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Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm
 Sunday...7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am
 Tuesday 6:00 pm
 Wednesday..... 7:00 am
 Thursday..... 7:00 am
 Friday..... 7:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday5:30-5:45 pm
 Saturday3:00-3:30 pm

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 9, 2024

Blameless Not Blamers

If you spend any amount of time around young children, you will quickly realize that they like to pass the blame. What are they trying to accomplish with this behavior? They are trying to get out of trouble, but where do they learn this behavior?

The short answer is from our first parents, the founders of Original Sin. In today's first reading, we see Adam passing the blame to Eve, who then passes the blame to the serpent. While neither of them were untruthful, they were definitely trying to avoid punishment.

Although we might be tempted to let this first reading get us down, the second reading reminds us of God's promise of redemption: "the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also...Therefore, we are not discouraged..."

That is why we can exclaim with joy, "Oh happy fault, Oh necessary sin of Adam, which gained for us so great a Redeemer!" Because of Adam's sin, Jesus came down from heaven to save us. But not only did he save us, he made us members of

his own family: "For whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother."

Knowing we are members of God's family should motivate us to end the cycle of blaming. It should encourage us to humbly accept our faults, confess our sins and seek to be blameless in God's sight. It should drive us to instead lift others up by sharing the good news of God's unconditional love. Let's take one small step toward making that happen today.

Tami Urcia





Eucharistic Adoration

Come and Adore. Jesus is Waiting for YOU.

“By standing before the Eucharistic Christ, we become holy.”

—Blessed Carlo Acutis

The Adoration Chapel is open from 4am-10pm. To volunteer for a scheduled hour or as a substitute, call JoAnn Daigle at 225.776.4865.

Prayer for Protection During a Storm

Loving God, maker of heaven and earth, protect us in your love and mercy. Send the Spirit of Jesus to be with us, to still our fears and give us confidence.

In the stormy waters, Jesus reassured his disciples by his presence, calmed the storm, and strengthened their faith. Guard us from harm during this hurricane season and renew our faith to serve you faithfully.

Give us the courage to face all difficulties and the wisdom to see the ways your Spirit binds us together in mutual assistance. With confidence we make our prayer through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Ritualsong

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time #1222

Entrance: I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light #693

Preparation: **Instrumental**

Communion: Eat This Bread #1033

Sending Forth: O God beyond All Praising #725



Holy Spirit Prayer Group

A Community of Faith Praying for Others

The Holy Spirit Prayer Group will meet Sunday, June 9 from 4-6pm in Church. All are welcome!

Thank you, St. John Choir!

As the choir breaks for the summer, we wish to thank the members whose beautiful voices enhance our liturgy throughout the year. We look forward to their returning in the fall.

Catholic Daughter's Annual Sweet Sale

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court St. John #1214, will have their Annual Sweet Sale on Father's Day Weekend, June 15 and 16. The sweets will be sold outside the main doors of church before and after all Masses.

What better way to honor Dad on Father's Day than to treat him to a Catholic Daughter sweet?



Baptisms & Baptism Seminars

Baptism Seminars—7pm
Church Office Third Floor

Monday, July 8, 2024

Monday, August 5, 2024

Baptisms—Following 4pm Mass

Saturday, June 22, 2024

Saturday, July 27, 2024

Saturday, August 24, 2024

Dates are subject to change. Please contact Lily Skidmore during the early stages of pregnancy to confirm the dates of the seminar.



A Grateful Acknowledgement

Thank you to the St. John community for your continued support of the Plaquemine Lions Club. Due to your generosity, the recent Spaghetti Dinner was a huge success!



St. John School News

Fathers Club

Fundraising and Volunteer Support

The St. John Fathers Club will have their annual membership drive on Father's Day weekend, June 15 & 16. Members will be collecting dues (\$5) and enrolling new members outside the doors of church before and after all Masses.

29th Annual Golf Tournament

Monday, June 24

The Island Golf Course

Contact Chris Reeves at creeve4@gmail.com or 225.776.7139 if you would like to volunteer, sponsor a hole, or play a round of golf. Registration will begin at 9am Monday, June 24 with a shotgun start at 10am.

2024 Adult Confirmation



On Pentecost Sunday, May 19, 2024, we welcomed 7 candidates into the Catholic Church when they were sealed with the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Confirmation by Bishop Emeritus Robert Meunch. Lett to right are Abby Newman and sponsor Trevor Landry, Bishop Emeritus Robert Muench, Irene Tchaptchet with sponsor Angelo Broussard, Addyson Guidry with sponsor Dianne Guidry, Noah Favorite with sponsor Natasha Jones, Paul Duhon with sponsor Danny Cedotal and Anne Duhon with sponsor Christina Cedotal. Pictured at far right, l to r, are sponsor Danielle Hellickson with candidate Alex (Leigh Alexandra) Carlin.



The Monsignor Robin Award

The Monsignor Robin Award is St. John High School's most prestigious award, which recognizes a senior boy and girl who display loyalty, leadership, school involvement and moral character. The award is presented to the two students who best exemplify this mission.

Pictured at left with Father Greg are the Monsignor Robin Award recipients for the graduating class of 2024,

Mackenzie Grace Janét

daughter of Mrs. Layne Janét and the late Mr. Cary Janét.
and

Gage Joseph Blanchard,

son of Mr. and Mrs. Damon Blanchard.

Congratulations Mackenzie & Gage!!

Photo credit Donna Kirkland

St. John High School Graduates of 2024



Congratulations to the St. John High School graduates! Their graduation ceremony was held at St. John the Evangelist Church on Wednesday, May 15, 2024.

Colin Daniel Allen
Jacob McLin-Barnhizer
Hunter Rylie Blair
Gage Joseph Blanchard
Ellis David Braud
Caroline Elizabeth Bueche
Leslie Anne Bueche**
Bradleigh Elise Canella
Lakelyn Alexis Devillier
Tairah Naguel Dorsey
Michael Patrick Edwards
Braylon Wayne Hebert
Marguerite Leigh Hedges
MacKenzie Grace Janét*



Alyse Michelle Landry
Gage Paul Landry
Kennedy Christine Landry
Dylan Paul Lopez
Jack Allen Marcantel
Layla Marie Martinez
Blaise Joseph Mendoza
Brode Wayne Miller
Vinh Phong Pham
Genevieve Marie Prejean
Jackson Kyle Primeaux
Clayton Michael Repp
Ethan Scott Seneca
Chloe Layne Smith

*Valedictorian

**Salutatorian

May God continue to pour out His blessings on these graduates and their families, that they may continue to grow in faith and love throughout the years.

Photo credit Donna Kirkland

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 15-4pm Mass

Msgr. Leonard Robin, Msgr. George Barbier, Fr. Eugene Engels, Fr. Jerome Dugas, Sister Catherine Labouré, Sister Mary Rita McSorley, Sister Cecile Poitras; Tina Rinaudo; Frank Santangelo LeBlanc, Rita & Mike Santangelo, Anatole Santangelo; Trista Parro, Julie Chaisson, Galen Chaisson; Jacky Fousse; Murray & Dixie Suffrin; John Caffarel, Sr.; Judge Edward & Lucille Engolio, Pauline E. deVerges, Ed Engolio, Jr.; Yves & Vera Ramirez, Jerry & Jane, Kirsch Kember; Brennan Eugene Bujol, Pim & Nu Nu Clebert, Louise & Edmund Bujol, Billy Wright; Andrew & Carlo Canova, Jerry & Victor Blanchard, Sr.; Hollye A. Comeaux, Edward Achee, Ernest Achee, Dominick Carrington, Benny Carrington, Dale Miller, Jim Panepinto, Peter Palermo; Catherine & Andrew Roucher; Callahan, Clement & Mayon Families; Ronnie Palermo, Brown Family, Palermo Family; Jimmy, Sarah & Jackie Migliacio, P. W. Albert, Jr.; Sidney "Benny", Rose & Sid Quatrevingt, Quatrevingt Family; Bill Touns, Jr.; Stephen A. LeBlanc, M/M Dalfay Cavalier, Jean Claude Cavalier; M/M Vincent M. Ferachi, Cadence & Cassidy Diamond, Stephanie Rivere, Tina Loyacano, Ferachi & Marino Families; M/M Frank Ragusa & Family, M/M Placito Mancuso & Family, M/M Mose Gibson & Family, J. D. & Ella Collins & Family; M/M Tony Falcon, Anthony Falcon, Brandy Quatrevingt, M/M Frank Tempanaro, Camille Tempanaro, Paula Morales, M/M Ray Murry, M/M Earl Quatrevingt, M/M C. J. Saurage, M/M Ronald Lee Gary, Tommy, Jay, Brian & Randy Quatrevingt; J. Hubert Millet, Tony Louis, Harold Marionneaux; Ernest & Josephine Lapeze, Lapeze Family, Ragusa Family; Janice Brown; Dwight Marix, Allen Buquoi, Michael Clause; Faye & Paul Troxclair, Carolyn Bordelon, Jenny & Alton Boudreaux, Darrel & Kye Boudreaux; Murphy Blanchard, Augusta Himel, Oleus Blanchard, Tim Himel; Clarence Voris Allen, Zelpha & Nick Hun Jaras; Wayne Gary, Grandchildren; Josie & Tony Palermo; Jerry Crifasi; Anthony F. Canella, Aaron & Delia LeRay, Nora Vitale; Caliste "Joe" Landry, Gloria Orcino Landry, Josh Landry, Kimberly Landry, Anthony Orcino, Sr., Carmella Orcino, Elden Flatau, Mary Orcino Flatau; Conrad Joffrion, John & Gertrude Allain, Roy Landry, Sr.; Cecil Comeaux, Dolza Comeaux, Roy Ourso

Sunday, June 16-7:30am Mass

St. John Parishioners

Sunday, June 16-9am Mass

Msgr. Leonard Robin, Msgr. George Barbier, Fr. Eugene Engels, Fr. Jerome Dugas, Sister Catherine Labouré, Sister Mary Rita McSorley, Sister Cecile Poitras; Tina Rinaudo; Kristina Mellema; Allen "Al" Cavalier, M/M Jules J. Noel, Jr.; Ronald, Brendon & Dudley Landry, Agnes & Sam Colletti & Family; Alcee & Pauline Becnel, Evans & Virgie Dugas; J. W. & Sue Bryant; J. R. Boudreaux, Virgie Junot & Family; John "Sonny" Bunch; Tommy Griffon; Anthony Vitale, Lloyd Bouchereau; Anthony "Tonto" Pizzolato; Roland "Dougie" Rivet, Hebert & Rivet Families; M/M Dave Gourgues & Mary Ann, Adam Vercher Family; Rosa, Curtis, Brian & Denise Breaux; Shane Smith; Fred Sanchez, Sr.; Harold Sr. & Lezin Himel, Alvin Barbier, Sr.; Marion Campesi, Leslie Font, Jr., Mary Font, Ross Campesi, Sr.; Benny & Annie Vaughn, Jessel & Eula Ourso; Gladys "Butsy" Palermo, Peter A. Palermo, Patrick Burleigh, Douglas Brewer; Kenneth "Klu" Brown, Raymond Dugas; Laurence & Winnie Miller, Paul & Myrtle Richard, Edward Miller; Ernest Brown, Alfred Hebert; Faye & Harry Martinez; Dr. Jessie & Pat De Lee; Denise Miranda; Josie, Frank, Victor & Anthony Canella; Mark, Laura & Michael Lazzaro & Lawrence, Kolby Lorio, "Butch" & Sadie Tullier; Paul Joffrion, Sr., Robert Olano, Keith Edenfield; Ida Gaudet Family, Ruel Seneca, Sr., Leah Diamond, Linda Seneca Rafflee; Berthelot, Guillot, Cavet & Schlatre Families; Victor J. Canella, Anthony F. Canella, Frank & Josie Canella; Katherine Kiely, Steve & Gloria Cedotal, Sue Jackson, Estelle & Henry Tullia

Sunday, June 16-11am Mass

Cindy Dickerson; Michael Shepherd, Ruth "SeSe" Becnel, Pauline & Alcee Becnel, Jr.; Joshua "Josh" Landry, Harry & Vivian Banta, Gloria & "Joe" Landry; Albert Lopez, Jr., Albert Lopez, Sr., Earl Johnson, Sr.; Edward Kocke, Jr., Kathy Oliver; William H. Middleton, Middleton & Clouatre Families; Huey Hebert, Alden Hebert, Randolph Jr. & Sr. Gaudet; Henry "George" Grass, Bill Ostergren; Milton Allen, M/M Vivian Allain, Phil Pettus; David Wendt, Jr., David Wendt III, William Barker III, William Barker, Jr.; Dom Engolio, M/M Joseph Engolio, Charles Engolio; M/M Mike Savariste, Frank Savariste; Nolan Bueche III; Isaac Vaughn, Jr., Brent Vaughn, Margaret Landry, Sidney Hedges, Jr.; Kevin Mellieon, Geraldine Kelly, Elsie Sam, Lena Delahoussaye; Wayne & Colby Gomez, Pitre & Gomez Families; Larris Denais; The Currier Families; Betty Keith & Family; Cameron Edward Whatley, Nolan "Tatoo" Bueche, Jr.; Douglas Durand, Sr., The Edwin Melancon & Jules Durand Families

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Mass Intentions (continued)

Tuesday, June 18-6pm Mass

Myrle M. Dill, Cathie Blanchard

Wednesday, June 19-7am Mass

Ed Bahry

Thursday, June 20-7am Mass

Betty C. Dupuy

Friday, June 21-7am Mass

Lorraine "Catty" Hebert. Mary Kay Marchand Hudson, Hebert & Clement Families



Sanctuary Candle

June 9, 2024

St. John the Evangelist
My Papa & Mama

St. Clement of Rome
Kathy Dupont Fulton & Pat Dupont

Coffee & Donuts

June 16, 2024

Guy & Sabrina Ruggiero

(7:30am Mass)

Lee Ann Howard & Amy Bradford (9am Mass)



Called By Name

Chosen for Consecrated Life

"Here are my mother and my brothers." Embrace being a part of Christ's family and consider serving His people as a priest or

religious brother or sister. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 225.336.8778, jjohnson@diobr.org.

St. John Altar Society

Essential Support System of the Church

Altar Society Team 2 will be cleaning the church Wednesday, June 12. Volunteers are welcome.

Lost and Found

A VISA debit card, a set of keys and a pair of eye glasses were found on church property. You may pick up the items from the church office.

A Grateful Acknowledgement

A grateful acknowledgement is made to the 21 donors who are helping save lives by contributing to the OLOL Blood Drive held on May 26.

IS FATHER'S DAY DIFFICULT FOR YOU?

LOSS AND LONGING MASS

A Mass for those who have lost children, lost their father, who struggle with infertility or who have a difficult relationship with their father or children or who otherwise struggle with father's day.

5:30 pm Saturday June 15
St. Sharbel Maronite Catholic Church
18768 Jefferson Hwy.

10TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

YOU WERE SPEEDING

THE GAS PEDAL WAS STUCK

GEN 3:9-15

THEN I TOLD HIM I HAD A CRAMP IN MY LEG... THEN I SAID THE DOG WAS SITTING ON MY FOOT...

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June 9, 2024

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scripture Readings

Week of June 9, 2024

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn 3:9-15; Ps 130:1-8;
2 Cor 4:13—5:1; Mk 3:20-35

Monday 1 Kgs 17:1-6; Ps 121:1b-8; Mt 5:1-12
Tuesday Acts 11:21b-26; 12:1-3; Ps 98:1-6;
Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday 1 Kgs 18:20-39; Ps 16:1-2,4-5, 8, 11;
Mt 5:17-19

Thursday 1 Kgs 18:41-46; Ps 65:10-13;
Mt 5:20-26

Friday 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Ps 27:7-9c,13-14;
Mt 5:27-32

Saturday 1 Kgs 19:19-21; Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-10;
Mt 5:33-37

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-16;
2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34



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