

TODAY: SCOUT SUNDAY MEDALS GIVEN OUT AT 11 AM MASS. PLEASE RSVP FOR THE SEDER MEAL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

MONDAY
6:30AM - Mass

TUESDAY
6:30AM - Mass
5:30PM - Mass
6:00PM - Choir Practice

WEDNESDAY
6:30AM - Mass
12:00NOON - Mass
5:30PM - Overeaters [upper room hall]
6:30PM - EDGE Jr. Youth meeting

THURSDAY
6:30AM - Mass
5:30PM - Mass
7:00PM - Opportunities for Confession [Church]

FRIDAY - PARISH OFFICE CLOSED AT NOON
6:30AM - Mass
5:30PM - Mass [followed by the Stations of the Cross & Fasting with Father in the hall]

SATURDAY
4:00PM - Mass
6:00PM - Mass



[March 28, 2010]
SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE
7:00AM, 9:00AM, 11:00AM, 5:30PM
EXTRAORDINARY FORM 1 PM

DIVINE MERCY – FOUNTAIN OF GRACES

Jesus said, "My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy, I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day all the divine floodgates through which grace flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity. Everything that exists has come forth from the very depths of My most tender mercy. My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy. My dear brothers and sisters let everyone take these warning to heart:

1. Jesus' Mercy
2. Jesus' second coming
3. Peace in our lives and in this world by turning to the "FOUNT OF JESUS' MERCY"

To fulfill the obligation of going to Confession may be made anytime from March 15th to March 30th.

?QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK?

ADULTS: How quick am I to cast the first stone? Do I make a distinction between the sin and the sinner?
CHILDREN: Do I forgive my friends when they do something that hurts me? Do I give them a second chance?

RCIA

If you are anyone you know is seeking the Truths taught by the Catholic Church and has a desire to enter church, information is now available for those who are interested in the RCIA program which will begin in September. This is also for any Catholic adult who wishes to make his or her First Communion or Confirmation at the Easter Vigil of 2011. Please contact the parish office for more information

ST. PETER'S EVANGELIZATION OUTREACH

St. Peter's Evangelization Outreach Team will be meeting on the 4th Saturday of every month in the church hall @ 9:00 a.m. Come, join us, and share your faith with all of God's people here in Carencro. Call Deacon Ken at the church office for information on how to serve God by serving His people.

VOCATION CHALICE

As part of the Diocesan **Vocation Awareness** Program, we have instituted what we call "**THE VOCATION CHALICE**". Each week a family will accept the responsibility of praying for vocations. We provide them with the prayers and a chalice to use as a focal point and reminder. The family will come up to the altar after communion and receive the Chalice, which has been left on the altar after purification. St. Peter's Chairperson, Pam Abshire, will be responsible for signing up families for each week. If you are interested in participating in this program please call Pam Abshire at 886-7313.

FROM THE DESK OF DEACON KEN

Please notify me at the church office whenever a family member or friend is sick, especially if they are in the hospital. We want to see you, be with you and bring Jesus to you. Deacon Ken

"URGENT LONGINGS"

A PROGRAM OF PRAYER AND GROUP REFLECTION USING THE SUNDAY GOSPELS TO AWAKEN A BURNING LOVE FOR GOD Deacon Ken Arnaud, St. Peter's director of evangelization and outreach, invites all parishioners, their family, friends, and all those interested in a fuller understanding of the Sunday Mass Scripture readings, to join in a warm and informal setting to awaken in the heart a greater desire and burning love for God and God's Word. Deacon Ken awaits the opportunity to assist in guiding this program in your home where you, your family and friends are gathered. The program allows for reflection, the sharing of those reflections and movements of the Holy Spirit and fosters the opportunity to concretely live the Gospel message more fully in daily life. This program provides another avenue to pray with the Scriptures and grow more fully as a disciple of Christ. After prayerful discernment please contact Deacon Ken at the parish office (896-9408) to schedule the beginning of this program in your home.

SACRIFICIAL DONATIONS

March 14, 2010

Envelopes	[309]	\$ 7558.25
Loose		\$ 1526.75
Build. & Maint.	[33]	\$ 350.00
	TOTAL	\$ 9088.50
St. Vincent de Paul		\$ 526.00
Extraordinary Form		\$ 111.00
Daily collections for the Poor		\$560.00
Mission Club	[11]	\$80.00
Second Collection for Catholic Relief Services	[84]	\$1613.00

ST. PETER'S WISHES TO THANK ALL OF YOU! BECAUSE OF YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT, WE HAVE A WONDERFUL THRIVING PLACE OF WORSHIP!

WHY DO WE AS CATHOLICS CELEBRATE THE SEDER MEAL?

The Seder of Passover Meal, instituted by Moses under the Old Covenant, was a foreshadowing of the Holy Eucharist, instituted by Christ under the New Covenant. Therefore we celebrate this event in order for us to further understand the Last Supper, where Jesus chose to announce Him. Now we have Christ. He is our Passover, our Savior, the Paschal Lamb. This event helps us prepare ourselves for the Lenten Liturgy. Bring your family and join us as Father Bill Melancon narrates this event. It will be held Tuesday, March 30th at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall. **Please RSVP by March 24, 2010** if you plan on attending to Carol Olivier at 896-9408. You will be asked to bring a covered dish and a place setting for each family member attending this insightful event. Anyone interested in helping prepare for this event is also invited to contact the parish office.

ST. DANIEL'S CHAPEL

Stations of the Cross will be held on Good Friday at 10 a.m. at St. Daniel's Chapel in Carencro. Fr. Dan Edwards invites everyone to attend!

THE CALL

Are you or anyone you know considering a call to the priesthood or religious life? Would you like more information? If you can answer "yes" to these questions, then contact Fr. Melancon at the parish office.

LIFE LINE SCREENING – THE POWER OF PREVENTION

Where: St. Peter Roman Catholic Church, Carencro
Sponsored by: Cardiovascular Institute of the South
When: Wednesday, March 31, 2010
Pre-registration is required. Call : 1-800-324-1851



BONNE MORT SOCIETY

The Bonne Mort Society will be collecting annual dues of \$1.00 **BEFORE** ALL **WEEKEND MASSES** beginning **MARCH 6th THROUGH MARCH 28th**. Jesus said, "Love one another." The Bonne Mort Society is dedicated exclusively to prayer for the souls of its' members, both living and deceased. Prayer for the soul of another is the greatest gift one can give. It is a gift beyond price; it is a gift of the heart, a gift of love. Your annual membership fee of \$1.00/per member or for a new membership of \$2.00/ per member for the first year entitles you to the following benefits:

1. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is offered every Friday (except Good Friday, this Mass is on Holy Thursday) for all members, both living and deceased. (52 Masses), and a Mass is offered on Veterans Day for all Veterans.

2. Each month, on or around the 19th of the month, a Mass is offered for all souls in Purgatory, especially the most forgotten ones who no longer have anyone to pray for them.

3. Four Masses are offered for the tritium of St. Joseph (Patron Saint of a Happy Death) March 16th, 17th, 18th, and on his Feast Day, March 19th.

4. Upon the death of a member, a Rosary is recited at the Funeral Home in Carencro.

5. Four Masses are arranged to be offered for the member in his/her name at St. Peter's Church.

6. The Bonne Mort banner is placed in the church for the burial service to acknowledge membership in the Society.

7. Your dues make it possible to have candles burning perpetually at the Altars of St. Joseph, the Divine Mercy, Our Blessed Mother, Mary, and outside at the back of the church at the Memorial to the Unborn.

Please consider becoming a member, and enrolling all your family as members in this Society. This is a non-participating organization. You are not required to do anything other than pay an annual fee of \$1.00 per member per year; yet you have the comfort of knowing that the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is being offered each Friday for your soul and the souls of all your family; that you are always remembered in prayer. DUES MAY BE MAILED TO: BONNE MORT SOCIETY 815 N. MICHAUD ST. CARENCRO, LA 70520

**** All Bonne Mort membership records are computerized; therefore, you may pay for more than one year's dues in advance.

THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The Holy Name Society will hold a membership drive Breakfast on Palm Sunday, March 28, 2010, after the 7:00 AM Mass. All Men are invited to the St. Peter Church Hall. The Holy Name's Goal is to promote the Holy Name of JESUS, and assist each other to grow in Holiness. Dues are \$2.00, Come and hear about other Benefits of HNS membership. For more information, Fred Gaspard, 337-896-4349

NEWS FROM CARENCRO CATHOLIC SCHOOL

CARENCRO CATHOLIC SCHOOL IS NOW ACCEPTING PRE-K – 8TH GRADE APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR. PLEASE CONTACT US AT 896-8973 FOR AN APPLICATION PACKET. WE WOULD BE HAPPY TO GIVE YOU A TOUR! Carencro Catholic School does not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color or national ethnic origins in admissions or employment.

BIBLE STUDY

St. Peter's Bible Study will meet on **Wednesdays** at 10 a.m. in the parish office. All are welcome, bring your Bible! We will also have an additional class offered on Wednesday evenings at 5:30 p.m. in the parish office.

OUR ADORATION CHAPEL IS IN NEED!

The Chapel is need of an Adorer on Sunday morning at 10 a.m. & 5 a.m. We are also in need of prayer partners and substitutes (substitutes are temporary for the hours adorners cannot fulfill). Be open to the grace that God may be calling you to this ministry! To volunteer please contact Gloria Matt @ 896-0524 or 658-3759.

GOD'S LITTLE DUSTERS

We are looking for any one who can volunteer one hour a month to help clean God's house, every second Thursday of each month after the 6:30 a.m. Mass. You would have great satisfaction to know that you have helped to keep His house clean. Just think of all the graces you get. Any questions call Mrs. Rose Richard at 896-6278. The banner is put up in church as a reminder.

ST. PETER'S BOOKSTORE HOURS

The Bookstore **NOW OPEN** in the old Public Library building will be open on Thursday, & Friday, from 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. and on Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. The Bookstore is in need of volunteers! The operation hours of the Bookstore are totally dependent on volunteers! If you can donate any time contact Carol Olivier the parish office.

DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE 2010

I am pleased and delighted to invite each of you to join us for a very exciting upcoming event! On Saturday, April 10, we are holding a one-day "Divine Mercy Conference 2010" at the Cajundome Convention Center. Scheduled speakers for the Conference are Rev. F. Hampton Davis III, Pastor of Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Lafayette; Rev. Michael Champagne, Community of Jesus Crucified; Immaculee Ilibagiza, Rwandan genocide survivor and author; Marcus Grodi, convert, television host, and Founder/President of Coming Home Network International; Doctor Bryan Thatcher, M.D., Founder of Eucharistic Apostles of Divine Mercy; and Annie Karto, Catholic singer/songwriter and inspirational speaker. Additional information, including hotel discounts, etc., is available on our website at www.centralregiononline.org. Please be sure to visit, and please forward this on to others you know who may be interested. We are already receiving a tremendous response for what promises to be a great faith experience. I pray that you will consider joining us for the "Divine Mercy Conference 2010" on Saturday, April 10. Please call or email if you have any questions ... thanks!

Mary Bergeron

Central Region, Diocese of Lafayette

(Cell) 337-654-8682

www.centralregiononline.org

FROM THE DESK OF DEACON KEN

Attention! Deacon Ken seeks your company! Call me; I want to visit with you. Let's have coffee together, talk together, pray together, cry together, and laugh together. I'm here to serve you, love you. Let us share God with each other. Call me at the parish office @896-9408 with directions and a time for me to visit with you. Your brother-in-the-Lord, Deacon Ken.

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR MARCH

GENERAL INTENTION: World Economy. That the world economy may be managed according to the principles of justice and equality, taking into account the real needs of peoples, especially the poorest.

MISSION INTENTION: Churches in Africa. That the Churches throughout Africa may be signs and instruments of reconciliation and justice.

THINK ANNULMENTS ARE COSTLY?

St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church is willing to waive the initial filing fee for currently registered parishioners seeking annulments. Call the Parish Office for details.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

What is it? In an episode of Antiques Road Show, a woman brought a strange, unidentified object for appraisal, a flea market find her dad had purchased for practically nothing. Almost embarrassed to ask its value, the woman was shocked to discover it was a rare Eskimo hunting helmet worth \$75,000! In the Old Testament accounts, the Israelites trudged through the desert, begging for food, when God rained down sustenance for them. "Manna?" they asked each other, the word in their native tongue meaning, "What is it?" To their surprise, it was the nutritional miracle needed for their journey. Today, some approach the Eucharist nonchalantly—oblivious of its value. But, like the woman with the Eskimo helmet and the ancient Israelites, we'd do well to ponder, "What is it?" and, with newfound amazement, discover Jesus, the Bread of Life. *Father, stir our dulled hearts to discern our extraordinary Savior in the ordinary communion wafer.* In Adoration we unite love with our Lord and respond to Jesus invitation, "Could you not spend at least one hour with me?" [To sign up contact Gloria Matte at 896-0524 or 658-3759] The Adorers of the Perpetual Adoration wish to thank Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament for the following favors:

- 1] Thank you Lord for bringing my daughter back to Church.
- 2] Thank you Jesus for many answered prayers.

A.C.T. MINISTRY

The ACT Ministry (Ascending Calvary Together) offers support for the terminally ill and their loved ones. If you or someone you know is in need of these services please contact Karol Meynard at 261-5607.

ALTERNATIVES TO ABORTION

Information: Father Frank Pavone Priests for Life 1-888-PFL-3448 www.priestforlife.org.

SOUTHERNCARE

Adopt a Friend & Make a Difference Hospice is a special kind of caring. The Volunteer at SouthernCare provides joy and support to families at a very special time in their lives. Please consider being part of this wonderful program. To join our Volunteer program and receive God's Rich Blessings, please contact Chrissy Bourque, Lafayette Office, 109 Abigayle's Row, Scott, LA 70583. Or 337-291-1818.

LEARN NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

- * SAFE because it does not involve any interference with the healthy working of the body.
- * STRONGER marriages because it respects the body of both husband and wife.
- * AWARENESS of the couple's mutual fertility.
- * HELPS detect health problems early due to observations and charts can be helpful to doctors to diagnose problems.
- * MORALLY beneficial due to total gift of self to each other. No body language "contradictions" or deceptions.
- * PHASES of alternating courtship and honeymoon build romance.
- * NO chemical drug residues, harmful side effects from powerful drugs, injections, inserts and no aesthetically displeasing devices.
- * OPEN to life.
- * WORKS as good or better than unnatural and person destroying contraceptives.
- * LOVE each other unconditionally. No "strings" attached.

POST ABORTION MINISTRY

Contact: Crystal Demoura @ 896-6249 or Tessie Bouillion @ 886-0205/288-7856

ENGAGED COUPLES

Spend a weekend away from the cares and distractions of everyday living. Attend a **Catholic Engaged Encounter Weekend** in preparation for your marriage. Upcoming weekend dates are April 16-18, May 14-16, July 16-18. For other dates and to learn more visit our website at www.lafayettece.org or to register call Tom & Geraldine Rizzuto @337-984-7954.

JOIN US FOR A MONTHLY SUNDAY VIGIL MASS!!! SPONSORED BY THE CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL OFFICE OF THE DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE

All are invited this month for the "Sunday Vigil" Mass sponsored by the Lafayette Diocese Catholic Charismatic Renewal with the approval of Bishop Jarrell, at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, 145 MLK Jr. Dr. in Lafayette – lively liturgical music ministry with pre-praise session, prophecy after communion, and individual prayer after Mass; confessions if available priests. All priests and deacons are invited to participate. Participants are encouraged to maintain their local parish weekly offering. Call CCR office for more info 265-3773. The Mass will be celebrated the 4th Saturday of the Month at 7:00 p.m. The schedule is as follows:

March 27, 2010	Palm Sunday
April 24, 2010	4 th Sunday of Easter
May 22, 2010	Pentecost Sunday (MASS AT CATHEDRAL)
June 26, 2010	13 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 24, 2010	Annual Charismatic Conference

SUICIDE SURVIVORS SUPPORT GROUP

Our Mission is to provide those in mourning a supportive group in which to share their grief and gain understanding. Meetings are held the 2nd Tuesdays of each month at 6:30 p.m. at St. Edmond Church (Dowling Hall). For more information call Eugene Thibodeaux, Jr. with the Office of Project wellsprings at the Diocese of Lafayette.

CODA

Codependents Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women whose common purpose is to develop healthy relationships. We meet each Thursday (Except Diocesan Holidays) at 12-noon in the Levasseur Room #221, Immaculata Center. For more information contact Trista Littlel @ 261-5607.

CATHOLIC WEBSITES

For movie reviews call 1-800-311-4222, or on the web at www.usccb.org. For Catholic information visit www.spiritdaily.com

FRIENDS DAY

Friends Day is scheduled for Saturday, April 17th, 2010 at the Community of Jesus Crucified, 421 ½ Carmel Dr., Lafayette, LA. The day begins at 9:00 AM, ends with celebration of Holy Mass at 12 noon. The theme for the day is "What is Paschal Time?" (Season after Easter until Trinity Sunday) Fr. Thomas Habelz will be the guest speaker for the day. Everyone is invited to attend, registration is not necessary.

FREE MINISTRY TO TRAVELING CATHOLICS

For nationwide Mass times and locations: Internet: www.Masstimes.org.

ROSARY FOR PEACE

The Rosary for peace for our country and our soldiers will be prayed every Thursday before 6:30 a.m. Mass.

NAMES OF THOSE SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES

President Barack H. Obama - Commander in Chief

Steve Clason	US Army	John Guidry	Marines
Jeff Runyan	Marines	Steve M..Pressler II	Air Force
Donald Alfred, Jr.	Marines	Ross Begnaud	Air Force
Joseph Wilson	Navy	Kyle S. Sonnier	Air Nat'l Guard
Michael Flinko	US Army	Beau Begnaud	Air Force
Juan Flores	Air Force	Scott Labbe'	Air Force
Joel Stoma	Marines	Richard thisbeault III	Navy
Reggie Perry	Army	Christopher Breaux	Air Force
Tiffany Guillot Rozas	Navy	Blake Boudreaux	Army
Trevor Lenox	Navy	Edward Friloux Jr	Navy
Oran St. Romain	Air Force	Steven Friloux	Navy
Thomas Friloux	Nat'l Guard	Adam Barousse	Nat'l Guard
Gregory Melancon	Army	Chris Olivier	Nat'l Guard
Jared Alleman	Air Force	Travis Thibodeaux	Marines
Eric Simon	Nat'l Guard	Brandon James Stelly	Nat'l Guard
Gordon Eatley	Navy	Christopher Guidroz	Nat'l Guard
Jeremiah Doucet	Navy	Jason Courtville	Army
Steve Stakes	Air Force	Tim Meyers	Navy
Keith Bartlett	Nat'l Guard	Jason Heath	Army
Mark Foreman	Nat'l Guard	Christopher Taylor	Navy
Jason Breaux	Navy	John Withers, Jr.	Marines
Shawn Mathews	Coast Guard	Shawn Fike	Marines
William Shoemaker	Navy	Whitney Bernard	Army
Trent Mouton	Army	Shaun Hutchinson	Army
Shane Matt	Army	Johnathan Melancon	Nat'l Guard
Douglas LeBlanc	Marines	Charles Leblanc	Marines
Shane Girard	Nat'l Guard	Jason Breaux	Navy
Jeni Begnaud	Air Force	Derrick Hebert	Reserves
Shannon Meche	Nat'l Guard	Kyle J. Venable	Marines
Charles Veillon	Air Force	Timmy Atkinson	Nat'l Guard
Randall Johnson	Navy	Shea Stires	Air Force
Jordan Alleman	Marines	Zack Guidry	Marines
Brian Bernard	Marines	Emily Rose Fisher	Air Force
Jordy Marks	Navy	Neil Batiste	Army
Rob Benoit	Marines	Alfred Joseph, Jr.	Army
Mosella Glaude	Army	Douglas Benton	Air Force
Connie Benton	Navy	Jason Harrison	Army
Johnathon Castille	Marines	Dominique DeJernette	National Guard
Derek Ingle	Nat'l Guard	Richard Boquet, Jr.	Navy
David Boquet	Navy	Michael Credeur	Nat'l Guard
Brady Benton	Nat'l Guard	Lance Hargrave	Nat'l Guard
Troy Martin	Nat'l Guard	Shane Champagne	Navy
Matt Thibodeaux	Nat'l Guard	Grant Black	Army
Douglas Broussard	Air Force	Brian Bush	Marines
Lester Faul	Army	Allen Cormier	Nat'l Guard
Kevin Roger	Nat'l Guard	Erica Remy	Nat'l Guard
Robin Conques Walker	N. Guard	Adam Marks	Navy
Keith T. Miner	Air Force	Tiffany Morgan	Army
Ryan D. Martin	Nat'l Guard	Chad Hanks	Army
Harold Anthony Norman	Army	Gordon Eatley, Sr.	Army
SFC, Rob Leroy	Army	Christopher Martin	Army
Nicholas Mathews	Army	Blake Thibodeaux	Army
Atley Morvant	Army	Korey Pickett	Air Force
Shawn M. Mathews....	Coast Guard		

OUR MOTHER, QUEEN OF PEACE, PRAY FOR US!

The Queen of Peace Rosary Group would like a 5x7 framed picture of our soldiers with their name, rank, and branch of service written on a piece of paper. These pictures will be placed in front of Our Blessed Mother's statue. For more information call 896-0268.

ANGELS HAVE WHEELS

All Medicare recipients should now be aware that if they suffer from conditions such as arthritis, cardiovascular disease, and respiratory disorders, and have difficulty walking or propelling a standard wheelchair they may be eligible to receive an electric wheelchair by Medicare. For information on Medicare eligibility contact Gregory at 1-800-810-2877.

ACADIANA SALUTES OUR SERVICEMEN/WOMEN

The A.S.O.S. is a support group for the loved ones of those serving our country. Meetings are held the 1st Thursday of each month at 6 p.m. at the American Legion Hall on Surrey Street in Lafayette. For more information, call Karen Brown at 896-4337.

CENTRAL REGION WEBSITE

The Central Region of the Diocese of Lafayette has launched a website at www.centralregiononline.org This website includes links to programs, events and ministries such as "Food for the Journey", "Prayer Calendar for Priests", "Divine Mercy Sunday", "RISE", and more, as well as information on the church parishes and Catholic schools of the region. Please visit and bookmark our website today!

FOOD FOR THE JOURNEY

The Central Region of the Diocese of Lafayette presents "Food for the Journey", a monthly lunchtime speaker series designed to help Catholics live out their faith in their daily lives. "Food for the Journey" will be held Tuesday April 6th, at Crowne Plaza Hotel (formerly Hotel Acadiana), 1801 Pinhook Road. The guest speaker will be Rev. Cyprian Eze, Hospital Chaplain, Central Region. Our program begins just after 12:00 noon, with the presentation running from about 12:10-12:45 p.m. Lunch is available beginning at 11:30 a.m. Cost is \$11.00 and includes meal, drink and tip. All are invited to come "eat and be fed". For more information, please call Mary Bergeron (654-8682).

OUR LADY OF LOURDES SCOTT FAMILY CLINIC

If you are retired and/or have a flexible schedule, and feel God calling you to share some of your time for his people. You may want to consider being a Special Volunteer for Our Lady of Lourdes Scott Family Clinic.

Where: Scott Family Clinic as a receptionist and providing hospitality

When: Monday - Friday: Approximately 2 hours per week.

Contact: Sister Eileen Rowe (289-2115). Specific Training will be provided for those who volunteer.

PRAYER BLANKET MINISTRY

Anyone interested in sewing prayer blankets or donating fabric or thread, please call 261-5607. Our sincere thanks for your contributions to this ministry.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

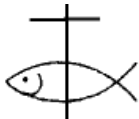
Reserve a place on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend - it's the best gift you'll ever give to each other and your marriage? The next available Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is March 26-28 in Eunice, April 23-25 in Baton Rouge and June 11-13 in Covington. For more information or to register, call 1-800-586-5469 or go online at www.wwme.org.

RADIO MARIA

Looking for light in the darkness of today's media? Experience the prayers, the teachings, and the music of our Catholic faith. Tune in to Radio Maria, a Christian Voice in Your Home, at 1360AM, New Iberia. For more information call 1-888-408-0201 or find us on the web at: www.radiomaria.us.

PRAIRIE RHONDE CURSILLO CENTER

Women April 22-25, 2010
Men May 20-23, 2010
Women June 24-27, 2010
Women July 22-25, 2010 (special needs)
Men August 26-29, 2010
Women October 21-24, 2010



Men **Feast of Christ the King October 31, 2010 3:00 p.m.**
Men November 11-14, 2010

For more information on the 2010 schedule contact Prairie Rhonde Curial Center @ 543-7425.

SERRA CLUB OF LAFAYETTE

The Serra Club of Lafayette is seeking new members. Our mission is to pray for and support vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Short breakfast meetings are held on the first Friday of each month following morning Mass in various local parishes. We sponsor the monthly "Holy Hour for Vocations" at St. Patrick Church and the monthly "Prayer Calendar for Priests". Serrans also adopt and pray for seminarians of our Diocese, as well as host appreciation dinners for priests, religious and seminarians. For more information or to join the Serra Club of Lafayette, please call E. C. Sibille at 232-9787.

RETRouvaille

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue... or have you just stopped talking to each other. Does talking about it only make it worse? This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information for the Retrouvaille of Acadiana call 1-800-470-2230. All inquiries are confidential. Or visit the website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

GENTLY WORN" SCHOOL UNIFORMS NEEDED

School Uniform Outreach recycles used uniforms to needy children in the Lafayette Parish Public Schools. **THE NEED IS GREAT!** We request your help in this ecumenical effort. Sizes 4-20 and all adult sizes are needed:

Shirts: Red, white, and navy blue, black and green

Pants/Shorts: Navy Blue, black and khaki

Remember, any traditional black, khaki and navy pants and knit collar shirts without pockets can be used as uniforms. Please drop your children's outgrown uniforms in the School Uniform Outreach container provided by the stairway in the back of the Church. Keep up the good work!

CIRCLE OF FRIENDS

Circle of Friends is a Separated and Divorced Support Group that will now meet at Holy Cross Church, 505 Broadmoor Blvd., Lafayette. Meetings are held on Monday nights from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. To receive weekly email reminders of upcoming Circle of Friends events, please call 261-5653 or email kchapman@diolaf.org.

PRAYER FOR YEAR FOR PRIEST

JUNE 19, 2009-JULY 19, 2010

Dear Lord, We pray that the Blessed Mother wrap her mantle around your priests and through her intercession strengthen them for their ministry. We pray that Mary will guide your priests to follow her own words, "Do whatever He tells you" (Jn2-5). May your priests have the heart of St. Joseph, Mary's most chaste spouse. May the Blessed Mother's own pierced heart inspire them to embrace all who suffer at the foot of the cross. May your priests be holy, filled with the fire of your love seeking nothing but your greater glory and the salvation of souls. Amen. St. John Vianney, pray for us.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR CONFESSION

The Central Region of the Diocese of Lafayette is sponsoring six regional "Opportunities for Confession" during Lent. Several priests will be present to hear Confessions from 7:00-8:30 p.m. as follows: Tuesday, March 23, at Holy Cross, Lafayette; **Thursday, March 25, at St. Peter, Carencro**; Tuesday, March 30, at Sts. Peter & Paul, Scott. All are encouraged to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation in preparation for Easter Sunday. For more information call Mary Bergeron (654-8682) or visit www.centralregiononline.org.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

www.beginningexperience.org The Beginning Experience is an international peer-to-peer ministry designed to help widowed, separated and divorced persons work through the grief process and make a new beginning in life. It is a weekend away, for a lifetime of change. For more information, call Tammy at 984-9636 ext 223 or 984-1374 after 6 p.m. For additional information about Beginning Experience Weekend look us up on the web.

ALL MASS INTENTIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED ON THURSDAY MORNINGS FROM 8:00AM TILL 12:00 NOON.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY - MARCH 22

6:30AM - Holy souls; Belzire Brasseaux (DA) & Erwin; souls in purgatory

TUESDAY - MARCH 23

6:30AM - Sidney Dugas; souls in purgatory

5:30PM - Edmond Melancon, Jr. & Dan Maher; Holy souls

WEDNESDAY - MARCH 24

6:30AM - souls in purgatory; Salesian Missions; Dorothy Burleigh by St. Ann Society

12 NOON - Holy souls; Mrs. Edmond (Una) Kilchrist by Bonne Mort Society; Rene Sigur by Bonne Mort Society

THURSDAY - MARCH 25

6:30AM - Dennis Hopkins, M/M Oray Breaux; Laura & Shannon; Lenora Monaghan

5:30PM - souls in purgatory; Idelle Gilbert; Marie, Sosthene & Alton Arceneaux (his DA); Mouton /Myers families

FRIDAY - MARCH 26

6:30AM - Jerry LaBerteaux; Kit & Joyce Fontenot; Roy Domengeaux by Bonne Mort Society

5:30PM - souls in purgatory; living & deceased members of Bonne Mort Society by Bonne Mort Society; Dana Turner by Bonne Mort Society; Noice (Pete) Begnaud by Bonne Mort Society

SATURDAY - MARCH 27

4:00PM - M/M Richard Truax, deceased members of Truax, McMillian families; Gloria Pontiff; Henry Quebedeaux; Earline B. Blue; Jo Ann Phillips; Edmond Melancon, Jr. & Dan Maher; Rhule & Larry Guidry, Monique Credeur; Mrs. Hazel Kidder, M/M Emile Kidder & Mrs. Evan Hebert; Lester & Ruth Robinson; Anna Mae (DA) & Lester Breaux; M/M Joe Cormier; Craig Stout; Paul Clark (DA); Alcee 'Bob' Breaux; Brenda & Shane Francez; Tracy & Eugene Mouton; Amilcar & Electa Quebedeaux; Howard & Mary Anne Guidry & family & Merlin & Janelle Braquet & family; Lillian Credeur & Chris Breaux; Mrs. Melvin (Beota) Sonnier by Bonne Mort Society; Una Kilchrist

6:00PM - Gordain & Tim Sibille; souls in purgatory; M/M Marcel Dugas & Louis; special intention; Grace & Fabien Breaux

SUNDAY - MARCH 28

7:00AM - souls in purgatory; Bee & Aline Olivier & Steve Ledet

9:00AM - M/M John Kidder (her DA), Ellierine & grandkids; Velma Jane Dodge; Alex & Lucy Guilbeau; Joseph O. Stelly; George Mamer, Stanley (BD) & Bryan Begnaud; Lee Seaux; Larrell Richard; Pierre Roger, Joby Hebert; Madeline Stoute; Frank Connolly; Mayo Benoit; James & Danielle Thibodeaux; Elmo & Maude Ancelet; Eula Latiolais

11:00AM - Parishioners

5:30PM - Bee & Reno Duags & family; A.J. Forestier family; Mat, Claire & Sarah

