

SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

1125 Blankenship Drive
Deridder, Louisiana 70634
<https://www.stjosephderidder.org>



OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 8:30am-4:30pm
Office closed 12:00 noon - 1:00pm

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Communion Service at 12:10pm
Tuesday-Friday Mass at 12:10pm
Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am & 11:30 am
Mass in Spanish every 4th Sunday
of the month at 5:00 pm
Holy Day Mass Schedule will be
announced

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:00-3:45pm
Sunday: 8:00-8:45am & 10:45-11:15am

ADORATION

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is every
Wednesday after the 12:10pm Mass from 12:40
to 4:00pm, ending with Benediction at 4:00pm.

PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Fr V. Wayne LeBleu
Deacon: Al Winnig
Parish Secretary: Gracia Acosta
Parish Bookkeeper: Aimee Brasseaux
Maintenance Head: Trevor Smith
Parish Catechetical Leader (PCL):
Julie Roussel
Assistant PCL: William Frost
Order of Christian Initiation (OCIA):
Angela Lannen
Music Minister: Darlene Watson

PARISH PHONE NUMBERS

Pastoral Center 337-463-6878

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

The couple preparing for marriage must contact the parish priest at least six months in advance of the desired time.

Confirmation of date of wedding must be made by the priest officiating the wedding.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the Pastoral Center to schedule an interview and register for Baptism. 337-463-6878

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

The parish priest is to be contacted before the family makes any arrangements with the funeral director. Family members are also asked to meet with the priest to prepare for the funeral liturgy.

Know Your Saints

The Gospel for All Saints Day Feast is always Matthew's account of the Beatitudes. At first they seem to favor the meek, the humble, the merciful. But then Jesus ends with some tough ones, aimed at those who are persecuted, insulted, and slandered. While it may sound negative, Jesus is actually giving us encouragement.

Jesus isn't telling us to make enemies, but not to be afraid if we do. An important part of our faith is the imperative to spread it. Some people do that by sharing their faith during their lunch break. Others teach formation classes to prospective Christians. So there are many ways to spread the faith, and many types of saints who are celebrated today.

Maybe today would be a good day to learn about your favorite saint. What made her special? How did he spread the faith? What persecution did they suffer? Perhaps you could talk about the saints with your children. What saint shares a name with your child? As St. John says in the second reading, we are all God's children (1 John 3:2). As we get to know our favorite saints, their lives can inspire us to face persecution or ridicule for our faith—or at least the courage to talk about our faith, and maybe change someone else's life. Tom Schmidt

Conocer A los Santos

El Evangelio de la fiesta de todos los santos es el relato de Mateo de las Bienaventuranzas. Al principio, parecen favorecer a los mansos, los humildes y los misericordiosos. Pero luego Jesús termina con algunas bienaventuranzas duras, dirigidas a quienes son perseguidos, insultados y calumniados. Aunque pueda sonar negativo, Jesús en realidad nos anima.

Jesús no nos dice que nos hagamos enemigos, pero no tengamos miedo si lo hacemos. Una parte importante de nuestra fe es el imperativo de difundirla. Algunos lo hacen compartiendo su fe durante la hora del almuerzo. Otros imparten clases de formación a futuros cristianos. Así que hay muchas maneras de difundir la fe y muchos tipos de santos que se celebran hoy.

Quizás hoy sea un buen día para aprender sobre tu santo favorito. ¿Qué lo/la hizo especial? ¿Cómo difundió la fe? ¿Qué persecución sufrió? Quizás podrías hablar sobre los santos con tus hijos. ¿Qué santo comparte nombre con tu hijo? Como dice San Juan en la segunda lectura, todos somos hijos de Dios (1 Juan, 3:2). Al conocer a nuestros santos favoritos, sus vidas pueden inspirarnos a enfrentar la persecución o el menosprecio por nuestra fe, o al menos a tener la valentía de hablar de ella y tal vez cambiar la vida de alguien más. Tom Schmidt

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS/INTENCIONES

Monday 10/27	Communion Service
Tuesday 10/28	Edward Cryer
Wednesday 10/29	Sam Sardisco
Thursday 10/30	Lucille Guidry
Friday 10/31	Rebecca Lincecum
Saturday 11/1	Parishioners and Visitors
Sunday 11/2 9:00 am	Charles Hebert, Charles Duplechien, LaNell Howell, Jesse and Eva Blake-man, Dr. Ted J. Hoerner, Family of Jayne Robinson, Deacon Sumner Kohlund, Beauregard Parish Doctors
Sunday 11/2 11:30 am	Kay and Gary Cooper, Andrew Cronce, Paul LeBeau

Why do we have Mass Intentions?

In the Catholic Church, Mass intentions are specific requests for which a Mass is offered. These intentions are a way for individuals to connect their prayers with the sacrifice of the Mass, seeking God's grace for particular needs or in memory of loved ones. While every Mass benefits the entire Church, intentions allow for a focused application of the Mass's graces towards a specific person or situation.

Suggested minimum donation per intention is \$5

Church Registration

Do you worship with us regularly? Please consider registering with us online at our website:

<https://www.stjosephderidder.org/>

Scroll to the bottom of the welcome page and click on register.

Offertory for October 11th/12th and 18th/19th. 2025

Offertory	\$9,375 / \$10,954
Bishop's Services Appeal	\$118 / \$125
Insurance	\$198 / \$3,132

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

2nd Collections for the Month of October

October 4-5 *Bishop's Services Appeal*

October 18-19 *Insurance*

October 25-26 *World Mission Collection*

Cereal for God's Food Box is collected on the 2nd week-end of the month, please drop in the foyer.

Catholic Charities accepts non-perishable items through the year, they can be dropped in the box in the foyer.

WEEKLY CALENDAR/CALENDARIO SEMANAL

Monday Lunes October/ Octubre 27	12:10 pm Communion Service / Servicio de Comunión
Tuesday Martes October/ Octubre 28	9:30 am CLJ (English) 12:10 pm Mass / Misa
Wednesday Miércoles October/ Octubre 29	12:10 pm Mass / Misa 12:40 - 4 pm Holy Adoration / Adoracion Eucarística 6 pm CLJ (English) 6 pm PREP
Thursday Jueves October/ Octubre 30	12:10 pm Mass/Misa 5:30 pm CLJ (English)
Friday Viernes October/ Octubre 31	12:10 pm Mass / Misa
Saturday Sábado November/ Noviembre 1	ALL SAINTS DAY 4:00 pm Mass / Misa 5:00 pm Ven Señor Jesús (Español)
Sunday Domingo November/ Noviembre 2	ALL SOULS DAY 9:00 am Mass—Procession of Saints/ Misa –Procesión de Santos 10:00 am PREP 11:30 am Mass / Misa

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

November 1st/2nd, 2025	Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm	Sunday 9:00 am	Sunday 11:30 am
LECTORS	Rane Sills	Tim Kyle	Julie Roussel
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	Kay Bourne Dawn Skinner Michelle Lingo Gertie Rossi	Deacon Al Nicole Kyle Jason Waguespack Jody Kline	Deacon Al Tessa Granger Laura Black Todd Granger
ALTAR SERVERS	Jude Lowe	Ethen Deb, Leo Burke	Tanner Roussel, Ayden Wilber, Sebastian Ballona

Money Counters: Team 4

Saint Joseph Catholic Church



Vocation Prayer Book and Cross

We recognize the importance of praying for vocations for the Priesthood and Religious Life. Each week a family or member will pick up the Cross and Prayer Book to pray for increase vocations. The sign-up sheet is in the foyer of the Church. Please sign up!

Joe and Michelle Lingo will take the Vocation Cross next weekend at the **9 am Mass**. (Return the Cross and book by the next Friday by 4:30pm)

"The Priest brings God to the people and the people to God"
~ Fr. Michael Caraway

Pray for our sick

(Please contact the Pastoral Center)



Danny Hernandez, Ronnie Watson, Helen Chaisson, Roberta Gray, Susan Hill

Names will be removed after 1-3 months depending on circumstances and information

"Father God, you alone heal hearts and bodies, minds, and spirits. Today, we ask you to lay your healing hand on our loved ones. We ask for the healing of illness, physical weakness, and of broken hearts and spirits. " Tamela Turbeville

Candles \$5



Candles are available to burn in the Church or to take home. When lit they represent an expression of faith and devotion, often used to accompany prayers for specific intentions, such as intercession for the deceased, the sick, for loved ones, in thanksgiving. The light of the candle signifies the light of Christ and the prayers rising to God.

Our Organizations and Ministries
You can get involved and assist in our Church- Contact the Pastoral Center

Altar Society
Catholic Daughters of the Americas
CDA)
Junior Catholic Daughters
Knights of Columbus
Come Lord Jesus

Altar Servers / Lectors /
Extraordinary Ministers

Avisos de la Parroquia

Procesión de todos los Santos: Invitamos a todos los niños a vestirse como su Santo Favorito y venir a la misa de 9 am, el 2 de Noviembre para entrar en Procesión con el Padre Wayne.

Venta de nueces (pecans): Las Hijas Católicas venderán nueces pecanas nuevamente este año. Hay un formulario de pedido en el vestíbulo o puede llamar a la oficina si desea pedir. Llegarán en noviembre.

Libro para nombres de fieles difuntos: En el vestíbulo de la Iglesia hay un libro donde puedes escribir el nombre de un ser querido. Se acercan el Día de Todos los Santos y el Día de los Fieles Difuntos. Habrán intenciones en las misas para recordar a los que estén anotados.

Platos de comida -Evento benéfico para recaudar fondos destinados a los gastos médicos de Danny Hernández. Se venderán platos de comida con filete de cerdo, arroz, frijoles horneados y pan. Los platos costarán \$15. Puedes comprar boletos después de cada misa o en la oficina. Los platos se distribuirán el Jueves, 13 de Noviembre, de 10:30 a. m. a 2:00 p. m en St Joseph Hall, para comer en el local o para llevar.

Reserve la fecha: El Coro de la Parroquia de San José da la bienvenida al Coro Gospel del Inmaculado Corazón de María el 15 de noviembre en la Misa de Vigilia de las 4 p. m. Únase al Corazón y el Alma de la música Gospel para esta experiencia única durante el mes en que recordamos a los que nos precedieron.

LAKE CHARLES — El Ministerio de Música de la Iglesia Católica Nuestra Señora Reina del Cielo (Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church) y sus Amigos presentarán "De la Oscuridad a la Luz", una peregrinación coral con los Santos de la Esperanza el Día de Todos los Santos. El concierto tendrá lugar a las 7 pm del sábado 1 de Noviembre en la Capilla del Mausoleo del Cementerio de la Consolata, ubicada en Country Club Road 2300. La entrada es



Ven Señor Jesús Estudio Bíblico

¿Estás listo para que la Misa cobre vida al abrir y leer las Escrituras? ¿Estás listo para que tu vida de oración se transforme? Únete a una de nuestras pequeñas comunidades de fe para estudiar la palabra de Dios. **Sábado** a las 5 p.m. Edificio de educación

Si quieres una intención durante una misa, favor comunicarte a la oficina. La donación por intención es de \$5 mínimo.

Misas en Español
2025-2026 (4to Domingo del mes)

23 de Noviembre

28 de Diciembre

25 de Enero

22 de Febrero

Tenemos una imagen de la Virgen de Guadalupe Peregrina —por favor contactar a la oficina para que la recibas en casa! El Padre te la dará durante una Misa si quieres.

VELAS (\$5)



Puedes encender velas en la Iglesia para acompañar oraciones e intenciones específicas. La luz de la vela simboliza la luz de Cristo y las oraciones que se elevan a Dios.

Parish Announcements

All Soul's Day—Blessing of the Cemeteries Father Wayne will be blessing several cemeteries on November 1st and 2nd. Please see the insert flyer for the list of Cemeteries and times.

Benefit Fundraiser sponsored by Knights of Columbus.

Tickets to be sold after all Masses and in the Church Office.



Book of Remembrance: With All Saints and All Souls Days approaching in November, we have a binder in the Foyer of the Church where you are welcome to list your deceased love ones. We will be reading an intention at Masses for all those listed.

Pecan pre-orders: Catholic daughters will be selling pecans again this year!! There is an order form in the Foyer or you can call the Office if you would like to order pecans. They will arrive in November. You can also order from any Catholic Daughter.



The Choir of St. Joseph Parish welcomes the Gospel Choir of Immaculate Heart of Mary on

November 15th at the 4pm Vigil Mass. Come join us for the Heart and Soul of Gospel music for this unique experience during the month when we remember those who have gone before us.



LAKE CHARLES — Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church Music Ministry & Friends will present "From Darkness to Light," a Choral Pilgrimage with the Saints of Hope on All Saints Day. The concert will take place at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 1, in the Consolata Cemetery Mausoleum Chapel, 2300 Country Club Road. Admission is free.

Many Diocese activities can be found in the Diocese of Lake Charles website (retreats, meetings, special Masses, conferences, workshops, pilgrimages, etc)
<http://www.lcdiocese.org/3-news/3044-upcoming-events-at-a-glance>



NEW Meal Train Account! Please consider donating a meal to feed our students on Wednesdays! ***We have a priority for meals in November and December right now!*** Sign Up using the QR Code or by using this link:



Meal Train®

<https://mealtrain.com/qgqn71>

The purpose of this Meal Train Ministry is to provide a hot meal on Wednesday night for our PREP students. This gives them time for fellowship together prior to instruction beginning.



All Saint Procession on Sunday, November 2nd, during 9 am Mass. We invite all children/youth to come dressed as your favorite Saint! You will processed into Church with Father Wayne.



Thanks to everyone that assisted with our Spooktacular evening! We couldn't have done it without you!

Parish App! Remember to download **myParish App** so you can receive messages from the Church, You can download the app by visiting myparishapp.com or searching for myparish on your phone's app store, or using this QR code.



QR Code to download
My Parish App



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October—Month of the Rosary

Pope Leo XIV invites all the faithful to pray a daily rosary during the month for personal peace, peace in our families, and in our communities.

Scripture Readings for the Week of October 26, 2025

Sunday	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sir 35:12-14; 16-18; Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14
Monday	Rom 8: 12-17; Ps 68:2 and 4, 6-7ab, 20-21; Lk 13: 10-17
Tuesday Apostles	Feast of Saints Simon and Jude, Eph 2: 19-22; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Lk 6:12-16
Wednesday	Rom 8:26-30; Ps 13:4-5, 6; Lk 13:22-30
Thursday	Rom 8:31b-39; Ps 109:21-22, 26-27, 30-31; Lk 13:31-35
Friday	Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Lk 14:1-6
Saturday	Solemnity of All Saints (Day Mass) Rv 7: 2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a
Sunday	The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls) Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40

Come, Lord Jesus! Bible Study



Are you ready for Mass to come alive for you as the Scriptures are open and read? Are you ready for your prayer life to be transformed? Join one of our small faith communities in studying God's word.

Tuesday at 9:30am in the Education Bldg

Wednesday at 6:00pm in the Pastoral Ctr

Thursday at 5:30pm in the Education Bldg

October Prayer Intention / Intención de Oración en Octubre Pope Leo XIV - Papa León XIV

For Collaboration Between Different Religious Traditions

Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.

Por la Colaboración Entre Diferentes Tradiciones Religiosas

Oremos para que los creyentes de diferentes tradiciones religiosas trabajen juntos para defender y promover la paz, la justicia y la fraternidad humana.

Bishop Glen John Provost - Obispo Glen John Provost

Let us pray for the safety and protection of the unborn and a greater respect for life from conception to natural death.

Oremos por la seguridad y protección de los no nacidos y por un mayor respeto a la vida desde la concepción hasta la muerte natural.