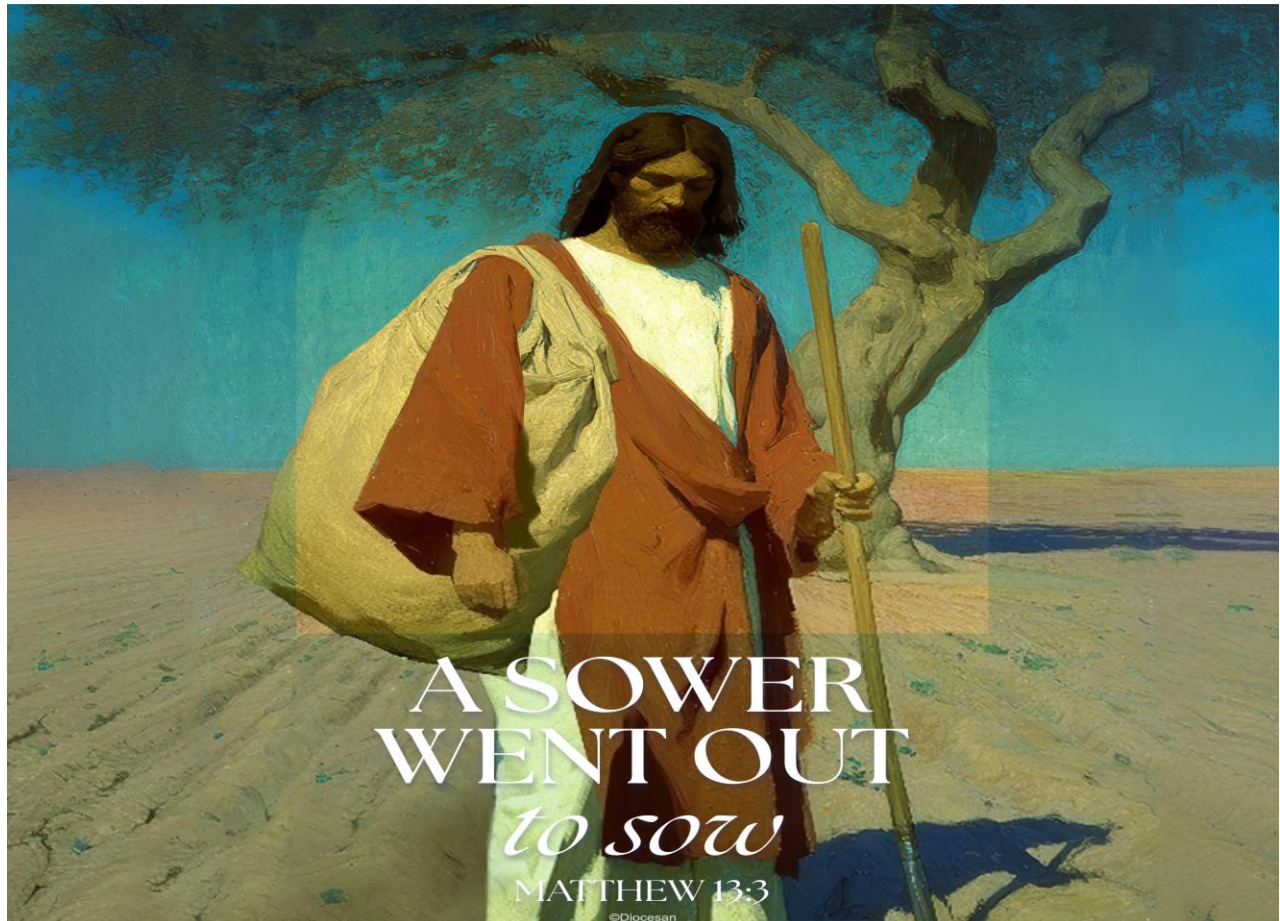


Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church

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Serving our Community Humbly
Loving our Families Joyfully
Worshipping God Boldly

The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 12, 2026



NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to Sacred Heart!

We are so delighted you have chosen our Church to be a part of your family!
Parish Registration & Gift donation forms are located at front entrance of church.

Fr. Dale Meade, Pastor
318.445.2496
frdmeade@diocesealex.org

Church Office
600 Lakeview St., Pineville, LA 71360
*Open Monday-Thursday 8-12;
12:30-3pm*
318.445.2497 Fax 318.443.0808
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318.445.2497x14
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318.445.2497x5

Mass Times
M-F 7:00 am
Saturday, 4pm
Sunday 8, 10, 11:30 am
Holy Days as announced

Confessions
Saturdays 3:30-3:55pm;
Sundays 7:30-7:55am,
9:30-9:55am & 11:00-
11:25am
or at any time requested.

Adoration
Every Tuesday & Thursday prior to
mass (except for first Thursday)
Adoration 6:25 am, Mass 7:00 am
unless otherwise specified.

Exposition/Benediction
before Mass on First Friday.

Adoration Chapel 24/7/365
Call office for door code

Saturday, July 11

C 3:30 Confession (3:30-3:55)
 C 4:00 **Mass** –For the People of the Parish
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm)

Sunday, July 12

C 7:30 Confession (7:30-7:55)
 C 8:00 **Mass** –For Holy Names Society
 O 9:00 Coffee & Donuts
 C 9:30 Confession (9:30-9:55)
 C 10:00 **Mass** – For Michael Boudreaux;
 Gloria Rabalais; Lenard Sandoval;
 Lyndia Thiels
 O 11:00 Coffee & Donuts
 C 11:00 Confession (11:00-11:25)
 C 11:30 **Mass** –For Chris Jardoin
 N 3:00 AA–New Freedom (3:00-4:00pm)

Monday, July 13

C 7:00 **Mass** – For Willie Leonard, Sr. and
 Shirley Leonard
 O 6:15 Sisters in Sobriety AA Recovery
 Meeting
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm)

Tuesday, July 14

C 7:00 **Mass** – For Peter VanDyke
 S 9-12 St. Nicholas Thrift Shop
 O 12:45 Insights Prayer Group
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm)

Wednesday, July 15

C 7:00 **Mass** – For Shirley Lachney
 S 9-12 St. Nicholas Thrift Shop
 E 9:30 **Mass** – St. Christiana – (2nd full week
 of Month) For Bonnie Clarius; James
 Saucier; Allison Tillie; Souls in
 Purgatory
 A 5:00 Wednesday Night Supper - Closed
 E 6:00 Movie Night – Meeting
 A 6:00 CCD - No Classes
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00 pm)

Thursday, July 16

C 7:00 **Mass** – For Mr. & Mrs. Morgan Bagley
 S 9-12 St. Nicholas Thrift Store
 O 6:00 OCIA – No Meeting
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm)

Friday, July 17

C 7:00 **Mass** – For John LaCaze
 E 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm)

Saturday, July 18

C 3:30 Confession (3:30-3:55)
 C 4:00 **Mass** – For Maria Terrell
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom

Sunday, July 19

C 7:30 Confession (7:30-7:55)
 C 8:00 **Mass** – For Michelle McTire Hays;
 John Lacaze; Lynda Thiels; Sadie
 Veillon
 O 9:00 Coffee and Donuts
 C 9:30 Confession (9:30-9:55)
 C 10:00 **Mass** – For Marian Burlison
 O 11:00 Coffee & Donuts
 C 11:00 Confession (11:00-11:25)
 C 11:30 **Mass** – For the People of the Parish
 N 3:00 AA–New Freedom (3:00-4:00pm)

C=Church H=Chapel O=Community Center A=Activities
 Bldg. Y=Youth Center S=St. Nicholas Society
 R=Rectory E=Elsewhere N=Social Action Center, K=Knights
 of Columbus (old school cafeteria)

LAMP BURNS – In memory of Thuong-V-Nguyen by the
 Nguyen Family. If you are interested in having a loved one

remembered by providing for the sanctuary light, please use a
 pew envelope.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR**

OUR SEMINARIANS: The Diocese of Alexandria has 7 men in
 priestly formation: *Jacob Cass, and Graham Descant* attending
 Notre Dame Seminary, New Orleans, and *Blake Bernard,*
Matthew Kramer, Cullen Phillips, David Rubio, and Ty
Schexnayder attending St. Joseph's Seminary College in St.
 Benedict.

THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF: Jerry Joseph Normand, Tonny
 Joicé Rachal, and Billy Thomasee, and the consolation of their
 families and friends.

ACUTELY ILL: Gary Atwood, Gabriel Baker, Connie Bartlett, Mike
 Bartlett, Patricia Bollich, Kinsey Brinson, Janice Brumley,
 Hannah Buckley, Mary Carmouche, Cathy Cole, Shari Cormier,
 Melanie Dupre Delahoussaye, Donna Dubroc, Larry Dupre,
 Beryl Fitzgerald, Louis Freels, Susan Gagliano, Sheila Johnson,
 Wayland Johnson, Jack Lemoine, Angel Mathews, Cheyenne
 Mayeux, Sawyer Mayeux, Jennifer McPeters, Peggy O'Neill,
 Boston Pace, Bonnie Rachal, Pat Sasser, Janetta Simon, Eleanor
 Tate, and Macie Tullis.

SICK, RECOVERING OR CONTINUING TREATMENT: Faye Cheek,
 Jason Chumley, Raelynn Churchman, Cynthia Constance, Fred
 Eloi, Aline Graham, Shirley Hernandez, McKenna Howell, Kay
 Lowery, Baby Matias, Stacy Mayeaux, Charles Mayer, Steve
 Meche, Betty Melone, Dorothy Morris, Caitlin Norris, Randy
 Nugent, Walter Pastor, Joey Plauche, Mary Preston, Janet
 Takuino, Jeana Tarver, and Joe Bill Warren.

SHUT-INS: Diana Ardoin, Thomas Atkinson, Mary Ann Deville,
 Larry Dupré, Jessica Elliott, Patricia Ferguson, JoAnn Keneson,
 Bernadine Lee, Mary Ann McNeal, Evelyn Martin, Sharon
 Meche, Warren Meche, Anita Normand, Ed Price, Edward
 Simms, Johnnie Smith, Betty Teasley, and Joe Bill Warren.

OUR MILITARY, ESPECIALLY THOSE OVERSEAS: Abbi Aldecoa,
 Charles Austin, Blake Best, Cody Best, Bradley Bryant, Sam
 Cannon, Micah Cobb, Evan Cree, Dale Daniel, Liam Daniel,
 Aaron Deville, Patrick Downs, Devin Gay, Joe Herrera, Chad
 Hines, Brian Laborde, Francis Melomo, John Louis Methe,
 Dalton Miller, Ethan Miller, Dustin Morrow, Todd Moulder, Phi
 Joseph Pham, Zachary Prejean, William Purdion, Jr., Rebekka
 Thompson, and Elijah Winfrey.

OFF CAMPUS MASS SCHEDULE CHANGES EFFECTIVE 7/7/26:

- The Oaks – Tuesday of 1st full week of the month at 10 am
- Legacy at St. Christina – Wednesday of 2nd full week of the
 month at 9:30 am
- Hilltop – Thursday of 3rd full week of the month at 10 am

THE WEEKEND OF JULY, 4TH – 5TH

Income needed for month of July	\$ 47,866.08
Total Gifts Collected For July	\$ 13,090.13
Last week's Collection	\$ 13,090.13
Amount needed in July	\$ 34,775.95

SPECIAL COLLECTION July 12 - This weekend we take up our collection to support the **Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa**. The people of Africa are joyous and faith-filled but as the Church in Africa grows, the pastoral needs of the people also increase. Clergy formation, communications programs to bring the Gospel to remote territories, youth ministries that engage the next generation of disciples – these and all the Church's needs are wide-ranging. The collection for the Solidarity Fund is an opportunity for our parish to stand with the people of Africa. Our contributions help them face these challenges and build lasting foundations of missionary discipleship. Thank you for your generosity in supporting this appeal today. To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/africa

SACRED HEART JOB OPENING BOOKKEEPER Ms. Sherry Rabalais is retiring in August. We are currently seeking a bookkeeper with accounting experience preferably. If interested, please submit a current resumé. Please contact Parish Manager scorley@jesusinpineville.com.

CCD TEACHERS NEEDED for PreK and 7th grade. For more information, please contact Alissa Sanders at 318-447-0369 or email: sacredheartofjesus.ccd@gmail.com.

250 HOURS OF ADORATION/250 WORKS OF MERCY THROUGHOUT THE DIOCESE - THE MONTH OF JULY In conjunction with the USCCB 250th Anniversary of the U.S. initiative, the Diocese of Alexandria will be promoting 250 Hours of Adoration and 250 Works of Mercy throughout the diocese during the month of July. Please visit www.diocesealex.org for more information and a list of locations where you may participate and how to let us know about it! We will be publishing photos and stories in a future issue of the Church Today!

RIGHTWAY IMAGINING representative will be onsite **July 18-19** before/after Mass to briefly talk to you about various vital health screenings offered in detecting health concerns before they become health problems. The actual screening will take place **July 28th from 9 am to 7 pm** in the Youth Center.

NATIONAL FAMILY PLANNING AWARENESS WEEK - JULY 19-25
This year's theme is Natural Family Planning, Designed by God, Guided by Love, Open to Life. The Catholic Church supports the methods of Natural Family Planning (NFP) because they respect God's design for married love. In fact, NFP represents the only authentic approach to family planning available to husbands and wives because these methods can be used to both attempt or avoid pregnancy. To learn more about NFP, visit <https://www.usccb.org/topics/natural-family-planning>

SEMINARIAN MEET & GREET - JULY 23 Join us for a 'sweet' time with the Seminarians at Maryhill Renewal Center on Thursday, July 23 from 7:00-8:30 p.m. Desserts will be provided by several churches across the diocese. All donations will benefit the Seminarian Education Fund.

WOMENS ACTS RETREAT TEAM MEMBERS COMMISSIONING MASS – August 2nd at 9:00 AM

SAVE THE DATE! MEN'S SILENT RETREAT - AUGUST 7-9

Join us for "The Fourth Watch Watch of the Night", a Men's Silent retreat presented by Deacon Micheal Parker of the Diocese of Baton Rouge. Retreat will be held at **Maryhill Renewal Center**. Registration is \$250. \$100 non-refundable deposit due at registration and \$150 due at retreat check-in. To register, visit <https://freedonationkiosk.com:9011/doa/events/3>

ALTAR SERVER APPRECIATION MASS - AUGUST 15 / 10:30 am

will be at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral with Bishop Robert Marshall presiding. Parents of our altar servers, please contact Kevin Gauthier at 318-446-3249 or Sandy in the church office if you plan to attend. A group list must be submitted by our church. St. Tarcisius' feast day, Patron Saint of Altar Servers, is on August 15.

SAVE THE DATE! Catechist Enrichment Day - August 29

If your role involves sharing the faith with others, please join us this day of relational ministry enrichment. Speakers and location will be announced soon. For more information, contact Deacon Jason Lavergne at dcnjlavergne@diocesealex.org

JUBILEE OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI MARKING THE 800TH ANNIVERSARY OF HIS DEATH. STS. FRANCIS AND ANNE CHURCH IN KOLIN, LA INVITES YOU TO PARTICIPATE IN THE JUBILEE YEAR OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI. Pope Leo has declared the year of 2026 as the Jubilee Year of St. Francis of Assisi. The Pope is granting a plenary indulgence to all who visit a church dedicated to St. Francis of Assisi (under the usual conditions of Confession and receiving Holy Communion and praying for the Pope's intentions). Sts. Francis and Anne Church in Kolin is inviting any faithful that wishes to come and visit our church and receive this plenary indulgence. We have a table set up displaying a statue and picture of St. Francis. We have holy cards available to take with you also. The faithful may pray the Creed, Our Father and Hail Mary invoking the heavenly intercession of St. Francis. Those who wish to say a St. Francis Novena, booklets will be available to use. In the month of July we will have a relic of St. Francis of Assisi available to venerate. Please sign your name in the visitors' book. The Church will be open Tuesdays 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday through Fridays 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Saturdays 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m., and Sundays 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

 WOMENS ACTS RETREAT Ladies, please prayerfully considering joining us during this life changing experience. Retreat will be held at Mary Hill on Nov. 19-22. Applications are located in the church lobby. Registration fee is \$200 per person. For questions, please contact Crystal Mallett at 318-481-6993.	 CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS, COURT BISHOP GRECO #2072 Meet first Monday of month at 12 PM in the Activities Bldg. 519 Sanders St. <u>Monthly Meeting Schedule:</u> 9/14, 10/5, 11/2, 12/7, 1/11, 2/1, 3/1, 4/5, 5/3, 6/7 <u>Weekend Raffle ticket sales at Mass:</u> 9/19-20, 10/17-18, 11/7-8, Drawing 12/7	 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, JOHN PAUL II - CHAPTER #14657 Meet first Thursday of month at 6 PM in the Knight's Bldg., 519 Sanders St. (behind CCD school) Fundraiser \$10 each - Drawing 10/31/26 1st Place: Half a Cow/Freezer (Deliver in late January) 2nd Place: 15-18 lb. Smoked Brisket 3rd Place: Extra Large Smoked Pork Butt <u>Weekend ticket sales at Mass on:</u> July 11-12, Aug 8-9, Sept 12-13, Oct 24-25.
 ACTS CORE TEAM meet every 2nd Thursday of the month at 5:00 pm in the Youth Center. Please prayerfully consider becoming an ACTS Core volunteer. See separate flyers on counter regarding details.	<u>Upcoming Events:</u> Oct: Socktober; Nov: Thanksgiving Bake Sale, Mar: St. Joseph's Honorary Food Drive, April: Spring Towel Drive for Homeless, May: Mother's Day Bake Sale	FOR SALE: TWO 6 GALLON FRYERS (RV Works brand) in excellent shape. \$250 each. (Retail value \$595)
VIRTUS TRAINING HAS NOW BEEN MOVED ONLINE! Now it is more convenient to become VIRTUS certified! Detailed information about how to register for an online training session is available on the Safe Environment webpage on the Diocese of Alexandria website: diocesealex.org/our-diocese/safe-environment/ For more information, contact Kecia Coco, director of our Safe Environment program, kcoco@diocesealex.org.	SACRED HEART'S ST. NICHOLAS THRIFT SHOP is needing additional volunteers to assist with sorting items received as well as to expand our sales teams. We have trying to reopen for business on Tuesdays. Our thrift store provides a much needed service for the community and the income received from this special ministry is used to help support our Food Pantry program. Please prayerfully consider accepting the call to volunteer! Please contact the church office at 318-445-2497.	SACRED HEART FOOD PANTRY We currently need Spaghetti or other types of pasta noodles and cans of Spaghetti Sauce. Monetary gifts are also welcomed.  A list of other food items requested may be found at the front entrance of Church. If you are interested in helping us prepare food bags for the needy or for the children in our school programs we support, please contact Linda Boniol at 318-623-1492.
LECTOR WORKSHOP - August 18 The Diocese of Alexandria is offering Lector Formation workshops for those individuals who are interested in serving or who currently may serve as a Lector in their parish. To serve in this role, one must be of good standing with their Catholic faith and need the approval of their pastor. All training workshops will present the same material and will last no longer than two and a half hours. If you would like to sign up for the next workshop, please contact Dcn Jason Lavergne at (318) 445-6424 ext 207 or email dcnjlavergne@diocesealex.org. Tuesday, August 18 – 6:00 p.m. – St. Joseph Catholic Center, 4400 Coliseum Blvd., Alexandria There is no need to register and no charge to attend. When the session is completed you will receive a certificate. We will be happy to have you!	PRAYER FOR PROTECTION THIS HURRICANE SEASON O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed Your order and returned to its former quietude. You are still the Master of land and sea. We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control; the Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awake from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land, and spread chaos and disaster. During this hurricane season, we turn to You, O loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid, and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with the passing of time. O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son of our behalf so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your Divine Son to reach the heavenly Jerusalem, where a stormless eternity awaits us. Amen.	SCRIPTURE READINGS Week of July 12, 2026 Sunday Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14; Rom 8:18-23; Mt 13:1-23 or Mt 13:1-9 Monday Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 10:34-11:1 Tuesday Memorial of Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 11:20-24 Wednesday Memorial of Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15; Mt 11:25-27 Thursday Is 26:7-9; 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21; Mt 11:28-30 Friday Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16; Mt 12:1-8 Saturday Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21 Sunday Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 or Mt 13:24-30

ORGANIZATIONS YOU ARE WELCOME TO JOIN:

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion – Keith Bonin – 318.201.9017
 Lectors – Delia Flynn – 318.452.0438
 Altar Servers – Kevin Gauthier – 318.446.3249
Choirs: Practice is held one hour prior to mass in the Community Ctr Music Room.
 Saturday 4pm Sacred Heart Singers – Judy/George Gross – 318.613.3667
 Sunday 8 & 10 - Hannah Hicks – 318.623.2956
 Sunday 10am Adult Choirs rotating directors – Sarah Marino 318.709.4394; St Nicholas Thrift Shop – 318.442.2072
 Danielle Fitzgerald 318-541-6756; Denise Daniel – 318.451.2029
 Sunday 10am Children’s Choir (as scheduled.) – Ann Craig 318.664.2848
 Sunday 11:30am Praise Band – Candace Churchman 318.332.9325 & Leia Craig 318.541.3257
 Wednesday Night Suppers – Keith Bonin 318.201.9017
 Catholic Daughters – Susie Nugent – 318.715.8450
 Knights of Columbus – Harold Cormier – 337.302.0382
 Holy Name Society – Dan Tillie – 318.319.8345
 ACTS Core – Church office 318.445.2497 or Randy Marino 318-542-9107
 Sacred Heart Food Pantry – Linda Boniol – 318.623.1492
 Grief Support Group – Tammy Magnano – 318.229.7455
 You do not need to know how to read music to join a choir.

OUR COMMISSIONS ACT IN THE NAME OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY

To join a commission, please call Sandy Corley, Parish Manager 445.2497x14

Worship Commission –

Denise Daniel, Chair - 318.451.2029

Worship Team: Keith Bonin, Candace/Cole Churchman, Ann Craig, Leia Craig, Danielle Fitzgerald, Delia Flynn; George, George/Judy Gross, Hannah Hicks, Sara Marino

OCIC (Children age 7 and up)

Michelle Kling – 985.351.1236

Parish Council / Financial Council

Pastor appoints the Council members

Parish Council – Willie Leonard 504.390.3323

Finance Council – Keith Karisny 318.715.7174

Evangelization, Initiation, Formation (EIF):

Larry Minton, Chair – 318.794.0264

Melba LaCaze, Susi Minton, Pat Sasser

OCIA (Adults) - Hospitality for Inquiry into the Catholic Faith

Larry Minton – 318.794.0264

lbmatty45@gmail.com

SALT AND LIGHT (Charity and Social Action):

Gail Blake, Chair – 318.233.0627

CCD Coordinator, Alissa Sanders

318.447.0369

Sacredheartofjesus.ccd@gmail.com

Youth Group Coordinators - Eric & Erica Mayeux

318.452.3911 or 318.305.0056

emayeux83@gmail.com

Families And Adults Commission:

Katherine Marino 318.542.9178

Katie Pierce 318.481.7548

Meetings second Thursday of month in the Movie Rm

SACRAMENTS

Please refer to our website at www.JesusinPineville.com, go to “Schedule Anything” and select the appropriate form needed:

Baptism, Wedding, or Funeral.

Forward completed form(s) to church office to scorley@jesusinpineville.com and follow up with Parish Manager to confirm receipt of request, schedule dates, or for any questions.

Emergencies/Urgent needs: Call 318.445.2497 and when prompted, press “5”.

Non-emergencies: Contact Parish Office 318.445.2497 x 14

BAPTISM (under age of 7)

Baptisms’ are typically celebrated around weekend mass times.

At least one Godparent must be an active-practicing catholic and provide documentation of their completed sacraments – baptism to confirmation.

Godparent(s) also need to submit a signed Certificate of Sponsorship from their home parish priest.

MARRIAGE

Please contact our Priest before setting a wedding date.

All couples must complete formation meetings prior to nuptial celebration.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

This sacrament, along with penance and Holy Communion, is available to anyone over the age of reason (nearing 7 yrs. old).

For Children under the age seven, they should be baptized and the special blessing for sick children is administered.

Viaticum is the sacrament of the dying and, if possible, Holy Communion in this form should be offered to them often.

SERIOUS ILLNESS: Please receive anointing if you know you will be having serious tests or surgery, or if you are growing weak with age, struggling with mental illness or addiction.

NON-SERIOUS ILLNESSES: Please ask for the sacrament the weekend before a medical procedure.

Please contact a clergyman when someone has died so that a Priest may assist the family in their grief. Remember, anyone can baptize with water in danger of death.

For those who use Rapides Regional Medical Center: A small reminder for all our Catholics who may be admitted to Rapides Regional Medical Center in Alexandria. Sometimes when going through admitting, the hospital worker may neglect to ask for the patient's religious affiliation. The result is the patient is not listed on the roster as Catholic and the hospital's Catholic ministry team is unaware that you are in the hospital. Please try to remember to mention this during the admitting procedure.

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HOSPITALIZATION

Please let us know ASAP when you are hospitalized (give patient’s name, room number, and hospital) or when you are discharged/confined to home, or when transferred to a Rehabilitation hospital.

FUNERALS

Services are scheduled by the funeral home representative directly with the Pastor. While you are meeting at the funeral home, have the funeral director call the pastor personally.