six children. I have four brothers and one sister. I have nieces and nephews. I am 44 years a priest. I have served in Church Point, New Iberia, Loreauville, Cow Island with missions, Ville Platte, Opelousas, Eunice, and Duralde. I have also served as Episcopal Vicar of the North Region, Diocese of Lafayette. [Now we have Deaneries.] I am glad to return to New Iberia, as I served at St. Edward Parish as Parochial Vicar in the late seventies and early eighties. Nativity is the tenth parish I am assigned. In Ville Platte I was pastor of 2 parishes. While in Eunice, I was also pastor of the Parish in Duralde.

While the move to return to New Iberia is unexpected, I look forward to meeting parishioners. I look forward to being with you.

Rev. Msgr. J. Robert Romero

**“TRUE PRAYER
IS MEASURED BY WEIGHT,
NOT BY LENGTH.”**

REFLECTIONS – Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - The disciples spent a lot of time with Jesus but they were also sent out to share what they had learned with others. Our prayer and study is not just for our own edification. The fruits of what we have learned come only when we share ourselves with others. Some will accept the message we bring and some will not. The important thing for us is to spread the message wherever and whenever we can. How have you tried to spread the message? If you feel unsure about how to do this, take it to the Lord in prayer and ask for guidance.

*“Make joyful noise to God,
all the earth; sing the glory of his name!” - Psalm 68:1
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**COMING
IN JULY!**

Nativity of Our Lady
Vacation Bible Camp
July 15-19, 2019

Nativity of Our Lady Invites Children to Roar
VBS: Life is wild, God is good.

A summer kids' event called Roar VBS will be hosted at **Barsen Hall** from **Monday, July 15 to Friday, July 19**.

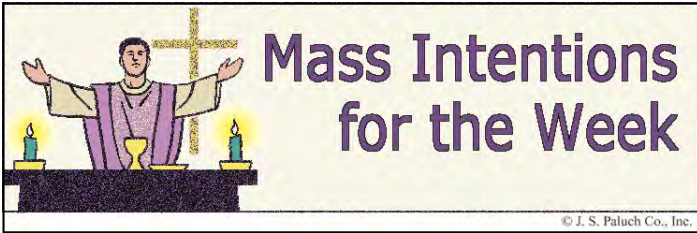
Registration closes on July 8th. For your child to get a T-shirt, they need to be register by that date at 4pm.

Roar is for kids from Pre-K to 6th Grade and will run from 9am to 12:30pm each day. For more information, call Brenda Romero at 365-3759. You can register online at www.vbspro.events/p/a98682

ATTENTION: Please wear these colors on each particular day for our Vacation Bible Camp:

Monday, wear Red
Tuesday, wear Blue
Wednesday, wear Green
Thursday, wear Yellow
And on Friday we will wear our VBS shirt that will be given to you on Thursday.

Did you experience damage following this month's tornadoes and flooding in Acadiana? Catholic Charities of Acadiana wants to help. CCA is currently working to identify those who were affected by the recent storms in order to provide rebuilding assistance. Please call CCA at 337-235-4972 to report your damage and to find out how we can help you.



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Tuesday, July 9, 2019

5:30pm Quang V. Nguyen, Anna Robicheaux (bd)
Michael J. Landry (liv)(bd)

Wednesday, July 10, 2019

9:00am Robert Halphen, Sr., Dr. Roy Landry
Mrs. Doris T. Collins, Quang V. Nguyen

Thursday, July 11, 2019

5:30pm Quang V. Nguyen
Gwendolyn S. Gaspard (bd)

Friday, July 12, 2019

6:30am Dr. Roy Landry (bd), Jennifer Eldridge
In Reparation to the Holy Face of Jesus
and in Honor of Our Lady of Mount
Carmel & St. Joseph

Saturday, July 13, 2019

4:00pm Harvey & Joyce DeCourt, Patrick O'Brien
Mrs. Doris T. Collins, Amelia Segura Selph
Marilyn & Joey Landry, Jan & Lee Slowik
M/M Maurice Mouton, Winclise Bourque
M/M Leo Paul Landry, Alberta Barras Doré
Lynward "Lynn" Ransonet
M/M Joseph Kibodeaux & Fly
Lloyd & Nina Geoffroy
Cecile & Sandy Vincent
Ransonet & Dressel Fly

Sunday, July 14, 2019

7:00am Parishioners, Mary Livingston Thibodeaux
Marlene T. Broussard, Mona B. Simon
Dr. Merrick Wyble, Jennifer Eldridge
Charles Froisy, Calley Dugas

9:00am Msgr. H. J. Barsen, Quang V. Nguyen
Gerald "Bick" Girouard, Agapito A. Castro
L.J. & Edna Begnaud, Catherine Darcey
M/M Rafael G. Bedia, Norman Nereaux
Arthur & Agnes Romero, Mark Nereaux
Joseph & Amelia Borel, Loretta Trahan

10:30am Fr. A.J. Boumans, Carlyle Hebert, Sr. (bd)
Patti Gagnard, Donna M. Lanza
Ida & Roland Robichaux, Walter Duplantis
M/M Alexson "Frog" Boudreaux
Joseph Viator, A Special Intention

St. Francis Diner is in need of the following items:
Paper towels, dishwashing liquid, laundry detergent,
hand sanitizer. They are also in need of rice.
Monetary donations are accepted and greatly appreciated.

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1201 S. Hopkins St.. Please call to make sure
someone is available to accept your donation at 337-
369-3362

****NOTE: Due to early bulletin deadline,
we will report the Sunday collections
for June 30th
in next weekend's bulletin.
Thank you for your generosity.**

Because our church bulletin is printed out of state, all
Mass intentions and announcements should be submitted
to the office at least two weeks prior to the requested
bulletin date, earlier if it is a holiday season because
we have earlier deadlines. Thank you.

MAN-TO-MAN CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE
On Saturday, August 10, the Man-to-Man Catholic
Men's Conference will be held at Our Lady of Fatima
church in Lafayette. Our day will begin with an
invocation by Bishop Douglas Deshotel and will include
guest speakers Fr. James Brady and Jason Angelette.
Keynote speaker will be Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC, who
will share his riveting conversion journey from Japanese
mafia to Catholic priest. Fr. Bryce Sibley will serve as
master of ceremonies. The event is open to men ages 18
and above, and the cost is \$35 which includes a jambalaya
lunch. Visit <http://www.M2M2019.com> to register and for more
information on this biennial event. 800 men attended
the last conference, and you don't want to miss this one!

**Red Bird Ministries:
Loving Through Loss**

The death of a child is never easy and grief is
experienced differently by everyone. Red Bird
Ministries is a Catholic grief support ministry that
focuses on couples who have experienced the loss of a
child of any age by loving them through their loss.
Core team members of Red Bird Ministries are parents
of loss and know all too well what it is to live through
such a horrific experience. Our goal is to help couples
living this nightmare to not just survive their loss, but
to love them through it by sharing our own experiences
and healings, in hopes of helping them to survive and
thrive in their marriages and in life. Please contact
Kelly Breaux at (337) 223-2019 or at kelly@redbird.love for more information.
Visit our website at www.redbird.love.

SANCTUARY LIGHT:

By:
Our Lady's Altar Society



PRAYER & SICK LIST



The names on our prayer list will stay on for 90 days. If you want to add or delete a name, please call the office

@ 364-8360: Peggy H. Vice, Stephanie Breaux Bradley, Celia Camacho, Faye Guidry, Ryan Ianaux, Sirena Rogers, Holly Hargett, Kolby Smith, Kori Smith, Cheryl Phelps, Hallie Batie, Jean Paul Marceaux, Aysia Rochon, Kain Michael Romero, Janet Blanchard, Brec Hebert, Calli Hebert, Myrtle Oubre, Doris Boutte, London Trahan, Terry Trahan, Carol Hebert, Coleen Woolard, Margie Bushneal, Donald Babin, Heather Newman, Jaquie Gondran, Irene Hebert, Mary & Gilbert Bienek, Deborah McGrew St. Amant, Carmen Merryman, Fran Jackson, Gilbert Jackson, Rachel Landry, Deacon John Sarkies, Robin L. Viator, Theresa Olmsted, Joyce Sikes, Sheryl S. Bourque, Mike & Charlene Olmsted, McKenzie Theriot, Lloyd & Ronnie Landry, Elise C. Verret, Michael & Claire Landry Family, Landon, Kolton & Talan Mancil, Ruby Seneca, Gloria Landry, Kate & Dylan Ortego, Dustin & Nicole V. Ortego, Colin D. Trahan, Carson Viator, Carrol Navarre, Jr., Earline Navarre, Carrol Navarre, Sr., Peggy L. Meyers, Josephine Delcambre, Mazel Meyers, Brent Poirrier, Catherine Landry, Elijah Landry, Colby Russo, Terry Borel, Troy Fotch, Caroline Dubois, Christopher Hebert Family, Tom Greig, Debra Shilow, Jason Goutierrez, Dawn Pelletier, Suzanne Hartwell, Heath Michael Boutte, Brent Buteaux, Gayle Hebert, Danny Segura, Lynette Landry, Karolee Crandall, Randy Breaux, Don & Margie Poche, Abby Musselwhite, Wilsey Poirrier, Ethan Medver, James Boudreaux, Corliss Ramirez, Dean Charpentier, Betty Romero, Michael Broussard, Bobby LaBiche, Alice Robicheaux, Shawn George, Laura George, Sylvia Hopes, Morris Newman, LaCinda Douglas, Cynthia Picard, Anna George, Philip Lancon, Kreed Capritto, Rhonda Darden, Peggy Lancon, Mary Ann Babin, Clifton Babin, Cindy Trahan, Kay Bourreaux, Lynn Bodin, Harriet Fowler, Craig Daniels, Acey & Diana Frugé, Mercedes Turner, Lonnie Lavergne, Cheryl Lavergne, Sherry Darcey, Rita Gary, Kurt Lambalino, Kerry Romero, Kressant Landry, Joy Mayer, Lori Aguilard, Dale Landry, Charles Gautreaux, Jason Walker, Peggy Miguez, Alvin Theriot, Rose Guilbeau, Peter & Bernadine Williams, Mike & Dolores Boutte

Please also pray for those individuals who, although they are in need of your prayers, have requested that their names not be publicized for privacy reasons.

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS

July 8 - 14, 2019



July 8th Rev. James Fallon, SSJ
July 9th Rev. Joel Faulk
July 10th Rev. Kendal Faulk
July 11th Rev. Emmanuel Fernandez
July 12th Rev. Thomas Finley
July 13th Rev. Sam Fontana
July 14th Rev. Brian Garry, SJ

TODAY'S READINGS

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 7, 2019

Reading I: Isaiah 66:10-14c

- The Lord's power shall be known.

Reading II: Galatians 6:14-18

- I boast of nothing but the cross!

Gospel: Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

- I am sending you as lambs.

Theme: We are called to evangelize.

Divorce Recovery Program

The Office of Marriage and Family Life is looking for individuals that are interested in becoming a trained facilitator for the Divorce Recovery program for their parish. Our next scheduled facilitator's training will be held on Saturday, October 19, 2019 from 9:00am-2:00pm. Please visit our website, www.diolaf.org/divorcerecovery to find out more information or call 337-261-5653

Upcoming Cenacle Retreats

July 12-14, 2019

Finding God in the Now! Every Day Experience

Presenter: Rev. Jim Sichko

August 2-4, 2019

Called To Be Holy:

On Being More Loving and Less Boring

Presenter: Rev. Jim Sichko

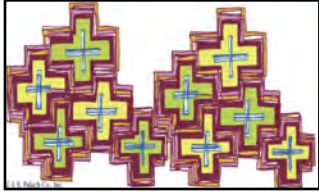
Call Connie Armentor at 337-365-6945 for information about this retreat or information about any other Cenacle retreat.

GOING ON VACATION?

For nationwide Mass times and locations, phone 1-410-676-6000 or visit www.Masstimes.org or download the Mass Times App on your smartphone.

Retrouvaille Weekend

Retrouvaille is a program for troubled marriages. The weekend provides a safe setting; encouraging couples to learn communication in marriage in a respectful manner. Visit the website for more information and to register www.helpourmarriage.com.



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May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ.

— Galatians 6:14

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-4, 14-15ab; Mt 9:18-26
 Tuesday: Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b, 15; Mt 9:32-38
 Wednesday: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Mt 10:1-7
 Thursday: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 10:7-15
 Friday: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mt 10:16-23
 Saturday: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-4, 6-7; Mt 10:24-33
 Sunday: Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37; or 19:8-11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Tuesday: St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions
 Thursday: St. Benedict
 Saturday: St. Henry; Blessed Virgin Mary

MEMORIAL BOOK

The First Sunday of every month the "Memorial Book" is placed in the sanctuary as a reminder that this day we pray for all those who have been enrolled. You can enroll any deceased person by making a donation to Our Lady's Altar Society (minimum \$5.00). Call Virginia Molbert @ 364-0349.

CURRENT EVENTS

Wednesday, July 10, 2019

Pro-Life Rosary - 8:20am with Mass at 9am
 K.C. & K.C. Ladies Auxiliary Supper & Meeting
 6:30pm - Parish Hall

Thursday, July 11, 2019

Nativity 1 Diner Crew
 Baptismal Class - 6:30pm - Church Office

Saturday, July 13, 2019

Baptisms - 11am - Church

Sunday, July 14, 2019

2nd Collection - Bishop's Services Appeal
 Msgr. Romero's Installation - 10:30am Mass
 Jesus is Alive - 4pm - Parish Hall

Men's Homeless Shelter needs personal hygiene items & bath towels. Travelers are encouraged to donate hotel items collected during travels.

Specific Needs: shampoo, razors, soap, deodorants, & toothpaste. Washcloths and towels are greatly needed as well, they need to be new. Drop donations in the brown hamper in the foyer of the church / or at the church rectory

We welcome the following families to our Nativity of Our Lady Parish Family. These are families that have become members from

April through June 2019

Ray Vice Jordan Abney
 Kevin Hayes Randy Landry
 Mark Dupuis

MASS SERVERS July 9 - 14, 2019					
DAY DATE	TIME	CELEBRANT	LECTORS	LAY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS
Tuesday 7/9/19	5:30pm	Fr. Ed Degeyter	Pete Aucoin	Percy Barrilleaux Bea Romero	Sacristan
Wednesday 7/10/19	9:00am	Fr. Ed Degeyter	Claudia Geoffroy	Agnes Castro Percy Barrilleaux	Sacristan
Thursday 7/11/19	5:30pm	Fr. Ed Degeyter	Kimberly Clay	Linda Viator Mary Taylor	Sacristan
Friday 7/12/19	6:30am	Msgr. J. Robert Romero	Chad Courtois	Mike Degeyter Ricky Segura	Sacristan
Saturday 7/13/19	4:00pm	Fr. Ed Degeyter	Samantha Valls	Lionel & Doris Louviere Brenda Robicheaux	<i>See Mailed Schedule</i>
Sunday 7/14/19	7:00am	Fr. Ed Degeyter	Janis Dugas	Phil & Renee Haney Jennifer Reynolds	<i>See Mailed Schedule</i>
	9:00am	Msgr. J. Robert Romero	Nena Suit	Deacon Stephen VanCleve Agnes Castro, Jessica Kibbe	<i>See Mailed Schedule</i>
	10:30am	Msgr. J. Robert Romero	Margo LeBlanc	Deacon Stephen VanCleve Wes & Vicki Pattillo Holli Cambre, Mary Taylor Lloyd Nicholson, Kathy Indest	<i>See Mailed Schedule</i>

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