

Pentecost Sunday

MASSES & INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, June 3, 2017

7:00 A.M. – Sr. Zélie Thérèse of the Redeemer

5:30 P.M. MASS – Jeremy Rider, Enola Bellard, Keith LeJeune, Preston Bertrand, Dorothy Berry, Shirley Papillion, Ashley Caesar, Kim Frank, Barbara Murray Fly. Liv. & Dec., Fran Meaux, Willie, Larry & Raymond Lanthier, John & Willie Spears Fly.

SUNDAY, June 4, 2017

7:30 A.M. MASS – *Pro Populo* (For the People)

10:00 A.M. MASS – Edward Maddox, Members of St. Martha's Guild, Jeanette Hornsby, Marvin Banks, Veronica Vizona, Carol Deshotel, Deah Chapman, Michael Pitre, Juan H. Lucero Castellano, Juan A. Lucero Ruiz, Milagros Castellano Perez, Guihermo Consuegra Garcia, Manuela Travieso Rodriguez, Margaret Briscoe

MONDAY, June 5, 2017

6:30 A.M. Mass – D.C. Reed, Jr.

TUESDAY, June 6, 2017

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY, June 7, 2017

NO MASS

THURSDAY, June 8, 2017

NO MASS

FRIDAY, June 9, 2017

6:30 A.M. MASS – Mr. & Mrs. Togea Goodly

SATURDAY, June 10, 2017

5:30 P.M. MASS – Fran Meaux, Jeremy Rider, Keith LeJeune, John C. Durio, J.C. & Bertha Smith, Hubert Bertrand, Emily Adams, Lucis Cezar, Jr., Gene & Joetta Fly. Liv. & Dec.

SUNDAY, June 11, 2017

7:30 A.M. MASS – *Pro Populo* (For the People)

10:00 A.M. MASS – Edward Maddox (**1st Anniv.**), Jennifer Sonnier (**1st Anniv.**), Deau Granger, Weston Monceaux, Sr., Ladies Altar Society Liv. & Dec., Marvin Banks, Virgil & Willa Del Trahan, Helen & Glenn Sonnier, Carol Deshotel, Eddie & Olita Chapman

Last Week's Collection

\$3,295.00

2nd Collection – Catholic Communication Campaign

\$261.25

PRAYER LIST

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Andrews, Phil Beard, Charles Beaubouef, Quintan Bell, Joan Bertrand, Alvin & Sonja Billodeaux, Bruce & Diana Brakel, Douglas Briscoe, Lincoln & Louise Briscoe, Margaret Briscoe, Bernice Bushnell, Helen Bushnell, Kristin Carlton, Linda Beaubouef Cazes, David & Natalie Carrier, Ailene Chapman, Vivian Cole Fly., Florence Comeaux, Richard Cooper, Virginia Cottongin, Aiden Darbonne, Rynree Darbonne, Jackie Deville, Cindy Dowies, Jabe Doyle, David Fontenot, Donald Fontenot, Mary Ophelia Fontenot, Rodney Fontenot, Steven Fontenot, Verlis Fontenot, Tim Germany, Elaine Giles, Daniel Goodly & Fly., Freddy & Becky Gorman, Bruce Granger, Jr., Jennifer Granger, Vergie Granger, Linda Green, Todd Guillory, Victoria Lynn Guillory, Harrison Harmon, Joseph Harmon, Mildred Harmon, Ester Harmon, Shirley Hebert, Sunni Hurst, Charlene Ireland, John, Shenita & Perella Jackson, Grady Johnson, Joey James, Brayden Johnson, Rudolph & Joyce Johnson, Paul LaFleur, Kristen Labauve, Essie Langley, Grayce LaRacca, Deanne LeBlanc, Dwain LeBleu, Tina Morgan Lantier, Craig Leguine, Keith LeJeune, Lou, Joseph, & Adam LeJeune, Willie Mae LeJeune, Arlington Manuel, Benny Manuel, Brian Manuel, Kevin Manuel, LuLu Manuel & Fly., Nolton Manuel, Shirley Manuel, Reed McIver, Bonnie McNabb, Patricia Mikas, Rita & Billy Miller, Ray Marcantel, Trista Marler, Brandy McCarty, Christina McNutt, Ronald Meaux, Russell Meaux, Clifford Montou, Janice Moreau, Glen Morgan, Carolyn Morgan, Frank Mougeot, Andrew Norwood, Nicholas Odum, Debbie & Phil Owen & Fly., Joey Owen, Katherine Papillion, Howard Patin, Devin Pelt, Sally Pitre, Hannah Popillion, Linda & Don Potier, Jimmy Prudhomme, Ena Prudhomme Fly., Erin Ramos, Ronnie Ramos, Ashton Read, Reid Redlich, Ann Reed, Cheryl Reed, Sarah Reed & Fly., Lynda Reed, Irvin Reed, Will Reid, Leonard Richard, Donald Rider, Sharon, Richard, Jonathan, Hayley, Jayden, Ryleigh, Skylie, Jackson, Martha, Rusty, and Patsy Rider, Salis Rider, Michael Roger, Ann Rooney, Vera Ross, Fr. Fred Russi, Evelyn Sandell, Tina Sapienza, Quentin Savoie, Sister Ann Margaret Savant, Skaggs Fly., Tucker Scimemi, Helen Shreeman, Lois Singleton, C. Sonnier, Remy Spring, Kolton Squier, Leah Squier, Donald P. Sonnier, Barbara Strickland, Kelly Strother, Lucille Strother, Carl Tarver, Celeman Thomas, Matthew Truman,

Katelyn Tunks, Dollyanna Victorian, Steve Vidrine, Zachary Villereal, Joseph K. Vizona, Linda Voeller, Robbie Willis & Family, Odelia & Ernest Wilson, Kimberly Worthy, Nicole Young, Theresa Young

Divine Intimacy Reading Guide

June 4 th – June 11 th	Entry Number
Sunday	189
Monday	190
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Vocations Candle and Cross – Bobby & Lucy Brandon

SJoA Feast Day Reception This Sunday

SJoA's Feast Day reception is this Sunday, June 4th, after the 10:00 A.M. Mass on. The KC's will cook the meat. The following is a suggested list. If your last name begins with:

A – G: Desserts (cakes, pies, puddings, candy, cupcakes, cookies, brownies, etc.)

H – L: Bread, Rice, or Pasta (pasta salads, crescent rolls, biscuits, Hawaiian bread, Parker House rolls, broccoli rice, mac & cheese, etc.)

M – R: Vegetables (green beans, corn, sweet potato, potato salad, cucumbers, baked beans, peas, green salad, mashed potatoes, etc.)

S – Z: Miscellaneous (deviled eggs, relish plate, chips & dips, nuts, mints, fruit, etc.)

Ladies Altar Society will provide punch.

Thank You

We would like to thank Fr. Conner, parishioners of SJoA and the ladies altar society for their prayers, love and kindness shown to our family during our time of grief.

The Family of Jason Skaggs

This Week @ SJoA

- ❖ Sunday, June 4th – SJoA Feast Day Reception after 10:00 Mass
- ❖ Tuesday, June 6th – Ladies Altar Society at 5:30 P.M.
- ❖ Tues., June 6th – Thurs., June 8th: NO DAILY MASSES
- ❖ **Friday, June 9th – ADORATION 7:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.**
- ❖ Saturday, June 10th – work day at St. Joseph 8:30 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.; Altar Boy Swim Party 12:00 – 2:00 P.M. at the home of Daryl & Renee Granger

EWTN PARISH PILGRIMAGE

Monday, July 17 – Thursday, July 20th. Please sign up at the entrance of the church by June 26th if you are interested.

SAVE THE DATES

Chant Camp

Monday, July 10th – Friday, July 14th for all ages. No Charge

Vocation Bible School

Monday, July 24th – Friday, July 28th for grades 1 - 5

Summer Short Course in Religion

July 24th, 25th, 26th, 31st and August 1st & 2nd

ST. JOAN OF ARC AWARD – 2017 RECIPIENTS

Mrs. Celeman Thomas

Mrs. Celeman Thomas was born on July 18, 1933 in Oberlin, Louisiana. She is the youngest of three daughters and a sister to two brothers.

Mrs. Thomas attended school in the Soileau Community and made it through the 7th grade. At the age of 51 acquired her GED. She began working at an early age in the cotton fields and doing housework throughout the area. She was employed by the Allen Action Agency and worked for over 25 years as a pre-school cook. She loved all the children she encountered at the Headstart, often spending time with them in class and singing with them.

Mrs. Thomas has served her church parish, St. Joan of Arc and St. Joseph (Soileau) for many years. Originally, St. Joseph was part of the Diocese of Lafayette. During that time, Mrs. Thomas attended Mass and assisted with activities at the church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Duralde) and St. Joseph. She assisted Father Matte and Father Fontaine in many capacities. She served, for example, as a catechism teacher, was a member of the Ladies Altar Society, was a member of the Prayer Team during the Charismatic movement in Eunice, LA, assisted the sick by bringing Holy Communion. Once the Diocese of Lake Charles was established, she continued her efforts and also began attending to the needs of the Priests at SJoA. She also faithfully cleaned and ensured the good order of St. Joseph's for many years.

Mrs. Thomas has opened her home to relatives and strangers, feeding them and praying with them. Because of her strong devotion to her faith, Mrs. Thomas is called upon for prayer and encouragement and she has been sought by many to recite the rosary in French. She can always be found with a rosary in her possession, reciting it several times a day. She has taught her family that God is first, and that He will make things right for everything else. Mrs. Thomas is a mother, grandmother, aunt, godmother, and friend of many. Her greatest joy is to serve the Lord in whatever capacity she is asked.

Mr. Paul LaFleur

Mr. Paul LaFleur was born on April 15, 1921 in Elton, Louisiana. He was the fourth child and first born son of eleven children.

Mr. LaFleur began working at a very young age to help his family. In 1942 he joined the U.S. Army and served his country during World War II. He earned several medals while serving his country, one being a bronze medal.

In January 1946, Mr. LaFleur married Lillian Bertrand. They were married 50 years at Mrs. LaFleur's passing. They had twin sons, Clifford and Clayton, and raised them to be devoted Catholics, instilled family values, and a good work ethic. As a family, they attended holy Mass in Guy until the mission church closed. Subsequently, they attended Mass at St. Joan of Arc,

where they volunteered and worked, cleaning the church weekly for several years. Mr. LaFleur is grandfather to 7 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren and 5 great-great grandchildren.

Congrats to a new Catholic!

Join me in congratulating Miss **Kashmyra Cart** who received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Communion this past Tuesday ... the feast of St. Joan of Arc! She has been preparing diligently for the Sacraments of Initiation. How wonderful that Divine Providence arranged for her to receive them on the patronal feast day of the parish! *Deo gratias!*

Convocation

The annual Priests' Convocation begins Monday, June 5th. We have Mass here at SJoA Monday morning at the usual time, but there will be no daily Masses Tuesday – Thursday. Mass will resume Friday at its regular time, 6:30 am.

EWTN Pilgrimage

It's decision time for our hoped-for EWTN trip. We need at least 45 people signed up and committed to going in order for us to make this happen. At present, we have 15. For those who have never attended, I can whole-heartedly endorse the pilgrimage. Our trip a couple of years ago was superb. If you know of others who might like to make the pilgrimage (regardless of whether they are SJoA parishioners), don't hesitate to invite them.

Chant Camp

As I mentioned a few weeks earlier: we will have our 2nd Annual Summer Chant Camp this year. In addition to the youth, this year we're going to open the chant camp up to adults as well. More details on the chant camp will be forthcoming (e.g., minimum age, time of day, etc.). Today, I ask that you mark your calendar and plan on attending. The chant camp will be Monday, July 10th – Friday July 14th. There will be no charge for attending.

Summer Short Course on Religion

I also ask that you put the 2017 Summer Short Course on Religion in your calendar ... and plan on attending. Dates for the short course are **July 24th, 25th, 26th; July 31st, August 1st, 2nd**. (That's a Monday – Wednesday for two consecutive weeks!) The class will begin at 6:00 pm and go for approximately one hour. Our focus this year will be the *chief doctrines* of the Catholic Church. Amongst others, we will learn about: Inspiration/Inerrancy (of the Bible), formation of the Bible, the Trinity, Creation & the Fall of man, the Immaculate Conception, Christology (study of Jesus Christ ... i.e., Who He Is), Redemption, Grace, the Four Last Things (death, judgment, heaven, hell), Purgatory, etc. We will use Father John Laux's classical text *Chief Truths of the Faith* (TAN Books). We're working on a super low price for the book (less than \$10). That will be the only cost associated with the class. Call the Rectory to order your copy and begin studying. The Lord once lamented to the Prophet Hosea: "My people perish for lack of knowledge." May this not be able to be said about us!