

EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 1, 2018



St. Mary Mother of the Church

419 Doucet Road, Lafayette, Louisiana 70503

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Pastor	Rev. Harold J. Trahan	Baptism	Expectant parents should register for Baptism Class four to six months before the child's birth. Baptismal classes are held once every month. Baptisms are celebrated once per month on Saturday at 10:00 AM or periodically during the year at the Sunday 10:30 AM Mass.
Phone	337-981-3379	Marriages	St. Mary Church is available for weddings of registered parishioners and those interested in becoming parishioners. The pastor should be contacted 9-12 months before the wedding date.
Office Hours	Monday-Thursday: 9:00 AM-12:00 PM, 1:00-4:00 PM Friday: 9:00 AM-12:00 PM	Funerals	The pastor should be contacted immediately after the death of a loved one. Funeral plans should be discussed with the pastor prior to making final arrangements at the funeral home.
Masses	Monday, Wednesday-Friday: 7:00 AM Saturday: 4:30 PM Sunday: 8:00, 10:30 AM, & 5:00 PM		
Reconciliation	Saturday: 3:00-4:00 PM Sunday: 9:45—10:15 AM Monday, Wednesday-Friday: 6:45 AM		

THIS WEEK

Morning Prayers Monday thru Friday 6:30 – 6:45 AM

SUN	Apr 1	Masses: 8:00 & 10:30 AM (NO 5:00 PM) 2 nd Collection is for St. Mary Charities
MON	Apr 2	Parish Office Closed
TUE	Apr 3	NO Bells (Children and Adults) 6:00 PM Life Teen (School)
WED	Apr 4	1:30 PM GriefShare (Conference Room)
THU	Apr 5	7:30 AM – 6:00 PM Day of Adoration (Ch)
SAT	Apr 7	Boy Scout PoBoy Ticket Sale after Mass
SUN	Apr 8	2 nd Collection St. Mary Capital Improvements Boy Scout PoBoy Ticket Sale after all Masses 10:30 AM Children's Church (Church/School) 6:00 PM Life Teen (Parish Hall)

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	Mar 31	8:00 PM	George Scott
Sun	Apr 1	8:00 AM	Dr. Dean Keeley; Ronnie Gibbens; Gerry Guidry; Eula Mae Halphen; George Cole; Barbara Stansbury; Sentive "SJ" Landry Jr.; Larry Guidry
Sun	Apr 1	10:30 AM	Jerry Sibille; William Bishop; Michael Allen; Eric Domingue; M/M Herman Gesser Sr.; Dr. Glen Hunt; Margo Comeaux; Stephen Comeaux; Rev Joseph Brennan; M/M Maurice Comeaux; Comeaux/Whitfield Families; Claylee Latour; Del & Emery Guidry; J.T. Landry Family; May C. Louviere; Carroll Babineaux; Gary Uildriks; Murphy Langlinais; Souls in Purgatory; St. Mary Parishioners
Sun	Apr 1	NO 5:00 PM Mass	
Mon	Apr 2	7:00	Peace in Our Country
Tue	Apr 3	7:00	Communion Service
Wed	Apr 4	7:00	Jayne Vildibill
Thu	Apr 5	7:00	Peace in the Middle East
Fri	Apr 6	7:00	Bill Stonecipher
Sat	Apr 7	4:30	Viola Blanchard Family
Sun	Apr 8	8:00	Dr. Dean Keeley; Ronnie Gibbens; Gerry Guidry
		10:30	Jerry Sibille; William Bishop; M/M Herman Gesser Sr.; George Cole
		5:00	Harry Jones; St. Mary Parish Family

EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS

In Memory Of: Charles Allain; Eula Mae Artigue;
Dr. Albert J. Bush III; Henry Cary; Adeline Cary Duhon;
Ronnie Gibbens; Horace LaGrange; Sentive Landry;
Numa & Marie Landry; John Meche; James Murray;
Helen Palombo; Sylvia Duhon Smith; Jason Vinning;
Murphy Langlinais.

SICK IN THE PARISH

Please pray for:

Loraine Namias; Thad Doucet; Tom Martin; Alice Carlin;
Vance Carlin; Billie Hebert; Jeannine Sibille; Carolyn Kreig;
Grant Elledge; Lawana Carlin; Sammy Guilbeaux;
Stephanice Davis; Mason Sonnier; Carolyn Perron;
Rita Schenck; Don Breaux; Diane Sibille; Robert Ducharme;
Father Dan Edwards; Beverly Webb.



FEBRUARY FINANCIAL REPORT

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday Weekly Offertory	\$53,901.00
Average Weekly Offertory	\$13,475.00

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS COLLECTION

February	\$ 5,735.00
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TOTALS: FEBRUARY 2018

Total Parish Income	\$59,636.00
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SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

St. Mary Charities	\$ 2,018.00
Lenten Mission	\$ 5,163.00

APRIL 2 - 8 HAPPY BIRTHDAY ST. MARY PARISHIONERS

Mon Apr 2

John Colowich
David Herpin
Leo Mader
Bryn Mosing
Eleonore Thibodeaux
Thomas Veillon

Tue Apr 3

Courtney Back
Evelyn Daigle
Vivianne Green
Catherine McKay
Filo Pisati

Wed Apr 4

Henry Dowden
Rosemary Frederic
Samantha Heinen
Katherine Joseph

MaryAnn Mahtook

Matthew Perez
Thu Apr 5
Lillian Babineaux
Ryleigh Blanchard
Elizabeth Dorsey
Micah Fontenot
Briley Herpin

Fri Apr 6

Victoria Ackal
Jean-Paul Barras
Millie Chapman
Adele Chauvin
Michael Doise
Ashly Hebert
Vicky Manuel

Sat Apr 7

Seth Andrus
Mac Barousse
Alma Bouy
Mark Bruno
Dee Guidry
Macie Heinen
Claudia Hutchison
James Hutchison
Nicholas Newton
Sun Apr 8
Ty Aguiard
Mark Delcambre
Declan Homan
Anna Hutchison
Cole Lambert
Mindy Monfra
Carolyn Romero
Susan Schwing
David Welty

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

FIRST COMMUNION

Saturday, April 28, 9:00 AM

1st Communion Retreat

Saturday, May 5, 4:30 PM, Church

Sacrament of 1st Communion

SCOUT EVENTS

BOY SCOUT FUNDRAISER

St. Mary Boy Scouts will be selling PoBoy BBQ tickets after all of the weekend Masses, **April 7-8 and 21-22**. Please help our Boy Scouts with their annual fundraiser. PoBoy pick-up will be April 29.

CUB SCOUT ANNUAL BAKESALE

April 14 & 15 following all Masses

Enjoy homemade treats of all kinds made by the Cub Scouts and their parents. The boys of St. Mary Cub Scout Pack 156 thank you for your support!

COMMUNITY SERVICE

COME MARINATE IN THE WORD!

The *Jubilee of the Word Marathon – 100 Hours for 100 Years* is a unique way to celebrate the Centennial of the Diocese of Lafayette! Beginning on Wednesday, **April 4**, 12:30 PM, the Bible will be read publicly cover to cover, without pause, in the Square of St. Martinville. For more information or to register as a lector, please contact:

Fr. Michael Champagne, CJC

at fetedieuduteche@gmail.com or

394-6550. More information is available at www.fetedieuduteche.org and Fete-Dieu du Teche on Facebook.

DAY OF ADORATION

St. Mary Day of Adoration is the first Thursday of every month. Thursday, **April 5**, is the next Day of Adoration beginning at 7:30 AM and ending at 6:00 PM. *The intention of the day is for singles, widowed and divorced.* All are welcome.

DINNER AND A MOVIE

All Senior Citizens are invited to St. Mary Dinner and a Movie Night, **Saturday, April 7**. Dinner will be served and all are welcome to stay and view "Hidden Figures". The activities begin at 5:30 PM, in our Parish Hall.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Our Lady of Fatima Church, Lafayette, will once again host a special 3:00 PM Mass on **Sunday, April 8**, Divine Mercy Sunday. Exposition of the Holy Eucharist and the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation will take place at 2:00 PM. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be sung at 2:15 PM, with Benediction and Mass following at 3:00 PM. For more information, contact Our Lady of Fatima Church at 232-8945.

FOOD FOR THE JOURNEY

The Central Deanery of the Diocese of Lafayette presents "Food for the Journey", a monthly lunchtime speakers series designed to help Catholics live out our faith in our daily lives. Our speaker for April is Rev. David Hebert, Pastor of St. Elizabeth Seton Church. "Food for the Journey" will be held on **Tuesday, April 10**, at River Oaks Catering and Event Center, 520 East Kaliste Saloom, 12:00 NOON. An optional buffet is available for purchase at 11:30 AM. Pre-registration is not required. For more information, please call Danielle Huval (232-1322).

ANNULMENT PROCESS WORKSHOP

April 17, the Judicial Vicar for the Diocese of Lafayette, Msgr. Robie Robichaux, will be presenting workshops on Declaration of Nullity and what is needed to begin the process. The 2 hour workshops will be held at 10:00 AM or 6:00 PM, at the Diocesan Offices. Please register by calling 261-5623, or email to catrahan@diolaf.org. There is no charge for this workshop.

GRIEFSHARE

St. Mary Church is offering GriefShare, on Wednesdays, from 1:30 to 3:00 PM. You may join this group at any time. This is a support group designed to help those who have experienced the loss of a loved one. The last session will be on May 16. For more information and to register, please contact JoAnn at 981-3379 ext. 241.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

The 2018 Virtus online training module is available for all volunteers and employees who need to complete their Safe Environment continuing education. Only those who have completed the initial training are eligible to use the online version. For more information regarding Safe Environment, contact Sharon LaBarbera at 337-739-5020.

JOHN PAUL THE GREAT ACADEMY

The 11th Annual Veritas Lecture and Gala Dinner will be held at the Doubletree by Hilton Hotel on **Saturday, April 21**. Dr. Brant Pitre will be the guest speaker for this fundraiser benefiting John Paul the Great Academy. To purchase tickets, go to www.jpacademy.org/gala. For more information, contact Molly McCracken at 337-889-5345.

HEALING HEARTS

A Catholic support group for Women, whose relationships have been negatively impacted by the pornography addiction or sexual addiction of a loved one. This may include a spouse, boyfriend, family member or friend. Strict confidentiality is observed by all members. Contact 337-404-6113 for more information.

OVERNIGHT PARKING

Whenever a parishioner needs to leave their car in the parking lot on the church or school parking lot overnight, please contact the parish office to obtain permission and instructions of where to park.

RETREATS

JESUIT SPIRITUALITY CENTER

Do you feel a need to deepen your spirituality? The Jesuit Spirituality Center at Grand Coteau, Louisiana, announces the following retreat dates: April 9 or 12; April 23 or 26; May 14 or 17; May 28 or 31; June 18 or 21. For more information or to register, call 337-662-5251.

ST. JOSEPH'S ABBEY

"A Family That Prays..." is a retreat for married couples and their children. The weekend is designed to enrich marriages, faith and family. Spouses will grow closer in their sacrament, children will explore a deeper encounter with God and families will be strengthened in their love for one another. Join us at St. Joseph Abbey in Covington April 14-15. Space is limited. For more information and to register, go to FaithandMarriage.org or call Jason at 504-830-3716.

GOD'S HOUSEKEEPERS

Purificator for April – Arthé Lambert
April 6, JoAnn LeJune & Jessica Bernard
April 12-13, Merella Palombo & Susan James
April 19-20, Carol Long & Dee Irion